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The bride was charmingly gowned in an attractive travelling suit of castor shade, trimmed with pearl and white silk with which a rich black velvet hat trimmings of white lace was worn.

Miss Agnes Cushing daintily gowned in white mousseline de soie with hat to match, attended the bride during the ceremony, while Mr. Chas. A. Bogan, brother of the bride, ably supported the groom.

At the conclusion of the ceremony, an elaborate wedding breakfast was partaken of by the guests, who numbered about forty, at the residence of the bride's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Spellman left in the evening for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Ottawa and Montreal, and will in the near future return to Peterborough, where they will take up residence. Their many friends here wish them much happiness.

Found in Tree Trunk

Susquehanna, Pa., Oct. 6—While Farmer Ridgeway and his hired man at Lawsville were sawing up a large log for firewood the teeth of the saw encountered a hard substance. They cut the log apart and disclosed the bones of a large animal, which, when fully exposed to view, proved to be those of a large bear.

It is supposed that many years ago, the bear climbed into the hollow of the tree in search of honey, and being unable to extricate himself he perished there. There was a large quantity of new honey in the hollow of the tree.

The Colony Increasing

Last year over $25,000 worth of property in Cobourg was purchased by people from the United States who spent the summer—indeed most of the year—in this pretty town on Lake Ontario. Every year the United States colony in Cobourg grows larger, every year more money is spent there by summer visitors. It is a striking example of what tremendous value the summer visitor business is to a Canadian town. The man who began the movement a generation ago is dead and buried these many years but the good work goes on. Peterborough should come in for some of this summer trade expansion.

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Permanently Cures The Most Desperate Cases of Neuralgia

At This Season the Marvellous Medicine is Saving and Making Happy Thousands of Pain-Wracked Mortals

It is no difficult undertaking to convince men and women who are open to conviction that many forms of disease are due to some weakness or trouble with particular nerves or whole sets of nerves.

Neuralgia is, in the autumn season, one of the commonest of nerve diseases. It often touches every part of the body, but is usually located in the face, affecting the facial nerves and the teeth. Very often the disease attacks the nerves of the head, and fatal results follow when the brain is touched.

To those who suffer agonies at varying periods, and who have not yet found a cure, we urge with all honesty the use of nature's medicine, Paine's Celery Compound. It has rescued thousands from awful sufferings, grave dangers, and fatal results. Mr. L. A. Belyea, Hampstead, N.B., tells how he was cured by Paine's Celery Compound.

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A FORTUNE IS BEING MADE, and the shares of the Company will be worth several times their par value in a short time.

This company is making a "KEYLESS CLOCK," a self-winding time piece, a clock that you do not have to approach but once a year. This everlasting winding of clocks will be dispensed with when the "Keyless Clock" is bought, for it relieves you of that botheration. In a few years all clocks will be self-winding.

The United States Electric Clock Company, of New York, is in the field with the

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The business is being managed by responsible business men of the highest character and integrity, and a big success is being made. A large factory covering about 10,000 square feet is now being used for the manufacture of this wonderful clock. It occupies six floors, and has a large equipment of machinery ALL PAID FOR

The company is making clocks, selling clocks and shipping clocks. Enough orders on hand to keep factories running for weeks.

The present capacity of the Company's plant, 60 Elizabeth Street, New York, is 50,000 clocks per year, which means

AN ASSURED PROFIT OF $250,000 A YEAR NOW

By the addition of very little space and the installation of some additional machinery, this output can be doubled with ease, thus Bringing the Profit up to $500,000 a year. 'Keyless Clock" shares may

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NO DOUBTFUL MARKET, but a field that takes in the entire world
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The Company has no debts, no mortgages, no bond, no preferred stock—All Profits go to the Purchasers of the Stock now Offered to the Public.

Wanted 500 Stockholders.

200 FAR-SEEING INVESTORS from all parts of the country bought "KEYLESS CLOCK" shares at $6.00 per share. The price was advanced to $7.50 a few days ago, and nearly 100 more have rushed in their subscriptions. The intention is to again advance the price to par, which is $10.00 PER SHARE, as soon as the stock books show 400 STOCKHOLDERS. Bear in mind there are subscriptions coming in every day, and the

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After that it will cost $10.00 each, and only 100 subscribers can get stock at that price THIS WILL MAKE 500 STOCKHOLDERS altogether, which is the limit placed by our directors. With 500 shareholders all over the United States, this Clock Company should sell as many clocks as all the other companies combined.

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STATE OWNERSHIP OF THE COAL MINES

The Democrats Across the Line Have Made This an Issue

New York, Oct. 6.—Government ownership of the coal mines is now one of the most important questions before the people of the United States, and there is undubitably a strong sentiment in its favor, owing to the exactions of the coal barons, and the long-continued strike of the miners. In pronouncing for the confiscation of coal mines the recent Democratic State Convention at Saratoga has made a big bid for popular support. It is said that ex-Senator Hill was the author of this plank and the Republicans generally regard it as most radical and revolutionary in its tendencies. A correspondent at the convention city says that Lewis Nixon, one of the prominent Democratic leaders, flatly expressed his dissent from the policy of condemning the coal mines and putting them under the management of the Federal Government. Business men like J. Edward Simmons, refuse to commend this part of the Democratic platform. Some of them declared that in radicalism it went much further than the money doctrines of W. J. Bryan.

CALL IT IMPERIALISM.

The Tribune says:

'What does this Government condemnation of the coalfields mean? The invasion of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania by the United States and the assumption of the private business of citizens of that State, not by their State Government, but the national Government. Such an usurpation was never seriously proposed, except by Socialists. Its inevitable result is a consolidated Empire. Government control of public utilities commonly means municipal, or at least State, control.

'The Democratic convention at Saratoga stands for the wiping out of city and State, and for the concentration in Washington of power over production, consumption, labor and prices. At present the United States can acquire no foot of ground within the confines of a State without consent of the State authorities. As ninety per cent. of the anthracite coal fields are in Pennsylvania, the New York Democratic platform's policy could not be carried out without the consent of Pennsylvania Nobody for an instant supposes that this would be given. Is Mr. Hill's declaration merely a piece of buncombe to catch ignorant voters, who may be maddened by want of coal and ready for something revolutionary, or does he seriously mean to commit the Democracy of the Empire State to this nationalizing programme? If the latter, he must undertake the long labor of amending the Federal constitution or be prepared for the shorter course of overriding State rights by the force of the passions he is striving to set loose.

It is a wild and dangerous policy which Hill proposes, but if coal bins remain empty till November it may have serious consequences.

BUSINESS VIEW OF IT.

The Wall Street Journal, which is conducted on conservative business lines, says:

'Do the contending interests in the coal dispute believe that men will see their families suffer from cold and hunger this winter while they await the breaking of a deadlock between Mr. Baer and Mr. Mitchell? They certainly will not. At the outset, some men sided with the operators, and some sided with the miners. Today that issue has ceased to be important, as far as the public is concerned. The public no longer cares primarly whether the companies win or the men win, but declares in tones which both interests would do well to heed that when a controversy has reached the point of direct serious injury to the community it should be adjusted in the interest of the community, lest a worse thing befall.

'Mr. Baer says the strike will be settled by the miners returning to work. That was a very proper statement last June. Such a statement now is equivalent to saying: 'We propose to win our fight no matter if the public has coal or not.' The anthracite companies cannot afford to take this position, neither can it be maintained by Mr. Mitchell. Shall manufactories stop and men be thrown out of work by thousands; shall women and children starve and freeze that the miner's union may obtain recognition.?

"No. The case is not now operators against miners, but operators and miners against the public. If this fact is not realized, and a settlement reached, not in the form of victory of one over the other, but as deferring by both to the public demand for an adjustment which shall permit safety and comfort, both will find that the long-suffering public will turn against them, blindly at first, but with a determined purpose to prevent the policy of such conditions hereafter.

Mr. Baer and Mr. Mitchell may unite in saying, 'What are you going to do about it?' The wisest are not prepared to answer this question immediately, but an answer will be found, if required. The slave owners of the South asked that question and it was answered after a time. William M. Tweed asked it, in the height of his power, and it was answered.

"The laws of this country have been framed to give a large degree of corporate and individual liberty. The people have no wish to greatly restrict liberty, but if there are to be great combinations of capital on one side, and great combinations of labor on the other side, and they choose to stand at a deadlock while the community suffers for the necessities of life, it will presently be demonstrated effectively that when the people are once roused they still rule in the United States."

SOME TERRIBLE THREATS.

Some terrible threats are being made against the coal operators and the presidents of the coal railroads. Hanging is said to be too good for them. In fact, in the event of an outbreak, and no one doubts that such will occur if coal is not soon forthcoming, the lives of the coal men would be in great danger. To make the situation worse, it is now generally recognized that the coal roads cannot get an adequate supply of the black diamonds to market for the next four or five months, and that nothing like reasonable prices can be expected. It is said that $15 or $20 per ton will be the ruling price over the winter. The outlook is thus appalling.

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Miss I. L. Bogan, of the City, and Mr. J. E. Spellman, of Town, are Married

In Immaculate Conception church, Cleveland, on Tuesday, September 30th, a very pretty wedding was solemnized by Rev. Father Mosley, when Miss Ida Loretta Bogan, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bogan, of Sixth avenue, was united in marriage to Mr. James E. Spellman, of Peterborough, Canada.

The bride was charmingly gowned in an attractive travelling suit of castor shade, trimmed with pearl and white silk with which a rich black velvet hat trimmings of white lace was worn.

Miss Agnes Cushing daintily gowned in white mousseline de soie with hat to match, attended the bride during the ceremony, while Mr. Chas. A. Bogan, brother of the bride, ably supported the groom.

At the conclusion of the ceremony, an elaborate wedding breakfast was partaken of by the guests, who numbered about forty, at the residence of the bride's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Spellman left in the evening for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Ottawa and Montreal, and will in the near future return to Peterborough, where they will take up residence. Their many friends here wish them much happiness.

Found in Tree Trunk

Susquehanna, Pa., Oct. 6—While Farmer Ridgeway and his hired men at Lawsville were sawing up a large log for firewood the teeth of the saw encountered a hard substance. They cut the log apart and disclosed the bones of a large animal, which, when fully exposed to view, proved to be those of a large bear.

It is supposed that many years ago, the bear climbed into the hollow of the tree in search of honey, and being unable to extricate himself he perished there. There was a large quantity of new honey in the hollow of the tree.

The Colony Increasing

Last year over $20,000 worth of property in Cobourg was purchased by people from the United States who spent the summer—indeed most of the year—in this pretty town on Lake Ontario. Every year the United States colony in Cobourg grows larger, every year more money is spent there by summer visitors. It is a striking example of what tremendous value the summer visitor business is to a Canadian town. The man who began the movement a generation ago is dead and buried these many years but the good work goes on. Peterborough should come in for some of this summer trade expansion.

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STATE OWNERSHIP OF THE COAL MINES

The Democrats Across the Line Have Made This an Issue

New York, Oct. 6.—Government ownership of the coal mines is now one of the most important questions before the people of the United States, and there is indubitably a strong sentiment in its favor, owing to the exactions of the coal barons, and the long-continued strike of the miners. In pronouncing for the confiscation of coal mines the recent Democratic State Convention at Saratoga has made a big bid for popular support. It is said that ex-Senator Hill was the author of this plank and the Republicans generally regard it as most radical and revolutionary in its tendencies. A correspondent at the convention city says that Lewis Nixon, one of the prominent Democratic leaders, flatly expressed his dissent from the policy of condemning the coal mines and putting them under the management of the Federal Government. Business men like J. Edward Simmons, refuse to commend this part of the Democratic platform. Some of them declared that in radicalism it went much further than the money doctrines of W. J. Bryan.

CALL IT IMPERIALISM.

The Tribune says:

'What does this Government condemnation of the coalfields mean? The invasion of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania by the United States and the assumption of the private business of citizens of that State, not by their State Government, but the national Government. Such an usurpation was never seriously proposed, except by Socialists its inevitable result is a consolidated Empire. Government control of public utilities commonly means municipal, or at least State, control.

'The Democratic convention at Saratoga stands for the wiping out of city and State, and for the concentration in Washington of power over production, consumption, labor and prices. At present the United States can acquire no foot of ground within the confines of a State without consent of the State authorities. As ninety per cent. of the anthracite coal fields are in Pennsylvania, the New York Democratic platform's policy could not be carried out without the consent of Pennsylvania. Nobody for an instant supposes that this would be given. Is Mr. Hill's declaration merely a piece of buncombe to catch ignorant voters, who may be maddened by want of coal and ready for something revolutionary, or does he seriously mean to commit the Democracy of the Empire State to this nationalizing programme? If the latter, he must undertake the long labor of amending the Federal constitution or be prepared for the shorter course of overriding State rights by the force of the passions he is striving to set loose.

It is a wild and dangerous policy which Hill proposes, but if coal bins remain empty till November it may have serious consequences.

BUSINESS VIEW OF IT.

The Wall Street Journal, which is conducted on conservative business lines, says:

'Do the contending interests in the coal dispute believe that men will see their families suffer from cold and hunger this winter while they await the breaking of a deadlock between Mr. Baer and Mr. Mitchell? They certainly will not. At the outset, some men sided with the operators, and some sided with the miners. Today that issue has ceased to be important, as far as the public is concerned. The public no longer cares primarily whether the companies win or the men win, but declares in tones which both interests would do well to heed that when a controversy has reached the point of direct serious injury to the community it should be adjusted in the interest of the community, lest a worse thing befall.

'Mr. Baer says the strike will be settled by the miners returning to work. That was a very proper statement last June. Such a statement now is equivalent to saying: 'We propose to win our fight no matter if the public has coal or not.' The anthracite companies cannot afford to take this position, neither can it be maintained by Mr. Mitchell. Shall manufactories stop and men be thrown out of work by thousands; shall women and children starve and freeze that the miner's union may obtain recognition?

"No. The case is not now operators against miners, but operators and miners against the public. If this fact is not realized, and a settlement reached, not in the form of victory of one over the other, but as deferring by both to the public demand for an adjustment which shall permit safety and comfort, both will find that the long-suffering public will turn against them, blindly at first, but with a determined purpose to prevent the policy of such conditions hereafter.

Mr. Baer and Mr. Mitchell may unite in saying, 'What are you going to do about it?' The wisest are not prepared to answer this question immediately, but an answer will be found, if required. The slave owners of the South asked that question and it was answered after a time. William M. Tweed asked it, in the height of his power, and it was answered.

"The laws of this country have been framed to give a large degree of corporate and individual liberty. The people have no wish to greatly restrict liberty, but if there are to be great combinations of capital on one side, and great combinations of labor on the other side, and they choose to stand at a deadlock while the community suffers for the necessities of life, it will presently be demonstrated effectively that when the people are once roused they still rule in the United States."

SOME TERRIBLE THREATS.

Some terrible threats are being made against the coal operators and the presidents of the coal railroads. Hanging is said to be too good for them. In fact, in the event of an outbreak, and no one doubts that such will occur if coal is not soon forthcoming, the lives of the coal men would be in great danger. To make the situation worse, it is now generally recognized that the coal roads cannot get an adequate supply of the black diamonds to market for the next four or five months, and that nothing like reasonable prices can be expected. It is said that $15 or $20 per ton will be the ruling price for the winter. The outlook is thus appalling.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC ENTERPRISE

The announcement that the Canadian Pacific Railway will engage directly in the Atlantic freight business, is another proof of the activity and energy with which that great Canadian enterprise is conducted. At the annual meeting the board obtained power to make arrangements for the charter and control of vessels whenever they may be required for the protection of the company's freight interests on the Atlantic Ocean. This is independent of the company's offer to establish a weekly fast Atlantic service between Canada and Britain for a yearly subsidy of [illegible]. It will certainly be to the advantage of the company to be able to quote through rates on freight and give through bills of lading without being under the necessity of bargaining for space in the vessels of other companies. The vessels to be operated in connection with the railway system will not receive any subsidy, and consequently will be free to run between such ports as may suit the company's business.

This move is in accordance with the transportation development of the Dominion, and will put the Canadian railway in a better position to compete with the American systems and to give Canadian exporters the best possible rates to transatlantic ports. There is no more distinctively Canadian enterprise than this transcontinental railway system and its success is intimately bound up in the prosperity and development of the Dominion. Every successful extension of its business into new fields is a source of pardonable pride to Canadians, and the proposed steamship service in connection with the railway business will no doubt prove as successful on the Atlantic as the lines already established have proved on the Pacific. The new departure will be made without any bonus or subsidy which is the best possible evidence that the business of the company, and the expansion of the Dominion have made a profitable opening for it.

THE FUEL SITUATION

The Ottawa Citizen, in discussing the fuel situation in that city says: "We would have preferred to see Nova Scotia coal ordered for several reasons, one being that from the report of Mayor Cook to the public meeting an order could be placed for November delivery at $3 per ton of 2,240 pounds on Thursday, whereas it is not unlikely that in view of the failure of the conference yesterday, soft coal prices will probably soar today. It is stated that if the Welsh coal is obtained it will cost about $8 a ton, whereas the Nova Scotia coal would not cost the citizens much over $6 even if the government did not reduce the Intercolonial freight rate, which Hon. Mr. Scott says it is likely to do. From all accounts there is not that much difference in the fuel value between the Welsh semi-anthracite and the Nova Scotia soft coal. Another reason is that this emergency should be utilized to develop our own Canadian resources and make us as independent as possible of the United States coal combine and its agents in the future. If it can be demonstrated that Canadian soft coal can be got in here at a considerably lower price, a trial of it by the Ontario householder may determine him in preferring the use of it at the lower price to American anthracite. Soft coal is burned in the lower provinces and in the cities and towns of the Northwest beyond Winnipeg and there does not seem to be any good reason why there should not be a good market for Nova Scotia coal in Ontario, especially in places like Ottawa, where it can be brought in by water. The only reason against it in the past has been that there was no organized trade to obtain it at the lowest price in bulk. We have been in the hands of the American anthracite combine and the people have supinely submitted to it chiefly because there was no organized effort to shake off the grip. The present dislocation of the sources of supply seem to have been a fortuitous opportunity to demonstrate that Canada has a supply within her own borders which, if not as good as anthracite, is very much cheaper and better value for the money. For people who can afford the combine prices for American anthracite under normal conditions that fuel may be regarded as a luxury, but if access could be secured to our own coal supply it is likely that the mass of the people would prefer the slight inconvenience in using it to paying the prices demanded every winter by the anthracite combine.

Of course the opening up of a Canadian source of supply would not be popular with the representatives of the American anthracite combine who have so long controlled the market, but it would be decidedly popular with the people and it is their interests that are paramount, and anyone who is responsible for sidetracking those interests at this juncture will shoulder a heavy responsibility.

It this connection it is opportune to call attention to the action emanating yesterday from the city hall which closed up Mr. J. R. Booth's wood yard where wood fuel was being retailed to the citizens at very low prices. While the action was doubtless legally justifiable the occasion seized to put the belated pressure on was decidedly inopportune and calculated to excite comment as to the extent and strength of influences operating at the city hall at this particular crisis.

IN A CRYSTAL URN

Rome, Oct. 6.—In compliance with the late Cardinal Ledochowski's desire, as expressed in his will, Dr. Pelagallo removed the Cardinal's heart before the body was buried and placed it in a precious urn of rock crystal, which will be deposited in the little church at Gorici, Cardinal Ledochowski's birthplace.

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for the moment before had come a burst of applause from the audience, and his rehearsals had not afforded him any such experiences as that.

Jeffrey went to him and occupied the interval he had extended for Mrs. Purdy in talking to the groom and soothing the horse with a lump of sugar borrowed from one of the stage hands. But he did not forget when the promised three minutes were up, and, with a glance at his watch, he was off again to Miss Gray's door.

He knocked, and on this occasion, somewhat to his surprise, the door yielded under the pressure of his knuckles. Not only had it been unlocked at last, but slightly opened as well. Taking advantage of this, he impatiently thrust in his head.

There stood Mrs. Purdy, leisurely hanging up the pieces of the actress's last-worn costume which she had taken from the fainting girl, and, in her hurry, strewn over the floor. Her present movements suggested calmness of mind and plenty of time for all that need be done.

With one eager sweep of his eyes, Jeffrey took in the whole room. He had laid Winifred on the sofa, when putting her in the dresser's charge, but she was not there now. The place offered little or no chance of concealment; yet he could see the girl nowhere.

His face fell into utter blankness, then darkened into fury.

"What's this mean?" he ejaculated. "Where's Miss Gray?"

The old woman turned and gave back his look coolly, her eyebrows rounded in surprise.

"Don't get in a wax, sir," she responded. "The poor young lady came to herself just as we were finishing. had a drop out of that very brandy bottle as ever was" (indicating with a motion of her head a black bottle standing among scattered "make-up" on the dressing-table) "and felt quite well and sensible. Says she: 'I can go out by myself. Just you pick up my bits of things,' and out she goes. I wonder you didn't meet her, sir."

"Good gracious!" was Jeffrey's only answer.

He darted away, almost pushing down the big screen which had been put in front of Selim, that the process of strapping Mazeppa on the horse's back need not be stared at by every passing stage-hand.

It was possible that Winifred might have gone straight to this corner, which had always been put to the same use during her rehearsals with Selim, though, if so, it was strange indeed that he (Jeffrey) had missed seeing her.

But there stood the groom and the horse, in the semi-dusk; and there was no one besides.

"Cutting it rather fine, ain't she, sir?" asked Selim's attendant, who knew all the cues by this time as well as did the actors.

"Cutting it fine, I should think so!" groaned the stage-manager. What a fool he had been to go out of sight of Winifred Gray's door for an instant! How idiotic to have trusted to the common sense of a drunken old woman. (This aspersion was a grave injustice to the respectable Mrs. Purdy; but it was a necessity to revile someone, and she answered as well as another for a scapegoat.)

Jeffrey tore back to the dressing-room, for there was time even yet, if that fiend of a girl could be found and dragged to her duty.

"For Heaven's sake, which way did she go?" he adjured the dresser, who was still calmly putting the room to rights; brushing, shaking, folding, hanging.

"I don't know," retorted the old woman. "I'd done all you told me to. When she went out by this door, sir, she was off my hands."

With an oath Jeffrey flung away. He had no time to bandy words with this stupid old creature. The girl might still be somewhere about the stage.

Half mad with impatience, he hurried this way and that. Every nook, every corner was searched; not an empty dressing-room was forgotten. But Winifred was not to be found, and the moments were flying. Already it was close upon the cue for Mazeppa's sensational entrance. Wantage, who had been in the box with Macaire, was behind the scenes again now, in a passion of rage, blaming the stage-manager, swearing at everyone.

When there could be no longer waiting, Jeffrey desperately played the card which, all this time, he had been keeping up his sleeve.

From the moment, weeks ago, that he had been warned not to mention to Miss Gray the kind of attire she would be required to wear in her "great" scene, he had feared a hitch at the last moment. Of course it was vital to the success of the play that she herself should come strapped upon the horse; but from the stage-manager's point of view, at least, anything was better than that a scene should be left out, or the curtain rung down in the midst of an act on flat failure.

That this might not happen, if the worst came to the worst, Jeffrey had secretly prepared an understudy, of whose readiness he had not chosen to speak even to Wantage, lest it should seem a confession of weakness—a fear that his authority as stage-manager might not be enough to dominate a rebellious actress.

If Winifred herself had known the truth, of course it would have been fatal; she would have said: "Let the understudy do it." But, as a matter of fact, one of the ladies in the ballet to whom he had taken rather a fancy, and whose figure somewhat resembled Winifred Gray's, was at this moment dressed for the scene in fleshings from neck to foot, and with a wig like Mazeppa's. She was called, flung upon the horse, strapped on, and just in time not to be late for the cue, Selim galloped upon the stage with his living burden.

Lionel Macaire sat in his box, half hidden by the curtains, yet leaning eagerly forward. He, too, knew the cue for the great entrance, and—ignorant of the latest developments since Wantage had left him—his eyes had not for some moments strayed from the stage.

He heard the galloping hoofs in the wings; then the noble black horse with a pearly-pink slim body thrown across his back, sprang into sight.

Macaire's lips were apart. He uttered a faint, hissing breath, which gave a vent to strong emotion long pent up.

"They've made her do it!" he said between his teeth.

Then he looked closer, bending out of the box, deaf to the murmurs that went round the audience below. In

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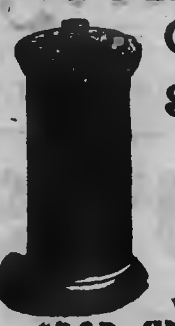

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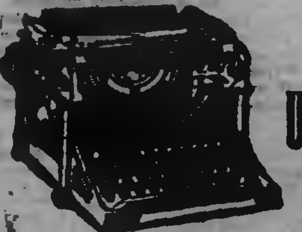

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STOCK MARKETS

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Hunters Preparing

The Ketchecum Hunt Club are preparing for their fall campaign. Commodore Harry Winch leaves on Friday, to be followed next day by several members, who go north to enjoy a few weeks fishing before the deer season sets in.

LOST

A cheque issued by Thos. G. Barry, of New York, payable to Miss Louisa E. Glover, for amount of $125.00. This cheque is valueless if presented by any other than party made out in favor of. Any information regarding the same will be gladly received by the firm of Thos. Barrie & Co., corner George and Simcoe streets.

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After an illness of about 18 months, Miss Katie Christie, daughter of Mr Michael Christie, of Lindsay, formerly of Peterborough, passed away. The deceased was highly esteemed, and her death will be sincerely regretted by many in Peterborough. The funeral will take place to-morrow from the Grand Trunk station upon the arrival of the remains by the 11.10 train. Interment at the Roman Catholic cemetery.

Valuable Advice to Rheumatics

Eat meat sparingly, and take very little sugar. Avoid intoxicants, keep away from dampness, drink water abundantly, and always rely on Nerviline as a quick reliever of rheumatic pains. Being five times stronger than ordinary remedies, Nerviline's power over pain is simply beyond belief. It cures also Sciatica, Lumbago, Neuralgia, and all pain, whether internal or external. Large bottles, price 25c.

Notice

Beware of peddlars representing themselves as agents of the Bankrupt Stock Co., 466 George Street. We have no agents. All our business is done at 466 George Street. Anyone representing themselves as attached to our business are frauds. You will do well to keep them outside your home. Eight or ten ladies have complained here of these men, their actions have been coarse and unscrupulous. The Bankrupt Stock Co.'s goods are cheap. Call and see them. The Bankrupt Stock Co., 466 George street, Peterborough.

An Order From Cleveland

Messrs. J. Turner & Sons yesterday received the following letter from Frank Combes, Secretary of the Department of Police and Public Health Cleveland, Ohio: "We have heard very favorable reports about your hospital tents you have made for the government and different corporations in Canada, that we have decided to order one from you, for use in our city and we will thank you to send to us at once, one of your Double Hospital Tents, with poles, pegs, ropes and everything complete, ready to put up. Kindly send bill for same and we will remit at once."

Whole Family Dead

Brockville Times: Many Brockville friends will remember the death in Peterborough last May of William Vout, a commercial traveller, whose home was near Algonquin. After his demise Mrs. Vout came to Brockville to reside with her sister, Miss Annie Donough, and her half sister, Miss Maggie Heenan, made her home on Ormond street. Mrs. Vout was again bereaved soon afterwards by the death of her only child. She became ill and gradually pined away, death finally ending her sufferings. The sad event took place Saturday night in the Grace hospital where she had been a patient for three weeks. Thus in less that six months the whole family is wiped out. Mrs. Vout was a beautiful young woman of only 24 years with all those beautiful traits of character which endeared her to all. Her maiden name was Miss Mary Donough. She was born in Ireland, but spent the greater part of her life at Cobourg.

The Direct Line

From Peterborough to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and the South, is via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley Railroad. Route of the "Black Diamond Express." Pullman Sleepers and Dining Car service from Toronto. Everything first class. Scenery and service unsurpassed. Call at W. Bunton's Ticket Office, Peterborough for Tickets, Pullman's and further particulars.

BORNE TO THE GRAVE

Funeral Obsequies of the Late Thomas George Choate

Many relatives and friends gathered at the residence of the late Thomas George Choate yesterday morning at ten o'clock to pay their last tribute of respect to one they had known so well and esteemed so highly. The service at the house was conducted by Rev. Dr. Dewart, assisted by Rev. J. P. Wilson. The Rev. Dr. Dewart delivered an eloquent and impressive address, referring to the fact that he had known the deceased as a boy, and had been present at his death, which was a most happy one. He was full of faith, and his rewards was certain.

The bearers were: Messrs. A. H. Kidd, James Stevenson, A. R. Dixon, H. Rush, H. T. Strickland and John Wasson, Warsaw.

The interment took place at Warsaw, the remains being followed thither by only the relatives and a few of the friends of the deceased.

The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful.

A FIGHT FOR LIFE

A Huge Bear Upsets Canoe with Some Children

A very exciting incident occurred at Stony Lake on Wednesday last, which nearly cost a five year old child of Mr. Robert Hull, who lives in Dummer, his life. It appears that Mr. Hull's five boys went out, armed with shot guns, with fine shot only, in quest of partridges. They took two canoes, and paddled across the lake, when nearing the Burleigh shore, they spied a huge bear in the water, close to shore. Paddling close, one of the boys fired hitting bruin on the head and putting out one of its eyes. The animal then became furious, and charge after charge was emptied into the vicious brute. In the excitement one of the canoes was upset, and the bear, who was then close by, made a dash and caught the youngest of the party, Fred, a child hardly five years old (who happened to have been seated in the bow of the overturned canoe) in a deathly embrace.

Fortunately the party were in shallow water, and the older brothers rushed to the rescue, leaping into the water, and closed in on bruin. The guns, which were only charged with bird shot, were discarded, and the boys used their jack knives, plunging the blades time and again into the struggling monster. The combined attack caused the bear to loose his hold on the child, who was by this time nearly unconscious, and scamper off into the brush.

The boys were too badly used up to follow, but they are certain that the animal would not survive his terrible injuries.

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MARK ST. EPWORTH LEAGUE

An attentive audience gathered in the cosy school-room of Mark street church last evening to hear Rev. Joseph Kilgour give one of the most instructive and pleasing of his series of lectures.

The subject of the evening's discourse was "Metlah Catlah," or "The Wonderful Miracle of Missions under William Duncan." Mr. Kilgour was in one of his happiest veins and held his audience well as he carried his hearers in imagination to the far-off mission island of Metlah-Catlah, where William Duncan, a simple layman, has been laboring since 1857 among over 1000 Indians.

An interesting portrayal of the magnitude of the undertaking, the different methods of instruction and finally the dawn of intellect upon their darkened minds was briefly given, and at last the formation of the new Metlah Catlah which was so bravely carried through, by the heroic and undaunted perseverance of that noble missionary who stood firm to his convictions and God was with him. He is not only a moralist, but one who leads them to the truth as it is in Jesus.

"Speed, speed thy work cast sloth away.
It is not thus that souls are won."

The Rev. C. L. Thompson occupied the chair and added a few interesting remarks from his personal experience in British Columbia, which brought this pleasant hour to a close.

FOOD FOR SLEEP

A Sure Way to Com'ort

The right kind of food will restore any weak stomach. It is better off without drugs and a little judgment in selecting light weight and easily digested food does the trick.

A man in Grand Rapids, Mich., upon recovering from a severe attack of nervous prostration, says:—

"The principal trouble was an intensely irritated condition of the stomach, so severe that diluted milk would cause a sensation as if molten lead had been swallowed. At length, I began to study my own case, and abolished drugs and commenced experimenting with my diet.

Grape-Nuts was brought to my notice, and I found it very palatable, and as a regular morning dish, it met all the requirements, and sustained me till midday. After using Grape-Nuts a week, physical discomfort grew less, my strength began to return and I gained steadily in weight.

Along with all these improvements came good, peaceful sleep, which had been so flighty a visitor, and with it came returning hope and ambition, and now, with perfect health, it gives me pleasure to give Grape-Nuts the credit it deserves." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

The Town Council in Regular Session

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Gentlemen,—Under the bylaw I am now compelled to pay a license fee for the Bradburn Opera House, and this I submit entitles me to police protection when entertainments are being held. Will you please give the necessary instructions for the attendance of one or more policemen when I notify the Chief that same are required.—This request was granted.

From W. J. Donovan, R. Clinkscale, B. Gibson, Jas. Judd, H. T. Biggs, and Bert Thompson, as follows: Gentlemen,—We, late members of the 3rd C.M.R., of 1866 either from your body or the having been informed that several members of this corps have received a grant County, and that also members of the 2nd C.M.R. had also received a similar grant, beg leave to state that we have not been favored with a like sum, and wish to know why we were omitted.—Referred to the Finance committee with power to act if they consider the claimants to be townsmen.

From J. E. A. Fitzgerald, once more drawing Council's attention to the very unsafe condition of the bridge at Brock and Aylmer streets, as on the morning of Sept. 19th he had a valuable horse break through the planking while walking across it. If the animal is permanently injured he will hold the Town responsible.—Board of Works.

From F. Bartlett, applying for position as Inspector of sewerage work —Received.

From Richard Shearer, asking that a sidewalk be constructed in front of his new terrace at the corner of Sherbrooke and Reid streets.—Board of Works with power to act.

From S. R. Armstrong, Sec.-treas. Water Commissioners asking Council to authorize an additional expenditure of $2,500 as more applications for extensions of water mains have been received than were anticipated.—Received.

From H. P. Timmerman, General Superintendent Canadian Pacific Railway as follows:

T. H. G Denne, Esq:

Dear Sir,—Replying to your communication of the 2nd, re George street crossing, I have enquired of our agent, but he advises me that he has no knowledge of an accident at George street about three weeks ago. With reference to the damage to Mr. Comstock's wagon, enquiry shows that not only was the crossing electric bell ringing, giving warning of the approach of the engine, but one of the trainmen was at the crossing and tried to stop Mr. Comstock, who with his horse and wagon had been standing on the south side of the crossing, and with a full knowledge of the position of the engine, tried to pass in advance of it. This case cannot be cited as a sufficient reason for placing gates at the crossing mentioned. I have thought somewhat of establishing a pumping statoin at that point, and of having men operate same seated at the crossing, or sufficiently near it, to also handle gates should the same at any future time really be found necessary.—Received.

From Hon. J. Israel Tarte, saying that he is very much afraid he and his colleagues will have to wait till the next session of Parliament before anything in the matter of dredging Otonabee river. "You may rely on my most active support."—Received.

From C. Wilhelmy, agent of the "Star" Heater, asking for permission to place one of his stoves in the market hall building as a means of advertising the same.—Chairman of Market Committee.

ACCOUNTS.

The following accounts were referred to the Finance Committee:

J. W. Metheral	$ 2 00
W. Hetherington	2 70
F. R. J. McPherson	3 00
W. Stecker	8 00
W. E. McCall	24 00
F. Smith	16 00
C.P.R. Telegraph	40
Alexander & Miller	4 75
Times Ptg. Co.	5 00
R. H. Leary	7 00
C. B. Routley	9 70
O. N. Brown	6 85
R. Gibbs	20 00
Peter Hamilton Mfg. Co.	2 45
Davis, Thompson & Co.	50 00
W. H. Hamilton	2 05
A. McDonald	112 67
Kingan Hardware Co.	14 17
R. M. Roy	1 25
Bell Telephone Co.	2 25
A. H. Stratton & Co.	2 65
Mary A. Wilmott	2 00

FIRE, WATER & LIGHT COM.

Ald. Batten submitted the following report:

Gentlemen,—Your Fire, Water & Light Committee beg leave to report as follows:—

1. That Walter Parnell be paid for the time he was absent through sickness.

2. We recommend that John Montgomery be allowed two weeks holidays so that he is paid for the time on the certificate of the chairman of this committee.

3. As the present contract for electric lights will expire at the end of this next year, and the whole subject will be considered in connection with the new contract, we do not think it would be wise to order any new lights at the present time.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The report was adopted as read.

TO MOVE A SIDEWALK.

Ald. Rush submitted the following report:

Gentlemen,—Your Committee of the whole Council beg leave to report that they received application to have a sidewalk at the corner of London and Aylmer streets moved out and raised and the sidewalk on Perry street, between Aylmer and Bethune streets raised, and recommend that these matters be referred to the Board of Works with power to act if they have the necessary funds.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The report was adopted as read.

FINANCE REPORT.

Ald. Roger submitted the following:

Gentlemen,—Your Finance Committee beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the Town Solicitor be instructed to collect a item of taxes amounting to $144 for 1901 assessed to A. Williams remaining unpaid. If they are collectable, and if they are no collectable to report as to where the default lies.

2. That the Treasurer be authorized to issue cheques for the spikes purchased for the road roller and for duty and freight on them.

3. That as the appropriation for the Board of Works and the Property are exhausted, the Treasurer be authorized to pay future bills chargeable to these departments out of any excess of appropriat'ion in other accounts.

4. That $100 provided for in the assessment for that purpose be granted to the West Peterborough Agricultural Society.

5. That the following accounts be paid:—

Times Printing Co.	$ 8.84
O. N. Brown	1.25
Wm. Hetherington	3 20
A. McDonald	160.78
D. Bellegham	2.00
Peterborough Examiner	5.00
Mary A. Wilmott	2.00
Peterborough Review	11.20
Wm. Hamilton Mfg. Co.	16 05
B. Morrow	2.50
Kingan Hardware Co.	4.37
Lane & Co.	10
B. O. Yelland	70

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The report was adopted as read.

COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENT.

Ald. Corkery submitted the following report:

Gentlemen:—Your Committee on Appointments beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That Dr. McNulty be appointed a member of the local Board of Health in place of Dr. Moher, resigned.

2. That the Police force be furnished with two electric flash lights of a small size.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The report was adopted as read.

Ald. Best submitted the following:

Gentlemen,—Your Board of Works beg leave to report as follows:

1. Your Board received an application from the Peterborough Light and Power Company for permission to place fifteen poles on the east side of Reid street, between Sherbrooke and Hunter street and fourteen poles on the east side of Park and Dowaie streets and recommend that the request be granted.

2 The following tenders were received for the construction of a sewer on lane running from Inverlea street to Smith street, between Water street and Dennistoun avenue, and on Smith street from the lane to Water street and on Water street from Smith street to Dublin street:—

James Begue, on the lane $1.15 per foot, connections $5.00, Water street $1.18 1-2 per foot, Smith street $1.13 per foot; connections, Water street $17.50, on Smith street $15.75

Samuel Kennedy, on the lane $1.10 per foot, connections $2.80.

J. Robson, on the lane 81 cts. per foot, connections $5.00; Water street $1.96 per foot; Smith street $1.40 per foot; connections $16.50.

John S. Hayes, lane 79 cents per ft., connections, $3.00; Water street and Smith street $1.29 3-4 per foot, connections, $6.00.

We recommend that John F. Hayes' tender be accepted for the whole work.

3. We have examined a petition for the construction of a granolithic sidewalk on Charlotte street in front of lot 2, south Charlotte, east George, and found it sufficiently signed and recommend that it be granted, and that it be left in the hands of the Chairman to arrange with the contractors for the sidewalk on Walton street to do this work, provided the property owners consent to this arrangement.

4. Having considered Mr. John Mc' Grath's letter in reference to the sale to the Town of a piece of land at the corner of Antrim and Harvey streets for street purposes, we cannot do more than recommend the purchase at the price of $150 without any further conditions, and recommend that on Mr. McGrath delivering to the Town a deed of the property approved of by the Town Solicitor he be paid that amount.

5. We examined a petition from E. W. Cox and others for a sewer on Bab's Lane from Gilmour street to Homewood avenue, on Homewood avenue to Walton street and on Walton and found it sufficiently signed and recommend that it be granted. We asked for tenders for this work and received the following:

J. E. Hayes 97 cts per foot; connections, 33 feet $16.50, 13 feet $6.50, 6 feet $3.

John Robson, 94 1-4 cts. per foot, connections, 33 feet $16, 13 feet $12.00, 6 feet $6.

Richard Sheeny 81 cts. per foot, connections 33 feet $17, 13 feet $6, 6 feet $3.

Samuel Kennedy 84 cents per foot, connections, 33 feet $14.95, 13 feet $5.87 6 feet, $2.70.

Wm. Henry and John Gibson 70 cts. per foot, connections 33 feet $18, 13 feet $10, 6 feet $6.

James Begue 86 cts. per foot, connections, 33 feet $16.50, 13 feet $10. 6 feet $10.

We recommend that the lowest tender, that of Wm. Henry and John Gibson, be accepted, and that Wm. Aldridge be appointed inspector of the work at a salary of $2 a day, to be paid on the certificate of the Town Engineer.

6. Your Board authorized the Engineer to sell to the Peterborough Lock Mfg. Co. some crushed granite at $3 a yard.

7. We recommend that the Engineer be authorized to construct a drain north from Mr. A. B. Choate's residence on Stewart Street, provided Mr. Choate moves the earth taken therefrom.

8. We examined a petition from R. E. Lord and others for a sewer on Dalhousie Street from Aylmer street to George street and found it sufficiently signed. We recommend that it be granted and that the Engineer advertise for tenders for the work.

9. We recommend that the Engineer be instructed to lay an extension of the sidewalk on Lock Street by W. J. Rundle's new house; a piece of sidewalk and do some repairs at R. C. Braund's on Park street, and lay a piece of sidewalk to Mr. Anglaye's house on Murray street, and that the sidewalk on London street at Thos. Wilson's new house be raised.

10. That the engineer's appointment of S. Belcher as Inspector of sewers be approved, and that he be paid $2 per day on the certificate of the Engineer.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The report was adopted as read.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Ald. Turner moved, seconded by Ald. Morrison, that the Government be requested to make the office of Inspector of Weights and Measures in Peterborough permanent, and the Government supply the necessary office and fittings for same.—Carried.

A BATCH OF BYLAWS.

A bylaw to authorize a grant of $100 to the Peterborough Agricultural Society passed its several readings.

A bylaw to authorize the expenditure of $2,500 by the Water Commissioners in waterworks extensions passed its several readings.

A bylaw to authorize the Canadian General Electric Company to furnish power to the American Cereal Company or the Auburn Power Company, Limited passed its several readings.

A bylaw authorizing the construction of a granolithic sidewalk on the south side of Charlotte street passed its several readings.

Two bylaws authorizing the construction of sewers passed their several readings.

A QUESTION OF WATER.

Ald. Rogers moved, seconded by Ald Rush, that the Water Commissioners be requested to report to the Council as to what provisions are made for an alternate supply of water should anything happen to the present system.—Carried.

OLD STONES FOR SALE.

Ald. Batten moved, seconded by Ald. Corkery, that the Property committee be empowered to dispose of the unused stones on hand to the best advantage. —Carried.

Council then adjourned.

ASHBURNHAM COUNCIL

Collector of Taxes and Water Rates Appointed at B. and B. gh

At the regular meeting of the Council of Ashburnham last evening, all members were present, as follows: Reeve Smith, in the chair, and Councillors Adams, Pollock, Johnston and Sheridan. After the minutes of the last meeting had been read and confirmed, the following accounts were passed:

Dr. Bingham, salary to date, Sept. 1st	$12 50
Peterborough Water Commissioners, fire protection	62 50
W. D. G. Higgins, acct. for nails	32 00
Pay sheet, No. 12	16 50
Pay sheet No. 13	10 15

A bylaw to appoint Mr. Wright as collector of taxes and water rates for 1902-03 was red before the meeting and carried.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Board of Education will meet this evening.

—Boarding houses in Peterborough are at a premium.

—Coal will be taken on subscription account at The Times counting room.

—The annual matches of the Peterborough Rifle Association will be held today.

—Numerous $1 bills raised to $10 are in circulation in the vicinity of Belleville. Everybody should be on the lookout.

—Owing to the small attendance at Wednesday meeting of the Ministerial Association, election of officers was deferred until the last Monday in October.

—The summer train service between Lakefield and Peterborough, came to an end Saturday last, and the winter train service, two trains per day, came into effect on Monday.

—Mr. E. B. Stone, who applied to the County Court for release of Louis and Lydia Skinner, for stealing a bicycle, was unsuccessful. The parties must serve out the sentences.

An outbreak of typhoid fever in Hamilton some time ago was at first attributed to the city water supply and other causes, but it has finally been traced by the medical health officer to impure milk supply. Is Peterborough's supply pure?

—While at play on the bridge over the creek at Charlotte street on Saturday, Willie Reid, the three year old son of Mr. Wm. Reid, Louis street, fell off the railing on which he was walking, and broke his arm.

—A lecture was delivered last night in the Young Women's Christian Association rooms, on "Physical Education" by Miss Edith Strickland Moodie, a T.C.M. There was a fair attendance, and the address was very interesting and instructive.

—The case of McLure vs. Stevens, which came before County Magistrate Edmison yesterday, in connection with the fertilizer plant in North Monaghan, was adjourned until Oct. 13th, pending Mr. Steven's application to the Monaghan Council for permission to run a plant of that character.

—An eclipse of the moon will afford an interesting sight to astronomers and others on the American continent on the 16th and 17th of October. The eclipse which is total, begins at 12 minutes after 11 o'clock on the 16th, and ends at 46 minutes past 1, thus lasting one hour and twenty-eight minutes.

The other day a man went to a dental office where cocaine is successfully used for the painless extraction of teeth. He said: "Doc, I've got a bad toothache and want the tooth pulled without being hurt. Can't you croquet it so it won't hurt me?" The doctor laughed and said: "I don't know that I can croquet it for you, but I'll ping-pong it."

—Cobourg Post: On Saturday last an architect from Toronto was in town and made measurements to prepare plans for the proposed enlargement of Cedarmere during the coming fall and winter. Should the addition proposed be erected, Cedarmere will be one of the largest and best equipped summer resorts in Ontario. We hope Mr. Crowther will have no difficulty in carrying the proposed improvements to a successful end. Mrs. Tringham will be in charge of the house next season.

—Lindsay Post: Ven. Archdeacon Casey, of St. Mary's, takes a deep interest in temperance work, and the labors of the late Mgr. Laurent in that behalf will be continued by the Archdeacon with all due zeal. He has announced that in the near future he will organize a Total Abstinence Society in the congregation. St. Peter's, Peterborough, has a society with a membership of about 600, thanks to the energy and popularity of Rev. Dr. O'Brien, of the Cathedral clergy, who is spoken of in the Catholic Register as the "Father Matthew" of Ontario.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by 'phone or in writing.—[Ed Times]

—Dr. Jory, late of the 5th Canadian Mounted Rifles, is in town for a few days visiting friends.

—Dr. and Mrs. Perry Goldsmith, of Belleville, are in town the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Davis.

—Miss Lillie Reid, Rochester, N.Y., is in town attending the obsequies of her foster father, the late Mr. Choate.

—The many friends of Mrs. David Hall will regret to learn that she was called away to Lindsay yesterday, to attend her brother, who is seriously ill.

—Rev. Dr. Dewart, of Toronto, who was in town in connection with the obsequies of his old and life-long friend, the late Mr. T. G. Choate, returned home yesterday evening.

A Nightmare

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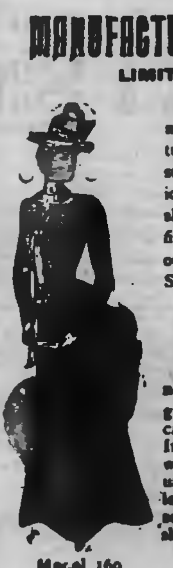

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BOERS NOW IN MONTREAL FINE RACE SPECIMENS

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Special to The Times.

Montreal, Aug. 7.—Among the hurrying crowd which came from the Elder, Lempster steamship Lake Champlain were three good-looking, well-dressed men, accompanied by three ladies and an officer in khaki. The three first were the Boer delegates who come for the purpose of studying farming in the interest of Britain's late antagonists in South Africa, while the officer was Capt. H. J. Kilpatrick, of the South African Constabulary.

The three Boers have all borne arms against Britain, two until the battle of Paardeberg deprived them of their liberty, while the third fought through from start to finish. The Boer delegates are Mr. W. L. Jooste, Mr. F. Lane and Mr M. Rood. Mr. Jooste is an exceedingly fine looking man, tall—a little over six feet, perhaps—he is of middle age and has a well trimmed Van Dyke beard, which is sprinkled with gray.

Mr. Lane, who is, by the way, an Irishman by birth, having gone out to South Africa from the North of Ireland some thirty years ago, is in the neighborhood of fifty years of age. In appearance he is much like the general average of American and Canadian plainsman. He is broad shouldered and keen eyed. The third member of the party, Mr. Rood, is the youngest man of the three.

ACCOMPANIED BY THEIR WIVES.

Mr. Jooste and Mr. Lane are both accompanied by their wives, as is also Capt. Kilpatrick, whose khaki uniform had upon the left breast a long row of little ribbons indicating much campaigning and many fights.

Contrary to the general impression, the visitors have not come to Canada with the idea of considering the land for immigration purposes, but to study methods, so that they may return to South Africa and tell their people about it.

Almost the first question Mr. Jooste asked upon stepping ashore was whether it was not too late in the season to see farming to the best advantage, and when told that it was, he expressed deep regret that they had not reached here sooner.

'You have a fine city here and it looks very large from the river," said the late Commandant with a well defined Dutch accent.

The devastation which has been wrought in South Africa in the three years and eight months which the war lasted was clearly impressed upon the entire party. Mr. Lane and Capt. Kilpatrick were both agreed that it would be the work of many years to bring the country back to its normal position.

THE NEEDS OF SOUTH AFRICA.

Captain Kilpatrick, in speaking of South Africa said: "Food products, live stock and manufactured goods of every description are needed in South Africa at once, and there was an immense market there for any enterprising merchant who can land these necessities at a reasonable figure. South Africa has plenty of money to pay for what is needed. There are any amount of horses but cattle are scarce. At present a good milch cow is worth from £40 to £70 at Pretoria. Hardy animals are in demand and there is a big market for that class. Another big field presents itself for anyone who will go into the nursery business. The land has been stripped bare and trees are wanted. Anything that will grown anywhere will thrive in South Africa. The land is the most fertile on earth and will nourish fruit trees in a remarkable manner."

WERE AT ST. HELENA.

Both Mr. Jooste and Mr. Lane were after the battle of Paardeberg taken to St. Helena, where they were prisoners of war until the general surrender. They remarked that the treatment accorded them was all that could be expected. War is war and they had nothing to complain of.

At Quebec the party was met by Mr. George O'Halloran, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, who proceeded with them to Montreal. M. W. W. Moore, of the same department will accompany the party across the continent and back again. The experimental farms under the control of the Government will be visited and note taken of their desirable features. A series of photographs will also be collected and these will be made into lantern slides in order to illustrate the lectures which will be made on their return to South Africa.

CONCENTRATION CAMPS A MISTAKE, SAY BOERS

Delegate Rood Claims They Aroused the Bitterest Feelings Against the English

Montreal, Oct. 6—An interesting statement on the late war was obtained from Mr. Rood, one of the Boer delegates, by Dr. Phillimore. The Doctor, who is a native of Cookshire, and a graduate of McGill, asked the Boer delegate for a written statement as to his war experiences. The result was the following:

'I am a Transvaal Boer. I took part in the late war between the English and ourselves. We fought from the 11th Oct., 1899, until the 31st May, 1902, when peace was signed at Pretoria, in my father's drawing-room. I really do not think the English could have beaten us if we were a disciplined army. The greatest mistake made by the English was to take away our women and children, and put them into those concentration camps. This created the bitterest ill-feeling. It would have been much better for us if we had made peace after Pretoria was taken by the British; our country would have not been ruined then as it is now. Practically there is not one house standing (farm house), in the whole of the Transvaal and Orange River Colony." Mr. Rood stated that the number of Boers fighting, was about 60,000. He was wounded in the shoulder and arm, when storming a fort, and narrowly escaped capture.

FRENCH COAL MINERS' STRIKE

61,000 Men Demand an Eight Hour Day and Other Reforms

Paris, Oct 8.—The strike of the French coal miners is spreading. Crowds of strikers stand around the mouths of the different pits and try to induce the men who are willing to work not to descend. A number of pickets tried to prevent miners at Lens from going to work, but gendarmes interfered and the miners proceeded to their labor. It is reported that a secret meeting of the federated miners it was unanimously agreed that the order for a general strike be directed especially against the mine owners.

Prime Minister Combes has informed the Miners' National Committee that the Government will do its utmost to pass legislation providing for a working day of eight hours and for idemnity and pensions for persons meeting with accidents due to their employment. M. Combes refuses to deal with the question of a minimum wage, saying that such a matter can only be settled by free contract between the employers and the employed.

It is considered that the strike is bound to fail as the men lack funds. The miners not belonging to the federation have issued a manifesto refusing to be instruments of revolutionary politicians. There are about twelve thousand men on strike. Troops have been sent to some of the affected districts.

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Kruger Going to France

Special to The Times.

Amsterdam, Oct. 8.— Mr. Kruger will leave here for Menton, a French health resort, on Oct. 18.

AMERICANS THERE OPPOSE IT

Say British Treaty With China Will Retard The Country's Development

Shanghai, Oct. 8—The American Merchants' Association has unanimously condemned the British-Chinese commercial treaty on the ground that China will be unable to abolish the likin or inland revenue tax, while the additional surtax on exports, coupled with the consumption taxes will retard Chinese development.

SLICED OF RIVALS' EARS

Texas Sailor Despoils Two Competitors for Revenge

Houston, Tex. October, 7—With a butcher knife Carey Hunt last night sliced off the left ears of Dickson Gray and Andy Whitehead. The men were rivals for the hands of Hunt's sweetheart, and the disfigurement was wrought as revenge. All parties were in court today, and with them the two human ears as evidence. Carey was held under heavy bonds.

SUNDAY CARS IN WINNIPEG

City Council are Taking the Matter Into Consideration

Winnipeg, Oct. 7 —It is understood that at the meeting of the City Council on Monday evening, the question of Sunday street cars will come up and the position of the Mayor and aldermen on the subject may then be defined. At the last session of the Local Legislature the Roblin Government passed enabling legislation so that, with the concurrence of the City Council the citizens may be given an opportunity to express approval or otherwise of the Sunday cars.

MUST CALL HIM MESSIAH

No Longer Answers to the Name of the Rev. J. H. Smyth Piggot

Special to The Times.

London, Oct. 8.—A clergyman of the name of Brown, challenged the Rev. J. H. Smyth Pigott, who says he is the Messiah to a public debate.

Douglas Hamilton, Piggot's secretary replied that if outsiders wished to reach the Messiah they must do so in an attitude of supplication. Anything addressed to Mr. Piggot would be disregarded. He had ceased to exist. A request addressed to the Messiah would be attended to.

Mr. Hamilton added that he was not the secretary of Pigot, but was as John the beloved disciple, to Jesus Christ.

Carnegie Gives Eight Libraries a Day

Special to The Times.

London, Oct. 8—Mr. Andrew Carnegie stated recently that he had given the money for 287 libraries since his speech at the Guildhall. He now gives away on an average eight libraries a day.

GUESTS OF EMPRESS DOWAGER

Ladies of the Legislations Entertained at the Summer Palace

Special to The Times.

Pekin, Oct. 8.—The Empress Dowager today gave a reception at the summer Palace to the ladies of the legations. Two gilded banners, one towed by a steamer and the other by five boats manned by oarsmen, and four other barges conveyed fifty women, children, interpreters, Minister Conger and the dean of the diplomatic corps, by way of the Grand Canal to the Summer Palace, where the party took breakfast at 11 o'clock. This was the largest reception the Empress Dowager has given to foreign women.

BIG GLASGOW CONTRACT

Westinghouse Company to Build $2,500,000 Station for the Clyde Valley

Special to The Times.

Glasgow, Oct. 8.—A £500,000 contract has been placed with the Westinghouse company by the Clyde Valley Electrical Company of Glasgow for the equipment of two generating stations to supply power for industrial purposes over an area of 755 square miles. The initial installations are to be of 5,000 horse power each, and are to be completed within eighteen months.

These will be the first of a series of great power stations to be built in the United Kingdom.

CASTRO'S ARMY SURROUNDED

Beaten in an Attempt to Reach Venezuelan Capital?

Paris, Oct. 8—A despatch to the Matin from Port of Spain, Trinidad, says that a battle was fought on Oct. 1 between Venezuelan Government forces and the Revolutionists the result of which is unknown. The rebels surrounded the Government forces.

It is thought that President Castro with his army attempted to enter Caracas, but was unable to do so. The rebels were numerically stronger than the Government force and intercepted the latter's communications.

There is intense excitement at Caracas. The impression is that the war is nearing its end and that President Castro has been definitely beaten.

The despatch adds that news has been received from Carupano to the effect that the French Consular agent at that place and the manager of the French Cable Company who were arrested by order of Gen. Velluntini, have been released. The French population are very indignant at the arbitrary acts of Gen. Velluntini, who is the son of a Frenchman and who was destined by President Castro to represent Venezuela in France. Energetic action on the part of the French Government is expected.

Horrible Holocust In Chandos Township

Three Little Children Burned to Death on Saturday Evening

The Times is in receipt of the particulars of a horrible accident which occurred on Saturday evening in the Township of Chandos, a few miles from Apsley, by which three little children belonging to Mr. Joseph Parks, were burned to death. They were from five to nine years old.

It appears that Mr. Parks and two of the elder children were at a revival meeting about a mile from their home, and Mrs. Parks was called away to attend a neighbor woman who was ill. The three children were in bed and no thought of danger from fire was entertained by any one. A man and his son on their way to the meeting later in the evening saw the fire and gave the alarm, but too late to save even the little ones.

It is needless to say that Mr. Parks and family have the sincere sympathy of the entire neighborhood, and the people are showing it in a more tangiable form than words.

The family are not only bereaved of their little ones, but have lost everything they possess. Under these circumstances, so awful and so sad, the Times appeals to those who are charitably inclined to contribute something to help to alleviate the distress of the stricken family. Contributions may be sent direct to Warden Eastland, or Mr. Wm. Galton, Apsley, or sent to this Office to be forwarded. All such will be acknowledged in these columns.

TO MEET AMERICAN DANGER

Italian Minister of Finance Thinks Triple Alliance Should Take Action

Vienna, Oct. 8.—Signor Luzzatti, Italian ex-Minister of Finance, in an article in the Neue Freie Presse, suggests a conference of statesmen and economists of all industrial European countries for the purpose of arriving at an understanding concerning trusts and commercial treaties.

He declares that customs tariffs and and commercial treaties are fragile armor against trusts, which destroy natural conditions and upset the economic life of nations.

He urges the Triple Alliance to convoke a conference to take common measures to meet the American danger.

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ROOSEVELT ASKS MINERS TO RETURN TO WORK, 10,000 TROOPS OUT

Promises That He will Appoint a Commission to Investigate Their Grievances

Will Urge Congress to Pass Legislation to Remedy Those Grievances

Washington, Oct. 7.—President Roosevelt has requested Mr. Mitchell, president of the Mine Workers' Union, to use his influence to induce the men to go to work with the promise of the appointment of a commission to investigate their grievances, and a further promise that the President will urge upon Congress legislation in accordance with a recommendation of that commission.

No reply has yet been received from Mr. Mitchell. The President sent Carroll D. Wright, Commissioner of Labor, to Philadelphia to meet Mr. Mitchell, and Mr. Wright has reported that after the proposition of the President had been submitted Mr. Mitchell said that he wanted to take it under consideration. It is expected that the miners will take up the suggestion of the President and decide upon it after it has been presented to them by Mr. Mitchell. Commissioner of Immigration Sargeant returned from Philadelphia today, but had no information to communicate, as he did not see Mr. Mitchell in that city.

MITCHELL AT BUFFALO.

Buffalo, N.Y., Oct. 7.—President Mitchell, accompanied by the three district presidents, Duffy, Fahey, and Nicholls, arrived at the Iroquois Hotel at 9.40. Mr. Mitchell declined to discuss the action of Governor Stone in calling out the entire national Guard of Pennsylvania. Mr. Mitchell was called to the long distance telephone, and conversed with some one in Harrisburg, but declined to say with whom.

At 9.45 Mitchell and the three district presidents met the committee appointed by the National Manufacturers' Association regarding a plan whereby the manufacturers might secure a supply of anthracite coal, and thus keep their plants in operation during a continuance of the strike.

At 12.45 p.m. the coal conference was adjourned until 2 p.m. Mr. Parry stated that a general discussion of the situation had taken place, but that nothing tangible had been agreed upon. "Everything is progressing favorably," said Mr. Parry, "and we have hopes that some definite action will be taken at the afternoon meeting."

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 7.—The National Guard of Pennsylvania was ordered out on duty in the strike region last night by Governor Stone. The division numbers about 10,000 of all ranks. The decision was arrived at at a council held at the Legislative Mansion House, at which, in addition to Governor Stone and his executive officers, Major-General Miller, Brigadier-General Schall; Col. Hulings, 16th Regiment; Adjutant-General Stewart, and Assistant Adjutant-General Elliott were present. The entire force of the State Arsenal is now shipping camp equipage to supply the troops.

BOER LEADER IN UNITED STATES

Reitz, the Transvaal Ex-Secretary of State Wants Trouble

New York., Oct. 8—Francis John Reitz, former Secretary of State of the Transvaal, and now leader of the unreconciled Boers, arrived with his wife yesterday on the Staatendam from Holland. He was met by his son Joubert, who has been living in this city since his release from a British prison, and thirty Irish-Americans, representatives of various societies.

Mr. Reitz has come here to make America his home if he can find a way. He intends to try lecturing for a while, partly as a means of support, but chiefly, he said, to vindicate his people before the American public and to arraign the British government for its course in the late war.

Mr. Reitz said he had no grudge against the Englishman as an individual, and he did not intend in his lectures to take up specific instances of outrage during the war, but to show up the falseness and culpability of Joseph Chamberlain and what had been done in South Africa by the authority of the British government.

There are four counts in his indictment of Great Britain which he means to present to Americans: First, the inhuman treatment of the Boer women and children; second, the burning of almost every farmhouse in the country fought over, without compensation to the owners as the terms of The Hague Treaty demand; third, the arming of savage Kaffirs, who were permitted to kill Boer wounded and prisoners and to mutilate the dead; and fourth, violation of the treaty of peace of May 31.

Mr. Reitz said he was in favor of all Boers remaining in their own land. "Some Boers, like myself, will not, and some cannot; but I think that is what all should do," he said.

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Canadian hard wheat is of the best quality produced in the world, and three-fourths of the hard wheat area lies north of parallel 49.

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The number of immigrants officially recorded as entering Western Canada during the first eight months of 1902 was 52,000. An official estimate of the total number who will come in during the year is 65,000.

Shrewd Americans have been the largest investors in land in Western Canada. One company alone purchased a million and a half acres, which is now being rapidly settled by experienced farmers.

It requires an army of over 30,000 harvesters from Eastern Canada to help gather in the crops of the Canadian West every year. Forty thousand men will not be able to cope with the western harvests in a few years.

A conservative estimate of the income of the farmers of Western Canada this year places it at $250,000,000. About 65,000,000 bushels of wheat will be threshed, and 60,000,000 will be exported.

THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF ONTARIO

Sir Oliver Can Have Another Term if He Wants It

TERM EXPIRES IN NOVEMBER

And Hon. R. W. Scott will Have to Stand Aside—The Political Outlook.

(From our own Correspondent.)

Toronto, Ont., Oct., 6—If Sir Oliver Mowat is not Lieutenant Governor of Ontario after November, when his term expires, it will be because he is not 'anxious for an extended term. Toward the close of the last session of the Dominion Parliament it began to be hinted that the Honorable R. W. Scott, the secretary of state, would come to Government House as Sir Oliver's successor. During the summer the prospective appointment of the Honorable Mr. Scott has been more and more talked of, and this week, La Patrie, the organ of the minister of public works, as good as announced that Mr. Scott would get the post. Friendly journals have been fierce in the championship of Sir Oliver Mowat, and in support of his claims to a second term as Lieutenant Governor. Sir Oliver's term expires in November, and it has been argued that after his long service in the cause of Liberalism in Ontario, and the help which he gave at Ottawa in the early days of the Laurier administration helping Sir Wilfrid's cabinet to gain credit by means of the old familiar sign of Mowat, he is entitled to more consideration at the hands of those in authority at Ottawa than a single term as Lieutenant Governor of Ontario. To deprive him of the honors of his present positionn would, it has been urged, be a base betrayal of a faithful friend, a heartless sacrifice to the business of patronage, and a smirch of ingratitude on the premier's escutcheon.

The idea that Sir Oliver may not be particularly anxious on the subject has not apparently been taken into considerations by his champions. They have accepted the opposite view as a matter of course, and have exerted themselves accordingly.

Those most familiaer with the Lieutenant Governor's mind on the matter, affirm that at present he has no inclinations as to an extended term. Should he, however, make up his mind that he would like to stay, it may confidently be stated, in spite of the talk of Ottawa and the statement of La Patrie, that no effort will be made to force him out. Consequently, the fulfillment of Mr. Scott's alleged hopes depends entirely on Sir Oliver Mowat. The position is simply this: Sir Oliver Mowat has not made up his mind that he wants a second term, but if he does want it he can have it.

The Honorable Richard W. Scott, secretary of state and registrar general of Canada, is five years younger than Sir Oliver Mowat. The latter was born in 1820 and the former in 1825. Sir Oliver, with his 82 years, is very feeble, and his last appearance to open the local legislature was a visible effort. The last session of the House was not opened by the Lieutenant Governor at all, but by the Honorable John D. Armour, chief justice of Ontario. Mr. Scott's claims to the post, like Sir Oliver's, are based on long service to Liberalism, but, while the Mowats are Toronto people, Mr. Scott is really an Ottawa man. He has been Mayor of Ottawa, and sat for the capital in Parliament in 1857 and in the first Ontario Legislature in 1867. He stayed in Toronto till 1873, being speaker of the Assembly in 1871, and afterwards commissioner of crown lands in the Blake cabinet and the succeeding ministry of the same Sir Oliver Mowat for whose shoes as governor he is reported to be now standing. Mr. Scott went back to Ottawa in 1873, on the formation of the Mackenzie administration, and became secretary of state. Next year he went to the senate, and was government leader there till 1878, when the government was defeated. He afterwards led the opposition conjointly with the Honorable Mr. Pelletier, and in 1896, when the Liberals went into power he got back his old post as secretary of state, the position he is now holding. If Sir Oliver retires next month it will mean the close of a public career unique in British Parliamentary history. He was prime minister of Ontario for a quarter of a century, the longest tenure of office of anyone similarly placed in a British governing institution.

SEVEN EMPTY COFFINS TELL THE STORY

Indianapolis Medical Students Rob the Graves of the Dead

MANY CASES TAMPERED WITH

Ghouls Despoil Cemeteries Far and Wide—Ten 'Stiffs Found in a Cellar

Indianapolis, Oct. 7. — Sensational developments came to light today in the investigation of the wholesale graveyard robberies that have occurred in this vicinity during the last few months when detectives unearthed ten bodies in the cellar of the medical college of Indiana. A gang of ten negroes were arrested several days ago charged with the ghoulish work, and their leader, Rufus Cantrell, since his arrest, has confessed to many of the robberies and informed the authorities that other gangs have been operating in cemeteries in this and adjoining counties, and that many of the robberies accredited to his following really have been committed by others.

Seven Empty Caskets.

People who recently have buried relatives in various cemeteries, are greatly excited and since the developments of the last few days, many graves have been re-opened to see if the caskets have been tampered with. Investigation in seven of these cases have revealed empty caskets. Every medical college in this city has been thoroughly searched for the stolen bodies, but to no avail. Six bodies were ffound in a pickling vat at the Medical College of Indiana. The officials of this institution proving they had been lawfully obtained and asserting that there were no other bodies about the buildings. Detectives went to the college today with a search warrant for the body of Wallace Johnston, which had been stolen from the grave in the Ebenezer cemetery, northeast of the city. The college authorities were reluctant to allow this. The detectives found several others in the cellar. The college authorities are very indignant at the latest phase of the situation.

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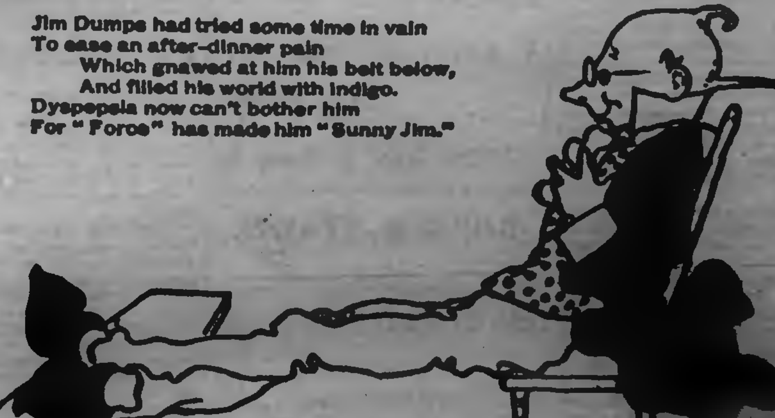

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"A SERIOUS PROBLEM"

The Doukhobors are proving to be not only a difficult problem for the Government to solve, but also a bad advertisement fro Canada. The St. Paul Globe, commenting on their latest mania, says that the sympathy which has been shown them is proved to have been utterly misplaced, and it says also that the future course of the Dominion Government is a matter of world-wide interest and importance. The Globe's article concludes as follows:

"They (the Doukhobors) no longer present themselves to general attention as persons who have a conscientious objection to the shedding of human blood, or as being opposed on conscientious grounds to making war on their fellows, but they appear to have evolved into half-crazed fanatics.

"A letter from one of the members of the sect recently generally published in the daily press, reveals them as not only unwilling to engage in the shedding of human blood, but as showing like unwillingness to shed the blood of animals; to cut animal flesh, or even to utilize beasts of burden for working in the fields. The advancement of this latter theory of conduct has placed these people outside the pale of sane society. Having followed the expression of their convictions in this last mentioned respect up, by sending their cattle adrift, the problem of what to do with the Doukhobors now becomes a serious one for the Canadian government.

"It will not now be possible of course for the Canadian Government to deport these people. Civilized men and women had rejoiced that there were in this world others who were willing to stand unflinchingly on what Count Tolstoi had declared to be the only rational and logical position for those who desire the uplifting of the race, in dealing with the requirement of enforced military service— of absolutely refusing to do violence toward their fellow creature. Few really civilized men and women who were apprised of the attitude of the Doukhobors in this regard but entertained more or less sympathy with them. Now, however, the sympathy is shown to have been utterly misplaced and the objects of it no more entitled to consideration than any other body of men and women who show themselves to be victims of religious mania.

"Whether the Canadian authorities will allow these people the free exercise of their peculiar beliefs, or, refusing to do so, what disposition will be made of them, is a subject which may before long assume world-wide interest and importance."

KEYLESS CLOCKS ARE GOING TO ENGLAND

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The wonderful success of the Keyless Clock, which today is the highest exponent in the art of clock building is astonishing the inventing world.

One of the many good reasons for this is the fact that even England is awaking to the fact that there are some great things in America worthy to be taken to England, and that great American money-makers can be great money-makers in England as well, pre-eminently in this line is the Keyless Clock—a great clock which winds itself — the great clock which is acknowledged the acme of perfection and simplicity.

Recently, Mr. George Douglas, a very prominent man in the world of finance, a director in the Heather Bank, of Dingley, Yorkshire, England, purchased, to take home with him, two Keyless Clocks. To prevent any accident this gentleman ordered that the same be not sent by express, as is the custom, but he would take them with him, among his personal effects; and thus the clocks were sent to his stateroom on board the steamer Celtic, on which ship he sailed on October 2.

Mr. Douglas was enthusiastic in his praise of the clock, he never expected to see anything like it, and he was kind enough to tell the General Manager of the U.S. Electric Clock Co. that "of all the good things he was taking with him to England from this great country, nothing equalled in value or importance these two clocks," one of which he will likely have in his bank and the other in his home.

Mr. Douglas inspected the entire plant of the Keyless Clock Company. The method of operating and conducting a great American Clock factory was explained to him. He was deeply interested in everything and took many notes and requested that the set of photographs which the company are contemplating of their new works should be sent to him when finished, so when he shows his friends in England the clock he can explain where and how it is made.

But that is not all. Not only are private Englishmen enthusiastic over the clock and its future, but great English merchants are casting longing eyes toward the Keyless Clock and are using every possible means to secure the general representation of the United States Electric Clock Company and the great Keyless Clock.

The company have received a number of applications and direct offers and enquiries, and prominent among these is one from Messrs. Clement Clark & Co., 24 Robertson street, Glasgow, Scotland. This is one of the very prominent houses of the United Kingdom. They have a thousand agencies and branches throughout England, Scotland and Ireland. They made the United States Clock Company a direct offer for the exclusive agency, and offered to put the services of their entire organization at the command of the Keyless Clock.

It is hardly possible to estimate what this would mean and conservative figures might place the sales of this one concern at not less than 2,000 to 3,000 clocks, to commence with, per month, or almost 30,000 clocks for the first year.

Unfortunately the present capacity of the Keyless Clock factories is only 50,000 clocks. The company is unable to fill the demand for the American market, and although they are increasing their capacity from day to day they cannot keep up with their orders.

It may, therefore, be necessary, before long, to start a separate factory in England to supply the increasing demand, in which case Manager Delafield of the United States Electric Clock Company says, that he would send American machinery and expert American machinists to the other side, as he would not endanger the success of a possible European factory by adopting the impracticable methods of European workmanship.

The Keyless Clock Company is now in active negotiation with Clement, Clark & Co., and Mr. Clement has expressed his willingness to take passage for the United States on the very first ship, as soon as the Keyless Clock Company see their way clear to supply him with only a minimum quantity, or to make a direct offer to them.

When we talk of the Keyless Clock we can say that "Truth is mighty." There is absolutely nothing about this entire proposition which flavors of the speculative. It is a truthful proposition from beginning to end.

The company has been unusually successful because they have a good thing, and it is managed by good men. The stock of the company is prized as much as the clock is, and investors are eager to subscribe for the securities of this company, which are being sold rapidly.

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the rage of disappointment at realizing his mistake, he could have shouted oaths aloud. But he had succeeded in doing many things in his eventful life by sheer self-control, and he had seldom lost it unless he had chosen deliberately to let himself go. He did not lose it, or let himself go now.

So quickly did the scene pass by that few in the audience were certain that the figure on the horse was a mere understudy for Mazeppa. Some said it was Miss Gray herself; others vowed that it was another girl in her place.

From the stage-manager's standpoint the act was saved, whatever might have to happen later; but to Lionel Macaire the substitution of an understudy for the girl whom he had meant to shame and humiliate was only an aggravation. He cared nothing whether the play went on or was stopped in the midst on the first night. It was only Winifred he had thought of from the first.

No answer had come to the note he had sent behind the scenes, and in this case he knew well enough that silence did not mean consent. If Winifred had intended to fling herself upon his mercy she would have replied with a written line or verbal message. And no word having been deigned he had believed Wantage's assurance that the girl would go through the scene on the horse, even if she had to be forced to it.

The instant he saw that the slight, apparently nude figure bound to Selim's back was not Winifred Gray's, he rose from his seat without showing signs of haste and left the box.

Behind it was a door which led through a short passage to the stage, and the first person he met there was Jeffrey.

"Why did not Miss Gray play that scene?" Macaire questioned, sternly. Grotesquely ugly at all times, he was appallingly hideous when in a passion, and, though his voice was merely cold, Jeffrey saw by the purple face and the jelly-like quivering of the marred features that the millionaire's wrath was held in check by an effort.

"Miss Gray can't be found; she's disappeared," the stage-manager stammered, his castles in the air rocking on their foundation, built above this rich man's money and favor.

Then Lionel Macaire muttered an oath between his teeth. "What do you mean?" he said. "Wantage came out and told me that the girl had fainted, but was being dressed for the scene, and would be put through it somehow, without fail. He had your word for it —as stage-manager. What do you mean, then, by saying she has disappeared?"

Jeffrey did not dare to lose his temper, though he had a hot one, quickly fired. "It is a most mysterious affair," he answered. "I don't know what to think of it. But certainly I am not to blame. And, if Miss Gray isn't found, her understudy can get through somehow, though it will be a great misfortune—on the *first night* of all nights. The only thing will be to go out before the curtain and make a careful announcement, working up some sensation that will fetch the newspapers and rouse the public's curiosity. It may even create a certain boom."

"Boom be hanged!" ejaculated Macaire. "The girl's played you false, then? But what a fool you were to let it happen! Do you remember it is my money you've been letting her make ducks and drakes of?"

"She's certain to be found," faltered Jeffrey, drooping under the millionaire's anger. "She can't possibly have left the theater. If you'll come with me, Mr. Macaire, to her dressing-room door, where Mr. Wantage is catechising the woman who had charge of her after she fainted, you'll understand that it must be so."

"Very well," said the other, and together they walked across the stage, behind the setting which was going up for the next act.

CHAPTER XVI.

Escaped.

Mr. Wantage, afraid to go out and face his patron after what had happened, was standing in the open doorway of Winifred Gray's dressing-room, talking excitedly to Mrs. Purdy. At sight of Macaire advancing upon him he flushed darkly, then grew pale.

"This is a mystery, Mr. Macaire!" he exclaimed, with a shaking voice. "Miss Gray has disappeared. A most obstinate girl. I knew that she objected to go through the scene in the only suitable way, and Jeffrey knew it. But we ——"

"Be kind enough to state exactly what occurred after Miss Gray fainted," Macaire broke in, addressing the woman, without a glance at Wantage. "She was then brought into this room, was she not, and placed in your charge?"

"Yes, sir, she was, sir," returned the dresser, staring at the hideous face of the man with undisguised astonishment, even repulsion. She did not know that, though so villainously ugly to look upon, he was worth many times his weight in solid gold. Macaire was not so uncommon a name that she should associate him with millionaire Lionel of that ilk, even if she heard him addressed by Wantage or Jeffrey, and it did not occur to her that he was to be fawned upon. "Ugly beast! I wonder what the dickens he means by poking his nose into it?" she was probably asking herself. "Who's he, anyhow?" And, aloud, she enquired: "Are you Miss Gray's father or—or anything, sir?"

"I am—a friend of her family. And I am, unfortunately, financially interested in this company," the great man condescended to explain. "It is not pleasant hearing that the star has run away on the first night."

"She can't have run far," cut in Jeffrey. "This woman here will tell you that."

Lionel Macaire looked at Mrs. Purdy, and she accepted the look as her cue to speak. "I managed to get the young lady into the things she was to ride the horse in, sir, when she was fainting. And a rare job it was, too."

"What happened then?" questioned Macaire.

"Why, this gentleman, the stage-manager, sir, he kept comin' to the door and worritin' me, till I thought I should have gone off my head. But, finally, I did have the young lady ready, and at the last moment, as I was tellin' him, she popped open those great eyes of hers. She'd been wild about the fleshin's before, sir, sayin' nothin' on earth would induce 'er to put 'em on. But she seemed wonderful calmed down like, after her faintin'

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Summary.—Stocks purchased around yesterday's low prices paid about as outlined. Our persistent advice to realize your profits off the rallies, not waiting for too large ones was good. This morning's opening prices afforded the opportunity. After the first hour prices crumbled again. St. Paul, after an initial advance of 2 points over night, fell from 1-2 to 3 points. On each pronounced weakness we continue to suggest purchases, selling out on rallies, if they advance beyond your closing out price make a modest short commitment protected by a judicious stop order. As a trading market we seldom have a better one. Stocks generally must be reaching pretty close to bottom prices. Our advices of the past 10 days in these letters, if followed, would have yielded splendid profits, despite the declines. Money closed 4 per cent; sales [illegible].

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Peas, small	[illegible] to 77
Peas, mummies	[illegible]
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Buckwheat	[illegible]
Rye	[illegible]
WOOL AND HIDES	
Wool, unwashed	[illegible]
Fleece Wool	11 to [illegible]
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Deakons	[illegible]
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Dressed hogs, per cwt.	[illegible]
Pork by the quarter, per lb.	[illegible]
Lard	13 to 14
Chickens, per pair	[illegible]
Ducks, per pair	[illegible]
Geese, each	[illegible]
Turkeys, each	[illegible]
Butter, fresh roll, per lb.	[illegible]
Butter, crock	[illegible]
Eggs, per doz	14 to [illegible]
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Medium butchers' (steers and heifers)	[illegible]
Light cattle and cows	[illegible]
Feeders, 1,000-1,100	[illegible]
Stockers	[illegible]
Hogs, select, [illegible]	[illegible]
Fats and heavies	[illegible]
Lights	[illegible]
Sows	[illegible]
Stags	[illegible]
Sheep	[illegible]
Lambs, per lb.	[illegible]
GENERAL	
Potatoes	[illegible]
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Tallow, rendered, per lb.	[illegible]

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Some time ago when the market was weak and July corn was selling at from 61 to 62 cents, we predicted that it would soon sell above 75 cents. We advised our clients to buy. JULY CORN SOLD FOR 90 CENTS, PROVING OUR PREDICTION CORRECT ALTHOUGH MADE IN THE FACE OF A WEAK MARKET. Those who followed our instructions realized enormous profits.

The conditions at present, the tone of the market, everything favors the buyer of December corn. BEFORE DECEMBER 30th IT WILL SELL FOR 70c., and again our advice is to buy. A small investment may make you independent. If you want the best price and the largest profit, BUY NOW. Our predictions on July corn were correct. Our advice on September corn was just as good. Send at once for our Booklet (mailed free) telling why corn will advance and how to trade with small capital. We have the highest references.

SWORN STATEMENT

On June 15th, 1901, a client of the firm deposited with me at my suggestion, one hundred dollars to be invested in Corn for September delivery. I purchased for his account 5,000 bushels at 43 1/2 cents per bushel, with a margin of 2 cents. I sold his holdings at 47c., giving a profit of $275 00; I purchased again at 47 1/2 cents per bushel, 10,000 bushels on a 2c. margin; resold at 50c; I continued to buy and sell on this account, watching the market closely, until the middle of August, when my client instructed me to close the account and submit the amount to his credit; this I did, his account showed a balance due him of $5 850.00, as his investment of $100.00 for two months.

CHARLES H. BROOKS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this fifth day of December, 1901.

(Seal)   GUILLEMINE E. TREDWAY, Notary Public.

My commission expires April 5th, 1903.

SWORN AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
City of St. Louis } ss.

Under oath as to its truthfulness, I make the following statement. March 25th, 1902, I deposited $25 to be invested in Corn, leaving the handling of my investment to the judgment of the Commission Company. On April 12th I was advised that my account was worth $50.00; on the same day I was advised that they had bought for me 2,500 bushels of Corn for July delivery at 61 3/8 cents; on April 16th, they sold and bought for my account, increasing my earnings to $131.75; again they bought for me, selling on April 23rd; my account now showing a net profit of $303.10 in 28 days, on an investment of $25.00   R ROY BRYAN, Deer, Mo.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of April, A.D. 1902.

(Seal)   JANE N. WHITELAW, Notary Public.

My term expires February 12th, 1903.

Office of the Chief Inspector of Grain
for the State of Missouri.   St. Louis, Sept. 12th, 1902
H. G. Dennis, President, St. Louis, Mo.

Dear Sir,—Any time you want any recommendations from me as to what I think of your plan of campaign in the corn market, you can have it, for I have not, in many years I have been trading in future corn, met with such success as you have achieved for me in the handling of my account. As you know, I am such a busy man that I cannot give any personal attention to these matters, and while I know that you had made some of my friends enormous profits in the July corn deal that you handled with such remarkable success, as everybody knows, I really made my little investment of $25 with you more for a flyer for cigar money than anything else, and when I think that in addition to the cheque for $137 50 sent me on August 23rd as result of first investment, cheque for $40.75 which you handed me on August 29th as result of second investment, and look at the market to day, and see nearly $200 profit in the third investment, I am simply pleased beyond measure.

I also want to thank you for the purchase that you made for my two friends yesterday who, at my suggestion, left it entirely to your hands, as I see they have a nice profit in their trades to-day.

If you think well of it, take on some December corn for me, as I notice you are now advising to buy December corn. Very respectfully yours,

Joe P. Rice, R.R. & W. H. Com.

Martin, Goodwin & Watson, cash dealers in
General Merchandise and Plantation Supplies
Warren, Ark., August 27th, 1902
H. C. Dennis, President.

Gentlemen,—Received your check for $96.58, for which accept my most hearty thanks. I endorse your actions and your manipulations. Use the remaining $25.00 as you think best. Thanking you for your kindness in this matter, I am, very respectfully,   A. O. Wallis.

Broadwater Brothers, dealers in Hay, Grain,
Feed Stuff, Flour and Meal.
Car load lots a specialty.   Toll Gate, W. Va., Sept. 5th, 1902.
H. C. Dennis, President.

Gentlemen,—Hope that you will pardon us for not complimenting you in a reasonable time for the handsome profits you made for us in so short a time. What is your opinion as to December corn at this time? Please state your views of the market; we may take another dip. Yours respectfully,

Broadwater Bros.

The Wabash Railroad Company.
Passenger Department.   St. Louis, Mo, Sept. 11th, 1902
Major Hugh C Dennis, St. Louis, Mo.

Dear Sir:—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 10th inst., enclosing therewith your check No. 457 on the Third National Bank for $218.40.

This certainly shows most gratifying results of the small investment of $25, which I placed in your hands to handle, as your best judgment would dictate, on August 13th, less than a month ago, and assure you that I appreciate same highly.

As you know, I was first attracted to your company from the fact that I had come in contact with a number of friends whose investments handled by you had proven highly satisfactory and profitable. It will afford me great pleasure to recommend your Company, and also their plan of trading, to my friends, at all times, for certainly where such results as above can be obtained from such a small investment, the inducement offered speculators and investors is far out of the ordinary. Again thanking you,

I remain, very truly yours,   W. W. Wood, Trav. Pass. Agent.

J. J. Underwood,
Dealer in Drugs and Druggists' Sundries, Oils, Paints,
Varnishes, Brushes, Toilet Articles, etc.
Wall Paper and School Supplies.
Sharpsburg, Iowa, Sept. 5, 1902.
H. C. Dennis, President.

Gentlemen:—Yours of the 4th inst., at hand and noted; you cannot understand by this letter my appreciation of your services. If I had ten thousand dollars to invest I would put it in your hands for investment, as I firmly believe that you will make it win if any Commission Company can; you can invest my deposit according to your judgment, adhering to a former letter I wrote you regarding profits. Hoping you are successful in the next investment, and awaiting your commands, I am,

Very respectfully,   J. J. Underwood.

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25,000 Shares Stock La Plata Consolidated Mining Co., of Utah, at 65c. per Share.

Balance of final allotment unsold. Property fully proven, *TUNNEL NOW BEING DRIVEN* to cut immense ore body at a depth of 800 feet.

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IT IS NOT OFTEN that you have an opportunity to secure stock of this character at such a price, one that will pay dividends within a year.

Company owns 600 acres of Mineral Land, including the Town site of "La Plata," and water power. Should Mr Harrington's predictions be fulfilled $10 per share will look cheap for this stock. Send all orders and checks to

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Where to invest your surplus income, go or send at once to the offices of the SUPERIOR COPPER COMPANY,

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And receive prospectus of Company.

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12 Claims Embracing an area of about **240 Acres**

Have been secured in the richest section of the Thunder Mountain mining district in Central Idaho by

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Ore runs from $7.00 to $88.50 per ton

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A LIMITED AMOUNT OF STOCK IS FOR SALE AT

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Don't wait until stock goes to $10.00 per share or until it is taken off the market. **INVEST NOW.** This is the last chance to get it at **25c PER SHARE.**

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 8, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Sale of Silks at 50c, and Silk Velvets at 60c.

The Bankrupt Stock Company, 400 George street, have placed on sale a large quantity of fine silks, worth $1.00, $1.25 up to $2.00 per yard. These goods will be sold on Thursday morning at 50c. There is every kind of silk and and ever color you could wish for. This is your chance to get a handsome blouse at little cost. Bankrupt Stock Company, 400 George street.

Wanted to be Sent Back

A boy who had served a term in the Reformatory, and who formerly belonged to Marchmont Home, requested to be sent back for two years. The lad gave as a reason that he was afraid he would drift back into crime if not kept under restraint. County Constable Cochrane says he never heard of a similar request being made. People, as a rule, prefer freedom.

Heartily Endorsed

The other day a minister of the Gospel, whose early education in business matters has been sadly neglected, called at The Times Bookstore, and made some purchases of books for the Sabbath school of his church, which is situated in the country not far from Peterborough. He tendered in payment a check made by the treasurer of the Sunday school, and drawn payable to the Minister's order. This he gave to the cashier, and handing it in, was told to indorse it. He hesitated a moment and then taking up the precious document wrote on the back, "I heartily indorse this check," and signed his name. Of course this went, and he got his change and departed.

Exchequer Court

A sitting of the Exchequer Court of Canada will be held at the Court House, Peterborough, on Monday, 13th inst., before the Hon. Mr. Justice Burbidge, for the trial of the action of His Majesty the King against John Hull, of Lakefield, arising out of Mr. Hull's refusal to accept the sum of $6,500 offered to him by the Government as compensation for damage to his mill property by reason of the construction of the Trent Valley Canal through his property. Mr. Hull claims that he has suffered damage to the extent of over $16,000. Mr. Stratton & Hall are acting as solicitors for the Department of Railways and Canals, and Mr. Dumble, K.C., is solicitor for Mr. John Hull.

Dignity and Advertising

What is dignity? Some people call it conservatism; some people call it "dry rot;" some people call it personality, and the only people that ever worry about it are the fellows who have to carry a load of it around with them. We never heard of a man yet who said he would not trade with a firm because it was not dignified, but we have heard lots of people say they liked to trade with a firm because it got up and hustled. When your dignity comes to hurt you, when it commences to hold you back, when it commences to lose you business, when you commence to turn down orders or refuse to take advantage of up-to-date methods 'because they are not dignified' it is time for you and dignity to separate, or to get a new kind of dignity. Dignity is a relative term, and most of the people who talk about it cannot define it, but rest assured of one thing, when your dignity sacrifices force, cut out the dignity. It may be 'undignified' to advertise in public papers, but it is "business."

Subscriptions Received

The following subscriptions have been gratefully received by the Times in aid of the Parks family, of Chandos:

Mr. A. P. Cheate	$25 00
Mrs. A. L. Davis	5 00
Mr. Hugh Waddell	5 00
C. H. J. Mitchell	1 00
	$36 00

Money may be sent direct to Mr. T. G. Eastland, Warden, or Mr. W. Gallon, Apsley, or to the Times, who will forward it.

A SERIOUS OFFENSE

Man Named James Fallon Charged with Criminal Assault

County Constable Cochrane arrested a man named James Fallon, who is charged with criminally assaulting a child 12 years old, and attempting the assault of another and younger child. Fallon is a married man, and is understood to deny the charge.

The matter will come before County Police Magistrate Edmison to-day.

They were After Him

The following was sent to the Times for publication yesterday: Just as a commercial traveller was writing his name on the register of a local hotel, the other day, a bed bug appeared and meandered slowly over the pages. The man of grips paused in open wonder, and in a voice shaking with emotion said: "Well, by the eternal gods of war, I have been bled by Lindsay fleas, bitten by Toronto spiders, driven almost to insanity by Bobcaygeon centipedes, crawled over by Belleville razzlejacks, and interviewed by Cobourg graybacks, but this is the first place I was ever at where bed bugs looked over the register to find out the number of my room."

Lost Hearing Quickly Restored

No matter whether of long standing or not deafness can be permanently cured by Catarrhozone which never fails even in the worst cases. The pleasant-scented vapor of Catarrhozone allays inflammation, prevents and cures the catarrhal condition that causes deafness, and relieves right away. Thousands have proved the efficiency of Catarrhozone, and with such a valuable remedy within reach there is no longer any reason for people to remain deaf. Catarrhozone is recommended for Coughs, Colds, Catarrh and Bronchitis. Complete outfit, $1.00; trial size 25c. Druggists or N. C. Polson & Co., Hartford, Conn., U. S., or Kingston, Ont.

Dr. Hamilton's Pills cure Constipation.

PRACTICAL CHARITY

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—I see by the Ottawa papers that Mr. J. R. Booth, the leading lumberman of that city, has not only refused to sell his millwood to speculators but has decided to turn in a large amount of tamarac that he has for his mills, to the people of the city at cost price.

In Peterborough we have the Dickson Company and Mr. Alex Macdonald, who are engaged in the lumbering business, and who have large quantities of wood I would suggest that the Mayor and Council wait on them and endeavor to secure the wood at a reasonable price, and try and secure a promise that it won't be sold to speculators. I am sure both companies have the interests of the people at heart and would not only be willing but anxious to do everything possible to relieve the suffering which is sure to come if this strike continues.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your valuable space, I am &c.,

CIVIS.

A Pretty Cathedral Wedding

Yesterday morning, St. Peter's cathedral was the scene of a very pretty wedding, when Miss Aggie Kelly and Mr. William Pope were married.

The bride was most beautifully and becomingly attired in a travelling suit of olive green trimmed with applique, and picture hat to match and entered the church on the arm of her cousin, Mr. Ed. Crew, of Campbellford, to the strains of Wagner's wedding march, rendered by Miss K. Hurley. Miss Annie Kelly, in a most becoming blue costume, performed the duties of bridesmaid, while Mr. J. Donoghue acted in a similar capacity for the groom. The happy young couple were the recipients of numerous costly and handsome presents, which testify to the high esteem in which both are held by their many friends in town. A beautiful Persian lamb coat trimmed with sable was presented by the groom to the bride, and to the bridesmaid a lovely ring set with pearls and turquoises.

After the ceremony a sumptuous breakfast was served at the home of the bride, at the conclusion of which Mr. and Mrs. Pope took the 11.05 train for Port Hope and thence to Rochester.

WANDERERS

Travel Thousands of Miles and Find It a Home

We go about from one place to another, in search of something we desire, without success, and finally find it right at home awaiting us. A mining engineer out in Mansfield, Mo., tells of his experience with coffee.

He says. "Up to the year 1898 I had always been accustomed to drinking coffee with my breakfast each morning. In the summer of that year I developed a severe case of nervous prostration and I took several courses of treatment for it in Toronto, Buffalo, and New York City without obtaining any permanent relief. One of the most trying manifestations of the malady was a condition of nervous excitement in which I found myself every day during the forenoon. It never occurred to me to attribute this to coffee until I read an advertisement of yours last Fall describing a case similar to my own which had received benefit from the use of Postum Cereal Food Coffee. I at once changed my breakfast beverage from Java and Mocha to Postum and the effect was nothing short of marvelous. After using it less than a week I was free from morning attacks and in six months all my nervous symptoms had disappeared.

I have demonstrated the fact that by following your directions in making Postum Food Coffee any one can obtain as rich a cup of coffee from Postum, as from any of the imported brands, and may rest assured that they will escape the injurious effects of coffee and experience much benefit from the use of Postum." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

BUY DECEMBER CORN NOW

This is the Advice of the Rialto Grain and Securities Company

We print elsewhere the advertisement of the Rialto Grain and Securities Company, of St. Louis Mo., which speaks for itself. The Company are large operators, and have made many thousands of dollars for their patrons. Canadian investors would do well to place their orders at once, as there is likely to be a sharp advance before Dec. 1st. A comparatively small investment now might mean a fortune in a few weeks hence.

The Rialto Company is an incorporated institution, and is thoroughly reliable.

INJURED IN INITIATION

A Fraternal Order Being Sued For Damages

There are many in this city who believe that some of the fraternal societies overdo the thing in the initiation line. It is hardly likely that it has gone so far here, however, as in Rock Falls, Ill., where W. A. Simbaugh has brought suit against the Fraternal Tribune a beneficiary organization, alleging that he was injured for life while being initiated. He claims that the goat was connected with electricity, and that his body came in contact with the live wire. The case is attracting much attention, and is being watched by supreme officers of other orders.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and Social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[ED TIMES]

—Rev. Father Phelan, Young's Point, was in town yesterday.

—Rev. Father Fitzpatrick, of Ennismore, was in town yesterday.

—Mrs. A. G. Parker, of Belleville, is the guest of Miss Lundy, Ashburnham.

—Miss Lila Meharry returned yesterday from a visit in Toronto and Port Perry.

—Miss Minnie Cook left yesterday for her new home in Fernie, B.C. She will be greatly missed by her many friends in town.

—The many friends of Mr. E. Phelan will be pleased to learn that he is gradually recovering from his recent serious illness.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Thursday of next week will be Thanksgiving Day.

—Work has been started on the new skating rink on Brock street.

—Beechnuts are very scarce this year—a sure sign of a mild winter.

—The rifle matches of the 57th Regiment will be held on Thanksgiving Day.

—There's one good feature about using soft coal in your furnace. It will keep you warm shovelling it in.

—The Fire Brigade received a check through E. G. Patterson, of the Canadian General Electric Company for $25.

—A couple of ladies can be accommodated with rooms, breakfast and supper and free use of piano, within three minutes' walk of post office. Apply at Times Bookstore for address.

—Victoria County Cheese Board met Monday morning in the Council chamber, when 1085 boxes were offered. Buyers Flavelle and Fitzgerald purchased the lot at 10 1-4c.

—There is said to be a wine clerk employed in one of the Peterborough hotels whose name is Kauszkaczrinski. When a man gets where he can't pronounce that name he is refused any more drink.

—The non-coms. of the 57th will hold their regular meeting at the drill shed this evening, when matters of importance are to be discussed with reference to their new rooms on Simcoe street.

—Jane Ann Smith, who was in Police Court on Sept. 1st, charged with theft of money and clothes and was remanded for a week, will receive sentence this morning. The girl is 13 years of age and is now at the Children's Shelter. She stated to the police that she had an aunt at 223 King street east, Toronto, but enquiry reveals the fact that there is no such number.

—One hundred and thirty-three children arrived at the Barnardo Home here yesterday from England. The party sailed from Liverpool by the Dominion Line Steamship Colonian and had a good voyage. Landing at Portland they were conveyed west by special G.T.R. train, and while the girls of the party were left at the Home here, the boys were taken on to Toronto. They are all bright, intelligent looking children, and their ages range from six to fourteen years.

THE SHOVEL FACTORY

The Times Makes a Few Corrections in Yesterday's Report

The Times made one or two mistakes in our issue of yesterday, regarding the proposition of the Shovel Company. The following is the Company's proposal:

1st—A free site of 1 1-2 to 3 acres of land with railway siding.

2nd—A fixed assessment for ten years.

3rd—To supply building for main shop, cost not exceeding 16,000.

4th—To assure Company the securing of electric power for the operation of their works at $16 per horse power.

The Company for the above concessions agree to:

1st—Erect on above lands other buildings of equal or greater value than those supplied by the town.

2nd—The Company to employ 25 men the first year and to have 50 men on their pay roll in the year 1904.

3rd—The Company will give the town a lien on said buildings and land as security for the carrying out of this agreement; said lien to be paid off as follows:

4th—For each and every year the company carry on business in fulfillment of this contract a deduction shall be made by the town of $1,000 per year until the liability expires, when the town shall transfer the land and buildings free of all cost to the Company. The company, however, to have the right to erect such other buildings as the demands of the business may from time to time require.

WEATHER NOTES

Westerly winds, fair with nearly the same temperature.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

The Schools will be Closed Thursday and Friday of Thanksgiving Week—Second Assistant Kindergarten Teacher Wanted

The Board of Education met in regular session last night, when there were present Chairman W. H. Hill presiding, and Messrs Jas. Stevenson, W. G. Ferguson, F. J. Jameson, Wm. Langford, J. J. Hartley, L. M. Hayes and Drs. Burnham and Caldwell.

In the absence of Mr. W. G. Morrow, Mr. H. Marphet officiated as secretary.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Florence Chamberlain, Toronto, seeking an appointment on the kindergarten staff.—Received.

From Mary M. Dense, St. Catharines, on behalf of the U. E. L. Association, asking the Board to permit the school children to subscribe toward a monument in memory of Laura Secord, who by her heroic action during the second invasion of the Niagara Peninsula by the Americans, assisted in a measure in keeping the British flag floating over our fair Dominion. Laura Secord, at great personal risk, warned Lieut. Jas. Fitzgibbon of a pending surprise attack by the Americans. Had Fitzgibbon not been thus warned, his small British force would in all probability have been totally annihilated. This matter was referred to the Supervision committee.

ACCOUNTS.

The following accounts were referred to the Finance committee:

Substitute teachers	$22 50
Steinberger, Hendry & Co.	206 46
Mail & Empire	4 00
Peterboro Light & Power Co.	31 25
R. Gibbs	5 00
Peterboro Canoe Co.	25 00
Toronto Globe	3 14
Duncan & Doupe	1 00
Examiner Ptg. Co.	46 00
A. H. Stratton & Co.	103 60
Peterboro Light and Power Co.	17 10
Peterborough Hardware Co.	5 97

ATTENDANCE FOR SEPTEMBER.

	Reg.	Avg.	P.C.
Central school	370	324	87.4
South Central school	426	352	84.6
Barnardo ave. school	163	143	87.0
Park st. school	154	139	90.5
George st. school	157	138	88.5
	1260	1085	86.8
Kindergarten	117	82	70.6
	1377	1176	85.5

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS

Mr. W. G. Ferguson submitted the following report.

Gentlemen,—Your Committee on Appointments beg leave to report that according to instructions given at last meeting of the Board they appointed Mr. Sernoleil, of the South Central school, as an assistant master of the Collegiate Institute, at a salary of $700 per annum, and that the vacancy caused by Mr. Sernoleil's transfer from the Public School to the Collegiate Institute, has been filled by the appointment of Mr. W. J. Stacey, who is very highly recommended and holds the necessary qualification. Mr. Stacey's salary to be at the rate of $550 per annum.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The report was adopted as read.

FINANCE REPORT.

Dr. Caldwell submitted the report of the Finance committee, recommending payment of the following accounts:

Ormond & Walsh	$9 34
C B. Routley	5 70
Review Ptg. Co.	4 50
Dickson Co.	24 68
C S. McClelland	60
Bell Telephone Co.	10 00
Geo Hutchison	41 90
Examiner Ptg. Co.	4 30
R. Hicks & Co.	40 11
F. Mason	5 00

The report was adopted as read.

OUTSIDE PUPILS.

The Board decided to take no action with regard to an application for two children living outside the corporation to attend our schools without paying usual fee.

The Board intend to strictly adhere to their rules in this respect, excepting in very exceptional cases.

THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS.

Inspector Walker enquired if the children would be given a holiday on the Friday following Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. Langford moved, seconded by Dr. Burnham, that the schools be opened on Friday as usual.

Mr. W. G. Ferguson moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. L. M. Hayes, that the children be allowed a holiday on the Friday following Thanksgiving Day, as has been the custom other years.

The amendment was carried, and consequently the schools will be closed from Wednesday night till the following week.

KINDERGARTEN ASSISTANT.

Dr. Burnham moved, seconded by Mr. W. G. Ferguson, that the question of securing a second assistant Kindergarten teacher for the South Central school be referred to the Supervision committee.—Carried.

The Board then adjourned.

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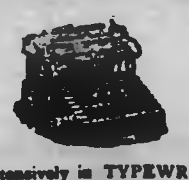

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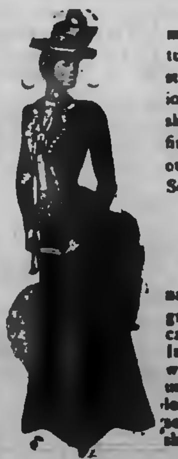

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WILL TRY TO CONTROL THE MEDITERRANEAN

France Building Immense Fortifications in the Vicinity of Tunis

The Struggle for the Control of the Mediterranean Believed to be Not Far off

Special to The Times.

London, Oct. 8—The recent sensational speeches of M. Camille Pelletan, French Minister of Marine have called attention to the remarkable work accomplished by France in establishing a fortress and naval base at Bizerta, Tunis, in the last few years.

Twenty years ago the existing harbor accommodated vessels of only the smallest size and gave them no protection against storms. The French have cut a canal through the sand between the sea and the lake of Bizerta and thereby supplied a new harbor.

The canal is wide enough and deep enough to accommodate the largest warships. The lake is nearly forty miles in circumference, and on it all the navies of the world could float in safety.

At the southern end of the lake a new city has been built since 1898. It has already 5,000 inhabitants and contains a naval yard capable of repairing battleships of the largest size.

A number of forts and fortifications have been built about Bizerta and its defences are being still improved. It is proposed to make it as nearly impregnable as possible.

Even in its present state it is thought that Bizerta would be a factor of the highest importance in the struggle for control of the western end of the Mediterranean.

SEA SPEED IS COSTLY

New Cunarders May Cost Over Four Million Apiece

London, Oct. 8.—Designs for the two new Cunarders which will be built on the Clyde have not been completed, but the tentative plans and designs have been inspected by the Admiralty officials and directors of the company.

The tonnage, length and engine power depend upon the speed which will be attempted, and until this is determined neither of these designs can be prepared nor tenders offered. The gain in speed since 1840 has been about two and one-half knots each decade, but every additional knot represents an enormous increase in the cost of construction and the consumption of coal.

Engineers estimate that the new steamers, if designed for a speed of twenty-four knots, will need to be 750 feet long and will cost about $4,375,000 each.

The fast German liners now afloat have averaged about $2,500,000 but the Kaiser Wilhelm, now under construction, will be still faster and will cost considerably more than $3,500,000.

If the designers are required to produce twenty-five knot ships they will be forced to increase the length of vessels and run up the cost above $4,500,000

NOT IMPRESSED WITH BOERS

Is Major Hamilton, of Woodstock, Just Back From Africa

Major James Hamilton, of Woodstock, who held the rank of quarter master with the 4th Canadian contingent passed through Peterborough yesterday, from South Africa.

"How did I like it?" said he to a Times man. "oh, I enjoyed it all immensely and wouldn't mind going back provided I had a good position out there, but after living in Canada, I don't think I'd want to go to South Africa to spend the rest of my days. There's no place on earth like Canada."

"Is the country being settled up again?" was asked.

"Oh, yes, the Boers are being sent back to their farms as fast as possible. They get passes from the government over the railways and ride back to their farms in railway carriages, and get so much money to start afresh with. The British soldiers are transported in trucks. But that is nothing when you consider the number of soldiers there are still in the country. It is a vast country, as big as Canada you know, and whereas there are so many soldiers you don't really see them. I was in a camp where there were 20,000 of them, but it didn't appear to me to be any more than 5,000 I was at another camp where we had 2,000 Canadians alone.

The Major visited all the notable battle fields in Natal. Everywhere are indications of the terrible struggles which were witnessed at these points between the British and the Boers.

"How were you impressed with the Boer as you found him?" queried the reporter.

"Well, he's exactly as he is described and pictured," replied the major. "rough, uncouth and dirty, and I don't think their women are much better."

"Then, the soldiers who staid behind and settled in the country, will hardly take Boer girls for wives?"

"I hardly think so," was the reply. "A great many British soldiers stayed behind are going into farming. We left about 200 Canadians behind, who are taking up land. The farms there are not like the ones here. There 5,000 acres is an ordinary sized farm. They don't till the land much. All they use it for is for grazing purposes.

"Then, you don't think the Transvaal is as good as Canada?"

"No, no," said the returned soldier, "as I said before there's no country which can equal Canada."

Major Hamilton spent four weeks in London, Eng., where he says he was treated royally, and saw everything there was to be seen. He was taken about by officers he had met in South Africa.

NEW AMERICAN INDUSTRIES

Mr. Culverwell Talks to the Toronto News About Peterborough

The Toronto News says:—Mr. J Alex Culverwell, of Peterborough, who is largely interested in water powers in the Peterborough and Campbellford district while in Toronto yesterday, said to the News:—"I am busily engaged at present negotiating with several large American manufacturers who are preparing to establish branches in Canada, that I may secure their location in Peterboro. We already have benefitted immensely in Peterboro by the emigration of branch American factories and hope to induce more to come to Canada. I am informed by American manufacturers I have met that they generally are making preparations to the end of either building Canadian branch works, or else losing their Canadian trade altogether, feeling that in course of time a higher tariff will eventually shut them out."

"I think that the farmer does not look far enough ahead when he argues for a lower tariff. I believe myself that the true solution of the tariff question is to enforce such a high tariff that the American manufacturer will of necessity have to make his goods here and of course by Canadian labor. Then we shall not have hurt competition, but rather have created a better competition, and then the farmer will even buy his manufactured goods in a cheaper market than now, and also by the building up of our country have a large market for his farm products. Then, too, our Canadian manufacturers will be satisfied with a fair competition by Canadian made goods, even though with American capital. He certainly has a right to kick at this country being at present made practically a slaughter market by American manufacturers.

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FOUR MURDERS IN THE YUKON

Peter Fournier Makes a Confession Implicating One Labelle

THREE SHOT AT ONE TIME

The Fourth was Shot Through the Head—All Were for the Purpose of Robbery

Special to The Times.

Dawson City, Y.T. September 29.—A full confession, complete in every detail has been made by Peter Fournier of the murders with which he is charged besides the killing of Constantin, Beaudoin and Bouthillette, on an island below Stewart, he has confessed killing another French Canadian of the name of Gilbert Dufor, or something quite similar, about thirty or forty miles above Circle Bay.

Yesterday afternoon at the police barracks in a private room were gathered Captain Routledge, Capt. Wroughton Sergeant Smith, Detective Welsh, Alexander I. MacFarlane, Fournier's counsel, and H. G. Blankman, police court stenographer, who took down the confession. These are substantially the words of Fournier:

"In June La Belle came to me and said:

"'Here Pete, there's no gambling on now and things are quiet. We'd better go up the river and see what we can do there."

"I agreed to that and we left on a steamer. We got to White Horse and La Belle secured a place to stop, and we remained there four or five days. While there La Belle said to me:

"'Pete there is nothing going on here. We'd better do business by going down the river with people we may get hold of."'

I understood what he meant by this. La Belle purchased a boat for $32.50 and a rifle for $8. I had a revolver and belt full of cartridges.

"We used to go to meet the trains and one day three men got off, and La Belle engaged two of them in conversation. The other one was attending to some other business at one side. La Belle told them we had a boat and suggested to go to Dawson with us. They paid us $5 each for the trip and each furnished his own grub, and we started down together. Nothing of consequence happened on the trip until we got to an island ten or fifteen miles below Stewart.

SCENE OF THE MURDER.

"About 10 o'clock at night we landed and made camp at the island. That night before going to bed La Belle said to me:

"We'll fix this thing in the morning,' and I agreed to it.

"The cook (Constantin) got up first in the morning and as he did so La Belle awoke. The cook went down to the

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river and as La Belle got up to follow him he threw a stick at me and woke me up. He took his rifle and followed the cook. Presently we heard a shot. Then La Belle came back and said:

"I shot at a rabbit, but missed it."

SHOOTING OF THREE MEN.

"Then the little fellow (Beaudoin) got up and went around the other side.

"The cook was shot from behind and fell on his face at the water's edge. We searched him and got two $100 bills, a $5 bill and a gold watch. We then threw his body in the river. Beaudoin fell face upwards. We searched him and got $25 Fastening the ropes on him we threw him in the river. We found $75 and a silver watch on Bouthillette and dragged him to the water and threw him in.

"We burned the tent and the clothing. We burned some of our own stuff which had blood on it. We burned a grip sack. We threw their trunk in the river."

Fournier then went on to tell that they came to Dawson that day. A few days after they went to Eagle, where they met a man named Gilbert Dufor, and La Belle prevailed upon him to go with them to Circle City. Forty miles above this place La Belle, according to Fournier, put a bullet through Dufor's head and then rifled his pockets, throwing the body into the water. When they got back to Dawson La Belle disappeared.

SALT TO RESTORE LIFE

Indiana Doctor Asserts Some Corpses Can be Re-Animated

Special to The Times.

Alexandria, Ind., Oct. 8.—Dr. C. W Littlefield asserts that he can restore the dead to life. He says that he has restored one boy who was undoubtedly dead, and that he has restored animals numberless times after rigor mortis had set in.

He declares that life is not necessarily dependent upon organic function. Where death has been due to causes which have not impaired tissue formation or torn down the structure of the vital organs life may be recalled.

"Volatile magnetism," says the physician, "is the power that can reanimate the dead body. In his experiment Dr. Littlefield uses a powder of which the basis is common salt.

HIGGINS SENTENCED

The Youth Who Killed Doherty Will Pay the Death Penalty on December 18th—Counsel's Latest Move

Special to The Times.

St. John, N.B. Oct. 8.—Before Judge Landry, in the Circuit Court, this morning, Lawyer Daniel Mullin, K.C., for Frank Higgins, the 16 year old murderer of William Doherty, argued four hours for a reservation of the famous case, and gave reasons why sentence should not be passed. A large crowd was in the Court room when the doors opened and quite a number of women were present. Hon. H. A. McKeown was absent but Attorney-General Pugsley, took his place. Mrs. Higgins, the prisoner's mother, and Mrs. Doherty, the murdered lads parents were present. Mr. Mullin said his first point was in reference to the selection of a jury from a second draft of citizens, the original panel being exhausted. He said this was a matter beyond the power of provincial authorities, and one for the Dominion authorities only. Then as a second point, a reverse case juryman, Pooley, was not challenged, and was sworn in regularly. Mr. Mullin's third objection was to part of His Honour's charge to the jury, which he claims was prejudicing. Fourthly, he objected to certain rebuttal evidence aiming as admissable.

Judge Landry sentenced Higgins to be hanged December 18.

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A GRAVE SITUATION IN THE BALKAN STATES

Russia is Suspected of Intrigue by all of the Western Powers

London Oct. 8.—The situation in the Balkans and the near East generally continues to give uneasiness to political circles in Europe. The rising in Macedonia has undoubtedly attained grave proportions and it is believed that the facts are being largely suppressed.

Russia, as usual in all Turkish-Balkan complications, is the chief object of suspicion of Western Europe, and a great variety of guesses respecting her designs are current. Special agents of the principal Powers have been sent to the disturbed region. The celebration of the anniversary of Shipka Pass, which was an imposing affair, did not develop any features tending to disclose the designs of the plotters.

NOW CAN POWDER MILK

A Novel Invention of a Gothenburg Physician

Berlin, Oct. 8—The Journal of the Society of Arts gives considerable space to a description of an apparatus invented by a Gothenburg physician, whereby milk can be reduced to a powder like flour without detriment to its nutritive qualities. The powder is said to be readily mixable in water, when it can be used the same as milk in its natural state. The principal advantage claimed is concentration and preservation without deterioration.

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THE PACIFIC CABLE

Canadian End of Line is Now Buoyed Only a Mile From Shore—Colonia Has Made a Record

Special to The Times.

Victoria, B.C., October 8.—The cable steamer Colonia, which sailed from Bamfield Creek, on the west coast of Vancouver Island, and terminus of the Pacific Cable, at 2.30 p.m., on September 18, arrived at Fanning Island yesterday at 11 o'clock and buoyed the end, one mile off shore. The total distance covered proved to be 3,455 miles, about 36 miles less than estimated. The Anglia will lay the remaining mile with the heavy shore end on arrival and complete the last section from Fanning Island to Suva It is understood the Colonia has established a record in cable laying, having made an average of 8 miles an hour and completed the entire journey in 17 days and 21 1-2 hours, several days less than expected. The news was received last evening from Messrs. Lucas and Peake to whom congratulatory messages were forwarded in turn by the C.P.R. officials the Mayor of Victoria, members of the Provincial Government and other prominent people. The Colonia will now proceed to lay the Manila-Hawaiian cable, for which she has contracted. It is understood that as soon as the work is completed a test of the east and west routes will be made, the same messages being sent both ways simultaneously to London.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

Special to The Times.

St. Thomas, Oct. 7.—The preliminary trial of William Charles King on the charge of deliberately shooting James William Freeman on September 9th, in his father's drive-house in Aldborough, began to-day at Rodney before Police Magistrate Glenn, of St. Thomas. Crown Attorney D. J. Donahue prosecuted, and W. J. McLaws was counsel for the defence. Provincial Detective John W. Murray was present and was one of the witnesses. Altogether thirteen witnesses were examined.

The evidence was substantially the same as that adduced at the inquest. All the principal witnesses corroborated their previous testimony as to King's confession of having committed the crime.

The only sensational development of the day was the testimony of John Wilson, farmer, called for the first time. According to his story, on the day of the murder witness suspected King of having committed the deed, and asked him why he did it. King knowing the witness was not on friendly terms with Mr. Freeman foster father of the murdered boy, confessed the crime, and said he would not have shot Willie Freeman if he had known the gun was loaded, and added that it was the old man (meaning Mr. Freeman) whom he had intended to shoot. Witness was positive on this point. He gave as his reason for not speaking of it before that he was afraid King would shoot him also while he was at large.

This witness was secured by an accidental occurrence. He was relating the above story to a Mr. Loveday on the streets of Rodney while the trial was in progress, and Dr. Dorland, the coroner, happened to overhear the remarks. Wilson was at once subpoenaed and brought into court, where he repeated the story under oath.

Owing to the absence of Dr. Duncombe and Dr. Lawrence, of St. Thomas, two of the post-mortem physicians, the trial was adjourned at 6 o'clock, p.m. in the court house at St. Thom- 7 p.m. in the court house at St. Thomas. The prisoner appeared sullen and ill at ease. During her testimony Mrs. Freeman broke down and wept bitterly.

"The five Boer Generals who discussed the terms of peace with Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner, refused to agree to the treaty unless they had some assurance of the safety of the Cape rebels," said Mr. Reitz. "They received a document, as part of the peace terms, which promised that the Cape rebels would suffer no penalty but the loss of their rights to vote, and in addition to this, Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner promised that at the coronation of King Edward they would do their utmost to obtain a general amnesty.

"Not only has Chamberlain repudiated the promise of General Kitchener, as the Blue Book of Sept. 3 shows, but they are arresting the Cape rebels now on trumped-up charges of horse stealing and are punishing them without regard for the fact that the offences were committed in time of war and on the field of battle."

The brutalizing influence on the public of lynching and burning negroes in the Southern states is discernible in the increasing interest taken in the dreadful spectacles and the deliberation of the preparations made to afford the public an opportunity to view them. In the case of a negro who was burned the other day in a Mississippi town, the mob held him from Saturday till Monday in order that an opportunity might be afforded to run excursions by train from the surrounding towns and the hour of the burning was advertised as if it were an attractive performance. When the fire was lighted by relatives of the negro's victim and the poor wretch began to scream the crowd cheered. Thousands viewed the sight with approval and savage satisfaction.

Montreal, Oct. 8.—Mr. Louis Becke, the celebrated author of stories of the Southern Seas, and the friend and companion of the late Robert Louis Stevenson, is in Montreal on his way back to Ireland from a two months' visit to Jamaica. He said; "I discussed the annexation question with several leading business men of Jamaica, and found that there was no sentiment in favor of the annexation of the island to the United States, except among a few shopkeepers who do not belong to any nationality in particular. There was a meeting called a few evenings ago to discuss the question and less than a dozen turned up to take part. The business men readily agree that it would be to their advantage commercially to join the United States, but the sentiment of the people is British. The British people on the island would never consent to annexation. And even if they did, the negro population would fight rather than become part of the United States. The Jamaican negro is a very different man from the negro of the South. I have always found the Jamaican negro a civil, amenable fellow, but he objects to being hustled, and will get his back up very quickly if anybody tries it. He considers himself the equal of the white man, and would bitterly object to the discrimination which exists against the blacks in the Southern States." Mr. Becke believes that if it were geographically possible, annexation to Canada would be the best thing for Jamaica. At the present time the people have much to complain of in their treatment by the Colonial Office. They are racked with taxes and have many over-paid and useless officers foisted on them. For instance, the Governor has $35,000 a year, and is not there six months in the year. The natives will stand it all, however, rather than submit to the white man's dictation, as their brethren do in the Southern States."

As an example of the cruelties of the blacks on the subject, Mr. Becke tells how they crowd the tramway with their market baskets, and if a white woman tries to get them out of the way, the colored women protest vigorously, and assert that they are just as good as the whites, anyhow.

London, Oct. 8.—A clergyman of the name of Brown, challenged the Rev. J. H. Smyth Pigott, who says he is the Messiah to a public debate.

Douglas Hamilton, Piggot's secretary replied that if outsiders wished to reach the Messiah they must do so in an attitude of supplication. Anything addressed to Mr. Piggot would be disregarded. He had ceased to exist. A request addressed to the Messiah would be attended to.

Mr. Hamilton added that he was not the secretary of Pigot, but was as John the beloved disciple, to Jesus Christ.

Wedding at St. Johns

On Tuesday evening a quiet and pretty wedding was solemnized in St. John's church by Rev. J. C. Davidson. The contracting parties were Miss Clara L. Clark, daughter of Mr. Neal A. Clark, town, and Rev. Frank Walker, until recently assistant rector of St. Ann's church, Toronto.

The bride wore a simple travelling costume and was attended by Miss Lena Bouchier, of town, whilst the groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Harry Walker.

At the conclusion of the ceremony wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's father, No. 567 Water street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker left on the 6 a.m. C.P.R. train for their future home in Deloraine, Man., where Mr. Walker has been appointed Rector of that parish. Their many friends in town wish them continued happiness and prosperity.

MINERS UNANIMOUS AGAINST SURRENDER

The Replies to Roosevelt's Offer Promise a Protracted Struggle

Awaiting the Actions of the Local Unions, Mitchell will not Answer Roosevelt Until He Hears from Them

Wilkesbarre, Oct. 8.—The following official statement was issued from headquarters this afternoon:—

"At 12.30 noon fifty telegrams had been received from as many mass meetings in various sections of the anthracite coal regions, conveying the information that by unanimous vote of the men on strike, all of whom attended such meetings, it was resolved that the presence of the entire United States army in the anthracite coal regions would not induce the men to return to work until the demands of the Shamokin Convention had been conceded, the strike declared off by a delegate convention of mine workers, or by the district and national officers."

Similar telegrams are constantly being received, and it is expected that every mining town will be heard from by 6 o'clock to-night.

"Thus far the returns emphasize and substantiate the declarations of the officials of the Miners' Union to-day at Washington, that the strikers are not deterred from going to work through fear of bodily harm.

"At 7 o'clock to-night all telegrams will be submitted to the representatives of the press for their examination.

(Signed) "JOHN MITCHELL."

President's Appeal to Mr. John Mitchell

On Monday, October, 6th, Hon. Carroll D. Wright, Commissioner of Labor, went to Philadelphia, and gave to Mr. John Mitchell the following from the President:—"'If Mr. Mitchell will secure the immediate return to work of the miners in the anthracite regions the President will at once appoint a commission to investigate thoroughly into all the matters at issue between the operators and miners, and will do all within his power to obtain a settlement of these questions in accordance with the report of the commission." Mr Mitchell has taken this matter under consideration, but the President has not yet been advised of any decision.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 8.—National President Mitchell of the Miners' Union and the three anthracite district presidents returned to this city from Buffalo to-day. Mr. Mitchell had nothing to say regarding yesterday's trip and also declined to discuss President Roosevelt's proposition for ending the strike. He will not even indicate when he will answer the President, but it is not probable that he will do so until after he has received the reports of all the local unions, which will meet to-day in accordance with his instructions and take action upon the question of whether their members desire to remain on strike.

Several of the locals met yesterday and last night. All of them voted to stay out and it is predicted that when the complete returns are in it will be found that the vote to continue the strike will be nearly unanimous.

Under instructions from Mr. Mitchell the result of the meetings which are called for 2 o'clock this afternoon must be telegraphed to headquarters immediately after the adjournment of the gatherings.

When Mr. Mitchell was asked to-day if he thought any men would return to work after the entire National Guards of the State had been placed on duty in the coal belt, he said:

"The best answer to that question will be the action of the local unions to-day."

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Wilkesbarre, Oct. 8.—The mail matter received at strike headquarters is increasing as the thermometer goes down. Probably the largest mail since the strike began was received to-day. Scores of letters are from eccentric persons, giving advice as to what to do. Many more are received from persons who want the strike ended so that they can get coal. One postal card reached headquarters from Canada. On it was written: "Please take the advice in third chapter, 14th verse St. Luke's Gospel, and let us have some coal."

The verse referred to is: "And the soldiers likewise demanded of him, saying, 'And what shall we do?' And he said unto them, Do violence to no man, neither accuse any falsely; and be content with your wages."

Tamaqua, Pa., Oct. 8.—The Second Regiment State National Guard arrived here this morning from Philadelphia and encamped. The Sixth Regiment from Chester and vicinity will arrive this afternoon. No threats are made against the Guardsmen, and little trouble is anticipated. In general the feeling is one of apathy. Business is at a standstill and while a majority of the citizens would like to see the miners win, they want the struggle ended.

Reports from this region indicate that the operators made a slight gain in their working force to-day. The two trolley cars which convey the men to the different collieries were well filled, while many walked to work. Despite this, there was no demonstration of any kind. The few strikers who had congregated on the streets of Lansford and Summit Hill watched the men with indifference.

It is claimed that more coal was dumped from the No. 4 mine of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company yesterday than at any time since the strike began. A train of coal was shipped from the Potts colliery, near Ashland, during the night. The train contained about 400 tons, and represents two days' work. This is the largest shipment from this colliery for a similar period of time since the beginning of the strike. The operators of Greenwood colliery claim to have a large number of certificated miners at work but they will not say whether they have started to cut coal.

London, Oct. 8.—British sympathy for the American coal strikers was evidenced Monday when the Miners' Federation of Great Britain voted $5,000 for their relief. Resolutions were passed urging the [illegible] and district associations to send further financial assistance.

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THE COAL STRIKE

The wage-earners and the consumers have been placed at the mercy of the coal-owners. The question is "Who committed this crime?" The answer is—the electors themselves.

It reminds one of the attempt of the proverbial child to dry the ocean, by dipping it out with a tea-cup. When will the people who are bled from one year's end to the other ever learn that their own interests are, or ought to be, dearer to them than the revenues of capitalists and politicians.

The Scripture hath it that it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle &c. A revised version would add, 'that it is easier for an honest man to get into Heaven than into parliament." Pessimists says that the people like being robbed. It looks like it.

CANADA'S GREAT NEED

One or two Canadian newspapers are never satisfied unless they are doing some injury to their country or some of its leading men. This applies particularly to the Canadian Pacific Railway, which has recently fallen under the displeasure of the Toronto Telegram. That paper says:

President Shaughnessy talks as if the company had no obligation to Canadian ports beyond those which may be purchased by a government subsidy. If the C. P. R. establishes an Atlantic steamship line, independent of the government it is suggested that the company will then be under no restraint in the matter of terminals and ports of call.

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy's declaration to the shareholders is either a threat designed to secure the fast Atlantic contract or it is a repudiation of claims which Canada might reasonably assert. No railway corporation in existence has fed as gluttonously at a government treasury as the Canadian Pacific Railway. For many government favors it has appealed on patriotic grounds. The value of the C. P. R.'s patriotism is shown in President Shaughnessy's hint that the company knows no obligations to Canada save those which are stated in parchment for value received.

The greatest need of the country at the present time is a fast line of Atlantic steamers. The Canadian Pacific Company ignores the subsidy, and, as a contemporary puts it has the advantage of giving business men the opportunity of fixing the port, uninfluenced and untrammeled by the political pull of Montreal, Quebec, or any other place. It is impossible to say where the government would be compelled to make the port, as it would be harassed by this political influence and that; but the Canadian Pacific people may be depended upon to fix the port where it will be the best for the business of the country.

And being business men and not caterers to this or that class of voters, the Canadian Pacific people may be depended upon to build vessels of the proper class to command the trade they are intended for.

We think that when the C. P. R. company sets about creating a line of steamers, with its own money, it should be entitled to make all minor arrangements to suit itself, even of it did not—in this case it does—relieve the government of a job it is very likely to make a mess of.

PRACTICAL CHARITY

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—I see by the Ottawa papers that Mr. J. R. Booth, the leading lumberman of that city, has not only refused to sell his millwood to speculators but has decided to turn in a large amount of tamarac that he has for his mills, to the people of the city at cost price.

In Peterborough we have the Dickson Company and Mr. Alex Macdonald, who are engaged in the lumbering business, and who have large quantities of wood I would suggest that the Mayor and Council wait on them and endeavor to secure the wood at a reasonable price, and try and secure a promise that it won't be sold to speculators. I am sure both companies have the interests of the people at heart and would not only be willing but anxious to do everything possible to relieve the suffering which is sure to come if this strike continues.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your valuable space, I am &c.,

CIVIS.

ALPINE'S SUCCESS ASSURED

Stockholders are Jubilant—Machinery Installed Will Hasten Development Work and Place Mine Rapidly on a Dividend Paying Basis—Price of Stock to Be Advanced

Recent developments in the Consolidated Alpine, an Evansville, Indiana, mining enterprise, and the success that has attended its operation, has attracted the attention of the mining and financial world to the Evansville men at its head. Some idea of what has been accomplished by these enterprising citizens of the Hoosier city can be gained when we stop to remember that in February 1902, when they took hold of the Alpine property, all was a barren waste. Fire had destroyed the ancient shaft house, and the antiquated machinery had by a natural process of decay almost ceased to be of use to anybody. The shaft had filled with water, the timbers rotted away, and as a consequence tons of rock had caved into its levels.

Two daring men with more nerve than capital had undertaken to unwater it and clear up the debris that had accumulated after years of idleness. They succeeded in so far as to show the wonderful possibilities of the property, and to be able to demonstrate that with sufficient capital it could be made one of the remarkable producers of the district. The vein which ran clear through the claims was a monster in size, and was mineralized clear across its entire width, and on the hanging wall of the vein there was a streak of very valuable smelting ore that would assay very high. There was gold and silver, but rock was around it, and it would take money to get it out; but once sufficiently opened to get the production started it would carry itself on and pay large profits besides.

With these facts in mind, prominent Evansville men took hold of the property and by their own personal following and push, have carried the mine to that point when it is considered one of the finest propositions in the famous Lamartine district. The Idaho Springs Siftings in speaking of the mine has this to say editorially:

ALPINE GETTING IN RICH ORE.

In the Scene of Substantial Activity As a Prosperous Proposition.

The character of work accomplished thus far on the properties of the Alpine Consolidated indicates the solid substantial nature of the company and is the best evidence of its intention to apply capital. When a proposition takes on these features the outside world need not hesitate to invest. The dangerous investments are those that employ the cash in paying salaries and put little into the work of development. Where the people who own the property, as the Alpine people do, are willing to invest their own capital in the proposition it inspires others with confidence to place an investment.

Secretary Gilbert, of the company, has been out from Evansville, Ind., for the past week and has invested conditions thoroughly. He is greatly pleased with the prospects before the proposition and especially pleased with the wonderful showing being made in the ore bodies.

The erection of an ore house has just been completed and in connection with this substantial improvement an addition has been built to the shaft house. The capacity of the boilers has been doubled and everything to make it modern in every sense and at the same time economical is being followed. The addition of air compressors and drills will be the next move in the direction of progress and then the Alpine will have one of the finest plants in the district. Work in the lower levels is progressing in good shape and the formations indicate exceptional ore bodies for which the Lamartine section is famous.

Since this has appeared in Siftings the air compressor has been bought and is now installed. It is a 40 h. p. double steam actuated Norwalk pattern, of the very latest design. In addition to this two water Leyner rock drills and an additional 50 h. p. boiler have been purchased, involving an expenditure of considerable money.

With this added equipment the plant is as fine as any in the Rocky mountains, and the development work can be rapidly pushed. Instead of driving 25 or 40 feet per month as has been done by hand, they will be able to break in the neighborhood of 150 feet of ground in the same space of time. As a consequence the ore will be opened up and blocked out for removal in a very rapid and systematic manner.

When the Indiana men first took hold of the Alpine, the installation of this machinery was seriously considered, but it was thought best to "creep before you walk," and to drive away by hand until enough of the underground territory had been uncovered to prove the absolute existence of the ore bodies. This has been done, and as a consequence, the management has installed an additional boiler, air compressor and water Leyner drills.

Last June the price of Alpine stock was advanced to 25c. a share, and the company stopped selling stock. Another advance in price is contemplated and the advance is strictly upon the merits of the property alone. The increased development, additional machinery, and fine showing underground, has caused the company to decide to advance the price of stock in the very near future. In the meantime only enough stock will be sold at 25c. to replace the money spent for the new machinery.

The fortunate ones who buy stock now before the next advance, will realize from 40 to 50 per cent. profit upon the increased value of the stock. A few years back stock in the famous Lamartine mine, which adjoins the Alpine, could have been bought for a song, today this stock is not on the market and cannot be bought for love nor money.

The Lamartine at the same depth as the Alpine, did not have as good a showing. Today it has over $12,000,000 worth of ore blocked out and in sight, and could keep up a production of one million dollars a year for twelve years and not open up a foot of new territory. A syndicate of English capitalists recently offered $30,000,000 for the property and were refused, yet ten years ago Lamartine stock could have been bought for what Alpine is selling today.

The close proximity of the two mines, just three-fourths of a mile apart, enables many of the miners to go back and forth between the Lamartine and its younger sister, the Alpine; as a consequence, many of the men working in the Alpine have worked in the Lamartine. The foreman of the night shift in the Alpine was for years a miner in the Lamartine. He says the Alpine is as great a mine as the Lamartaine, and to back up his assertion, is buying Alpine stock and has his wages tied up for over four months in buying the same. In fact almost every man working in the hole bought stock, even the Chinese cook at the boarding house, has acted upon the judgment of these practical miners, and is buying stock.

With these facts in mind the company feels justified in advancing the price of stock in the very near future.

—One hundred and thirty-three children arrived at the Barnardo Home here yesterday from England. The party sailed from Liverpool by the Dominion Line Steamship Colonian and had a good voyage. Landing at Portland they were conveyed west by special G.T.R. train, and while the girls of the party were left at the Home here, the boys were taken on to Toronto. They are all bright, intelligent looking children, and their ages range from six to fourteen years.

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SWORN STATEMENT

On June 15th, 1901, a client of the firm deposited with me at my suggestion, one hundred dollars to be invested in Corn for September delivery. I purchased for his account 5,000 bushels at 43 1/2 cents per bushel, with a margin of 2 cents. I sold his holdings at 47c., giving a profit of $275 00; I purchased again at 47 1/2 cents per bushel, 10,000 bushels on a 2c. margin; resold at 50c; I continued to buy and sell on this account, watching the market closely, until the middle of August, when my client instructed me to close the account and submit the amount to his credit; this I did, his account showed a balance due him of $5 850.00, as his investment of $100.00 for two months

CHARLES H. BROOKS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this fifth day of December, 1901.
(Seal) GUILLEMINE E. TREDWAY, Notary Public.
My commission expires April 5th, 1903.

SWORN AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
City of St. Louis } ss.

Under oath as to its truthfulness, I make the following statement. March 25th, 1902, I deposited $25 to be invested in Corn, leaving the handling of my investment to the judgment of the Commission Company. On April 12th I was advised that my account was worth $50.00; on the same day I was advised that they had bought for me 2,500 bushels of Corn for July delivery at 61 3/8 cents; on April 16th, they sold and bought for my account, increasing my earnings to $131.75; again they bought for me, selling on April 23rd; my account now showing a net profit of $303.10 in 28 days, on an investment of $25.00 R ROY BRYAN, Deer, Mo.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of April, A.D. 1902.
(Seal) JANE N. WHITELAW, Notary Public.
My term expires February 12th, 1903.

Office of the Chief Inspector of Grain
for the State of Missouri. St. Louis, Sept. 12th, 1902
H. G. Dennis, President, St. Louis, Mo.

Dear Sir,—Any time you want any recommendations from me as to what I think of your plan of campaign in the corn market, you can have it, for I have not, in many years I have been trading in future corn, met with such success as you have achieved for me in the handling of my account. As you know, I am such a busy man that I cannot give any personal attention to these matters, and while I know that you had made some of my friends enormous profits in the July corn deal that you handled with such remarkable success, as everybody knows, I really made my little investment of $25 with you more for a flyer for cigar money than anything else, and when I think that in addition to the cheque for $137 50 sent me on August 23rd as result of first investment, cheque for $40 75 which you handed me on August 29th as result of second investment, and look at the market to-day, and see nearly $200 profit in the third investment, I am simply pleased beyond measure.

I also want to thank you for the purchase that you made for my two friends yesterday who, at my suggestion, left it entirely to your hands, as I see they have a nice profit in their trades to-day.

If you think well of it, take on some December corn for me, as I notice you are now advising to buy December corn. Very respectfully yours,

Joe P. Rice, R.R. & W. H Com.

Martin, Goodwin & Watson, cash dealers in
General Merchandise and Plantation Supplies
Warren, Ark., August 27th, 1902
H. C. Dennis, President.

Gentlemen,—Received your check for $96.58, for which accept my most hearty thanks. I endorse your actions and your manipulations. Use the remaining $25.00 as you think best. Thanking you for your kindness in this matter, I am, very respectfully, A O. Wallis.

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H. C. Dennis, President.

Gentlemen,—Hope that you will pardon us for not complimenting you in a reasonable time for the handsome profits you made for us in so short a time. What is your opinion as to December corn at this time? Please state your views of the market; we may take another dip. Yours respectfully, Broadwater Bros.

The Wabash Railroad Company.
Passenger Department. St. Louis, Mo, Sept. 11th, 1902
Major Hugh C. Dennis, St. Louis; Mo.

Dear Sir:—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 10th inst., enclosing therewith your check No. 457 on the Third National Bank for $218.40.

This certainly shows most gratifying results of the small investment of $25, which I placed in your hands to handle, as your best judgment would dictate, on August 13th, less than a month ago, and assure you that I appreciate same highly.

As you know, I was first attracted to your company from the fact that I had come in contact with a number of friends whose investments handled by you had proven highly satisfactory and profitable. It will afford me great pleasure to recommend your Company, and also their plan of trading, to my friends, at all times, for certainly where such results as above can be obtained from such a small investment, the inducement offered speculators and investors is far out of the ordinary. Again thanking you,

I remain, very truly yours, W. W. Wood, Trav. Pass. Agent.

J. J. Underwood,
Dealer in Drugs and Druggists' Sundries, Oils, Paints,
Varnishes, Brushes, Toilet Articles, etc.
Wall Paper and School Supplies.
Sharpsburg, Iowa, Sept. 5, 1902.
H. C. Dennis, President.

Gentlemen:—Yours of the 4th inst., at hand and noted; you cannot understand by this letter my appreciation of your services. If I had ten thousand dollars to invest I would put it in your hands for investment, as I firmly believe that you will make it win if any Commission Company can; you can invest my deposit according to your judgment, adhering to a former letter I wrote you regarding profits. Hoping you are successful in the next investment, and awaiting your commands, I am,

Very respectfully, J. J. Underwood.

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STOCK MARKETS

Some Remarks About Col. F. & I.

New York, Oct. 8—Straws show how the wind blows. A market such as we are now passing through oftimes exposes the inside operations of a clique in some particular share in such manner as would indicate what is ahead of a stock issue, and when it does is it not a good idea to take advantage of the suggestion. It is plainly evident the past few days that some one is busily "engaged in securing a large line of Col. F. & I.; they are taking advantage of the depressed market to pick up a large quantity of the shares." We will endeavor to make this plain to you. In the first place, before the recent set back in values, C. F. I. fell to below 71 when most of the list, with the possible exception of St. Paul and Pressed Steel, were materially higher than they are at present. Yet within the past ten days C. F. I. barely touched 78 with depressed markets most of the time, and within that period actually sold above 86. In the market of the past 10 days C. F. I. if it had been given its natural market course, should have actually sold well below 70. No stock is more scrutinized in times of close money by money lenders than C. F. I. It has been a period of close money; no stock is more of a fright to the public when in their possession with unpleasant markets raging than C. F. I. We have just gone through a period of unpleasant markets, yet this stock is acting as it does. Who is buying it? Some one is doing so, and liberally, too.

From present market indications outlined briefly above we will hazard the opinion that this stock will again shortly sell above 100, and advise its purchase. We however advise buying only with liberal margins behind the purchase. If you can buy such a stock within five or six points of the bottom price recorded, then shortly afterwards succeed in selling it at from 15 to 20 points above your purchase price, you have made a judicious and profitable stock deal. It looks as if such an opportunity were presenting itself. The reasons for the present action of the insiders are at present cloaked in mystery, yet their market action clearly presages that something beneficial is on foot. Logical and studious examination of the market movement of a stock oftimes shows what the speculator should do in its shares, though it does not at the time reveal the reasons.

Summary—Practically seven days' decline in the share market, with many stocks down from 10 to 20 points through the list, should greatly benefit the financial situation. Syndicate payments or preparation therefore undoubtedly aided in creating the money stringency; settlement of these matters will soon be made, and $5,000,000 in gold from Europe and Australia will be at the market's disposal in a day or two. The market should soon commence to reflect these facts by improvement. The market opened at an advance, and though erratic kept well above the above figures, some stocks, notably Union Pacific, selling above yesterday's best prices. The buying of the last few days far exceeded in quality the calibre and quality of the selling. We would not be surprised to see the bear forces shortly treated to a disastrous route. They are getting considerable company. Money closed at 7 per cent; sales 610,400.

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ED. McCARTHY & COMPANY, Bankers, Responsibility, $100,000
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This bank will receive subscriptions for the stock of the Pitkin Gold Belt Mining and Reduction Company and hold the funds in trust, subject to terms of guarantee, which are as follows:

"Subscriptions to the stock of the Pitkin Gold Belt Mining and Reduction Company sent to or deposited with Ed. McCarthy & Co., Galveston, are to be held in trust for subscribers until the Company cuts an ore shoot of smelting grade (2 oz. to 6 oz., or $40.00 to $120.00 per ton) and makes shipments. Upon the Company furnishing a certificate executed by competent parties that a tunnel has cut an ore shoot and shipments made of smelting ore, the bank will transfer all funds to the Pitkin Gold Belt Mining and Reduction Company, and certificates of stock will be issued to subscribers upon presentation of receipt issued by this bank. Should the Company fail to accomplish this within three months' time all funds so held in trust will be returned to subscribers upon presentation of receipt issued by this bank."

The Board of Directors of the Pitkin Gold Belt Mining and Reduction Company are well known to us to be reliable and responsible, and we can recommend the Company as worthy of confidence.

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The proceeds are to be placed in a trust fund, so, when guarantee is complied with and shipments of ore begins, fund will be on hand for the immediate erection of mills and boarding houses, buying horses and wagons for hauling ore to the railroad, and make this not a small mine, but a great one. Order at once, as the right is reserved to advance this stock without notice and to return any subscriptions.

INVESTIGATE AT OUR EXPENSE

Any person or association of persons in any town or community desiring to buy as much or more than $600 worth of Pitkin Gold Belt mining and reduction Company's stock may deposit such money in their local bank, to be held by such bank pending a trip by one of their number to visit Pitkin, Colo., to personally inspect the gold belt and investigate the Pitkin Gold Belt Mining and Reduction Company and its property, and upon this Company being notified by such bank of such deposit, will forward to the person selected free transportation to Pitkin, Colo., and return. If, upon thorough investigation, the representations made by us are found to be true, such investment is to be made; otherwise, all money is to be returned by such bank to the parties depositing same.

For further particulars, prospectus, etc., address

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PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 9, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Peterborough Cheese Board

The regular fortnightly meeting of the Peterborough Cheese Board was held yesterday morning. The highest price paid was 10 15-16 cents There were 5,816 boxes boarded.

May Change Owners

The Times is informed that the Auburn Power Company may change owners. It is understood that parties have been negotiating for the property, with a view to the amalgamation of interests in the matter of light.

Harnessing No. 5 Dam

The Lakefield Cement Company has a large force of men at work at No. 5 dam, where a substantial power plant will be installed. The full power of the dam will be brought under control and used, at the Lakefield works, the capacity of which is being doubled.

Shantymen Scarce

"It will take several hundred additional men to meet the demand for the shanties," said a lumberman's agent to The Times yesterday. During the past three months over 1,000 men have been hired in Peterborough and shipped to the various lumber camps in this district, and north shore. It is expected that returning harvesters from the northwest will relieve the stringency somewhat. Wages now run from $26 to $30 per month.

About Big Fish

Tuesday's Toronto Star gave a further description of the small mouthed bass caught in Rice Lake in August by Mr. Arthur S. Laing, of Galt, son of Mr. Robert Laing, of town. The fish weighed 5 pounds, 12 ounces. This was not as large a fish as was caught later by a guest of the Rice Lake House, a tracing of which was shown in The Times' window. The later was also of the small mouth variety, and weighed six pounds, two ounces and measured 24 inches in length.

WILL GO TO LAKEFIELD

Mr. "Rolly" Johnston Has Bought Out Madill Bros' Store

The many friends of Mr. Roland Johnston, so long and favorably known in connection with Messrs. Richard Hall & Sons' dry goods establishment here, will regret to learn that he is about to remove from Peterborough. Mr. Johnston has purchased the old established business of Madill Bros., Lakefield, and will take possession on November 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnston will be greatly missed in social circles, where they were exceedingly popular. They will carry with them to their new home nothing but the hearty good wishes of their many friends in Peterborough.

A Fine Performance

Guy Brothers Minstrels proved last night, in the Opera House, that they are still great favorites in Peterborough, and the large audience present gave them what they deserved, a hearty reception. The performance was the best the boys have given for some time. The singing was excellent and the orchestra grand. The opening act was a pretty picture entitled "The Huntsmen's Rest," the best minstrel opening seen here for years. The second part was composed of several excellent specialties, among the best being the "Panama Trio," impersonations by Victor Lewis, illustrated by Schaffer and Guy, and dissolving pictures, which pleased immensely. The musical act by the old favorite comedians, George Guy and Albert Guy, was the hit of the evening. The show closed with the moving pictures, and every one went home saying "the Guy Brothers are all right."

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Telephone girls never invite you to call again.

—The steel portion of the lift lock is arriving.

—Thursday of next week will be Thanksgiving Day.

—The rifle matches of the 57th Regt. will be held on Thanksgiving Day.

—The County Council will meet on Nov. 19, in special session, to fix up some maturing debentures.

—This great family journal woke with a start last night. It thought it heard burglars in the office coal bin.

—Champion Court Queen, No. 278, I.O.F., are holding a concert and social in their hall, George street, over Dutton's store, this evening.

—The Mark street Methodist church Ashburnham, will hold Thanksgiving services on Sunday, Oct. 12th. Revs. J. P. Wilson, B.A., and J. A. Wilson, B.A., will preach morning and evening.

—Messrs. J. J Turner & Sons invite the people of Peterborough to their new premises this morning to view the largest new hospital tent that they are about to ship to Cleveland, Ohio.

THE STRICKEN PARK FAMILY

Subscriptions Received by the Times Yesterday

The particulars of the awful death of three little children in the northern part of our county, belonging to Mr. Joseph Parks, and the appeal for aid by The Times, has some generous subscriptions. The following sums have been sent to The Times, and have been forwarded to Mr. T. G. Eastland, Warden of the County, Apsley:

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THE CONTRACT COMPLETED

Corry & Laverdure Have Finished Their Work at Lift Lock

Yesterday saw the last "spike" in the work in connection with Corry & Laverdure's contract at the lift lock, driven. The occasion was marked by the presence of both contractors, and the decoration of the stupendous pile of concrete with flags. Photographs were taken by Mr. R. M. Roy, from different points, with the contractors and foremen in the foreground.

The Dominion Bridge Company, of Montreal, are now in possession of the lock, and expect to complete their contract by spring.

SYNDICATE AFTER HOTELS

English Gentleman Representing British Hotel Syndicate Here

Mr. Lee La Grobe Bateman, of London, Eng., was in Peterborough for a few hours on his way to Toronto and other western cities. Mr. Bateman states that he is in Ontario representing English capitalists, whose object is to own hotels in most of the prominent cities of the country. He claims to have options on hotels in Hamilton, Berlin, Kingston, Chatham, Windsor, Brantford and Woodstock. Mr. Bateman was here last spring and about the same time the report was printed in the newspapers that an English syndicate had practically purchased hotels in several of the cities named. Since then nothing has until now been publicly heard of the matter.

WEDDING BELLS

Miss Lottie Victoria Kindred and Mr. A. F. Saunders of Toronto are Wedded

Another of those happy events so frequently recorded in our columns took place last evening, at 60 Hunter street, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Kindred, when their fifth daughter, Miss Lottie Victoria, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. A. F. Saunders, Toronto.

The bride, who was most becomingly attired in cream brocaded silk pardegon, trimmed with applique, chiffon and cream silk and wore the customary veil, was given away by her father, and entered the drawing room to the strains of the wedding march effectively rendered by her cousin, Miss Lizzie Kindred.

Miss Jennie Kindred, sister of the bride, gracefully robed in a dainty costume of pale blue cashmere with trimmings of white applique and chiffon, performed the duties of bridesmaid, while Mr. Herb. Sanders, of Toronto, ably supported the groom.

The solemn and impressive marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. C. L. Thompson, pastor of Mark street Methodist church, Ashburnham, in the presence of over one hundred guests. After the congratulations of their many friends the bridal party proceeded to the dining room where a most elaborate wedding breakfast was served, the tables being most artistically decorated with ferns and flowers.

The esteem in which the bride is held by her many friends in town is shown by the number of valuable and useful presents she was the recipient of. It is seldom a bride is so generously remembered and it is a source of much regret to lose one who was so kindly helpful in every branch of church work. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome pearl crescent and to the bridesmaid a gold stick pin, set with pearls. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders left on the midnight train for their home in Toronto, followed by the good wishes of all.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by 'phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. Wm. Anderson, M.P.P., was in town yesterday, and gave The Times a call.

—Mr. T. Benson, banker, was down from Lakefield yesterday, and dropped in to renew his subscription to The Times.

—Mrs. T. Dawson, Bonaccord street, was called to Toronto to see her brother who, it is feared, has been fatally injured by a fall from a scaffold.

—Mr. Robt. Shaw, of Harvey, a member of the County Council, was in town yesterday, and dropped in to The Times where he handed over $5 for the Parks' family fund.

TRUE FOOD

Always Cures Dyspepsia

Wrong food brings penalties.

A lady in Lone Tree, Okla., found this out. After suffering for years with dyspepsia, she says:—

"Many times I could not eat anything sometimes I drank a little hot milk, at other times the lightest food distressed me so that death would have been gladly welcomed as a relief. I was weak and listless and unable to work for want of strength.

Two years ago a dear friend earnestly recommended me to try Grape-Nuts as she had found it a most valuable food. I commenced to use it immediately, and the benefit I received in an incredibly short time was almost marvelous.

Words cannot express the joy and thankfulness I felt when I found I was relieved of that dreadful distress from indigestion that I had been experiencing after each meal.

After continued use, health and strength returned. I began to enjoy life and go among my friends again so much improved that remarks were made about my good health. I sleep well now, sit all day with perfect ease and comfort and sew and work as I like. I wish I could induce every sufferer from dyspepsia to use Grape-Nuts." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

A ROUSING SEND-OFF

Mr. Frank Packenham is Honored on the Eve of His Departure

Mr. Frank Packenham was entertained to a farewell supper on Tuesday evening at Mr. Harry Long's handsome new palm parlours, by the the representatives of the various departments of the Canadian General Electric Company. As our readers already know, Mr. Packenham has been transferred to the Montreal office of the Company, and will assume his new duties next week.

For the past seven years he has been on the office staff of the Canadian General Electric Company, and judging from the enthusiastic send off he was given on Tuesday night, he must have been a popular and much respected associate amongst the employees of the works.

The beautiful parlours was handsomely decorated, and the tables neatly arranged. A piano was stationed in the wing, at which Mr. (W. H. Fall ably presided.

Mr. R. E. Layfield, the popular accountant of the works, occupied the chair, while amongst those present were Messrs. F. Skitch, C. Wilhelmy, B. Watts, W. Lloyd, J. Wilson, C. McFarlane, W. Byers, F. Millard, W. Belcher, O. B. Robertson, G. McCrae, W. S. Robinson, A. Methral, E. E. Lord, C. Huffman, W. H. Smith, F. A. Shannon, J. B. Cunnanon, A. W. Paterson, T. Drew, E. Desautel, T. W. Wilson, A. F. Bookout, R. E. Harding, R. H. Shepherd, W. A. Brundrett, F. Post, H. Burnham, J. Hyde, R. S. Seanns, R. —. Carson, A. Goodwin, W. Hodgson, W. O'Neil, M. Breckenridge, G. Tovey, jr., R. O'Connor, R. Cottrell and W. Grady.

After the usual patriotic toasts had been honored, the Chairman, in a felicitous and happy speech, proposed "Our Guests," which was honored with enthusiasm.

Mr Packenham replied in words suitable for the occasion, and amid much applause

Other speeches and toasts followed, in which the sterling qualities of the guest of the evening were frequently referred to, after which the the affair terminated with "God Save the King."

The Times joins most heartily Mr. Packenham's many friends in wishing him a prosperous future.

THE RIFLE MATCHES

The Shooting at the Rifle Ranges on Tuesday

The annual shoot of the Peterborough members of the Dominion Rifle Association took place on Tuesday at the Curtis Ranges. A large number turned out and the competition at all stages was keen, although owing to the absence of the tyros the matches arranged for this class were not shot off. W. H. Moore succeeded in winning the "Cox," "Stratton" and "Extra Series" matches. In the "Cox" and Extra Series" matches Mr. Moore succeeded in putting on 16 "bulls" and one "inner" out of 17 shots. A number of the younger shots showed up well, Jos. Gibson winning the Banker's Cup, and coming second in the "Cox" and "Stratton" matches, while R. P. Watt and C. E. Whiten placed very creditable scores. The younger shots deserve particular credit for the showing they made against such old and seasoned marksmen. The officers of the day were:

Clerk—Jas. Stewart.

Scorers—E. Hartley, C. Seymour, H. Clegg and A. Kingscote.

The scores and prizes in the different matches were as follows:

BANKER'S MATCH.

Open to members of the Peterborough Rifle Association. Ranges of 200 and 500 yards. Seven rounds at each range. Entrance, 50c.

	Banker's Cup of 1896, value $25, and cash $7, Jos Gibson	28	33	61
6 00	Chas Curtis	32	29	61
5 00	W H Moore	32	29	61
4 00	J A Williamson	34	27	61
4 00	W Hilton	27	32	59
3 00	Geo Fitzgerald	31	27	58
3 00	C E Whiten	30	27	57
3 00	T Dyshe	29	27	56
2 00	J B Pentland	31	25	56
2 00	R P Watt	30	24	54
2 00	F Bartlett	31	24	55
2 00	J H Oliver	33	21	54
1 50	D Cameron	30	23	53
1 50	W H G Armstrong	30	21	51
1 00	A L Cochrane	20	30	50
1 00	E B Clegg	23	20	43
1 00	R H Brown	21	12	33
1 00	J M Brooks	18	11	29

"COX" MATCH.

Open to members of the Peterborough Rifle Association. Ranges 500 and 600 yards. Seven rounds at each range. Cox Cup, value $30.00, and

	cash 7.00, W. H Moore	34	28	62
6 00	Jos Gibson	33	26	59
5 00	J H Oliver	33	21	54
4 00	T Dyshe	29	25	54
4 00	A L Cochrane	30	24	54
3 00	Geo Fitzgerald	33	25	58
3 00	F Bartlett	24	26	50
3 00	Chas Curtis	26	24	50
2 00	E B Clegg	25	13	38
4 00	C E Whiten	26	23	49
2 00	W H G Armstrong	27	12	39
2 00	J A Williamson	25	20	45
1 50	W Hilton	25	22	47
1 50	D Cameron	22	22	44
1 00	J B Pentland	22	21	43
1 00	R P Watt	22	20	42
1 00	J W Brown	19	17	36
1 00	J M Brooks	7	19	26

STRATTON MATCH.

To be awarded to the highest aggregate scores in the "Bankers" and the "Cox" Matches. Entrance fee, 25c. Cup donated by Hon. J. R. Stratton, Provincial Secretary, and cash, $3.00

	W H Moore	61	62	123
2 00	Jos. Gibson	61	59	120
2 00	Geo Fitzgerald	58	53	111
1 50	C Curtis	61	50	111
1 50	T Dyshe	56	54	110
1 00	J A Williamson	61	48	109
1 00	J C Oliver	54	54	108

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3 00	F Bartlett	25	22	47
3 00	J H Oliver	24	22	46
2 00	C Curtis	24	22	46
2 00	J Gibson	23	23	46
1 50	E B Clegg	22	23	45
1 50	Geo Fitzgerald	22	23	45
1 00	J A Williamson	23	21	44
1 00	D Cameron	21	21	42
1 00	C E Whiten	22	20	42

—One hundred and thirty-three children arrived at the Barnardo Home here yesterday from England. The party sailed from Liverpool by the Dominion Line Steamship Colonian and had a good voyage. Landing at Portland they were conveyed west by special G.T.R.

TIRED OUT.

There's many a farmer's wife sits on the porch in the growing shadows of a summer evening, knowing to the full what it is to feel tired out; as if there was not another ounce of effort left in her. But she knows how sound her slumber will be and how refreshed the morning will find her. That's the tiredness of a healthy woman. But it's another thing for the sick woman to feel tired out. Rest only seems to increase her suffering. Just as in profound silence a discord jars the ear more forcibly, so now that she has stopped moving about, this tired woman feels more acutely the aching back and throbbing nerves.

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Exchequer Court

A sitting of the Exchequer Court of Canada will be held at the Court House, Peterborough, on Monday, 13th inst., before the Hon. Mr. Justice Burbidge, for the trial of the action of His Majesty the King against John Hull, of Lakefield, arising out of Mr. Hull's refusal to accept the sum of $6,000 offered to him by the Government as compensation for damage to his mill property by reason of the construction of the Trent Valley Canal through his property. Mr. Hull claims that he has suffered damage to the extent of over $10,000. Mr. Stratton & Hall are acting as solicitors for the Department of Railways and Canals, and Mr. Dumble, K.C., is solicitor for Mr. John Hull.

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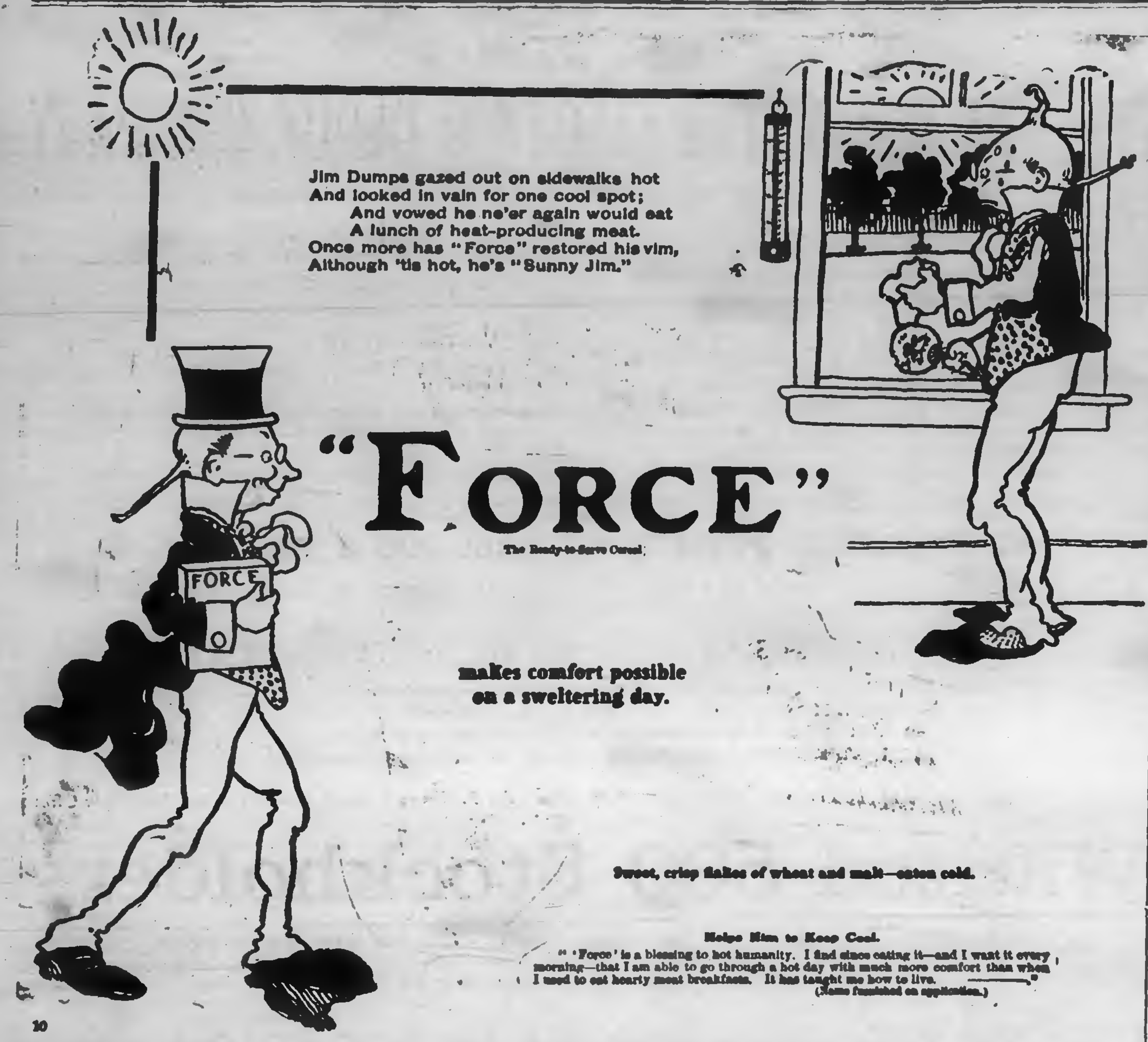
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DESCRBES THE SCENE AT MT. ST. PIERRE

Visitor, who was on First Boat to Reach Martinique Eruption Tells of Escape

ALL HIS CLOTHING WAS BURNED

An Accident Saved Him From an Awful Death—The Horror of the Scene

At the Montreal House yesterday was staying a visitor who was at Martinique during the terrible scenes of last May. He gave The Times a description of the awful scenes he witnessed.

"I was to have been a passenger by the Quebec Steamship Company's boat Roriama,' said Mr. Paker. All my clothing and belongings were on board, but fortunately, or unfortunately as I thought at the time, I missed the boat. As you know that boat was burned up, and I lost my outfit.

"I took the next boat, which was the first one to reach St. Pierre after the eruption."

"Could you describe the scene?"

"That would be impossible. When we came near the harbor every house ashore appeared to have been utterly destroyed and apparently buried under the ashes and burning lava. An officer was sent ashore and he penetrated but a short distance into the city. He found only a few walls standing, and the streets literally paved with corpses. The sea for miles around was covered with the wreckage of the vessels sunk off St. Pierre at the time of the disaster, and ashore only a few trees, all bent seaward by the force of the volcanic shower, were left standing."

"Did you personally visit the scene?"

"Yes, but the heat from the smoking lava-covered ruins was suffocating and the stench from the corpse-strewn streets was such that I could not remain long. On all sides we found portions of corpses, which were gathered up by the soldiers and gendarmes and burned on one of the public squares. Not a drop of water was procurable ashore. The darkness caused by the clouds of volcanic dust shrouded the town and continuous subterranean rumblings added to the horror of the scene.'

"The fort and central quarters of the town were razed to the ground and were replaced by beds of hot cinders. The iron grillework gate of the government offices was alone standing. There was no trace of the streets, and huge heaps of smoking ashes were to be seen on all sides. At the landing place some burned and ruined walls indicated the spot where the custom house formerly stood, and a few traces of the larger shops could be seen.

"In that neighborhood hundreds of corpses were found lying in all kinds of attitudes. Curiously enough, the features of the dead were generally calm and reposeful, although in some cases terrible fright and agony were depicted. Grim piles of bodies were stacked everywhere, showing that death had stricken the crowds while they were vainly seeking escape from the fiery deluge. On one spot we saw a group of nine children, locked in each other's arms.

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And Predicts That South Africa Will Yet Be Free—[illegible]

New York, October 10.—Mr Reitz former Secretary of the Transvaal, was formally welcomed to the city last night by the Committee of [illegible], composed of delegates from the United Irish American Societies of New York. Mr. Reitz was enthusiastically greeted by the delegates who presented him with an address of welcome. Reitz in response said: "I am particularly proud that my name has been associated with the war You cannot know the pride I feel in being able, in my old age, to stand up for the principles of justice, truth and liberty and to have my name coupled with the names of Botha and DeWet. And here I would explain a matter which has come to your ears. I refer to the charge that I signed papers of surrender and then broke my word. It is not so. When those papers were signed I told Kitchener I was signing them only in my representative capacity and not personally.

"I am not a British subject, I never was one and never will be one. I have come here to lay before the American public the cause of my country, to show them the injustice this so-called war, which was really murder. I would like to say, however, that even though the British have defeated us, they have also done something else. They have made all Africa come closer, they have increased the national feeling by their actions, and the day is not far off when Cape Colony and all Africa will rise up and throw off the power of Great Britain.

Commandant Schiamen spoke briefly. The meeting then went into executive session to discuss ways and means to aid the Boers.

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AN IMMENSE FIELD FOR SCIENTIFIC SEARCH

The Inhabitants of Mars as Seen by Professor Hough

MARS MUCH AHEAD OF EARTH

Says the Learned Professor—Conditions of the Two Planets Compared

Chicago, Ill., October 10.—In his recent expressions as to the habitability of the planet Mars, Professor Hough, of Northwestern University has the weight of authority with him, though many astronomers will question seriously his bold declaration that the planet is actually inhabited with sentient beings of a high type. The whole tendency of recent investigation has been to strengthen the view that Mars, both in its atmosphere and its chemical character, is fitted to support animal life.

The point of interest in Professor Hough's announcement is the declaration that as the law of evolution has resulted in the development of a sentient race on earth, that law, operating in the case of the Martians, must have produced there a race now greatly superior to the people of earth in intellectual development. Mars, Venus, and Mercury, he reasons, are old planets, and presumably habitable. Mars, being very much older than the earth and having solidified and cooled long before the earth was fit for animal habitation, the process of evolution there presumably began much earlier. Judging from the published excerpts from Professor Hough's report, he is ready to believe that the Martians have advanced to a stage of cultivation and intelligence which is hardly conceivable to the minds of earth races.

It is noteworthy that, in spite of constant rejections of the alleged proofs of inhabitation, as in the case of the famous lines marking the surface of Mars, men of science appear to incline more and more to the view that it is essentially improbable that the earth is the only planet supporting sentient life. What manner of animal the Mars man—if he is man—may be will continue, apparently, to afford an endless subject of curious speculation. The conditions there, it is known, differ oddly in some respects from those of earth. During his night of twelve hours for instance, the Martian sees his little moons, Phobos and Deimos, between ten and fifteen miles in diameter, in all their phases from new moon to full. Owing to the smallness of the planet, gravitation has only a fraction of the force which it has on the earth, so that a human being on Mars could leap long distances provided the air were not too thin for him to breathe. As yet it is not believed that any method of communication with any beings dwelling on Mars will ever be found, but speculation as to the possibility of such creatures and as to their form, size, habits, and possible intelligence must continue to be one of the absorbing puzzles of science.

THE KNAPP ROLLER BOAT

Has now been Perfected and will go into Trade

Special to The Times.

Mr. George Goodwin, formerly a resident of Peterborough, who supplied funds for the Knapp roller steamer, says that the boat will revolutionize the steamer trade.

The boat is now almost ready to go to work. The advantage claimed for this latest development of steel steamship construction is that the vessels, which is simply a metal tube closed and sharpened at both ends, is that the weight of a vessel capable of carrying a given cargo will be only one-third of of what it would if built on the present box style of boat. A Knapp steamer made to fit the St. Lawrence canals, and drawing fourteen feet of water, would, Mr. Knapp claims, carry 96,000 bushels of wheat; could be constructed for $165000., and would weigh 500 tons. Vessels made to fit the canal of the older box like pattern would cost $175,-000, would carry 65,000 bushels on 14 feet draught and weigh 1,500 tons. The difference in the capacity of the two types of vessels being accounted for by the difference in weight.

The Knapp boat arrived at Lachine Sunday from Prescott, making a very successful trip. The trip to Montreal was made without incident. There was a large party of shareholders and others interested in the new type of craft on board and the greatest satisfaction was expressed at the way the boat behaved. She answered to the helm perfectly under all conditions and her steadiness was the subject of general comment.

An Attractive Resort

Kingston Whig:—John Brennan, of Leahy's grocery store, and Earl Hogan, of Dr. Daly's dental parlors, returned on Saturday from Rice Lake, north of Port Hope, where they spent the past ten days hunting and fishing. They had an enjoyable outing and succeeded in bagging considerable game and in landing some fine fish. They brought home a number of fine maskinonge, weighing from seven to fifteen pounds. The fish were of a splendid quality as a member of the Whig staff can testify. Rice Lake has now become an attractive summer resort and hundreds of cottages dot its pretty shores. The fishing is of the best, and large catches are made every day. Hunting in the adjacent woods is also good, ducks and partridges being quite plentiful. The young men had an enjoyable outing. Their many friends are glad to welcome them back.

Valuable Advice to Mothers

If your child comes in from play coughing or showing evidences of an approaching attack of Grippe, Sore Throat, or sickness of any kind, first thing get out your bottle of Nerviline. Rub the chest and neck with Nerviline, and give internal doses of ten drops of Nerviline in sweetened water every two hours. This will prevent any serious trouble. No liniment or pain reliever equals Polson's Nerviline which is a necessity in every household. Large bottles cost only 25c.

HON. MR. FISHER ON FAST LINE

Montreal, Oct. 9—"Personally, as far as the fast line is concerned, I would like to see a line of ships built to steam 18 or 20 knots, carrying 10,-000 or 12,000 tons of freight and accommodating about 200 passengers with comfort."

Such was the opinion expressed by Hon Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, who was in town last evening.

"That type of boat is both profitable and comfortable. I would rather travel across the Atlantic in a steady, commodious boat than in the speedy ones. The record breakers make good time, but there is more ease and comfort in crossing on the cargo boat."

"I think these boats could touch at some coast port, for the convenience of passengers, who were travelling in haste after which the journey could be continued to an inland port.

"It is easy enough to get a fast line, but it costs a lot of money, and I don't see why we should be held by the nose for such a service.

"At present there is an inclination on the part of some Canadians to plunge into any expense, and this must not be allowed to go too far."

"But no doubt Sir Wilfrid Laurier will have some interesting news for us on his return, and I am inclined to think that something definite will be known before long."

"Would you say anything on the coal situation?"

"Really, I think that the situation has been greatly exaggerated and that there is quite a supply of anthracite fuel in in Canada at the present time. It seems to me that the dealers have been trying to take advantage of prevailing conditions. It is quite likely that the Cabinet will take up the matter at its next meeting."

LYNCHED THE TEACHER

Horrible Act of a Schoolmaster Who Became Insane

Special to The Times.

London, Oct. 10.—A special despatch from Vienna announces that a fearful tragedy was enacted at Droyssig, Bohemia on Monday. A village school master, forty years of age, while talking to his class suddenly became insane. He rushed to his desk, drew a revolver from it and ran amuck, shooting right and left among the terrified children. Three scholars were killed and three were dangerously wounded. On hearing the shots and screams, the villagers quickly arrived at the school, and infuriated at the sight which met them, lynched the school master.

DENY THE REPORT

Dominion Coal Company says it has not put up prices

Special to The Times.

Montreal, Oct. 9—The selling agents of the Dominion Coal company in this city deny the report that they raised the price of soft coal. The company is now working to fill contracts made months ago at $2.75 a ton delivered on the wharf in Montreal. A number of the contracts made earlier in the year have been enlarged in view of the coal famine, but at no increase in the price. The fact that soft coal is selling at $8 to $9 a ton here is said to be due to the inability to get much of the article owing to the fact that most of the coal shipped here from Sydney is not intended for domestic use but for manufacturing purposes.

FRENCH TREATY WITH SIAM

Cambodian Frontier Fixed—France Has Veto on Railway and Canal Concessions

Special to The Times.

Paris, Oct. 9—It is officially stated that M. Delcasse, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, has signed a convention with the Siamese Minister to France in reference to the frontier between Siam and Cambodia. This convention leaves to France the ancient Cambodian Province of Meloupre, as well as Laos, in the Province of Bassac. The King engages that troops shall occupy the right bank of the Mekong River, which is to remain Siamese. The troops will be solely Siamese and will be commanded by Siamese officers. No railways or canals shall be built with other than Siamese capital without the consent of France The French troops are to leave Chantaboon as soon as the French take possession of the new frontiers.

NO SURPLUS IN CANADA

Dominion Coal Company Manager Denies That Maine Is to Be Supplied

Special to The Times.

Montreal, Que., Oct. 9—General Manager Shields of the Dominion Coal Company, when seen to-day regarding the despatch from Washington to the effect that the Mayor of Portland, Me., had received special facilities for the handling of 100,000 tons of Cape Breton coal, said he knew nothing of the subject. What was meant by special facilities he did not know, unless it was the quick entry and clearance of the vessels.

He says Portland has already had 25,-000 tons, but can have no more for the present.

The Canadian market must be supplied first. The Dominion company has an estimated output of about 3,000,000 tons annually. Of this the Canadian consumers take about two-thirds. At present there is no surplus on hand, but by January there will be, and then they will sell to any one who may require supplies. He does not believe that there will be any shortage in the bituminous coal supply.

THE MINERS REFUSED TO RESUME WORK

Mitchell's Answer to Roosevelt's Request That Miners Go Back to Prevent Suffering

Says Blame Upon the Operators Because They Refuse to Arbitrate—Meets Politicians in New York

Special to The Times.

London, Oct. 9.—John W. Gates, who sailed for America yesterday on the Oceanic, is confident that the coal strike is near its end. "Long before the Oceanic reaches New York," said Mr. Gates, "the coal strike will be settled. It has reached its culmination. President Roosevelt has sent word to Mr. Mitchell, leader of strikers, that the only way the affair can be adjusted with credit to himself, is for Mr. Mitchell to send the men back to work at once on Mr. Roosevelt's pledge that he would use every effort to induce operators to agree to arbitrate. To railroad presidents told me that they would never agree to such a course, but I think pressure will be brought to bear upon them"

"I think the market is growing firmer now," said Mr. Gates, in answer to a question. "I am confident it will be quite strong before many days."

"Do you think Mr. Morgan is having much to do with the settlement of the strike?" he was asked.

"Most certainly, replied Mr. Gates. "I tell you this affair has grieved Mr. Morgan. He really cares nothing for money except the power it brings. When he forms a syndicate he gives 90 per cent. of it to his friends. He is one of the most kind-hearted of men. I think his efforts will have much to do with the settlement of the difficulty."

Special to The Times.

Washington, Oct. 9.—President Mitchell of the Coal Miners' Union has refused to comply with the appeal of President Roosevelt to call the strike off. His letter to the President, which was made public at the White House to-day, says that the responsibility for the continuatoin of the strike should be placed upon those who have refused arbitration. The text of President Mitchell's letter to President Roosevelt is as follows:—

"Dear Sir,—Hon. Carroll D. Wright, has, no doubt, reported to you the delivery of your message to me last Monday, and my statement to him that I should take your suggestion under advisement, although I did not look upon it with favor.

"Since that time I have consulted with our district presidents, who concur fully with my views.

"We desire to assure you again that we feel keenly the responsibility of our position, and the gravity of the situation, and would give us great pleasure to take any action which would bring the coal strike to an end in a manner that would safeguard the interest of our constituents.

"In proposing that there be an immediate resumption of coal mining upon the conditions we suggested in the conference at the White House, we believe that we had gone more than half way and had met your wishes.

"It is unnecessary in this letter to refer to the malicious assault made upon us in the response of the coal operators. We feel confident that you must have been impressed with the fairness of our proposition and the insincerity of those who maligned us.

'Having in mind our experience with the coal operators in the past, we have no reason to feel any degree of confidence in their willingness to do us justice in the future, and inasmuch as they refused to accept the decision of a tribunal selected by you, and inasmuch as there is no law through which you could enforce the findings of the commission you suggest, we respectfully decline to advise our people to return to work simply upon the hope that the coal operators might be induced or forced to comply with the recommendation of your commission.

"As stated above, we believe that we went more than half way in our proposal at Washington, and we do not feel that we should be asked to make further sacrifice.

"We appreciate your solicitude for the people of our country, who are now and will be subjected to great suffering and inconvenience by a prolongation of the coal strike, and we feel that the onus of this terrible state of affairs should be placed upon the side which has refused to refer to fair and impartial investigation

I am, respectfully,

"(Signed) JOHN MITCHELL, President U. M. W. of A."

Rumor That Strike is Over

New York, Oct. 9. — Persistent stories are afloat that the strike is near a settlement, and the stocks of the coal companies are very strong in Wall street. The belief exists that the presence of the troops in the strike region will not have the effect of increasing the production to any marked extent, owing to the firm attitude of the miners, and that the operators will have to settle. It is said that political pressure of the strongest kind has been brought to bear on the operators, and several rumors of dissensions among the magnates of the combine are in circulation. Incidentally considerable significance is attached to a report that a large New York order for British coal has been cancelled.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 9.—Every local union of the miners' organization has unanimously resolved to stay out on strike, and the strike settlement accordingly seems as far off as ever. The proposition of the President of the United States had necessarily to be replied to in the negative, and the unions declared that though all the troops in the United States be sent to the spot they would not resume work. There has been no increase in the production of coal in this valley and has not increased since the arrival of the troops.

MITCHELL CLOSELY WATCHED.

New York, Oct. 9.—President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers, who arrived in the city last night, accompanied by District Presidents T. D. Nicholls, Thomas Duffy and John Fahy, refused to answer any questions this morning that would throw any light on his plans or contemplated

"There is nothing I can say as to my purposes here," he said.

He was asked in particular as to what took place or was the outcome of the midnight conference he held last night with Senators Quay and Penrose, and a man said to be L. N. Hammering, an independent coal operator from Wilkesbarre, Pa. The three district presidents were also there. Some reports say that Senator Platt and Chairman Dunn of the New York Republican State committee, were likewise present.

Asked if he contemplated a trip to Washington, Mr Mitchell replied;

"I don't know yet."

ACTION AGAINST SOLDIERS

Schenectady, N.Y., Oct. 9.—The Schenectady Trades Assembly, in addition to ordering the expulsion from their respective local unions of the members who are serving in the National Guard, and who are now on strike duty in the Hudson Valley Railway region, last evening, passed a resolution calling upon the Government immediately to assume control of the anthracite coal mines, and demanding that all candidates for office be measured in the scale of their belief in this measure. There are 12,000 voters represented in the Trades Assembly.

Philadelphia, Oct. 9.—The manufacturers' Association committee which came here to meet the operators did not have an audience with them. The committee issued a vague statement telling why they had come to Philadelphia, and stated that they would meet again on October 14th.

PIPES OF PEACE END GREAT TOBACCO WAR

Allied Trusts Determined to Capture Tobacco Trade of World--Coal from England

London, Oct. 9.—A correspondent in Vienna says that after many years of experience in a position where he has had exceptional opportunities for observation, he is forced to conclude that pan-Germanism constitutes a far greater peril for non-German and non-Slav states that does pan-Slavism. The propagandas of the latter are confined to European countries, where the population, or a portion of the population, belongs to the Slav race. Pan-Germanism, on the other hand, reaches to the remotest corners of the earth wherever two or three Germans are gathered, while in Europe it is a permanent aggressive, absorbing factor. It has already compelled states outside of the German Empire, a portion of whose population is of German nationality or of Teutonic extraction, to keep vigilantly on the defensive. Neither Great Britain nor the United States and still less Austro-Hungary, Holland, Belgium or Switzerland can afford to disregard rising tide of pan-Germanism.

PARTY AT TANDERAGEE CASTLE.

London, Oct. 9.—The Duchess of Manchester, who recently gave birth to a son, is making marvelous progress toward recovery. Already arrangements are well forward for a big party at Tanderagee Castle, the Manchesters' seat, to take place shortly. Among those invited to meet the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, in whose honor the party will be given, are the Duke and Duchess of Abercorn and Lord Ormonde. This will be the first party of an importance which the Duchess has given since her marriage. It is expected to be a very brilliant function indeed.

PERIL OF PAN-GERMANISM.

Special to The Times.

London, Oct. 9.—Pipes of peace were smoked last evening to celebrate the conclusion of the great tobacco war, a dinner was given by Mr. James B. Duke, president of the American Tobacco Company, to the directors of the new British American Tobacco Company, in the Carlton Hotel. Both conversation and speeches were fraternal in tone, and evinced the determination of the allied trusts to capture the tobacco trade of the world.

BRITISH COAL FOR THE STATES.

Special to The Times.

London, Oct. 9.—Fourteen additional steamers have been chartered to send coal for the United States so far this week, and other inquiries are in the market. The total tonnage chartered since the movement began on September 20 represents a carrying capacity of 250,000 tons. This is in addition to the coal that is to be taken on the regular line steamers of the Morgan steamship combination. The carrying capacity of the Morgan steamers, however, is apt to be overestimated, since they have adopted the practice of coaling on this side for the round trip on account of the scarcity of coal on the other side.

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UNION LABEL

PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 10, 1902.

ONTARIO'S WATER POWER

The best substitute for coal in Ontario would be electricity generated by water power. There is only one reason why electric energy is not generally used for heating and cooking and that reason is that inventive genius has not yet evolved an electric heater which can be used at a cost so low as to make it a formidable rival of the coal furnace and self feeder. But electric heating is by no means uncommon. The Carmelite monastery at Niagara Falls is heated throughout by electricity, and all the cooking for the institution is also done in electric ranges. The problem of cheap electrical heating will yet be solved. When that time comes, Ontario, with its widely-diffused water powers will be able to get along without coal. The pressing necessity for such an invention, and the great rewards in store for the successful inventor, should bring the solution of the problem before long.

CHILD SAVING WORK

A noteworthy feature of the recent conference of Charities and Correction at Hamilton, was the prominence given to child-saving work. Nearly all the speakers agreed that if boys and girls in neglected homes were properly looked after the great stream of pauperism and criminality would be stopped at its source. The Children's Aid Society came in for special commendation and it was urged that greater activity should be displayed in the different towns throughout the province. Here and there boys and girls are being brought or dragged up without moral instruction and as they grow older they inevitably take to stealing and begging for a living. Ample law has been provided for their protection but the motive power is often lacking and this can only come from philanthropic persons who are interested in children and desire to see them get a fair chance in life.

ELECTRIC HEATING

Electrical experts in New York estimate that a house may be heated by electricity from a central station, and that in such heating it would take about a ton of coal to develop a thermal energy equal to that derived from the direct combustion of from 1,200 to 1,500 pounds of the same fuel in a domestic furnace, and that if the entire plant were in the building itself, about half this waste would be avoided. The general idea is that the percentage of waste in electric heating would be much greater in the one case cited above it would be only about 25 or 30 per cent., and in the other 12 to 15 per cent. Electric heating, if feasible, has much to commend it in the way of cleanliness. By arranging the electric supply so that the current should be shut off at any time and thus stop the expense, much could be saved at seasons of the year when a fire is really needed only a few hours in the morning and at night, because a furnace, when once lighted, must be kept constantly going in order to be available when needed. If the estimate of the New York experts is correct we may expect to see electricity come largely into use for heating both homes and public buildings—especially in localities where it is possible to a get a supply of water-power generated electricity.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The court of appeal at Toronto will dismiss five petitions against Conservatives and five against Liberals, so the score remains the same to date.

President Roosevelt may lose that leg yet, if he isn't careful. The excitement of the coal strike conference reacted unfavorably upon his physical condition, and alarmed his physicians somewhat, although they hasten to assure the public that the set-back is nothing serious, but the doctors are evidently having a hard time with a patient so impatient of restraint and of such an active temperament. If "Teddy" can't keep quiet let him keep as quiet as he can. Uncle Sam can ill afford to have a sick president on his hands at this time.

The visible supply of grain in the United States and Canada on Sept. 27, included 24,242,000 bushels of wheat, 3,045,000 bushels of corn., 7,-[illegible],000 bushels of oats, 900,000 bushels of rye and 1,718,000 bushels of barley. Compared with the previous week showe an increase of 2,316,000 bushels of wheat, 617,000 bushels of corn, 1,015,000 bushels of oats, 19,000 bushels of rye, and 527,000 bushels of barley. A year ago there were 25,594,000 bushels of wheat, 14,430,000 bushels of corn, 8,872,000 bushels of oats, 1,-775,000 bushels of rye, and 1,875,000 bushels of barley.

DISTRICT NEWS

MOUNT PLEASANT.

Mrs M. McLean, of Toronto, formerly of this place, is visiting relatives here.

The new blacksmith, Mr. W. Greig, is receiving his fall stock of hardware, suitable for his business here during the winter season.

Our cheese factory will close in about a month from this, and will then begin to manufacture butter.

Farmers are receiving very high prices for cheese, cattle, butter, eggs, and pork. Providence is favoring us in Ontario, with good crops and no signs of famine in our land. Should not this call for our thanks to the Giver of all our needs?

KEENE.

—Mr. T. G. Tully, blacksmith, had his leg broken at the ankle last Wednesday.

—The Indian picnic held at Sugar Island on Tuesday was not very well patronized by the Keene people on account of the cool weather.

—The Rev. Mr. Gall, of Rochester, has been visiting his father, Mr. Thos. Gall, for a few days.

—Mrs. Simpson, Peterboro, is visiting Mrs. J. H. S. Dixon.

—Mr. Joseph Elmhirst had a horse killed by a bull on Oct. 1st.

—Mr. David West and family are going to Oregon to live.

—Sergt. F. Burnham arrived home from camp at Niagara on Monday. He has nearly recovered from his accident.

—Mr. T. Laing, blacksmith, has been laid up for some time with a cold.

—Dr. V. McWilliams, of Peterboro, has opened an office in Keene, at Miss McIntyre's, Main street. We wish him success.

HONOUR ROLLS

S. S. N. 1, DUMMER.

Sr. IV.—Bella Tedford, Phoebe Nelson, Maud Beavis, Alice Stent. Jr. IV—Mary Carlow, Jennie Clydesdale, Mary Kidd. Sr. III—Lucy Rutherford. Jr. 3rd— Barbara Kidd, Eva Bell. Sr. II.—Susie Carlow, Fannie Cuffe, Ernest Bell. Pt. II. Beatrice Rutherford, Nellie Rutherford, Pearl Anderson, Harry Clements. Sr. Pt. I—Horace Calder, Hattie Rutherford, Effie Kidd, Charlotte Moore, Addie Kidd, Maggie Cuffe.—Jr. Pt. I—Effie Bell, Ida Carlow, Agnie Nelson, Beatrice Borland, Jennie Bell, G. Rutherford. Average attendance, 30. Order of merit in the examinations during the month of Sr. IV. Class. Arithmetic—Bella Tedford, Alice Stent and Myrtle Webster, equal Maude Beavis and Phoebe Nelson, equal. Physiology—Bella Tedford, Myrtle Webster, Alice Stent, Maude Beavis, Phoebe Nelson and Christina Nelson.

INJURED IN INITIATION

A Fraternal Order Being Sued For Damages

There are many in this city who believe that some of the fraternal societies overdo the thing in the initiation line. It is hardly likely that it has gone so far here, however, as in Rock Falls, Ill., where W. A. Simbaugh has brought suit against the Fraternal Tribune a beneficiary organization, alleging that he was injured for life while being initiated. He claims that the goat was connected with electricity, and that his body came in contact with the live wire. The case is attracting much attention, and is being watched by supreme officers of other orders.

HIGGINS SENTENCED

The Youth Who Killed Doherty Will Pay the Death Penalty on December 19th—Counsel's Latest Move

St. John, N.B. Oct. 9.—Before Judge Landry, in the Circuit Court, this morning, Lawyer Daniel Mullin, K. C., for Frank Higgins, the 15 year old murderer of William Doherty, argued four hours for a reservation of the famous case, and gave reasons why sentence should not be passed. A large crowd was in the Court room when the doors opened and quite a number of women were present. Hon. H. A. McKeown was absent but Attorney-General Pugsley, took hisplace. Mrs. Higgins, the prisoner's mother, and Mrs. Doherty, the murdered lads parents were present. Mr. Mullin said his first point was in in reference to the selection of a jury from a second draft of citizens, the original panel being exhausted. He said this was a matter beyond the power of provincial authorities, and one for the Dominion authorities only. Then as a second point, a reverse case juryman, Pooley, was not challenged, and was sworn in regularly. Mr. Mullin's third objection was to part of His Honour's charge to the jury, which he claims was prejudicing. Fourthly, he objected to certain rebutal evidence gaining as admissable.

Judge Landry sentenced Higgins to be hanged December 19.

—One hundred and thirty-three children arrived at the Barnardo Home here yesterday from England. The party sailed from Liverpool by the Dominion Line Steamship Colonian and had a good voyage. Landing at Portland they were conveyed west by special G.T.R.

THE MOONSTONE SPHINX

By Mrs C N Williamson

Author of The Barn Stormers, Fortune's Sport, Miss Nobody, Her Royal Highness Lady Mary of the Dark House, etc.

spell, and, says she—let me see, what was it she says first?—oh! 'If you've got a drop of spirit handy I think I could go on all right and do the scene.' Those were her very words."

"And then?"

"Well, and then, sir, I gave her the spirit. There's the very bottle on the 'make-up' table. 'Twas my own; I'd brought it on purpose, thinkin' it might be needed—which it was. When my daughter faints away, sir, which she does sometimes, without no warnin' at all——"

"Never mind about your daughter at present," interrupted Macaire, his curious, pale eyes fixed keenly on the woman's commonplace little face. "You gave Miss Gray the spirit, and——"

"And up she jumped, most as soon as 'twas down. 'I believe I've been silly,' she says to me. 'I don't like this, but I've got to do it.' You see, I'd been tellin' her how she'd be sued for breach of contract, and if she'd no money, she'd be put in prison, maybe——"

"When did you tell her that?" quickly broke in the millionaire.

The old woman looked somewhat nonplussed for an instant, but then appeared suddenly to recollect. "Oh, it must have been before she went off in the faint. You see, I was helpin' her early in the evenin'. And then, anyhow, the young lady seemed all right and as sensible as could be. I was goin' out of the room with her, but she wouldn't have it. She was quite strong enough to go alone, she says, and I'd better stop where I was and pick up the nice new costume which I'd pitched on the floor piece by piece as I dragged it off of her. So thinkin' no harm, and havin' had no instructions what to do after I'd got the lady ready, I let her go. I thinks no more about it till a minute or two later along comes Mr. Jeffrey again, askin' 'Where's Miss Gray?'"

"You haven't told me yet why you are all so sure she's in the theater," said Macaire.

Mrs. Purdy pointed to the walls of the dressing-room. "There hangs her clothes, sir," she announced. "There was some talk of takin' 'em away, when she was so obstinate, but that was before she fainted. There they hangs. And as these are modern times, and Miss Gray ain't the Lady Godiva the poetry's about, it stands to reason she can't have got far."

"I've sent for the door-keeper, who swears that he hasn't left his post tonight, and that Miss Gray didn't go by," added Jeffrey. "Yet the theater's been searched from below the stage up to the flies. The girl's nowhere. She's vanished into air."

Winifred Gray had disappeared as mysteriously as the bride in the ballad of "The Mistletoe Bough." No trace of her could be found at the theater or elsewhere, either on the night when mystery had swallowed her up or during the days to come.

Macaire had neither expected nor greatly desired the play produced with his money to be a success; but, strangely enough, the very event which caused his keen discomfiture created an artificial vogue for the revival of "Mazeppa."

The scenery was magnificent if the company (save for the vanished star) was poor. Most of the best people had been engaged when Mr. Wantage had first begun his quest for actors, and he had been given to understand that if Miss Gray were secured the rest of the cast mattered little to the backer; therefore he had been easily suited for most of the parts. But scenery alone and the disproportionately large amount of pictorial advertising which had been done could not have saved "Mazeppa" from failure. The length of its continuance on the boards would have depended upon the sum of money Mr. Macaire was willing to throw away. But the sudden disappearance of the star gave a fillip which perhaps nothing else could have given.

A story had been circulated that the well-known millionaire had been induced to "back" the production because of his infatuation for the Miss Gray who had lately been discharged from the Duke of Clarence's Theater for extraordinary and mysterious reasons. People, even in London, talked a good deal about it, and harsh things were said of Winifred, who was represented as a bold young woman trading upon her charms to handle Lionel Macaire's money, and her "brazen front of impudence" was proved without shadow of doubt by the startling posters she had allowed to be exhibited, representing herself as Mazeppa bound to the horse. She would certainly not have undertaken to play the part and dress it as it had once been dressed by the actress who had made the play famous, it was argued, had she really been the simple, modest girl she had hypocritically tried to appear during her brief months of popularity at the Duke of Clarence's.

Then, on the top of this gossip which associated her name with that of a man notoriously connected with other scandals, more or less of the same sort (though he was not too notorious to be a target for match-making mothers), came the actress's disappearance.

Among all the things which had been said about her, no one had dreamt of starting the theory that she had been deceived as to the part of Mazeppa and its requirements. She was an actress, and actresses went through life with their eyes open. And the old story of the thwarted elopement which had, in some inexplicable way, cost the girl her position in Mr. Anderson's company, was revived. It had been freely said before that the man in the case had been Lionel Macaire himself, and, though he posed as a bachelor, there had been many rumors that he had a wife from whom he was separated. But now it was thought that the scandal had been connected with a married man well known in London society, and that the plan which had failed before had been successfully brought off in Brighton. Miss Gray was supposed to have thrown up her engagement and left her manager in the lurch, to run away with a man, differently identified by almost every person who helped to keep the tale in circulation. All agreed in one particular alone. The man had a lovely wife, who was heartbroken at her husband's treachery, and by and by, a divorce case would come on which would make a tremendous sensation in the "highest circles."

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Packing Boxes for Sale

About 50 packing cases, all sizes, as good as new, for sale at The Times Bookstore.

School Holidays

The schools of the town will be closed from Wednesday evening next until the following Monday. This will give the pupils and teachers a chance to spend a day or two out of town, should they so desire.

St. Andrew's Preparatory Service

The services preparatory to Communion will be held in St. Andrew's church this evening, at 8 o'clock. The Rev. E. A. Camp, B.A., will preach. Free-will offering for Session and Poor Fund.

Fined $5 and Costs

At the Police Court yesterday a citizen was fined $5 and costs for disorderly conduct at the Opera House on Wednesday evening. In imposing the fine the Police Magistrate intimated that this sort of thing must stop. It will probably, therefore, go hard with the next offender.

A Fine Tent

Yesterday Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons shipped a large hospital tent to the Cleveland, Ohio, health authorities, for use in a small-pox outbreak there. It is a double tent, built in the same style as numerous other tents which this firm have been supplying to the province for some years. It is 15x30 feet outside, and 14x20 inside. It speaks well for the firm to be called upon for this order from the United States, in spite of the keen competition there. Quite a number went down to see the tent yesterday, and were shown through the firm's splendid new factory

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Pretty Home Wedding

A very pretty home wedding was celebrated yesterday, at the residence of Mr. J. W. Morden, Rutherford avenue, when Miss Lillian A. Crowe, was united in marriage to Mr. G. Ross Fair. The nuptial knot was tied by the Rev. W. J. Jolliffe, pastor of Charlotte street church, in the presence of a large number of guests. The presents to the bride were many, and were expensive and beautiful, testifying to the high regard in which she is held by her many friends. The bride was supported by Miss Doratha Harris, Bobcaygeon, while Mr. Robert Fair acted as groomsman. The Times extends its hearty congratulations.

The New Comet

Perine's comet has proved a big disappointment. According to reports in English papers the comet was to be quite large and brilliant. Observations in the Toronto Observatory and by the naked eye in Peterborough, however, make it look as if the comet is not so plain now as it was some days ago, and is now as near as it will ever be to the earth's surface. Being a new comet it is purely speculative as to its size, but indications now point to a gradual fading away. It is possible that it may be more brilliant in about a month after it has passed the sun. At present it is difficult to observe with the naked eye. The comet was visible last night for a time. It looked like a very bright star, but might easily have been taken for one. There was no tail visible. In a little while the clouds obscured the comet altogether.

DIED IN ROCHESTER

Thomas Bradley, Son of Mr James Bradley Dies in Rochester

The sad intelligence was received in town yesterday morning, of the death of Thomas Bradley, son of James Bradley, sexton of the George street church. The deceased was about 23 years of age, and was a painter by trade. It is not known how he came by his death, as no particulars have been received. It is feared that he met with an accident while at work, although this is only surmised. Notice of the funeral will appear tomorrow.

The Times extends its sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Bradley in their bereavement.

THE PARKES' FUND

Fifty One Dollars Subscribed Here for the Parkes' Family

The sum of 51 was subscribed by Peterborough citizens for the benefit of the Parkes' family, of Chandos, Township, and $35 of it has been forwarded by the Times to Mr. Wm. Gallon, at Apsley, who will see that it is properly expended for the bereaved family.

Two or three of the subscribers have not yet handed in their subscriptions They are requested to do so at once, so that the balance of the funds may be forwarded as quickly as possible. Mr. Gallon will gratefully acknowledge the receipt of the money through these columns.

How One Housewife Makes Fuel

The following was received by The Times: She took four common bricks and placed them in a pail. Over the bricks she poured a gallon of kerosene oil and let them stand until the bricks had absorbed all of the oil and let them stand, until the bricks had absorbed all of the oil they would take up. Then she took out two of the bricks and placed them in the kitchen range and set fire to them. They burned fully two hours, and the fire that they made was one by which it was possible to do any kind of cooking, or other work requiring considerable heat. The lady says in this way it will be possible in her home to get along with the cooking, washing and ironing without resort to gas. There was no unpleasant odor or any trouble whatever, for the oil just blazed away like a stove full of good wood.

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Hallowe'en falls on Friday this year.

—To get along well: Begin at the top and dig down.

The saddest words of tongue or pen, "The price of coal has riz again!"

—Messrs. Gibson and Henry have begun their contract on the sewer from Charlotte street to Weller street.

—On Wednesday night a fine large dog belonging to Mrs. Innes, 466 George street, was given a dose of strychnine, and would probably have died had it not been for services rendered by Dr. Poole, Water street.

—Mr Allan McCarthy, the well-known house mover, is busily engaged in removing the frame house from the lot on which the new skating rink is to be built, to a vacant lot near St. Andrew's church.

—We don't know what to wish for; we are in a fuel quandry. We want the mild weather to hang on as long as possible and we want the snow as quickly as we can get to it, so that farmers can bring wood to town. There's no pleasing us.

—Joseph Smith, a young man employed by Bradley, Garretson & Company, of Brantford, had his hand so badly burned by a switch in the works of the Canadian General Electric Company yesterday morning that he is compelled to a period of enforced idleness, and will very much need the means which his inability to work will deprive him of.

—A few of Mr. Frank Packenham's personal friends entertained him to an oyster supper on Wednesday night, in Mr. Harry Long's handsome palm parlours. It was a quiet affair, and was attended by the following gentlemen: Messrs. Will Higgins, R. M. Glover, Dr. Tate, Jack Gemmell, Jack Comstock, Manson Comstock, W. C. Ackerman, H. Waram, and R. Matchett. Short speeches were made by the boys, who expressed the hope that Mr. Packenham would meet with success in his new position in Montreal.

A NEW TEXT

Southern Preacher Gives Food For Thought

Coffee works in many different and unsuspected ways. Mr. E. L. Weston, pastor of Baptist church of Sardis, Miss., writes:—

"I loved coffee from my infancy, and never knew of it hurting me until I was 35 years old. I suffered with headaches if forced to do without it, and sometimes used it three times a day, but headache had been one of the ills of our family, and therefore I thought it was an inherited evil for which coffee was a special remedy, but about nine years ago, I began to suffer from sleeplessness, which continued until it seemed as if my nerves would wreck for want of sleep, and yet I could not sleep.

A friend suggested that I quit coffee except for breakfast, which I did, and so found that I could sleep alittle better, but my headaches continued, and my nervous system would sometimes seem as if the very fibres of my flesh were moving within me. It went on until three years ago I began to suffer at night with an itching sensation on my limbs below my knees and on my arms below the elbows, and sometimes all over my body, but there was no eruption on the skin; the flesh was smooth and white. I consulted several good physicians, but with no avail.

I had no idea that the coffee I drank in the morning caused it, but finally decided to stop coffee for awhile and try Postum Food Coffee. Wife made it according to directions, so that I liked it equally as well as coffee. I had no idea that it would relieve the awful itching deep down in the flesh, but thought I would use it to see if there was any virtue in it. I had only used it a few days, when I discovered that the itching was not so severe. When I had used it ten days my wife said, 'What is the matter with you? You do not seem to be troubled with that itching sensation.' I told her that I did not know what was the cause, but I knew that I was not troubled with the itching any more and was thankful for it.

I then went over to preach in another town, and while there drank some strong coffee, and the itching returned. When I came back home I commenced using Postum again, and the itching ceased. Then I decided that coffee in some way produced the itching. I drink Postum three times a day, and rest as well as I ever rested and never have headaches any more. I believe that hundreds of preachers who suffer from indigestion, nervousness and worry, would find rest and health if they would quit coffee and use Postum."

DEATH OF MRS. ROSE

One of Peterborough's Oldest Citizens Passed Away Yesterday

In the death of Mrs. Alexander Rose, which occurred yesterday morning shortly after midnight, Peterborough loses one of its oldest and most esteemed citizens. The deceased had been in poor health for some months, suffering from an affection of the heart. Of a robust constitution, she would not, during the early stages of her illness, undergo medical treatment, and it was only when, a few months ago, she became critically ill, that she would consent to call in a physician. She so far recovered as to be able to move about, and on Wednesday evening, was feeling rather better than usual. Shortly after midnight her daughter, who occupied the same room with her, noticed that she was breathing heavily, and at once summoned the family. She passed away soon after, peacefully and sweetly.

The deceased was born near Belfast, Ireland, 82 years ago, and came to this country with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Dickson, when she was but nine years of age. The family, consisting of parents and nine children, settled at Graystock, Otonabee.

Married in 1844 to the late Alex. Rose, who predeceased her about 28 years, the family resided for many years in Keene, her husband being manager for Mr. Thomas Short, an extensive lumberman and grain merchant, and member of the old Canadian Parliament for the Newcastle District. The family afterwards resided in Dummer, Verulam, Smith, and finally in Peterborough. In religion the deceased was a life-long and consistent member of the Methodist church, and was known far and near for benevolence, charity and unbounded hospitality. No one was ever turned away from her door hungry, and many of her acts of charity were never known or talked about. Six children mourn her loss. They are Messrs. Alexander, Jas. and Stuart, Misses Isabella and Mary Rose and Mrs. John Gillespie, all of Peterborough.

The interment will take place this afternoon at one o'clock, to the Lakefield cemetery, and will be private.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and Social nature, either by 'phone or in writing—[ED. TIMES]

—Mr. A. J. Gough, of Toronto, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. R. C. Strickland, Lakefield, was down yesterday for the day.

—Mr. R. M. Armitage preached at the harvest festival at Buckhorn last night.

—Mrs. H. F. Foote and Master Norman left this morning to spend a couple of months with friends in Belleville and Cobourg.

—Mr. C. E. Johnston, who has been on the ledger of the Canadian Bank of Commerce here, has been transferred to Dundas. Mr. Johnston leaves tomorrow morning.

—Rev Mr. Armitage has removed to 193 Aylmer street, and has also installed a telephone. No. 101. This will be a great convenience to the members of the parish.

—Hastings Star: Mrs. W. W. Huycke and family left on Tuesday for Peterborough where they will reside. Mr. Huycke has already been employed there for several months.

The many Peterborough friends of Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, formerly curate at St. John's church, will be pleased to learn that he has had a call to Plainfield, N.J., where he has been given a rectorate. Mr. Stevenson is a powerful preacher and a fluent speaker. The Times joins in extending hearty congratulations.

DOES NOT HANKER FOR ERIN

King Edward Will Stay Away and Avoid Embarrassment

London, October 10.—It is not likely that King Edward will visit Ireland. William O'Brien, M.P., urges the people not to cheer him if he should. O'Brien says:

"If there be one grain of truth in the gossip about the King's conversion to home rule it is quite certain that that conversion was affected, not by professions of loyalty, but by the scenes of open disaffection, illustrated by black flags and police charges which accompanied his steps from the Mallow railway station day by day until he quitted the country on a former occasion."

O'Brien thinks the Irish should imitate the Boers in their treatment of England and more would be thought of them.

ENTITLED TO GRATUITY

Good News for Men Who Served in South Africa

A militia order issued at Ottawa states that non-commissioned officers and men of the 2nd 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th Canadian Mounted Rifles and of the 10th Field Hospital, lately returned from South Africa are requested if they have not already done so, to forward immediately to the station paymaster colonial branch, Halifax, N.S., their certificates of discharge. These certificates should be accompanied by a statement giving particulars of any previous service in South Africa. The rank held, and the name of the former regiments. The address of the owner of the certificate should also be clearly stated. Men who have not yet received certificates of discharge should apply at once to the officer who commanded the regiment to which they belonged. The Imperial authorities at Halifax cannot forward gratuities to men who do not comply with the above request.

Each man of the 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th C.M.R. is entitled to a gratuity of £5 Men of the 2nd C.M.R. and 10th Field Hospital are entitled to a war gratuity according to rank, in addition.

MOUNT PLEASANT.

Mrs M. McLean, of Toronto, formerly of this place, is visiting relatives here.

The new blacksmith, Mr. W. Greig, is receiving his fall stock of hardware suitable for his business here during the winter season.

Our cheese factory will close in about a month from this, and will then begin to manufacture butter.

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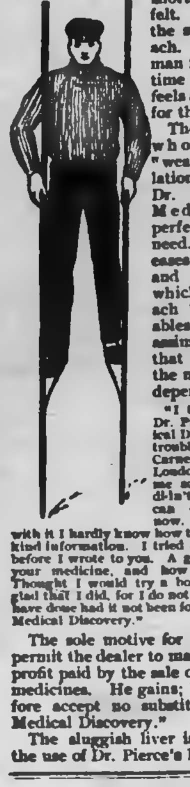

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario," 1897, chapter 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said John S. Milne, who died on or about the First day of August, 1902, are required, on or before the 18th day of October, 1902, to send post prepaid or deliver to Roland F. McWilliams of the said Town of Peterborough, Solicitor for the Executor of the estate of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date, the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the said executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

Dated the 17th September, 1902.

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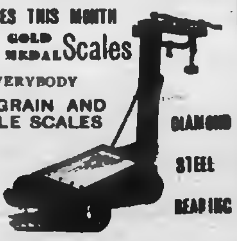

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ARE FRANCE AND SPAIN DRAWING TOGETHER

Spain to Construct a Large Number of Modern Battleships

Will Have a Powerful Navy by 1908—Money Secured From France To Build Battleships

London, Oct. 11—According to despatches from Madrid the Spanish Government is resolved to undertake the construction of so large a number of battle ships and armored cruisers as to give the country by 1908 a more powerful fleet than she has possessed at any time since Trafalgar.

Two questions at once suggest themselves. Whence can the money required for so costly a project be secured, and for what purpose is a large fleet needed, now that Spain has lost her colonies? An answer to both questions would be at once forthcoming if a close political alliance between Spain and France existed. There is no doubt that such an alliance would be of signal advantage to both countries, and there have been of late some indications that it may be brought about.

It is well known that a large proportion of the Spanish public debt is owed in France, and that it was mainly owing to this circumstance that most of the Paris newspapers made no attempt to disguise their sympathy with Spain during her recent war with the United States That the sympathy has not been chilled was demonstrated the other day at Toulouse, on the occasion of the visit of the husband of the Princess of Asturias, the heiress to the Spanish monarchy, who was warmly welcomed by Gen. Andre, the French Minister of War, "in the name of the Government of the Republic" and reminded of the "comradeship of French and Spanish soldiers." The comradeship referred to was memorably displayed during the continuance of the Burbon Family Compact which played so great a part in the eighteenth century and by virtue of which the soldiers and seamen of France and Spain were arrayed against the forces of other continental Powers and of Great Britain.

The community of interests by which the two countries are or might be united is as obvious now as it was then. To France a coalition with Spain would be beneficial from both negative and positive points of view. In the first place, she would be relieved from the danger that Spain, in the event of a European war might co-operate with the Triple Alliance, a danger that always existed so long as the ruler of Spain was an Austrian Archduchess. In the second place if she could employ Spanish soldiers for the purpose of defending her southeastern frontier against an Italian invasion France could marshal the whole of her own army against Germany a large part of whose military force would be required to cope with Russia on the Vistula. That is to say, if Spain were to join the Franco-Russian League the value of Italy, considered as a factor in the Triple Alliance, would be minimized.

Nor is this by any means the only advantage which France might derive form the close political understanding with Spain which existed in a part of the eighteenth century. A formidable war fleet might be created by Spain if a loan applicable to that purpose were floated on the Paris Stock Exchange and if arrangements were made for the construction of Spanish battleships and armored cruisers in French shipyards. It will be remembered that Nelson had a higher opinion of Spanish sailors than French, and there is no doubt that the cooperation of a score of warships under Spanish colors would materially strengthen the French naval force in the Mediterranean to say nothing of the importance of having such naval bases as Minorca and Carthagena added to Toulon and Bizerta. Thus far we have mentioned only the gain that might accrue to France from an alliance with Spain in time of war. No less indisputable is the profit that might be secured in peace times by the application of French capital, engineering, metallurgy, and viticultural science to Spain's immense undeveloped resources. It is no exaggeration to say that from an industrial point of view, the exploitation of the Iberian peninsula might prove more lucrative to France than all her colonies.

What Spain might gain through an alliance with France is unmistakable She would at once recover a sense of international dignity and importance to which she has been long a stranger. She would be definitely relieved from the spectre of Carlism, with which she has been haunted for upward of fifty years She would witness a remarkable expansion of her public revenue responsive to the application of capital and trained intelligence to her agricultural and mineral capabilities. In her own educational, fiscal and administrative systems she could not but feel the stimulus of French enlightment and French example. Above all, through her friendly compact with France, her most dangerous rival, she would be reasonably assured of securing a large fraction of Morocco and thus satisfying a traditional and fervent aspiration of her people.

The chief obstacle to a Franco-Spanish coalition is the unfriendly attitude recently assumed by the French Government toward certain religious orders which are powerful in Spain. Whether this obstacle can be surmounted is a question which M Delcasse the French Minister for Foreign Affairs, and M. Jules Cambon, the new French Ambassador at Madrid, will be called upon to answer.

Coal Strike May Result In Big Benefit to Canada

It will Cause Canadians to Rely Upon and Appreciate Deposits of Fuel in the Dominion

Montreal, Oct. 10.—It is very gratifying to hear one so competent to speak in every way in regard to the fuel famine as Mr. George R. Prowse, express the opinion that it is a blessing in disguise, and will have the effect of inducing Canadians to appreciate the resources of their own country, and to utilize the excellent coal scattered all over the Dominion from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

"I have just returned," said he today, "from a trip over the Canadian Pacific for the special purpose of reporting on the ranges, stoves, etc., of the company and found that Winnipeg west to the Pacific in all the hotels and depots, soft coal was being used with success in stoves built for hard coal. The chefs of cuisines and the Chinese told me that they found no trouble with it so long as a good draught was kept above and below the fire, and so long as the fire was fed at frequent intervals and a small quantity at a time. Both the soft coal of the Galt Coal Company, at Lethbridge, and other collieries, was giving great satisfaction, and when properly screened and fired gave perfect satisfaction in anthracite selffeeding stoves. The same thing is being done in the Maritime Provinces with Nova Scotia coal. I have myself for some time past been doing the same thing, and Mr. George F. Hartt, although he has some hard coal left over from last year.

"In my opinion, however, the fuel of the future will be gas—carbonic oxide gas—which may be made for 20 to 30 cents a thousand feet. While stove dealers report the demand for oil burners as being abnormal, the companies say the increase in their sales is scarcely perceptible.

"Of course," as Mr. George J. Kiplin, the general manager of the Imperial Oil Company says, "this is the time of the year when our output is the largest. The consumption in the Province of Quebec is about 5,000,000 gallons. The principal supplies for the year are distributed during October and November, and we cannot tell probably for a month yet whether the supplies we have sent out have been consumed more rapidly than in former years. Our tank delivery wagons, which supply 4,000 gallons a day in Montreal, do not as yet report any great increase."

Mr. G. G. Tessier, of the Haymarket scales, says he went down to the Gas Works with his own team yesterday, and was refused coke. He had first of all taking the trouble of asking at the Ottawa street office if there was any use of his going down and was informed that he would be supplied if he had his own team. At the Gas Works he was curtly told there was none for him and he could not get any satisfaction, while dealers were cutting it off by the ton. The president of the Montreal Light, Heat & Power Co., being informed of the complaint today, said:

"We are making about [illegible] tons a day Of this [illegible] tons are contracted for and we have [illegible] tons left for sale. We are distributing this amount daily to the best of our ability are are keeping our output for Montreal, while we could dispose of it elsewhere at double the price. People must be patient."

The anthracite coal received by canal during the season of 1902 up to the 7th inst is 17,915 tons, and of soft coal, [illegible] tons. There are at present on the Atlantic three vessels with 15,000 tons of Welsh and Scotch coal, with 35,000 tons yet to arrive.

SPECULATOR SUICIDES

Shorn of His Money, Edward Cleveland Kills Himself

Bullet Through His Brain—A Victim of the Recent Slump in Stocks

Toronto, Oct. 9—Edward H. Cleveland, who was employed as a ledger-keeper by John Kay Son & Co., committed suicide in the New Carlton Hotel by shooting himself through the right temple with a revolver. He was known to have been a heavy loser through the recent slump in stocks, and that is given as the man's reason for taking his life.

A peculiar circumstance was that during the forenoon, after leaving the store, where he showed up at the usual hour in the morning, he went to a store on Yonge street, purchased a suit of clothes, then went out and bought a new hat, with which he returned, saying he would call later for the suit and hat.

He seems to have then proceeded to the office of a broker, and there learned that the stocks he held had taken a further drop, completely ruining him.

A little after noon he was seen going into the New Carlton Hotel proceeding to the private parlor, where about 12.30 he was found by a hotel attendant dead in an armchair, with a revolver beside him. The attendant had heard the shot while in the rear end of the bar. Besides the revolver, which was a new Ivor. & Johnston, 32 calibre, of the latest type, and apparently used for the first time, there was found upon him a box of cartridges, only one of which had been taken out; two bottles of laudanum, a lock of hair tied in paper, $6 in bills, a watch and several small articles.

Cleveland was a widower, about 45 years of age, and boarded at No. 122 Shuter street. A married daughter lives in the city.

WEDDING BELLS

Miss Eliza Switzer of Cameron, Married to Mr. Thomas McMullen

The following report, of the marriage of Mr. Thomas McMullen, of Peterborough, and Miss Eliza Switzer, of Cameron, is taken from the Lindsay Post:

A very pretty church wedding took place in the Methodist church, Cameron, on Wednesday, Oct. 1st, the contracting parties being Miss Eliza Switzer, of Cameron, and Mr. Thomas McMullen, Peterborough. Their popularity was evidenced by the presence of a church full of admiring friends awaiting to witness the interesting ceremony.

The bride, who wore white organdie trimmed with muslin de soie and lace, and carried a bouquet of roses and nasturtiums, entered the church on the arm of her brother, Mr. G. H. Switzer. She was attended by Miss Melissa Switzer, sister of the bride, and Miss Minnie McMullen, sister of the groom, wearing white organdie and white organdie over blue respectively, and also carrying beautiful bouquets. Messrs. R. McMullen and W. H. Day, cousins of the groom and bride respectively, supported the groom.

After Rev. Mr. Terrill had performed the ceremony the party returned to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noris Switzer, where the customary congratulations were extended, and the guests, numbering some forty couples, partook of the most inviting wedding supper. Early in the evening Mr. and Mrs. McMullen, attended by quite a number of friends, drove to Lindsay and took the night train for Napanee. Mrs. McMullen's travelling costume was of gray broadcloth, with hat to match. She will be much missed in Cameron, where she was prominent in both church and choir. The many valuable presents attest the esteem in which she is held.

AT THE RIFLE RANGES

List of Prizes for Competition on Thanksgiving Day

Rifle Shooting at the Rifle Ranges in Favor—A Good List of Prizes

The annual rifle matches of the 57th Regiment will be held next Thursday (Thanksgiving Day) and a number of very fine events have been arranged for. There will be an extra series match at which the marksmen will fire at a running man target, something new on the Peterborough ranges. The events are as follows:—

GENERAL MATCH.

Open to all members of the Regiment; ranges 200, 400, 500 and 600 yards; five shots each range. Prizes—1st, $4.00; 2nd, $3.00; 3rd, $2.50; 4th, $2.50; 5th, 6th and 7th $2.00; 8th to 12th, inclusive, $1.50; 13th to 20th inclusive, $1.00; 21st to 30th, inclusive, 75 cents.

TYRO MATCH.

Open to all members of the Regiment who have not made a score of 80 points or over at any Regimental match. Ranges, 200, 400 and 500 yards. Five shots each range; the same score to count as in the general match Prizes—1st, $3.00, 2nd, $2.50; 3rd, 4th and 5th, $2.00; 6th to 10th inclusive, $1.50; 11th to 16th $1.00; 17th to 25th, 75 cents; 26th to 35th, 50 cents.

EXTRA SERIES MATCH.

At running-man target; open to all members of the regiment; range 200 yards; competitors may fire any number of scores up to five each consisting of three shots, but no competitor shall fire more than two scores if others who have not fired are waiting; best scores to count. Prizes—1st, $3.00; 2nd, $2.50; 3rd, 4th and 5th, $2.00; 6th to 10th, inclusive, $1.00; 11th to 20th, 50 cents.

COMPANY MATCH.

Open to non-commissioned officers and men of each company. Ranges, 200, 400 and 500 yards; 5 shots at each range; the score in the general match to count. Prizes; 1st, $2.00; 2nd, 1.50; 4th, 5th and 6th, $1.00; 7th to 10th, 50 cents.

RULES.

1. Position, any, with head to target.
2. One sighting shot at each range.
3. No two competitors shall shoot with the same rifle.
4. Score:—Bull, 5; Inner, 4; Mag, 3; Outer, 2. On running-man target, hits on body and head from waist up, 4; remainder of figure, 3; all other hits on target 4 feet by 6, feet, 2.
7. Any competitor who shall fire when the danger signal is up, or who shall discharge his rifle on the range except in accordance with regulations, or who shall be found with a loaded rifle off the firing point; or who shall act in any way that may prove dangerous shall in the discretion of the range officers, be excluded from all further competion and shall forfeit all prize money.
8. In matter unprovided for, D. R. A. rules shall govern.
9. All men not actually engaged in firing shall keep at least 20 feet in rear of the mounds.

A. STEVENSON, Major.
Chairman of Rifle Com.

Range Officers—Lieut.-Col., Edwards, Major Miller, Capt. Walker, Capt. Clegg, Lieutenant Cameron.

Matches will commence at 8 a.m. sharp. Lunch will be furnished at the ranges free.

THE TRANSVAAL AMENDS ITS TARIFF

Duties Have Been Abolished on Machinery and Building Material

IT SHOULD HELP OUR TRADE

Sacrifice of Revenue Preferable to Increasing Cost of Renewing Industrial Property

Pretoria, October 10—An extraordinary issue of the Gazette says:

"The amended tariffs are only provisionary the Government desiring ultimately to enter the customs union on a basis which will not sacrifice the vital interests of the Transvaal. The negotiations thus far have been unavailing because the Transvaal does not feel justified in increasing the duties on certain foodstuffs to the extent which the coast colonies consider necessary for the protection of their products. In the meanwhile the conditions in the Transvaal preclude further delay in adjusting the unjustifiably high duties and the duties ordinarily reasonabel, but excessive in a country which practically has to be refitted. The duties are therefore abolished on machinery, building materials, metals and agricultural implements. The large sacrifice of revenue involved is considered preferable to increase by taxation the cost of renewing industrial capitals of the colony.

As it is imperative, however, to replace a portion of the loss the duties on wines and spirits are increased. The existing duty on dynamite is left unaltered, owing to questions bearing on the conditions of its manufacture and importation into the Transvaal being under discussion, but the duty will be separately dealt with as soon as possible. The duty of six cents on poles, two cents a pound on sulphuric acid, six cents a pound on lead and 12 cents a pound on copper wire are cancelled. All iron will be admitted free and the cost of building will be greatly reduced by the removal of the duties on cement and timber.

The alteration of the duty on cigars and ciarettes from $3.75 per hundred cigars without distinction of size, to $1.50 per pound, and on cigarettes from $3.75 per thousand cigarettes to $1 a pound is considered equitable.

"The special duties on jams and confectionery of $10 per hundred pounds, will be reduced to three cents per pound the special duty of $2.50 on oats, $1.25 on oat hay and the special duty on coal will be abolished.

"Anomalous duties will be amended. Many of the changes to be made have been agitated for years, especially with regard to matches which were specially taxed $1 per gross for the benefit of the company owning the concession. This tax will be now reduced to 50 cents per gross."

No mention is made of the special duties which were suspended in 1897 owing to the agitation here, but which the Government reserved the right to reimpose. They remained suspended, but it is expected that they would be repealed.

The Story of Morning Tiredness

Is told by impure blood, poor digestion, sluggish liver and tired nerves. It is a warning of very serious trouble ahead, and should prompt sensible people to a bracing tonic like Ferrozone, an energetic invigorant and rebuilder. Ferrozone will give you a sharp appetite, promote good digestion and sound sleep; it will feed and energize the enfeebled organs, strengthen the nerve and vital forces and regulate the heart. Ferrozone changes that tired feeling into vigor, strength and ambition, and does it quickly. Remember the name, and insist on having only Ferrozone; its the best tonic made. Price 50c. per box, or six boxes for $2.50, at Druggists.

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A. R. M. BIBLE CLUB

Organization Meeting Held Wednesday Night

There was a good attendance and interest at the organization meeting of the A.R.M. Bible Club at the Y.M.C.A. Wednesday night.

The club will be led by Mr. M. A. Sorsoleil, who outlined the programme for the season, which will not only include Bible study on Life Questions, and their answers, but social and literary features. In order to save the multiplication of organization, it has been decided to include the work of the debating club as well.

With the following list of officers elected Thursday night, the club should have a most successful and highly profitable season.

Hon. President—R. J. Kidd.
President—B. E. Jackson.
Leader—M. A. Sorsoleil
Secretary—M. Blewett.
Librarian—W. Oswald.
Pianist—H. Meehan.
Executive—Officers and chairmen of committees.

The committees are as follows, the first named being chairman in each case;

Literary and Musical—F. Turner, N. Jolliffe, and Dr. Hall

Social—R. Dobbin, W. Richardson and W. Oswald.

Study—A. B. Cunningham, A. Drummond, A. Upton, and H. McNellis.

The first regular session will be held on Wednesday, October 15, at 7.30 p.m. The club is open to all men.

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OPERATORS MUST SETTLE OR MINE COAL SAYS GOVERNOR STONE

Given Six Days to Take One or the Other

If They Fail the Pennsylvania Legislature will be Called Immediately

To Enact a Law that will Allow The State the Right to Seize the Collieries

New York, Oct. 10.—The American and Journal claims the highest authority for the statement that unless a strike settlement is reached or the operators succeed in mining sufficient coal within the next six days to relieve the present coal famine, Governor Stone will call a special session of the Pennsylvania Legislature to pass a law creating a State Coal committee to seize the mines, under the right of eminent domain, and proceed immediately with coal production until the public demand is adequately supplied.

FAILED TO AGREE.

Efforts in this city to settle the anthracite coal strike by conferences between the leading politicians and the coal operators have so far proved in vain. Senators Platt, Quay and Penrose and Governor Odell of New York to-day again met the representatives of the coal interests in a lengthy conference, which adjourned this afternoon, leaving the situation practically unchanged.

The four politicians mentioned were closeted in Senator Platt's office from 10 o'clock until 12.30, when Chairman Thomas of the Erie road and President Baer of the Reading joined them to receive any proposition which they might have to offer. They remained but a little while, and then the conference dispersed. Chairman Thomas spoke for the operators, and gave out the following statement;

"It was impracticable to reach any conclusion of the situation on the suggested this morning."

The exact nature of the proposals made to the operators is not known. Whatever they were, they were rejected, and this afternoon there is no indication that any definite step has been made toward a settlement of the strike.

It is understood that another conference will be held on Tuesday next.

President Mitchell, when informed of the result of the conference said: "I have no official knowledge of the proceedings down there."

Mr Mitchell then went to the phone, and had a long talk with some one, it is not known whom. When asked if he would return to the city next Tuesday to attend the next meeting of the conference, he said he did not know, but that it was his intention to return home to-night.

ADJOURNED TILL TUESDAY.

The conference in Senator Platt's office came to an end just after 1 o'clock.

Governor Odell, the first person to emerge, said, in reply to questions; "There is not a word to be said."

Senator Platt, when seen later, said; "Everything has been put over until Tuesday."

President Mitchell remained at his hotel most of the day conferring with the three district presidents, who are here with him. L. N. Hammerling of Wilkesbarre and Father Ducey called, and remained with him some time. When Mr. Mitchell's attention was called to telegrams which it is

The conference in Senator Platt's and President Moyer of the Western Federation of Miners concerning Mr. Moyer's offer to co-operate with the mine workers by calling out the Western men, Mr. Mitchell said, "I have nothing to say." He would not discuss the matter, nor admit that it was under consideration.

SENATORS WERE SEEN.

New York, Oct. 9.—On arrival here to-night President Mitchell refused to say whether or not he had come to hold a conference with the operators. Late at night he went to the Fifth Avenue Hotel, where Senators Quay and Penrose, of Pennsylvania, were registered. There was a meeting between these men, but no information regarding it was given out.

Teacher Shot Seven, Five will Die

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 9—One of the worst tragedies in the history of Western Canada, is reported tonight from the small village of Altona, on the Manitoba side, near the North Dakota boundary line.

A school teacher named H. J. Toows had some difficulty with his trustees, and meeting them on the road while going to school drew a revolver and shot A. Rempel, J. Hiebert and P. Kehlers.

Toows then returned to the school and shot two of Kehler's girls and a daughter of Rempel's. He then pulled the revolver on himself and will die. Rempel, Heibert and two of the girls are also fatally injured.

CHURCH THREATENS NATIONAL SCOUTS

Boers Who Aided Britain in the War May be Fxcommunicated

Special to The Times.

London, Oct. 10.—A pastoral letter drawn up by the Synodical Commission of the Dutch Reformed Church throws a lurid light on the attitude of that church, says a Johannesburg correspondent. The letter threatens the National Scouts and others who helped Great Britain in the later stages of the war with excommunication unless they show deep contrition of their acts. The correspondent says that until this clause of the letter is repealed no request for compensation for war losses sustained by the church can be entertained by the Government. The National Scouts and others who aided the British number 4,500, and the correspondent remarks they have only the Government to look to for protection against the religious persecution to which the Synod has given its official support. Boers are every whit as priest-ridden as ever Ireland has been, and that church has the power to accelerate or altogether prevent the pacification of the country. Provided the church listens to reason, the Government might take into consideration the diminution of its funds likely to be occasioned by the impoverished condition of the people, but there should be no compensation by payment of a lump sum. An annual subsidy on certain definite conditions to enable the church to tide over bad years is the utmost that could be expected, and that would be politic.

Special to The Times.

London, Oct. 10.—The Times says that Lord Inverclyde, the chairman of the Cunard Company, in speaking at Glasgow yesterday, said that it was true that the money given to the company by the Government was in the nature of a subsidy. The company had undertaken to build two fast steamships of the description which no private company would have undertaken to build in the ordinary commercial way. The Cunard Line, said Lord Inverclyde, was giving the Government full value for its money.

RENEWAL OF COMMERCIAL TREATIES.

Special to The Times.

London, Oct. 10.—A Vienna correspondent says one of the chief causes of the existing deadlock over the Ausgleich is the disturbing effects of the present transition stage in international commercial relations, which effects have been aggravated by the depression of the past two years. Similar difficulties will also have to be overcome by some of the principal European states in connection with the renewal of commercial treaties. The efforts of Hungary, which was formerly a purely agricultural country, to create independent industries and secure a monopoly of the home market, cause jealousy and apprehension in Austria, which are not calculated to promote a settlement of the difficulties between the two States. One of the favorable features of the present crisis is the recognition of the fact that some agreement is practically indispensable in the economic interests of all concerned.

PLAGUE SPREADS AT ODESSA.

Special to The Times.

London, Oct. 10.—The manner in which the plague at Odessa has long defied all attempts to eradicate it, says a correspondent in that city, is causing great alarm, not only in Odessa, but also in the larger centres of South Russia. The most alarming circumstances in connection with the latest cases is the severe nature of the attack. Several cases have ended fatally within between twenty-four and forty-eight hours. In a majority of the large towns in South Russia precautionary measures on an extensive scale have been ordered with a view to minimising the possible consequences of the spread of the disease.

ROUMANIAN FLOATING DEBT.

Special to The Times.

London, Oct. 9.—The best hope for the Jews of Roumania, says an Athens correspondent, lies in the near approach of the moment when the Roumanian floating debt must be converted by means of a great loan. The influence of Jewish capitalists may then be of more avail in helping their suffering kindred than the whole force of humanitarian sentiment on both sides of the Atlantic.

FUNNY MINE NEAR A FUNNY RAILROAD

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HOW THE PLAN WORKS

Eaglesmere, Pa., October 9—From a little mine on top of a mountain, five miles away, Eaglesmere people are getting their hard coal at $2 a ton, if they haul it themselves, or $4 a ton, delivered. In Philadelphia anthracite is selling at $10 a ton, when there is any to sell.

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Wooster found an outcropping of coal in the race of a sandstone bluff, on the mountain top, about a year ago. He located his mine at once, built a rude breaker and started operations. The methods of mining and handling the coal are primitive and the workings probably constitute the funniest little coal mine in the state.

The mine is two and one-half miles from the nearest railroad, which is itself an oddity, and one of Wooster's best customers. The road is narrow-gauge, is owned by C. W. Sones and runs from his lumber camp to the junction with the Eaglesmere road. One locomotive burns all the coal the railroad buys from the mine. The engine is known as "No. 37" and looks like a caboose that has swallowed a locomotive all but the smokestack. Still, it draws heavy lumber and bark cars up the stiff grades.

Wooster's mine is probably only a beginning. Prospectors have been working all summer about the head waters of Loyalsock creek. They have found many outcroppings similar to the one Wooster found. When capital follows up their explorations, the big companies will probably come in, and there'll be no more $2 coal.

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The Peterborough team will be as follows;

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH. OCT. 11, 1902.

AN INEVITABLE MORAL

In New York State the Democratic party convention has passed a resolution urging the federal government to expropriate the anthracite coal mines.

W. R. Hearst, owner of some of the largest circulated newspapers of the United States, in accepting a nomination for Congress in a New York state district, proclaims himself in favor of government expropriation of the mines.

Dozens of newspapers in all parts of the United States are arguing in favor of expropriation.

This may be called socialistic or not; desirable or not; justifiable or not by what has occurred in the strike; but there it is, an idea grown tenfold in strength since this time last week, through the answer of the coal operators to President Roosevelt's overture for a settlement.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Such statements as General DeWet's plain and manly one, "We will remain faithful to our new country if the conditions of peace are observed," are the statements by which the Boer should be judged now by the British, in place of the easily-concocted fakes of yellow journalism as to Boer hidden intentions and schemes.

Patriot Reitz, a Boer refugee, has come to this country, says the Minneapolis Tribune, to raise some money for himself and his countrymen. Doesn't he know that Webster Davis has worked that graft to the limit on this side of the street?

A Photographic Introduction.

Many years ago, when tintypes first came into general use, the booth where pictures were made "while you wait" was the center of a large crowd at every county fair and popular resort. An old-time photographer tells an experience he had long ago, before the secrets of the camera were known to everybody.

He had set up a tent at a county fair, and was trying to drum trade. He stood outside his tent, calling in true hawker fashion the merits of his pictures. The people who gathered around were interested and curious, but somewhat in awe of the little black box inside the tent. Finally the photographer thought he might set the sheep to running by singling out one of the crowd and taking his picture free. Standing near each other were a young man and a young woman. Thinking that they would like to be taken together, and that the two would have more courage to face the camera than a lone victim, the photographer called out:

"That gentleman right there and that lady, come inside and I'll give you pictures in two minutes, free of charge!"

The two looked at each other, grinned, and finally came inside the tent.

"Stand right there," said the photographer. "That's it. Now hold still a minute. There you are. Now wait till I finish 'em up."

In a few minutes he handed them each a tintype in a pink paper frame. They looked at the pictures curiously. Then the young woman blushed and her companion grinned and tittered.

"Like 'em?" asked the photographer, briskly, thinking of possible customers in the crowd outside.

"Waal," said the man, slowly, "it looks like her, and I guess it looks like me, but ye see, I didn't know and I guess she didn't know we was goin' to be in the same picture."

"Thought you'd like 'em that way," answered the photographer. "Pleasant souvenir of your visit to the fair together."

"Waal, yes, but you see we didn't come together. I never seen her before."

Then the two snickered, and the photographer bowed them out as quickly as he could.

That year he did a good business, and at the next fair he set up his booth again. One day a young couple came in and greeted him with smiles of doubtful recognition. It was the young man and woman of the year before.

"How do you do?" cried the photographer, "I—I see you know each other now."

"Yes," answered the man, looking sheepishly at the girl. "My folks know some folks of hers over to Hopkins, and when they seen her picture they recognized it. An' that's how we got acquainted."

"I'm very glad," said the photographer.

"So'm I; ain't you, Lizzie?"

"Yes," said Lizzie, shyly.

REITZ IN NEW YORK

Says He Is Not a British Subject and Never Will

And Predicts That South Africa Will Yet Be Free—Increase of Natural Feeling

New York, October 10.—Mr Reitz former Secretary of the Transvaal, was formally welcomed to the city last night by the Committee of 60, composed of delegates from the United Irish American Societies of New York. Mr. Reitz was enthusiastically greeted by the delegates who presented him with an address of welcome. Reitz in response said: "I am particularly proud that my name has been associated with the war You cannot know the pride I feel in being able, in my old age, to stand up for the principles of justice, truth and liberty and to have my name coupled with the names of Botha and DeWet. And here I would explain a matter which has come to your ears. I refer to the charge that I signed papers of surrender and then broke my word. It is not so. When those papers were signed I told Kitchener I was signing them only in my representative capacity and not personally.

"I am not a British subject, I never was one and never will be one. I have come here to lay before the American public the cause of my country, to show them the injustice this so-called war, which was really murder. I would like to say, however, that even though the British have defeated us, they have also done something else. They have made all Africa come closer, they have increased the national feeling by their actions, and the day is not far off when Cape Colony and all Africa will rise up and throw off the power of Great Britain.

Commandant Schiamen spoke briefly. The meeting then went into executive session to discuss ways and means to aid the Boers.

—Hastings Star: Mrs. W. W. Huycke and family left on Tuesday for Peterborough where they will reside. Mr. Huycke has already been employed there for several months.

The many Peterborough friends of Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, formerly curate at St. John's church, will be pleased to learn that he has had a call to Plainfield, N.J., where he has been given a rectorate. Mr. Stevenson is a powerful preacher and a fluent speaker. The Times joins in extending hearty congratulations.

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Special to The Times.

Montreal, Que., Oct. 9—General Manager Shields of the Dominion Coal Company, when seen to-day regarding the despatch from Washington to the effect that the Mayor of Portland, Me., had received special facilities for the handling of 100,000 tons of Cape Breton coal, said he know nothing of the subject. What was meant by special facilities he did not know, unless it was the quick entry and clearance of the vessels.

He says Portland has already had 25,000 tons, but can have no more for the present.

The Canadian market must be supplied first. The Dominion company has an estimated output of about 3,000,000 tons annually. Of this the Canadian consumers take about two-thirds. At present there is no surplus on hand, but by January there will be, and then they will sell to any one who may require supplies. He does not believe that there will be any shortage in the bituminous coal supply.

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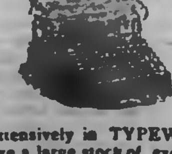

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The Chances of Long Life.

We should be afraid of the fear of death—not of death itself. If we follow this rule, there is no reason why we should not all become centenarians—so we are told in the "Revue d'Economie Politique" by M. Jean Finot. This author begins an article on the limitations of life by mentioning some traditional long lives. Among these cases are those of a resident of Goa, who is said to have reached his four-hundredth year in the enjoyment of all his intellectual faculties, a Scotchman who lived to be over 200 years old, and various monks of Mont Athos who have reached 150 years. He asserts that Servian statistics for 1897 show three persons between 135 and 140 years old, 18 from 126 to 135, 123 from 115 to 125, and 290 from 105 to 115. In 1890 there were, he says, in the United States, 3,981 persons over 100 years old and 21 in London. M. Finot cites a mathematical formula, which he credits to Dr. Richardson, by which anyone may get an idea of his probable length of life. It is only necessary to add the ages of one's father and mother to those of one's two grandfathers and two grandmothers, and the total divided by six indicates the exact number of years one should live. M. Finot does not believe that the average length of human life has been reduced. On the contrary, he believes that it is constantly increasing, owing to the progress of hygiene. Why do we grow old at all? The writer answers:

"For three reasons: First, want of physical exercise in the open air; second, poisoning by microbes which the phagocytes have not succeeded in destroying; third, fear of death. It is hard to imagine the importance of this last element. If a man fears death, it will carry him away. And yet it is quite pleasant to die; no sensation could be compared to it."

To prove this assertion, M. Finot quotes Heim, who related the sensations he experienced while falling with his companions from the summit of one of the Alps to a death which he miraculously escaped:

"At first a sense of beatitude, then complete insensibility to touch and pain; finally an extreme rapidity of thought and of imagination which in a few seconds enabled him to recollect the events of his whole life. Therefore, it is not death we should fear, but the fear it inspires in us. We are wrong, says Socrates, to fear death, as it is our greatest possession on earth, and Seneca adds that it is the best of the inventions of life, while Montesquieu concludes that we should shed tears for men when they are born and not when they die."

M. Henry de Varigny examines the question of longevity in "L'Illustration" from another point of view. He asks: Has the man of to-day a chance to live longer than the man of 2,000 years ago? He bases his conclusions upon charts and statistics published by Professor Karl Pearson in "Biometrika" and upon the researches made by W. Spiegelberg of Strassburg, on the age of Egyptian mummies. These conclusions are that an Egyptian who 2,000 years ago lived to be 68 years old was likely to live longer than a modern Englishman of the same age. M. de Varigny gives the following explanation:

"Evidently there was among the Egyptians a natural selection, resulting from environment, that does not take place to-day, at least to the same degree, among civilized people. The Egyptians who reached the age of 68 years had robust constitutions, and therefore their chances of longevity were exceptional. Mortality was higher among the children and the adults, and there was a kind of selection by death. The man of to-day is not stronger; he is possibly weaker. But the majority of the people live under conditions more favorable to longevity, because we know what conditions to promote. In other words, the greater expectation of average life is the result of the progress of sanitary science in the fullest sense, and not the result of an increase of vitality. It is the consequence of the evolution of man's intellect rather than of the evolution of his body."

For these reasons M. de Varigny asserts that although the chances of life have increased for infancy, youth, and the prime of life, they have not increased for old age.

DISTRICT NEWS

INDIAN RIVER.

—Mr. P. Bark has started a new barber shop on Front street.

—Friends will be glad to learn that Mr. A. Whibbs is steadily improving.

—Councillor Sullivan was here on Thursday. He shipped a fine young buck to his brother Ambrose, who intends to place him in his zoological gardens at Mt. Pleasant.

—Mr. John Kerr was the guest of Mr. Maurice Meade on Sunday last.

—Messrs Hall & Duff are doing a rushing business in grain this season.

—Mr. A. Shearer predicts two feet of snow on the 20th of October, to remain until Christmas.

—Mr. [illegible] reports that he plowed 17 1-2 acres in four days last week. Mr. Kinshirst is over 60 years old, but is still capable of doing a good day's work.

—Mr. Allan McCarthy, the well-known house mover, is busily engaged in removing the frame house from the lot on which the new skating rink is to be built, to a vacant lot near St. Andrew's church.

All the Anthracite In the World

In a renowned strip of land of say, fifteen by seventy miles, near the center of the State of Pennsylvania is contained all the true anthracite coal in the world. Here is concentrated the enormous vested wealth of all the anthracite coal-carrying railroads, whose influence and prestige have been used for years in forcing the lower-priced bituminous coals out of the domestic markets of the East. One of the most effective weapons used for this purpose is the clamorous outcry against the so-called "smoke nuisance"—an anthracite cry which has resulted in much hysterical and unjust, discriminating, legislation, which practically forbids the use of an economical fuel in our larger cities, a fuel that is not controlled by any combination or corporation of capitalists, and which cannot be "bottled up" like anthracite coal, at the whim and caprice of a few interested individuals.

In the East, in the small strip of coast line embracing the larger cities of the United States, the householder knows no fuel but anthracite coal. Forgetting the ways of our forefathers, and now forbidden by law to use bituminous coal, the inventive genius of our stove-makers—stimulated and fostered in this anthracite hot-bed—produces only burners for hard coal; for our cellars, our kitchens and our apartments, our retail dealers alive to the forced demand, keep nothing but anthracite coal for sale, and when a strike occurs in this small coal-producing area, cutting short their supply, we must go without fuel or burn corporation gas at four or five times the cost of production.

The laws forbidding the use of bituminous coal in our larger cities is class legislation of the worst kind. First, because it does not prevent the rich few from using expensive cannel coals—the heaviest smoke-producer known—and, secondly, because there is no reason why such laws should exist. In Great Britain, in Germany, in France, there is no anthracite coal mined or consumed. There the rich and poor alike burn bituminous coal, all carefully screened and prepared for domestic uses, and in improved burners whose perfect combustion prevents the escape of wasteful smoke. For smoke is simply unburnt coal, is nearly pure carbon, and should be consumed.—William Jasper Nicolls in "Era."

On the Amenities of Travel.

To a friend who was going to travel on the Continent, the late William Black, the novelist, once wrote a letter, which very amusingly hits off the most objectionable practices of the average Cockney tourist: "You must be sure, whatever custom house officers, station-masters, or policemen may do to you, never to strike them. It's no use. They have the law on their side, and in Italy they put thumbscrews on you. If the man is small, you might shove him over the edge of the platform just as a train is coming up; but in ordinary circumstances, the most you should do is to threaten to write to the 'Times.' If you say 'Teems' they will understand you. Never offer a cigar to a stranger until you find out he is not English. He might be English, and discover the cigar was bad, and be angry. A foreigner would not. You can easily find out the nationality of a stranger by addressing a few questions to him. If you think he is Spanish, say: 'Como esta, Luis?' to him; if Italian: 'Datemi una bottiglia de vino ordinario;' if French: 'Allez-vous ong, does your mother know you're out?;' if German: 'He Vaterland? Rhein wein. Who stole the clock?' By these means you will make yourself agreeable to your fellow-travelers, who will probably pay for your brandy and soda at the next station. But I would recommend you seltzer water rather than soda, with foreign brandy. You must always put out your cigar before going into a cathedral. Throwing bedroom furniture out of the window of your hotel is forbidden in France, but not so in Italy. If you happen to be in a theater in some parts of South Germany, you will find that foreigners are not allowed to hit the actresses with oranges; that privilege is confined to the natives. Nor should you on any occasion fling a lemonade bottle at an actor. You can send the present to his private address. Bearing these counsels well in mind, you will get through your journey in comparative quiet. You can let out your pent-up spirits when you return to England."

The Sinful Brother.

It was at a certain church meeting, and the good bishop was calling for reports. He had a rather stern, sharp manner which sometimes jarred a little on the nerves of the more timid. By and by he came to Brother B., a lay delegate.

"Brother B., what is the spiritual condition of your church?" demanded the bishop, briskly.

"I consider it good," said the brother.

"What makes you think it is good?" went on the bishop.

"Well, the people are religious. That's what makes me think so."

"What do you call religious? Do they have family prayer?"

"Some of them do and some do not."

"Do you mean to say that a man may be a Christian, and not hold family prayer?"

"Yes, sir; I think so."

"Do you hold family prayer?"

"Yes, sir," returned the brother, quietly.

"And yet you think a man may be a Christian and not hold family prayer?"

"I have a brother who is a better man than I am who does not hold family prayer."

"What makes you think he is a better man than you are?"

"Everybody says so, and I know he is."

"Why does not your brother, if he is such a good man, hold family prayer?" thundered the bishop.

"He has no family," meekly answered the brother.

Constancy.

'Tis better—aye, lift up the glass!
Once more I'll pledge it thus—
To die a good old Has Been—
Than to live a Never Was.

She—I am afraid that mother saw you kiss me last night. He—What makes you think so? She—Well, I know that she passed the conservatory some time between eight and eleven.—"Town Topics."

The Best Line

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LIVE LAKEFIELD LOCALS

Brief of News from our Pretty Northern Village

—Work on the new power house at No. 5 dam is progressing.

—Mrs. J. M. Kilbourn, of Owen Sound, is in the village.

—Mr. Roland Johnson, of Peterborough has purchased the stock and residence of Madill Bros. The latter go to Napanee.

—Mrs. McDonald, formerly of London, Ont., is now comfortably settled in her new quarters in the village.

—Mrs. Bravender has moved into the residence formerly occupied by Mrs. Peter Baptie.

—Miss G. Young has been visiting friends in Bobcaygeon this week.

—Mr. Elliott who is going to be permanently situated in the village as Grand Trunk agent, in Mr. Bravendon's place, is moving his family to the village.

—Mr. Campbell and Mr. Moore, of the Canadian General Electric Company, Toronto, were in the village relative to the installing of the new electric plant at dam three for the Lakefield Portland Cement Co.

—Special services are being held in the Presbyterian church all this week preparatory to the Communion Service to be held on Sabbath morning next.

—Rev. Dr. Torrance, of St. Paul's church, Peterborough, took charge of the special service in the Presbyterian church Wednesday evening.

—A harvest festival and concert was held in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening, under the auspices of St. John's church, which was well attended and very successful.

The Palmist and the Pope.

The diary of M. Desbarolles, the clever palmist who for years traveled about Europe enlightening sovereigns and meaner mortals on their various aptitudes, contains curious details about an interview he had with Leo XIII., who, strange to say, is inclined to believe in palmistry:

Desbarolles begins by discussing the hands of the Holy Father: "Poor, bloodless little hands," he says, "emerging from white silk mittens which were evidently too tight for them. They are not fat and comfortable, like those of most of the church dignitaries who surround him; not hard and wiry as were said to be those of Sextus V., who was a worker and carved many of the chairs arranged against the walls of the antecameras in the Vatican; not energetic-looking, like those of the soldier-Pope Julius II., or bloated and swollen, like the hands of apoplectic and hydropic Pius IX.; they are like two tiny ivory jewels, colder than the big sapphire surrounded with brilliants which he offers to the lips of his adorers. These hands, the touch of which is weird and almost unearthly, never answer by a pressure ever so slight, to that of a friend, but are full of reserve and never responsible. The lines which are in them are not so numerous as one would have expected, because there is only one set of them, those which correspond to the brain. There are none visible coming from the heart.

"Most likely a human and perhaps kind heart is beating under the Pope's red mantle, but he has always kept it under the mastership of a powerful mind—a mind decidedly inclined towards politics; too much so, in fact, for a holy prelate; and when I ventured to point out this trait of character I saw the lightless eyes of Leo XIII. blink and become as cold as those of a serpent; he was not pleased, and showed it by quickly withdrawing his hand from mine. I did not see avarice in the hand of Leo XIII. though he is said to be somewhat parsimonious; but he is at once a close reckoner and a strangely careless man about money matters.

"One knows, for instance, his almost ludicrous adventure with Monsignor Folchi, his ex-treasurer. An enormous sum of money, which had been sent in a bag of crimson velvet by the Roman Catholic people of New York, was nowhere to be found, and the wretched cardinal, much distressed by the anger of His Holiness, was sent about in the Vatican, and even to the police, with strict orders to trace the lost treasure. When he came back to the palace in a state of great distress—for his errand had been fruitless—he found the Pope blandly smiling. 'I must apologize,' he said, quietly. 'You were scarcely gone when I remembered that I had placed the bag in this little recess.'

"The hand of Your Holiness is often full," Desbarolles said, "and Your Holiness knows exactly what is in it." On which the prelate, with a sort of childish gesture, laughed softly, rubbing his knee with his left hand.

"I saw on the hands of the Pope," Desbarolles continues, "the gift of a wonderful memory, and also the love of all that is gorgeous and imposing. When I told him so, he answered, naively, 'Are not our beautiful ceremonies the best vehicle for bringing people into our churches, the women especially?'

"Besides these lines, I saw all those which are visible on the hands of painters, architects, poets, and even engineers. No wonder that one sees installed in the palace all the modern inventions, and that the first thing Leo XIII. did when he came to live in the Vatican was to put into corners, as mere ornaments, the wick lamps used by Pius IX. Gas was installed at once, but a few years ago this was discarded, and electric light is now shining all over the palace. Leo XIII. has a hydraulic lift to carry him up to his tower in the gardens, and a cardinal related to me how His Holiness spent a whole day talking and listening at the new telephone which he had installed between his summer residence and the palace."

After Desbarolles had told him all that he read in his hand, he heard His Holiness mumble between his teeth, "A Jack-of-all-trades, then?"

"Who would have become a master in each of them," courteously answered the palmist.

The Pope sighed. "Better be the Father of all men, M. Desbarolles," he said; "at least," he corrected, "if you see in my hand that I am worthy of my mission!"

DIED IN ROCHESTER

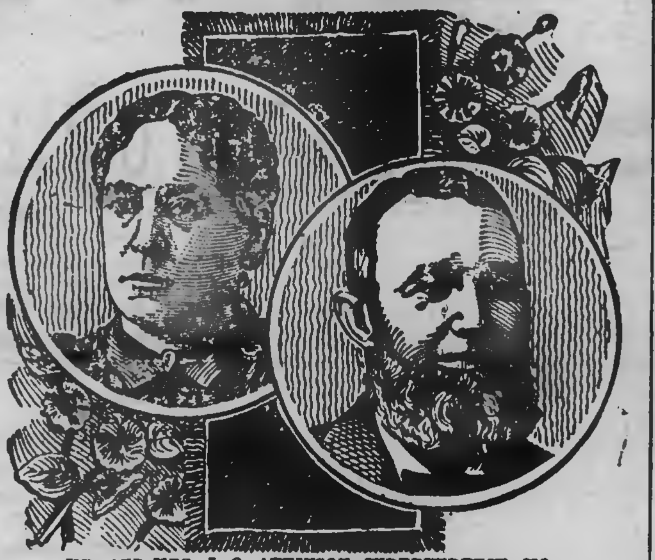
Thomas Bradley, Son of Mr. James Bradley Dies in Rochester

The sad intelligence was received in town yesterday morning, of the death of Thomas Bradley, son of James Bradley, sexton of the George street church. The deceased was about 23 years of age, and was a painter by trade. It is not known how he came by his death, as no particulars have been received. It is feared that he met with an accident while at work, although this is only surmised. Notice of the funeral will appear tomorrow.

The Times extends its sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Bradley in their bereavement.

THE OLD FOLKS AT HOME

Are Never Without Peruna in the House for Catarrhal Diseases.



MR. AND MRS. J. O. ATKINSON, INDEPENDENCE, MO.

Under date of January 10, 1897, Dr. Hartman received the following letter:

"My wife had been suffering from a complication of diseases for the past 25 years

"Her case had baffled the skill of some of the most noted physicians. One of her worst troubles was chronic constipation of several years' standing.

"She also was passing through that most critical period in the life of a woman—change of life. In June, 1895, I wrote to you about her case. You advised a course of Peruna and Manalin, which we at once commenced, and have to say it completely cured her. She firmly believes that she would have been dead only for these wonderful remedies.

"About the same time I wrote you about my own case of catarrh, which had been of 25 years' standing. At times I was almost past going. I commenced to use Peruna according to your instructions and continued its use for about a year, and it has completely cured me.

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In a letter dated January 1, 1900, Mr. Atkinson says, after five years' experience with Peruna:

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THE PARKES' FUND

Fifty One Dollars Subscribed Here for the Parkes' Family

The sum of 51 was subscribed by Peterborough citizens for the benefit of the Parkes' family, of Chandos Township, and $35 of it has been forwarded by the Times to Mr. Wm. Galloo, at Apsley, who will see that it is properly expended for the bereaved family.

Two or three of the subscribers have not yet handed in their subscriptions They are requested to do so at once, so that the balance of the funds may be forwarded as quickly as possible. Mr. Galloo will gratefully acknowledge the receipt of the money through these columns.

—A few of Mr. Frank Packenham's personal friends entertained him to an oyster supper on Wednesday night, in Mr. Harry Long's handsome palm parlours. It was a quiet affair, and was attended by the following gentlemen: Messrs. Will Higgins, R. M. Glover, Dr. Tate, Jack Gemmell, Jack Comstock, Manson Comstock, W. C. Ackerman, H. Waram, and R. Matchett. Short speeches were made by the boys, who expressed the hope that Mr. Packenham would meet with success in his new position in Montreal.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS

WHEAT	
Wheat	[illegible] to [illegible]
FLOUR AND MEAL	
Flour, patent process, cwt	$2 00 to 2 25
Flour, bakers', per cwt	2 25 to 2 25
COARSE GRAIN	
Barley, per bushel	38 to 40
Peas, small	77 to 81
Peas, mummies	77 to 80
Oats	30 to 31
Buckwheat	50 to 55
Rye	46 to 50
WOOL AND HIDES	
Wool, unwashed	08 to 09
Fleece Wool	11 to 13
Veal Calf Skins	08 to 10
Deakons	40 to 40
Beef Hides per cwt	6 50 to 7 00
Sheepskins	20 to 30
MEAT, POULTRY, AND DAIRY PRODUCE	
Beef by the quarter, per cwt	5 00 to 8 00
Mutton, per lb.	06 to 07
Spring Lamb, quarter	07 to 8
Dressed hogs, per cwt	8 50 to 9 00
Pork by the quarter, per lb.	10 to 12
Lard	13 to 14
Chickens, per pair	50 to 75
Ducks, per pair	60 to 90
Geese, each	75 to 1 00
Turkeys, each	75 to 1 00
Butter, fresh roll, per lb.	18 to 20
Butter, crock	16 to 18
Eggs, per doz	14 to 16
Hay, per ton	9 00 to 10 00
LIVE STOCK	
Cattle, choice butchers (steers, exporters and heifers)	4½ to 05
Medium butchers' (steers and heifers)	03 to 3½
Light cattle and cows	2½ to 03
Feeders, 1,000-1,100	3½ to 3½
Stockers	2½ to 3½
Hogs, select, 160-200	5 75 to 6 00
Fats and heavies	5 50 to 5 75
Lights	5 50 to 5 75
Sows	4 00 to 5 [illegible]
Stags	02 to 03
Sheep	3 00 to 3 25
Lambs, per lb.	3 to 3½
GENERAL	
Potatoes	1 00 to 1 25
Carrots	40 to 45
Wood, hard	5 00 to 6 00
Wood, soft	2 00 to 3 00
Straw, per load	2 00 to 3 00
Tallow, rendered, per lb.	05 to 07

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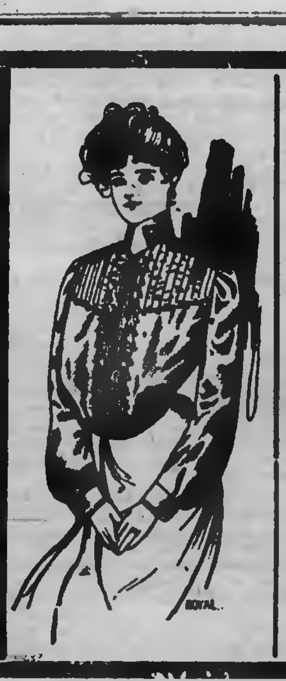

Our Fall Catalogue is Ready

And is full of illustrations and descriptions of the latest and best collection of new goods we've ever gathered together in this building. Below is a sample of the many opportunities you'll have of saving money by ordering through our Mail Order Department.

This Handsome Black Sateen Waist . . 95c

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Is to be found in every corner of this Store, as the Business grows, and fresh departments are added. Each section seems to catch the added inspiration. Saturday was opening day in our "Store for Men," and a right good opening it was. People came to look and remained to buy. Our "Climax Brand" of Clothing is going to be the popular brand, and well it might, with our broad guarantee.

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A very large range of Boys' 2-piece Suits—some new and natty designs and makes. Prices run from $1 98 to $5.00, and we show extra special value at
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We're proud of our Men's $10.00 Suits. They're right up-to-date in every essential; made of Tweeds and Worsteds; made to fit and made to wear; made to give perfect satisfaction.
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—To get along well: Begin at the top and dig down.

—Messrs. Gibson and Henry have begun their contract on the sewer from Charlotte street to Weller street.

—On Wednesday night a fine large dog belonging to Mrs. Innes, [illegible] George street, was given a dose of strychnine, and would probably have died had it not been for services rendered by Dr. Poole, Water street.

Santos-Dumont Answers His Critics.

M. Santos-Dumont has at last answered his critics. He publishes in the "North American Review" for June his first article on aerial locomotion, and, despite the criticism of scientists, he makes good his case of the air-ship against the aeroplane. Most of the criticisms have been to the effect that Santos-Dumont has been on the wrong track; that no balloon—an apparatus lighter than the air, at the mercy, more or less, of the winds of heaven—could ever become a commercial success; that though he could guide it to a certain extent, he could never be sure of reaching any point; and, finally, that the birds of the air, being themselves heavier than the air, moved by means of dirigible planes—wings—and were held in space by means of locomotion, which went to prove that similar human machines could alone be successful. That was and is in the main good reasoning. But Santos-Dumont says: "Beginning with this year, I shall attempt to apply in the air the principles of aviation properly so called, in subjecting my air-ships to a continual evolution. In the same proportion that I increase the extent of the inclined planes symmetrically disposed at the right and left, I shall reduce the surface of the envelope of varnished silk, and, consequently, the volume of hydrogen relatively to the power of the motor. Thus I expect gradually to diminish the role of the hydrogen, making secondary its importance, which is now primary, and even completely doing away with the use of this gas. The air-ship will then have become an aeroplane in the absolute sense of the word, and I hope that some day we shall see it such. That day is undoubtedly not far distant, but the flying-machine will be achieved only by the way of evolution, by making the air-ship pass through a series of transformations analogous to the metamorphoses by which the chrysalis becomes the winged butterfly. My air-ship, which raises itself by pushing back the air, has already done better than the chrysalis, whose elongated form it resembles. It may be that very soon nothing will prevent it from freeing itself completely from its cocoon of silk lined with hydrogen, and from being wholly comparable to a butterfly."

In other words, he began his experiments with a large balloon and small motors and planes. Gradually from practical experience in the air he reduces the size of the balloon, the quantity of hydrogen, and enlarges the planes and motors, and he says he has carried this far enough to prove to his own satisfaction that it is only a question of time and careful study to reduce the balloon to a minimum and the aeroplane principle to a maximum. That sounds right; that is the method of the great entity which laid down the laws of evolution; that is the survival of the fittest. And meantime the great aeronaut is experimenting in the air and not in the laboratory, which in such evolution contains the essence of ultimate success.

Dowie's Crisis.

"Harper's Weekly."

"Dr. John Alexander Dowie, self-acclaimed reincarnation of the Prophet Elijah, banker and publisher, divine healer and absolute owner of a town with more than 4,000 residents, General Overseer of the Catholic Church in Zion, lace manufacturer, and founder and head of the Theocratic party, former Presbyterian preacher and present millionaire, who is said to draw regularly every week one-tenth of the total income of more than thirty thousand families in the United States and other parts of the world, has apparently reached a crisis in his career, which has so far been a remarkable demonstration of the power possible to a man who combines shrewd business methods with the audacity and fierce earnestness of a religious fanatic. The cardinal doctrine of Dowie's creed is divine healing through the prayers of himself and of his apostles. By preaching this doctrine and by denouncing physicians and all drugs as allies of the devil, he has brought about him hundreds of invalids, some of them bringing with them considerable sums of money. Two weeks ago his only daughter, Esther, was terribly burned by flames resulting from the overturning of an alcohol-lamp. Her wounds were dressed by one of Dowie's elders, after which the General Overseer and his chief men spent the whole day in prayers about her bedside. At nightfall the young woman was suffering terrible agony, and at last paternal love overcame the scruples of her father, and he sent for one of the despised physicians. The physician who responded says that from the first there could have been no hope for Miss Dowie's recovery. She died during the evening. And now the thousands who actually look upon the gray-bearded old Scotch-Australian as more than human, and who have listened to his terrible denunciations of medical men as words inspired, are asking what they shall think of his own act of heresy in the hour of personal distress. Dowie himself slipped off to his summer home, leaving behind him his apostles and a number of phonographic records of his own "inspired speech," to which 5,000 followers, gathered in the Chicago Auditorium on Sunday afternoon, listened midway between awe and incredulity. Within recent months Dowie and the great religious-business enterprises he has built up have received several other severe shocks. By a court decision he was forced to pay more than $100,000 to an English manufacturer he had persuaded to take up his residence in the holy city of "Zion," located forty miles north of Chicago, on the shore of Lake Michigan, and more recently there was a severe outbreak of smallpox in the Divine Healing College which he has established in Michigan avenue. Whatever the outcome of the present crisis, it is certain that Dowie and the strange and fanatic following he has built up in ten years are worthy of the serious study of sociologists.

"Mamma," said the fair bather, "declares that my bathing dress has not enough goods in it." "Your mamma is mistaken," asserted the young man; "it covers your shoulders completely, does it not?"

An Attractive Resort

Kingston Whig:—John Brennan, of Leahy's grocery store, and Earl Hogan, of Dr. Daly's dental parlors, returned on Saturday from Rice Lake, north of Port Hope, where they spent the past ten days hunting and fishing. They had an enjoyable outing and succeeded in bagging considerable game and in landing some fine fish. They brought home a number of fine maskinonge, weighing from seven to fifteen pounds. The fish were of a splendid quality, as a member of the Whig staff can testify. Rice Lake has now become an attractive summer resort and hundreds of cottages dot its pretty shores. The fishing is of the best, and large catches are made every day. Hunting in the adjacent woods is also good, ducks and partridges being quite plentiful. The young men had an enjoyable outing. Their many friends are glad to welcome them back.

Mainly About People.

Mr. Harry de Windt, in his book, "Finland As It Is," tells of a bon mot of Andree, the Arctic explorer. Just before his last voyage he was driven to distraction at a dinner-party by a talkative neighbor. "But how will you know, professor, when you have really crossed the North Pole?" was one of many silly questions. "Oh, that will be simple enough, madame," replied Andree, with his well-known dry humor. "A north wind will become a south one!"

It is related that when the Earl of Rochester, in the reign of Charles II., rose to make his maiden speech in the House of Lords, he said: "My lords, my lords, I rise this time for the first time—the very first time. My lords, I divide my speech into four branches." Here there was an embarrassing pause of some seconds. "My lords," the earl then ejaculated, "if ever I rise again in this House, you may cut me off, root and branches, and all forever."

The father of Earl Fitzwilliam, who died recently, was an excellent landlord. A London paper relates how once a farmer went to him with the complaint that the earl's fox-hunters had ruined a field of corn, or, as we should call it, wheat. The earl gave the man fifty pounds in payment for damage. After harvest-time the farmer returned the money, saying that the wheat had turned out well, after all. Earl Fitzwilliam drew a check for one hundred pounds and gave it to his tenant. "This is as things should be between man and man," said he. "When your eldest son comes of age, give him this, and tell him how and why you got it."

Wu Ting-fang, the Chinese Minister, told the ladies of the Washington Law College a story Saturday night that made them all laugh. "I was at a banquet a few nights ago," he said, "and I met the wife of one of the members of Congress. She sat near me at table. I tried to be entertaining. Finally she leaned over and said: 'Oh! Mr. Wu, we all think you are so brilliant. Isn't it a pity you are only Chinese?'"

The late Noah Davis, justice of the Supreme Court of New York, was one of the many judges and lawyers who make the court room the scene of some of our best wit and humor. Once a lawyer objected to a witness, but Judge Davis refused to sustain him. The lawyer cried, "But, Your Honor, I submit—" and here he broke off." "That's right," said the judge, quickly; "always submit. Crier, adjourn court!" In one case over which he presided there were fifty-five distinct offences, and four counts on each offence, two hundred and twenty in all. "Well," said Judge Davis, "there are more counts than in a German principality."

When Collis P. Huntington, the late president of the Southern Pacific Railway, was married for the second time, Henry Ward Beecher performed the marriage ceremony. Huntington's first wife had been dead less than one year, and he desired the second marriage to be kept secret until his return from Europe. He gave Mr. Beecher a marriage fee of $1,500. When Huntington returned, some months later, he went through a public ceremony, and Beecher again officiated. He gave Beecher another fee of $1,500. The great preacher had his humor aroused by this second fee. Turning to Huntington, he said: "Collis, I do wish you were a Mormon."

The butler in a Scotch family occupies a privileged and unique position. He sometimes assumes a freedom of speech which seems to American ears to border on impertinence; but to those who knew him his frank speech is only one of the many evidences of his interest in the family welfare. A young New York woman was the guest at a house where a butler of that sort reigns. She submitted to his patronage with much amusement; but one day there were unexpected and important guests for dinner, and a little while before the meal was served the butler waylaid the young American in the hall. "I'm fearin' there'll no be quite enough soup," he whispered, "so when it's offered, ye maun decline it, leddy." "Decline soup, James?" she said, laughing. "Why, that would not be polite." "Weel, not precisely," said James, with a benignant smile," but they'll a' make excuse for ye, thinkin' ye hae nae better."

Frith, the celebrated Royal Artist, once painted a portrait of himself, and in the course of years forgot all about it. But a friend entered his studio one morning and asserted that a capital picture of him was on view in a small shop in Great Portland street. "It's not a bit like what you are now," observed the friend, "but it may have resembled you some years ago. Go and look at it." Mr. Frith went, and found his own image after an estrangement of forty-five years. He determined to buy it, though he had not the faintest recollection of having painted it. "Ah, a portrait!" said Frith to the woman in charge of the shop, after he had pretended to examine several other works. "Whose likeness is that?" "That," said the lady, "is a portrait of the celebrated artist Frith, painted by himself." "Why, he must be an elderly man," put in the artist. The woman remarked that he was young once. "Humph!" quoth the genial W. P. F.; "not much of a picture." To this the woman demurred, and asked £30 for the canvas. It was Frith's turn to appear surprised. "Well," replied the shopkeeper without moving a muscle, "it cost us nearly as much; we shall make a very small profit. You see, it is very valuable because the artist is deceased." "Deceased," exclaimed the astonished painter, "Dead, do you mean?" "Yes, sir; died of drink. My husband attended the funeral." Frith bought the picture, but did not revive for some time.

English.

A Washington lady who is so fond of her home that she stays in it sometimes all the year round, was assailed, says "Lippincott's Magazine," by a conventional friend in conventional language.

"I know that you usually wintered here," she said, "but I was astonished to hear that you had summered here."

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vember, you know," but really to see for themselves the scene in which they might have been shocked at Winifred Gray's boldness, if she had not run off the first night of the piece with Lord So-and-so.

As if the fates were tireless in agitating the "boom" which had saved "Mazeppa" for the benefit of its needy manager and its company of actors, Brighton was favored with another sensation on the very morning after the girl's disappearance.

The startling posters which had been put up only on the afternoon of the first performance were all either torn down from their hoardings or destroyed beyond recognition, the name of Winifred Gray being stripped away from underneath the picture in every case.

Other posters of the same design were ordered and put up to replace the damaged ones after a day or two's delay (for Lionel Macaire still had it in his power to take this mean revenge); but on the following morning they were seen to have gone the way of their predecessors, even though a reward had been advertised for the detection of the guilty person.

Meanwhile Lionel Macaire remained in Brighton, having sent for a detective from a certain well-known private agency, not to be on the watch, save incidentally, for the destroyer of the posters, but to take up the scent from the start and track down Winifred Gray.

He did not move openly in the matter, Wantage, as business manager of the company, acting for him. But even if the interest which he took in finding the girl leaked out, it could not damage his reputation. He it was who had given the first kick to the football of scandal which at the time of the Duke of Clarence's Theater incident had linked their two names together. Now he was to be pitied, both as the financial backer of a company treacherously deserted by its principal member and as a lover deceived by her upon whom he had heaped benefits.

The detective was certain that by some method, which it was his duty to discover, the girl had contrived to get away not only from the theater but from Brighton. Everybody else believed this, of course; but then only two or three persons knew the real reason why it would have been especially difficult for the actress to escape. Only Wantage, Jeffrey, Mrs. Purdy, Lionel Macaire, and now the detective, were aware that Winifred had been prepared for the "great scene" while fainting, and that, so far as could be ascertained, she had had no possible opportunity or even time for changing. In spite of this fact, however, the man from Sleigh's agency persisted in his theory. The girl must have hidden herself somewhere in the theater for hours, and then received assistance from outside. Once away, she would naturally have taken steps to leave Brighton as soon as possible. Her mother, who had just returned to London, was shadowed, but in vain. It was discovered that Mrs. Gray was ill in a nursing-home in Welbeck street, and that she had within the last few days suffered a relapse; but nothing could be learnt there about her daughter.

Lionel Macaire, however, could not be brought to share the detective's theory. He was utterly without religion, yet his was a superstitious mind. He believed in the warning power of dreams, or curious coincidences which had sometimes ruled his conduct on the Stock Exchange or in racing. He had a conviction that Winifred Gray was not far from him; and while it kept its grasp upon him he wished to linger in Brighton.

So a week passed on, and still "Mazeppa" flourished at the Thespian Theater; and still the detective had been able to learn nothing of importance about Winifred.

CHAPTER XVII.

The Masked Minstrels.

On the eighth day after Winifred's disappearance Lionel Macaire went out late in the afternoon from the Hotel Metropole, where he was staying, and walked slowly along the King's road. He was thinking of Winifred, as he almost always was now, not sure whether he most loved or hated her; and with thoughts of the girl came up memories of his strange past. Before the eyes of his mind rose the image of a woman far more beautiful than Winifred, of whom the girl reminded him in some of her moods. If that chapter of his life could have ended differently, perhaps he would have been a different man.

"F. E. Z." Though the woman's fair face was only a memory—distant though never dim—and her place in what he called his heart had been usurped by a girl thirty years younger than she—those initials had the power to call up a thrill even now, half delicious, half painful. Oddly enough, just as he hated and loved Winifred Gray at the same time, so he had loved and hated that other woman. Since he could not have her, he would kill her if he could; if she had had a son he believed that it would have given him a subtle pleasure to be revenged for the past, through him.

Suddenly he remembered the dark young man who had called at the Duke of Clarence's Theater, with an introduction to George Anderson from F. E. Z.

It had been in Macaire's thoughts at the time that the good-looking young fellow in the odd clothes might have been more than a mere friend to the beautiful woman whom so many had adored. When F. E. Z. had vanished from the world where she had scintillated as a bright, particular star—vanished as mysteriously as Winifred Gray—she had been older than Winifred was now; twenty-three or twenty-four perhaps.

That was now twenty-seven or twenty-eight years ago. He had been a young man then, poor and obscure, though he had already secretly sown the seeds of his great future. Now he was rich almost beyond his own knowledge; and he was fifty-six years old, past middle age, though his heart was hot as it had been in his youth.

The man whom he had seen at the theater, in the very act of doing personal injury to an employee of his, could not have been more than six or seven and twenty; therefore his relationship with F. E. Z. could hardly have been that of a lover, unless she had by some magical power carried the charms of her youth through the chill shadows of middle age. Macaire's narrowed eyes had studied the clear-cut face for traces of a likeness. He had not seen what he sought; still, the fancy had lurked in

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STOCK MARKETS

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New York, Oct. 10.—While on the subject of steel stocks to which we have devoted our last three letters, we cannot refrain from again calling your attention to the shares of the Pressed Steel Car and Car and Foundry. About six weeks ago when pressed steel was 51 and car and foundry 30 we sent out a letter to each one of them separately, recommending their purchase for a good advance, also analyzing both properties so our clients would be thoroughly familiar with them. If you will consult your file of our letters you will see how urgent and ultra bullish both of these letters were. Both stocks duly made each a tremendous advance, and, in the face of serious obstacles, a close money market. Had the market for money been normal, we believe each of these issues would today be quoted at least five points higher than their yet best recorded prices.

We believe pressed car will shortly sell above 75 and car and foundry around 45. These two companies will undoubtedly be consolidated sometime within the next twelve months, and there is every reason to believe that once they are one concern the Pullman Palace Company would be likely interested in their management; they are the people who would like to be in control of the consolidated corporation.

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We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the above institution, which will be found in this issue. This system is said to be easily learned —in fact acquired in one-fifth the time taken for other systems. Those interested should communicate with Mr. W. E. Moon, Principal, Corner Yonge and Bloor streets, Toronto.

St Luke's Church

The opening meeting of the Mission Band will take place this afternoon at 2.30. All children are invited to be present. The work of the band is principally for missionary objects. At present the band has undertaken to clothe an Indian girl in the North-west, but sewing and fancy work will also be taught. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion.

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Dan Spence Memorial

A meeting of the Dan Spence Memorial Fund committee was held in the Town Clerk's office on Thursday evening. His Worship T. H. G. Denne, Reeve John Smith, and Messrs. G. M. Roger, Jas. Succee and D. W. Dumble were present. As the money was raised for the purchase of an ambulance, and as at a meeting of the subscribers held some time ago, it was decided to do nothing else with the money other than that which was intended, the committee had nothing further to do than to look into prices, styles, etc., of ambulances. It will cost at least $800 for an ambulance, and as there is only $400 subscribed, the committee decided to meet the Ashburnham and Peterborough councils, in order that they may learn whether or not the municipalities will make up the balance. A representative of one of the leading ambulance firms will be in attendance at the next meeting.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and Social nature, either by 'phone or in writing.—[Ed Times]

—Mrs. John Moore and her nephew, Master Hamilton Graham, have returned from a visit to Winnipeg.

—Mr. McDonald, Kingston, recently arrived in town and is employed at the Canadian General Electric works.

—the Montreal Star says the Misses Burke, of Peterborough, are in town the guests of Mrs. F. W. Parker, Crescent street.

—Yesterday noon His Honor Judge Edmison left for Havelock to hold a session of the County Police Court.

—Mr. William M. Lowe, who has been on the staff of the Monetary Times, of Toronto, for the past few years, will spend a few days on or about Thanksgiving Day with his Peterborough friends before leaving for the Coast in November.

—Many of our local hunters are now making preparations for the annual deer hunt.

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The Norman Mining Company Offer Safe Investment

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TO ARRANGE FOR FUEL

Meeting of the Town Council to be Held This Evening

A meeting of the Town Council will be held this evening with a view to making some arrangements for a supply of fuel for the town. The several wood and coal merchants of the town will be there, and a serious effort will be made to settle the difficulty. The scarcity of fuel is now being felt severely, and it is necessary that immediate action should be taken. Toronto's success in this matter should be a help for the Peterborough aldermen.

MRS M'CARRELL'S DEATH

Passed Away Yesterday Morning at the Residence of Her Son

The death of Mrs. Eliza McCarrell, relict of the late Varcey McConnell, occurred yesterday morning at the residence of her son, James, lot 19, con. 4, Emily. The late Mrs. McCarrell was in her 81st year, and was born in Manvers township, but early in life moved to Emily. She was held in high regard by her many acquaintances. There survive her three sons, William, John and James, of Emily, and four daughters, Mrs. Wm. McGregor, of Carbury; Mrs. John Porter, of Chatham; Mrs. I. W. Wilson, Sault Ste. Marie; and Mrs. Wm. McColl, Cavan.

The funeral will take place to-morrow morning at 10.30 from the residence of her son, Mr. Jas. McCarrell, lot 19, con. 4, Emily, to Omemee cemetery.

MR. BRADLEY'S DEATH

Particulars of the Accident Which Cost a Life

The remains of Mr. Thomas Bradley, son of Mr. James Bradley, town, who lost his life through an accident in Rochester, N.Y., on Wednesday last, arrived on the 6.35 Grand Trunk express yesterday evening. Mr. Will Bradley, of Rochester, brother of deceased, accompanied the remains.

It appears that the deceased was engaged in painting a church, and, with a companion, was working on scaffolding 65 feet above the pavement. When noon hour came, on the fatal Wednesday, the two men decided to climb over the wall and descend by a ladder on the other side. They were in the act of doing this when the hook which held the ropes supporting the scaffolding gave way, and Mr. Bradley fell, striking on his head, causing instant death. His companion managed to hang on to some ropes, and was saved.

The deceased was a member of the Mystic Circle, who sent a superb wreath of flowers. Many other wreaths from friends in Rochester, where Mr. Bradley was very popular greatly esteemed, accompanied the remains.

Mr. Bradley was 27 years of age and was unmarried. The funeral will leave the family residence, 625 Aylmer street, on Sunday, at 2.30 p.m.

The bereaved parents and family have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in their great sorrow.

EXCHEQUER COURT

There will be a session of the Exchequer Court here on Monday morning at 11 o'clock, to be presided over by Hon. Geo. W. Burbidge. The case is Rex vs. Hull, which is of the nature of an information or suit to compel John Hull, of Lakefield, to receive the amount that was tendered him for damages in the construction of the Trent Valley Canal. The amount tendered was $6,500. It is claimed that the blasting operations in connection with the building of the canal in the vicinity of his mill at Lakefield seriously interfered with his business, and a portion of land adjoining the mill was also appropriated. The case was instituted in 1895, but has not yet been taken up by the Court. C. F. Shepley, K.C., Toronto, and R. R. Hall, Peterborough for plaintiffs; G. H. Watson, K.C., Toronto, and D. W. Dumble, K.C., Peterborough, for defendants.

FOOD VS. RECREATION

Good Food of the Greatest Importance

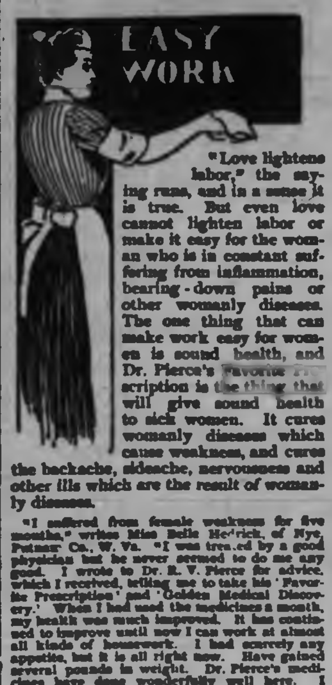
There is really no need to go away for rest if one will take scientifically made food that rebuilds the nerve centres and makes work a comfort and pleasure.

One of our prominent novelists was sent to Colorado. "Ride every day, sleep in a tent, eat when you are hungry" my physician told me, "but food did not satisfy me and rest would not end the fatigue that had me in its grip. I was a mere machine; eating, sleeping, walking riding, but unequal to a day's work and with no zest for the day's pleasure.

At the lowest ebb of strength and courage, my eye fell on a piece of newspaper with which my guide was making a camp fire and I picked it up and read, 'Grape-Nuts, a Food for Brain and Nerve Centres.' I read on, it seemed to be a description of my own case cured by a diet of Grape-Nuts. I sent for a supply of the Food by the next pack-train that left my camp. It came, 45 miles from the nearest settlement, on a burro's back. That night I ate Grape-Nuts without cream, milk or sugar. It tasted good, I felt that for the first time in six months, that I had been fed.

I went to my bed of pine boughs, slept like a tired child, and woke rested. Then I knew that I had found what I needed, better than a new sky, better than exercise, better than rest, because lacking the food the exhausted nature was crying for, these things could not help me.

I am well now. If, in the future, I win any rewards by my pen, I shall count them gained by the food that made work possible to me and that gave back to me my old joy in living." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.



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ST. PETER'S T. A. S

The Literary committee in connection with the T.A.S. open the entertainment season on Monday evening with a first class concert in the rooms.

The officers of the Literary Society this year are, R. J. Begley, chairman, and Alphonse Delaire, secretary.

The membership tickets have been issued, and will be on sale at the rooms. They can also be procured from members of Literary committee.

Rev. Father Murphy, of New York, has again shown his warm interest in St. Peter's T.A.S. by donating several fine volumes to the library of the society.

Mr. Fred Cook and his staff of painters have given the finishing touches to the concert hall, and the society are now in possession of an ideal hall for entertainment purposes.

The Athletic section of the Society will give an evening in the rooms on Thanksgiving night.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—A new crossing is being built at the G.T.R. track on Charlotte street.

—The Young men's Guild, of St. Paul's church, will meet at 8 o'clock next Tuesday evening.

—Chief Rosard has awaiting the owner a bunch of keys attached to a deer's foot.

—Miss Flaherty, of Merriton, Ont., recently commenced her duties as organist of St. Joseph's church, Douro.

—Mr. E. A. Bennett, who spent the summer at Stony Lake, hooked no less than 73 'lunge during the season.

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The size of the Family Herald and Weekly Star and the high quality of the reading matter with which its columns are filled together with its cheapness, make one wonder how it is possible. But it is done and the reading public are getting the benefit.

—The Canadian Cordage Manufacturing Company will resume work with a full complement of employees on October 14th, the Otonabee Power Company supplying power from the power house at Dam No. 5.

—On Friday last Campbellford voters decided to bonus two concerns to be operated in that place, one being the Western Shoe Company, and the second the firm of Dickson Bros. This policy is now being adopted by many towns in the province, and more are likely to follow.

—Two little girls in the neighborhood of Hunter and Simcoe streets, have lately been annoying persons passing up and down the street. One of their victims was a little girl, whom they relieved of a parcel she was carrying, and another an old lady, who was unable to protect herself. Such conduct as this should not be allowed.

—The buildings on the site of the new rink are being removed to Kirk street, north of St. Andrew's church. The barns and sheds are to be used as workshops during the work on the buildings, and the rink will be made ready for use as soon as possible, and is expected to be in time for the season's opening.

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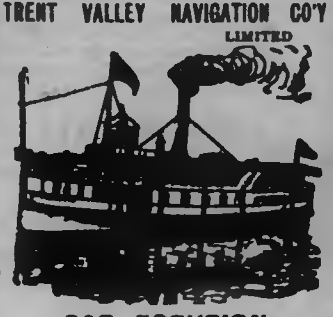

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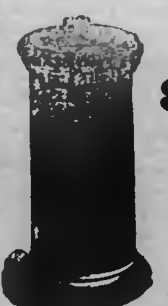

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Novel Suggestion Made By an American Civil Engineer

HE WOULD GO DOWN FIVE MILES

The Result He Expects Will Finish The Coal Trust—Gossip From the Nation's Capital

Special to The Times.

Washington, D.C., Oct. 12.— Substitutes for coal are what we want now, and want them bad. A civil engineer, whose name is prudently withheld, has recently presented to the Navy Department a comprehensive scheme to drive coal out of the market even more effectually than it has now been driven, and so prominent a man, as Rear Admiral Melville has permitted himself to be published as saying that he sees nothing wild or erratic about the plan. This being so, and the need for more heat being imperative, we may expect soon to hear of the formation of a trust to tap and monopolize the internal fires of the globe and peddle them out to the unfortunates who crawl around on the earth's crust at prices just low enough to undersell the coal trust, but not low enough to give the freezing masses any real relief. The new scheme wouldn't be a real trust if it did not "charge all the traffic will bear."

The scheme spoken of is so simple and promises to be so effective that it is strange indeed nobody has sooner thought of it. It is proposed just to put down a tube, and let some of the earth's internal heat out. To keep it always bottled up means at intervals such affairs as that of Mont Pelee, by which certainly a vast amount of heat was wasted and without the least discoverable benefit to anybody to offset the frightful havoc done. The proposal is to sink a "U" tube (that is, two parallel tubes a few feet apart, and united at the bottom); it will not be needful to sink the tubes very deep, not more than about five miles. At that depth it is believed that everything is piping hot, yet not in a state of fusion. There may be a little difficulty about uniting the two tubes at the bottom but there are two plans for accomplishing it. One is to send down dynamite and blow out a pocket which would be tapped by both tubes and would answer as well as welding them. The other is to drive them on a slight angle toward each other, so that they will come together at the five-mile level. The pipes being down (and the engineers seem to think the getting them down, a mere matter of detail— given the money, engineers will undertake nowadays to do anything), the pipes being down, it might be sufficient just to let the hot air (or whatever there may be down there, instead of air), whiz out, and catch it and bottle it as it comes or pipe it where needed.

But the proprietor of this big idea is not satisfied with any such plain and easy handling of it. He wants power out of it as well as heat. His scheme calls for an unending supply of superheated steam days, nights and Sundays, without a cent of outlay for fuel. He figured on having steam enough to drive dynamos enough to supply both heat and power to the whole district now dependent on the anthracite mines for fuel. His little device for securing this unlimited steam supply has the simplicity of all great ideas. It is simply to pour water down one of his tubes and let the steam come up the other. He has all the confidence that most inventors have in untried schemes, that all the water would be instantly converted into steam on its arrival below, and that the pressure of a five-mile column of water behind it would force it up the other tube with volcanic force. But he thinks that being prepared for it and having the proper appliances in waiting he could harness even a volcano and distribute its earth-rending forces around in the right sized parcels so that it would not only be harmless, but would do a world of good —the greatest good of all being that the coal trust would be left without a shadow of excuse for longer cumbering the earth.

WIFE IS WEDDED

Miner Returned from Klondike to Find Another in His Place

REPORTS OF HIS DEATH

When The Supposed Widow Waited a Year and Took Another Husband

Meriden, Ct., Oct. 12—Without making himself known to his wife, whom he had not seen for years, without kissing his son, whom he had never seen, Jacob Watrous, hiding from them even the fact that he lives, has returned to distant Alaska.

Five years ago Watrous went from Durham, this state, to the Klondike to seek his fortune. Hearing that he was dead his wife married again. A week ago Watrous came back and learned that the wife had taken another husband, whom the baby boy called papa. He went unrecognized to the house where his wife dwells, saw the baby boy and successor in the office of husband and departed.

When no more letters arrived from Watrous to his wife, and she read in a newspaper that a party of miners had found four bodies buried in the Alaskan snow and that papers on one positively identified it as that of Jacob Watrous, she waited a full year, then ceased to mourn him and married Turner.

Watrous returned to Meriden a week ago. He had prospered in the Klondike and he wished to give his wife a joyful surprise, not only by appearing before her unannounced, but by telling her the unexpected news of his good luck. Without making himself known to his friends here, Watrous engaged a carriage to drive to Durham. He questioned the liveryman, recalled Jacob Watrous, and asked if he had ever known him.

"Oh, yes," lightly answered the man. "Watrous went gold hunting years ago, and died in Alaska; his wife married again to Otto Turner."

Watrous was thunderstruck, but hid his surprise. Dusk was falling when he arrived at Turner's house, before which a little boy was playing. Turner whom Watrous instantly recognized opened the door,

"Come in, Jakey; supper's ready," he called.

"Yes, papa," the child answered, and ran into the house. The child was Watrou's and bore his name of Jacob. Watrous stood for a few moments before the house that sheltered all that had been dear to him.

"She has forgotten me," he said. "Best let her continue to think I am dead." He returned to his carriage and was driven here. He met three or four of his old friends, who could scarcely believe that the broad-shouldered, bronzed, bearded man from the Klondike was the pale, slender Jacob Watrous with whom they parted five years ago. Watrous told them of his unalterable determination to go back to Alaska.

"LINE" STORES ABOUND ON EASTERN BORDER

How the Line Store is Run to Evade Custom Duties

Merchant Build on the Line and Keep Goods Produced in Both Countries

Montreal, Oct. 13—What are called "line stores," and in many cases are so designated by large signboards, are a well known institution along the boundary between Canada and Maine. The governments of both Canada and the United States look with suspicious eyes upon those stores, and there has been more or less talk of joint action to prevent the erection of any buildings upon the boundary line.

There is a door on each side of the line, with which line the shelves and counter run parallel, and thus there is a Canadian store and an American store, each with its own entrance. On the Canadian side are Canadian goods, such as woolens, blankets, dress goods, ready-made clothing, fur coats and robes, carpeting, buttons, sugar and some lines of hardware. On the American side are cotton goods, prints, Yankee notions, tobacco, jewelry, kerosene oil., etc., and on this side farm produce is taken in exchange. The Canadian and the American goods are kept, each on their own side, and no attempt is made to conceal the fact that both are there. The Canadian customer can go in at the Canadian door, purchase Canadian goods on the Canadian side and go out again without having crossed the boundary line at all, and the American customer can do the same on his side, but, while the storekeepers keep the two classes of goods separated they do not ask the customers any questions, and they can buy at either counter, and make their exit by either door.

Stores of this kind are chiefly found on the line between the province of Quebec and the states of Vermont and New Hampshire and the northwestern part of Maine, but they are not unknown on the line that divides northeastern Maine from New Brunswick. They are always a mile, generally several miles, from a custom-house station. It is related that one man who built a line store took up a boundary post and did not replace it. He afterward sold out and moved away, and the post was set down at random by his successor. Sometimes a store is on one side of the line with a warehouse exactly on the line. There are a few manufacturing industries located on the line, including, it is said, one that makes patent medicines and requires considerable alcohol.

On the Maine and New Brunswick line the stores are mostly devoted to the sale of liquor. There was a rather notorious resort near Houlton, known as the Line House, where men gathered from Aroostook County towns on a Sunday to drink "imported" liquors. One night the place took fire and was burned, much to the relief of the customs officials and the respectable residents of the locality.

In some places there are two stores, separated by but a few feet and connected by a board walk, by which goods can easily be transported from one building to the other. It is a very convenient arrangement, for people who don't mind dodging the customs laws. A provincial man can step across the floor to the Maine side, and buy some tobacco, and a Maine man can move across to the New Brunswick side and get some liquor, all under the same roof. Farm produce can be changed from Canadian to United States produce in short order. A manufacturer can get raw material from both sides. Canadian produce can be exchanged for Yankee jewelry or notions, Canadian woolens into American cottons, and so on. Of course, it is not admitted for a minute that the line houses were built for smuggling purposes— but there they are, right on the line, and it would be a great relief to the two governments if they were not there.

SOME BITTER CHAPTERS

In Kruger's Book on the Boer War Just Published

London, October 13—The political chapters of Kruger's book, now in the press, reveals more bitterness in dealing with Hon. Mr. Chamberlain and Lord Milner than in the treatment of Cecil Rhodes. Mr. Chamberlain is charged with complicity in the Jameson raid, the telegrams between Flora Shaw and Mr. Rhodes, produced before the Parliamentary committee and large inferences being drawn from the suppression of other telegrams, and from the Colonial Secretary's defence of Mr. Rhodes, after the close of the investigation.

Hon Mr. Chamberlain is accused of organizing a systematic campaign of provocation on the late Boer Republics, after the failure of Jameson's dash, and is reproached for misrepresenting the facts embittering British opinion, and bringing on the war. Lord Milner is described as a marplot, who acted captiously and without reason at the Bloemfontein conference, and as an accomplice of Hon. Mr. Chamberlain in harassing and provoking the Dutch allies.

The Reform party, of Johannesburg, is dismissed with contempt as opera bouffe conspirators, who had no thought of exposing themselves to danger, but were bent upon dragging England into complications with Boer states. Mr. Kruger explains in detail how troublesome it was to save Jameson's life when the Burghers were exasperated, and how impossible it was for the Boer leaders to argue with anybody so unreasonable as Mr Chamberlain, especially in matters in which the British Government wa ters in which the British Government was dealing insolently with small states. Mr. Kruger's book, while characteristic and interesting, is not a peace offering for the settlement of racial feuds.

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The system is applicable not only to New York City, but to other large cities of a fair sized population, and it is the intention of the American Penny Express Company to branch out in other cities and adopt the same method there as they are now running so successfully in New York City.

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RAILS SPREAD

A Double Header Grain Train from Midland Meets with an Accident

Another double-header grain train from Midland met with a serious mishap on Thursday morning, about three o'clock, but it was not accompanied with any loss of life.

Soon after leaving Lorneville, and when about four miles from the scene of the fatal wreck on Sunday, Sept. 21st, the rails spread under the heavy train and seven cars were thrown into the ditch and a number of others damaged by the sudden application of the brakes. The crews jumped when they felt the first heavy jolt, and it is understood that everyone escaped injury. The wrecked cars after leaving the rails pounded along for a considerable distance and ruined a long stretch of track.

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THANKSGIVING TURKEYS

The Wet Weather Killed Thousands of the Young Birds

One consoling thought which will make Thanksgiving Day brighter for the ordinary householder will be that even if he had the coal with which to roast the customary turkey he would not be able to procure the bird.

There is every indication that this will be a turkey-less Thanksgiving. Every dealer is beset with orders for turkeys, and none can be had. One of the reasons given for the scarcity of the supply is that the farmers were not consulted with when Thanksgiving Day was set for a date nearly a month earlier than usual, and that the birds were not fattened and are now unfit for sale. The principal cause for the shortage in the demand is, however, the wet weather during the last summer. Turkey's require a dry climate, and thousands of them died this year of the "pip," which is induced by dampness, and which in a human being would be galloping consumption.

The dealers are more concerned over the foreign than the local market. They will be unable to fill the orders from England. Last year the country exported about 1,000,000 pounds of turkeys, but this year's business will be far below that.

It is prophesied that by Wednesday next the birds will be selling at 14 cents per pound, dressed, which will be an advance of four cents on last year's prices.

Jim Dumps' good wife was much distressed
Because her cook went off "to rest."
"Great guns! I have to cook!" she said.
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The children all agreed with him
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THE GOVERNMENT AND THE FUEL FAMINE

Many Strong Objections to the Giving of the Crown Timber

The Government Could Not Keep Track of the Wood Cutters—A Political Reason Also

Special to The Times.

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 12.— The Crown Lands of Ontario will not be thrown open to whomsoever would cut wood. The government has not definitely refused the application of the Toronto and West York members who asked that this step be taken for the relief of the fuel famine, but at the Parliament Buildings it is known that the government has not the remotest intention of following the suggestion. Apart from the objections mentioned by the Premier in discussing the question with the deputation, there is another reason which all by itself would be sufficient and which now suffices. The Honorable Mr. Ross, while handing out the time honored promise to give the suggestion his most careful consideration, pointed out that there existed two difficulties. One was that the various municipalities interested would have to take the matter up, and the other was that unless government agents accompanied the many wood cutting expeditions, the axes of the fuel hunters would be innocently laying low timber included in the limits sold to the numerous lumber companies operating in Ontario.

Against these two obstacles, those at the back of the famine relief project have arguments. The desire humbly to know where, hwen and how the rights of municipalities to control the disposal of timber limits became a paramount importance with the Ontario Government. They pointedly inquire where these scruples have been when the government has been selling by auction and otherwise large tracts of standing timber. The rights of the municipalities may be temporary and time serving, but if they actually exist and came to be enforced, the anti-famine projectors are well aware that the government's objection would be effective. By the time municipalities in Northern Ontario, where the timber lands are, would be likely to approach a conclusion as to whether the permission should or should not be granted, the people lower down, where the need is pressing, have ample time to freeze to death. Further, the anti-famine projectors realize that with much timber at their doorsteps the powers of the northern municipalities would be slow to appreciate the coalless and woodless condition of the cities lower down.

Against the second objection, that private property would be likely to suffer, the Toronto deputation is ready with another argument. They urge that, as the limits already sold go for the most part by township sections, and are thus more or less defined, there would be little chance of genuine mistakes, especially as the cutters would be lumbermen familiar with the localities.

The government's other objection, the objection which is believed by the well wishers of the scheme to be the real one, the rock on which the project splits, has not been mentioned by Mr. Ross either to the deputation or in any of the other statements handed out by him. The reason is that when J. W. St. John, M.P.P.; Dr. Beattie-Nesbitt, M.P.P.; Thomas Crawford, M.P.P., and Dr. Payne, M.P.D., appeared at the Parliament Buildings with their large hearted effort in the interests of the suffering public, the government officials smelt a rat, and the rat did not appear to be undersized. There was not a single Grit member in the deputation to relieve the suggestive monotony of Toryism. The Premier is credited with harboring the suspicion that these four Conservatives were not moved in their efforts solely by sympathy for their fellow beings in affliction, but rather by a desire to make political capital. Then did the Honorable G. W. Ross tell the rights of municipalities and see the danger to the property of absent lumber companies. And the shivering householder is asking himself, "Would the Honorable G. W. Ross be likely to assist in establishing the popularity of the Conservative party?" and the answer is, "Oh, no."

The Town Council and the Fuel Situation

They will buy 600 Cords of Dry Slabs From the Dickson Co., to be laid on the Cars at Lakefield for $2 a Cord

Ald. Roger moved, seconded by Ald. McGregor, the the Council purchase from the Dickson Company 600 cords of DRY SLABS at $2 per cord on the cars at Lakefield, and that further details in connection with selling this wood to the public, and securing further purchases of fuel be left in the hands of the Finance committee.—Carried.

This was the result of the City Father's conference with the coal and wood dealers. The freight on these slabs will be about 30c. a cord, and the delivery about 40c or 50c a cord. This means that the public will have an opportunity of buying from the Town dry slabs at the same price as charged by local dealers, $2.75 a cord delivered, provided satisfactory arrangements can be made for its delivery. To say the least, the Council have by their action placed within sight a sufficient quantity of soft wood to relieve the present enormous pressure on the wood yards for this kind of fuel.

THE SITUATION.

The Town Council met the local coal and wood dealers in the Town Clerk's office Saturday night to discuss the fuel situation.

Mayor Denne explained that many citizens are exceedingly alarmed at the prospects of a fuel famine the coming winter, and, he said, "we are here as guardians of the people to ascertain the views of local coal and wood dealers as to the probable supply of fuel, and the probable cost of the same."

Mr. R. Hicks replied that he found it almost as hard to secure soft coal as anthracite. Recently the former had jumped as much as 50c per ton a day, until reaching the present figure. When in Montreal on Tuesday he was offered Welsh anthracite coal at $8. a ton at the dock in Montreal, which would mean $10.53 on the car in Peterborough; but there is a loss of 25 per cent. from this coal in screening. He was offered Scotch soft coal at $4.75 a ton at the docks, which with freight and handling would cost $7.50 on the cars here. (This price has gone up $1 since quoted.) Most of the stock of hard coal which was on hand, has been sold, although one dealer, he believes, has still some 300 or 400 tons in his yards. He himself (Hicks) has possibly some 60 or 70 tons, which is not nearly enough to fill his contracts. As to hardwood, there is from 20 to 25 per cent. shortage in the supply to-day compared with a corresponding date last year, while the demand is ten times as great. Mr. Hicks here quoted his prices for fuel as follows: Pittsburg soft coal, $8 a ton; hardwood, $7.00 a cord; tamarac, $6; mixed wood, $4.50. He thought there was enough wood to last till January if properly distributed; but there is not 50 per cent. as much wood in the country unsold as this time last year.

Ald. McGregor—"Is it not a fact that you dealers could sell under contract hard wood at $5 per cord?"

Mr. Hicks—"No, it could not be done. Six car loads cost me $6.50 a cord laid down here.

Mr. McClelland said his company had a little hard coal on hand, but if they had left the price at $8 they would have none to-day. "The poor people never start to burn coal till the end of November or the beginning of December. Soft coal is getting as hard to purchase as hard, and "I received a letter from one of the biggest dealers saying he had not been able to get a car in six days. The outlook for soft coal is exceedingly blue."

Mr. Hicks remarked that if miners resumed work to-morrow, it would be spring before prices dropped to a normal condition."

The coal dealers all agreed that we would not get any quantity of hard coal laid down here till 60 or 90 days after the strike is settled.

Mr Jas. Stevenson said that a certain party within 30 miles of town would let the corporation have 75 cords of mixed wood at $2.25 on the track there. Both the C.P.R. and G.T.R. have agreed to reduce the freight on wood.

Mr. Shook, of the Dickson Company, offered the Town 500 or 600 cords dry slabs, mostly pine, at $2 a cord on the track at Lakefield. This would probably cost about $2.50 on the cars here. His company are selling there slabs in town to-day at $2.75 delivered.

Mr. Fitzgerald here read telegrams from Buffalo dealers quoting Pittsburg lump coal at $2.25 net at the International bridge. This would mean $5.53 laid down here.

Ald. Best here wanted to know if the object of the meeting was to buy fuel for the whole community or for charitable purposes. If for the latter we should simply add to the appropriation for the Charity committee.

Ald. Roger replied that we are confronted with a situation likely to prove exceedingly serious to a good many. There may be a shortage of fuel no matter what its price, and that price is likely to be a prohibitory one to a large number of citizens, and we should endeavor to check a threatened exhorbitancy in charges. There are people of moderate means, who are willing to pay for their fuel, whom we will have to consider.

Ald. Roger here moved that the Town accepts the Dickson Company's offer of 600 cords of slabs at $2 a cord on the cars at Lakefield.

Mr. Fitzgerald here remarked that there will be plenty of fuel in the shape of soft coal and wood.

Ald. Rush agreed with Ald. Roger and suggested that, outside of charitable purposes, those slabs be sold at say $2.75 delivered.

The ways and means of delivery could not be decided on at present.

Ald Roger—"My motion only refers to the purchase of wood now. This would quiet the minds of the public, that supply is in sight."

The resolution as quoted above was then seconded by Ald. McGregor, and carried.

Ald. Roger here asked the dealers if they could put the town in the way of securing soft coal.

Mr. Hicks replied that he had two cars on the way now—an early purchase at a little under present prices—which the Town could have at cost price, $7.25 laid down here. He is selling that coal at $9. He made this offer owing to the uncomplimentary reports in circulation regarding the dealers. He has sold wood in Peterborough, on which he could have made an additional profit an additional net profit of 50c. a car by shipping it out of town. He thought our own people should have first choice. We are buying hardwood against Toronto dealers who are bidding higher than us.

Mr. Wills remarked that he is selling dry slabs at $2.75 a cord.

The Mayor did not think the corporation could sell slabs at less than the dealers.

To Ald. Rogers, Mr. Wills replied that it will cost from 40 to 50c. per cord to deliver slabs from the car.

This will bring the cost of the dry slabs to be purchased by the Town up to $2.75 delivered.

THE SCOTCH COAL.

It may be interesting to note here that Montreal has been offered an unlimited supply of wood. Also Toronto has an enormous quantity contracted for and on the way, together with the following offers of soft coal:

The Board of Control considered an offer made by H. MacLure to supply an unlimited quantity of Hamilton Ell Scotch coal, laid down in Toronto, all expenses paid, for $7.25 per ton. Hamilton Ell is the domestic fuel of Scotland, and Mr. MacLure states that while it is called soft coal, he cannot recognize much difference between it and the hard coal used in this country. He also offered to supply Hartley coal at $7.75 per ton, delivered in Toronto.

The Board doubted that it had the power to purchase the coal without securing the ratification of the Council. Mr. MacLure was instructed to cable his people to hold 2,000 tons of Hamilton Ell coal and to keep the offer open till Tuesday morning. The Board will ask the Council to ratify the purchase at the meeting to-day.

Ald. Sheppard placed an offer he had received from Mr. C. Beck, Penetanguishene, to give the city Pittsburg lump coal on board cars at Penetanguishene at $7 per ton. This would be equivalent to $8.25 per ton delivered in Toronto.

FIXED ASSESSMENT.

A communication was read from thee Peter Hamilton Manufacturing Company, pointing out that as agricultural implement manufacturers in other towns and cities are favored with exemption of taxes and bonuses, they find it difficult to compete with them. In consequence of this fact they (the Peter Hamilton Manufacturing Company) asked for a fixed assessment for 10 years.

The Wm. Hamilton Manufacturing Company asked for a fixed assessment for 10 years, on the same grounds.

Ald. Turner thought these manufacturers were certainly entitled to a fixed assessment, as they are of great benefit to the Town.

Mayor Denne explained that these firms asked that a by-law be immediately prepared and submitted to the people, by whose decision they are content to abide.

Ald. Turner here asked that his firm be granted the same exemption. The by-law could be submitted with the others. His firm was willing also to abide by the decision of the ratepayers.

Ald. Morrison moved that the matter of fixed assessments just asked for be left in the hands of the Manufacturers' committee, and submitted to the people at the January elections.

Ald. Roger moved in amendment, seconded by Ald. McGregor, that all the town manufacturers' applications for privileges be referred to a Committee of the Whole Council with Ald. Rush in the chair, to report at the earliest possible convenience.—Carried.

Council then adjourned.

8 COAL SHIPS ARRIVE

Vessels Laden With Coal are Unloading in Montreal

A Great Quantity of Wood is Cut But There is a Scarcity of Cars

Montreal, Oct. 13.—The coal situation will be somewhat relieved when the large number of vessels now in port discharge their cargoes.

The Avona, from Swansea, arrived at Windmill Point yesterday afternoon, and is discharging her 2,000 tons there; the Dunet Crown is likewise discharging 3,000 tons of Welsh coal at Hochelaga, and the Curinga 3,000 tons of Scotch coal, the Iguassu 2,000 tons of Welsh coal, while the Bonavista, the [illegible] and the [illegible] are unloading soft coal in the basins and at Hochelaga.

The Active is on her way from Pictou with 2,500 tons for the Intercolonial Coal Company, to be followed by other ships next week for the same company. Hocking Valley from Cleveland, Ohio—1,500 tons—is due early next week, but this is all said.

A prominent dealer of [illegible] street to-day said he considered the situation in Montreal considerably improved. He was prepared to furnish every kind of coal and coke with the exception of American anthracite. He did not care to quote prices which depended on quantity and distance to be hauled.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 13, 1902.

CANADIAN INDEPENDENCE

The wisdom of the East is now largely concentrated upon this subject, the Halifax Chronicle, the Halifax Herald, the Ottawa Citizen, the Montreal Star, and other prominent newspapers lending their aid to the prevailing discussion. This is not the first outburst in Canada, on this question and the root of it lies in the improper language used by talking Englishmen, of Canada and Canadianism, the latter becoming gradually imbued with the idea that English (lower class) jealousy and self-righteousness will never allow of our being part of the Empire in word and fact. Americans invest here and if they lose do not proceed to revile us, but blame themselves. Englishmen, however, call us names so bad that, without being oversensitive, we feel that sooner or later it must stop. Perhaps Goldwin Smith was not so far wrong after all. The next few years means much to us in our relationship to the dear old British Empire.

A GLOOMY OUTLOOK

Mr. Tieplo, Commissioner of Industrial Statistics for Rhode Island, has been in private consultation with President Mitchell and other labor leaders, and has been given every facility for examining the conditions of things at the anthracite coal mines. As a result he takes a despondent view of the situation as reported by the N. Y. Herald:

"To my mind the situation is very gloomy. I do not see now the slightest prospect of either side receding from its position one iota. After a long talk with Mr. Mitchell, I am convinced that he is very firm. It is equally obvious that the operators are now determined to yield nothing. The only end I can now see is a gradual wearing down of the strikers' forces by the slow process of attrition. The time must come when other industries will be crippled for lack of coal to run their power plants. When that happens members of labor organizations who are now contributing to the support of the striking miners will have to struggle to support themselves. Outside relief will gradually diminish until it becomes wholly inadequate, and then miners will be confronted with the alternative of surrender or starvation."

THE MINERS

Mr. B. P. James, who is well acquainted with the anthracite mining region of Pennsylvania, writes that twenty years ago the miners were composed of Americans, British and Dutch, the British generally predominating. Today there is a new element made up of Hungarians, Poles, and a few other European races, and representing about forty per cent. of the miners. The Huns and Poles, though "rough, rude and reckless" as a whole when first imported, have greatly improved during these twenty years. They show a tendency to adopt American ways, but are still inferior to the other miners. They are excitable in temper, and among them there are depraved men, prone to lead in acts of violence. But as a rule they are frugal, and very religious, being mostly Roman Catholics and constant in their attendance at church. The English, Welsh and Irish still form the basis of the conservative mining population, and are far from being crude and reckless. The Welsh retain the traditions of their native land, and are distinguished by their devout religious temperament and love of music and literature. The Irish miners show great zeal in self-improvement, and are very active in temperance, literary and debating societies. From them have come many lawyers and public men of this region. They show great activity in the local miners' unions, and may be called leaders in the present coal strike. While many of the Huns and Poles live in the squalid company houses, the English-speaking miners live in choicer locations, and often in tasteful homes of their own, with well-kept yards and gardens. Of course, some miners "spend their money foolishly," says Mr. James, but he declares the larger and better class o' them saving and thrifty. In some of the mining towns, whole streets may be seen in which nine out of ten of the houses are owned by the miners themselves.

A Photographic Introduction.

Many years ago, when tintypes first came into general use, the booth where pictures were made "while you wait" was the center of a large crowd at every county fair and popular resort. An old-time photographer tells an experience he had long ago, before the secrets of the camera were known to everybody.

He had set up a tent at a county fair, and was trying to drum trade. He stood outside his tent, calling in true hawker fashion the merits of his pictures. The people who gathered around were interested and curious, but somewhat in awe of the little black box inside the tent. Finally the photographer thought he might set the sheep to running by singling out one of the crowd and taking his picture free. Standing near each other were a young man and a young woman. Thinking that they would like to be taken together, and that the two would have more courage to face the camera than a lone victim, the photographer called out:

"That gentleman right there and that lady, come inside and I'll give you pictures in two minutes, free of charge!"

The two looked at each other, grinned, and finally came inside the tent.

"Stand right there," said the photographer. "That's it. Now hold still a minute. There you are. Now wait till I finish 'em up."

In a few minutes he handed them each a tintype in a pink paper frame. They looked at the pictures curiously. Then the young woman blushed and her companion grinned and tittered.

"Like 'em?" asked the photographer, briskly, thinking of possible customers in the crowd outside.

"Waal," said the man, slowly, "it looks like her, and I guess it looks like me, but ye see, I didn't know and I guess she didn't know we was goin' to be in the same picture."

"Thought you'd like 'em that way," answered the photographer. "Pleasant souvenir of your visit to the fair together."

"Waal, yes, but you see we didn't come together. I never seen her before."

Then the two snickered, and the photographer bowed them out as quickly as he could.

That year he did a good business, and at the next fair he set up his booth again. One day a young couple came in and greeted him with smiles of doubtful recognition. It was the young man and woman of the year before.

"How do you do?" cried the photographer. "I—I see you know each other now."

"Yes," answered the man, looking sheepishly at the girl. "My folks know some folks of hers over to Hopkins, and when they seen her picture they recognized it. An' that's how we got acquainted."

"I'm very glad," said the photographer.

"So'm I; ain't you, Lizzie?"

"Yes," said Lizzie, shyly.

—A new crossing is being built at the G.T.R. track on Charlotte street.

—The Young men's Guild, of St. Paul's church, will meet at 8 o'clock next Tuesday evening.

—Chief Rossel has awaiting the owner a bunch of keys attached to a deer's foot.

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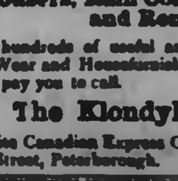

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PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 13, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

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A Big Fish

Mr. Dan Foley, the genial proprietor of Jubilee Point Hotel, was in town Saturday, and brought with him a 'lunge of enormous proportions, weighing 20 pounds, which he presented to our neighbor across the street—Mr. Myles Henry. If Myles don't breath the odor of fish for a week, at least, it won't be Dan's fault.

A Painful Accident

The many friends of Mr. Stephen Payne, the well known market gardener, will regret to learn that he had the misfortune to fall and break his collar bone, on Friday last. Mr. Payne is over 70 years of age, and his injury, therefore, is serious. He is, we are pleased to say, doing nicely.

Committed for Trial

On Saturday morning in the County Police Court, before His Honor Judge Edmison, John Falon was charged with an offence under the Charlton Act. The offence was committed upon a girl about 12 years of age. The prisoner elected to be tried by jury, and he was accordingly committed to stand his trial at the next sitting of a court of competent jurisdiction.

Don't miss the Grand Concert and Entertainment in Bradburn's Opera House, Thursday, Thanksgiving Night, Oct. 16th: Miss Edna Sutherland, reader, Miss Merielle Patton, contralto soloist, Mr. Frank Smith, solo violinist. Plan now open at Ormond & Walsh's Drug Store. Remember the date.

Saturday's Market

There was a good attendance at the market on Saturday morning. Some of the prices were as follows: Potatoes per bag, $1.00 to $1.10; apples per bag, 30 to 50 cents; peas per peck, 25 cents; corn per dozen, 10 cents; tomatoes per basket, 25 cents; onions per peck, 20 cents, hamb per lb., 7 and 8 cents; pork per lb., 9 and 10 cents; chickens per pair, 60 and 70 cents; ducks per pair, 80 to 90 cents; geese each, 80 cents to $1.00; butter per lb., 22 cents; eggs per dozen, 17 to 18 cents.

The Industries Affected

The coal famine is affecting the local industries. The Wm. Hamilton Company use considerable quantities of coke, which has advanced from four dollars to eleven dollars per ton. The Peter Hamilton Company are also large users of coal, and, we understand, have little on hand. The Canadian General Electric Company require many tons, as also does almost every other local industry. We do not know how long they can hold out, but hope it will be until relief comes. In another column we note the arrival at Montreal of a large fleet of coal steamers, which will, no doubt, greatly relieve the situation in Canada.

FUEL AT COST

To the Editor of The Times.

Dear Sir,—In the event of the Town Council failing to establish a Municipal Coal and Fuel Yard, I would suggest the formation of a co-operative company with a capital of $30,000, divided into six thousand shares of $5 each, no person being allowed to hold more than twenty shares. A company thus organized would be able to furnish fuel to shareholders at cost. Similar societies have been formed in England, and do an enormous business, besides being a great benefit to the community at large.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your space, I am, etc.

R. F. McGREGOR.

THE CHANDOS HORROR

A Few of the Bones of the Children Picked up and Buried

Over $80 Raised in Apsley—The Times Fund now Stands at $54—Further Contributions Needed for the Unfortunate Family

There are no further particulars regarding the death of the three Parks children in Chandos township, other than that already recorded in these columns. The mother, as already stated, was visiting a sick neighbor, while the father and elder daughter went out to a religious meeting, leaving the three little ones, ranging from five to nine years old, in bed. On their return there was nothing to be seen but the smoking ruins of their home, and the charred remains of their babes.

Kind neighbors did what they could to comfort the stricken family. The bones of the victims were gathered together, tenderly placed in a box and buried

A subscription was started at once, and $70 raised in Apsley, besides provisions, wearing apparel, lumber for rebuilding the house, which will be put up at once.

On Saturday night word was received that the aid from Peterborough had come to hand, and The Times was requested to gratefully acknowledge the same. The family are entirely destitute, and, while money cannot bring back the little ones, it will do much to comfort the stricken family. Further help is urgently needed, and those who feel like contributing should do so at once. Money may be sent to The Times, and it will be forwarded to Warden Eastland or to Mr. Gallon, at Apsley, and acknowledged through these columns. The following contributions have been received to date by The Times:

A. P. Choate	$25 00
Mrs. A. L. Davis	5 00
Hugh Waddell	5 00
Wm. Anderson, M.P.P.	5 00
Robt Shaw, Harvey	5 00
Dr. Geo. Burnham	2 00
C. H. J. Mitchell	1 00
Robert Leary	1 00
T. E. Bradburn	1 00
H. Calcutt	1 00
G. Walter Green	1 00
A. W. Cressman	1 00
Mayor Denne	1 00
Total to date	$54 00

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—J. J. Turner & Sons received an order through Mr. Webber Turner on Saturday for $300 worth of tents.

—The regular monthly Y.W.C.A. Board meeting will be held this afternoon at 3.30 p.m. A full attendance of members is requested.

—The 57th Band will give a concert on Wednesday evening at Norwood, and have an exceptionally fine programme ready.

—Mr. W. Parnell and Mr. W. Dusty played lacrosse with the Millbrook team on Saturday against Port Hope.

—The Junior Guild of All Saints' church has been reorganized under favorable auspices, with the following officers: President, Rosa Mulholland; vice president, Mabel Hooper; secretary, Pearl Bullen; treasurer, Grace Crowe; Dorcas committee, Olivia Cuffe and Electa Strong. The Guild is under the superintendency of Mrs. Hickey, who is ably assisted by Mrs. Smeaton, Mrs. Blois, Mrs. Hooper, Mrs. Molden and others, and a very promising year's work is before them.

—Messrs. J. J. Turner & Son on Saturday received an order for $500 worth of tents to be shipped to one man. This is a fair indication of growing trade, and a credit to that progressive firm.

—The new heating outfit for the town buildings has been found perfect. All that is wanted now is coal.

—A very pretty and novel display is to be seen in Mr. J. T. Stenson's window, consisting of shoes intertwined with maple leaves.

—The 57th Band has made arrangements for a special train to leave Norwood at 11 o'clock on Wednesday night next, after the band concert. Many of our citizens should go down.

—On Saturday Messrs Harry Winch, D. J. Lundy, R. A. Peck and J. D. Collins went up to Lake Ketchecum, being the advance guard of a large party that will be located at Ketchecum Lodge for several weeks. To-day Messrs. H. LeBrun, Dr. Bradd, R. B. McKee, Alex. Elliott, Jas. Brooks and John Crane will follow.

—A session of the Exchequer Court will be held here to-day to hear the case of Rex. vs. Hull.

Mr. John Doherty, who for 27 years has been an honored resident of Westwood, has disposed of his hotel to Mr. Jerry Heffernan. Mr. Doherty, during his long residence, has became very popular, and his departure is regretted by everyone. He holds the record for the Province of never once having been fined or accused of breaking the law. This is something to be proud of. Mr. Doherty has taken up his residence in Norwood.

THE OTONABEE RIVER WILL BE DREDGED

A FULFILMENT OF THE WISHES OF THE COUNCIL

The Dredge Trent to Begin Operations Near the C.P.R. Bridge This Week—Mr. R. B. Rogers to Superintend the Work

Mayor Denne was good enough to inform The Times on Saturday that an order was received from the Public Works Department at Ottawa that the dredging of the Otonabee above the C.P.R. bridge should be proceeded with at once. The work will be under the supervision of Mr. R. B. Rogers. The dredge Trent is to be placed on the job, and has been taken apart to permit of her passage under the C.P.R. bridge. Mr. Clem. Gordon will be in charge of the dredge. The dredging of the Otonabee river may be said to be significant of many things for the best interests of Peterborough, and with the completion of the Trent canal, the shipping and docking advantages forseen in the perspective may be said to be losing their illusionary features.

The work will likely begin early this week. The credit for the activity that is now developing may justly be accorded His Worship Mayor Denne and the Aldermen, all of whom displayed the greatest interest in so desirable an undertaking, and with this in view, invited the Minister of Public Works, Hon. J. Israel Tarte, thither to give the proposition his consideration. The Minister promised his hearty support, and Mayor and Aldermen are congratulating themselves that so early a fulfilment is in view.

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RIFLE MATCHES AT LINDSAY

Peterborough Marksmen Make Creditable Showing There

The annual matches of the Victoria County Rifle Association were held Thursday, and Peterborough marksmen carried off a number of prizes. In No. 1 match, distance 200 and 400 yards, Pte. J. Gibson, of the 57th, scored 64 and won $5.00. The highest score was 66 by Capt. King, of the 46th, Port Hope. Pte. Fitzgerald also of the 57th, scored 62, winning $4.00; Sergt. W. H. Moore 61 for $3.00; C. Curtis 58 for $2.00. In match No. 2, distance 500 and 600 yards, Capt. King of the 46th, scored 60 for $5.00, and Pte. Gibson tied the score for second money, $4.00. Staff-Sergt. Bartlett scored 60 for $3.00; Pte. Curtis 56 for $2.50; Pte. Fitzgerald 51 for $2.00; Sergt. Moore 51 for $1.50. In the extra series match Pte Gibson again tied the best score of 48 made by Capt. King and Sergt. Moore did the same. Pte. Fitzgerald scored 47. In the aggregate Pte. Gibson's score was 124, and Staff-Sergt. Bartlett's 120. Capt. King of the 76th, took first in every event. Capt. W. W. Nasmyth and Lt. Jas. Nasmyth, also of the 46th, ran up good scores.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mrs. A. J. Watts, of Port Hope, is visiting friends in town.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hughes-Charles are visiting friends in Port Hope.

—Dr. Coughlin, who is removing from Arthur to Peterborough, was born in Asphodel and has many relatives living here. His many friends here will give him a most hearty welcome.

—Mr. F. Packenham left last night for Montreal to assume his new duties.

—Miss K. Campbell is visiting friends in the country for a few days.

FOOLED HIM

But in the Pleasant Ways of Peace

Good thing some men are married. Their wives keep a sensible watch over them and have a way to help overcome their troubles.

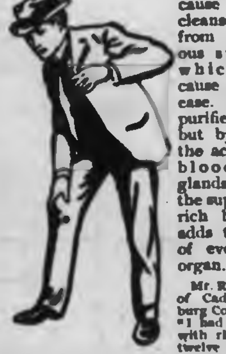
Mr. M. Lewis, of Shaniko, Ore., was located for several years at various points in South America, and fell into the native custom of frequently drinking coffee. He says, "I took to using it the same as those nervous, excitable people in South and Central America. They make very black coffee and it becomes more or less an intoxicating beverage. At the end of about four months, I began having severe sick headaches, and nervousness, but supposed it was from the tropical sun. At last my wife became alarmed at my headaches and stomach trouble. She tried to induce me to quit drinking coffee, laying my trouble to that, but I continued to use it.

She read of Postum Food Coffee and ordered some from the States, but kept it a secret from me. The very first time she made it when I came in for my coffee and roll, I noticed that peculiar, pleasant flavor of Postum and asked her what it was. She said it was a new brand of coffee and asked me how I liked it. I tried two cups of it with rich 'Leche-de-Cheua,' which is used by everyone as milk in Panama, and thought it excellent. After a couple of days, my headaches stopped, and in a short while my nervousness disappeared as if by magic. I have been using nothing but Postum for the past year, and have been completely cured and my wife has also been cured of constipation by changing to Postum, and we shall never go back to coffee again."

A Sudden Twinge

Of pain is generally the first warning of an attack of rheumatism. It feels as if the disease were in the bones or muscles, but the real cause of rheumatism is found in impure blood. In order to cure rheumatism the blood must be cleansed of the poisonous impurities which are the cause of the disease.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has been very successful in the cure of rheumatism, because it entirely cleanses the blood from the poisonous substances which are the cause of the disease. It not only purifies the blood but by increasing the activity of the blood-making glands, it increases the supply of pure, rich blood which adds to the vigor of every physical organ.



Mr. R. A. McKnight, of Cades, Williamsburg Co., S. C., writes: "I had been troubled with rheumatism for twelve years, so bad at times I could not leave my bed. I was badly crippled. Tried many doctors and two of them gave me up to die. None of them did me much good. The pains in my back, hips and legs (and at times in my head), would nearly kill me. My appetite was very bad. Everybody who saw me said I must die. I took five bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and four vials of 'Pellets,' and to-day my health is good after suffering twelve years with rheumatism."

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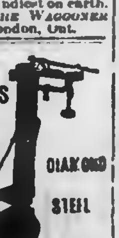

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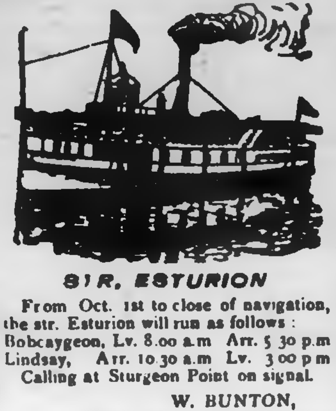

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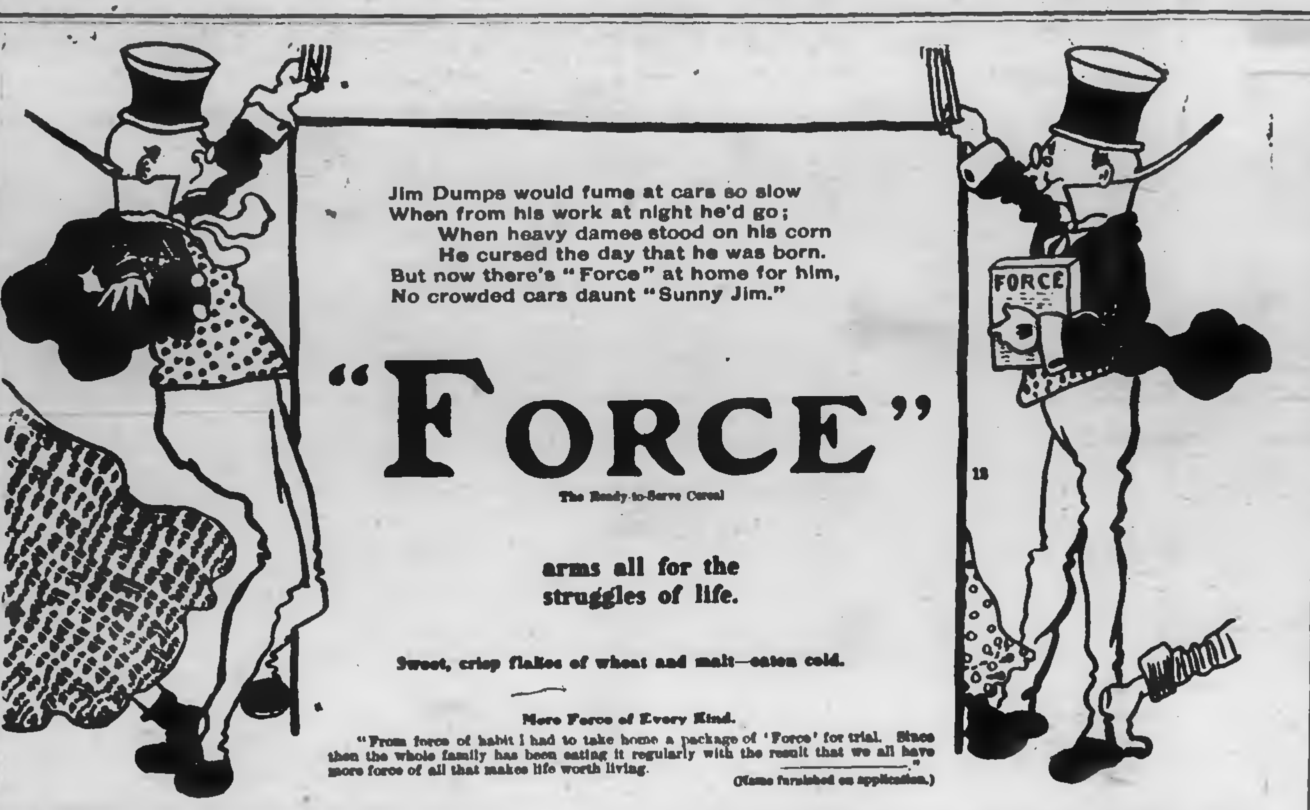
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A GREAT DANGER TO THE BRITISH CABINET

The Balfour Government May Be Defeated On Education Bill

Opposition Keenly Desirous of Defeating the Ministry for the Boer War

London, Oct. 14—It signifies an astonishing change in the political situation in Great Britain that the question is widely debated whether the Government shall stand or fall at the extra session of Parliament, which is to assemble next week. The agitation throughout the country in regard to the Educational bill has reached such a point that talk or resignation has been resorted to, even by the Ministers themselves.

It is apparent that the public excitement over the Education bill is largely fictitious. It furnishes, as Sir William Vernon Harcourt admitted the other day an issue on which the opposition to the present Government can concentrate. This opposition, as has been repeatedly pointed out in the last two years, is largely among those nominal supporters of the Unionist cause, who are keenly desirous of punishing the Government for the mistakes and mismanagement of the war.

Both Colonial Secretary Chamberlain and Secretary of State for War Brodrick have declared that the Government will risk its existence on the fate of the bill. Some concessions will undoubtedly be made, but these are designed more for pacification in the ranks of the Conservatives than to conciliate the Liberal Opposition. The Ministers will be unable to control all the Liberal-Unionist votes in the House of Commons, but there is great uncertainty as to what extent this defection will go.

Taken altogether, it is predicted that there will be the liviest session of the House of Commons in many years.

AN AFRICAN PRINCE LOST IN THE STATES

Heir to Throne Cannot be Found in Uncle Sam's Domain

He is Somewhat Shy on Book Learning but Can Talk Several Languages However

Philadelphia, October, 13 — Somewhere on the face of the fair earth there is a lost African prince, heir to two thrones, who answers to the names of "Yuca" and "Jimmy" Parker, but his whereness is as much in darkness as the depths of the Yowah jungle, Zolof land, in western Africa, whence he came to learn American ways and habits as they are taught at University of Pennsylvania.

The dusky "Jimmy" was shy on luck, and, though an earnest student, he failed to pass his examinations, and got discouraged and dropped completely out of sight last June, and has not been seen since. He is 30 years old and speaks five languages fluently, including English.

He was first brought to this country by a missionary to West Africa, who discovered the Yowah tribe, some ten years ago and converted the whole royal family to Lutheran belief.

Dr. Day, the missionary, took Yuca to London in 1893, where the lad studied awhile, then be went to Paris and Berlin and studied some more. America was the next country to be visited. He attended Lincoln University, near Oxford, Pa., for two years, and then entered the University of Pennsylvania last fall. It was the June examinations that proved too much for him.

Aside from inheriting the throne of the Yowahb, he is next in line to the throne of the Pessys, a neighboring tribe, to which his mother belonged. Yuca is a tall, slender and athletic young man and was popular among his fellow students.

The general belief is that he has returned to the Yowah jungles, to get to rule his people when the proper time comes, not caring to remain longer in the land which witnessed his humiliating failure, after his signal successes in his studies in other countries.

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Thousands of men and women who have neglected the work of physical recuperation in the summer months, are now carrying a burden of disease. In the majority of cases, impure and poisoned blood and sluggish circulation are the direct causes of suffering and misery Are you, reader, one of these victims? If so, do not hesitate a moment in regarding what you should do. The life stream must be made pure, the health-wrecking laxity of the blood vessels must be corrected, the nerves and tissues must be nourished. Paine's Celery Compound is the medicine that physicians recommend for the increase of pure blood in the arteries and for arousing the purifying organs to cast off the impurities that give rise to disease. Mr. T. F. Mitchell, New Hamburg, Ont., writes as follows:

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AMMUNITION SEIZED

1,000 Rounds Sent to Strikers Confiscated—Second Case of the Kind

Special to The Times.

Scranton, Pa., Oct. 13—Company D of the Thirteenth Regiment managed to confiscate 1,000 rounds of ammunition in Olyphant this morning. Information came to them this morning that apparently a case of ammunition had come to S. Passelo in Jessup. Capt. Foote and Company D were sent to the station before the case had been sent from the depot. They found it in charge of Passelo and Anthony Botti. The men were arrested and the ammunition seized.

The discovery of 1300 rounds of ammunition in the same locality a few days ago and the confiscation of the ammunition today would seem to lend color to the report that the foreigners are drilling and that they are armed with rifles, and Col. Watres has decided to investigate.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 11.—Twenty-five cars of anthracite coal mined and broken this week at the colliery of the Lykens Valley Coal Company, were shipped from Lykens yesterday. There was no demonstration as the cars were started from Harrisburg on their way to Philadelphia. The breakers at Lykens and Williamstown are being operated without interference.

BACKED BY MORGAN.

New York, Oct. 11.—"We are determined to go down with the ship if need be," remarked one of the coal operators. "We think that the threats of coercion which were made ought to be known to the public. Our attitude is one between employer and employe, and our determination to adhere to our policy is not to be changed as a matter of political expediency, favorable or unfavorable to any party."

"What is Mr. Morgan's opinion?" was asked.

"Mr. Morgan," was the reply, "bitterly resents the efforts of the politicians and the methods pursued by them and their stock market allies. He refused absolutely to interfere in the matter, stating that the entire management of the strike was in the hands of the operators, and he declined to become involved in any way in the controversy. He was particularly indignant when he learned that the entire matter of bringing the politicians and United Mine Workers to the city was the work of David Lamar and Edward Lauterbach. He will now back up every move of the operators.

MITCHELL KEEPS MUM.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 11. — President Mitchell arrived at strike headquarters from New York this morning. He was immediately questioned by reporters, but he steadfastly declined to talk of his New York trip for publication. When asked why he maintained such reticence regarding his visit, he said:

"I think the best interests of the operators, the miners, and the public will be subserved by my remaining silent."

Mr. Mitchell's attention was called to the letter of Vice-President Wilcox of the Delaware and Hudson Company to President Roosevelt, in which he contends that the Miners' Union is an illegal organization. The strike leader hesitated a minute, and then replied:

"The Miners' Union is organized along the same lines as all labor unions in the country. If the miners' organization is illegal, so are all the others; and I say our union is not illegal."

Mr. Mitchell denies a rumor that he would go to Washington to-day.

The strike leaders are now looking to the American Federation of Labor for help. The federation has a membership of nearly two million, and its purpose is to assist organized labor generally. The Miners' Union is the strongest body in that organization, and they feel that the federation should now take an active interest in the struggle.

MORE PRESSURE THREATENED.

London, Oct. 13.—Some of the English trades unions are considering the advisability of striking in support of the Pennsylvania miners. The price of coal in London has already reached the highest level that was recorded all last winter, and with the first cold spell still to come, the outlook for the winter is by no means cheering.

London, Oct. 13When the British torpedo-boat destroyer Viper went ashore on Renonquet rock, near Alderney, in a fog and was totally wrecked a year ago, the critics were loud in their condemnation of turbine-driven craft. A little over a month later, the Cobra, a sister ship, on her way from the builders, foundered in the North Sea, and out of the 79 persons on board only 12 escaped. The boat had buckled amidships, her back broke and down she went.

At once there was a howl against the turbine boat, coincidence, unfortunately, phaving marked these boats, but buckling spines became manifest in the regular type driven by the ordinary engines, and the defamers had to admit reluctantly that the steam turbine was not in itself responsible for the mishap.

The remarkable speed of the turbine-driven vessels—over 32 knots—had attracted the attention of thewhole world and their untimely loss left the question of the steam turbine as a means of propulsion for naval craft still undetermined. Now it is to have a further test. The Parsons company has thus permitting the machinery to be lower in the boat, something that adds not only to the stability of the craft, but keeps the motive power much better hidden from the enemy's shot.

The Velox is 210 feet long and has a maximum beat of 21 feet, and special attention has been given to the feature of longitudinal strength. She will have two high-pressure and two low-pressure turbines—the high-pressure turbines, will drive the two other shafts and the two low-pressure turbines will turn the two inner shafts. Each shaft will carry two propellors, one forward of the other.

Here comes the novel feature. There will be two triple expansion engines of moderate power which are coupled by the two high-pressure turbines. When running at cruising speeds, steam will be fed directly from the boilers to these engines, which, in turn, will exhaust into the turbines, where the remaining power of the steam will be fully utilised.

When it is desired to make the 30 odd knots of which the Velox will be capable steam is fed directly from the boilers to the high-pressure turbines and the auxiliary engines are disconnected, for it would not be safe to have them working at anything like the number of revolutions thoroughly possible and safe for the turbines, in fact, a reciprocating engine would be racked to pieces long before it attained such velocity.

How well the steam turbine can work in passenger steamers the Clyde passenger boat King Edward has amply proved. This vessel has been running in competition with a sister boat, of the same line, the paddle wheel steamer Duchess of Hamilton. The King Edward makes 18 1-2 knots an hour, while the Duchess of Hamilton makes 16 1-2 knots, yet, the King Edward burns relatively less coal and her mechanical performance in other respects has been beyond question.

Anticipating the performance of the Velox the admiralty has ordered two third-class cruisers to be built by Beardmore and to be engined by the Parsons company. These vessels are to be 360 feet long, to have 41 foot beams, draughts of 14 feet, 6 inches, and, with displacements of 3,000 tons, to make 21 3-4 knots. The performance per ton of engines has been set very high by the admiralty, and should the ships live up to it the turbine will be an established naval factor for the future. New York Sun.

THE BOER GENERALS MEET KRUGER

They Deny That They Declined the Emperor of Germany's Invitation

Utrecht, Holland, Oct. 14— A conference of the Boer leaders and Generals was held here today, with Mr. Kruger presiding. Dr. Leyds, the former European representative of the Transvaal was not present.

In reply to the statements in the North German Gazette that the Kaiser had agreed to receive them, provided they would present themselves through the British Ambassador, and would abstain from anti-English agitation in Germany and that they did not accept these conditions, the Boer Generals have written to correspondents explaining that they did not refuse the invitation from the Kaiser and certainly did not refuse to accept the services of the British Ambassador.

The feeling in Holland against the German Government is growing.

Eight Chinks Executed

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 8.—The steamer Lyon from China brings news of the execution of eight Chinamen who participated in the murder of missionaries at Chew Shew, Hunan. In addition to the executions, five officials were dismissed and the church was repaired. The remains of the murdered missionaries were buried with great ceremony.

GIRL DROWNS HER RIVAL

Pushed Another Girl Into the River Causing Death

Special to The Times.

Wheeling, W. Va., Oct. 13—Rodella Bain has confessed that last Monday evening she pushed Gay Smith, her rival in the affections of Henry Nolan, into the Ohio River, thereby causing her death. The young woman made this confession to the Chief of Police and a charge of murder was brought against her. She said she asked the Smith girl to give up Nolan and the young woman replied indignantly that she would not do so.

"I looked to see how far we were from the water," said the Bain girl. I pushed her hard and she fell over and never screamed." The young woman is guarded by police. She is recovering from the effects of chloroform which she drank yesterday with intent to commit suicide.

MADILL PREACHED TO FARMERS IN OVERALLS

Former President of the P. P. A. is a Farmer in Manitoba

Special to The Times.

Winnipeg, Oct. 13—Rev. J. C. Madill, formerly an Ontario pastor and erstwhile president of the P.P.A., farms and preaches at Little Britain, Manitoba. His wheat crop this year yielded 34 bushels to the acre. He raised 500 bushels of flax and sold a quarter of it at $1.75 a bushel.

"Were you able to attend to your ministerial duties and farm at the same time?" he was asked by a Winnipeg reporter.

"Yes; I never missed a single service. Two Sundays I preached in my overalls. I worked until midnight on Saturday night, and was with the boys again when they started ework early Monday morning. The congregation I preached to said the sermons I delivered in my rough clothing were enjoyed more than usual. There seemed to be a novelty about it."

Mr. Madill said he personally did all his own fall ploughing and cut every bit of his own grain with his own binder.

OPERATORS IN CONFERENCE TO STOP THE STRIKE

An Important Meeting of the Coal Chiefs in New York Yesterday

Expects to Have Results—One Story is That They Will Propose the Incorporation of the Miners.

New York, Oct. 13. — A conference of the representatives of the coal-carrying railroads was held here to-day, which, according to one of those present, may result in a definite step towards the settlement of the coal strike. The conference was held in the office of E. B. Thomas, chairman of the Board of Directors of the Erie Railroad, and was participated in by him and President Olyphant and Vice-President Wilcox of the D. and H., President Fowler of the the Deaware, Lackawanna, and Western.

AN IMPORTANT CONFERENCE.

As Mr. Truesdale entered Mr. Thomas' office he said in reply to a question; "Yes, a conference is to be held, and it will be an important one. It may be productive of immediate results in the situation."

A number of rumors to the effect that a basis of settlement has been reached were afloat to-day, but none of them could be traced to an authorative source. The Commercial Advertiser prints the following:

"It was said to-day by a person believed to be in a position to know the facts that a definite plan for the settlement of the strike has been suggested to the operators, and an answer is expected from them at their usual weekly meeting to-morrow.

TO INCORPORATE MEN.

"Briefly, the plan is this: The Mine Workers Association to be incorporated, and with a capital that will make them a responsible body, with which the operators can make a binding contract as to wages, hours of labor, etc. Then, the operators will grant their men the hours and wages demanded and a contract to that effect being made that this plan will become effective. There has been some talk already of arrangements having been made for the origin of a corporation of that description at Trenton under the laws of New Jersey."

The conference in Mr. Thomas' office lasted a little more than one hour. When the participants dispersed, they declined to make any statement as to what had transpired. It was announced, however, that the conference was informal.

Besides those already mentioned, President Walter of the Lehigh Valley was present, and the independent operator, John Markle, the latter remaining only about five minutes.

It was intimated that later in the day a statement might be issued, but no hint of its nature was obtainable.

Pottsville, Pa., Oct. 13.—As the result of last week's mining at the Brookside colliery, 35 gondolas, containing over 800 tons were shipped to market this morning. Good Spring colliery also made a small shipment, as did Kalmia washery. None of the troops have been stationed at any of these points.

COAL STRIKE HAS REACHED A CRISIS.

The Operators Have Agreed to the Appointment of a Commission

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 13. — Interest was centered today in the efforts of the coal companies to induce men to return to work under the protection of the troops. Information from coal companies is difficult to obtain, but, judging from early reports from various sources, there are few additional workers in the mines of this region to-day. The troops were out early, but were not called upon to suppress any disorder. In some places detachments of troops were on duty near collieries all night, and at other points soldiers were scattered in twos and threes along streets and on street corners.

It was stated at strike headquarters that there were no desertions from the ranks of the strikers to-day, but, on the other hand, fewer men are at work than last week. President Mitchell said he had heard rumors of a strike settlement, but there was nothing in them so far as he knew. He is apparently waiting for news from the other side.

ANOTHER MINE STARTED.

Hazelton, Pa., Oct. 13.—S. Pardee and Company started their Latimer colliery to-day with 125 men, the majority laborers and special officers. Coal mined before the strike started was run through the breakers. Soldiers guarded the colliery, but no attempt was made by strikers to interfere.

COAL FROM ENGLAND.

New York, Oct. 13.—Within the next sand tons of English coal will arrive in port.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 13. — Twenty-nine presidents and twenty-one representatives of presidents of the local unions at a meeting held here have decided by an unanimous vote to support the cause of the Pennsylvania coal miners. The unions will be required to contribute to the fund at least one day's pay for each members. By this means it is expected that 175,000 will be raised and forwarded to Mr. Mitchell as the donation of the Portland organizations. A committee composed of presidents was appointed to solicit subscriptions from the citizens.

New York, Oct. 13.—A special from Washington to the Tribune says: One thing that the President has fully made up his mind to do is to recommend to Congress the total repeal of the duty on coal. The appeal of this tax will be stoutly resisted by the Senators and representatives from the coal-producing States, but it will be warmly advocated by the legislators from many other States, especially by those from New England, where except for the duty, coal could be procured from the Nova Scotia England, where, except for the duty, coal fields of the United States. The duty on bituminous coal is 67 cents a ton. Anthracite is on the free list.

The President continued his conefrence on the coal strike situation yesterday with members of the Cabinet and Commissioner Wright. His course will depend largely on the report which Secretary Root will make to him upon his visit to New York.

THE FEDERATION'S APPEAL.

Washington, Oct. 13.—The American Federation of Labor, through its Executive Council, has issued an address to the public appealing for financial and moral aid for the striking anthracite miners and denouncing the attitude of the mine owners, on whom, the appeal says, must rest the responsibility for the hardships resulting from the coal famine.

The address says in part: "That the strike has continued to this day is entirely due to the contempt which the presidents of the coal companies have for the people of our country and the untold sufferings which all may endure.

"No offer to settle the strike could be fairer than that made by the miners' representatives at the conference with President Roosevelt. The operators' haughty arrognance, brutal, dominating spirit, blasphemous assumption of divine wealth-proprietorship shocked the civilized world, and aroused the honest indignation of all lovers of justice and fair-dealing.

"What more could the miners do and maintain their self-respect and not forfeit the respect of their fellow-men than hsow their willingness to submit all matters in dispute to a commission appointed by President Roosevelt, and when that was refused to leave the entire controversy to Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan, one of the men largely interested with the operators?

"The cold blasts of winter confront us, the chattering teeth of young and innocent children, the shivering of the weak, poorly-clad, and underfed men and women, the stoppage of the wheels of industry and commerce, the health undermined and the thousands driven to untimely graves, the calamity threatening our entire social life, with all the dire consequence which may follow, are all upon the heads of the mine operators.

"The miners must be sustained in their righteous and holy struggle. The miners must at least have bread for themselves, their wives, and their little ones. In behalf of the miners, in behalf of the cause of freedom, for justice and right, the undersigned, representing the organized wage-earners of America, appeal to all people to contribute generously, promptly, and to continue the same until the termination of this contest, and to that end it is suggested that:

"(1) In each city and town, business, professional, and public men form relief committees to solicit financial and other contributions.

"(2) The hour between 10 and 11 o'clock of each Monday morning during the continuance of the strike is designated as 'miners' hour,' and the wages earned during that hour by the working people of our country be contributed to the strike.

"(3) Ministers of the Gospel of all denominations make a special plea to their respective congregations each Sabbath morning in behalf of the miners, their wives and children, and that they constitute themselves into relief committees among their respective parishioners.

"(4) The daily, weekly, and labor press solicit contributions from their readers.

"(5) Entertainments be arranged and contributions from unions and other organized bodies be solicited."

A Dispatch Received at 4 a.m.

Washington, D.C., Oct. 13.

The operators have agreed to the appointment of a Commission by the President of the United States. The whole shall be referred to all questions at issue between the companies and their own employees, whether they belong to a union or not, and the decision of the Commission shall be accepted by the operators. The Commission is to consist of an army or navy engineer officer, an expert mining engineer, not connected with the coal mining properties, one of the judges of the United States Courts of the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, a man prominent as a sociologist, and a man who by active interpretation in mining and in selling coal, is familiar with the physical and commercial features of the business.

Coal Along the Yukon

Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 14—A J. Collier, a coal expert, has just returned from a trip of 1,200 miles made slowly this summer down the Yukon River to investigate the coal resources of that country. He found that coal exists along most of the Yukon. His geological party extended its operation from ten to fifteen miles away from the river, making notes of coal formations and the manner in which they can be worked to best advantage.

Four mines were found in operation. One is at Five Finger Rapids and another at Cliff Creek, both in Canadian territory. Two American mines are being developed, one twelve miles below Nulato and one nine miles below. These mines are all producing a good quality of steaming coal, and several Yukon steamers are using it in place of wood, which is becoming more and more expensive each year.

Much of the coal along the Yukon is frozen to a depth of 150 feet or more, the action of freezing reducing it almost to granulation. This does not impair its burning qualities.

THE SECRET OF THE MAINE

Reason of Destruction of Ill Fated Ship Can Never Be Known

Washington, D. C., October 13 — When Lieutenant Morris committed suicide probably an everlasting lock was turned upon the secret of the Maine. He was the leotrician on that ill starred ship when she was sunk by an explosion in Havana harbor and called the Spanish war. His intimates have been sure that he knew the secret of the cause of the catastrophe, and that it was internal and not external; but his revelation involved the responsibility of a brother officer, and so Morris carried the weighty secret until it could be borne no longer and took his life as the only means deliverance.

The failure of the commission of inquiry into the cause of the catastrophe to find a reason for it has left an open question, and open question it always will be so far as direct evidence is concerned. The suicide of Morris, his occasional talk about defective wiring, and the feeling of his confidential friends that he knew the cause and that it was within the ship and not outside, constitute circumstantial evidence only, but such as it is it acquits Spain of the responsibility that only circumstantial evidence fastened upon her.

The consequences of that calamity have been stupendous for had not the Maine blown up there would have been no Spanish war, nor the long train of vexatious consequences, the further projection of which no human wisdom can see. The president was opposed to the war and relied upon diplomacy to free Cuba and accomplish all that war could do, and by better means, but the explosion in Havana harbor was followed by an echo of wrath in this country which demanded that the president throw the issue to congress to be decided by the direct representatives of the people. If Morris at that moment had unlocked the secret it might have stayed the hot tide of rage and it might not. Who can tell?

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 14, 1902.

LESSONS FROM COAL FAMINE

It is an ill wind that blows no good, and it will be found that the present fuel famine will not have been without its advantages. In the first place the famine will have the effect of showing the country the delicate position it would be in as regards coal in case of war with the United States, and a clear conception of the cold truth may lead the government to take steps toward piling up a reserve of coal against the evil day. For such a step there is the precedent of the Chinese government. The great hill of coal at Pekin was stored up centuries ago by some provident Emperor in view of a lengthy seige.

Then the famine will go a long way toward inculcating doctrines of government ownership of public utilities, or more properly speaking, public necessities, municipal ownership, and to some extent doctrines of socialism. It is possible the inconvenience we are undergoing just now may be the means of preventing the possibility of inconveniences, big or little, of a similar kind recurring.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

If it gets a little cooler you'd better take your fences inside, nights.

They say that Hot Scotch will be a dollar a drink next winter, if coal continues to go up.

With noses red and lips all blue,
The people wonder what they'll do.
Oh, let them shiver, I don't care,
Yours truly, G. F. BAER.

Mr. Reitz has made a new peace proposal, "If they give us back our country, I will be friendly with England," he has declared. The government is said to be considering the offer. If it be not accepted, Mr. Reitz intends to expose us in every town in Europe, and to destroy the good opinion of England that is always prevalent on the continent.

President Baer's reported remark that this talk about people suffering from coal this winter is only a scare recalls the reply of the gentleman who was invited by Noah to get aboard the ark, and who observed that there wasn't going to be much of a shower.

A strike of the soft coal miners now, or of any large section of them, would soon almost paralyze the industries of America and make millions of men idle. Then discussions of government action would take place legally or illegally.

A Cleveland man woke up and imagined he had swallowed his store teeth. He went to the hospital and was X-rayed. The teeth were located and the surgeons carved. "The operation was successful;" but the teeth were not found, and the man is going to die. The man's sister found the teeth under the bed, and rushed to the hospital, just in time to see the last stitch put in the incision. All of which shows the great value of the X-ray, properly handled.

RIFLE MATCHES AT LINDSAY

Peterborough Marksmen Make Creditable Showing there

The annual matches of the Victoria County Rifle Association were held Thursday, and Peterborough marksmen carried off a number of prizes. In No. 1 match, distance 200 and 500 yards, Pte. J. Gibson, of the 57th, scored 64 and won $5.00. The highest score was 66 by Capt. King, of the 46th, Port Hope. Pte. Fitzgerald also of the 57th, scored 62, winning $4.00; Sergt. W. H. Moore 61 for $3.00; C. Curtis 58 for $2.00. In match No. 2, distance 500 and 600 yards, Capt. King of the 46th, scored 60 for $5.00, and Pte. Gibson tied the score for second money, $4.00. Staff-Sergt. Battell scored 59 for $3.00; Pte. Curtis 56 for $2.50; Pte. Fitzgerald 51 for $2.00; Sergt. Moore 51 for $1.50. In the extra series match Pte. Gibson again tied the best score of 48 made by Capt. King and Sergt. Moore did the same. Pte. Fitzgerald scored 47. In the aggregate Pte. Gibson's score was 124, and Staff-Sergt. Bartlett's 120. Capt. King of the 76th, took first in every event. Capt. W. W. Nasmyth and Lt. Jas. Nasmyth, also of the 46th, ran up good scores.

BONNY DUNDEE

Published by Request.

To the lords of convention 'twas Claver'se who spoke.
"Ere the King's crown shall fall there are crowns to be broke;
So let each cavalier who loves honor and me
Come follow the bonnet of Bonny Dundee.

Come fill up my cup, come fill up my can,
Come saddle your horses, and call up your men;
Come open the West Port and let me gang free,
And it's room for the bonnets of Bonny Dundee."

Dundee he is mounted, he rides up the street,
The bells are rung backward, the drums they are beat;
But the provost, douce man, said "Just e'en let him be—
The gude town is weel quit of the deil of Dundee."

With sour-featured Whigs the Grassmarket was crammed,
'As if half the West had set tryst to be hanged;
There was spit ein each look, there was fear in each ee,
As they watched for the bonnets of Bonny Dundee.

These cowls of Kilmarnock had spits and head spears,
And lang-hafted gullies to kill cavaliers;
And they shrunk to close heads, and the causeway way free,
At the toss of the bonnet of Bonny Dundee.

"Away to the hills, to the caves, to the rocks—
Ere I own an usurper I'll couch with the fox;
And tremble, false Whigs, in the midst of your glee;
You have not seen the last of my bonnets and me."

RAILS SPREAD

A Double Header Grain Train from Midland Meets with an Accident

Another double-header grain train from Midland met with a serious mishap on Thursday morning, about three o'clock, but it was not accompanied with any loss of life.

Soon after leaving Lorneville, and when about four miles from the scene of the fatal wreck on Sunday, Sept. 21st, the rails spread under the heavy train and seven cars were thrown into the ditch and a number of others damaged by the sudden application of the brakes. The crews jumped when they felt the first heavy jolt, and it is understood that everyone escaped injury. The wrecked cars after leaving the rails pounded along for a considerable distance, and ruined a long stretch of track.

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his mind that the man for whose sake F. E. Z. had spoken after all these years might have been near and dear to her through ties of blood.

He had not wished Anderson to do anything for the fellow. There had been a grim joy in thwarting a request of the woman he had loved and lost, feeling that through time and distance he could stand in the way of her desire. But he had not meant to lose sight of the young man, and he had regarded it as not impossible that he might patronise him in the future. Only, whatever was done he intended should be done by himself and in his own way.

Anderson had unintentionally thwarted his last design by forgetting to enquire the address of Hope Newcome (an assumed name, no doubt); and in the quickly following events, which concerned Winifred Gray, Macaire had neglected to follow up a clue that might once have been easily obtained.

Rather curiously, he cherished no personal grudge against Hope Newcome for the fight with the man on the box-seat of Winifred's cab outside the stage-door on a certain night full of excitement. If a fool made a mess of his work he deserved to be ignored by his employer and punished by a stranger. Lionel Macaire had no use for fools, and was merciless to those who failed. But, maimed and physically handicapped himself in almost every way, he secretly adored and respected strength and courage above all other attributes of men.

He was jealous of them, too, because of rather than in spite of his admiration, and nothing on earth afforded him more subtle amusement than to make servants of strong men—great giants who could have crushed him with a blow of their fists, yet were forced to become the slaves of his money and the position which that money had won for him.

He did not hate Hope Newcome for thwarting him; but if all his soul had not been absorbed in the pursuit of Winifred he would have desired to have the young man as a pawn on his chessboard, to be used, taken up, and thrown down as whim or occasion suggested.

Macaire regretted to-day, as he thought of F. E. Z., and the man she had sent to her old friend, that he had allowed the latter to slip out of sight. Not that it mattered much. Still, the feeling in his mind was like the annoyance of having carelessly let the reins drop when they should have been firmly held.

As he walked on, noticed and recognized by many of the passers-by, the sound of music came to his ears. A woman was singing to the accompaniment of a banjo, cleverly played.

Macaire lifted his head and saw a couple of masked minstrels; a girl poorly dressed, with long, curly red hair falling from under her hat over her shoulders, her face completely concealed by a mask; a tall man, with his face also hidden, and in his hands a banjo.

The couple played and sang better than the majority of seaside "buskers," and their masks gave them a certain piquancy; yet Macaire threw them but one glance, and pushed his way on through the small crowd which had collected for the music. He had not gone far, however, when a sudden cry of fear or pain in a woman's voice caused him to turn his head.

The group surrounding the masked minstrels had been partly made up of several swaggering young cockneys from the lower middle class, who had probably come to Brighton for a Saturday to Monday "lark" on their bicycles. One of their number, perhaps dared by his fellows, was in the act of attempting to pull off the red-haired singer's mask as Macaire turned, and it was her protest he had heard.

What he stopped to see was the neat way in which her companion, despite the hampering banjo, sent the aggressor sprawling.

"Well done!" Macaire said to himself, hoping for more fun, as he dearly loved a fight, and was an enthusiastic patron of the ring.

He was not to be cheated of the desired sport, for the other members of the fallen man's party rallied round him thirsting for revenge. Luckily for the millionaire's amusement, not a policeman was in sight. The various nursemaids and their little charges who had been listening to the music scattered like frightened rabbits, and the town men seemed likely to have it all their own way for a moment or two with the masked minstrels.

Macaire stood at a distance faintly grinning, a twinkle in his pale eyes. "That fellow's got his work cut out for him," he thought. "I hope to goodness no one will interfere."

Some of the man's intimates who knew that he had once had a bear-fight to the death in one of the cellars under his town house; that men had pommelled each other's bodies and faces into a blood-stained jelly in the same place to win an enormous purse and afford secret midnight amusement to a few choice spirits—these intimates of his would have understood the expression on his face now and the ugly glint in his yellow eyes.

He was near enough to hear the masked man say to his companion: "Run, as fast as you can go!" He saw the girl turn and try to obey, and he saw the spring that one of the cads made to do what his prostrate chum had failed in doing—tear off her mask.

Up went the girl's hands to defend herself; but the defence was not needed. A smashing blow with the banjo, which brought the taut parchment down on the cockney's head and crushed his hat over a red, astonished face, finished him as a combatant. He retired with a bleeding nose to assist his fallen comrade, while the three others, still in fighting trim, attacked the minstrel, who now stood in front of the red-haired girl.

Two of the men seemed to have some technical knowledge of boxing, as Macaire's trained eye was quick to note, and the third, while his friends used their fists, raised a stick over the tall minstrel's head to avenge the late attack with the banjo.

But the masked man was not to be taken unawares. Keeping off the two boxers, who were sparring up to him, he sprang suddenly to one side, caught the thick stick which threatened him, broke it in two pieces as if it had been a reed, threw it in the owner's face, and turned his attention again to the principal attack, all without allowing the boxing contingent a chance worth having.

"By Jove, what a fellow!" thought Macaire. "Wonder what he plays the banjo for when he might be coining

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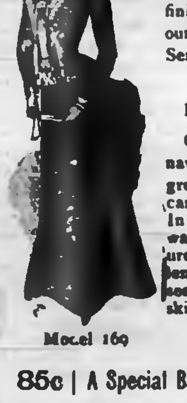

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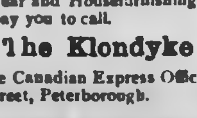

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SWORN STATEMENT

On June 15th, 1901, a client of the firm deposited with me at my suggestion, one hundred dollars to be invested in Corn for September delivery. I purchased for his account 5,000 bushels at 43 1/2 cents per bushel, with a margin of 2 cents. I sold his holdings at 47c., giving a profit of $275 00; I purchased again at 47 1/2 cents per bushel, 10,000 bushels on a 2c. margin; resold at 50c; I continued to buy and sell on this account, watching the market closely, until the middle of August, when my client instructed me to close the account and submit the amount to his credit; this I did, his account showed a balance due him of $5,850.00, as his investment of $100.00 for two months.

CHARLES H. BROOKS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this fifth day of December, 1901.

(Seal) GUILLEMINE E. TREDWAY, Notary Public.

My commission expires April 5th, 1903.

SWORN AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
City of St. Louis } ss.

Under oath as to its truthfulness, I make the following statement. March 25th, 1902, I deposited $25 to be invested in Corn, leaving the handling of my investment to the judgment of the Commission Company. On April 12th I was advised that my account was worth $50.00; on the same day I was advised that they had bought for me 2,500 bushels of Corn for July delivery at 61 3/8 cents; on April 16th, they sold and bought for my account, increasing my earnings to $131.75; again they bought for me, selling on April 23rd; my account now showing a net profit of $303.10 in 28 days, on an investment of $25.00 R ROY BRYAN, Deer, Mo.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of April, A.D. 1902.

(Seal) JANE N. WHITELAW, Notary Public.

My term expires February 12th, 1903.

Office of the Chief Inspector of Grain
for the State of Missouri. St. Louis, Sept. 12th, 1902

H. G. Dennis, President, St. Louis, Mo.

Dear Sir,—Any time you want any recommendations from me as to what I think of your plan of campaign in the corn market, you can have it, for I have not, in many years I have been trading in future corn, met with such success as you have achieved for me in the handling of my account. As you know, I am such a busy man that I cannot give any personal attention to these matters, and while I know that you had made some of my friends enormous profits in the July corn deal that you handled with such remarkable success, as everybody knows, I really made my little investment of $25 with you more for a flyer for cigar money than anything else, and when I think that in addition to the cheque for $137 50 sent me on August 23rd as result of first investment, cheque for $40.75 which you handed me on August 29th as result of second investment, and look at the market to-day, and see nearly $200 profit in the third investment, I am simply pleased beyond measure.

I also want to thank you for the purchase that you made for my two friends yesterday who, at my suggestion, left it entirely to your hands, as I see they have a nice profit in their trades to-day.

If you think well of it, take on some December corn for me, as I notice you are now advising to buy December corn. Very respectfully yours,

Joe P. Rice, R.R. & W. H. Com.

Martin, Goodwin & Watson, cash dealers in
General Merchandise and Plantation Supplies
Warren, Ark., August 27th, 1902

H. C. Dennis, President.

Gentlemen,—Received your check for $96.58, for which accept my most hearty thanks. I endorse your actions and your manipulations. Use the remaining $25.00 as you think best. Thanking you for your kindness in this matter, I am, very respectfully, A. O. Wallis.

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H. C. Dennis, President.

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The Wabash Railroad Company.
Passenger Department. St. Louis, Mo, Sept. 11th, 1902

Major Hugh C. Dennis, St. Louis; Mo.

Dear Sir:—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 10th inst., enclosing therewith your check No. 457 on the Third National Bank for $218.40.

This certainly shows most gratifying results of the small investment of $25, which I placed in your hands to handle, as your best judgment would dictate, on August 13th, less than a month ago, and assure you that I appreciate same highly.

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I remain, very truly yours, W. W. Wood, Trav. Pass. Agent.

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Sharpsburg, Iowa, Sept. 5, 1902.

H. C. Dennis, President.

Gentlemen:—Yours of the 4th inst., at hand and noted; you cannot understand by this letter my appreciation of your services. If I had ten thousand dollars to invest I would put it in your hands for investment, as I firmly believe that you will make it win if any Commission Company can; you can invest my deposit according to your judgment, adhering to a former letter I wrote you regarding profits. Hoping you are successful in the next investment, and awaiting your commands, I am,

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Peas, small	77 to 81
Peas, mummies	77 to 82
Oats	30 to 31
Buckwheat	50 to 50
Rye	46 to 50
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Wool, unwashed	06 to 09
Fleece Wool	11 to 12
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Lard	13 to 14
Chickens, per pair	50 to 75
Ducks, per pair	60 to 90
Geese, each	75 to 1 00
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Butter, crock	16 to 18
Eggs, per doz	14 to 16
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Cattle, choice butchers (steers, exporters and heifers)	4½ to 05
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Feeders, 1,000-1,100	3¼ to 3½
Stockers	2½ to 2¾
Hogs, select, 160-200	5 75 to 6 00
Fats and heavies	5 50 to 5 75
Lights	5 50 to 5 75
Sows	4 00 to 5 2
Stags	02 to 03
Sheep	2 50 to 2 75
Lambs, per lb	3 to 3½
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The Parks Fund

Yesterday Mr. J. H. Burnham sent in a dollar to assist the Parks' family, of Chandos. This makes a total of $55 which has been subscribed through The Times. Further subscriptions will be thankfully received.

Liquor Licenses

The number of liquor licenses issued in 1900-1 was 3,000—8 less than 1899-1900 and 32 less than in 1898-9. The revenue in the years named was about the same—in 1900-1 $626,228 of which the municipalities received $260,482.

Another Industry

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Literary Notice

The Methodist Publishing House in Tokio, Japan, has had large portions of "What a Young Boy Ought to Know" and "What a Young Man Ought to Know" two of the Purity Books in the Self and Sex Series translated and published in Japanese. The total absence of pure words in the Japanese language rendered the work of the translators exceedingly difficult, and the size of the Japanese characters rendered it impossible to publish either book entire, especially the book to young men, as it would have made a volume as formidable as an encyclopedia.

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OBITUARY

The funeral of the late Michael Holland, who died Saturday evening, took place yesterday from the home of his son, Mr. Steve Holland, Hunter street, to St. Peter's cathedral, where Rev. Father McColl conducted solemn requiem high mass. The funeral proceeded to Downeyville, where the remains were interred. The late Mr. Holland was for a long time a resident of this vicinity and was 71 years old. His surviving children are Messrs. Steve, Charley and Fred, Mrs. Patrick Hickey, town. The bearers at the funeral were Messrs. C. Halpin, J. McCarthy, P. Shanna, J. Flynn, C. Archambault, and R. McColl.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Misses Bella Lillico and Kate Fowler have returned from a three weeks' visit to Cleveland, Ohio.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. Edwards, Toronto, are the guests of Mrs. Edwards' mother, Mrs. W. H. Anthony, Union street.

—Mrs. Gunn and Miss Margaret Gunn, of London, are the guests of Mrs. E. Dewis, Water street.

—Mr. T. Cavanagh has returned home from the North Shore, whither he conducted a large party of men for the lumber camps.

—Miss M. Coleman, of New York, the new lady superintendent of Nicholls' Hospital, arrived this morning and will resume her duties this week.

Returned from Manitoba

Mr. James Davidson, of Smith, returned yesterday from a months' trip through Manitoba. Mr. Davidson reports everything booming in the West, and predicts a great future for that country. During his travels he met quite a number of Peterborough people. Mr. George Wallace, bricklayer, is living in Winnipeg, and is doing well. Mr. Walter Walsh and his brother Frank, are building a large elevator in one of the small towns in the interior. They are both prosperous, and have made considerable money. Mr. Davidson says that the young men should follow Horace Greeley's advice and go West.

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MARRIAGE BELLS

A Former Peterborough Boy to Be Wedded October 15

The following, taken from the Daily News-Record, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., will be read with interest by many Peterborough people. Mr. Gillespie is a son of Mr. John Gillespie, town. His many friends here will heartily join The Times in extending its hearty congratulations.

The first formal announcement of the prospective marriage of Miss Lillian Isobelle Stevenson to Richard Gillespie, of the Canadian Soo, was made last evening when Mrs. Chester H. Moran entertained for Miss Stevenson at her home on Maple street with a china shower. The approaching nuptials of these popular young people have been known for some time but no formal statement has been made until last evening.

Miss Stevenson is a neice of Mrs. Adam Ferguson and she has resided in the Soo for a number of years. Till recently she had been private secretary to R. G. Ferguson, head of the Soo Hardware Co. Miss Stevenson is a very popular young woman and her happy manner and wit have made her much sought socially. Mr. Gillespie is manager of Stark's furnishing house in the Canadian Soo. He formerly resided on this side of the river, and during his brief residence here made many friends. He is still considered a Soolite and is known heree socially by a wider circle than in his own home.

Mr. Gillespie and Miss Stevenson are to be married October 15 and after a brief eastern wedding tour will take up their residence in the Canadian Soo.

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Chief has a pair of spectacles or which he wants an owner.

—A drunk was fined $5 and costs at the Police Court yesterday.

—The North King made her last trip for the season on Saturday last.

—The coal strike will hurt the referendum vote. People can't go cold and drink cold water.

—The party who took an umbrella from the door of No. 212 London street, is requested to return it as he is known.

—Go ahead, Mayor Denne. This good town will back your praiseworthy efforts to keep the people from freezing.

—The Times requires the services of a canvasser to act as circulation manager. Good salary and permanent position offered.

—The Beaverton Express says that the coal famine has stimulated interest in Mr. Dobson's peat factory, and Toronto capitalists have offered $6 per ton for the entire season's output.

—The Exchequer Court, Hon. Justice Burbidge presiding, was in session yesterday on the Hull case, and will continue for several days.

—Early Sunday morning a small pile of lumber in the yard south of Mr. Allister's mill and belonging to the Dickson Company, was partially destroyed by fire. The brigade turned out and extinguished the blaze and saved adjoining piles of lumber. The loss is not great and is covered by insurance.

The Evils of Constipation

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THE PEAT INDUSTRY

The Monetary Times Thinks we are on Right Track

The Value of the Peat Bogs will Soon be Demonstrated—A great future for Peat Fuel Assured

The peat bogs of Ontario are likely to prove of immense value in the near future. In Peterborough and Victoria counties on the line of the Trent Valley Canal, are bogs sufficient, it is thought, to produce fuel sufficient for the whole country for hundreds of years to come. The Monetary Times, in referring to peat fuel says:

Ontario possesses rich beds of peat. Beginning with Gloucester Township, close to Ottawa, where the deposit is known as La Mer Bleue, and coming west to Victoria County we find good peat bogs near Beaverton; plenty around Orangeville and further towards Georgian Bay; deposits near Stratford, and the well known peat bogs of Welland, near the Niagara River.

True, the peat industries of 1874 and thereabout did not prove markedly successful. At least they declined or were abandoned, as coal, both hard and soft, grew more easy to procure. A letter from a correspondent in Montreal throws some light on this. But it is very likely true that the machinery used in those days to prepare peat for market was faulty. And the question just now is one of an alternative or subsidiary fuel, to be available in time of scarcity or dearness of coal. Much money has been sunk trying to produce and sell merchantable peat in Ontario, as well as in Quebec. Still it is possible that the right method had not been reached by previous experiemnters. We have heard of a process to be used this winter by a Mr. Speencer, of Stratford, which is greatly lauded, but seems to promise too much. Another peat enterprise, that of Mr. Dobson, at or near Beaverton Ont., commends itself more to us. This man has been experimenting for some years and produces briquettes of peat sold for two or three winters at $4 per ton on track, and burned in various towns, including Beaverton and Toronto, at a cost ranging from $4 to $4.75 per ton. His machine, his own invention is described to us as the best suited for the purpose of any yet tried. We remark in passing what is greatly to Mr. Dobson's credit, if true, that he has refused a Toronto man's offer of $5 per ton, on track, Beaverton, for two hundred tons of his briquettes, preferring to keep it for those Beaverton people who have patronized and befriended him.

Those who have used peat briquettes in their houses tell us that they are satisfactory and convenient as fuel for grate or kitchen stove, but not at all comparing with coal for furnace use. Of course the difference in heat units of the two substances is to be borne in mind, for the heating power of peat is, we aretold, 60 that of coal as 54 to 72. This means that twelve tons of coal will give as much heat as sixteen tons of peat. With coal scarce and dear, with wood increasing in price as fuel, there remains gas, which must go up, as coal does, and peat, to be considered as heat makers. If Canada is not to remain a hand-maiden to the United States, and the coal barons thereof, it behooves her to make sensible and economical use of her own resources in this as in other directions.

The Home Lessons

Complaints have been made to The Times regarding the home lessons under our school system. These are indeed intolerable. To master these lessons evening after evening means intellectual loss. They are, in short, an inhuman device. They are contrary to the law of nature, which is the law of God. Home lessons will be absolutely abolished by the new educationists who is coming. There will be a working and studying day for the child of five hours; the balance will be for play and observation. To put the young child on the rack all day, to subject him to the tyranny of home lessons in the evening, and then expect him to be intellectually nimble throughout his whole school course, is the height of folly. We will smile to think how little we understood the child nature which we were especially supposed to appreciate. Parents should everywhere make protest against a system which stuns the mind, makes school a terror and denies to the child that freedom of body and mind which are so essential at the school age—that freedom which delights in innocent sport, in happy observation of outward things which offer more to the heart and mind than all the text books in the world.

USUAL ELECTION OFFICIALS

Same Machinery for Referendum as at Last Election

The writs for the referendum will probably be issued about the 1st of November. It is understood that the same officials and general machinery that was used at the recent provincial election will be appointed to act at the prohibition vote-taking. The lists of returning officers, etc., will probably not be made public for a couple of weeks.

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The Gold Lake Club

The members of the Gold Lake Hunting Club are not unanimous regarding the fall campaign, which is about to open. It is understood that some of the old members are not likely to participate in the chase this year. In fact it is said that Mr. George Fitzgerald, the Commodore of the Eagle Lake Hunt Club, has made an offer on behalf of his party to lease the lodge during the cranberry season, which is now on, in which event he will require the services of at least 100 girls and boys to pick berries. That the matter is serious is known from the fact that Chief Snowden of the Gold Lake Club and his "cabinet" were closeted together for several hours last night, and may still be in session. Misfortunes never come singly: First it was the coal strike, then the wood famine, and now we are threatened with the strike of the Gold Lake Hunters. Three strikes and out.

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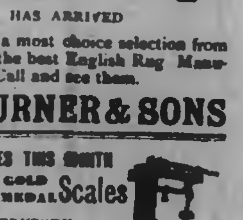

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THE OUTLOOK VERY OMINOUS IN THE PELKAN PROVINCES

Russia Said to be at the Bottom of the Troudle

Turkey Unable to Put Down the Rebellion

Europe Will Be Obliged To Take a Hand Sooner or Later

London, Oct. 15—The latest despatches from the East are not at all reassuring to the lovers of peace. Russia is said to be at the bottom of the Macedonian insurrection and is aiding the rebels in every possible way. Things will speedily come to a pass when she will send her forces into the country, as Turkey appears to be entirely helpless.

The present situation in Macedonia is practically intolerable and no lends confirmation to the current cable reports of spreading revolution. A writer says that this year, contrary to usual experience, insurgent bands have been active all the summer, and have received much practical aid from Christian peasants. As for the Turkish authorities, he says that, notwithstanding all their professions of activity and zeal they are unwilling or unable to make any serious effort to grapple with the situation. They sometimes try to mask the disgraceful state of the administration with a display of energy in trifling matters. Certain of the higher functionaries seem anxious to create an impression in the outer world that the Government is conducted in accordance with civilized principles, and a few of them honestly endeavor to put these principles into practice, but nothing avails against the widespread corruption of the officials, the lawlessness of the Albanian element, and the growing strength of the revolutionary movement. In many cases the troops and police despatched against the bands take care to avoid a pitched battle, and, if the brigands have funds, they find no difficulty in coming to an amicable arrangement with the pursuing force, especially when the latter is composed of gendarmes. The published reports of successful encounters with the revolutionists and the extermination of entire bands are as a rule entirely untrustworthy, according to this authority, and there is nothing in the statement which is inconsistent with Turkish practices.

Much Coal By Water Has Reached Montreal Port

Last Week Some 20,000 Tons Were So brought In--50,000 Tons Expected Before Close of Navigation

Montreal, Oct. 15—Last week there was between 15,000 and 20,000 tons of coal delivered at the port of Montreal, but of this 3,000 tons of Welsh coal, ex. steamship Avona, consigned to a Montreal dealer has been sold to the corporation of Ottawa.

The Hocking Valley coal, ordered by the Pennsylvania Coal Company has not yet come to hand. The corporation says it cannot procure any more of this article, and are practically, for the moment out of the business. Scotch coal is being quoted at $7.50 per ton today. Hocking Valley contracted for at $9, Welsh at $10, Nova Scotia from $6.50 to $7, and English coke at $10.

Messrs. Andrew Baile & Co., representing the Acadia mines, of Nova Scotia, are not taking any new contracts and are reserving the output of the mines for their customers at $7. Hardwood, it is said, is held in the hands of country merchants, who are asking in some cases $8 a cord. There are only two coal vessels in port today— the Avona from Swansea and the Mystic from Sydney. The Activ is on her way up from Pictou, N.S., with soft coal to fill Intercolonial contracts. The Turret Crown is also on her way up from Sydney with 2,000 tons for the Dominion Coal Company. The Hestia, of the Donaldson line, is loading at Glasgow, and the Mennona at Swansea, with Welsh anthracite. The Belfast will bring out another load of Welsh and several of the Elder-Dempster and Lord Line boats will yet bring out anthracite.

WILL DELIVER 50,000 TONS.

It is estimated, therefore, that at least 50,000 tons of hard coal will be delivered at St. Lawrence ports before the end of navigation.

"In so far as the retailers are concerned," said a McGill street dealer today, "we do not consider that we have any cause of action against the operators for non-delivery, and so far as I can ascertain we are all agreed that the strike comes under the clause in our contract which releases the operators from responsibility in the case of floods, acts of providence, or as we say in this province, cause majeure.

"Some of us I understand, only act as agents, but the majority buy direct from the mine owners. Few people have any idea of the imperious policy of these American coal barons toward the Canadian retailers. They not only fix our prices, but they have a cast iron set of regulations they impose on us which makes little better than their clerks. For instance, if you go to New York in April and endeavor to secure a stock which will carry you through the season, you are refused point blank and told that a month's supply is all they can spare and when that is finished come again. In other words, they want the profit any rise in the market will give and only accord to us the cut and dried profit of about 50 cents per ton they have established. Moreover if they discovered any of the Canadian contingent departing from their schedule of prices the culprit would soon be pounced upon and refused further supplies. A volume could be written regarding the tyranny of these barons but we are helpless and have to play the role of beggars. So secret are the deliberations of these people that we actually do not know who make the prices beyond the fact that the quotations come from New York."

The Montreal Light, Heat and Power Company are refusing further orders for coke stating that they "have at the present time more orders in hand than they can deliver during the next two or three months."

The change from hard to soft coal was very perceptible in many of the churches yesterday the gas which escaped from the furnaces being quite noticeable.

THE FISHERY QUESTION ON THE FROZEN RIVER

The Request of the Americans Refused by British Columbia

They Cannot set up Fish Hatcheries on the Frozen River

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 13 — When Alexander Mackenzie, the noted explorer, crossed the Rockies by the Peari River Pass and worked his way down towards the Pacific Coast, he found the Indians regaling themselves on salmon, which seemed to be the staple diet of the red man. The supply of fish was extraordinary, and so continues, although the department of Marine and Fisheries insists that this state of affairs can only be maintained by well regulated seasons and the prevention of such methods as are destructive of fish life. The Washington State authorities are at the present time endeavoring to secure from the Canadian Government permission to set up fish hatcheries in the upper waters of the Fraser River in British Columbia, whither the salmon go each year to spawn. They offer to build hatcheries and maintain them to keep up the supply of fish. This offer has been refused, because it is feared that the stocking of the Fraser River by the hatcheries would be made a matter of secondary consideration, and the real object would be to use the hatcheries for the benefit of United States waters. There is in connection with this fishery question the much discussed point as to the use of traps. These traps are permitted on the American side, and many Canadians are clamoring for the Department at Ottawa to permit their use in Canada. But so far this has been refused. The opinion of the Ottawa fisheries officials is that if the Washington State authorities are in earnest to preserve the salmon industry from extinction they would take steps to abolish traps and control their own fishermen. Both countries would profit by a sensible arrangement which provided one set of fishery regulations governing the fisheries on each side of the boundary line.

—It takes thirty or forty years to grow a shade tree. It takes a few minutes for a man with an axe to cut it down.

A CIVIC TELEPHONE SYSTEM IN OTTAWA

A Sample Automatic System to be put in Operation

WILL DISPENSE WITH GIRLS

Two Hundred Telephone Automatic Switchboards to be Installed at Once

Ottawa, Ont, October 15 — A sample telephone system to compete with the Bell telephone system is to be tried on a large scale in Ottawa in a very short time. Two hundred instruments will be installed in the city in a week or two.

City Engineer Ker and other prominent Ottawa men were down last week in Ohio, where they got information and tested a new telephone system, which, it is believed, is far more modern than the one in Ottawa and twice as cheap. It is also pretty nearly certain that the installation of a municipal plant on this system would be about twice as cheap as the present system.

The new telephones are to dispense with the hello girl. They are of most modern make. On the face are the ten unit numbers on separate buttons. A man who wishes to get, say 260, would press the number 2, then the number 6, then the number 0, and pull down a lever. This would put the 'phone at once in communication with 260. Should 260 be using their telephone, the lever will indicate this.

Thus there is no need of a central exchange. The wires come together in a central point, but one man is enough to look after everything there. Thus the cost of maintenance is much reduced.

One of the largest chambers on Bank street has been secured and a private system of 200 telephones will be installed, one in each office. The test would have been made on a larger scale throughout the city were it not for the exclusive monopoly the Bell company holds here through its agreement.

However, permission may be asked to install two long distance telephones on this system, one to the east, and the other to the west of the city. If this is granted it will add to the test.

The cost of telephones on this new system is, house telephones $15, and business telephones $20 a year.

Dying By Slow Degrees

Although not always aware of it, yet thousands die by slow degrees of catarrh. It first attacks thee nose and throat then the lungs, and finally spreads all through the system. Catarrhozone is the only remedy that will immediately prevent the spread of this awful disease. Every breath from the inhaler kills thousands of germs, clears the throat and nose, aids expectoration and relieves tha pain across the eyes. Catarrhozone erradicates every vestige of catarrh from the systen, and is highly recommended also for Bronchitis, Asthma, Deafness and Lung Trouble. Price $1 ; trial size 25c., all druggists. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Dr. Hamilton's Pills cure Biliousness.

The Grand Trunk Railway And The Coal Strike

Important Statements at the Semi-Annual Meeting in London--The Present Progress and Prospects of the Company

London, October 14—The serious condition of the coal strike and the recent financial scare in Montreal gave especial interest to the semi-annual meeting of the shareholders of the Grand Trunk railway today. The shareholders were gratified to learn from Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson, the president, that the strike not having extended to the soft coal districts, the Grand Trunk was unaffected though he warned the meeting that prices of coal would possibly increase. The general manager of the Grand Trunk, Mr. C. M. Hayes, was, however, not apprehensive for the board had heard no complaint from him.

Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson declared that the general record of the company was one of progress and prosperity. The directors of the Grand Trunk, however, held their trust not for today only, and consequently their finance should not be of hand-to-mouth order.

From July 1 to October 7, the gross increase in traffic was £122,000.

The report and accounts were adopted.

—Mr. M. Cadigan, of Ennismore, discovered a bear and two cubs in the bush near Gannon's Narrows, and went to Mr. James Tracy's, who secured a gun and killed the lot.

SULTAN'S AUTOBIOGRAPHY

Turkey's Ruler Records Diplomatic Secrets to be Revealed When he Dies

Vienna, Oct. 15— The newspaper Die Information announces that the Sultan of Turkey has written his autobiography which will fall like a bombshell on the civilized world.

He records without reserve the deceptions practised by Christian statesmen in trying to gain the support of Mohammedan Turkey.

The work will be published after the Sultan's death.

MAGNIFICENT VEGETABLES

Beausejour and West Selkirk Vegetables at Immigration Hall

Special to The Times.

Winnipeg, Oct. 14—Pumpkins weighing respectively 200 and 150 pounds, turnips 25 pounds, and potatoes, 4 1-2 pounds, grown at Beausejour, are on exhibition at the immigration hall. From the same village has been sent a sample of No. 1 Northern wheat which weighs 63 1-2 lbs and oats 44 pounds to the bushel.

There is also a magnificent display of potatoes, carrots, parsnips, onions, cauliflower, turnips and other vegetables, also tobacco, sent by a West Selkirk farmer.

STRIKE CHECKS MARRIAGES

Fewer Licenses Issued in New Haven Because of Shortage

Special to The Times.

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 14—The explanation advanced this afternoon as to why the total number of marriage licenses issued for September in this city had fallen far below that of last year and the year before was that coal is too high to encourage matrimony. This year there were eighty-five licenses, last year, 103, and in 1900, 118.

It is said that several licenses were returned because of the high price of coal, the young people, all of moderate circumstances, deciding not to wed until the strike was settled.

SETTLING SOUTH AFRICA

A Commission Appointed to Deal With the Whole Question

London, October 15 — A commission has been appointed at Johannesburg, to deal with the whole question of the resettlement of the Transvaal. A provisional board was appointed, even before the war had finished to receive applications from intending settlers, but the members of it soon found that there were more applicants who wished to start farming at once than they could possibly deal with. So the distribution of farms was entrusted to an official in the Governor's office, and now farms are alloted with no more delay than is, perhaps, inevitable. No attempt has been made by the Government as yet to bring settlers from Great Britain, in view of the number of applications received from ex-soldiers and others already in South Africa. The leases are limited to one year, or, in some cases, to five years, with a first option for the settler at the end of the period of acquiring the land on terms which will be formulated in the first place by the new commission.

An Eclipse Party

The Katydyd Pedro Club will meet at the residence of one of its members on the night of Oct. 16th, and will linger around long enough to witness the dark doings of the man in the moon, as he has has a total eclipse arranged for that night. As he will keep it dark for one hour and twenty minutes. Each member is hereby notified that no spooning or like diversions will be tolerated during the moon's absence, as the surroundings will be illuminated by gas and electric light. The Katydyds are nearly all composed of workers in a couple of dry goods stores, and the committee have power to add to their numbers. After the game the matter of the coal question will be sifted.

SIGNIFICENT HINT TO KAISER WILLIAM

Why The Emperor Did Not Receive The Boer Generals

KING EDWARD IS CONCERNED

The Pro-Boer Committee Refused Permission to Make Street Collections in Brussels

London, October 14 —There is excellent authority for stating that intimation was recently conveyed to Emperor William from an exalted British personage that if he insisted on granting an audience to the Boer generals, he would have to give up his plan of visiting King Edward on the latter's birthday. The German Foreign office was informed that if the Boers asked for an introduction to the Emperor through the British ambassador at Berlin, the Ambassador would be instructed to refuse to grant it.

The Burgomaster of Brussels, says the Times correspondent, has refused the application of the pro-Boer committee to be allowed to take up street collections in aid of the Boer fund. Such collections are prohibited under municipal regulations and the Burgomaster fails to see why he should establish a troublesome precedent.

SOUTH AFRICAN SITUATION

A Hopeful View by Hon. Alfred Lyttleton, in North American Review

London, Oct. 15—The Hon. Alfred Lyttleton; whose brother, Lieut.-Gen. Lyttleton succeeds Lord Kitchener as commander-in-chief in South Africa, and who was chairman of the commission which was sent to South Africa to investigate the claims of foreigners for compensation for damages incurred during the war, writes in the August North American Review on "Practical Problems in South Africa." He takes a most hopeful view of the situation there. He points to the affinities between the Dutch and British races, and to the similarity between the pursuits and the historical aspirations of both peoples. Though the loss of national independence must be a grievous thing to the Boers, still there are precious things which national independence does not safeguard, such as personal liberty, religious toleration and the free expansion of the individual, which, it is to be hoped, his absorption into the British Empire will guarantee to the Boer. Mr Lyttleton tells of some of the things which have already been accomplished. The law affecting the natives of the Transvaal has been reformed; the illicit drink traffic with natives has been put down ; the gold and patent laws have been improved ; a scheme for irrigation has been worked out by Mr. Wilson, and a land settlement plan devised by Mr. Arnold-Forster.

AUSTRIA AND HUNGARY WILL MAKE TROUBLE

The Two Countries Will Dissolve Friendship and Appeal to War

THIS IS NOW PREDICTED BY MANY

The Demise of the Emperor Will See a Violent Rupture Which May Take Place Sooner

London, Oct. 15—The Post says:—Indications are becoming more frequent in latter years that the combined monarchy of Austria-Hungary holds together by a slender tie, and that it would require only an extra strain to snap the connecting link. That this strain will be applied on the death of the Emperor Franz Josef of Austria is becoming painfully evident.

Hungarian statesmen believe, with or without sufficient reason, that the rulers of Austria proper discriminate against the Hungarian monarchy in the matter of compelling it to pay more than its share of the joint expenses of what might be termed the Federal government. There never was much love lost between the two nations, and this question of expense is one which is not at all likely to be settled amicably, and if not so settled, then it must be compulsorily leaving a rankling grievance behind.

This oddly constituted dual government has existed since 1867, and since then each nation has "gone it alone" in the matter of home rule and local legislation, while a separate body provides for the imperial affairs. The official official title of the combined monarchy is the "Oesterreichisch-Ungarische Monarchie," composed of a "Cisleithan" empire and a "Transleithan" kingdom; the former officially designated as "die im Reichsrathe vertretenn Konigreich und Lander," commonly called Austria, and the latter as "di Lander der ungarischen Krone," commonly called Hungary.

Each of the two countries, as intimated above, has its own parliament, ministers and government, the only thing in common between them being a hereditary sovereign, the army and navy and the diplomatic outfit. The imperial affairs are looked after by a common body known as the delegations, consisting of 120 members selected half and half by each country. These Delegations are chosen by the parliaments of each nations, the upper house of each government selecting twenty members and the lower house each choosing forty.

These Delegations usually sit in two bodies, sixty Austrians and sixty Hungarians deliberating on imperial affairs, but if they do not act in accord, the bodies must hold a joint meeting and without debate cast a final vote which is not subject to any review by the parliaments of either country, but becomes binding on the whole empire. The jurisdiction of the delegations is limited to foreign affairs, common finances and war.

There are three distinct budgets—that of the delegations for the joint empire, that of the Reichsrath for Austria and of the Hungarian diet for the Kingdom of Hungary. In addition to the Reichsrath, or central diet, Austria has seventeen provincial diets, variously constituted and differing in numbers according to the population of the province. These provincial diets make laws affecting local administration, particularly those relating to taxation, the cultivating of the soil, educational, church and charitable institutions and public works.

As will be seen from this summary, the scheme of government is a complicated one, but on the whole it works well enough, and it does not seem that the friction which exists between the two countries arises from any fault of the working in the machinery of government but rather of a district and mutual aversion. The countries are like an ill-sorted team of horses that will endeavor to pull in different directions.

The Hungarian chamber is now in session, and there is no prospect that its deliberations will be carried on with more cordiality to Austria than during the last session. Indeed, one of the first incidents of the meeting was a violent attack on the Emperor by a Kossuth deputy, who charged that the Emperor's design was to crush Hungary. There is a deadlock on the question of imperial expenses, and Hungarians are demanding an economic separation.

The latest Hungarian movement is to make the newly born son of the Archduke Franz Ferdinand and of his morganatic wife, the Princess Hohenberg, heir to the Hungarian throne. How this cam be accomplished without a complete separation of the countries it is hard to see, as the baby could not by any means become Emperor of Austria-Hungary.

It will require diplomacy and forbearance to bring the two countries to a condition of accord and harmony, but there is little of such statesmanship visible in the relations of either side with the other at present. The worst indications are that coercion may be required to compel Hungary to fulfil her part of the financial obligations of the empire, and if this should prove neccessary pire, and if this should prove necessary a shrewd prophet would be required to fortell the result.

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BIG PREPARATIONS FOR SIR WILFRID'S RETURN

Montreal Preparing to welcome the Premier, who will Return To-motrow

Montreal, Oct. 14—Arrangements were completed today for the welcome home of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The Elder-Dempster Line managers says that there is very little doubt that the Lake Erie will reach Rimouski early on Thursday morning. It is proposed to have the Government tug, the Druid, in waiting at Rimouski, with a few personal and political friends of the Premier on board.

Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier will be taken on board the Druid and will reach Quebec about seven in the evening. An address is to be presented to him, and fireworks and music will add to the enthusiasm of the occasion.

On Friday morning the Premier will leave by train for Montreal. The only stops he will make will be at Portneuf, Three Rivers, Louiseville and Berthier. It is likely that at each place addresses of welcome will be presented, but it is not thought that he will speak beyond a few words of thanks.

RECEPTION AT PLACE VIGER.

The train will reach Montreal at Place Viger Station at seven o'clock and Sir Wilfrid will be escorted by the Mayor and Aldermen to the balcony of the hotel, where the address of welcome will be be read by His Worship. It is not intended to have any speeches beyond that of Sir Wilfrid, and those who are in his confidence say that he will speak for a short time. The Montreal Street Railway Company will be asked to have all cars which go through Place Viger take another route for an hour or so, so that the immense crowds which are sure to congregate will not be disturbed.

It is estimated that fully fifty thousand will be in the neighborhood of Place Viger and nearly that number in the line of the procession—if the night is fine.

The eastern portion of Place Viger will be brilliantly illuminated by the Harbour Commissioners and the west end by the city.

Every political club in the city is to be asked to turn out and make a welcome free from politics.

At the close of the Premier's address the procession will be formed. Ten thousand torches will be supplied and headed by a band the Premier will be taken along Craig street, St. Lawrence, and St. Catherine to the Windsor, where he will see a few personal friends before retiring for the night.

MITCHELL HAS DEFERRED THE STRIKE SETTLEMENT

He Does Not Like the Proposition of the Operators, but the Miners are Divided

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 14. — President Mitchell of the Miners' Union refuses point blank to talk for publication at this time upon the new proposal for the arbitration of the coal strike laid before President Roosevelt last night by the presidents of the coal-carrying railroads. No official information can be had as to his views. As to the striking miners in this region, a large number favor a rejection of the offer as formulated by the operators, while there are equally as many who see some good in the offer. The miners, however, have the greatest commfidence in the judgment of their leader, and it is certain they will leave the matter in his hands.

The citizens of the region generally are rejoicing at the new turn of affairs, and feel confident that the step just taken by the operators will result in much good, if not a speedy settlement of the great conflict.

President Mitchell received the news from the newspaper men after 1 o'clock this morning—the moment it was flashed here from Washington. He had been informed by the correspondents that a conference was in progress in the White House, and he decided to wait to hear what its result would be. He immediately retired after learning of the arbitration offer.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 15, 1902.

GRAPPLING WITH THE ISSUE

Canadians have a high opinion of their political system, and generally speak of it as the freest and best form of government, but, in such a crisis as that now existing in Pennsylvania, we could not turn in any direction for such decisive action as that which it is said Governor Stone will take.

There is a beautiful simplicity about the way the Governor of Pennsylvania deals with the strike. He tells the mine owners that they must produce coal in usual quantities forthwith, or settle with the strikers or the State will take the mines out of their hands.

He does not quote statutes, nor go to law, nor appoint commissions. He simply says the people govern, they need coal, they are not to be deprived of it, and if it is not produced for them they will go and take it. Is this course constitutional? The proposition is to do it and find out. A country whose constitution is continually being violated to the injury of the public can afford now and then to give the precious constitution a few bumps for the benefit of the masses.

THE UNION JACK

The London Times publishes an interesting article upon the national flag and its proper or improper use or display:

"This," it says, "is necessarily prescribed with far greater precision and authority as regards ships at sea than citizens on shore. At sea the national flag, in whatever form in is lawfully displayed is an international symbol of nationality which confers certain definite rights, privileges and immunities. It must not, thereofre, be so used as to confound different classes of ships entitled to wear different forms of it, nor must it be so used by merchant vessels of any class as to interfere with the recognized symbolism or significance of its use for various purposes by ships of the royal navy. For this reason the senior naval officer present in any part of the world is empowered to restrain the improper use of any form of the national flag by any and every British vessel afloat. But on land there would seem to be no occasion for the observance of such precision nor for the exercise of such authority. The national pride in the national flag should suffice to restrain its improper use and display, and all that seems to be needed is a wider diffusion of accurate knowledge on the subject. It should be a reproach to every loyal and patriotic citizen not to know what the national flag is, what are its proper form and construction, and what is the proper use and symbolism of the several forms of it; and, were this the case, public opinion might safely be trusted to discountenance the use of all forms of it not properly constructed, or not recognized by established usage and authority. The form, construction, history and proper usage of the national flag might well be made a definite subject of teaching in every school in the kingdom. It is full of interest and contains a good deal of history in a very attractive form. It makes no difference for this purpose whether the national flag is, as we think, the Union Jack or the Red Ensign, as Lord Hawkesbury insists, since no one can understand the Red Ensign or any other ensign unless he first understands the Union Jack. If this were done the illicit and improper forms of the national flag, badly made and faultily hoisted, of which we have seen so many examples of late, would soon disappear altogether. 'You can always fly the Union Jack,' say Lord Knollys. Provided it is the Union Jack, properly made and properly hoisted, it does not much matter, on shore, whether it is flown in the form of the Red Ensign or of any other ensign duly recognized by authority. But, lest naval susceptibilities should be offended, it had better be, we think, the Union Jack by itself."

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THE SECRET OF THE MAINE

Reason of Destruction of Ill Fated Ship Can Never Be Known

Washington, D. C., October 12 — When Lieutenant Morris committed suicide probably an everlasting lock was turned upon the secret of the Maine. He was the electrician on that ill starred ship when she was sunk by an explosion in Havana harbor and called the Spanish war. His intimates have been sure that he knew the secret of the cause of the catastrophe, and that it was internal and not external; but his revelation involved the responsibility of a brother officer, and so Morris carried the weighty secret until it could be borne no longer and took his life as the only means deliverance.

The failure of the commission of inquiry into the cause of the catastrophe to find a reason for it has left an open question, and open question it always will be so far as direct evidence is concerned. The suicide of Morris, his occasional talk about defective wiring, and the feeling of his confidential friends that he knew the cause and that it was within the ship and not outside, constitute circumstantial evidence only, but such as it is it acquits Spain of the responsibility that only circumstantial evidence fastened upon her.

The consequences of that calamity have been stupendous for had not the Maine blown up there would have been no Spanish war, nor the long train of vexatious consequences, the further projection of which no human wisdom can see. The president was opposed to the war and relied upon diplomacy to free Cuba and accomplish all that war could do, and by better means, but the explosion in Havana harbor was followed by an echo of wrath in this country which demanded that the president throw the issue to congress to be decided by the direct representatives of the people. If Morris at that moment had unlocked the secret it might have stayed the hot tide of rage and it might not. Who can tell?

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money with his fists? I'd like to match him against Joey the Kid."

At this instant a big policeman, informed of what was going on by one of the fleeing nurse-maids, appeared upon the scene.

The man who had gone down first was up now, and, seeing the policeman, gave the alarm to his companions.

Before the policeman could get near them they had turned tail and darted away round the first corner and out of sight, the masked minstrel not deigning to follow. He stood his ground, merely stooping to pick up the broken banjo, which he had flung aside for the fight, after smashing the frame too severely for the instrument still to be practicable as a weapon.

If Macaire had had eyes for anyone so insignificant he might have seen that in the melee somehow the little masked, red-haired girl had contrived to slip away. But he was watching the man, and approachingly slowly that he might, if necessary, win the young athlete's gratitude by bearing witness in his defence.

CHAPTER XVIII.

A Discovery.

Macaire was just in time, as it happened, to be of yeoman service, for the policeman, irritated that the other offenders had escaped, and not too kindly disposed towards a "busking" vagabond with a mask, had opened the vials of his wrath when the millionaire sauntered up.

"Look here, bobby," said he in the harsh voice which, for some curious, occult reason seemed to have great power over the lower classes, "my name is Lionel Macaire. Perhaps you know it, and I give you my word that this young man is in no way to blame for what has happened. I saw the affair from the beginning, though unfortunately I was unable to interfere. One of these ruffians insulted a girl who was with him, singing, and this man defended her. Then all the others set upon him—five to one. He is a brave fellow, and ought to be praised instead of reprimanded."

The policeman was a reader of newspapers, and had known for years that the name of Lionel Macaire was financially one to conjure with. The millionaire had been pointed out to him also since the sensational affair at the Thespian Theater, and once having seen that frightful face it would be impossible to mistake it for another's.

Why a millionaire's word should be accepted more readily than a pauper's ought to be hard to explain; but such is human nature—even among policemen.

"All right, sir; if you say it's all right I suppose it is," this member of the force responded promptly. "I must do my duty, sir, that's all."

"Well, you have done it, and now it's over," said Macaire. At the same time he produced from his sovereign pocket two gold pieces; and though the man in blue honestly scorns bribes—in silver—he was not able to resist an offer of more than a week's salary, "all in one go," merely for taking a gentleman's word.

"This is a little token that I appreciate your common sense and moderation," went on the millionaire; and then the two sovereigns changed hands. The policeman at that instant opportunely spying a motor-car which he thought might be going too fast, had the best of excuses for bestowing his presence where it was more needed; and with warning shouts of "Hi-hi!" to the oblivious motorist he went off at a run.

"Thank you, sir," said the masked minstrel, heartily, to Macaire. "You have saved me from a lot of bother, I'm sure." He spoke like a gentleman, but if he were English his accent suggested that he had lived for years out of his native country.

"On the contrary," returned the other in his most ingratiating manner, "it is for me to thank you for as pretty an exhibition of dash and skill as I've seen for some time. You can imagine that I don't refer entirely to your musical feats, though they were excellent, no doubt. But I'm no judge of music. I am, I flatter myself, a judge of most things in the athletic line, and if you'll allow me to say so, I wonder that you care to earn your living by your fingers when you might do it so much more effectively with your biceps and your fists."

The young man in the mask laughed frankly, and glanced down at his ruined banjo. "I did better work with this to-day than usual, perhaps," he said. "But it looks as if it had played its last tune. As for the talents you're good enough to think I possess, sir, I've tried to make use of them since I came to England, but the market for muscles is apparently overstocked. Indeed, I tried several things before I began making a professional use of my banjo; but I can't afford to despise it, as it's been the best friend in the money-making line I've found in this country."

"All the worse for the country, then," responded the millionaire. "I hope, though, you're not so discouraged as to want to leave it and go back to your own—wherever that may be."

"I shan't leave it till I've done what I came to do," the young man answered, with a nonchalance which perhaps cloaked a deeper feeling. "Not if it takes me ten years."

"Oh, so you came to England with an object, eh?" enquired Macaire, in the good-natured way he could affect when he had a motive.

His motive now was to get this young athlete under his patronage, and match him against a certain champion who had gone about in swaggering defiance of rivals long enough. It was something to have his thoughts taken off his galling failure with Winifred Gray, and he was pleased to find himself feeling so keen an interest in an alien subject.

"Don't most men travel with an object?" retorted the man with the mask. "There'd be no incentive to a lazy fellow, else. And for fear I go back to a condition of laziness I must be off, sir—thanking you again for what you did for me."

"Stop a bit," ejaculated Macaire. "I've something to suggest to you. As you say, few men—that is, few men of brains like yours and mine—do things without an object. Now, I had an object in interfering in your interest with our friend in blue. It wasn't entirely a selfish one, perhaps, though partially so, I admit, and I should like to have a talk with you about it if you're so inclined. It might turn out to be for our mutual advantage."

Again the young man laughed. "You can guess that I'm open to offers, sir,

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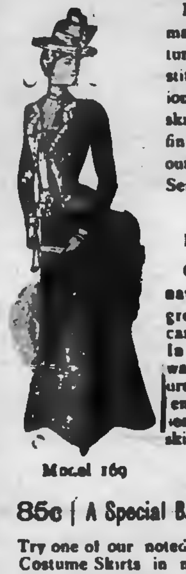

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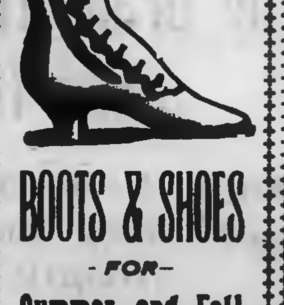

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The cliques and pools have been compulsory buyers of stocks. As the public again commenced to sell on the results of the bank statement, this state of affairs brought about by the movements of money may cause somewhat lower quotations for the time being. It cannot alter the fact, however, that stocks are cheap, in some cases remarkably so. When everyone gets bearish it will be a dangerous proceeding to be short of any great line of stocks. The public are known sellers, but bear in mind every time they dispose of a share of stock some one must be the buyers. The buyers of the present time are of the courageous sort, they will be the sellers when matters have righted themselves, and the situation is clearer; they will furthermore be sellers at a profit. A decline of from 15 to 130 per share places some very tempting offers upon Wall Street's bargain counter. The increase of cash orders for stocks is most noticeable. Our business in that particular line has increased in the last week fully four fold. We mention this fact to show the greater demand for stock at these low prices.

Care should be exercised in trading for the time being, and all ventures should be backed by liberal margins on the ability to provide it should it become necessary.

Summary—Today's markets exhibited marked strength from the opening on the improved coal situation. We strongly advocated a week ago the purchase of the coal stocks, anticipating a speedy settlement. Small declines from the opening prices were recorded, due to over night realizing sales by the fortunate purchasers at yesterday's low prices. After these sales were absorbed the market took on renewed strength, which was splendidly maintained throughout the day. The day's record shows as material advance for 24 hours as were some of the recent declines for similar duration of time. Money is easier and the outlook for its continuance materially improved. To-morrow's letter will contain facts of interest.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

The New Rink

The first call for the payment of the subscribed stock has been made. Payments to be made to the Secretary Treasurer, Mr. R. H. Kells. The foundation of the rink is being prepared, and work will be energetically pushed to completion.

Painful Accident

On Monday, at Keene, Mr. Andrew Brown, of Brown & Co., Hunter street, blew two toes off his foot. It seems that Mr. Brown was resting the muzzle of the gun on his foot, and in some way touched the trigger, with the result mentioned above. The wound was dressed, but Mr. Brown will be confined to his house for a few days.

Band Concert To Night

The fine Band of the 57th Regiment will go down to Norwood this morning in full force, and will play at the East Peterborough Fair this afternoon. This evening a concert will be given, for which a programme of special music has been prepared. A special train will leave Norwood at the close of the concert, for Peterborough, thus affording an opportunity for our citizens to visit the fair and take in the concert.

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Mr. Cooney is putting the finishing on Victoria Park, for the winter.

—The Norwood Fair is on to-day. The Band will go down this morning, and will give a concert this evening in the village.

—The steamers on the Stony Lake waters are busily engaged in hauling wood to Lakefield, which is being shipped to Toronto and Peterborough.

—Have you tried the oil-soaked brick serves as fuel? There are many in New York who are doing their cooking in that way now.

—"Two boys were fined in Renfrew for bathing in nature's garb. One paid $5 and the other $3." The above we consider a dirty skin game.

—The Times job rooms received a contract the other day from Guy Bros' Minstrels for the entire printing for their season in Canada, which will last five months.

—The new pavement at the National Hotel has been completed along the south side of Charlotte street, and as soon as possible will be completed on Water street.

ANNUAL MEETING

The George Matthews Co., Limited Elected Officers

The annual meeting of the George Matthews Company, Limited, was held here on Monday, the President, Mr. George Matthews, Lindsay, in the chair. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Geo. Matthews, Lindsay.

Vice-President—W. R. Matthews, Ottawa.

Secretary-Treasurer—T. F. Matthews, Peterborough.

Messrs. Charles and R. C. Matthews, of Toronto, and A. E. Matthews, Ottawa, were in attendance at the meeting.

—The Times had a pleasant call yesterday from Mr. T. G. Eastland, of Apsley, the popular and efficient Warden of the County. Mr. Eastland was down on county business.

THE EXCHEQUER COURT

The Court Adjourned Yesterday Until 27th of November

Yesterday at the Exchequer Court, the evidence for the plaintiff, Mr. John Hull, was all put in, when the court adjourned until November 27th.

It is understood that a number of witnesses will be examined for the defense, when the court assembles.

The New Superintendent

Miss Coleman, the new superintendent of the Nichols Hospital, will assume her duties to-day, and Miss Bolster, who has been at the head of the institution for the past eight years, will retire, pursuant to her resignation, which she had forwarded to the Board of Management some time ago. Miss Coleman is a graduate of a New York hospital, and comes to Peterborough highly recommended.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. J. B. McWilliams was up to Burleigh yesterday.

—Mrs. A. D. Spellman, of Hastings, is visiting friends in town.

—Miss May McFadden, of Peterborough, is in town, the guest of her friend, Miss Flo Bennett, Durham street.—Port Hope Guide.

—Mr. John Sim, who has been absent on a two months' visit to the North-West, has returned, and is again on duty. His many friends are pleased to note that he has been greatly benefitted by his trip.

—Mr. William McLeish, who has been on the staff of the Monetary Times, of Toronto, for the past few years, will spend Thanksgiving Day with his Peterborough friends before leaving for the Coast early in November.

—Mrs. Downey and son, of Buffalo, N.Y., have left to visit friends in Omemee and Peterborough, after spending two weeks' pleasant visit with her aunt, Mrs. Cottingham, Wellington street.—Lindsay Post.

—Miss S. Filling, who has been spending the past three weeks with relatives in town, left on Saturday for a few weeks visit with friends in Dundas, before returning to her home in Peterborough.—Port Hope Guide.

COFFEE VISE

Holds Fast Until You Get a Knock-down

"'I had used coffee moderately up to six years ago'" writes a lady from Piney Creek, Md., "when I was seized with an attack of nervous prostration, and was forbidden coffee by my physician. I was constantly under treatment for nearly three years. After my recovery, I once took a cup of coffee and it made me so sick I did not want any more.

After the nervous prostration, my stomach was very weak, so that I had to be careful with my appetite. As soon as I would eat certain things, I would have an attack of stomach trouble sometimes lasting several weeks, so when I was attacked by erysipelas two years ago, my stomach was immediately out or order.

I kept getting worse until nothing would stay on my stomach, not even rice water or milk, and I was so weak I had to be fed with a spoon. I had a craving for something like coffee, but that was impossible, so Father went to town and got some Postum Food Coffee and when he asked the doctor if I might have it, he quickly answered, 'Yes.' Mother made it exactly as directed, and brought me part of a cup and it was delicious, satisfied every craving, and best of all stayed on my stomach without distress, giving comfort instead. For several days I lived on Postum, gradually increasing the amount I took until I could drink a cupful. Then I began to take solid food with it, and so got well and strong again. I now use it constantly and am entirely free from any stomach trouble.

Father and Mother both use it. Coffee made Mamma nervous and disagreed with her stomach so that she would taste it for hours after drinking. Father had stomach trouble for five or six years and used to be deprived of various articles of food on account of it. Now he can eat anything since he quit coffee and uses Postum. Father says that it is better than Mocha or Java." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

KILLED AT MINDEN

Death of a Lady who is Well Known in Peterborough

Word was received yesterday from Minden, conveying the particulars of a sad accident, by which the wife of Mr. Francis Graham, a sister-in-law of Mr. Wm. Graham, of Smith, lost her life.

It appears that the deceased, who resides with her husband and family about three miles from Minden, village, with her daughter Bertha and nephew D. Richardson were milking, when the stack of straw fell on them, killing her and two cows. The daughter was badly injured, but the boy escaped.

THE POWER TURNED ON

Otonabee Power Company's Plant Tested Yesterday

The splendid power plant of the Otonabee Power Company was put in operation for the first time yesterday, and found to work splendidly.

The completion of the power house at No. 5 dam was greatly delayed on account of the high water and incessant rains last summer. The power developed is, we understand, about 800 horse. This can be increased to the full capacity of the dam, which is, we learn, about twelve to fifteen hundred horse power.

The Cordage Company will be the first to use the power, and will take about half the output.

A MUNICIPAL FUEL YARD.

Carpenters and Joiners Endorse Municipal Control

At the regular meeting of the Carpenters and Joiners' Union, held Monday evening, the following resolution was carried:

Resolved that this Union endorse the scheme introduced by Alderman McGregor, viz.—The ownership of a municipal fuel supply of coal and wood for the Town of Peterborough, and that we fully endorse the sentiments of Alderman McGregor on this matter, and especially so at this critical period of a fuel famine. We believe that the council could not take a wiser step than adopting this plan of trying to bring fuel to a price that would be in reach of many a working man who at the prices charged by the local dealers, cannot afford to pay it.

Resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Town Council and also to the daily press.

The resolution was unanimously carried by a well attended meeting of the members.

Mr Rutherford's Condition

Mr. Alexander Rutherford, who was stricken with paralysis yesterday while at work on one of his houses on Elizabeth street, Ashburnham, is gradually recovering. He became unconscious when taken ill, and remained so until evening, when he showed signs of returning reason. Dr. McClelland, who is in attendance, is hopeful of his complete recovery.

The Coal Strike

(Concluded from page one.)

and refused to say anything. When he came down from his room this morning for breakfast he was again questioned by reporters, but he once more refused to discuss the proposition, saying that he had not read it. Later in the morning, after he had read the operators' adress to the public, he told the newspaper men that he did not know whether he would have anything to say during the day. His attention was called to the assertion in the address that possibly only one-half of those on strike are members of the union. He also declined to discuss this phase of the document.

The gossip at strike headquarters shows that many miners are against the new plan, because no recognized representative of the workmen is included in the operators' suggestions unless he can be selected under the head of "a man of prominence, eminent as a sociologist."

Objection is likewise expressed to clause three, which, the strikers say, limits the President to the selection of a judge from about four men. Those in favor of the plan feel that President Mitchell should accept it and trust to President Roosevelt to make the board or commission as impartial as it is in his power to do under the conditions laid down by the operators.

The best judgment of those who have been associated with President Mitchell through the strike, is that the arbitration plan is unsatifactory to him, but owing to the tremenduous pressure being brought to bear upon each side to end the strike, it is not improbable that Mr. Mitchell will waive this objection and advise that the proposition be accepted.

President Mitchell was asked at noon by the correspondent of the Associated Press whether he and the district officers had the power to consider the operators' plan, and end the strike. His reply was:

"Speaking without special reference to the statement issued by the coal operators, it is a rule of our organization that no settlement can be made by the officers of the union without the consent of a delegate convention."

When asked whether the Shamokin convention, which formulated the demands made to the operators, or the Hazelton convention, which made the strike permanent, gave him this consent, he replied, "No."

The three district presidents are on their way here. President Mitchell will immediately confer with them on the new offer. Mr. Mitchell continues to decline to answer all questions as to whether he is for or against the operators' plan as a whole, or in part. He has not yet received official notification of the operators' desire to arbitrate.

The situation at the collieries to-day remains unchanged, with every prospect of it remaining so while the present arbitration plan is under consideration. The soldiers were sent out through the outlying territory as usual to-day, but they found nothing to do.

New York, Oct. 14.—The regular weekly meeting of the presidents of the coal roads was held to-day. Prior to the meeting President Truesdale of the Lackawanna said:

"The whole matter rests with the President. I don't know whether the Presidents intends to consult Mr. Mitchell before deciding to appoint the commission, and I have no idea of its possible make-up. If he sees fit to appoint an arbitration commission, and to take up our proposal, we will not question the appointment of any individuals he may select."

Some comment has been caused by the absence of the signature of John Markle, the independent operator, from the petition to President Roosevelt.

President Fowler of the O. and W., when asked about this, replied that he did not know that Mr. Markle knew anything about the move toward a cessation of the strike.

President Truesdale was asked if the coal roads had sufficient cars to carry coal should the strike be ended. He replied that he thought they had, but for his own part he could say so positively. These cars, he added, are available afr the immediate movement of coal, and he believed the same conditions prevailed with the other coal roads.

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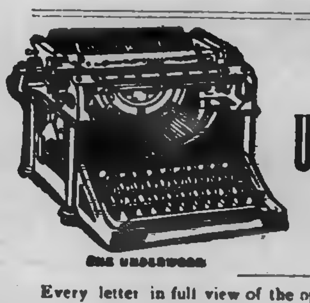

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THE REAL CAUSE OF THE GREAT COAL STRIKE

It Was Precipitated by Miners to Prevent Laborers from Revolting

THE RELATION OF ONE PARTY TO THE OTHER

Miners Earn Good Money but the Laborers Have the Heavy End of the Burthen.

Special to The Times from our own Correspondent.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 16—I have just returned from a trip through the coal fields and will give The Times the result of my investigations:

The miner drills the hole in the coal seam, inserts the powder, fires the blast which knocks the coal down, and then takes a rest while his helper pulls the coal out and loads it into the mine car. A miner, in four to six hours, with easy work, can ordinarily knock down enough coal to keep his helper busy from eight to ten hours or longer. The miner is paid by the car in this region, averaging about a dollar a car, and his usual day's work is six cars, holding about 3,000 pounds of lump coal, rock "bony" and slate.

Of this $6 gross earnings the miner pays $2 to the laborer and keeps $4 for himself, out of which he must pay for the powder he uses, oil, wicks, fuses, and the sharpening of his picks. In some places the unit of pay is the square yards of coal in the seam, and in others a weight unit of 2,750 pounds, it being claimed it will take from 2,750 to 3,000 pounds of gross coal—that is, coal as it comes from the seam—to net one ton of 2,240 pounds of coal as prepared at the breaker for market.

The miners claim that where the unit of payment is the mine car the car of today is bigger than in years gone by and continually growing. One of their jokes is that the mine car is made of live oak.

However this may be —and my personal belief is that there is just about as much honesty on one side as on the other —it is a fact that the industrious miner averages, net, per month for about twenty days' work of from four to six hours a day, all the way from $60 to $100 per month, and could make twice as much if he would blow enough coal to keep two laborers employed instead of one. To-day miners who are scabbing work as high as ten chambers apiece and earn, in some cases, $20 a day. But it is a peculiar fact that under normal conditions the miner does not seem to be anxious to do more than one chamber at a time, or to work beyond five or six hours a day.

The real cause of this strike was that the miner's helpers, who are mostly foreigners, had got it into their heads that the miners were not making a fair divide. They were organizing a mine laborer's movement to force the miners to divide even. The operators have nothing to do with hiring the helpers. They are hired by the miners themselves. To avert a sub-strike among their "buttles," as the laborers are called, the miners swung the general strike ostensibly for the points set forth in their published demands, but in reality to enable the union to control discipline and thus put it beyond the power of the laborer to revolt.

In the mines also are many 'company hands,' men paid by the month to run engines, act as firemen, attend to the pumps, etc. The union's demand for an eight-hour day was to enlist them in the strike. They are getting good wages—engineers $60 to $80 a month for long hours but light work, and others in proportion. Nine-tenths of these men were entirely satisfied and many of them refused to go out.

When the coal in big lumps comes from the mine or pit, it is passed through a high structure called the breaker, where it is broken by steam machinery into the various sizes and the impurities picked out. Much of the labor in the breaker is done by boys, who average seventy-five cents a day. They have no complaint, for their pay is better than that of the average lad in a city office. But they belong to the union and have votes in the calling of strikes, and the idea of striking has developed among them rapidly. Last year, in this end of the coal fields there were a hundred odd local strikes, mostly over the paltriest conceivable things, and the breaker boy and bar-room loafer element had a good deal to do with declaring them.

I have lived in the anthracite region fourteen years, and know that in the year 1901 the miners earned more money than ever beofre during my time. Our banks are full of their savings, very little of which has yet been drawn out, in spite of their five months' idleness. There is no similar grade of labor in the country which is better paid than the anthracite coal miner, and no workman more independent, because the law of the state practically gives him a monopoly of the labor of mining by forbidding any but a licensed miner to work at mining in the mines. To get a license, or certificate, as it is called, he must first have worked at least two years in the mines as a laborer, and then pass an examination to show that he knows enough about the particular requirements of mining to be a safe man to admit to a chamber.

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REVOLUTION IN BRICKMAKING

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Special to The Times.

A revolution in the art of brickmaking is promised by Mr. Wm. Owen, C.E., of London, England, who is at present in Toronto. He has just arranged with a Toronto firm to purchase the American rights on a machine which, he states, will produce daily 150,000 brick as hard as granite. That is fifteen times the ordinary capacity of present day brick machines. The new machine does away with the use of clay, and with the brick kiln, as the new brick is not burned. The raw materials used are sand and lime. The brick is pressed in a twinkling, and is then put through a hardening process involving a chemical reaction, which occupies about five hours. The finished product, Mr. Owen stated to a representative of The Times would resist a crushing strain of 200 tons to the square feet. In addition to brick for building and paving purposes Mr. Owen claims to be able to manufacture paving slabs six inches thick and three feet by two in area. The company with which Mr. Owen has dealt have the exclusive rights on the machine in the United States and Canada.

QUIT GROWING WHEAT

THE BERLIN SUFAR BEET FACTORY AN IMMENSE CONCERN

Farmers are Delighted with the Prospect—What Peterborough Needs

Woodstock, Oct. 15—One of the wonders of the year is the new beet sugar factory which is being built at Berlin, Ont. It is being put up with the capital of a Michigan firm, and is to cost the enormous sum of $600,000. The factory which is to be put up on the most substantial plan, will be ready to start next week in all probability. It is an immense concern situated about a mile and a half east of the town, so big in fact that it takes you about half an hour to walk around it. Electric cars will run to it.

Farmers in Waterloo country have about quit growing wheat and now grow sugar beets. There is more money in them. The sugar company agrees to take all the beets brought in and pay a set price for them. The factory will only run three months a year, from October to New Years. By then the beets are ready.

A Times representative who visited the factory a day or two ago very naturally asked the question of a gentleman interested,—"But are you quite sure that beet sugar is a success and that the people will use it?"

"Why," was the good natured reply, "nearly all the sugar eaten in Canada comes from beets. The Redpaths have been supplying beet sugar from Germany for many years. There's no difference in the taste at all. In fact you don't know its beet sugar."

This great concern might have come to Woodstock, had somebody got a move on about the time the German city began to saw wood. Berlin, by the way, feels badly indeed, if it doesn't get one or two new factories a year.

A Fierce Attack By O'Donnell

The Agitator Says That Irish Land Should Be Given Up

London, October 14—A telegram from Dublin to The Times says that Thomas O'Donnell member of Parliament for West Kerry, addressing a meeting at the new town of Dillon, said the landlord's combination was at work, as writs recently served in the district showed. If, however, there were a combination of farmers, laborers, and shop keepers, the lands would remain idle and tenantless, in spite of the writs and evictions.

The people's organization, said O'Donnell, claimed the land should be given to the rightful owners, and that organization was declared illegal; while the organization of the landlords — scoundrels who wished to continue in possession of what had never been rightfully theirs — was declared legal. The people's leaders were sent to prison, while the landlords could go to Dublin Castle and send out proclamations which turned a crimeless land into one of disorder.

O'Donnell said that Ireland could turn English misrule out of the country if they had an active branch of the United Irish League in every town and village.

THE LONDON TIMES ADVICES THE STRIKERS

Should Accept Roosevelt's Court--Railway Deficits Increase In Australia

Special to The Times:

London, Oct. 15—A Melbourne correspondent says that owing to the drought and other causes the railway deficits are increasing, and the Government has reduced the number of trains. Instead of dismissing the railway employes affected by this reduction, an order has been promulgated limiting each hand to five days'work per week.

TIMES ADVISES THE STRIKERS.

Special to The Times:

London, Oct. 15—The Times, commenting editorially on the anthracite situation in the United States says this morning that the miners will put themselves right with public opinion by placing themselves unreservedly in the hands of the tribunal nominated by President Roosevelt. President Mitchell, it is pointed out is undoubtedly in an awkward position, but if he is wise he will perceive that he cannot gain anything by prolonging the fight against the good sense of the community. The strike, The Times continues, will not have proved an unmixed evil, if out of it arises in the minds of legislators, a preception of the tremendous social and industrial dangers involved in the practical control by the least educated portion of the nation, of the physical basis whereon all industries and activities depend.

ANGLOPHOBIA IN BARVIA.

Special to The Times:

London, Oct. 15—A Vienna correspondent says that among the most bitter and active enemies of Great Britain during the South African war were the ultramontane clericals, and that in Barvia, where they are rampant, Anglophobia still rages. One of the present objects of the clericals, according to the correspondent, is to excite public feeling all over the continent against England and the United States. They are perhaps more to be feared, continues this authority, than the Pan-German, because the latter work in broad day-light, while the influence of ultramontanism is not so easy to detect, owing to the occult and stealthy methods of those engaged in the movement.

TO STUDY CAPITAL AND LABOR.

Special to The Times:

London, Oct., 15. —The Times says that arrangements are now practically completed for a commission of inquiry, headed by Alfred Mosely, to take a steamer for the United States about the end of the present month to study the relations between capital and labor in the country, the conditions of production and kindred subjects. The delegates in this commission will probably number twenty-five, embracing a very large number of trades. The various steamship companies, recognizing the usefulness of the commission and the far-reaching results likely to ensue from their labors, will, it is said, convey the delegates to and from America as guests.

SANTOS DUMONT IS ANNOYED.

Special to The Times:

Paris, Oct. 15—M. Santos Dumont is far from happy. He is afflicted by a terrible accident to M. De Bradsky, and is further annoyed that certain newspapers have called attention to his airship trials and demand their suppression. To a correspondent, the plucky Brazilian said: "I consider it absurd that on account of the experiments of two almost inexperienced men, a check should be put to the progress of such a glorious and interesting science as the conquest of air by navigable balloons. This latest feaful catastrophe was due to the fact that the wires upholding the car did not act in unison, the fault being that instead of being geometrically measured, they were cut in lengths, and at the last moment placed anyhow and anywhere, without any fixed scientific idea. I do not think the weakness of a piano cord should enter into the question. Had they worked together the unfortunate aeronaut would have landed safely. Even had a safe landing been accomplished. I do not think the experiment would have taught aeronauts anything of value, as De Bradsky's balloon was simply pushed about by the wind and turned upon its axis. This accident will not deter me from making further attempts in two or three weeks' time. Providing the weather is propitious I hope to start from the same place as Severo and De Bradsky and descend at a place to be fixed beforehand, somewhere in the Capital.

A PARISIAN STORY OF LEO'S SUCCESSION

Alleged Intrigue Which Almost Resulted in the Abdication of The Holy Fathers Seat

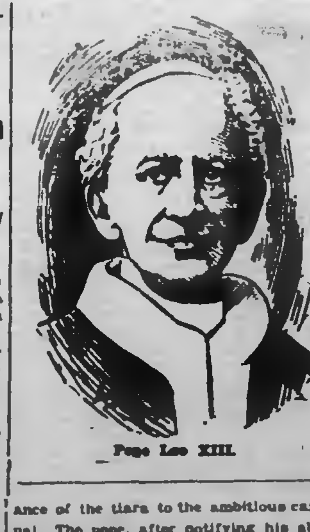
A Printer Disclosed the Plot and Frustrated It

A Story that Reads Like a Fairy Tale, only More Sensational.

Paris, Oct. 16—M. de Bonnefon tells us that a short time ago Cardinal Rampolla prevailed upon the pope to abdicate in his favor and a conclave would have have been summoned, which, voting under the pressure of papal infallibility, would have ratified the choice by an election pro forma. The secret of the intrigue came out in this way. The vatican possesses two printing works. One takes up the whole of the Sixtus V. gallery, and all sorts of documents intended for publication are printed there. The other is in a secluded building into which nobody is allowed without written leave of the pope's major-domo. The men employed there are the safest in the world. They are all tried Catholics and every year they give an oath not to betray the secret of documents entrusted to them.

A few weeks ago a high prelate, one of the state secretaries of the vatican, brought a sealed envelope to the confidential printing shop, and said the contents must be set up at once. The men, who had other work to do, sent around for two of the most reliable men from the other works. These assistants were not upon their oath. The "copy" set up by them was so amazing that one of them, who owed his position to a cardinal now in disgrace went and told him. The story may be summed up briefly: The procedure for the election of a pope is made up of traditions, written law and compromises. Besides this every pope gives directions in his will, which affect more or less the procedure of his successor's election.

The document referred to above was nothing less than the seventh pontifical will of Leo XIII. It was a new departure, indeed, in all papal traditions. Leo XIII was no longer contented with "bequeathing" his office to Cardinal Rampolla, as he tried to do last year. (The scheme was made public too soon and miscarried doctors in canon law having shown that such a bequest was null and void.) This time the document, written out entirely in Cardinal Rampolla's hand and signed by the pope, was simply a deed of conveyance of the tiara to the ambitious cardinal. The pope, after notifying his abdication ('in which he was within his right) set forth that his policy ought not to be interrupted by his death. The pope, addressing each cardinal by letter, and after referring to the interests of the church and the infallibility of the pope, entreats him not to oppose his choice, of a successor, the only man who knows all the secrets of the present papal policy. Now that this scheme is known it will come to nothing, but M. de Bonnefon feels sure that the fertile brain of Cardinal Rampolla will devise some new combination.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—The Board of Works met last night and attended to some matters which were referred to them by the Council.

MITCHELL CONFERS WITH ROOSEVELT.

Operator's Proposition is not Satisfactory to Head of Mine Workers

Proposal Not Fair to Strikers but Some of Them Believe That Mitchell will Accept a Modified Plan

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 15. — President Mitchell of the Miners' Union, left shortly after 3 o'clock this morning for Washington, where he will confer with President Roosevelt to-day. He did not intimate that he was going until he left headquarters for the railroad station. It is known that the operators' proposition in its present form is not entirely satisfactory to Mr. Mitchell. Some of the local dealers are of the opinion that he is willing to accept a modified plan. The strikers feel that the arbitration scheme as it now stands is not fair to them.

If a proposition is finally agreed upon, it is probable a convention will be called to meet within four days from the time the call is sent out. It is stated by some of those at headquarters that Mr. Mitchell has the power to send the men back to work immediately.

Mr. Mitchell's departure for Washington has again raised hopes in the miners that the end is near. It is their opinion that President Roosevelt and he will come to some understanding, which will result in the speedy closing up of the negotiations.

The superintendents of the coal companies in this vicinity report that no additional men returned to work today. They do not look for an increase as long as the negotiations for arbitration are in progress.

According to a New York American despatch from Wilkesbarre, President Mitchell will at once call on President Roosevelt in Washington and lay before him the attitude of the mine workers towards a proposition for arbitration by the operators. This announcement is said to have been made by a person close to Senator McQuay.

MITCHELL WAITS ON ROOSEVELT.

Washington, Oct. 15.—John Mitchell, the strike leader, arrived at the White House at 11.50. He was unaccompanied save by several newspaper men, who had met him at the station. He was at once ushered in Secretary Cortelyou's office, where he remained for a few minutes before going upstairs. Commissioner of Labor, Wright, was with the President when Mr. Mitchell entered the room.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 15.—A thorough canvass of the district shows every indication that the proposition of a commission to settle the strike made by the presidents of the different mines will not be accepted in its present form. Though there is a division among the miners, it is thought that the suggestion to have the President of the United States select an arbitration commission, the constitution of which is partly laid down, limits the President too much.

This statement was handed out to the press by President Mitchell:

I fully appreciate with what anxiety the people of our country are awaiting the end of the coal strike. The coal operators have not addressed the Miners' Union or its officers, in making their public statement. It is therefore impossible for me to state the attitude of the miners at this time. I am now, as I have always been, deeply solicitous of the interests of the public and the welfare of the mine-workers, who have been on strike for the past five months. A formal statement defining our position and intentions will be issued just as soon as we are in possession of the full meaning of the proposition of the operators.

Outside of this statement, President Mitchell and his cohorts have maintained an admirable silence, though President Fahey intimated that the miners were not going to be "gold bricked" by any means.

There will be a conference between Mr. Mitchell and the three district presidents to-morrow, and it is thought the full sentiments of the strikers would be known and action be taken.

A damper was put on the otherwise enthusiastic crowd by a leader who said some of the miners would rather go down to straight defeat that submit to the proposition submitted.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

London, Oct. 12.—It is understood that the Ministers at the Cabinet on Saturday resolved to adhere to clause seven of the Education Bill, in the form in which Parliament passed it before adjourning. As it stands the provisions journing. As it stands the provision places the voluntary schools under a Board of management consisting of six members, four to be chosen by the founders, who provide the buildings, and are to continue answerable for their upkeep, and two to represent the ratepayers. There are over fourteen thousand coluntary schools in existence in England.

Mr. Chamberlain emphatically declares that whatever happens the Ministry will not withdraw the bill, for its prestige would be gone if it did. That is to say, the Anglican Church would revolt. On the other hand, the Liberal Unionists (those of Mr. Chamberlain's own Birmingham fold in the van, will only be appeased by some degree of ratepayers' control over the church schools now to be rate-aided, which in the opinion of the church must destroy their Anglican character. Hence a nimpasse which Mr. Chamberlain's angry threats of the resignation of the Ministry do not remove.

HIS OWN REMEDY.

Mr. Chamberlain's own panacea is to give the ratepayers control, over sectarian education only, in the church schools, leaving the church supreme in religious teaching, but even if a plan of this nature is devisable, it would fail to give the church what it demands as vital, namely, an entirely church atmosphere in church schools. It looks indeed as if Mr. Chamberlain's published harangue in his Birmingham caucus and his open-door poll of his supporters was a clever deice to put the screw on the church, which knows only too well that if the Balfour Ministry should be overthrown it would get very much poorer terms from any conceivable Liberal Ministry.

London, Oct. 15—The Kreuz Zeitung has been occupied with the Boer war. England has been gradually obtaining a mastery over the Turkish provinces of Hejaz and Yemen. "English newspapers have described a state of insurrection there, which did not exist with the object of assisting the Government. Lord Curzon's plan is to become master of Mecca and Medina, and the masters of Mecca and Medina are the masters of the Mohammedan world."

Military conquest of the land is not intended by England, only a peaceful change. But Russia and France must be reckoned with. These powers cannot permit England to become master on both littorals. If they did, Obok would cease to be of importance, and Russia would see her dream of establishing herself at Rabeita or elsewhere on the Red Sea vanish. This is why the Negus is now negotiating with Russia. He wishes to prevent his country falling into a state of vassalage to England.

Advices from Cairo, while showing that the Government of the Negus, inspired by Menelik himself, is offering every inducement to Egypt to open up the country by rail communication between Omdurman and Sennar, Matamma, and Roseries on the Blue Nile and between Berber Kassala and Adowa further north, there is developing at the court of the Negus a strong Church party which, bent on drawing closer the bonds of the orthodox Russian and Abyssinian Churches, obstructs in every way every scheme of Menelik to improve his country through the medium of Anglo-Egyptian resources.

HALIBURTON FATALITY

Mother and Two Children Pinned Under a Straw Stack

A most distressing sad accident happened about 8 o'clock on Monday morning on a farm near Boskung Lake, about three miles from Minden. Mrs. Frank Graham, a woman about fifty years of age, was instantly killed, and her daughter, aged 14, was seriously injured.

Mrs. Graham, her daughter and a grandson named Richardson, a lad about ten years of age, and three cows were under a temporary shed, over which was piled considerable straw. Mrs. Graham was engaged in milking, and the two children were keeping her company. Suddenly the shed collapsed and fell in pinning them underneath. The little boy happened to be standing near the outer edge of the building and managed to burrow his way out. Hearing the cries of the girl he located her and soon had her liberated, but she was badly cut and bruised. He carried her to the house and then ran to the nearest neighbor for assistance. The work of removing the straw was pushed with vigor, and about half an hour later the body of the poor man was found pinned underneath a large timber and badly bruised and cut. The cattle, lying a few feet from the woman, were also dead. The little girl was stricken down near a buggy, and it is supposed that the wheels of the vehicle saved her life. The accident is supposed to have been caused by the rain and the heavy wind storm.

Mr. Graham, who is a thresher, left his home early this morning, and contemplated being away all week. If the little boy had not been able to free himself from the debris and give the alarm no doubt they would have lain there till Mr. Graham returned, as the nearest neighbor lives a mile away, and the road is not travelled very much.

ST. ANDREW'S Y.P.S.C.E.

The Regular Monthly Meeting Held on Monday Night

The regular monthly meeting of St. Andrew's Y.P.S.C.E. was held on Monday night, the following officers being elected for the ensuing six months, also committees:

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Treasurer—Miss I. Jameson.
Organist—Miss A. Van-Every.
Asst.-Organist—Mr. J. B. Lang.

Prayer meeting committee—Mr. B. Jackson, Miss Bathgate, Mr. Gillespie, Miss Martin, Miss Lancaster, Mr. J. Gerrard, convenor.

Missionary committee—Misses Ross, Bathgate, L. Curry, I. Jameson, and Messrs. Gerrard, Chambers and MacDonald, Miss B. King, convenor.

Music and social committee—Mr. B. Jackson, Miss M. Gillespie, Miss A. Van-Every, Mr. Gillespie, Mr. A. Chambers, Mr. Gerrard, Mr. MacDonald, Miss I. Jamieson, Miss E. Thexton, Miss B. King, Miss H. Reid, Miss L. Anderson, Miss L. Curry, convenor.

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THANKSGIVING DAY

The festival of Thanksgiving, the day upon which the people of Canada and the United States rest from their labors and render thanks to Almighty God, is of puritanical origin, and a native of the Western Hemisphere.

The first thanksgiving celebrated in America, though not connected with the Day, as we know it, took place in 1578, on the shores of Newfoundland. Rev. Mr. Walfall, a Church of England divine, who accompanied the Frobisher expedition, ordered the men to return thanks to God for having delivered them from the dangers of the deep, and for having brought them safely to land. He likely preached the first sermon, and celebrated the first Holy Communion in North America. Another thanksgiving day was celebrated in 1607 by the settlers of the Popham colony at Sagadahoc on the coast of Maine.

The first typical North American Thanksgiving Day, however, was held on December 13, 1621, and was the result of a direct order of the Puritan Governor of Massachusetts, Bradford. The festival owed its origination to a plenteous harvest, following a period of general depression.

The Governor despatches four colonists in search of game, to be used upon the occasion, and they returned with a supply of wild fowl, principally turkeys and in this manner the Thanksgiving turkey was made a feature for future years. Besides a full stock of good cheer the festival had two other sides of it. There was the religious ceremony, which was generally associated with a strong puritanical sermon, in which the preacher took occasion to remind the husbands of absent wives, who were engaged in preparing a sumptuous feast that they should not prefer the flesh-pots to spiritual things. An exhibition of drill was indulged in during the afternoon, when the military array of the colony turned out in full force. Strange to say, all the early associations of Thanksgiving Day are as prominent today in Canada as they were upon the coast of New England two centuries ago.

The other New England colonies followed Massachusetts in adopting the celebration, except that venison and bear meat were the favorite dishes in Connecticut and Rhode Island. At first the festival was not regularly celebrated; sometimes it was held once a year, sometimes twice; and it was sometimes skipped for one or two years; but beginning with 1687 the festival became a formal and an annual one in Massachusetts.

Another reason advanced for the adoption of Thanksgiving Day as an annual festival was that the Puritans regarded the celebration of Christmas as a "Popish custom" and, as they desired a festival at that period of the year, consequently the latter end of November was well suited to their wishes.

During the course of the Revolutionary War no less than eight Thanksgiving Days were ordered to be celebrated, every year, by the Continental Congress. The festivals were held in April, May, June and December.

Among the former customs which have disappeared was a raffle for turkeys and geese, which took place on Thanksgiving Eve, and in many instances the successful competitor found that his bird was a tough one. A shooting match was another enjoyment, but it was found that it kept the young men away from church and was consequently frowned upon. Up to the middle of this century it was considered quite as fashionable as on New Year's Day to make a number of calls, the well-known Ward McAllister, of society fame, being a participant in the latter custom.

THE PHILADELPHIA FIRE VETERANS

The steps of the Courthouse in Toronto is a vantage point for many a fine photograph and on the morning of Tuesday October 14, there was gathered there a notable assembly for the purpose of "having their pictures taken."

The interesting group was a contingent of the Veteran Fire Association of Philadelphia, now visiting in Toronto, together with the Allentown band, of Allentown, Pa., and a complement of thirty-five ladies. The Veterans made a fine showing, uniformed in white helmets, drab overcoats, white belts inscribed "Veterans" and gloves to match. Each man had a natty blue cap slung at his belt also. Of these ninety hale and hearty-looking men, not one was under fifty, and some had reached the ripe age of eighty years. As they marched up to the court house to the music of "God Save our Noble King," all in perfect form and drawing by stout ropes an old hand-engine, as venerable as themselves, and equally as well preserved, they attracted much enthusiasm from the quickly formed crowd of observers. Some little time was occupied in getting the contingent satisfactorily placed and much frolicsome eagerness was exhibited by the "sisters" while it required constant exhortation from the attendant police to keep the sightseers from intruding scraps of themselves on the focused area. The contingent was accompanied by the following officers:—Chief James Baxter, now Chief of Philadelphia Fire Dept., of Edwards; Vice-Pres., W. Macdibbet, Pres. Organization of Fire Underwriters of Philadelphia; S. Hensel, Fin.-Sec.; R. C. Gill, Rec.-Sec., of Philadelphia Customs House, all old Veterans. The headquarters are at 166 N.10th st., and The Times was promised a hearty welcome and an interesting investigation of numerous rare relics, if at any time we should be in Philadelphia. The hand engine occupied the foreground and was fraternally draped with the Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack. It was one used by the veterans until 1871 when it was replaced by modern appliances. Although shelved for younger inventions, the veteran engine was in high order and looked as if, with its caretakers, it might yet be the "hero of a hundred fights." After the photographing of the whole contingent, the Allentown band posed, their neat blue braided uniforms and bright instruments making an effective group. The band consists of thirty-six pieces; it was first organized in 1858 and re-organized in 1886. After the negatives were taken the band performed two selections which met with hearty applause. The photographers were Messrs. Galbraith, of Toronto.

The Times was courteously afforded information by Mr. W. Lester and a comrade veteran. As one watched this fine body of men fall into line simultaneously and marched away with the rythmic tread of trained feet, one was forcibly reminded of the declarations of Cato Major who maintained that Old Age could always accomplish more because already it had done so much.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

A trail of leze majesty convictions has followed Emperor William's recent trips through Germany. A Berlin despatch says that the Duesseldorf visit cost an aggregate of nineteen years of imprisonment for insult to his majesty. During 1902, 643 prosecutions for lese majesty were tried in Berlin, of which 186 were thrown out of court as false. The sentences varied between five years and twelve months.

Miss Rose Cleveland, the sister of ex-President Cleveland, is a successful farmer. She now owns about one-half of a 700-acre island near Islesboro', Me., having within a few days acquired an additional tract of land. Miss Cleveland has about 800 chickens, a large herd of cows, and a big vegetable garden on her island, where she raises prize pumpkins, fat chickens, and makes prime dairy butter. She handles her affairs herself, it is said, but employs a large force of men. There is but one other cottage on the island.

Two years ago the Shah of Persia spent about $2,000,000 on his European tour, besides a large sum devoted to the purchase of real and sham jewelry. Apparently he found himself hampered by the smallness of the sum named, for last February before departing from home to attend the coronation of King Edward he arranged for a loan of $6,000,000. Even if he lavished this vast amount in this trip, however, he still fell far behind the extravagance of his father who is said to have spent $10,000,000 during a six months' progress through Europe in 1873.

ANNUAL MEETING

The George Matthews Co., Limited Elected Officers

The annual meeting of the George Matthews Company, Limited, was held here on Monday, the President, Mr. George Matthews, Lindsay, in the chair.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

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Messrs. Charles and R. C. Matthews, of Toronto, and A. B. Matthews, Ottawa, were in attendance at the meeting.

Yesterday at the Exchequer Court, the evidence for the plaintiff, Mr. John Hull, was all put in, when the court adjourned until November 27th.

It is understood that a number of witnesses will be examined for the defence, when the court assembles.

THE SMUGGLING OF CONTRABAND SPIRITS

Smuggle the People Must and Smuggle They Will

A CELEBRATED SMUGGLER

New York, Oct. 14.—A French ship, loaded apparently with salt, was wrecked on this side of the Atlantic recently, and the islanders to whose coast the wreckage drifted, got gloriously drunk. The ship was supposedly bound for Newfoundland, and a well-posted member of the English Parliament stated that it was really bound for St. Pierre and Miquelon.

This branch of shipping, commonly known as the smuggling of contraband spirits, is a most flourishing trade, and all the revenue officers which and Government had appointed for the last twenty years and all the revenue cutters and all the extra men which it has employed in that time to stop the business have had no more than a temporary effect. It is as bad as ever now and if the people who know are to be believed, it is worse than ever.

It is not till some time is spent on the lower banks, shores, one might almost say, of the mighty River St. Lawrence that it becomes apparent how difficult it must be for the Government officials to cope in any way with this trade, writes a special correspondent of the Chicago Chronicle, from Rimouski, Quebec. It is not till the numerous islands on the way up from Quebec and the hidden coves and the thousand and one hiding places for small boats are noticed that the arduous nature of this work can be realized.

Smuggle the people must and smuggle they will. The thing comes natural to them. Their fathers and grand-fathers have done it before them, and what was good enough for them is good enough for their descendants. Even if the moneyed men in Quebec and other places did not buy their merchandise they would probably do it still to a certain extent, because it has become second nature to them.

It is difficult to state how much contraband liquor enters Canada in this way, for neither the smugglers themselves nor the revenue officials care to tell, but it must be a large quantity. And the spirits do not all come from France, either. Thousands and thousands of gallons of United States whisky and brandy and shipped to St. Pierre and Miquelon and from there retailed to the Canadian smugglers. One great difficulty which the revenue officers find in trying to stop the trade is the sympathy of the people living on the banks of the lower St. Lawrence with the men who actually run in the contraband stuff. Not only this, but highly respectable people in the parishes thereabout will club together and invest in an expedition and thus increase their little savings.

TALES OF THE TRADE.

Let any one go down the Intercolonial Railway as far as Rimouski or Father Point and spend a few weeks there hunting and become friends with the fishermen and the pilots and the small farmers and he will hear many remarkable tales of the trade. No one there considers it dishonorable to have an interest in a smuggling enterprise, and almost any one will give shelter to or lie for a smuggler whole hard beset, and many will allow goods to be hidden temporarily on their premises. All the way up the river on both sides as far as Quebec people are permeated with the smuggling spirit.

The Island of Orleans, where the precious snowbirds gather, a great summer resort for Quebeckers, who have their summer residences there, and the place where the annual competitions and tices of the Dominion Ordnance Department take place, was for years, it is said, for smugglers of contraband spirits. Even now it is whispered that many a barrel and jug finds a hiding place there.

Old people going to market with vegetables would bring the stuff into town hidden in bags of potatoes, protected by layers of onions and put away under the false bottoms of their wagons. When they were finally caught they had usually been warned in advance and no proof was found against them, and after a reasonable space of time they would commence all over again.

Ten years ago the trade was doing such harm to the business of the Canadian distillers—the Walkers, the Gooderhams, the Seagrams and others—that they offered the Dominion Government to bear the cost of a first-class steamer of great speed, but, though the matter was discussed and almost came to a head, the idea was finally abandoned.

One of the greatest depositories for contraband spirits was at one time not so very long ago near St. Anne de Beaupre, the shrine visited by thousands upon thousands of good Catholics. It was a large breeding establishment of fowls of all sorts, including turkeys for the United States market. Another place was an immense potato farm. The promoters of this smuggling enterprise would occasionally take their friends to look at their crop of potatoes, and when the latter expressed the opinion that they had seen many better ones the farmers would wink their eyes and and push a stick in the earth and show them that barrels upon barrels of smuggled whisky were hidden underneath the plants.

IN REVENUE SERVICE.

Many of the celebrated smugglers of a few years ago who were not afraid to own up to the trade have either died or retired with a competence, but younger men have sprung up to carry on the work. A celebrated smuggling captain is now in the Canadian revenue service. He with others gave the revenue cutter Constance heaps of trouble. Finally he was caught in a systematic raid of some months, in which the Government enlisted the services of the present chief of the Montreal detective force, Silas H. Carpenter.

One of the favorite dodges of the smugglers is to get a rumor got abroad to the effect that a load of spirits will be run up the river on a certain night. On the time appointed a small schooner does come skulking in, and is watched and followed and captured when it finally lands, only to be found filled with useless rubbish, while on the same night a boat filled to the gunwales with contraband stuff is run into some other cove on the shore on one of the many islands and unloaded.

The smugglers have a great system of signals along the shore and all sorts of dodges to deceive the Government lighthouse keepers, such as repainting their vessels and giving them different sets of sails and rigging. Their loyalty to one another and their friends is a byword, and a case is still remembered of a prince of smugglers, now dead a few years, who, with his companions, being hard pressed by the revenue officers while they were conveying a barrel of stuff to safety, saw nothing for it but to hide it in the well of a well known country doctor.

The revenue officers finally found the barrel there, and the doctor was hauled up to court. When he was on the point of being sentenced the smuggler turned up and acknowledged that he was the culprit who had hidden the barrel there, and his manly avowal and smooth explation of how he came in possession of the barrel not only insured him a very small fine, but the respect of the authorities, who unwittingly on the strength of this allowed him to carry on his extensive smuggling business till his death.

EUROPEAN DISPATCHES

Where is That $35,000 for Parnell's Monument

The Newmarket Races—American Jockeys Preferred—Discontent in Russia

London, Oct. 15.—The Irish Times, in an article on the procession on Sunday to the grave of Charles Stewart Parnell, asks what has become of the $30,000 which Mr. Redmond, M.P., and then Lord Mayor of Dublin, collected in America for the erection of the statue of Parnell in Dublin. The paper says the foundation stone has been laid near rotunda, but nothing more has been done. It adds: "The money collected in America, if reasonably well invested, should amount to over $35,000. Dublin is paved with the foundation stones of monuments to patriots which have never got further for lack of funds, but in Parnell's case the money was collected, and no account was even given to American subscribers or the Irish public."

GERMAN LANGUAGE.

London, Oct. 15.—In connection with the Pan-Germanic movement, a Vienna correspondent comments on a recent article in the Staats-Zeitung of New York, in which that paper anticipates the day when the German will put the English language in the shade and rule, both on land and sea. The correspondent says that, though such expressions are extravagant, a serious attempt is being made to create in the midst of the American people, a formidable alien factor, taking its inspirations from abroad. Prince Henry's visit to America was only intended as a flattering attention to United States, but was also regarded as a means of awakening a sentiment of solidarity with the old home among German-Americans. The votes of these German-Americans, says the correspondent, might turn the scale and decide the policy of the United States at a critical moment when differences might arise in regard to the practical application of the Munroe Doctrine.

GOOD RACING FOR NEWMARKET.

London, Oct. 15.—Some of the most interesting racing of the year will take place at Newmarket this week. The Middle Park Plate for 2-year olds, the winner of which generally starts as afvorite for the following year's Derby, and Czarewitch chiefly occupy attention. The American owners, Mr. Whitney, Mr. Foxhall Keene, Mr. J. R. Keene, and Mr. Croker, are strongly represented in the four days' programme, and on the first day's card alone have between them no fewer than sixteen entries. Their winning prospects, however, are not very bright; the only horse at the present moment that looks like winning is Mr. Whitney's Ballantrae, in the Newmarket Oaks, in which race the King will be represented. In view of the Cambridgeshire, the prospects are that Ballantrae may be reserved for that race, though it is difficult to see how the outing could jeopardize the chance of the filly, which was a firm favorite today at 9 to 1.

GOOD CHARACTER.

London, Oct. 14.—In order to prevent the repetitions of frauds that were caused by collision between jockeys and bookmakers, the English and French jockey clubs are negotiating on an agreement that before renewing the licenses of jockeys, no matter what their nationality, they must produce letters proving their good character and guaranteeing their good conduct.

PREFER AMERICAN JOCKEYS.

London, Oct. 15.—Commenting on the French turf scandals and the suspension of the American jockeys, Rigby, McIntyre, Henry and J. Reiff, the Daily Telegraph says: "The partiality shown by French owners for American jockeys must be a convincing proof that such severe punishment would not have been meted out had circumstances admitted mitigation."

EXPRESSIONS OF DISCONTENT.

London, Oct. 15.—Every day it becomes more evident, says a St. Petersburg correspondent, that all the efforts of M. De Plehve, Minister of the Interior, have not availed to prevent the open, general and emphatic expressions of discontent with the existing bureaucratic system, and the whole social and political condition of Russia. The correspondent says that a hopeful feature of the situation is that Zemstvo, the only representative institution in Russia, refused to allow themselves to be discouraged by the Czar's recent warning, "mind your own business," and are insisting on playing a prominent part in the inquiry in regard to the needs of agriculture. They are also demanding the extension of their independence and sphere of activity as among the necessary conditions for a revival of agriculture. The Minister of the Interior, the correspondent adds, has vetoed the project to publish a periodical, under the control of the Moscow Zemstvo, to serve as an organ of all Zemstvo institutions. M. De Plehve gives as his reason for this prohibition, that it is the business of the central Government alone to secure the co-operation of the various local representative assemblies.

WOULD NOT STOP FIGHTS.

London, Oct. 15.—A Paris correspondent says that several members of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, have asked the Government to prevent the bull fights about to be given in some districts of France. Premier Combes declined to interfere. The Premier took this attitude on the ground that the present state of legislation in regard to cruelty to animals does not warrant action on the part of the Government. The correspondent remarks that such an admission, coming from such a source, is certainly humiliating.

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STOCK MARKETS

Some Facts of Interest

New York, Oct. 17.—Developments as to Pacific Coast matters among the railways running into that territory now preclude the liklihood at present of the extension of St. Paul to the Pacific. Less that two years ago Chairman Roswell Miller resigned from the Union Pacific Directorate because he believed the interests of St. Paul were subordinated by that company to those of the Chicago and Northwestern. The preparation of St. Paul to extend its lines to the western coast have caused Union Pacific to look with favor upon a St. Paul-Union Pacific traffic alliance, such as was recently negotiated between St. Paul and Mo. Pacific. There is now good authority for the statement that such an agreement had been consummated which will furnish St. Paul all the trackage advantages west of Omaha that the Union Pacific can afford. After Nov. 1st it is announced that St. Paul trains will run solidly from Chicago to the Pacific coast, using the Union Pacific tracks as freely as the Chicago and Northwestern. This has been brought about through the influence of Rockefeller and Gould. The Rockefeller crowd dominates the St. Paul and is very powerful in the Harriman syndicate, which controls Union Pacific. Neither Gould nor Harriman want another road to the Pacific coast. Chairman Miller or some other St. Paul man will go back into the Union Pacific Directorate. This plan largely benefits all companies interested.

The sixth annual Frisco statement is out; it is splendid. Earnings for the year increased over two and one-quarter millions of dollars, tonnage increased 13 per cent. The road expended nearly a million in one year in improvements. It is another of the excellent annual reports being given out now-a-days illustrating the magnificent progress of all American lines. J. W. Gates is to arrive in New York to-day. He is reported as stating before he sailed that he expected to see the strike settled by the time of his arrival here. He will be an additional factor in the share market, at last there is an ending in decreases reported for our exports. For September the report shows an increase in our exports amounting to about six million dollars in excess of the same month for the preceding year. Cotton increased about thirteen million; it was off set by a decline in provisions and minerals and oil. Anything that enlarges the supply of commercial bills in our present foreign exchange market is a factor of immense importance.

Continuous strength was the feature of to-day's trading improvement, extended to all stock groups. A lower range of prices reported from London cut but a sorry figure, the market opening somewhat off at the opening, then advancing immediately under a flood of buying orders. Several issues recorded gains of two points and more, while improvements from half per cent, to a point and one half were numberless. The demand in the loan crowd showed marked increase. The short interest is a strong leverage to assist in the work of advancing quotations. Bulls on the market are more scarce than they were. While one month ago you could not find a bear, to-day they are most plentiful. As a rule, when such is the case, the market will do to buy into. Money closed last loan at 7 per cent.

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LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS

WHEAT	
Wheat	66 to 68
FLOUR AND MEAL	
Flour, patent process, cwt	$2 00 to 2 25
Flour, bakers', per cwt	2 25 to 2 35
COARSE GRAIN	
Barley, per bushel	38 to 40
Peas, small	77 to 81
Peas, mummie	77 to 80
Oats	30 to 31
Buckwheat	50 to 55
Rye	45 to 50
WOOL AND HIDES	
Wool, unwashed	08 to 09
Fleece Wool	11 to 12
Veal Calf Skins	08 to 10
Deacons	40 to 60
Beef Hides per cwt	6 50 to 7 00
Sheepskins	[illegible] to [illegible]
MEAT, POULTRY, AND DAIRY PRODUCE	
Beef by the quarter, per cwt	5 50 to 8 00
Mutton, per lb	05 to 07
Spring Lamb, quarter	07 to 8
Dressed hogs, per cwt	8 50 to 9 00
Pork by the quarter, per lb	10 to 12
Lard	13 to 14
Chickens, per pair	50 to 75
Ducks, per pair	60 to 80
Geese, each	75 to 1 00
Turkeys, each	75 to 1 00
Butter, fresh roll, per lb	18 to 20
Butter, crock	16 to 18
Eggs, per doz	14 to 16
Hay, per ton	8 00 to 10 00
LIVE STOCK	
Cattle, choice butchers' (steers, exporters and heifers)	4½ to 05
Medium butchers' (steers and heifers)	03 to 3½
Light cattle and cows	2½ to 03
Feeders, 1,000-1,200	3½ to 3¾
Stockers	2½ to 3
Hogs, select, 160-200	5 75 to 6 00
Fats and heavies	5 50 to 5 75
Lights	5 50 to 5 75
Sows	4 00 to 5 50
Stags	02 to 03
Sheep	2 50 to 2 75
Lambs, per lb	3 to 3½
GENERAL	
Potatoes	1 00 to 1 25
Carrots	40 to 45
Wood, hard	5 00 to 6 00
Wood, soft	2 00 to 3 00
Straw, per load	2 00 to 3 00
Tallow, rendered, per lb	05 to 07

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Mr. R. H. Kells, the popular and efficient Secretary-Treasurer of the Skating Rink Company, states that the first call on the stockholders of the company, met with a splendid response. More than the amount asked for has been paid in.

No Paper To Morrow

There will be no issue of The Times to-morrow on account of Thanksgiving Day. It is our custom to issue our paper always on the morning of a public holiday, and not on the following day.

Goes to Port Arthur

The many friends of Mr. Howard Waram, who for several years has been connected with the G.T.R. freight office, will regret to learn that he is leaving to-day for Port Arthur, where he will enter the services of the Canadian Northern Railway. His friends here join the Times in wishing him success in his new surroundings.

The Late Mr. Bates

The many friends in Peterborough of Mr. F. A. Bates, of New York, will regret to learn of his demise, which occurred on Monday last. Mr. Bates was a prominent Stony Lake cottager, and with his wife and family spent several months this summer at Keenmore, the summer residence of Mr. K. G. Loch. Mr. Bates' death was due to heart failure.

The Moon wi'l be Darkened

There will be a total eclipse of the moon to-night. This eclipse will be visible in Eastern Canada and will be general throughout North and South America. Peterborough people will see it if they stay out late enough at night. The eclipse will first be visible at 11.17 and will gradually move across the moon and disappear about two o'clock Friday morning.

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Mann—Nicholls

Yesterday morning a quiet wedding took place at the residence of Mrs. Morgan, Reid street, sister of the bride, when Mr. George W. Mann of Bridgenorth, and Mrs. Rebecca Nicholls, of Peterborough, were married. Rev. J. P. Wilson, of George street Methodist church, was the officiating minister. Mr. and Mrs. Mann left for a short Western wedding tour, and on their return will reside at Bridgenorth.

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CHURCH SERVICES TO-DAY

Thanksgiving Services in the Various Local Churches

Thanksgiving services will be held to-day as follows:

St. John's church: At 11 a.m., conducted by Rev. J. C. Davidson.

St. Luke's: At 11 a.m. Sermon by Rev. Mr. Langfeldt. Offertory for Diocesan Mission. There will be no service to-night.

St. Paul's: Union service at 11 a.m., sermon by Rev. J. P. Wilson, of the George street church, who will be assisted by Rev. Mr. Yule, of Bethany. Collection will be equally divided between the Protestant Home and the Children's Aid Society.

THE RIVER DREDGING

A Channel to be Cut 6 Feet Deep and 117 Wide

It is understood that the dredge, which will start to work at once, will dig a channel six feet deep by one hundred and seventeen feet wide. The dredging will be placed on the sides of the channel.

The probable cost of the work, the Times is informed, has been greatly exaggerated. It may not exceed $15,000. Even at this expenditure, it will be a good thing for the town.

TO-DAY'S ATTRACTIONS

Rifle Matches, Golf, Rugby Match and Concert at Night

Amongst the attractions for Thanksgiving Day are the following:

Rugby match, Nicholls Oval, 3 p.m. Rough Riders of Ottawa, vs. Peterborough.

Field day at the Golf Links.

Annual matches of the 57th Regiment Rifle League.

Concert in the Opera House at night, under the auspices of the Charlotte street Methodist church.

THE CANAL TO BE USED

Three Hundred Cords of Wood to be Brought In

On Tuesday Mr. Wm. Trennum, of Harvey, called at The Times and enquired regarding the section of the canal between Lakefield and Peterborough. Mr. Trennum said he had 300 cords of wood that he intends to ship to Peterborough, provided he could do so by way of the canal.

The Times telephoned Mr. R. B. Rogers superintendent of the canal, and learned that there would probably be little difficulty in the way. The canal had not yet been taken off the hands of the contractors, and it would be necessary to make application to the department at Ottawa when no doubt permission would be granted.

C. P. R. FREIGHT CHANGES

Offices Goes to Toronto—Mr. M. H. Brown Promoted

Two important changes take place in the C.P.R. freight department. Mr. W. B. Bulling, assistant freight traffic manager, whose office has been transferred from Montreal to Toronto, will arrive with his personal staff of four or five clerks and occupy the offices of the solicitors who will be moved up town This change indicates the growing importance of Toronto as a C.P.R. freight distributing centre. Mr. M. H. Brown, who has been assistant-general freight agent of the Ontario Division, today becomes general freight agent, occupying the position vacated by the promotion of Mr. Lanaigan to Winnipeg. Mr. Brown is one of the most popular younger railway men of Ontario, and he will be warmly congratulated upon this promotion by his many friends in Peterborough and elsewhere.

THE NORWOOD FAIR

This Year's Exhibition was a Very Successful One

The Norwood fall fair, held yesterday under the auspices of the East Peterborough Agricultural Society, was a decided success. The entries exceeded those of former years, while the attendance was up to the mark, if not a little beyond it.

Quite a number of our citizens went down on the noon express, returning on the special which brought up the band at midnight.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Ashburnham Council decided to purchase 500 cords of wood.

—Thanksgiving turkeys sold yesterday at $1 to $1.75 each (not per dozen.)

—A very successful meeting of the Young Men's Guild of St. Paul's church was held on Tuesday evening last.

—Mr. Robert Gibbs, Everyman, has purchased a very handsome pair of grey horses from the Rev. Father Phelan, of Young's Point, for the sum of $350.

—A drunken man called on Chief Rensel yesterday, at the Police Station and asked to be locked up. He was accommodated.

—The annual dinner of the Canadian General Electric Angler's club took place at H. Long's palm parlour on Tuesday evening and was attended by about forty members. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

—When Mitchell hears that Mr. McClelland has several hundred tons of coal on hand for his Peterborough customers, he will call the strike off sure.

—Friends in town will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. John Douglas, formerly of Peterborough, which occurred the other day at her home in Prince Albert, N.W.T.

Mr. J. W. Pearson, the well known horse buyer, was in town yesterday and gave The Times a call. He will buy in Lindsay today and return on Friday, and remain at the White House.

—The annual sports of Trinity College school were held on Monday and Tuesday. Peterborough boys were very successful in winning prizes. Douglas Hammond won three, George Lundy one, and Alan Campbell no less than six prizes, being the largest number won by any of the competitors. The prizes were presented by Mrs. Symonds, wife of the headmaster, and formerly Rector of St. Luke's, Ashburnham.

GRATEFUL FOR FOOD

Lived Seven Weeks on Milk

"Three years ago this month, I was a great sufferer with stomach trouble," writes Mrs. William Leigh of Prairie du Sac., Wis. "I had to give up eating meat, potatoes, and sweets, and lived simply on bread and tea; finally that too had to be given up. I got so weak I could not work and I took nothing into my stomach for seven weeks but milk. I had tried three doctors and all for no purpose; the last doctor advised me to stop all medicine. I had to anyway. I was so weak I was prostrate in bed.

A friend advised me to try Grape-Nuts but I was afraid to when a teaspoonful of milk brought tears to my eyes, my stomach was so raw. But I tried one teaspoonful a day of the Grape-Nuts for one week and finding it agreed with me, could walk out to the kitchen. In four weeks I walked half a block and today I do my own light housekeeping.

I live on Grape-Nuts and know they saved my life; my people all thought I could not live a month when I commenced using them, and are very much surprised at the change in me. I am very grateful that there is such a food to be obtained for those who have weak stomachs."

ASHBURNHAM WEDDINGS

Mr. Chill Turner Weds Miss Daisy Yenney Yesterday Morning

A very pretty wedding was solemnized yesterday morning in St. Luke's church, Ashburnham, by Rev. E. A. Langfeldt.

The contracting parties were Miss Daisy E., daughter of Mr. H. A. Yenney, principal of the South Central school, and Mr. Achilles W. Turner, son of Mr. J. J. Turner, town.

The bride was becomingly attired in a dark navy blue travelling dress and picture hat to match, and was attended by her sister, Miss Lillian Yenney, who wore white organdie trimmed with valenciennes lace. Mr. Reginald Turner, brother of the groom, performed the duties of best man.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the young couple and guests returned to the home of the bride's parents on Homewood avenue, where an elaborate wedding breakfast was partaken of.

The happy young couple were the recipients of a number of very choice presents. The employees of J. J. Turner & Sons presented them with a very handsome dinner set, and the bride was given a handsome check by B. F. Mason & Co., on whose staff she has been for some time past.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner left on the morning train for Toronto, Buffalo and points west, and will take up their residence on Stewart street, Ashburnham, on their return.

CRAIG—RAY.

On Tuesday evening another pretty wedding was celebrated in Ashburnham, when Miss Laura Elsie Craig was united in marriage to Mr. R. W. Ray, Peterborough, at the home of her father, Mr. J. T. Craig.

The bride was assisted by Miss Minnie Craig, while Mr. Arthur Noble performed similar duties for the groom.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Torrance and Rev. J. A. Wilson. After a short wedding tour to Buffalo and other points, Mr. and Mrs. Ray will return and reside on King street, Peterborough.

WAND—THROOP.

The residence of Mrs. William Wand, Ashburnham, was the scene of a very interesting event on Tuesday evening, when her daughter, Miss Katie, was married to Mr. Albert Throop, of Ware street, Peterborough, by Rev. C. L. Thompson, of Mark street Methodist church.

White organdie trimmed with chiffon ribbon was the becoming robe worn by the bride, who was assisted by Miss Nellie McCabe, who wore a pretty dress of like material. Miss Sadie Patterson performed the duties of flower girl. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. W. J. Patterson, of Ottawa, and Mr. Edward Wand performed the duties of groomsman.

The many friends in town of this popular young couple wish them all the happiness this world can bestow. Mr. and Mrs. Throop will reside on Stewart street, Ashburnham.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by 'phone or in writing.—(Ed. Times)

—Mr. John J. Armstrong, Mount Pleasant, was in town on Tuesday.

—Mrs. T. R. and Miss Alice Learmouth, of Hastings, are visiting friends in town.

—Mr. R. W. Grubbe has returned from Stony Lake, where he spent the past six months.

—His Lordship, Bishop O'Connor left Tuesday upon a trip to the northern part of the diocese.

—Mrs. Bruce Anderson, of Oxbow, Assa., is in town, attending her sister, Miss Wedderl, who is seriously ill.

—Alex. Rose, Hastings, Color-Sergt. No. 1 Co., 40th Regiment, passed through Peterborough on his way north.

—Mr. Stanley Burton is visiting in Port Hope. He has been transferred from the Peterborough branch of the Bank of Montreal to Belleville.

—Mrs. Samuel White has returned from Boissevaine, Manitoba, to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Cregg.

—Mrs. Geo. J. Tovey has returned from England, where she has been visiting friends in Bournemouth, Birmingham, Oxford and other places of note.

—Mr. W. J. Craig, of Lakefield, passed through town on Tuesday on his way to Norwood, where he assisted Mr. Nichol yesterday in handling the crowd at the fair.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Lenore Macmillan, youngest daughter of Mr. T. H. Macmillan, general manager of the Western Bank, Oshawa, to Mr. J. A. Mills, barrister, Toronto, brother of the Right Rev. W. L. Mills, Bishop of Ontario.

TO DIVIDE COAL

Operators Divide the Continent Into Separate Districts

Washington, Oct. 16 — It is understood here that the operators are glad to have their side of the case laid before the president, and especially the work.

It is said that they have divided the country into districts and will attempt to equalize the supply so that no one community will suffer; also that the railroads will make similar arrangements to handle soft coal so as to supply all who can make use of it in place of the anthracite.

STRAYED CATTLE.

Strayed from the premises of the undersigned, lot 15, 8th con. of Ennismore, about the last week in September, six yearling cattle — three heifers and three steers. Anyone who will give such information as will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

WM HARRINGTON,
Ennismore.

The Band in Norwood

The 57th Band went down on the local last night to Norwood, where they gave one of their splendid concerts. There was a good attendance, and never was there a more delighted audience. The programme was particularly good, every number being a gem. Quite a number of Peterborough people took in the concert. The band returned by special train at 11 o'clock.

BAER IS MYSTERIOUS.

New York, Oct. 15.—It was learned early to-day that President Baer of the Philadelphia and Reading Company was called to New York on Sunday, and that he spent the day in close conference, probably with J. P. Morgan, over the anthracite coal miners' strike. What the outcome of the supposed conference will be is a matter of complete guess work.

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"It is just a common cold," people say, "there's no danger in that." Admitting their statement, then there are *uncommon* colds, colds which are dangerous; for many a fatal sickness begins with a cold. If we could tell the common cold from the uncommon we could feel quite safe. But we can't. The uncommon variety is rarely recognized until it has fastened its hold on the lungs, and there are symptoms of consumption.

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When filling the stove always shut the draught door at the bottom.

Keep the small opening in the back pipe closed except when cleaning.

Clean the back pipe every two weeks.

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We are using one No. 3 Star stove in our large rooms, where formerly we had four large wood heaters, and get more heat now than before. The wood stoves cost us $4.50 every week for fuel, and the Star stove which we are now using costs us only $1.50, making a saving of $3.00 per week in the price of fuel—which would soon pay for the stove. We can recommend this stove to any person wanting a first-class heater. We would not use any other stove that is made.

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A GUATEMALAIAN CITY DESTROYED BY EARTHQUAKE

Particulars of the Recent Awful Scenes in South America

NEARLY SEVENTY THOUSAND PEOPLE PERISH.

Returned Catholic Priest Relates his Experience in Land Rent by Volcanoes

Vancouver, B.C., October 17—The Rev. Father Lebrand, a French priest, who was in charge of the church of San Juan de Dois, in the city of Quezaltenango, Guatemala, which was destroyed by the recent volcanic eruption and earthquake there, recently passed through Vancouver on his way to California.

The rev. father who bore evidence of the awful privation and weeks of horror in a country literally torn asunder by mysterious force, was interviewed by a reporter for the Vancouver Province and told a graphic tale of the trials which he had undergone in that stricken city.

The city of Quezaltenango, which had a population of 70,000 was almost totally destroyed a few months ago, during which time over 7,000 lost their lives in the awful volcanic eruption and the earthquake that followed. The city is situated at the foot of two volcanic mountains, Santa Maria and Cerro Guemado. These mountains are in a direct line west of Mont Pelee, and an eruption took place simultaneously with the volcanic outburst of that volcano. Although the eruption of these two volcanoes was not so serious as the fearful devastation caused by the explosion of Mont Pelee, the earthquakes which continued in that district for weeks afterwards caused incalculable damage and rendered the land a perfect inferno.

Father Lebrand had with him a number of photographs of scenes taken after the earthquake had destroyed the city. His own church was a magnificent edifice, and was built 200 years ago by the Spaniards. Its walls were of massive stone, very thick and solid. It was a great church, but still the earthquake crumbled it up as if it had been of paper. One picture shows the church as it was before the eruption and earthquake, in all the glory of its antiquity, and another view gives an idea of the awful force of the convulsion, and the interior of the church is a mass of ruins.

THE PRIEST'S STORY.

"Yes," said Father Lebrand to The Province representative, "I saw what many thought was the end of the world. I saw the living entombed and the graves opened. I saw the work of centuries undone in a few seconds, and I witnessed whole mountains moving and rocking and emitting fire and flame. Yes, I thought for a time it was the end of the world, too.

"The city of Quezaltenango, in which my church was located, was a beautiful place—beautiful and rich. It was well built, and some of the magnificent buildings were created over 200 years ago, and were the most substantial edifices imaginable. It was about 5.30 o'clock on that fatal evening when the disaster befell us. It was dark at that time, for it gets dark there shortly after six. It all came without any warning——"

Father Lebrand paused and passed his hand over his face, on which the scars of the wounds he received at the time are still visible. It seemed as if when he closed his eyes, the scenes of horror he had witnessed came back to him with all their vividness, and a terrible experience had evidently permanently affected his nerves.

"I cannot find words to express the horror of it," resumed Father Lebrand. "With the first shock I was struck with terror. The earth and the mountains moved up and down and from side to side. The noise was terrific. Great buildings came tumbling down all around us. In the house where I was stopping at the time, the furniture fell, and the walls crumbled in places. I tried to escape, but the movement of the room had effectually closed my door. I finally got out, astonished at being alive. Running to a companion —another French priest — I found him seated on his bed speechless with terror. Around him on every side huge stones were falling, and how he escaped was a miracle. Together we ran a short distance to get clear of the falling buildings, and were just in time to see a

WHOLE VILLAGE DESTROYED.

"This was a village of 500 souls, near the outskirts of the city, and as we looked an awful abyss opened right through the centre of it, and the whole village disappeared from the sight of man,— utterly wiped out. Chasms opened here and there, and the continual movement of the ground produced an effect like acute seasickness. God miraculously preserved me through it all, and I worked and worked amid the scenes of horror. Almost the first thing I thought of after escaping from the house I was in was the blessed sacrament and the holy vessels of the church. Running into the edifice, which had been already partially destroyed, I secured the Holy Eucharist and escaped. Five minutes later the great roof was tumbling down on the place where I had crossed, and had I been there I would have perished with the others who met their death on that memorable night.

"All the people fled to the plaza, the public square, and there we spent a night of terror. Those of us who could, helped the injured, and there was plenty of that to do. The hospital was among the buildings destroyed, and some of the patients had been killed in their beds by the falling walls. Our schools and all the large public buildings were in ruins, and to add to our troubles, fire broke out among the wreckage. It was a fearful night. In the morning the sun shone on a ruined city.

DOUBTED NO LONGER.

"I met a man that morning who shortly before had professed not to believe in God. He was pale and trembling and the abject picture of physical terror. "And do you still doubt?" I said to him. 'Father,' he said, I believe. It took man 200 years to build this city; it has taken God less than a night to destroy it. I believe!

"For days and nights the survivors labored. There was much to do. There were thousands of maimed and crippled and fifty surgeons were kept busy performing operations. For fifteen days after the seismic shock I assisted the surgeons at their operations. They cut off many limbs to save lives, and yet over 200 persons died from the operations. It was terrible.

THE DEAD WERE RAISED.

"I will tell you of one ghastly incident among many I saw during these terrible days. One of the priests died from—well, he died. As he had been a good man, and loved by all, we buried him with more ceremony than was given to most men at that time. I, with five other priests stood around the body in the open casket at the cemetery. With crucifixes raised, we six started to sing, and then— then the ground started to move. We saw the body of the dead rise out of the coffin, and, horror stricken, we almost ran away. The ground swayed and heaved, and we were thrown around like corks on a wave. Pretty soon all was quiet again. The body moved no longer, and we proceeded with the service. But should I live a thousand years, I will never forget that sight. I will see at night that body raised from the coffin, I will hear the people scream; I will feel the horror of it all.

THREATENED WITH PLAGUE.

"The first awful shock, which followed the eruption was followed by other shocks every fifteen minutes exactly. Then there was a cessation for several hours and after that they came every three hours. They were still continuing at those periods when I left. The condition of the city had then become very desperate. The grave yards had been opened by the seismic disturbances and I saw bodies that had been thrown out of the graves. Bodies of those who were killed were neglected for a time, and a panic filled the hearts of the survivors. We were threatened with a plague. The air, the ground, everything was tainted.

"I grew ill, desperately ill, and I fled. I was dying and I fled for the coast. My people said, 'Father, do not desert us, do not go.' But I did go, for I knew if I stayed there any longer my life would only be a question of a few days. With careful nursing they saved my life on the coast, and then I came north to San Francisco.

"There I met a wealthy family who had been members of my church. A young lady, who had assisted me in many ways on helping the poor of my parish, urged me to return as soon as I recovered my health, and I consented. From San Francisco I went to Denver, from there to Texas, and from there finally reached the city of Mexico, on my way to Gautemala. It was there that I met others from my old home who told me that the earth was still quaking; that the mountains gave further evidence of still other eruptions, and that, to make matters worse, the country was threatened with a political revolution that promised disaster and distress to those who had escaped the war of the elements. So I came north again and went to Manitoba, where I worked some eight years ago as a parish priest. While there I attended the consecration of the new bishop of the Yukon, who passed through here recently on his way north.

"Some day, perhaps, I will return to that once beautiful land which I had learned to love, and which had been my home for so many years. I am now on my way to visit a friend in a monastery in California, where I intend to try and recuperate my health."

The Archbishop Has Refused

Mgr. Bruchesi Has Declined to Allow the Trappistine Sisterhood to Settle in This Diocese

But They Are Permitted to Establish Themselves in Ontario

Montreal, Oct. 17—Word was received in the city to-day from His Grace Archbishop Bruchesi announcing that after seriously considering the request made by the Sisterhood of the Trappistines to establish a monastery in the diocese of Montreal, he had decided that the request could not be granted.

In his letter His Grace states that since the expulsion of religious orders from France applications had been received from as many as twelve orders for permission to establish themselves in this diocese. His Grace had decided that there were already as many orders as can be supported and that any more would be a burden on the parishes in which they might be established. In announcing his decision the Archbishop advises the superiors of the orders to settle in the western provinces of Canada, if they still thought they should come to this country.

The Sisterhood of Trappistines is an order similar to that of the Trappists so far as the contemplative part is concerned. The remainder of their time they make priest garments, and all kinds of church ornaments. The order has existed in France for a number of years, and has been very successful.

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For months past the interest of the townspeople has been centered on this new building. It has a most imposing appearance and the location is all that could be desired. The improvements throughout are most modern, no expense being spared to provide all the comfort possible for both employers and employees. Mr. J. E. Belcher, architect, is to be congratulated on the model building which is the result of his plans and specifications. The factory is 45 by 100 feet, three stories high, and has in addition a large well-lighted basement. On the first floor is situated the show room, general office, vault, stenographer's office and a handsome private office for Mr. J. J. Turner, sr. A well fitted out lavatory forms another most essential addition.

The handsome show room has a 12-foot ceiling and exhibits the stock to perfection. To the rear is the elevator, that wonderful labor-saver, which facilitates the work on every hand.

The second floor which is all in one large room, is occupied by the sewing machine operators. The machines are driven by electric power and a busy staff is engaged operating them. On the third floor the waterproof goods are manufactured and the sign-writing is done. The sign-writing part of their business is growing every day and ere long the firm will lead in this line also.

A feature worthy of the utmost commendation is the excellent plan of lighting. Over 125 windows form an abundance of light in the day time, and electricity is used at night.

A complete stable 30 by 25 feet, is situated at the rear. This handy addition is capable of accommodating three horses.

Two large, up-to-date furnaces, in the cellar are used for heating and each flat is provided with its own lavatory.

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Dr. Hamilton's Pills Stimulate the Liver.

HE SAW THE ERUPTION

A Peterborough Visitor Who Saw The Great Disturbance

Capt. Mackay, who was in town a few days ago, witnessed the great eruption of Mont Pelee last May, and tells a reporter about it. Capt Mackay is superintendent of the West India Department of the Quebec Steamship Company. At the time of the eruption he was in port at Fort de France, fourteen miles away.

"The eruption was one of the greatest things which one could ever expect to see in a lifetime," said the Captain. It surpassed by a hundred per cent any possible electrical effect. I was standing on deck about nine o'clock in the evening looking towards the volcano when suddenly there shot into the air two large fiery balls to the height of about a mile. This was followed by a cloud of dust which took the shape of a cauliflower and as the fiery balls broke they made scattering scintillations in the midst of the cloud. On the deck of the vessel one could stoop down and gather handfuls of dust and one of our ships over 800 miles away was besprinkled with it. On the occasion of the first eruption we had a vessel, the Roraima, totally destroyed. Only fourteen of the crew got safely away. On the south end of the island of Martinique, within about ten miles of the volcano, the dust which has fell has proved a wonderful fertilizer, but the rest of the territory is nothing more than a depository of the lava and rocks which came out."

Capt. Mackay has some of the rocks which were thrown out and some of the dust he gathered. The dust is so fine that it can be used to polish silverware. The rocks are not unlike any ordinary rock.

BEATEN TO DEATH

By Insane Brother While Asleep in Their Beds

Homestead, Pa., Oct. 16.—Not in twenty-five years has this place been so roused as it is over the horror in which Charles Cawley, the seventeen-year-old inventor, turned to a raving maniac by overwork and disappointment, murdered his mother and sister, fatally wounded his infant brother and little twin brother and sister, and injured another sister and brother.

The tragedy occurred in the early morning while the family slept. The maniac used a keen-edged axe for his work.

Three more deaths were added to-day to the sum of young Cawley's frenzy. His baby brother, Joseph, aged fifteen months, and his six-year-old sister, Adaline, and her twin brother Raymond, whom he attacked as they lay sleeping in their cribs, died in the South Side Hospital, Pittsburg. His mother, Mrs. Hannah Cawley, and his thirteen-year-old sister, Isabella, expired in bed as the axe descended upon their heads.

The maniac-murderer is in the station house here, muttering incoherently and apparently unconscious of his terrible deed.

The only parallel in atrocity of this tragedy in the history of Allegeny County was the Ortwein horror of a quarter of a century ago, when the employe of a rich farmer living just below Homestead bent on robbery, murdered the family of six persons and tried to cremate their bodies. He was captured, tried, convicted and executed. Before the execution he made a confession detailing all the horrible incidents of his crime.

It was about 4 o'clock yesterday morning that Charles Cawley arose in the room where his brothers, James, aged twenty, and Harry, aged fourteen, slept, and, without arousing them, crept to the cellar and procured a sharp axe. He returned to the room adjoining his own, where his mother and his two baby brothers and sisters were slumbering.

Raising the axe above his mother's head, he began the fearful slaughter. Blow after blow rained on the woman's head, and she never awoke to know that her own son had sent her to sudden death.

Frenzied by the sight of carnage, he hurried to the other side of the bed, where Isabella lay, and dispatched her with the same demoniac ruthlessness.

He turned and looked upon the innocent face of the babe, Joseph, in his cradle. Not even that angelic sight deterred him, nor the sweet faces of little Raymond and Adaline, the twins. The axe feel again, but the blows were not so well directed.

As the little ones uttered piercing cries he ran brandishing the axe into the next room, where his two brothers lay. James, roused by the moans of the little victims, jumped from the bed just as the maniac entered and banged the door behind him, leaving the room in darkness. He was barely in time, for Charles, aiming at the spot where his brother had been sleeping, hacked the bedclothes into shreds and smashed the bed itself into splinters. Once he struck Harry a glancing blow, but the boy jumped aside and escaped serious injury.

Then began a terrific struggle between James and the maniac. Time and again the demented youth rushed with the axe at his brother. James dodged blow after blow, but at length seizing a heavy rocking chair, he knocked the axe from the maniac's hand. After a breathless struggle, Charles was overpowered.

James dragged his brother by main force to the street. The maniac fought desperately, and it was fully an hour before his brother succeeded in landing him at the lock-up.

When questioned in the prison Cawley did not seem to know what had happened. He said:

"I was awakened by screams in my mother's room and hurried there to find my mother and sister dead. On the floor was an axe, which I picked up and hurried back to the room occupied by my brothers. There I found, on striking a match, and they, too, had been attacked. With the axe I struck my brother James lightly. He awoke with a start, seized me and the scuffle followed."

Young Cawley is the owner of three patents on air and power breaks for street cars. He was at work upon a patent jail cell when his mind gave way after realizing that he could not possibly be successful with the invention.

SAW MANY PEOPLE GO DOWN TO DEATH

A Hamilton Man Tells of the Awful Disaster He Witnessed

SAW MANY BOAT LOADS SINK.

Was One of Those Who Viewed the Shipping Disaster on the Shores of South Africa and Got a Dozen Snap Shots.

Hamilton, Oct. 16.—Writing home from Port Elizabeth, South Africa, on Sept. 14th, Mr. Herb. Connell says that up to that time 40 bodies had been picked up on the shore of the Indian Ocean from the terrible shipwreck of a couple of weeks before. The town opened a relief fund and raised $20,000. The day before writing two first-class British cruisers and gunboats arrived. He also sent a dozen or more photographs. One shows the wrecks of three ships and others are of wreckage, life-boats, etc. In one of the pictures the doomed sailors can be seen hanging in the rigging. Other pictures include a military parade, public buildings, a coronation arch, etc.

The scene of the shipping disaster, Herb. says, was appalling. He saw a small boat with eight sailors and one woman in it, only 200 yards from shore, go to pieces, the storm defying all the efforts of the life-saving crew and the rocket brigade to render assistance. One by one the occupants of the boat jumped overboard, the only remaining hope being that they might swim or be washed ashore, but not one of the nine escaped a watery grave. Another ship presented a terrible spectacle. All that was left of it was the stern, which stood out of the water, and on which ten people could be seen in the dim darkness, for the disaster occurred at night, the signals ringing out just as the town had settled down for slumber. The cries of the ten people could be heard above the roars of the storm. At last the rocket brigade shot a line over to the fast disappearing hull. It was made fast, fast, and one by one the ten persons were landed safely ashore by means of a basket, amid the greatest excitement and cheering that was louder than the noise of wind and water. The crew of another vessel, an Italian barque, perished in spite of the fact that the rocket brigade shot them a line. Herb. saw man after man attempt to climb the rigging to make fast the line, but not one could succeed. Then the worst part of the terrible incident occurred. One of the Italian sailors was being pulled in when the life line broke and, before the eyes of their friends, five of the rescuers were washed to sea and perished.

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MITCHELL BELIEVES MEN WILL RATIFY THE PLAN

Has No Doubt That His Followers will Support the Agreement Reached

Washington, Oct. 17.—The response of John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, to President Roosevelt's notification that he had appointed a commission, was made public today. It informs the President of the action of the Executive Boards of Districts 1, 7, and 9, in calling a convention and agreeing to recommend unanimously the resumption of work and the submission of the differences between the "operators and the mine workers of the anthracite coal fields" to the commission.

The reply expresses confidence that the convention will agree to arbitration by the "eminent and impartial men" chosen by the President, and expresses gratitude to the President for his patriotic efforts to bring about an honorable settlement of the strike. The reply goes at length into the grievances of the miners, and concludes with an expression of hope and belief that from this arbitration will come "a complete satisfactory, and permanent solution of the troubles which have vexed the anthracite field from time immemorial."

Turkey Denies the Report

Paris, Oct. 16—The Turkish Embassy here has issued the following notice: "The Porte declares that there is no truth in the report that negotiations are proceeding between Turkey and Russia for the opening of the Dardanelles to Russian warships."

A despatch from Constantinople to the Figaro asserts that in one of his interviews recently with the Grand Duke Nicholas of Russia the Sultan expressed a desire to receive the Czar at Constantinople. The Grand Duke promised to convey the invitation to the Czar. Since then the Sultan has sent the Czar a formal invitation in an autograph letter intrusted to the head of a Turkish mission to Livadia.

CLAIM RELATIONSHIP TO MANY NATIONS

Boers Alleged Affinity in Blood or Language to Various Europeans

Will Loyalty Support Government? Rank and File of Unionists Will Stand by Balfour—Threaten to Ruin Irish Landlords

London, Oct. 17.—What has struck public opinion in Paris, says a correspondent in that city, is that the Boer generals seem to have decided that in their speeches they will lay claim in one way or another to affinity in blood or language with nations they are visiting. In Paris they affirmed that they had French blood in their veins. In Berlin they will probably declare that they have ties uniting them with the Germans. The people of Paris are curious to hear what ties attach generals to the British nation, or what they will discover of that sort on revisiting England.

Determination of Unionists.

London, Oct. 17.—The Times says the most noteworthy feature in the present English political situation is the manifest determination of the rank and file of the Unionist party to give loyal support to the Government at any sacrifice of personal comfort and convenience. "No compromise," the challenge of the Liberals on the Education Bill, will be met by "no surrender" as the battle cry of the other side of the House. It is understood that in the event of any organized obstruction in the committee on the Education Bill, the Government will not hesitate to adopt drastic measures, including, possibly, a plan for closure by compartments.

Light Sentences For Offenders.

London, Oct. 17.—The following information, says a St. Petersburg correspondent, is from a source hitherto perfectly trustworthy, and throws a vivid light on the methods employed to "pacify" the disturbed districts. At the recent trial of some Kharkoff peasants charged with complicity in disorders in the spring, the counsel for the defence, eight Moscow lawyers of some position, attempted to question the accused in regard to their treatment by soldiers. The president of the court refused to allow these questions. The lawyers then read a declaration to the effect that they could not continue pleading after the president's decision. They had wished to adduce proof that the peasants had already been sufficiently punished by the dragooning they had received. Men had been mercilessly flogged, and great numbers of women had been assaulted by soldiers. Ultimately the defence was entrusted to a local lawyer appointed by the court. The peasants were sentenced to comparatively light punishment, ranging from six months' imprisonment upward.

Threaten to Ruin Landlords.

London, Oct. 17.—A telegram from Cork says William Abraham, member of Parliament for Cork County, in addressing a United Irish League meeting at Carrignavar, said the Irish had smashed coercion acts in the past, and would do so again. Abraham said it was his belief the Chief Secretary for Ireland did not suppress the United Irish League, because he knew very well that behind it lay the county and district councils of Ireland, and that if he suppressed the league they would all become working branches of it. The struggle, declared Abraham, would end in the ruin of landlordism, which, like another upas tree, was poisoning the whole social and commercial life of Ireland.

SHOOK FIST IN BALFOUR'S FACE

John O'Donnell M.P., Lost His Temper in the Imperial Commons

London, Oct. 17.—During an exciting scene in the House of Commons, which reassembled yesterday, Premier Balfour moved the suspension of Mr. John O'Donnell, Nationalist member for South Mayo, and the latter crossed the floor, stood in front of Mr. Balfour, shouted defiance, and shook his fist in the Premier's face. He was suspended by a vote of 241 to 84.

When the sitting opened Premier Balfour moved that the remainder of the session be entirely devoted to Government business.

Mr. Patrick O'Brien, for the Irish members asked that at least a day between now and Christmas be devoted to the discussion of the serious state of affairs in Ireland. Mr. Balfour replied that if the request for such a discussion came from the Liberal leaders the Government would grant it, but they could not notice it from the Irish party.

TALKED OF REVOLT.

This roused the Irish members. William O'Brien said that Ireland was on the verge of revolt. The constitution was practically suspended, and now the members were gagged in the only Parliament they had. Throughout Mr. O'Brien's remarks the Irish members kept up a perfect storm of applause.

When Mr. Wyndham, the Chief Secretary for Ireland, entered the House they hissed him loudly, and the Speaker, who was frequently on his feet, asking for "order," sternly repressed the demonstration.

Mr. Lloyd-George, backed up by the Irish members, and Mr. T. P. O'Connor increased the excitement by bitterly upbraiding Mr. Balfour for declaring that Irish matters must only be discussed by favor of the English Liberals. Only after a heated colloquy with the Speaker was Mr. O'Connor prevented from voicing abuse of Mr. Wyndham.

Members of the House of Lords at this time began to crowd into the House of Commons, in expectation of a scene, for the threats from the Irish benches became more and more demonstrative.

SOME FINE SATIRE.

Mr Healy, amidst intense excitement, said in icy tones: "I rise to speak as a native of Uganda." The House was convulsed with laughter. In a speech which on all sides was characterized as one of the finest satires ever heard in the House of Commons, Mr. Healey, always as a Ugandian, thanked the Premier for his consideration, which enabled the Imperial Parliament to devote time to the discussion of national affairs. He complimented Mr. Balfour on being able to sufficiently detach himself so as to be oblivious of the vital disturbances prevailing "in that distant and distressful country, Ireland."

In this vein, which irrestibly held the attention of the House, and which caused Mr. Balfour himself frequent amusement, Mr. Healey completed what a Unionist member defined as one of the "finest satirical indictments which the Government had ever undergone."

Mr. William Redmond regretted that the Irish people could not, with arms in their hands, strike a blow against the violent tyranny to which they were subjected.

THE CLOSURE APPLIED.

Ultimately Mr. Balfour moved the closure, and the uproar broke out again with renewed vigor. Mr. John O'Donnell stood up and refused to give way to the Speaker. His fellow-Nationalists shouted encouragement and cheered vigorously. The Speaker repeatedly warned Mr. O'Donnell that he was out of order, and an exciting scene followed.

Mr. Balfour moved the suspension of Mr. O'Donnell, and the latter crossed the floor, stood in front of the Premier, shouting defiance, and shook his fist in Mr. Balfour's face.

Mr. Balfour smiled quietly as the Irish member shouted and gesticulated, and other members of the Cabinet, fearing that Mr. O'Donnell would actually assault the Premier, moved towards him, but Mr. O'Donnell, having concluded what he had to say, returned to his seat. The House suspended him by a vote of 241 to 84 and he left the House.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

Woodstock, Oct 16.—One of the wonders of the year is the new sugar beet factory which is being built at Berlin, Ont. It is being put up with the capital of a Michigan firm and is to cost the enormous sum of $600,000. The factory which is put up on the most substantial plan, will be ready to start next week in all probability. It is an immense concern situated about a mile and a half east of the town, so big in fact that it takes you about half an hour to walk around it. Electric cars run to it.

Farmers in Waterloo country have about quit growing wheat and now grow sugar beets. There is more money in them. The sugar company agrees to take all the beets brought in and pay a set price for them. The factory will only run three month's a year, from October to New Year's. By then the beets are ready.

A Times representative who visited the factory a day or two ago, very naturally asked the question of a gentleman interested: "But are you quite sure that beet sugar is a success and the people will use it."

"Why," was the good natured reply, "nearly all the best sugar eaten in Canada comes from beets. The Redpaths have been supplying beet sugar from Germany for many years. There's no difference in the taste at all. In fact you don't know it's beet sugar."

This great concern might have come to Woodstock had somebody got a move on about the time the German city began to saw wood. Berlin, by the way, feels badly indeed if it doesn't get one or two new factories a year.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous services.

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Mr. J. W. Pearson, the well known horse buyer, was in town yesterday and gave The Times a call. He will buy in Lindsay today and return on Friday, and remain at the White House.

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KIDNEYS AND BLADDER.

Have you pain in the back, a dull feeling in the region of the kidneys? At times your water comes freely, a large quantity light in color, while at other times you do not make it quite so freely, it is dark in color, you make a small quantity, or you may have a mucous deposit or brick dust colored sediment; give your condition immediate attention or more serious complications will set in. My treatment guaranteed as a positive cure for such conditions, and remember you

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CANADIAN EMPIRE

In his speech at the opening of the new Produce Exchange in Liverpool on the eve of his departure for Canada, Sir Wilfrid Laurier alluded to the expansion of the Canadian produce trade, and dwelt on the success assured to men of muscle and business capacity who would go to Canada, and occupy the vast territories there which are still without population, and only sparsely settled. During the past two or three years our Agricultural Bureau and its immigration agents have been at work trying to induce settlers to occupy the vacant lands of western Canada. They have worked the English farmers have invaded the rural districts of Ireland and Scotland, and, in this country, have circulated captivating literature through such states as Ohio and Iowa.

The result of all this effort has been that wonderful crops of grain have been harvested for the past three seasons by new settlers who have taken up land in the West. So flattering have the prospects become that Sir Wilfrid tells the Liverpool produce merchants that in the next decade or two Canada would be able to meet, under favorable weather conditions, Great Britain's total grain requirements, thus insuring her against the shortage of seasons, of failure of crops, and relieving her of all anxiety in regard to a plentiful supply of breadstuffs in time of war.

The problem of fast steamship service was also referred to by our Premier. Our facilities for carrying grain to the seaboard by canal and river routes are esteemed as rivaling those of the United States. But they have been wanting in ocean freight and passenger carrying facilities. Sir Wilfrid alluded to this circumstance in his Liverpool speech, and remarked that the important matter had been under consideration even since he had been Premier. He now hoped that Canada would be able to solve this difficult question as she had solved problems vastly more difficult. This confidential mode of speech leads to the belief that the Premier brings with him some tangible proposition which will be divulged when Sir Wilfrid arrives home.

Sir Wilfrid looks forward to the time when Canada would excel Great Britain in population and wealth, and when an empire of peace could be built upon industrial and commercial pursuits and the patriotism of an earnest and spirited people. This is not altogether a fanciful dream. Canada is going ahead with wonderful strides.

PEAT FUEL AGAIN

Since the coal strike has suggested substitute fuels for this country, attention has been directed to peat, which exists abundantly in Ontario and other parts of Canada. Experiments heretofore with this material have not been encouraging, but the possibilities of peat have been demonstrated very successfully in Germany and France, says the London Free Press. For some time past agents have been in this Province with samples of the briquettes of peat fuel "made in Germany" and an endeavor has been made to interest capital in the manufacture here. Briquettes are made from brown coal, carbonized peat, coal dust, &c., A well known London citizen states that he has seen the process of manufacture in several parts of Germany, and has no doubt that it is destined to add very largely to the fuel supply in that country. U. S. Consul General Mason, at Berlin, has sent details of the business to his department at Washington. He says in his report that at the close of 1900 there were in Germany eighty-nine manufactories of fuel briquettes, producing more than 100,000 tons yearly. It has become a standard commercial industry both in France and Germany. All that is needed either in the United States or Canada, is to employ experts from Europe to make tests in order to demonstrate whether the peats of this continent can be treated with the same success. Mr. Mason, after describing the several processes, says, "Turf briquettes ordinarily contain about 66 per cent. of inflammable elements, the remainder being made up of inorganic ash and water. They are thus inferior as fuel to briquettes made from brown coal which averages 70 per cent or more of inflammable matter. Both represent in their present form the utmost that science has been able to do in utilizing inferior and otherwise almost worthless materials to supplement and eke out the insufficient coal supply of European countries."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The longer the coal strike lasts, the easier people are becoming reconciled to the fact that anthracite is not such a necessary of life as they thought it was. Supposing the strike was not settled all winter, if we in Ontario, with soft coal in plenty, with abundance of hard wood, soft wood, green wood, and dead wood, to draw upon, with gas fuel and oil fuel no dearer than normal, cannot survive with the minimum of inconvenience, it's a pity!

—The hard coal magnates complain that the unions which are backing up President Mitchell are controlled by ignorant foreigners and irresponsible boys, and assert that if the intelligent workmen were allowed to decide matters the strike would end very soon. Be this as it may, some one is going to be impertinent enough to ask who introduced ignorant foreigners and irresponsible boys into the coal regions in the first place.

L. J. Forget & Co., of Montreal, brokers, have advanced $100,000 to the mayor and council to buy fuel to be supplied to the poor at cost. Forget & Co., will get back their money, of course as the fuel is sold; but the advance, which is made because the use by the council of civic money would be illegal, is nevertheless a most generous one. Inevitably there will be some loss, which Forget & Co. will bear; and besides, they authorize the mayor to distribute the fuel in needful cases without charge. Senator Forget, the head of the firm, which is the most important broking firm in Canada, shows by this action that he is the big man which might be inferred from his business and political success.

DISTRICT NEWS

KEENE.

A serious accident occurred on Wednesday morning at the station, when a horse belonging to Mr. Arthur Nelson of Lang Roller Mills, took fright at a train and ran to Keene, a distance of about two miles. The load, which consisted of a canoe and some bags of grain, were scattered along the road. The wagon is a complete wreck.

—Our quiet little village is at present disturbed by a number of its inhabitants getting intoxicated. This is an every day occurrence, Sunday included. The drunkards consist of men so far advanced in age that it is time they were thinking of their better existence. This is a discredit to their families and to the village. It is about time this habit ceased and the hoodlums sent up to Nesbitt's castle for a term.

—Mr. Joseph Elmhirst, jr., of Keene, is leaving for Oregon in a few days.

—Our new doctor, Mr. Victor McWilliams, has been smitten by Cupid's dart, and if appearances do not deceive, is about to desert the bachelors. Good luck, Vic.

—A very interesting event took place last Thursday evening at the residence of Mr. Thomas Howson, Otonabee, when his daughter, Ida, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. Benjamin Kindred. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Slocombe, Keene, in the presence of a large number of friends. The presents were numerous and costly, testifying to the high esteem in which the bride is held. Mr. and Mrs. Kindred took the train for Toronto, Niagara Falls and other points, after which they will take up their residence in Otonabee. We wish them a long and happy wedded life.

—Quite a number from Keene and vicinity attended the Norwood fair on Wednesday.

—A large number of hunters are at Rice Lake at present for the fall shooting. They report the ducks very scarce.

—Mr. Frank Burnett has disposed of his farm east of Keene to Mr. Patrick Mulcahy.

—Mr. Wm. Pullyblank, veterinary surgeon, is leaving for the West in a few

—The annual dinner of the Canadian General Electric Angler's club took place at H. Long's palm parlour, on Tuesday evening and was attended by about forty members. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

—When Mitchell hears that Mr. McClelland has several hundred tons of coal on hand for his Peterborough customers, he will call the strike off sure.

—Friends in town will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. John Douglas, formerly of Peterborough, which occurred the other day at her home in Prince Albert, N.W.T.

—Mr. Robert Gibbs, Everymen, has purchased a very handsome pair of grey horses from the Rev. Father Phelan, of Young's Point, for the sum of $250.

Mr. J. W. Pearson, the well known horse buyer, was in town yesterday and gave The Times a call. He will buy in Lindsay today and return on Friday, and remain at the White House.

THE MOONSTONE SPHINX

By Mrs C N Williamson

Author of The Barn Stormers
Fortune's Spor Miss Nobody,
Her Royal Highness Lady
Mary of the Dark
House, etc.

if it's anything of that sort you mean."

"That's precisely what I do mean," announced the millionaire. "Look here, it's getting on towards one's dinner hour. Come with me. I'll get a private room, and we'll have a chop and a bottle of Burgundy together if you can spare the time."

"I've got more time than anything else just now," responded the masked minstrel, lightly. "And I'm very much at your service."

They walked to the nearest good restaurant, forming a strange contrast; the tall young man with the black mask covering his face, the broken banjo in his hand; the stooped figure of the millionaire, with his hobbling limp and his scarred features.

There could hardly have been a more incongruous pair, and people they met turned to look after them. But Macaire either did not notice the attention he and his companion aroused, or was too independent of public opinion to care for it.

He was wondering whether the masked minstrel knew anything of him besides the name which he must have heard spoken when he had mentioned it to the policeman a few moments ago. He wondered whether the fellow was aware that he was walking beside one of the richest men in England—a man so rich that he could afford to do, say, look and wear exactly what he pleased.

Macaire hoped that the other did know all this, although, as he had apparently not long ago come to England, he might be in ignorance of his companion's importance. It would be awkward to call direct attention to it, especially as the millionaire was on his best behavior, endeavoring to appear a jolly, modest fellow, not too proud, despite his wealth and position, to hobnob with a nobody to whom he had happened to take a fancy.

Wishing to impress the minstrel in some quiet and unobtrusive way he took the best private room he could have, and, though it was too early in the day for him to work up an appetite for dinner, instead of the chop and bottle of Burgundy he had suggested he ordered an elaborate feast, with plenty of champagne of his own favorite brand.

"Now," he remarked, when the hors d'oeuvres appeared, "now is the time when you must cease to hide your light under a bushel, and throw off the mask—that is, unless you merely intend to look on while I eat my dinner."

"To a man who hasn't dined, but only eaten food, for some time, that would be too cruel an aggravation," returned the minstrel. "It is nothing more nor less than morbid self-consciousness—vanity, if you will, sir—that tempted me to pick my banjo from behind a screen. I don't intend to trouble you with my antecedents, but—people who were once dear to me would have been made unhappy if they could have known I was destined to get my living by 'busking' at the seaside; and I suppose I'm idiot enough to be ashamed, in a way, of what I've been doing—though I'm ashamed of myself, too, for being ashamed. But, anyhow, here goes the mask."

It had been tied behind his head, and as he talked he had been fumbling awkwardly—as men's unaccustomed fingers do fumble—with the knot. But the strings yielded at last and the mask suddenly fell, to show a dark, handsome, clear-cut face, with lips parted in a rather shy, boyish smile over a row of strong, perfect white teeth.

The minstrel's laughing brown eyes met those of the millionaire; and Lionel Macaire's boasted self-control came into play as he restrained a start of surprise.

"Haven't I seen you somewhere before?" he asked, hiding all emotion.

As well as he knew his own strange antecedents did he know when and where he had seen that dark face before; but he did not wish the other to guess himself of enough importance to have been definitely remembered.

"Yes," the young man answered without an instant's hesitation. "At least I have seen you, sir, and I recollected it the moment you came up to me this afternoon, though I didn't suppose you'd noticed me particularly that other time."

"Where was it?" asked Macaire, "and when, if you can recall that?"

"I have some reason for recalling it," replied Hope Newcome. "I had a big disappointment that night. I'd been at the Duke of Clarence's Theater with an introduction from—an old friend of Mr. Anderson's, to him. I wanted a short engagement till I could get something else to do—merely as Charles the Wrestler in the production of 'As You Like It,' which was coming on. But, though I'm nearly six feet, Mr. Anderson has an inch or two the advantage of me, and thought it wouldn't do. I saw you coming out of the theater with him afterwards."

"Oh, yes!" exclaimed Macaire, as though suddenly enlightened. "Of course. How stupid of me. You were engaged—ha, ha!— in much the same occupation as I found you at to-day. A queer coincidence."

CHAPTER XIX.

Macaire's Proposition.

"You'll think me a very pugnacious person, sir," Hope Newton said, flushing slightly under the clear, sunburnt olive of his skin—that kind of sunburn which does not wear away with years, unless in mortal illness. He did not use the word "sir" in addressing the millionaire as if he were kowtowing to a superior, but as though he, a young man, adopted it out of respect to one many years his senior. Though he had been seen fighting at stage-doors, and playing the banjo on Brighton beach, he had the air of simply—unconsciously almost—taking it for granted that he was Macaire's equal. And Macaire saw this, and was grimly amused by it, considering certain differences between them.

"The shortest road to my regard, as far as that's concerned," responded Macaire, "is by being a 'pugnacious person,' as you call it. If I hadn't thought you one through our acquaintance to-day we shouldn't be dining together now. And what I've just learnt only raises you in my estimation. I believe now that I even heard you speak to my friend Anderson that night, and I am usually rather quick to recognize voices. But yours sounded differently when you spoke through your mask. By the way, as it happens, that was rather an eventful night for me, too."

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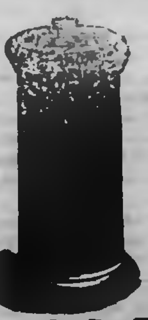

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PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 18, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

New Members Reception

A reception will be tendered the new members of the Young Women's Christian Association on Tuesday, Oct. 21st, at 8 p.m.; at the Association Rooms, George street. All members are invited to be present.

Gratefully Acknowledged

Mr. and Mrs. James Dradley desire through the Times to thank their many friends for their sympathy in this their great sorrow and bereavement, in the loss of their beloved son; also for the many floral offerings.

A Masonic Presentation

On Wednesday evening last Mr. F. D. McKay, who is about to remove from town, was entertained by the local Masonic brethren, and presented with an address accompanied by a past master's jewel. Mr. McKay responded in a suitable manner. The Times joins in wishing him future success.

A Singular Accident

The Brileville correspondent of the Toronto World of Monday, tells this wonderful tale: A peculiar accident occurred near Feathers on the Grand Trunk junction line recently. A freight train bound from Lindsay to this city was bowling along when a draw bar broke and fell on the rail, causing a car that passed over it to leave the rails. The pressure behind forced the car upward and outward, and it was thrown against the fence along the right of way. The train then closed up and proceeded. It all happened so quickly that if the car could not have been seen the train crew might have imagined that it was just a pipe dream.

A Great Success

The concert given on Thursday evening in the Opera House, under the auspices of the Charlotte street Methodist church, was a great success. The audience as might be expected, was large, and the entertainment was one of the best ever presented to a Peterborough audience, everybody being delighted.

Why Bears are Plentiful

Bobcaygeon Independent: Scarcity of nuts in the woods appears to be causing the bears to prowl around the open more than usual this fall and they are being seen, and killed, frequently. A week ago, a bear and two cubs were shot at Chase's, near Oak Orchard. Last week a bear and two cubs strolled into the village, and were observed near the ground where Petrie's mill stood. Several chevied out with their rifles, and Mr. Richard Pearson succeeded in getting one of the cubs.

A Thanksgiving Day Wedding

A very quiet wedding was celebrated at the residence of Mr. John Heathorne, Stewart street, Ashburnham, on Thursday evening, it being the occasion of the marriage of Miss Aggie E., daughter of Mr. Wm. Dawson, Concession street, Ashburnham, to Mr. William S. Robinson, Murray street, Peterborough. The bride wore a gown of hunter's venetian green, trimmed with cream silk, applique and velvet. Rev. Mr. Thompson, of Mark street Methodist church, officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson will in future reside on Murray street, Peterborough.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The automatic alarm at the C.P.R. crossing on George street, has been out of repair. One of the company's electricians has placed the apparatus in good working order.

—Yesterday, a load of cases on a dray, adressed to parties in Quebec city, passed down street, bearing the imprint "Quaker Oats," manufactured by the American Cereal Company, Peterborough." The product of the company's mills, going to all parts of the world will be a big advertisement for Peterborough.

THINKING MADE EASY

There is a Way

"I asked Husband to get some Grape-Nuts, the ready cooked food. He brought them at noon, and I served a dish for dinner, for I thought what was good for breakfast was good for any other meal Well! do you know we did not eat half so hearty of the meat, potatoes, etc., after eating the Grape-Nuts. It filled that vacancy which the regular fare did not.

The newspaper puffs' as I used to call them (I know better now) are not one bit too strong—are not strong enough, for [illegible] [illegible] [illegible], increased endurance and a renewed reserve fund of strength are now mine, and I cannot be too thankful. I can walk five miles without one-half as much loss of strength as when I formerly walked one.

If, in cleaning house and numerous other back breaking tolls. we women must do, we would all prepare a dish of Grape-Nuts instead of the old-time 'cup of tea to brace up on,' one would soon see the difference.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by 'phone or in writing.—[ED TIMES]

—Miss L. Scott spent the holiday in Lindsay.

—Mr. Fred Tully, of the College of Pharamacy, is home for a day or two.

—Mrs. James McCamb, of Orillia, formerly of Peterborough, is visiting friends in town.

—Mr. Rupert Glidden, director of the 57th Regimental Band, is in Toronto.

—Capt. Maurice Lane, of Bobcaygeon, was in town yesterday and gave the Times a call.

—Mrs. Harry Nell, Master Perry, and Miss Alice, are spending their Thanksgiving holidays at Galt.

—Mr. William Rambough, and his mother, Mrs. W. J. Rombough, of Toronto, are visiting in town.

—Rev. Father McColl spent Thanksgiving Day in Lindsay, the guest of Venerable Archdeacon Casey.

—Mrs. W. H. Robertson and her daughter, Miss Mattie, are spending a few days, the guests of Mrs. Brandon, Fenelon Falls.

—The Times had the pleasure of a call, yesterday, from Mr. John Whyte, Campbellford, who spent Thanksgiving with friends in town.

—Mr. Walter Phelan, of Toronto, paid a Thanksgiving visit to his father, Mr. M. Phelan, who is, we are pleased to say, recovering his accustomed health.

—Mr. Chas. Stone, of Trinity Medical College, was in town for Thanksgiving day, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Stone.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McGill, Miss McGill and Messrs. Vernon and Stanley McGill were in town on Thursday, returning to Toronto in the evening.

—Mr. Andrew McNeil, a former resident of Peterborough, who has been living in New York, will again take up his residence in town. Mr. McNeil will be the representative of a Montreal firm in Ontario.

Peterborough Contractors Abroad

A Times' representative while in Lindsay yesterday, dropped into the new Bank of Montreal building, which is being constructed in that town by Mr. James Bogue, the well known Peterborough contractor. The building is faced, for the first storey, with Ohio granite, handsomely embellished, while the floor of the banking room and vestibule will be tiled. The upper storeys are being fitted up as a dwelling for the manager, and will be commodious and well finished. Messrs. Rutherford Bros., of town, are doing the carpenter work, under the superintendence of Mr. James Haggart, a guarantee of superior workmanship, as Mr. Haggart never does anything but a first class job.

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Ferrozone is precisely what to take, it gives you an appetite and a digestion that will look after everything that is eaten. Ferrozone improves nutrition, makes rich, vitalizing blood and is positively the most powerful restorative and strengthener known to science; it improves the nerve tone, regulates the heart's action, makes the feeble strong and the sick well. Ferrozone will do you untold good, and costs only 50c., at Druggists.

Dr. Hamilton's Pills Stimulate the Liver.

Peterborough's Bright Future

One hears a good deal just now about Peterborough's wonderful progress in the development of her natural resources in the way of power. That we have a great future there is no doubt. Yesterday a Times representative while in Lindsay, happened to meet an old friend, Ven. Archdeacon Casey, who at once began to speak of our rising young city. "Peterborough," he said, is bound to grow. The advantages she possesses in the way of water power, gives her prominence over her sister towns and cities, and the fact that a great industry like the American Cereal Company chose Peterborough in which to erect their immense mills, is sure to attract other industries."

WEDDED IN TORONTO

Nuptials of Miss Mabelle Rathbone, Toronto and Mr. H. Sherin, Lakefield

A very pretty wedding took place on Tuesday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George Rathbone, 28 Northcote avenue, Toronto, when their daughter, Miss Mabelle, was united in marriage to Mr. J. Harry Sherin, of Lakefield. The ceremony was performed by the Rev Mr. McLean Ballard, rector of St. Anne's. The bride wore a beautiful gown of gray silk de crepe de chene over lavender silk and applique trimmings, and the customary veil, with orange blossoms, and carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses. The bride was assisted by her cousin Miss Jennie Robson, who wore white Swiss, trimmed with Valencia lace, adorned with maidenhair fern and lilies of the valley, while Miss Winnifred Rathbone, sister of the bride, made a very sweet flower girl. Mr. J. McDonald, of McMaster, was groomsman. The bride was the recipient of very many handsome presents, including a sunburst of pearls and diamonds from the groom, who also presented the bridesmaid and flower girl with a pearl ring each. The happy couple left for a trip to Washington, Atlantic City and other points, after which they will reside at Lakefield.

Sports and Pastimes

GOLF.

The match on Thursday between the Bankers and Lawyers on one side and the remainder of the Club on the other, resulted in a victory for the latter, Mr. Burnham being the only one up on the side of the Bankers and Lawyers.

The championship contest, between Mr. Burnham and Mr. Burnett, resulted in Mr. Burnham winning the annual championship of the club by 2 holes and 1 to play.

RUGBY.

The match on Thursday between the local team and the Rough Riders of Ottawa, resulted in a score of [illegible] to [illegible] in

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The woman who reads this will understand to the full what Mrs. Tipton meant when she says: "I am enjoying good health." It takes a person who has been made wretched by sickness to understand the joy of health.

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—Our quiet little village is at present disturbed by a number of its inhabitants getting intoxicated. This is an every day occurrence, Sunday included. The drunkards consist of men so far advanced in age that it is time they were thinking of their latter existance. This is a discredit to their families and to the village. It is about time this habit ceased and the hoodlums sent up to Nesbitt's castle for a term.

—Mr. Joseph Hinkhirst, Jr., of Keene, is leaving for Oregon in a few days.

—Our new doctor, Mr. Victor McWilliams, has been smitten by Cupid's dart, and if appearances do not deceive, is about to desert the bachelors. Good luck, Vic.

—Quite a number from Keene and vicinity attended the Norwood fair on Wednesday.

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Canadian Pacific Railway Objects to Paying Levies in the Dominion

THE COURTS MUST SETTLE IT

The Disagreeable Task Which Confronts Sir Wilfrid Laurier—Bourinot's Death

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 19—When the contract was entered into between the Dominion Government and the Canadian Pacific Railway for the construction of the road, provisions was made that the land grant of 25,000,000 acres, which the company was to receive from the government as part of the consideration for undertaking the work, was to be exempt from taxation for twenty years. The question as to when the twenty years expires is disputed. The company contends that the land cannot be taxed until twenty years after the patents for the same had been issued by the crown. There are different contentions in opposition to this, but the one which the law officers of the crown are likely to put forward is that the exemption should cease twenty years after the land had been earned under the contract, no matter when the company may have taken out its patents. The Department of Justice is now preparing a case for submission to the courts so that the matter may be finally disposed of. The Canadian Pacific Railway, has consented to be a party to a test case. Proceedings have already been begun through the Department of Justice arranging with the municipality of North Cypress, in Manitoba, to demand taxes from the Canadian Pacific Company for railway lands within its limits for the purpose of having the issue raised in the courts.

The records show that over twenty years have elapsed since the Canadian Pacific Railway selected its lands in that township. The taxes for the current year will be demanded on the property. Upon November 15th the taxes on this land will be due and payable; and the money not forthcoming, a suit will at once be instituted by the Dominion Government in the name of the municipality of North Cypress. There is said to be an understanding between the Government and the Canadian Pacific that the latter is not to resort to legal technicalities so as to delay the hearing of the case on the finding of the courts. The issue to go before the judges will be a plain one. The Supreme Court will hear the case, but it is not likely that either party will be satisfied without having the opinion of the judicial committee of the imperial privy council, which is the court of last resort.

DOES THE SEVERED HEAD LIVE AND THINK?

A United States Naval Surgeon Says That It Does

SAW OVER FIFTY DECAPITATIONS

And in Every Case Life Seemed to Exist After the Head was Off

Philadelphia, Oct. 18—Does decapitation cause instantaneous death? Dr. Oliver D. Norton, of the United States Navy declares that it does not, and his conclusions are based on personal observation gained as a witness of nearly fifty executions.

Dr. Norton has been in the naval service for eighteen years. He is at present stationed on the receiving ship Minneapolis, at the League Island Navy Yard. He has been around the world several times. He has seen much service in the Philippines, and when the allied forces marched to the relief of Pekin he accompanied them. It was on this expedition that he gathered the data that forms the basis of his declaration that the death of a man beheaded is not instantaneous. At Canton he witnessed the execution of thirty-six Chinese in one afternoon and studied the gruesome spectacle from a purely scientific standpoint. In telling about the spectacle Dr. Norton said—

It was on a Sunday afternoon in last November that the wholesale execution took place. I was standing outside a pottary where the official execution ground is situated, when there were loud shots and a crowd of Chinese came running up. The thirty-six condemned men followed in litters carried by coolies. The men's elbows were drawn back and pinioned; their hands were bound together and heavy irons were on their legs. The litters were turned over and their occupants spilled out on the ground. Seven came in the first batch and these were forced to kneel in the street and wait nearly ten minutes for the arrival of the others. Piracy and murder were the crimes for which the majority of the men were to be killed.

When the others arrived they too were made to kneel, the party being arranged in a long line, two and three abreast. A tag was attached to each man's pigtail and a similar tag was fastened to the blouse. This was for the purpose of identification and to insure the burying of each head with the body to which it belonged. A stick stuck out of the collar of each man's blouse and to this was attached a paper containing an account of the criminal and his crime. The men showed no sign of being under the influence of opium and were apparently unconcerned.

A high official, with a red umbrella, came out to see that justice was done, and a guard of fifteen soldiers lined up to prevent any attempt at a rescue. Many of the condemned men exchanged farewells with friends in the crowd on onlookers, but there were no signs of grief or collapse on the part of anyone.

Two executioners perofrmed the entire thirty-six decapitations. The headsmen were armed with heavy two-handled swords. They did their work cleanly and rapidly and in all but three cases the heads fell at a single stroke. There was no pause on the part of the executioners and each seemed to be anxious to outdo the other by performing the greater number of decapitations. Before each stroke the headsman rose on his toes and delivered the blow with all his strength. His assistants followed him and when the bodies did not fall they pushed them over.

The executioners began their work at the front of the line and those behind saw their companions accept the fate that was to be theirs in a few moments. There was no flinching, however, and not a man fainted or showed any symptoms of being about to do so.

A remarkable feature of the occasion was the demeanor of the spectators. As the sword fell on the first victim there was a wild outburst of cheering, and this was repeated after each stroke. I asked a Chinese the reason for the demonstration and he said that it was to make the doomed man brave.

As each head was severed a stream of blood spouted from two to three feet in the air, and by the time the last man had been beheaded the bodies lay in a lake of red.

Dr. Norton's observations on the results of decapitation have created a sensation in the medical world. As each head fell the doctor watched closely and was strongly impressed with the idea that death was not instantaneous, but that it came almost immediately after the stroke accompanying a syncope. He fixes the period of consciousness after decapitation at about five seconds. Continuing his story he said:

"As the heads fell I examined them closely. There would be a swift upward movement of the eyes, an expression of surprise would come over the face, as if the victim were wondering what had hit him, the lips would move as if in an attempt to speak, and then the faces would turn pale, and a faint, which speedily gave to death, would follow. Many of the faces showed looks of intelligence as the face fell, but that was of course, only for a second.

"In a number of cases a decided effort to swallow was shown, and repeated several times. In some instances there was a pronounced effort to speak, judging from the expressions and movements of the lips. This was not a convulsive movement, but a most deliberate and expressive one. The men were not in the act of speaking when the blow fell. In other cases there was a natural movement of the eyes, as if looking, and an opening and closing of the lids occurred.

"There were no convulsive movements in any of the bodies or legs, the heads alone showing signs of life. Close examination of the facial expressions convinced me with the idea that it was the face of a person in syncope, and the eyes eyelids, lips, color and general expression were those of a person who was about going into a deep faint."

At a decapitation conducted by the Japanese, which Dr. Norton attended, the victims were made to kneel over the graves which had been dug for them. When they were decapitated heads and bodies fell into the trenches.

Before leaving China Dr. Norton communicated his views of decapitation to Vice-Consul Langhorne at Canton. Langhorne afterwards attended a number of executions and his observations bear out Dr. Norton's contention that beheading does not cause instantaneous death.

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RUSSIA'S DEEP DESIGNS

Her Proposed Treaty with Turkey will Probably be Blocked

London, Oct. 20—The special correspondent of the London Daily Mail in Bucharest states that Russia has offered to Turkey a revival of the Unkiar Skelessi treaty. By this treaty, which was concluded in June, 1833, the Black Sea was converted into a purely Russian lake. The Porte, undertook, on the request of Russia, and in time of war, not to permit any foreign warships to enter the Black Sea under any pretence whatever. The treaty lasted about eight years, but afterwards it was not renewed, probably on account of the opposition of the western powers. Now, however, Russia has proposed to Turkey, not only to renew it but to introduce articles which, if possible, would radically strengthen its purport.

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Sir Wilfrid and Party Reach Metropolis Saturday Evening

The Premier Delivers a Speech from the Balcony of the Hotel

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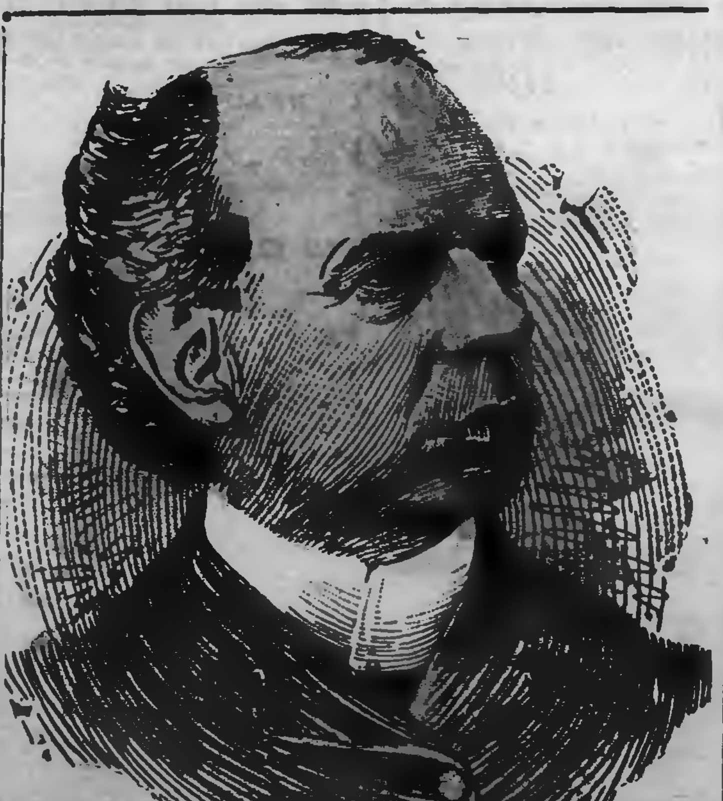

Montreal, Oct., 19—Sir Wilfrid Laurier was tendered a very hearty welcome to the commercial metropolis on Saturday evening.

Sir Wilfrid arrived by special Canadian Pacific train from Quebec. Upon his arrival at Place Viger station, the Premier was received by the Mayor and aldermen; Mr. Speaker Brodeur, delegations from the Board of Trade, Corn Exchange, Chambre de Commerce, the Liberal clubs, and the citizens generally. Sir Wilfrid was accompanied by Hon. W. S. Fielding and several others of his colleagues and proceeded to the balcony of the hotel, where the addresses were presented and the Premier delivered a speech to the assembled people.

The station was profusely decorated and illuminated as well as Place Viger and the joining residences. Mr. Padgor, of the Fire Alarm Department, was in charge of the illuminations at Place Viger and had men at work stringing wires for several days. Fire works were displayed on the eastern part of the square as the train steamed into the station.

It was estimated that at least 4,000 people took part in the procession, from Place Viger to the Windsor, via Craig and St. Lawrence, St. Catherine and Windsor streets, all of whom bore torches. A platoon of mounted police headed the procession.

The order of the procession was as follows:—Platoon of city police; the St. Charles Band, the St. Lambert Liberal Club, the St. Gabriel Liberal Club, the Harmony Band of St. Henri, the Marchand Club of Ste. Cunegonde, the Liberal Club of St. Henri, the Liberal Club of the West End, the Bickerdike Club, the Geoffrion Club, the Victoria Rifles Band, the Readoux Club, the Prefontaine Club, the Mercil Club, the Harmony Band of Mile End, the Laurier Club, the Bernier Club, the Hochelaga Band, the Chenier Club, the Mercier Club, the Cartwright Club, the St. Vincent de Paul Band, the Tarte Club, the Letellier Club, the City Band, the Archambault Club, the Club of Liberal Students, the Club of St. James North, the Liberal Club of St. Louis Ward, The Temperance Band, the Liberal Club of the East End, the Ville Marie Guard, preceded by its Band and Bugle Corps, the Band of the 65th batallion, the Royal Foresters

SIR WILFRID LAURIER

Followed by carriages containing Aldermen, Senators, Members of Parliament, and of the Legislature, representatives of the Board of Trade, Corn Exchange, Chamber of Commerce, and the officers and members of the Club National, of the Reform Club, of the Liberal Club, and of the Liberal Club of St. Lawrence Ward.

The Premier was greeted with cheers all along the route. When the Windsor was reached he was given an ovation. From the balcony the Premier addressed the assembled thousands, thanking them for their magnificent reception.

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Soufriere Again in Eruption

The Volcanic Giant Was Again Active on Wednesday and Thursday—Ashes Fell in Great Quantities

Kingstown, Island of St. Vincent, B. W.I., October 20—A terrific eruption of the Soufriere volcano commenced Wednesday night. During the preceding day earth tremors apparently too slight to be considered important, were experienced in the centre and northern part of the island. At 8 o'clock Wednesday night there were indubitable indications of an eruption. Rumbling noises were heard; they increased until 9 o'clock, when the roaring volcanic giant belched out its deadly contents. This eruption was followed by a brief lull. Then from 10 o'clock until 4 o'clock this morning the upheaval continued. The outbreak was accompanied by an incessant and confused cannonading; there were incandescent clouds and sparkling matter was ejected. About four o'clock the disturbance gradually decreased, but the noise of the boiling cauldron is still audible in the districts neighboring the volcano.

Both craters of the Soufriere apparently were active; they have been steaming all day long. Sand fell heavily everywhere from half past 1 until half past two yesterday morning. At southern points the sand is half an inch deep; the depth gradually increasing toward the volcanic cone, where there were showers of large stones, pebbles and cinders.

Kingstown and other southern points of the Island have not been damaged. Reports from the Windward districts are awaited.

A NEW YORK TRAGEDY

William Turner Murders Two Men in a Law Office and Then Turns the Revolver on Himself

Special to The Times:

New York, October 20—William C. Turner today shot and killed Albert Hamilton and W. M. Mallard in the office of the law firm of Cantor, Adams and McIntyre in Broad street, and then committed suicide. Turner was at one time treasurer of the Climax Bottling Co in which the other two men were interested and the three met today to effect a settlement growing out of an alleged default on the part of Turner. During the conference a heated discussion arose and Turner drawing a revolver killed Hamilton and Mallard and then turning the weapon upon himself committed suicide.

Turner was also president of the Bottling Company and it is alleged that he was a defaulter in the sum of $5,000 in his accounts and he met his victims by appointment to effect a settlement. A member of the law firm in whose offices the shooting occurred said that after the three had been in conference Turner said:

"Well, here's a check for $5,000."

With that he put his hand into his pocket, drew out a revolver and fired point blank at Mallard. Hamilton sprang on Turner and grappled with him but Turner succeeded in turning his revolver on him and killed him. Before any one could get into the room the murderer killed himself. Another account says that during the discussion that as the railway can be built and

REPRESENTATION AT OTTAWA WILL NOW BE LOWERED

Premier Ross, in an Interview Said That Ontario Cannot Afford to Go Back on the Principle of Representation by Population

Special to The Times.

Toronto, October 17—So long as Ontario is represented by Hon. G. W. Ross this province will not go back on the principle of representation by population. Such was the impression conveyed by the Premier when interviewed by a Star representative with a view to ascertaining the stand he would take at the conference of provincial premiers to be resumed shortly at Quebec.

The conference was called for the purpose of considering various differences between the provinces and the Federal Government. The first session was held at Ottawa, but little or no business of importance was transacted and the adjournment was made with a view to having a fuller representation.

Perhaps the most important matter to be discussed is the representation which the various provinces shall have in the House of Commons. As is well known by the Act of Confederation Quebec got 65 members and each of the other provinces such a number as will give the same proportion of representation to its population as the number 65 bears to the population of Quebec as shown by each decennial census. The figures, as they stand today, mean the cutting down of Ontario's representatives from 91 to 86 members. Nova Scotia will lose two representatives, while New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island will only lose one each. The only gains in the English provinces are in the west, Manitoba securing two additional members and British Columbia one.

This does not make up for the relative lead which Quebec will have for although her representation is stationary at 65, that of most of the other provinces will be reduced.

"We can't go back on 'Representation by population'" said Hon. Mr. Ross jocularly, "and after all it does not matter so much how many men you have, as it does what good men you elect. We have fought for this principle and it would be manifestly unfair and wrong to discredit it now, just because it is going against us for the time being. What we lose is made up to some extent by the increase in the west and aside from that it is only proper that the act of Confederation should be strictly adhered to in the interest of the Dominion."

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India Is Safe from Attacks Made by Russians

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Much Depression in Austria—Royal Money for Organ Grinder Russian Concessions from China

London, Oct. 18A despatch from Simla says that Viceroy Lord Curzon of Kedleston, in speaking at a farewell dinner to General Sir Arthur Power Palmer, the retiring commander-in-Chief in India, declared that General Palmer might look back upon an army almost entirely re-armed with modern, quick-firing guns supplied with a large number of additional officers, and equipped with a bona fide transport organization and a scientific system of frontier defence, almost immeasurably superior to that of a few years ago. The artillery, moreover, had been re-armed, and factories for the supply of war materials had been established in India. In General Palmer's successor, Lord Kitchener, the Viceroy said, he was sure the Indian army would find a commander who would continue the era of interrupted practical reform.

CONFIDENCE IN SHAMROCK III.

London, Oct. 18—Quite radical difference between Shamrock III. and her two predecessors will be found in the lines of the bow. The new challenger will not have the familiar blunt nose, but will be cut away much finer, with the idea of preventing her pounding when there is any sea. Among Sir Thomas Lipton's friends there is quite a feeling of confidence that Shamrock III. will do the trick. Already there is some show money to back this opinion, but long odds are demanded. A friend of Sir Thomas Lipton who ought to know what he is talking about, said the other day that the report that the new boat will be built entirely out of steel and at less cost than Shamrock II. is all bosh. There is practically no limit to the cost, while fully ten times the amount of aluminum in the old boat will enter into the construction of the new yacht.

ROYAL MONEY FOR ORGAN GRINDER.

London, Oct. 18—The Newmarket meeting, which ended today, has almost been a record as regards attendance and good racing. The King's presence each day attracted all the fashionable world of turf. An amusing incident which happened yesterday while the King was driving to the course gave the police who were watching his Majesty, quite an ugly start. As the Royal carriage passed along the avenue, an Italian organ-grinder who was playing in the street suddenly deserted his instrument and ran toward the vehicle, waving his hat. The carriage stopped, and the police rushed up with the thought of an attempted assassination, only to find the King laughing heartily at the bold mendicant. His Majesty told an equery to give the Italian, whose name was Arpino, two shillings and then drove on.

MUCH DEPRESSION IN AUSTRIA.

London, Oct. 18—Forecasts made both in Vienna and Budapesth, are very gloomy, says a correspondent in the Austrian capital. He thinks that the depression, which is not confined to Parliamentary circles, may not be altogether justified, but says that the opening of the Austrian and Hungarian Legislatures has certainly taken place under unfavorable auspices. There is a deadlock over the Ausgleich negotiations, and the prospect of a compromise between the two leading nationalities in Austria seems as remote as ever, while in Hungary there is a chronic economic crisis and consequent popular discontent. Furthermore, it is idle to deny that people of both halves of the Monarchy contemplate with increasing concern the contingencies which the advanced age of Emperor Francis Joseph forces on the public mind. It is not pleasant to think of what state the country would be in if it were not for the universal confidence in the Emperor.

RUSSIAN CONCESSIONS FROM CHINA.

London, Oct. 18—An Imperial edict has been issued says a Shanghai correspondent, sanctioning the raising of a loan of $6,000 in Paris for the construction of a railway from Chang Ting Foo to Tai Yuen Foo. The loan was negotiated by Sheng, Director of Railroads, through the Russian Bank, on conditions similar to those of the Lu Han contract. The memorial from the Chinese Foreign Office recommending the undertaking to the Throne describes the railway as a branch of the Lu Han road, whereas the expired agreement between the Russian Bank and the Pekin syndicate describes it as an independent main line. The ease and rapidity with which Russia obtains concessions from the Chinese Government are in marked contrast to the position of similiar British enterprise. It is a matter of comment among native officials that Sheng is able persistently to block the Pekin syndicate's right to develop its important concession by connecting the mines with the Yang-Tse River.

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SETTLERS FOR NEW ONTARIO

One of the conditions of the land grant to Mr. Clergue's railway was that 10,000 settlers should be located along the line of the Algoma Central within ten years. Mr. Clergue says now that he will have that number within five years. As fast as the railway can be built and the land surveyed, the settlers are going in. There has been some little delay in obtaining rails for the road, on account of the steel rail mill at the Sault being occupied in filling orders for other roads, but the general report is that the Sault industries are progressing satisfactorily. The farmers and market gardeners of Wentworth County, as well as the manufacturers of Hamilton will be pleased to hear this for a great many carloads of fruit and garden truck were shipped from Hamilton to the Sault last summer, and a market like that comes in very handy.

CHILDREN'S EYESIGHT

While the School Trustees are listening attentively to talk regarding the inefficiency of modern teachers and teaching, here are a few other points for incidental reflection. They refer to the schools of Big London, but may have a bearing in other lands. The London Mail notes the great increase in the number of spectacled persons in that city in recent years. Opticians affirm they are doing double the business they formerly did; the big eye hospitals of the metropolis have never treated so many patients as they do today. Prof. McHardy ophthalmic surgeon at King's College, Hospital, and Professor of Ophthalmology at King's College, spreads a warning to the parents in regard to this. He has spoken publicly on the dangers of the present methods of education in board schools, especially those in teaching the youngest children. "I believe," he said, "that the present kindergarten system is at the root of much of the injury caused to young children's eyes. I have closely studied this phase of the question, and am able to speak from experience. The continuous concentration of young eyes on colored papers and upon the small objects used in the infants' school room does, I am convinced, tend to provoke short sight in a few years.

This mischevious element can be detected not only in London, but in all large towns where young children are forced, quite unconsciously, to strain their eyes in one direction in a poor light. A little reading and a little sewing by children do no harm, but when the dose is in the slightest degree over-done, as I am convinced it is in many of our schools, then injury to vision takes place.

"Then," continued Prof. McHardy, "I ascribe much of the imperfect vision today to the slovenly posture in which people read and write, especially when they have not done growing. How often do you see passengers in railway trains crouching or curled up over a newspaper in a bad light? Not only are they injuring their vision, but their spines as well. I do not say that newspaper reading in itself is the cause for increasing bad sight. It is due, rather, to the distance the paper is held from the eyes, the poorness of the light and the stuffiness of the atmosphere.

"A paper or book should in ordinary cases be held about 18 inches from the eyes, and if artificial light is employed that should fall, not on the eyes, but on the paper, and of course over the left shoulder. I myself never read in a train, unless it is for the first few minutes of the journey to prevent people talking to me; after that I'm generally asleep."

—Mr. Andrew McNeil, a former resident of Peterborough, who has been living in New York, will again take up his residence in town. Mr. McNeil will be the representative of a Montreal firm in Ontario.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

Out of her 57,000,000 inhabitants Germany takes annually 540,000 for military service. Of these, however, many are exempt so that the net draft is 412,000. That is a big drag on industry, but in France it is greater. In that country of every 1,000 men, between 21 and 60 years, 58.4 are taken for military service in peace times. In war times the number in France is 171; in Germany 130.

London, Oct. 17.—What has struck public opinion in Paris, says a correspondent in that city, is that the Boer generals seem to have decided that in their speeches they will lay claim in one way or another to affinity in blood or language with nations they are visiting. In Paris they affirmed that they had French blood in their veins. In Berlin they will probably declare that they have ties uniting them with the Germans. The people of Paris are curious to hear what ties attach generals to the British nation, or what they will discover of that sort on revisiting England.

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stance do any harm. And somehow he found himself oddly drawn towards the young fellow. There was a certain fascination about his strong, virile personality, which was augmented by the knowledge that this was he whom F. E. Z. had known, perhaps loved. Yet Macaire was far from sure whether the magnetic attraction he experienced was nearer to hate or affection. He only knew that he felt it, and desired to have a master hand over this young man's fate.

"I didn't know who you were that night, sir," Hope Newcome said. "But I remembered your face."

The corners of Macaire's mouth went down in a bitter sneer.

"That's because of my fatal beauty," he retorted, harshly. "I seldom find myself forgotten—even by a pretty woman. But I have more important things to talk of than personalities, and my ideas concerning you are in no way changed by the fact that we have met before. You tell me you wanted to play the wrestler on the stage. It has occurred to me that you might like to do so in good earnest, since that is your forte. Surely you haven't wasted those muscles of yours all your life? And as surely you've had training?"

"Oh, yes, I trained both as a wrestler and boxer," Newcome answered; "but I never intended to use the arts professionally. It was at a Western university in America where I first began to take a great interest in sport. I was in rather a sporting set, and I took the fancy of an old prize-fighter resting on his laurels, who lived in the town. He and a pal of his taught me everything I know, and they seemed to think me a decent sort of pupil.

"Then, a year before I finished my college course, family affairs took me away from home. I lived a very different sort of life after that, but I didn't forget what I'd learnt from Foxy O'Sullivan and his mate. I had a chance at a wrestling match with a big man among the amateurs—champion he was then, and I got the belt from him. Two or three matches I had afterwards, but I kept the belt."

"Are you any good with the gloves, or don't you go in for anything but wrestling?" asked Macaire, his eyes dwelling with a queer, jealous, grudging admiration on the other's splendid shoulders, his arms, his wrists—visible under shabby sleeves too short for him—his strong brown hands that had done damage to-day.

"Oh, wrestling's been my specialty, but I believe I'm not a bad boxer," Newcome answered, with modest confidence in his own powers. "I think I could hold my own with most amateurs, though I'm a bit out of training."

"How would you like to go into training again, if you stood to make your fortune, eh?"

Newcome's dark eyes flashed. "I'd do anything that would keep me in England, and among the sort of men I must be among, if I'm to do what I came a good many thousand miles to do. And as for a fortune—well, I've got more than one use for money just now."

As he finished his face changed. No longer open, it became reserved. Though at first sight he seemed to have been exceedingly outspoken, even confidential, about his past and his present circumstances, after all he had told practically nothing; and despite his boyish frankness at times he looked like a man who could keep his own counsel, a man who would be strong enough, dogged enough to die for the keeping of a secret if need arose.

Macaire, however, did not now make these reflections regarding his companion's character. He thought of him as a connecting link with the past, through F. E. Z. (concerning whom he meant cautiously to put questions in time to come), and as a magnificent young animal to be trained for his uses, rather than as a thinking, feeling man with ambitions and hopes of his own. The millionaire was accustomed to make puppets of others who were handicapped in life's race by the lack of what he possessed in abundance; and one of his most extravagantly eccentric ideas was taking form in his brain for the future of his present companion.

By this time dinner was well under way. Here and there they had paused in their conversation for one course to go and another to come, lest the subject should prove too interesting for a waiter's ears; and they had now passed by oysters, soup, and filleted sole.

"Very well, then," Macaire commented on the other's answer. "Then you're the man for me. And I rather think I'm the man for you, too. I'm rich—I suppose you've heard that of me, haven't you?"

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"Thank you," said Newcome. "If I saw that I could earn the money, I don't deny that it would be a convenience."

"Good. There's just one thing, then, before I put my proposition and try to see if you and I can come to terms. Will you give me your word, if you accept, that the arrangement between us shall be entirely confidential—entirely, mind you? I haven't asked you to confide in me, and I don't know whether you're alone in England or whether you're with friends or relatives, male or female. But when I say that I want our transactions to be private, between ourselves, I don't except such relatives or friends."

"I understand you, sir. And if I accept it shall be as you say. I give you my word."

CHAPTER XX.

The Rest of the Bargain.

"How soon could you get into training for the biggest fight you ever had?" asked Macaire. "That is, everything being favorable."

"I could be ready in a fortnight, I'm sure," Newcome answered, after an instant's thought. "I haven't much superfluous flesh to work off, and I always go in for a certain amount of exercise every day, with the exception of a few when I slept on a seat on the Victoria Embankment. Without exercising each morning I feel as lost,

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 20, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

The Parks' Fund

The Times begs to acknowledge the receipt of one dollar from Mr. Wm. Trewcum, Galway, in aid of the Parks' fund. This makes a total of $56 subscribed at The Times office to date.

Some Fine Trout

The thanks of the editor of this great family journal are due to Mr. J. M. Brooks for a couple of mountain trout, caught in Ketchecum Lake. He brought down with him a dozen or more of these speckled beauties. A trout caught by one of the Salmon Hunting Club weighed 14 pounds and measured 32 inches in length and 17 inches around. This, we believe beats the record.

The Band Concert

Norwood Register:—The concert on fair night under the auspices of the Fifty-Seventh Regimental Band, Peterboro was a splendid success, and proved to be a rare musical treat. This band is composed of forty members, all of whom are fine musicians. The programme was lengthy and very interesting, one item of which, "Reminiscences of Scotland," was especially enjoyed by the audience. In "The Hunting Scene," the description of the chase was so vivid one could almost see the foxes. A very large number were present, the receipts being $121.00.

Drunkenness in Keene

Mr. Samuel English, of Keene, called on The Times on Saturday regarding the item which appeared under Keene news recently, stating that there was considerable drinking done in the village on Sunday. Mr. English keeps one of the two hotels there, and states that he never sells or allows liquor to be sold on his premises either on Sunday or during prohibited hours on week days. He believes that the other hotel is equally strict. The hotel keepers of Keene rather pride themselves on the observance of the law. Any liquor that is consumed in Keene on Sunday is certainly not purchased in the village.

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The Brownie basketball team of the Y.M.C.A. defeated Hamilton on Saturday night.

FROM KETCHECUM LAKE

Hunting and Fishing Party Returned from the North

Messrs. J. M. Brooks, R. B. McKee, H. Le Brun, A. H. Stratton, John Crane D. Davidson and J. D. Collins returned on Friday night from Ketchecum Lake, where they spent a week trout fishing and hunting. There are two hunting clubs with cottages on this beautiful sheet of water—the Ketchecum Hunt Club and the Salmon Hunt Club. The first mentioned club christened their cottage on Thanksgiving Day, naming it "Win-Ketch,"—the first syllable after Mr. Harry Winch, the popular and jolly chief, and the last after the lake. The christening ceremonies were performed in the presence of large numbers of both clubs, Capt. Harry Winch, making a speech fully 37 feet long, after which the party partook of refreshments, during which speeches and songs were liberally indulged in. Mr. LeBrun gave the Marseillese in his inimitable style and with several different accents. During the week's outing about 150 mountain trout were caught, and any quantity of partridges were shot.

LITTLE LOCALLINES

—Hallowe'en is approaching.

—Saturday's inside market was well attended.

—The Ottawa Rough Riders defeated the Argonauts on Saturday by a score of 5 to 3.

—The Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's will hold their regularly monthly meeting on Monday at 3.30 o'clock.

—The Times jobbing department recently purchased a new dress of heading type for the daily. The type is imported from Scotland.

—Yesterday was observed in the Anglican Communion throughout the world by special intercession on behalf of Sunday school work.

—St. Andrew's W. F. M. Auxiliary will hold an at home in connection with their work to-morrow afternoon between 3 and 6 o'clock when the Thank offering will be made.

—The postponed annual meeting of the Fortnightly Club will be held at 8 p.m. to-morrow evening in the Y.M.C.A. parlors. It is desired that this club should be organized as soon as possible, as a very successful season is anticipated.

—Messrs. G. W. Lorrimer and N. D. Neill, of Brantford returned from Pigeon Lake, where they had been duck shooting for a week, having bagged 56 ducks and ten partridges.

—Rev. T. W. Goodwill, M.A., graduate of Queen's University preached the annual Thanksgiving service in St. Andrew's Church yesterday morning under the Auspices of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Auxiliary.

—Mr. R. H. Henderson has returned from Barrie, where he spent Thanksgiving. While there he was presented with the coronation medal which was his due as a representative of the 35th Regiment, "Simcoe Foresters," at the crowning of the King.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Jim Scobell, of town, is visiting his parents in Bowmanville.

—Miss Lila Meharry is visiting friends in Bowmanville.

—Miss McNeely, of Toronto, is visiting friends in town.

—Mr Roland Johnston is in Montreal, buying goods for his store in Lakefield

—Mr. Joe Marks, of the Marks Bros'. Comedy Co., was in town Saturday.

—Mr. Rowe, of Havelock, visited friends in town Saturday and Sunday.

—Mr. Thos. Campbell, of Campbellford, was in town Saturday and Sunday.

—Miss A. Cremie has returned from spending a few days with her sister in Toronto.

—Mrs. (Dr) Brown has returned after an extended visit in Winnipeg, Brandon, Nipawa and other points in Manitoba.

—Mrs. James Dolan has returned from Chicago, where she has spent the last three weeks the guest of her sons

—Mr. Chil Turner and wife (nee Miss Yenny) have returned from their wedding tour, and will take up their residence in Ashburnham.

EDUCATIONAL BILL

Much Heated Discussion About the Supposed Sectarian Tendencies of the Educational Bill

London, Oct. 19.—There has been so much heated discussion about the supposed sectarian tendencies of the Education Bill that the public have lost sight of its provisions. Parliament, at its adjournment, had reached, and passed, the seventh clause. It may be well to recall what the Bill really does.

London will be dealt with after the passing of the present Bill, but throughout the country the school boards disappear, and the county council of every county and every county borough becomes instead of them the local education authority levying the necessary rates.

Elementary education must be provided by these local authorities, the optional clause—the 11th—having been struck out of the measure.

With the concurrence of the board of education, they may also aid schools and colleges giving higher or secondary education, and may, where necessary, erect new institutions.

The cost of such higher education is to be borne by the "Whiskey and Beer Money" granted from the imperial revenue for technical education, and, if required, a rate of 2d. in the £1 may be levied. The consent of the local government board must be obtained for any higher rate.

Training for teachers will also be provided by the county councils, according to the needs of the locality.

In a district where there is already a residential church training college, Nonconformist teachers will be received, if they are prepared to accept the ordinary secular preparation, hostels being added to the establishment for their accommodation.

In these higher schools or colleges so aided the Council cannot require that any particular religious teaching "shall not be taught," and no pupil can be excluded on the ground of religious belief.

Day or evening scholars cannot be required "to attend or abstain from attending" any "Sunday school, place of religious worship, religious observance, or instruction in religious subjects."

Clause seven deals with the management of schools. There is no controversy as to the management of the ordinary elementary school, which will be governed by a body of six, four members to be appointed by the council of the county, and two by the council of the locality in which the school is situated.

It is around the church schools that the battle is fought. They have been built and equipped by voluntary effort, ation, and thus earning grants upon accepting public inspection and examination, children who pass the required standards.

Voluntary school buildings are kept up by their founders, the whole cost of the secular education being borne under the Bill by the rates.

No payment is to be made out of the rates in respect of religious instruction given the denominal schools.

Mr. Balfour proposed that there shall be four foundation managers of a church school to two other managers in a governing body of six. From that proportion he would not flinch, and he was supported by 220 votes to 98.

The House would go no further, and the right hon. gentleman has reserved the proposed machinery ofr electing these managers for consideration at the resumed sittings of the House.

The Prime Minister was warned that by adhering so absolutely to this proportion of the voluntary schools he was imperiling their future, to which he had made the obvious reply that if that were so he could not understand the anxiety for compromise on the part of those who sought to deprive these schools of their denominal character.

Altogether there are twenty clauses. In point of magnitude they are but a drop as compared with the sea of amendments which have been proposed. The whole principle of the measure must come up again on the constitution of the electorate, who are to appoint the governing body of the voluntary schools.

Half and Half.

The dyspeptic may well be represented pictorially as being half masculine and half feminine, and combining the least desirable characteristics of either sex. He has all the stubbornness of the man with the peevish irritability of a sick woman. He's not pleasant company at home or abroad.

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ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

Kingston, Ont., October 19—The board of trustees of Queen's College have not yet selected a principal. A meeting will be held next month when it will be decided to formally offer the principalship to Rev. Mr. Patterson, of Aberdeen. He was recommended by Rev. Dr. Hill, of Montreal.

New York, Oct. 17.—An announcement has been made that a marriage has been arranged between Earl Rosslyn and Miss Beatrice Simpson, who is known on the stage as Beatrice Irwin. Both are members of an organization which is playing, "There's Many a Slip," at Garrick Theatre. Lord Rosslyn is known to New York theatre-goers as James Erskine. They were introduced as members of the same company six weeks ago. It was love at first sight, as the Earl says, and although Miss Simpson was prepared, as she confesses to dislike him, she did not, and the English peer declares that in consequence, he is the happiest man alive. No date has yet been set by Miss Simpson ofr her marriage, but it is likely that it will take place early next year.

The wedding will take place at Rosslyn Chapel, on the Earl's estate. Lord and Lady Rosslyn will establish their home at Rosebank, Scotland. The Earl said that neither Miss Simpson nor he intended to leave the stage, as he had determined to devote his life to a theatrical career. Miss Simpson is the daughter of the late Rev. Wm. Simpson, who was one of Queen Victoria's chaplains in India, and she is the granddaughter of Lady Hall, widow of Sir John Hall, K.C.B. Her mother is still living, although most of her childhood was spent with Lady Hall. Her family is one of the best in Scotland. Miss Simpson, who is 21 years old, made her debut on the stage four years ago as a member of the companies of Sir Henry Irving and Sir. Chas. Wyndham. Her talent was recognized and she was rapidly advanced. In the play which is now at the Garrick, Miss Simpson is ingenue, and there is no scene between her and the Earl. In "His Excellency the Governor," which is to be revived next week at the Garrick Theatre, is a love scene, in which they will appear, love scene, in which they will appear, which is one of the most effective scenes in the play. Miss Simpson enacted the same role in this play when she went with a company to South Africa.

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Much more can be said than I have told you. I am expressing what I know after an experience of five years on Long Island, having invested in five thousand acres at Bay Shore and Moriches, which I have subdivided into building lots, water fronts, and acre plots which have been quickly sold and turned into 6 per cent. paying contracts, payable to me in monthly payments covering a period of four to six years. The proofs are my ledgers, which will verify every statement, which I have made here. I WILL ENUMERATE A FEW OF MY INVESTMENTS FROM MY LONG LIST OF PURCHASES, WHICH PROVE I HAVE MADE FROM 100 TO 1,000 PER CENT ON THE INVESTMENT.

I quote only ten particular bargains which my office sales look and ledgers show:

AT CENTRE MORICHES

Terry Estate	225 acres	cost $2,000	sold for $30,000
Rader Estate	21 acres	cost $4,500	sold for $18,000
Linington Estate	100 acres	cost $1,400	sold for $12,000
Weeks Estate	1,100 acres	cost $11,000	sold for $50,000
Roberts Estate	150 acres	cost $1,200	sold for $10,000

AT BAY SHORE

Smith Estate	55 acres	cost $8,000	sold for $55,000
Jacob Estate	114 acres	cost $4,000	sold for $18,000
Klock Estate	6 acres	cost $2,000	sold for $12,000
Weeks Estate	9 acres	cost $2,700	sold for $12,000
Wright Estate	50 acres	cost $2,000	sold for $18,000

These are but a few of the money makers which I have bought and sold on Long Island within the last five years, WHERE MY PROFIT HAS BEEN OVER $250,000 ALONE, though operated and handled only by a limited capital, and every investment a money maker. Therefore, my reputation and record are positively known by my actual experience, not on paper or what might be, but because I possess a better knowledge of the value of real estate in the suburban property on Long Island than any man in Greater New York. I have the machinery and facilities and also the method to sell quickly, reaping large profits, and every dollar invested through this company I believe is positively sure and without question destined to bring a handsome profit to anyone who becomes a shareholder.

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This Company will sell only one-fifth of the stock at par value at $5 per share, and offer

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Believe me or not, this stock will positively be sold within one week. Every buyer will have an interest in $300,000 worth of real estate and $700,000 in contracts, now bearing six per cent interest. So you can see this is not a new business hoping to make money, with inexperienced and incapable men behind it, but a money-making institution already in existence, making from $60,000 to $100,000 a year, and behind all this is a man of reputation that is beyond reproach for honesty and fair dealings, known everywhere as an indulgent, ambitious and persistent home maker for the rent payer and wage earner of New York and elsewhere. Twenty-seven thousand people will verify this, who have bought through his office and have known him for twelve years as New York's greatest real estate suburban operator.

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Real Estate Companies have been organized in New York City for real estate only, where millions have been made in a short space of time. I quote the Central Realty & Bond Company's stock with a par value of $100, for which $675 a share has been refused; the New York Realty Corporation, par value of $100, for which $300 a share has been refused; the Alliance Realty Company, par value $100, for which $150 has been refused, and the Fuller Realty Company, par value $50, for which $115 has been refused. All of these companies are only a few years in existence.

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40	"	200,	"	20	"	20	"
50	"	250,	"	25	"	25	"
100	"	500,	"	50	"	40	"
200	"	1,000,	"	100	"	65	"

ON THESE TERMS

Upon the full payment a Certificate of Stock will be issued and dividends to commence from date of Certificate, but bear in mind, every share of stock to participate in the profits of the Company from date of first monthly payment.

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CARRIE WAS BOUNCED

On Mrs. Nation's Refusal to Leave a Saloon She Was Put Out

Austin, Texas, Oct. 20.—Mrs Carrie Nation arrived here yesterday and attempted to take charge of a saloon on Fifth street and Congress avenue, and landed in the gutter as a result.

Alderman Bill Davis owns the place. "I am sorry, Carrie," replied Davis, when Mrs. Nation made herself known, "but it makes no difference who you are, one of us has got to go out."

Mr. Davis stepped from behind the bar and upon Mrs. Nation's second refusal to vacate, he caught her by the back of the neck and one arm and threw her bodily into the street.

TO THE NORTH SHORE

The Gold Lake Party to Change Their Route This Year

The Gold Lake Hunt Club, who have a commodious lodge at Gold Lake, have decided this year to go to the North Shore. The only members who are not taking in the far off hunting grounds are Messrs. Wm. Snowden and T. E. Boddy. These gentlemen will depart in a few days for Gold Lake. Mr. Snowden, who has long held the position of President of the Club, is determined not to forego the Gold Lake trip. He has called a meeting of the remainder of the club for this evening. As a matter of precaution he warned Mr. Boddy to be careful how he voted at the meeting, as he might cause a deadlock, seeing that there were only two members left.

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OVER FOUR HUNDRED MILLIONS OF CHINESE

The Flowery Kingdom Contains Nearly Half a Billion of Human Beings

DENSITY OF POPULATION RAPIDLY INCREASING

Every Square Foot of Land in the Country is Required to Raise Food—The Terraced Mountain.

Pekin, Oct. 21.—The Chinese Government has made a recensus of the population of China proper, according to which the inhabitants number about 426,000,000 souls. There are reasons for believing that this figure may be approximately correct. The figures for China's population usually printed have been those of Chinese census modified by writers on China whose opinions are regarded as worth considering. Faith in the Chinese figures has fluctuated; at times they have been accepted for years and then rejected on account of the increasing number of writers who disputed their accuracy.

In recent years more credence has been given to the Chinese statistics of population. Two years ago, Mr. E. M. Kohler, a German geographer well acquainted with various parts of China, expressed the view that though the methods of the Chinese census are inexact, they are more trustworthy than the estimates of foreigners who know only a small part of the country. He gave excellent reasons for assuming that 380,000,000, the Chinese figure of 1882, was approximately accurate; and this has been generally accepted by statisticians for the population of the country twenty years ago. The present enumeration is only 13,000,000 more than the Chinese figure for 1842.

The people of the western world have little idea of the density of population produced by crowding 426,000,000 people into China proper. That region is less than half as large as the United States without Alaska; and yet, if the present figures are accepted, there are about as many people in the nineteen provinces as in the whole of Europe and nearly six times as many as there are in the United States. An idea of the density of population on the plains of China, where the people live most thickly together, may be had by stating if the whole population of the United States and 40,000,000 more were crowded into the Province of Ontario, the density of population would be about equal to that of the Yangste Valley and of the plain extending north and south between the lower and upper courses of the Yangste and the Hoang Rivers.

No wonder the Chinese are compelled to terrace and till their mountain slopes even to a height of 8,000 feet; and that every square foot of land that can be made to raise food is kept in constant service and at the highest point of fertility. In his book, "Through Hidden Shensi," Mr. Nihcols gives a graphic picture of those terraced mountains which he saw everywhere in the northern provinces west of the plains of Chihli. He found the rugged beauty of the mountains obscured by the terraces that cover them from base to summit. These terraces are kept in place by stone walls about four feet high, extending along the mountain slopes. Every inch of ground between the mountain side and the edge of the walls is under cultivation usually with wheat or some other varieto of grain.

MINERS HAVE ACCEPTED THE COAL COMPROMISE

The Big Convention at Wilkesbarre Decides to Ratify the Agreement

JOHN MITCHELL FAVOURS THE SETTLEMENT

Mines to be Re-Opened at Once—No Malice Borne to Operators—Plenty of Coal in a Few Days

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 20.—At the convention of miners called by Mr. John Mitchell, it was agreed to ratify the agreement entered into regarding the coal strike. There were about seven hundred delegates from the United Mine Workers of America, in the hard coal mining districts of Pennsylvania present. The convention was called by President Mitchell, under the rules of the union, and it is to vote on the plan which he laid before it, and explained fully in a lengthy address.

Previous to the assemblage of the convention there were busy scenes at strike headquarters in the Hart Hotel, from which the miner's battle has been directed since the strike was called 162 days ago. Before eight o'clock the miner delegates, the majority of whom arrived on the early morning trains, began to gather there. President Mitchell was the center of interest, and until he left for the convention hall was always surrounded by his lieutenants and others.

Mitchell's Address.

The address of President Mitchell, was as follows:

Gentlemen,—In opening this convention for the transaction of business, I take pleasure in extending a warm greeting and welcome to the accredited representatives of the 150,000 men and boys whose heroic struggle for living wages and American conditions of employment has won the admiration of the whole civilized world. Language is inadequate to express the sense of pride I feel in you and those you represent. Your noble defence of the principle of unionism endears you to every man and every woman in our land who works for a livelihood. When the history of the struggles of toilers shall be written its pages will record no event more important, no principle more ably defended, no battle more bravely fought, than the contest which I earnestly hope is now about to be happily ended.

It is not my purpose to review the progress of the strike or even to enumerate the important events which have now passed into history. Imprinted indelibly upon the hearts of our people are the memories of the sufferings and hardships which have been and are being endured. For five long months the eyes of the nation have been centered upon your actions, and it is a pleasure to say that the great heart of the American people throbbed in

Sympathy With You.

It is, of course, a source of deep regret that the millions of underpaid workmen in our great cities should be the most acute sufferers by reason of this contest between ourselves and our employers. But, strange as it may appear, hundreds upon hundreds of those who suffered most from lack of fuel sent words of commendation and encouragement to us, and in many cases, declared that they would endure any privation in order that the miners and their families might secure a sufficient wage to enable them to enjoy a little happiness and sunshine instead of the gloom and sadness which has been their lot for many years.

The debt of gratitude we owe our fellow workers in this and other lands, the debt of gratitude we owe a generous public and a friendly press, who have supported and sustained us during this memorable strike, can never be adequately repaid.

No Feeling of Malice.

For our opponents we entertain no feeling of malice. While they have maligned our characters, impugned our methods, and sought the victory by methods which we would scorn to use, yet on this day, when we secure an avenue of redress, on this day when the realization of our hopes and ambitions seems near, when the prospect of a brighter and happier future seems assured, we should hold out to them the hand of friendship and ask them to join us in providing for such business relations as shall for all time establish peace and tranquility in the coal fields.

The day is past when great organizations of capital can maintain the false position that their employee shall be denied the right to organize into compact bodies and speak through the organization of which they are members. We recognize the right of capital to consolidate, to federate, and to speak and act through its organization, but in according these rights and privileges to capital, we demand and shall assert the same privileges for those who toil. Between the combination of capital on the one hand and the organization of labor on the other there should be and need be no irreconcilable conflict; each is a factor in the economic development of business judgment and.

Plain Common Sense.

by each would enable them to work in harmony. While the interests of labor and capital are not by any means identical, they are, nevertheless, reciprocal; each is dependent upon the other, and under our form of government, one cannot prosper without the other. Abraham Lincoln truly said that "capital is the fruit of labor, and could not exist if labor had not first existed; labor, therefore, deserves the first consideration." That this fundamental principle will be recognized by the tribunal selected by the President of the United States I have no reason to doubt.

The grave question which you have been called upon to consider today, demands and must receive your most careful thought. Personally I should have preferred an adjustment of the difficulties existing in the anthracite field by conference with the anthracite mine owners and without the intervention of agencies not directly involved, but I recognize the fact that relations between ourselves and the mine operators have become so strained as to render direct negotiation at this time impossible. If the consequences of this strike affected only the interests of the operators and mine workers there would be less reason for the intervention of a third party, but the fact that a coal famine was upon the people of the eastern and seaboard States and threatened to become

A National Calamity,

justifies the action of the Chief Executive of our nation in his earnest efforts to bring about an early resumption of mining.

The proposition submitted for your consideration may have objectionable features, and its details may not meet with the unanimous approval of our people, but it is immeasurably better as now presented than when originally offered by the representatives of the coal corporations. I am firm in my conviction that the prompt acceptance of this proposal will secure to the anthracite mine workers and those dependent upon them a greater measure of justice than they could attain by continuing the conflict; I believe that the prompt acceptance of the proposition will secure to the mine workers a greater degree of justice than they have enjoyed in the past.

The people of our country await with anxious expectancy the result of your action today, the eyes of the nation are centered upon you, and friends and foes alike demand the submission of issues involved in this strike to the tribunal nominated by the President of the United States. That there are discordant elements in this convention, that there are dissatisfied ones at home, I am fully aware, but, gentlemen, with all the earnestness of which I am possessed, I urge that you give your approval to the action of your executive officers, who have recommended acceptance of the proposition that the strike be declared off, and all men are then to return to work in the position and working places occupied by them prior to the inauguration of the strike, and that all questions at issue be submitted for adjustment to the tribunal selected by the President of the United States.

WOMAN'S WEALTH IS HEALTH

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It is maintained by many writers that the greatness of a nation depends much upon the physical condition of its women. The general conditions which contribute to health and long life, as those which do not imply a rapid and unequal exhaustion of those powers by which life is maintained. While we assert that the women of our land stand peerless for beauty and the virtues that make them lovable, we cannot hide the fact that there are thousands in our midst, who, owing to overwork, worry, household cares, and an unequal exhaustion of life-power, have become weak, nervous, sleepless and debilitated.

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For two years I was in a miserable state of health, and so nervous that sleep went from me. In my anxious condition it was no pleasure to live. After use of Paine's Celery Compound for ten days I found myself very much improved, and I was enjoying rest and sleep. I have since taken Paine's Celery Compound from time to time, and find that it keeps me well and strong. I recommend Paine's Celery Compound at every opportunity."

MR. TARTE LIKELY TO LEAVE THE MINISTRY

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Had Two Interviews with the Minister

THEN SAW GOVERNOR GENERAL

The Cabinet Council Was Summoned to Meet This Afternoon

Ottawa, Oct. 20.—"What is Sir Wilfrid going to do with Tarte?" That is the question on everyone's lips since the Premier has returned.

No official announcement is yet forthcoming on this topic. The Minister of Public Works asked for a meeting with his leader, and has seen him twice, but neither will speak as to what transpired.

Sir Wilfrid was at his office bright and early this morning, looking much rested since his arrival Saturday. He saw your correspondent, and smilingly remarked: "You see, I an down to business already. Yes, I am feeling well and ready for duty."

He politely declined, however, to say a word for publication with regard to what course he will pursue in the Tarte matter.

Is Tarte to Go Out?

The impression is very general that the Minister of Public Works is going out, but neither of the two principals in the matter will express a sylabble as to the action to be taken. Mr. Tarte's remark to your correspondent that the Quebec Mercury, purchased for his younger son, is to be conducted as a Liberal Journal but on protectionist lines, is most significant.

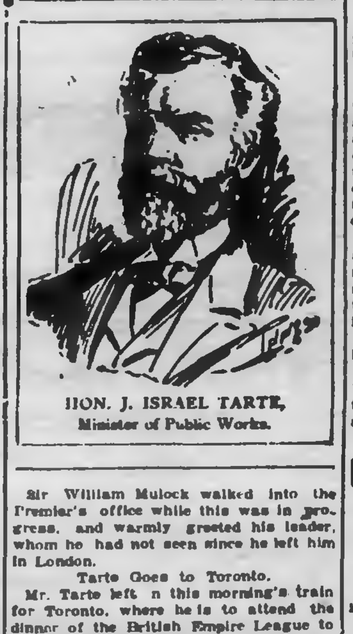
Liberals say that Mr. Tarte cannot remain in the Cabinet if he is to champion the Conservative tariff policy, that the constitutional Government must be maintained. He must either recant or withdraw.

The Premier went down to Government House shortly before noon today to see his Excellency and a Cabinet Council will be held this afternoon.

But the public must surmise for itself as to the purpose of these metings

Laurier's Meeting With Tarte.

Hon. J. I. Tarte desired an interview with his chief, Sir Wilfrid, yesterday afternoon, and was ready to go down to the Premier's residence to see him, but as there was company there, the Prime Minister instead waited upon his colleague to learn what he had to say. other interview with Sir Wilfrid this forenoon, before leaving for Toronto.



HON. J. ISRAEL TARTE,
Minister of Public Works.

Sir William Mulock walked into the Premier's office while this was in progress, and warmly greeted his leader, whom he had not seen since he left him in London.

Tarte Goes to Toronto.

Mr. Tarte left on this morning's train for Toronto, where he is to attend the dinner of the British Empire League to Col. Denison. He was seen by your correspondent before leaving, and asked if he had anything to say for publication with regard to his future plans His reply was: "No; nothing at present, more than that I will reply to a toast at the dinner in Toronto tonight to Col. Denison."

"Is it true," was asked, "that you are leaving the Administration?"

"That," he returned, "is a subject on which my lips are sealed. It is for Sir Wilfrid to say."

In a reply to a question, the Minister of Public Works confirmed the report of the purchase of the Quebec Mercury.

"You know," he added, "we are a family of newspaper men. My younger son will have charge of this property, and will control it as a Liberal paper, but on protectionist lines."

INDIAN TROOPS TO BE SENT TO SOMALILAND

London, Oct. 20—The British Government is considering the expediency of despatching Indian troops to Somaliland to deal with the Mad Mullah.

The British Vice-Consul at Berbera, Somaliland is cabling to the Foreign Office the substance of a later despatch which he received from Colonel Swayne, commander of the British force operating against the Mad Mullah referring to the Mullah being in communication with "Kal! Inger" in the direction of the Webbe River. He apparently meant "Karl Inger" the former officer of the Austrian-Hungarian army who has several times been mentioned in connection with the Mullah's movements in Somaliland. Inger is also said to have caused the British authorities trouble in the Soudan some years ago.

Gen. W. H. Manning started from London for Somaliland some days ago, in consequence of bad news from there, and will hasten the despatch of reinforcements from Berbera.

Washington, Oct. 20—Varying stories come from Venezuela about the fighting. All agree that the Government forces and the revolutionists have been engaged in a seven days' battle, and that the latter have retired.

President Castro claims a sweeping victory for the Government forces, with 3,000 dead and wounded among the revolutionists.

Other reports say the battle ended without decisive results. One revolutionist says the rebels only abandoned the fight after being convinced that La Victoria was impregnable and after President Castro had refused to come out and attack the revolutionists outside La Victoria. He adds that the rebels suffered losses, but the Government did also. President Castro's forces are reduced to 2,100 men—from 6,000,— while Gen. Matos still has 9,000—formerly 11,000—in the field. It was not a route, but a methodical retreat.

Another story says that during the last days of the fighting the temperature rose to 116 degrees, and a visitor to the scene of the engagement declares he never saw such a terrible spectacle as was presented by the battlefield The victory of the Government troops, which is said to be due to the personal courage of President Castro, who twice, with a Mauser rifle in his hand charged at the head of his soldiers, is considered a serious setback for the cause of the revolutionists.

RAILWAY BLOCKED WITH GOODS.

London, Oct. 20— A despatch to The Times from Odessa says that sidings are blocked with goods below Kieff, owing to the incompetency of the Southwestern Railway. Hundreds of tons of valuable fruit have been sold for next to nothing, and at various sidings the cattle and swine are feeding on produce intended for market. The poor peasants will in the long run have to bear a considerable share of the heavy loss.

DOUKS' CRUSADE NOT A SUCCESS

Fanatics Start Out on a March on a Proselytizing Mission

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 20—A despatch from Yorkton says: "Fanatical Doukhobors have commenced a crusade that will recall the history of the middle ages. To the number of five hundred they are marching east and south on a proselytizing mission. At present they are stirring up the less devout of their own creed in villages located in this district. That done, they intend to march on Yorkton and Winnipeg, and later on they will extend their work through all Canada and the United States.

The missionary work was commenced at Devil's Lake and was not particularly successful. Some of the worldly followers of Tolstoi threatened to throw their fanatical brethren into the lake if they persisted in hanging around the village propogating the turning loose of horses and cattle.

Some of the Doukhobors have already become so assimilated with Canadians that they are making homestead entries at the land office here.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

Anton Belaw of Hamilton passed away Sunday, aged 79 years.

John Begg one of the oldest residents of St. Thomas died on Saturday.

A. C. Woodman has been appointed police magistrate of Drayton without salary.

Jacob Webb, M.D., of the village of Steelton, has been appointed associate coroner for Algoma District.

The price of civic coal in Hamilton was on Saturday reduced to $8 a ton, with 150 tons on the sidings.

Claud Clare, a 15-year-old Preston lad was killed by an electric railway car on Saturday, while playing around it.

The body of Arthur H. Braden., who was killed at Winnipeg, on October 2, was interred at Barrie on Saturday.

Peter Arpin of Ottawa, a 14-year old lad, was shot in the chest by a comrade on Sunday and is in a serious condition.

George C. Young, the London contractor who was so seriously injured by falling from a building on Friday, is much improved.

The Attorney-General has removed Police Magistrate James Clark of Hastings County, and has put in his stead Samuel Haryett of Bancroft.

Mr. Hugh Turnbull, farmer and well-known Waterloo County horseman, died suddenly of heart failure at his residence, near Preston, Ont.

At the Simcoe Bee Keepers' Association annual meeting it was suggested that in future producers should sell direct to wholesalers and ignore middlemen.

By means of cheques with forged signatures, a slick swindler operated in Stratford on Wednesday to a considerable extent and the frauds were not discovered until Friday.

In a dense fog near New Hamburg on Sunday night a tail-end collision took place between two Grand Trunk freight trains. Engineer M. Moore, of Sarnia, jumped and was killed.

Mr. William C. Calvert, who has been acting as agent for a Toronto specialty company has been arrested in Hamilton at the instance of Port Huron authorities, who want him on a charge of larceny.

ALGERIAN-MOROCCAN FRONTIER

London, Oct. 22—A correspondent at P says that the Algerian-Morroccan frontier question has been satisfactorily settled, the frontier having been agreed upon. The Moroccan and French Governments also promise mutual assistance in preventing smuggling and in collecting import and export duties. France gets the disputed districts she already occupies, but the Sultan refused to entertain the French proposal for preferential import and export duties at frontier posts, considering that to grant them would be contrary to existing treaties.

FRANK SLAYTON'S NEW PLAY.

London, Oct. 20—The reception given to Mr. Frank Slayton's new play, "Mrs. Willoughby's Kiss," produced by Mr. Frank Curzon at Avenue Theatre Saturday night, says the Daily Telegraph was mainly favorable. There is no hesitation in saying that "Mrs. Willoughby's kiss, crude and imperfect as it is is in many ways, contains much good material. It is at least the work of a writer with ideas, although he still lacks skill to put these in acceptable shape. But the whole think leaves one discontented and unconvinced. The pity of it all is that "Mrs. Willoughby's Kiss" comes perilously near to being a good play If it fails to satisfy, however, it affords a genuine and ample reason for believing that Mr. Slayton will yet achieve something of real value as a playwright.

Chicago, Oct. 18—An injunction was granted by Judge Abner Smith to the congregation of the Olivet Baptist Church —colored —restraining the formmer pastor, J. F. Thomas, from entering the church at Dearborn and Twenty-seventh streets, or attempting to conduct services under the name of that church.

The restraining order which is the latest development in a long series of litigations over the church, was also made to apply to certain members of the congregation who are said to have aided with Mr. Thomas' alleged attempts to remain pastor of the church in spite of the fact that he was discharged by the board of trus-

Sensational charges are made by the trustees in the petition. They accuse Thomas not only of mismanagement, which has lost to the church property worth $46,000 and placed it in debt to the amount of $25,000, but also of attempting to fleece the church and its members.

London, October 20—The Transvaal Education Department, says a correspondent at Pretoria, has to cope with the problem of providing schools for a large number of children living on the farms at a distance from towns and villages. No final plan has as yet been adopted but it has been found possible to start five farm schools in the Transvaal, groups of farms having guaranteed from twenty to thirty pupils for each school. Two teachers are sent to the farm indicated as the most suitable for holding school, taking with them marquee, furniture, rations, etc. In cases where it is impossible to collect more than a dozen children, some system of pupil teachers will have to be introduced

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"For the old folks, I believe that Malt Breakfast Food is the most satisfactory thing on the market to-day for weak or tired stomachs, and for that jaded feeling that occasionally is ours at breakfast time."

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WHAT WE GET FROM THE STATES

A bulletin has just been issued by the Department of Agriculture at Washington, which contains abundant food for reflection on the part of those who are denouncing that agitation for more adequate protection of the Canadian market against the products of a country whose tariff is so much higher than Canada's, says an Ottawa despatch. It is interesting, too, when read in connection with the cabled announcement that a movement is on foot in England to place Canadian produce on the British market in greater quantities. The bulletin, which is entitled, "The distribution of agricultural products of the United States in 1901," says: "Of the $952,000,000 worth of farm products shipped from the United States during the fiscal year 1901, more than half was disposed of in the British market. Our agricultural exports to that destination in the year mentioned had the exceptionally high value of $496,000,000. The purchase by Germany of United States farm products amounted to $146,000,000. Agricultural produce to the value of $13,637,000 were sent to British South Africa. Of Canadian trade the bulletin says: "About $36,000,000 worth of United States farm produce was marketed during 1901 in the neighboring country of Canada. Wheat, cotton, and corn were decidedly our largest exports to that destination. Another product shipped quite extensively was tobacco; horses and cattle also formed items of considerable value. Among numerous other articles those of chief importance were flaxseed, hides and skins, pork, bacon and hams, oats, oranges and wheat flour."

The report gives the average annual value of the United States agricultural products exported to Canada during the period of 1897-1901 as $36,864,304.

NORTH MONAGHAN.

The council met in regular session on Monday, October 13th, 1902, in the town hall, at 2.30 p.m. All the members were present. The Reeve, T. E. Bradburn, presided.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Mr. R. M. Wood, of Peterborough, representing Mr. G. Stevens, of Ashburnham, was present, and on motion was permitted to address the council on behalf of Mr. Stevens. Mr. Wood applied for permission to temporarily establish and operate a factory on lot 11, con. 11, in the Township of North Monaghan, for the purpose of drying and manufacturing into a commercial fertilizer the contents of privy vaults, night soil, etc.

The following accounts were presented:

J. J. Bennett, repairs to culverts in Road Division, No. 2, two accounts, $7.00.

R. Sanderson, repairs to culverts in Road Division No. 2, $8.56.

G. H. May, rent of school house for provincial election, $4.00.

John McIntosh, one-half cost of 40 yards of gravel on Cavan boundary, $2.

It was moved by Messrs. Madill and Dobbin that the above accounts be passed and paid. This was carried.

It was moved by Mr. May and seconded by Mr. Madill that this council do not consent to the establishing of the trade or manufacture as applied for by Mr. Wood for Mr. Stevens. This was carried unanimously.

Moved by Messrs. Smith and Madill that the Clerk render an account for damages done to culverts to Mr. A. Reynolds, caused by the non-observance by him of the Act regulating the running of traction engines on public highways. This was carried.

Council then adjourned until the next regular meeting on November 10th, 1902.

FROM KETCHECUM LAKE

Hunting and Fishing Party Returned from the North

Messrs. J. M. Brooks, R. B. McKee, H. Le Brun, A. H. Stratton, John Crane D. Davidson and J. D. Collins returned on Friday night from Ketchecum Lake, where they spent a week trout fishing and hunting. There are two hunting clubs with cottages on this beautiful sheet of water—the Ketchecum Hunt Club and the Salmon Hunt Club. The first mentioned club christened their cottage on Thanksgiving Day, naming it "Win-Ketch,"—the first syllable after Mr. Harry Winch, the popular and jolly chief, and the last after the lake. The christening ceremonies were performed in the presence of large numbers of both clubs, Capt. Harry Winch, making a speech fully 27 feet long, after which the party partook of refreshments, during which speeches and songs were liberally indulged in. Mr. LeBrun gave the Marseillaise in his inimitable style and with several different accents. During the week's outing about 150 mountain trout were caught, and any quantity of partridges were shot.

THE FALL ASSIZES OF THE HIGH COURT

Will Open on Tuesday Before Hon. Justice Meredith

There Are Five Civil Cases and One Criminal Case the Latter Being Under the Charlton Act

The Fall Assizes of the High Court of Justice will open to-morrow at one o'clock before Hon. Justice Meredith. There are five civil cases and one criminal case, the latter being a proceeding under the Charlton Act against John Falon. Mr. Hugh O'Leary, K.C., of Lindsay, will have charge of the Crown business. The civil cases Webb vs. C. G.E. Co., Smith vs. English, Dwyer vs. Cox, Spry vs. Spry, and Jory vs. Wilson.

An abridgement of the statements of claims is given as follows;

WEBB VS. C.G.E. CO.

The plaintiff is Andrew Henry Webb and the defendant an incorporated company carrying on a manufacturing business in Peterborough. On the 11th of February last, plaintiff was engaged in the course of his employment with the company, in repairing a certain railway track upon their premises in that portion known as the Compound Building, when, without any warning, a havy car was run over the track, one wheel passing over plaintiff's arm. He claims that the accident was caused by negligence of the defendant's servants or agents in charge of the car. The plaintiff claims $3,000 damages.

In their statement of defence the defendants deny the statements contained in plaintiff's statement of claim and put the plaintiff to the proof. They state that he was not employed to work upon the railway track and had no occasion to be upon the same and was guilty of contributory negligence.

J. Green for plaintiff. Dennistoun, Peck and Stevenson for defendants.

JORY VS. WILSON.

The plaintiff is Thos. Edward Jory, a farmer residing on lot 21, concession 6, of the Township of Douro, and defendant John Wilson is also a farmer residing on the west half of lot 20, concession 5, Douro. Action is taken by plaintiff to recover $4,500 damages for the alienation of his wife's affections by plaintiff, the loss of her society and assistance; $300 for the trespass of the defendant upon the premises of the plaintiff; $200 damages for the assault complained of.

Defendant denies the allegations in plaintiff's statement.

O. A. Langley, Lakefield, for plaintiff; Stratton & Hall for defendant.

SPRY VS. SPRY.

Plaintiff, Eliza Spry, resides in Peterborough, and the defendant is Lewis Spry, who duly married plaintiff on 22nd of September, 1886, and they lived together until September 6, 1902, when, on account of the cruelty and misconduct of the defendant, the plaintiff left the defendant's house and is boarding with friends in Peterborough. One of the acts complained of occurred on or about July 12th, 1899, when defendant got in a fit of temper, brought out his rifle and threatened to shoot plaintiff.

Plaintiff claims a declaration that she is entitled to alimony from the defendant (and also to interim alimony) sufficient under the circumstances, and that the defendant may be ordered to pay the same; and that for these purposes all necessary directions be given and accounts taken.

The defendant admits that he is the husband of plaintiff, but denies that he ever assaulted, threatened or ill-treated her, and states that plaintiff left her home and continued to live apart from him of her own accord, without reasonable cause and that he has always been and is willing to support plaintiff and provide for her so long as she reside with him.

O'Connell & Kerr, for plaintiff; Dennistoun, Peck and Stevenson, for defendant.

DWYER VS. COX.

This is an action in which Addie Dwyer, an infant under the age of 21 years, is suing by her next friend, Douglas Succee, Henry Cox, a farmer who resides in the Township of Otonabee, to recover the sum of $1,000 damages, and the cost of the action. The plaintiff claims that on or about the 26th day of August, 1902, the defendant enticed the plaintiff into a conveyance, and then into an ill-lighted and unfrequented part of the town of Peterborough, where he carnally knew her, against her will, and subsequently spoke words of the said plaintiff which were injurious to her character.

The defendant in his statement of defence, denies that he had criminal intercourse with the plaintiff.

Messrs. O'Connell & Kerr, for plaintiff; E. D. Stone, for defendant.

SMITH VS. ENGLISH.

The plaintiff is Margaret Smith, a hotel keeper in the village of Hastings, and the defendant is a merchant residing in the said village. The action arises over a certain chattel mortgage that was held by the defendant upon the goods and chattels of the plaintiff's husband, Patrick Smith, who became separated from his wife. She alleges that immediately upon the said separation of her and her husband, the defendant entered into possession of the goods and chattels, and advertised and sold the same for considerably more than would pay the claim of the defendant and costs connected therewith, and also seized and took away and sold, a large quantity of household furniture, etc., not covered by the mortgage, and although an account had been demanded from the defendant none had been forthcoming. She asks that an account may be had and taken of all moneys that were received by the defendant be ordered to pay the costs of the action.

The defendant in his statement sets forth that the sale under the provisions of the chattel mortgage was conducted in a perfectly proper manner, and that on the 10th day of June, 1898, the defendant settled all matters and accounts between them, and a receipt and release were given to each other by the plaintiff and defendant, and the defendant craves leave to refer to the said receipt and release at the trial.

W. L. Payne, Colborne, for plaintiff. L. F. Clarry, Hastings, for defendant.

London, Oct. 17.—What has struck public opinion in Paris, says a correspondent in that city, is that the Boer generals seem to have decided that in their speeches they will lay claim in one way or another to affinity in blood or language with nations they are visiting. In Paris they affirmed that they had French blood in their veins. In Berlin they will probably declare that they have ties uniting them with the Germans. The people of Paris are curious to hear what ties attach generals to the British nation, or what they will discover of that sort on revisiting England.

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Smith Estate	55 acres	cost $8,000	sold for $56,000
Jacob Estate	114 acres	cost $4,000	sold for $16,000
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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Death of Mrs. Keele

Word was received in town yesterday announcing the death of Mrs. Keele, a former respected resident of Peterborough. The deceased was an aunt of Mrs Alex Fitzgerald, the Misses Graham, and Mrs. Sedgwick, of Ashburnham.

The Opera House To Night

The great Knickerbocker Theatre New York, success, "When We Were Twenty-One." This company is playing the leading theatres of the country and come recommended. The prices are low, considering the great play. Prices $1.00, 75c., 50.c Plan at Ormond and Walsh's.

A "Musical Evening."

The entertainment given last night under the auspices of the George Street Church Epworth League, passed of very successfully, a very select programme being rendered. In addition to the vocal and instrumental numbers, an address on "Music" was given by Mr. D. W. Dumble, also a humorous address on "Modern Music" by Mr. M. A Sorsoleil. There was a large audience present

Settled Out of Court

The case of Fox vs. Davis, entered for trial, has been settled the defendant paying $400. This was an action brought under what is known as Lord Campbell's Act, by plaintiff against the proprietors of the Don Valley pressed brick works, claiming damages for the death of their son, an employee of the works, who it was alleged was killed through the negligence of the proprietors. Mr. George Edmison for Plaintiffs; Messrs. Denalstoun, Peck & Stevenson for defendant.

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Wedded in Buffalo

The residence of Mrs. Peter Perry, 365 West Avenue, Buffalo, was the scene of a very quiet and pretty wedding on Wednesday last when Miss Winnifred Perry, of Buffalo, and Mr. Michael Coughlin, of the Coughlin Marble Works Hunter street, were united in marriage. The bride, who was prettily attired, was attended during the ceremony by her sister, Miss Emma Perry, while Mr. Frank Kearney, of Belleville, performed similar duties for the groom. Mr Coughlin was formerly a resident of Belleville, but has for some years been a resident of Peterborough. Mr. and Mrs. Coughlin will reside at 89 Gilmour street, town.

Bear Killed in Verulam

Fenelon Falls Gazette —On Saturday last Mr. Robert Junkin shot a big bear on Mr. Mulligan's farm in Verulam. The animal had been seen on each of the three previous days and on Saturday Mr. Junkin and a boy went into the woods to hunt him. Mr. Junkin had a gun loaded with powder and shot, but his companion was armed with a rifle. When they got to the woods they separated, and were some considerable distance from each other when Mr. Junkin saw the bear approaching and "let drive" at him. Fortunately the shot was fatal or Mr. Junkin might have got into trouble, as he had no other ammunition with him.

New Cement Industry

Cement will be manufactured in the vicinity of Lindsay in the course of a year or so. A number of Toronto capitalists and one or two Lindsay men have acquired Goose Lake, a boggy section of land in Cambray vicinity from Mr. Donald Jackson, of Eldon township. It has been discovered that the property—hitherto deemed worthless— contains an immense deposit of the finest marl, while nearby there is any amount of the right kind of clay needed to mix with the marl. A company will be formed in the near future to develop the industry. Mr. Jackson, who purchased the property a few years ago from Mrs. Whiteside, of the north ward, for $250, clears $10,000 by the sale to Toronto men — $4,000 in cash and $6000 in stock. He sold the cedar on the property to a Lindsay buyer for $275.

THE DAN SPENCE MEMORIAL

A Meeting Called for This Evening to Take Final Action

A meeting has been called of the Town and Ashburnham Councils and the Dan Spence Memorial Committee for this evening in the council chamber. One of the ambulance manufacturers will be in attendance. It is to be hoped that the matter will be finally settled.

THE RAILWAY GATES

Gates to be Placed on Simcoe and Charlotte Street At Once

Yesterday Mayor Denne received notice that an official of the Grand Trunk railway would arrive on the 11.35 a.m. express for the purpose of locating the gates which it is proposed to place at the Grand Trunk Railway crossings on Simcoe and Charlotte streets.

The Mayor at once notified the members of the Council to be on hand, so that all would have a say in the location of the gates.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Fall Court of Assize opens at the Court House today.

—There was a rally of Sunday school workers, parents and others of the Anglican churches of the town, in All Saints' church last night.

—It's a little late now, but speaking of the coal famine, very few married men worried about it. I suppose they were resting in the assurance that their wives would make it hot enough for them, coal or no coal.

—Mr. Wm. McKenzie, president of the Toronto Street Railway, has donated the handsome sum of $5,000 to the endowment fund of the Ross Memorial Hospital, of Lindsay.

—Buy stationery at Times Bookstore and save money. All the best and latest writing material kept in stock. Ladies' visiting cards and At Home cards printed in up-to-date style at reasonable prices.

—Odd numbers of that interesting folio "Glimpses of South Africa in Peace and War" will be sold while they last, reduced from fifteen cents to seven cents. Sent by mail for one cent extra for postage. Times Bookstore.

—Wages in the lumber camp were never higher than at the present time, the men being paid from $26.00 to $32.00 per month. There is a demand for men which is not yet filled, and the timber output will be large.

—Pa he sat down on ma's old hat—
Pa's big around and wide and fat—
And when he saw what he had done
He rose and seemed to want to run;
But ma, she grabbed it with a smile,
And said—"Land sakes! it's just the style."

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mrs. Thomas Mimms, Lindsay spent yesterday in town.

—Ald. Rush went down to Havelock last night on business.

—Mrs. Herbert Johnston, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. A. Sloane, Norwood.

—Mrs. D. Little and Miss Ada Williams, who have been spending their Thanksgiving holiday in Toronto arrived home last night.

—The many friends of Mr. Alex. Rutherford, of Ashburnham, will be pleased to know that his condition is slightly improved.

—Mr R. Johnston, who recently purchased the dry goods business of Madill Bros., of Lakefield, is in Montreal, this week on a business trip.

—Mrs. J. R. Rowe, will receive Wednesday, Oct. 22nd., afternoon and evening, at the residence of Mr. D. Breeze, 665 Bethune street.

Mr. Dickson Jewett, of Cannington, late of the Snowden House, was in town since Saturday, a guest at the Snowden House. He reports business good in his line.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnston and their charming little daughter, Reina, have returned after spending a very pleasant visit with friends in Seymour and vicinity.

—Mr. J. J. Lundy went out yesterday to "Win-Ketch" hunting lodge, where he will join Messrs. Harry Winch, R. J. Winch and Frank Matthews, who are rusticating there.

—The Misses Flynn left this week for Peterborough, where they will reside in the future. The good wishes of their many friends follow them to their new home.—Norwood Register.

—The Times had the pleasure of a call yesterday from Mr. George L. Gowland, of the Gowland Co., Toronto, who spent Sunday and Monday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harris McClelland, Gilmour Street. Mr. Gowland returned to the city last night, accompanied by Mr. McClelland.

—Mr. George Gowland, of the Gowland Meter Company, Toronto, and formerly of Peterborough, has been appointed to the auxiliary staff of the teachers at the Toronto Technical School. Mr. Gowland will teach Mathematics and Applied Science. This college was established for the benefit of young working men who find it impossible to attend school during the day time but who are desirous of bettering their educational condition. Mr. Gowland will be a great acquisition to the staff of the school.

READY, START!

An Athletic Event

You want, everybody wants, brain and muscle, wind and stamina, and can get them if fed properly. This is an athletic age. The man or woman who is weak or sickly, is not in the race; success socially or in business goes only to the strong and healthy. It is largely a matter of choice with anyone for proper living, and proper food will bring the prize.

An athlete in Chicago tells of the good results he obtained from proper food; he says: "Last spring I began to train hard to become an athlete in track events and to grow stronger; I now know that what strength and victories I have secured is due to the use of Grape-Nuts. When in training for an athletic meet, I would just live on Grape-Nuts alone for three days before the event was to come off. During this time I have won six championship races out of two athletic meets. In a 300 yard run my time was 35 seconds and in the 75 yard dash the time was 9 seconds both being a good record.

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Members of our foot-ball team have a training table on which may be found first of all the 'athletes favorite food, Grape-Nuts.'" Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Frequent Throbbing Headache.

There's many a cause for headache. Men are not often troubled by headaches. When they are it is generally due to biliousness or indigestion. But women have headaches which seem peculiar to their sex, frequent nervous throbbing headaches. Does it not seem as if such headaches peculiar to women must be at once related to womanly disease? Women who suffer with diseases peculiar to the sex do not realize the drain of vital strength and nerve force they undergo as a consequence of disease. It is this which causes the familiar headaches of sick women.

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"I was troubled with congestion of the uterus and female weakness for five years," writes Mrs. Robt. Ketwin, of Albert, Hastings Co., Ont. "Was so weak and nervous I could hardly do any work. Had severe pain in back, also dizziness and pain in head. My heart would beat so hard and fast at times I would have to sit still till I got all right again. But after taking four bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and one of his 'Golden Medical Discovery' I felt entirely well. I also used one box of 'Lotion Tablets' and one of 'Suppositories' as directed. All the symptoms of my trouble have disappeared and I am completely cured. I thank you for your kind advice and your medicine."

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A COWARDLY ACT

Mr. Allan McCarthy Struck with a Stone on Saturday

On Saturday last Mr. Allan McCarthy, the well-known house mover was severely injured by being struck with a stone, thrown by some person unknown.

The act was committed at the railway crossing on Brock street. Mr. McCarthy, who had the job of moving the two buildings from the lot on which the new skating rink is being built, was walking westward, and stood on the east side of the track in order to let a train that was approaching from the south pass, when he was struck. The rock which weighed nearly a pound, hit him on the calf of the leg, and was thrown with sufficient force to knock him down, almost in front of the train. The wound was so severe that Dr. Scott's services were required to dress it.

Mr. McCarthy is at a loss to know why he should be so viciously attacked. He has no enemies that he knows of. He has requested The Times to offer a reward of $10 for the apprehension of the guilty party.

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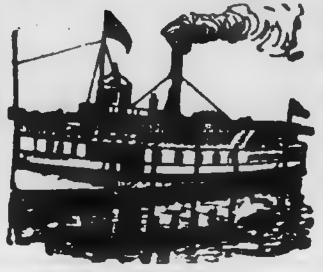

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THE REFERENDUM AND WHAT IT MEANS

Facts Concerning The Vote Soon to be Taken in This Province

THE VOTE WILL LIKELY BE A SMALL ONE

How the Last Plebiscite Failed to secure Prohibition—Provisions of The New Act

In view of the contest between the temperance workers and the liquor element of the province, considerable interest is manifested in the Ontario Liquor Act of 1902, or what is better known as the referendum.

Voting on the adoption of this law will take place on December 4th next, when the electors of the province will be called upon to see whether or not they approve of the prohibition of the liquor traffic as far as a provincial legislature has power to prohibit it. The act to be voted on is a prohibitory law of the most complete and comprehensive character that the limits of provincial jurisdiction will permit. It is not fair to compare it with the Scott Act or any other measure more local in its nature or less stringent in its provisions. This law will go onto operation provided the vote in favor of it is a majority of the votes cast upon the question and is also equal to a majority of the votes cast in the general provincial election of 1898. The number of votes polled at that election was 212,723.

TEMPERANCE VOTES

It is over four years since a vote of this kind has been taken. In 1898 the matter of prohibition, which prior to that rate was a live issue, was submitted to a plebiscite. This plebiscite was taken all over Canada and a majority placed themselves on record as approving of the measure. The majority at the time was 13,616, all the provinces giving a big majority in favor of it except Quebec, which put up over 94,000 votes against a prohibitory law. But for this there would have been a very substantial majority as the vote cast was a comparatively small one. The total votes polled in favor of prohibition in Canada in 1898 was 278,487, as against 264,571 opposed to it. In Ontario 154,498 voted for it, and 115,275 against, the majority in favor being 39,224. In Ottawa the electorate showed themselves opposed to it to the extent of 608 votes, 2,612 for and 3,210 against.

BIRTH OF ACT.

Last year, after much agitation, the prohibition element of the province succeeded in having the Ontario Legislature draft a prohibitory law. This resulted in the birth of what is now known as the Ontario Liquor Act of 1902. It was framed after the model of the Manitoba law. The law, which was passed some time prior to the framing of the Ontario measure, was the work of the most skilled and experienced professional men of the Prairie Province, who were earnest advocates of total prohibition. It has been acknowledged to be the most thorough-going legislation of its kind in existence. The government in power in Ontario at that time did not for some reason put the law they had constructed in force, but attached a proviso to it, that when the people of Ontario signified their approval of it by a given number of votes they should then proceed to take steps to fulfill their promise. Now what the temperance people in the province are after is to secure the required number of votes.

The acts aims essentially at the abolition of bar rooms. It permits the use of liquor in private residences for purposes of hospitality and private use. This is where the temperance people feel they have their strong point and it is upon this that they rely to pull a big vote. The evil of the treating habit would banish with the bars. It has been felt that the bar room which is of such easy access is the greatest menace to the youth of the day and it is against this evil that exertions are being bent.

THE PROVISIONS.

The act consists of two parts. Part one provides the machinery for taking a vote of the electors on the question of the adoption of the second part and declares that the second part shall be brought into force if it is approved by a majority of the votes cast upon the question, provided that the number of votes is 212,723. It is a curious fact that this act could be defeated even if the liquor men of the province did not turn their hand in opposition. One condition of the act requires that over 212,723 votes be polled for it and unless this number is polled the act is of no use whatever.

The main provisions of the act are:

The giving or selling or bartering or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor is entirely prohibited except under the conditions and for the purposes herein-after set out.

To make the meaning of the law clear, a sharp distinction is made by the act between "a private dwelling house" and a place of any other kind. All sale or barter of liquor is prohibited except solely by licensed druggists for certain purposes considered necessary or the giving in a private house to an adult friend, of liquor that has not been unlawfully secured. A private house is described as a separate dwelling with a separate entrance, used exclusively as a private residence and not connected by any door or passage with any shop, factory, restaurant, hotel, boarding house or any other place of a public character. Physicians dentists and veterinary surgeons do not come under the restriction.

Liquor will be sold by wholesale and retail druggists only, who will be governed by the following resolutions;

No wholesale druggists may sell alcohol for mechanical or scientific purposes except on affidavit of applicant describing the lawful purpose for which it is required.

No wholesale druggist may sell between seven Saturday night and seven Monday morning, nor after eight any night, nor before seven any morning.

Every licensed druggist must keep a complete record of every sale made and must file every prescription, certificate and request that he receives, and these documents shall always be open for inspection by any person for at least one year.

Every licensed druggist shall send to the chief inspector every six months a sworn statement in detail of all sales that he has made.

No retail licensed druggist shall sell any liquor for medicinal purposes except on prescription of a regularly qualified physician, nor wine for sacramental purposes except on certificate of a clergyman.

The penalty for misdemeanor is very severe. For selling or giving liquor or keeping for sale contrary to the law, whether by a person not duly licensed or by a licensed druggist in unlawful places or hours, or to persons to whom it is not lawful to sell, the penalties are: For a first offence a fine of not less than $200 nor more than $1,000, and in default of immediate payment, imprisonment for not less than three or not more than six months; for a second or any subsequent offence imprisonment for not less than three or not more than six months.

Because the authority of the provincial legislature does not extend beyond the limits of the province, this act does not prohibit sales of liquor by brewers, distillers, or exporters in Ontario to persons outside the province. It does not prohibit brewers or distillers from selling to licensed druggists. It does prohibit all sale by brewers, distillers or exporters to any other persons, or in any premises connected with any private dwelling. In regard to such prohibited sale and to drinking or permitting drinking on premises, the law is the same for brewers and distillers as for other persons.

BOUNDARY LINE RELIC

City to Receive Historic International Landmark

The Ashburton Treaty of 1842 Recalled—One of the Monuments That Marked the Line Fixed by it Will Be Placed on City Hall Square

Ottawa, Oct. 21—The work of restoring the monuments which mark the boundary line between Canada and the U.S. on the New York state frontier is completed; but the task of the international commission is not yet finished. In addition to replacing the original monuments with cast-iron pillars, the commission also undertake to resurvey the boundary line, which is the 45th parallel of north altitude. A small portion of this survey remains to be done. So far as it has been carried on, however, it shows the boundary line as originally surveyed to have been determined with great exactness. This is a signal tribute to the care with which the work was done when it is remembered that fifty-six years ago much of the country was under forest. As a memento of the original survey, and the interesting international incidents preceding it Mr. W. F. King, chief astronomer of the interior department, and British commissioner, has decided to donate one of the old monuments to the city. It will be placed on City Hall square The monument is of iron, with the words, "Treaty of Washington, 1842," on two sides of it; and on the third side the inscription, "Col. J. D. B Estcourt, H. B. M. commissioner," and on the fourth, the name "Albert Smith, U. S. commissioner."

CHANDOS.

—The farmers are busy with their fall ploughing.

—Mr. John Menogue has returned home from Montreal where he has been on business.

—The many friends of Mr. Dennis Mahoney will be glad to hear that his leg is improving as well as can be expected. Dr. Sullivan, of Coe Hill, is attending to him.

—Mr. Dennis O'Brien was the guest of Mr. Hynes on Sunday last.

—Mr. M. Cleary was the guest of Mr. James Scott on Sunday.

—Mr. James Menogue was the guest of Mr. Robert Hawke on Saturday evening.

—Miss Katie Tucker was the guest of Mr. Robert Hawke on Saturday evening.

—Mr. M. Cleary is spending the week in town.

—Mr. Tom Mahoney is in town this week.

—Mr. M. Scott spent Sunday evening, the guest of Mr. Robert Fletcher.

—Mr. Victor Tanner was the guest of Mr. John Menogue on Sunday evening.

—Mr. Patrick Scott has gone to the shanties.

—Mr. Stephen Scott made his first trip around the lake on Tuesday.

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Dr. Hamilton's Pile Cure Headache

THE DEAD LETTERS

A Total of $48,498 in Money Found in Undelivered Mail

Washington, D. C., Oct. 21—The annual report of the dead letter office for the last fiscal year, submitted today shows total receipts of 9,300,351 pieces by Acting Postmaster General Wynne, of mail matter of all kinds, an increase of nine per cent. over last year. Of the letters and parcels opened, 50,000 were found to contain money to the amount of $48,498 and 50,974 commercial papers with an aggregate face value of $1,399,936.

CURE FOR LEPROSY

Consul From China Has News Regarding Discovery

Victoria, B.C., Oct. 21— Robert McWade, United States Consul at Canton, who arrived here lately, carries with him to Washington documents relating to the discovery of a cure for leprosy.

Dr. Razlag, formerly of the United States Army medical corps in the Philippines, has been successful in his work to discover a leprosy cure. He has treated with success a Chinese viceroy at the request of Consul McWade, and fourteen other cases were treated with success. One, a Chinese coolie who was entirely crippled can now carry as large a load as he ever did. The consul is not at liberty to divulge the method of treatment, but it is understood that massage, baths in fresh and salt water, and medicines are used.

Dr. Razlal had been experimenting for years before success crowned his efforts at Canton, where he went from the Philippines to give his whole time to the work.

King Alexander is Irritated

London, Oct. 20—The Servia Ministerial crisis is not connected with the Balkan troubles, says a Vienna correspondent. Its immediate cause appears to be King Alexander's irritation over a fresh postponment of his visit, with Queen Draga, to the Russian Court. The correspondent says the affair is a somewhat delicate one, chiefly concerning two ladies, Czarina and Queen Draga It is therefore quite as much social as political. An unnamed Servian statesman, in explaining the situation to The Neue Freie-Presse correspondent at Belgrade, said that Russia did not want King Alexander, now that King Milan was dead. He added that the new Premier would cultivate Austrian friendship unlike M. Vuitch, who was always Russophile. Mr. Vuitch told the same newspaper man that his Ministry wished to give the King a perfectly free hand in consequence of the continued postponements of the Russian visit, and to relieve him of the necessity of reckoning with the Cabinet's Russophile policy if he considered it expedient and desirable

BRAVE RESCUE BY PARRY SOUND LAD

Paddled Old Punt, Through Rough Water, With a Piece of Board

SAVED MEN FROM DEATH

Heavily Clad, They Were Clinging to an Upturned Canoe Outside the Bay

Parry Sound, Oct. 18.— Three young men in the employ of Mr. John Moffatt, manager for the Consolidated Copper Company at Spider Lake, started from the Parry Sound dock for the mine in a small canoe. The men were Walter, Ormsby, Harrey Eccles and John Young, As soon as they reached the gap between the Bay and the Sound, the waves upset the canoe, throwing all three into the water. Ormsby had on a heavy overcoat and top boots, as well as his heavy working clothes, and the others were also heavily clad as it was quite cold. Neither Ormsby nor Young were able to swim, and the former could not have saved himself with so heavy a load, even if he had been an expert swimmer. All three were ofrtunate enough to grasp the canoe, and Eccles finding it would not sustain them all swam to the Conger pier and was able to save himself.

Willie Davis, a 17 or 18-year-old lad, was on the dock at the time and saw the accident, and rushed for a boat to go to the rescue. The only craft to be had was an old punt, with a quantity of water in it. It contained neither paddle nor oars, but the oby was notto be daunted, nor did he deem it wisdom to waste time in running off to find oars. He quickly wrenched the rear seat of the punt out, and with this board paddled toward the perilled men. In the strong headway and heavy sea his progress was necessarily slow, but the lad stuck pluckily to his self-imposed task.

Meanwhile the men on the upturned canoe were having a hard experience. The water was so cold and the wind and waves so sight that it was only with the greatest difficulty they managed indeed. Ormsby was so overcome by the weight of his heavy clothing and boots that he was almost compelled to let go, but encouraged by his comrade he exerted all his strength, seeing the rescue slowly but surely approaching. When young Davis finally reached the men it required all his strength and skill to assist them into the boat and prevent it being also capsized. After picking up Ormsby and Young, the punt was paddled to the pier, and Eccles taken on board, and all reached shore safely.

Had it not been for the pluck and coolness of young Davis, it is certain that another double drowning would have occurred, and he is entitled to the very highest praise.

MERRY WEDDING BELLS

Nuptials of Miss Vena Harper and Mr. Clark Earl Yesterday Afternoon

Another of those very pretty house weddings took place yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. T.G. Harper, 282, Charlotte street, when their daughter, Miss Vena, became the wife of Mr. Clark N. Earl.

The bride wore a most becoming blue travelling suit and was assisted during the ceremony by Miss Lena Alford, while Mr. F. Clark performed a similar office for the groom.

The ceremony was performed at 2.30 by Rev. W. J. Armitage, and after an elaborate breakfast, and the congratulations of their many friends, the happy couple left on the 5.18 C.P.R. train for a short honeymoon trip and on their return will reside at the home of the bride's parents on Charlotte street.

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THE FALL ASSIZES

OPENED YESTERDAY AT NOON BEFORE CHIEF JUSTICE MEREDITH

The Members of the Bar who were Present—The Grand Jury—One Criminal Case

The Fall Assizes of the High Court of Justice for the County of Peterborough opened at one o'clock yesterday before the Honourable Mr. Justice Meredith. The following representatives of the bar were present: W. R. Riddel, K.C. Toronto; E. B. Edwards, K.C. George Edmison, K.C., R.M. Dennistoun, R. E. Wood, D. O'Connel, F. D. Kerr, John Green, E. B. Stone, E. A. Peck, R. R Hall, G. M. Roger, E. H. D. Hall, Peterborough; Hugh O'Leary, K.C., Lindsay; L. G. Clarry, Hastings; A. O. Langley, Lakefield, and W. L. Payne, Colborne.

THE GRAND JURY.

The Grand Jury was empanelled as follows—James Andrews, farmer, Asphodel, Foreman; W. T. Buck, farmer, Asphodel; C. D. Crawford, merchant, Lakefield; Wm. Crough, farmer, Ennismore; R. Q. Dench, farmer, Douro; Jas. Fowler, farmer, Smith; John Henderson, farmer, Otonabee; Alex Leeson, farmer, Belmont; Joseph Madill, farmer, Monoghan; E. G. Patterson, superintendent, Peterborough; J. A. Sutcliffe, merchant, Peterborough; Thos. Webster, farmer, Dummer, and Robert Duff farmer, Smith.

There is only one criminal case on the list, being a charge laid under the Charlton Act against a man named Falon. The Crown prosecutor is Mr. Hugh O'Leary of Lindsay.

HIS LORDSHIP'S REMARKS.

His Lordship addressed the Grand Jury at some length, explaining the nature of their duties. Referring to the criminal case set down for hearing, he impressed upon the jurors the serious nature of the offence, and the protection that the law allows females of that age. He also reminded them of the duty they might perform in visiting the public institutions of the town, after which the Grand Jury returned to their room.

The first case proceeded with on the civil list was that of Webb vs. Canadian General Electric Company. In this action the plaintiff is Andrew Henry Webb, and the defendant an incorporated company, carrying on a manufacturing business in Peterborough. On the 11th of February last plaintiff was engaged in repairing a certain railway track upon their premises in that portion known as the Compound building, when, as he alleges, without any warning, a heavy car was run over the track, one wheel passing over plaintiff's arm. He claims that the accident was caused by negligence of the defendant's servants or agents in charge of the car. The plaintiff claims $2000 damages.

In their statement of defence the defendants deny the statements contained in plaintiff's statement of claim, and put the defendant to the proof thereof. They state that he was not employed to work upon the railway track and had no occasion to be upon the same, and was guilty of contributory negligence.

Webb vs. the Canadian General Electric Co. Nonsuit ordered by the Judge who grants a stay of proceedings for 30 days in order to allow the plaintiff to appeal, which he intends to do.

W. R. Riddle, K.C. and J. Green for plaintiff; R. M. Dennistoun and E. A. Peck for defendants.

New Cement Industry

Cement will be manufactured in the vicinity of Lindsay in the course of a year or so. A number of Toronto capitalists and one or two Lindsay men have acquired Goose Lake, a boggy section of land in Cambray vicinity from Mr. Donald Jackson, of Eldon township. It has been discovered that the property—hitherto deemed worthless— contains an immense deposit of the finest marl, while nearby there is any amount of the right kind of clay needed to mix with the marl. A company will be formed in the near future to develop the industry. Mr. Jackson, who purchased the property a few years ago from Mrs. Whiteside, of the north ward, for $150, clears $10,000 by the sale to Toronto men — $4,000 in cash and $6000 in stock. He sold the cedar on the property to a Lindsay buyer for $600.

MAY BE SERIOUS TROUBLE WITH VENEZUELA REPUBLIC

Diplomatic Relations Strained Between the Two Countries

Caracas, Venezuela, Oct. 4—Diplomatic relations are very strained between Venezeuela and Great Britain, and should the revolution not triumph, all circumstances justify a prediction of a rupture between the two countries. The Venezuelan Chancellery is very angry at the hoisting of the British flag in spite of its protestations on the island of Patosal, and President Castro's conversations with the British representative have been very far from pleasant. In an interview which President Castro granted the correspondent a short time ago, he said, referring to the commencement of the Matos revolution and the incident of the revolutionary steamer Banrigh:—

"It is now several months since the Banrigh, chartered by the Matos revolution, arrived at Trinidad, and we protested against her presence at that island. The British Minister (Mr. Haggart), immediately repaired to the Foreign Office and assured General Pacheon (the Venezuelan Minister of Foreign Affairs) that he would do all he could do to obtain from his Government that the Banrigh and all revolutionists residing at Trinidad, and the other British West Indian islands should receive orders to leave and to return to those islands, if the Venezuelan Government would agree that the surtax of 30 per cent. imposed in the customs on goods coming from the British West Indian islands on their way into Venezuela should be repealed. A Cabinet meeting was held at which General Pacheon submitted Minister Haggart's proposition. It was rejected as unworthy of consideration, and the question remained at that stage. It seems, therefore, from these facts that the British Government, through its representative here offered security against the revolutionary party in exchange for a commercial advantage."

THE BRITISH FORCE CAUGHT IN A TRAP

Were Sent, Blind, Into an Ambush, No Water and no Wells Near

London, Oct. 21.—The Second Bombay Grenadiers, stationed at Mhow, Central India, have been ordered to Somaliland Other troops will probably follow.

A letter from an officer belonging to the Somaliland expedition, received here, shows that the British force is even in a more precarious position than has been indicated in the official despatches. The writer says:—

"No one will appreciate this business until it is too late. We are ina regular trap and how we are going to get out we do not know. We have had stiffish fights and have lost many men. The worst is that our blacks are flunking and our camels have nearly all been killed or captured. We have next to no water, and we are miles from any wells. We have no supplies and nearly no ammunition. They have captured two of our maxims. I do not suppose they care at home what happens to us. It is a brutal shame to send us blind into an ambush like this. I hear fresh troops are coming up, and only hope they will come from India."

The writer refers incidentally to some brisk fight which he apparently presumes was already known of here, and adds,

"Thirty-three of us escaped. By Jove, that was a pretty affair. We whites stood out, but——Oh well, we have too many blacks."

PREDICTS MANY STRIKES

Capital and Labour Are to Fight to a Finish in England

London, Oct. 21—John A. Hobson, the London sociologist, prophesies a serious conflict soon in England between organized labor and organized capital. He says:

"In England the organization of labor from the nature of things is far less firm than capital, still the organization of labor is going on rapidly, especially where machinery is greatly used and skill is required. The trade unions object to the employment of non-union men in order to protect their organizations The employers of England are about to try to break down the labor unions and to break down the principle of collective bargaining. They have turned to the two weapons, of law, and of politics. The House of Lords has decided that unions can be sued. This will pave the way for endless litigation in which, because of weaker resources, the unions may be ruined. English workmen will turn to politics if they have the brains. In the meantime, as trade declines, we will see a series of big strikes and lockouts."

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PREMIER DISMISSED DISLOYAL COLLEAGUES

Minister's Action in Dictating Policy The Ground For Removal from Office

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Told Mr. Tarte That He Had Betrayed His Leader and His Colleagues and Demanded His Resignation

Ottawa, Oct. 21—Sir Wilfrid Laurier today addressed the following letter to Hon. I. J. Tarte, which is now given to the public:

"Ottawa, October 21st, 1902 — My dear Tarte,—After having seen you on Sunday last, and having expressed to you my well-settled opinion upon the consequences of your recent attitude, my first duty was to wait upon his Excellency, the Governor-General, to inform him that I was obliged to demand the resignation of your portfolio. After having seen his Excellency, I had to acquaint my colleagues of the interview which I had with you.

"In accepting your resignation, it is well to emphasize the points of difference between us. During my absence in Europe, without any communication with me, and without any previous understanding with your colleagues, you began an active campaign in favor of an immediate revision of the tariff in the direction of high protection. I regret having been obliged to observe to you that this attitude on your part constitutes a self-evident violation of your duty towards the Government of which you were a member. I repeat to you here what I told you on Sunday. I do not wish to discuss at this moment the economic theory of which you have made yourself the champion. The question, however important it might be, is subordinate to one still more important. If you had reached the conclusion that the interest of the country demanded, without delay, an increase of the customs duties the first thing for you to have done as a member of the Government, before addressing your views to the public, would have been to place them before your colleagues, with the object of obtaining that unanimous action of the Cabinet which is the very foundation of responsible government. If you had not been able to attain from your colleagues their assent to the course which you recommended, you would have been obliged then to choose rather to accept their own views, or to sever your connection with them, and then for the first time would you have been free to place your views before the public.

"Such was the very simple course which was binding upon you, but to remain a member of the Government, and, at the same time, to advocate a policy which has not yet been adopted by the Government, was an impediment to the proper working of our constitutional system and implies a disregard for the loyalty which all those who are members of the same Administration owe to each other and have a right to expect from each other.

I thank you for the good wishes which you express for the improvement of my health, and I will make it my duty to convey to your old colleagues those that you formulate for their welfare and their happiness Believe me, yours very sincerely.

Mr. Tarte's Letter.

The following letter has been addressed by Mr. Tarte to the Premier:

Public Works Department, Minister's Office, Toronto, Ont., Oct. 20, 1902.
The Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier,
Prime Minister, Ottawa:

My dear Sir Wilfrid,—I feel it is my duty to place my resignation in your hands, and ask you to be good enough to have it accepted by his Excellency the Governor-General. In the interview which I had with you, you expressed the opinion that I should not have spoken on the tariff as I have done, that the Government had not as yet come to any difinite understanding on the fiscal policy for the future. I shall not discuss with you at the present time the question as to whether I was right or wrong in the course I have followed.

You are the leader of the Government, and your opinion, as far as my attitude is involved, must prevail.

You told me that my utterances are causing you trouble. I have no right and no desire to be a source of embarrassment to you or to the party with which I have been connected since 1893.

My views on the tariff are well known to you. I have, on several occasions, stated them publicly in your presence, and discussed them often privately with you. Entertaining the opinion that the interests of the Canadian people made it our duty to revise, without delay, the tariff of 1897, with the view of giving a more adequate protection to our industries, to our farming community, to our workingmen, I cannot possible remain silent. I prefer my freedom of action and of speech, under the circumstances, even to the great honor of being your colleague

Before severing my official relation with you, allow me to express my sincerest hope that you will soon be restored to your heath of former days. You would greatly oblige me by conveying to my colleagues my best wishes for their welfare and their happiness. My personal relations with most of them have been of a pleasant and cordial nature. I hope they will continue to be the same in the future.

Believe me, my dear Sir Wilfrid, very sincerely yours

(Signed) J. Israel Tarte.

WHO WILL SUCCEED.

Ottawa, Oct. 21 —When Sir Wilfrid Laurier landed from the Lake Erie he announced that he had little time for receptions, that pressing business called him to the capital. That business was the dismissal of Mr. Tarte. The Premier had made up his mind that the Minister of Public Works had committed a grave breach of constitutional usage in trying to stir up a public feeling in the country favoring a policy to which the Cabinet of which he was a member was entirely opposed.

Mr. Tarte in taking up the cause of the manufacturers against his colleagues, never expected that it would lead to his expulsion. He counted on the past kindness of his leader to save him. He thought he had a winning card and that in a matter of weeks he would be himself Prime Minister. To-day he is deceived. The Premier is back and in spite of all the fears that Mr. Tarte can create about his chief's health, Sir Wilfrid is ready and fit for duty.

Not His First Break.

No doubt the ordinary citizen finds it hard to make out the riddle. Who ever heard of such a thing in a constitutional governed country before as a Cabinet Minister trying to create by open and by covered appeals on the platform, and through the press, a public sentiment exactly opposite to the policy decided upon in Council? But did not Mr. Tarte do exactly the same thing in the matter of the French River improvements, too? His colleagues were not prepared to place in the estimates a sum of millions for a work that they did not consider to the public advantage. Yet Mr. Tarte went right on advocating on the public platform that same undertaking.

Liberals here say that the Minister of Public Works has come under the influence of the large corporation and the manufacturers, that he thought he could set the constitution at naught, and remain in the Cabinet, but that since he finds it impossible to advocate high protection as a Cabinet Minister, he will continue to fight the same fight in his newspapers, probably retaining the name of a Government supporter so as to make his campaign the stronger.

The Next Minister.

Who will be the next Minister of Public Works? The public will not have to wait long for an answer. Your correspondent hears two or three names mentioned. Speaker Brodeur of the Commons is a Liberal who has long been marked out for advancement. The question is, does he consider his health robust enough to warrant the assumption of a very exacting post.

"The next Minister of Public Works," said a gentleman today who will have something to say in the matter, "must be a man who is prepared to look after the affairs of the Department properly. He will not have time to administer the affairs of half his colleagues besides. It is known to most people that Mr. Tarte estimates for public works were very large, so large as to bring down upon the party the denunciations of its opponents. But how many are aware that, after having all this money voted, session after session, either the Minister himself, or his incompetent staff, had not time to spare for the planned the contracts to spend it?"

Speaker Brodeur is an able debater, well informed, and well liked. There is no tinge of Toryism in his blood. His family were Reformers as far back as 1837. He was born in the district where the Papineau agitation broke out in revolt. His father was one of the patriots who fought for what he regarded as fair government.

Premier Parent Mentioned.

"What would Premier Parent of Quebec say to the offer of this important portfolio in Sir Wilfrid's Cabinet? How would his selection balance off the loss of Joseph Israel?" said your informan. "The Provincial Premier bears the reputation of an exceptional administrator. Besides he has a following in the country, and a record behind him to win votes. Would he care to join his distinguished compatriot in the Federal arena? Other local Prime Ministers gave up office to take a portfolio in the Laurier Ministry, Mr. Blair, Mr. Fielding, Sir Oliver Mowat. They considered the exchange in the nature of an advance."

Dandurand a Possibility.

Senator Dandurand is one of the most striking figures in Parliament. He has had something to do with organization work, too. It has always seemed to the writer that he was peculiarly out of place in the restful atmosphere of the Red Chamber, where his stirring voice in the Cook enquiry, in advocacy of legislation to abolish lotteries and usury in Montreal, fell largely upon unsympathetic ears, who rather resented these evidences of life, vigor and heat in an assemblage where debate is not looked on with favor that rises much above a whisper. A seat could easily be found for him in the Commons if it were desired. Will this be done?

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

In Wentworth the county vote on the good roads by-law to raise $80,000 for the improvement of the roads will be taken next Wednesday, and it is thought the by-law may be carried in every municipality.

As the G.T.R. is about to enlarge its freight accommodation in Hamilton, 21 of its tenants in Gerguson Avenue, Robert and Barton streets have been notified to vacate their houses which are to be torn down at once.

John Moodie, sr., one of the founders and original directors of the Cataract Power Company, died in Hamilton on Saturday night, at the age of 68. He started in business in a small way and amassed a large fortune.

In St. Thomas, Ont., a joint stock company is being organized with a capital of $50,000 to manufacture and export cheese, which will be put up in thin squares, each being divided into smaller squares of half a pound each.

The election trial in North Norfolk, where Mr. Snider, the Conservative candidate, was elected, will open at Simcoe on November 4, and it is said that four or five important witnesses have already been spirited away, and that intimidation is being tried on others.

Farmers in Rochester and Maidstone townships, Essex County, were inveigled into giving their notes for $16 each for a milk can of a new style, with a lining guaranteed to prevent the contents being affected by changes of temperature, but which turned out worthless. They must, however, pay the notes.

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THE MUNICIPAL FIELD, ITS PROBLEMS AND REPRESENTATIVES

How many these days give more than a passing thought to the complex problems of civic government—proper sanitation, the erection and maintenance of schools, the administration of public waterworks, the construction of permanent roadways and walks, the upbuilding of market places, the creation and management of electric light and gas plants, the establishment of parks and playgrounds, the administration of laws of the country through a police force, and the control of public hospitals, these and many other things that try the endurance and test the ability of the man who seeks to serve his fellow-citizens at one or other of our municipal bodies?

Some men accept office without giving the matter much thought, entering on their duties blithely, only too soon find themselves in a veritable maelstrom, beset with difficulties, urged on by an impatient public to "do something" burdened with quarrels not of their own making, compelled to consider the wishes of the crotchety and unreasonable taxpayer as well as the citizen who makes allowance for the limitations and troubles of the representative, and generally made the targets of men who selfishly shun the opportunities and responsibilities of civic life.

The civic school is a great educative force in our public life. It should graduate our statesmen, though it is often said that if a man desires a place in the Legislature or Parliament he will abstain from participation in municipal administration, and thus avoid the complications and entangling alliances, which beget jealousies and petty enmity. Men who have been tested in the municipal field and exhibited abilities fitting them for positions of authority in our townships, villages and towns, counties and cities have that experience and training which would make them exceedingly useful in the administration of the affairs in the wider arena at Toronto or Ottawa. Having come in contact with men of many views and avocations, having worked out problems considered important by the average citizen, and imbibed a knowledge of vexed questions in a sphere in which the people daily move and labor, their advice and counsel should prove valuable in the adjustment of questions of a national or provincial character. In a sincere and honest effort to do their part well in a minor sphere they have absorbed the ideas of the home, shop and farm, and hence are qualified to instruct and advise men who, though in authority, sometimes lack that knowledge of the wants of the masses which a politician should possess in order to render justice in the halls of legislation to the varied interests of the country.

A significant and satisfactory sign of the times is the call for active, well-informed and progressive men to the service of the municipality. It is now generally conceded that the quality of a man's claims should be considered, not his popularity. The activities of civic life are so numerous and of such importance that it is dangerous to put on guard incompetent men or citizens who regard the responsibilities of office lightly.

New Cement Industry

Cement will be manufactured in the vicinity of Lindsay in the course of a year or so. A number of Toronto capitalists and one or two Lindsay men have acquired Goose Lake, a boggy section of land in Cambray vicinity from Mr. Donald Jackson, of Eldon township. It has been discovered that the property—hitherto deemed worthless—contains an immense deposit of the finest marl, while nearby there is any amount of the right kind of clay needed to mix with the marl. A company will be formed in the near future to develop the industry. Mr. Jackson, who purchased the property a few years ago from Mrs. Whiteside, of the north ward, for $750, clears $10,000 by the sale to Toronto men — $4,000 in cash and $6000 in stock. He sold the cedar on the property to a Lindsay buyer for $275.

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RUBBER

THE DEMAND FAR IN EXCESS OF THE SUPPLY

Millions of New York and Chicago Capital Organized to Open up Forests in South America

Few people, while they may use rubber in many different ways during the day, have little if any idea whatever of the vast proportions this industry has attained during the past few years, or of the vast amount of capital invested, or the results attained. Any idea they may have is but vogue at the best. They may know that it comes from a tree growing in tropical climates, but of the gathering and curing, they know but comparatively very little, and it is only when they turn to the encyclopedia or dictionary, that they learn that it is an elastic, gummy substance; the thickened juice of various tropical plants growing along the Amazon and Casiquiare Rivers in South America and in Congo Free State, Africa, Central America and Mexico; that purer rubber is whitish and in thin sheets is half transparent; that it is the most elastic of all known substances; that its elasticity may be removed by stretching and keeping it in cold water, and may be restored by putting it into warm water; that cold makes it hard and stiff, but never brittle; heat makes it supple and if that arises to 248 degrees Fahr. the gum melts and vaporizes if the heat rises to 600 degrees Fahr.; and it dissolves in bisulphide of Carbon, Naptha, and in Benzol; in washed Ether, Chloroform and the oils of Cajeput, Lavender, Sassafras and Turpentine. That when treated with sulphur, as in vulcanizing, india rubber becomes black, horny and brittle, but since the discovery of 1844 of the art of vulcanizing pure rubber has been but little used.

Prior to 1830 the rubber exported into Great Britain and the United States rarely amounted to 50,000 pounds annually, but each succeeding year, owing to man's ingenuity, the exportations have increased in huge proportions until they have reached the stupendous amount of 66,000,000 pounds and valued at more than 50,000,000 of dollars. From the districts of South America alone, of which the Casiquiare and Amazon River valleys are the principal producing centres, over 75 per cent. of the total productions of the world comes from these districts with the City of Manaos as the centre of the collection and exportation.

Para, or South American rubber commands the highest price in the various markets of the world, fetching at present 77 cents per pound as against 40 cents and 45 cents from that of other countries. Vast as these amounts may seem, it does not begin to meet the demand for the crude article, and companies are being organized to obtain the rubber. Among these is the Para Rubber Plantation Company of New York City, which owns over 1,400 square miles in the Republic of Venezuela, lying on both sides of the Casiquiare River running through the valley of the same name, which is the leading district of Venezuela, for a distance of 350 miles.

This Company is now putting out two thousand men to gather their crop during the present season and this vast army of laborers will be increased to 40,000 just as rapidly as facilities can be arranged. The Company will maintain its own steamship lines for the purpose of shipping its product and supplies, and up to date advanced business methods will be used on every hand and the natural product thereby increased accordingly.

The process of gathering and curing crude rubber is a very interesting one. Armed with a Machette or knife, with an earthern jug slung over his shoulder the Indian laborer, goes forth in the woods. Cuts are then made in the bark of the tree, great care being taken not to injure it by cutting too deeply, thus causing it to over bleed and then die. Tiny cups of clay are attached to the tree to catch the drip and when the flow has stopped these cups are collected and their contents are poured into an earthen jar and carried to the camps or other places where the curing is done.

In curing, a fire is built of the nuts of Uricuri palm and the coagulation of the milk is obtained in exposing the latex by thin leaves, to the smoke that has the quality of being antiseptic and of disinfecting the stuff. The laborer dips a little paddle of wood into the milk and then slowly turns it in the smoke; this is repeated again and again until the mat of gum weighs about twenty-five pounds, when the mat is cut open and allowed to dry more thoroughly. This is then known as Fine Para and is the very best, the variety for which the highest prices are paid in the world's markets.

This superiority is due not only to the tree which produces it—the Hevea—but to the way in which it is collected, which prevents all other losses but a bit of humidity, so that the stuff never turns greasy nor spoils otherwise.

Forty years ago, and at the time when the exportation of rubber amounted to but a few thousand tons, the price was but forty cents per pound, but now with an export of over 60,000,000 pounds, the market price is seventy-seven cents per pound, and the demand in excess of the supply even at these figures.

Vast fortunes have been and are being made in this industry and as the forests are being penetrated, large groves of new and matured trees are being discovered. Particularly is this so along the Casiquiare River valley in Venezuela, to develop which, the Para Rubber Company Plantation Company was recently organized in New York City, with a capital stock of $5,000,000.

A large amount of money and months of time was spent in thoroughly inspecting and proving the property before its purchase was made by the Company, or an organization completed. So satisfied were the projectors of the Company over the reports turned in by their agents sent into the country to report, that already seven hundred men have been put to work and this number will be increased to two thousand before the present season is over, and will ultimately be increased to 40,000 just as soon as facilities for handling such a vast army of laborers can be arranged for. At the present price of rubber, about forty cents per pound net can be cleared on each pound and as the Company figures on producing five hundred tons the present season, they contemplate a profit of from 40 to 90 per cent. the first year.

These figures may seem large to one unacquainted with the rubber business but are deemed very conservative by those interested.

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Jacob Estate	114 acres	cost $4,000	sold for $16,000
Klock Estate	3 acres	cost $3,000	sold for $12,000
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These are but a few of the money makers which I have bought and sold on Long Island within the last five years, WHERE MY PROFIT HAS BEEN OVER $250,000 ALONE, though operated and handled only by a limited capital, and every investment a money maker. Therefore, my reputation and record are positively known by my actual experience, not on paper or what might be, but because I possess a better knowledge of the value of real estate in the suburban property on Long Island than any man in Greater New York. I have the machinery and facilities and also the method to sell quickly, reaping large profits, and every dollar invested through this company I believe is positively sure and without question destined to bring a handsome profit to anyone who becomes a shareholder.

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STOCK MARKETS

One Result of the Strike

New York, Oct. 21.—The strike has accomplished one thing, as to this there can be no dispute: Bituminous coal will from now on be more largely used than ever before. The ability to so burn it as to minimize the smoke nuisance, and its comparative cheapness as against anthracite, will make it used by many manufacturing interests from now on that formerly used anthracite exclusively. One large New England manufacturer, who burns about ten thousand tons of coal per month, says he believes his concern will continue to use the soft coal, as it will be a great saving for his company. There is without doubt many users of coal in the anthracite region who will not return to the use of the hard and more costly product. The roads that are going to benefit by this state of affairs, as they have been doing all through the strike period, are the bituminous roads. The rise in Norfolk and West, Ches. and Ohio, and Balt. and Ohio were largely brought about through the results of the strike; they are going to retain many of the newly forced users of their product, and it will guarantee to these concerns a greatly increased demand. From now on we believe the prices of all such shares will increase wondrously as the result of the strike. It will be some time before anthracite comes into the markets in sufficient volume to satisfy the demand, so that for some months to come the soft coal carriers will continue to be the beneficiaries. In the manufacturing way they will be permanently benefitted. There is a lot of meaning in these facts; they will have an important bearing upon the business earnings and prices for soft coal stocks in the future. Many people will be compelled to readjust their estimates of their value within the next six months. As to the hard coal stocks, the settlement now under way guarantees to them for a period of three years tranquility as far as the differences between capital and labor are concerned. They will be as busy as they possibly can be from now on re-supplying the exhausted reserves throughout the land and the urgent demand, the country at the present time facing the cold period. Coal will probably not go within a dollar and one half per ton all this winter to the prices at which it has hitherto been sold; the coal carriers will in this way make up largely for the losses incurred through the strike period.

A FURTHER REACTION.

New York, Oct. 21.—There was a further reaction in the share markets today. Our advice in last Friday's and Saturday's letter to close out long stocks so as to be in position to take them back on reaction then due was well-timed. We now suggest taking back all long stocks on a scale order to buy, and should you not have all re-secured, and the market gets stronger, buy them at market. The market now looks as if reaction had run its course. The lower prices are accompanied by dullness. Stocks do not come out on the decline. The next market change should be for the better. Money closed at 5 per cent. Sales 601,200.

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Wedded in Marmora

A very interesting and pretty wedding was solemnized in Marmora yesterday by Rev. Father Mollagh, when Miss Rose Shannon, of that place, was united in marriage to Mr. Angus McPherson, of town.

The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Francis Shannon, while Mr. Frank McPherson, brother of the groom, performed the duties of groomsman.

On their return to town Mr. and Mrs. McPherson will reside on Patterson st.

Dan Spence Memorial

The Dan Spence Memorial Committee the members of the Town and Ashburnham Councils held a joint meeting in the Town Clerk's office last night, to consider the purchase of an ambulance as a memorial to the late Dan Spence who was killed in South Africa. Mr. Greer, of the London, Ont., Ambulance Company, was present and submitted all necessary information as to the cost, etc.

It was unanimously decided to purchase the ambulance, and a committee, headed by Mayor Denne was appointed to look after the necessary details.

—Odd numbers of that interesting folio "Glimpses of South Africa in Peace and War" will be sold while they last, reduced from fifteen cents to seven cents. Sent by mail for one cent extra for postage. Times Bookstore.

A FORGER'S WORK

Five Cheques of $11.50 Each Which are Not Genuine

On Saturday, last, five cheques, purported to have been drawn by R. Hicks & Co., were cashed by different merchants in town. The cheques were forgeries. Messrs. Hicks & Co., knew nothing of the matter until notified by the police yesterday morning.

As far as can be learned, the man who passed the cheques was about 36 years of age. He endorsed the cheques as "George Grupe." There is not much hope, it seems, of running him down, as no one seems to be able to describe his appearance.

THE RAILWAY GATES

Mr. Edward Brown, G.T.R. Bridge Master in town

As intimated in yesterday's Times, Mr. Edward Brown, Bridge Master for the Grand Trunk Railway, arrived in town and met the Mayor and members of and Council regarding the railway gates which are to be placed at the crossings on Charlotte and Simcoe streets.

The gates are to be placed in position at once. They are now in the freight sheds and are of the usual description, wooden arms worked on steel uprights. Two men will be required to work these, one at Simcoe and the other at Charlotte streets. It will be arranged in such a manner that the man working the gate on one side of the crossing will automatically work the gate on the other side. When the arms of the gate are down it will be impossible for either pedestrians or rigs to pass across. This should make the danger from accidents considerably less than formerly and is a precaution which has been long needed in Peterborough.

Who is Grimison?

Port Hope Guide:—Yesterday morning the chief constable was called upon to exercise his authority on John Grimison of Peterborough, who was raising a disturbance on Walton street. Grimson refused to go with the chief, and in the scuffle that followed, a large crowd of men and boys stood aside and cheered for the young man, instead of helping to put him in the lock-up. At last with the assistance of Mr. Sing and Mr. Gamble, Grimison was lodged safely in the goal. Had he gone along quietly, in all probability he would have been let out in the afternoon, but instead of that he had to pay dear for it, and we hope it will be a lesson to him.

Pleasant Evening at Y. W. C. A.

A very pleasant time was spent last evening, at the rooms of the Y.W.C.A the occasion being the reception to the new members of the society.

During the evening an address very interesting and instructing was delivered by Miss Dixon, secretary of the Y.W.C.A., after which a programme of instrumental and vocal music was rendered. All then adjourned to the members parlor which was arranged in the form of an art gallery. Small slips of paper were then distributed bearing a number of short sentences or clauses, that called for an answer. The person having the largest number of correct answers winning the prize. Miss Gillespie being the lucky one having 42 correct answers out of a possible 50. The meeting was then brought to a close by singing the National Anthem.

ATTACKED BY A DOG

Master Kenneth Overend is Badly Bitten by a Dog

While playing in the yard of the Cavanagh House, Kenneth, son of Mr. W. J. Overend, of the C.P.R. Hotel, was savagely attacked by a large mastiff belonging to the Cavanagh House. The brute grabbed the child by the calf of one of his legs, and was only driven off by Mr. Harry Cavanagh, who fortunately happened to be near at hand, and who had to beat the dog over the head with a stick of wood. Dr. Greer, who dressed the lad's wounds, had to put in 17 stitches.

The dog has always been a favorite with children and was never known to have bitten anyone. He was promptly killed.

We are pleased to say that the wounds are not likely to be serious.

FOR MUNICIPAL HONORS

Prospective Candidates for the Coming Year

The municipal barometer will soon begin to rise, as the time for the municipal elections is now only a few weeks off. Referring to the possible candidates, it may be stated that an effort is likely to be made to induce Mayor Denne to accept another term. He has been a success as chief magistrate, and would probably be re-elected without opposition. Mr. Geo. M Roger, is regarded as his successor should he determine to retire on his well-earned honors. In Mr. Roger the ratepayers will have a candidate who will be sure to do credit to the position, and perform the duties admirably. The names of Messrs. Aldermen Best and Shortly have also been used in connection with the mayoralty.

For the Council the only new names we have heard mentioned are Mr. R. F. McWilliams, V. Eastwood, Wm. Madill. Other names will no doubt appear as the campaign develops. We understand all the members of the present council will stand for re-election.

A SPLENDID INVESTMENT

In the New York Grass Valley Gold Mining Company

We call the special attention of Canadian investors to the advertisement in this issue of The Times of the above Company, of which Messrs. Thorne & Hayes, 26 Moffat Block, Detroit, are the Fiscal Agents.

The company is splendidly officered and those who desire a safe and profitable investment should at once make application for stock.

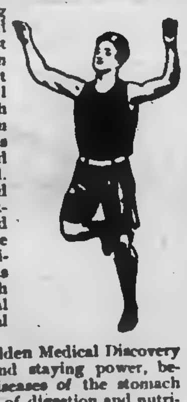
The property of the Company consists of 30 mines of 600 acres of United States patented land, has a 10-stamp mill in operation on the property, and will install 20 more stamps.

The Company expects to pay dividends about the first of the year. The capital stock is $2,000,000, divided into $1 shares, which are selling at 25c per share. It is expected that the stock will be selling above par within a year.

Mr. C. H. J. Mitchell, has been appointed fiscal agent, and will be pleased to furnish prospectuses and other information on application.

Starting and Staying.

At the start in a long race, the advantage often appears to be with an outsider. But the race is won not in starting but in staying. The quality which wins is staying power. It is so in the race of life. Staying power wins, and as a rule the best stayer is the man with the best stomach. All physical strength is derived from food which is properly digested and assimilated. When the food eaten is only partly digested and assimilated there is a loss of nutrition which means a loss of strength and the general result is physical break-down.



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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. J. H. Carnegie, M. P. P, of Coboconk, was in town yesterday.

—Miss May Duncan, of Millbrook, is visiting the Misses Melville.

—Miss Winnie Moon, of Stirling, is the guest of Miss Margarett Brooks.

—Miss Maud Elliott has returned after spending a few days in Toronto.

—Miss Thompson, of the staff of the Peterborough Business College, spent Thanksgiving at her home in Orillia.

—Mr. Frank Young, the popular mate of the steamer Majestic, was in town yesterday.

—Miss Bessie Sawyer, of Revelstoke, B.C., is the guest of Miss Marguerite Fraser, town.

—Mrs. G. Lessmouth has returned home after a very enjoyable visit of three weeks in the city of Chicago and Pullman, Illinois.

—Miss Jessie Irving Burritt, daughter of Mr. J. H. Burritt, K.C., of Pembroke and niece of Mr. Dr. Burritt, and Mrs. H. C. Rogers, of town, was married at Pembroke last Thursday to Mr. W. L. Hunter.

—Globe:—Mrs. Charles McGill, with her daughter, Madge, and young son, Stanley Blair, has lately returned from a two years' residence abroad. Miss McGill, with her brother, was under the tuteiage of Professor Marchand, of Paris. Miss McGill has graduated with honors, after which she accompanied her mother on an extended tour, which included trips through the British Isles, Norway and Sweden, Russia, Germany, Holland, Palestine, Egypt, and a delightful trip up the Nile.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—It is said that 400 grain cars passed through Peterborough on Sunday on the Grand Trunk.

—A carrier boy wanted at The Times office to take one of the Ashburnham routes. Good wages.

—The police court will meet at 10 o'clock instead of 9 o'clock in the mornings from now until May next.

—Mr. Fred. Roy will accompany a party of deer hunters to the north this season for the purpose of obtaining views for an American sporting magazine.

—Mr T. Cavanagh is hiring men for the North Shore lumber camps. Wages range from $26 to $35 per month with board.

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—"How fast they build houses now," said Mr. Dan Burritt to Mr. Will Salisbury yesterday. "They began a house in the west end last week, and now they are putting in the lights." "Yes," exclaimed the junior reporter of this g.f.j. who happened to drop along, "and next week they will be putting in the "liver."

—The American Cereal Company yesterday began using power from the Otonabee Power Company's station at dam No. 5. The Cereal Company are at present using about 250 h.p. of this power, but this will be increased in the course of a week or two to five or six hundred horse power. The Cereal Company will continue to use this power until their new power house is completed.

ALLURING COFFEE

Nearly Killed the Nurse

When one of the family is sick Mother seems to be the only person who can tenderly nurse the patient back to health. But we forget sometimes that it is pretty hard on mother.

Mrs. Propst of Albany, Ore., says:—"About twenty-seven months ago, Father suffered with a stroke of paralysis, confining him to his bed for months, and as he wished Mother with him constantly, his care in a great measure fell to her lot. She was seventy-four years old, and through constant attendance upon my father, lost both sleep and rest, and began drinking coffee in quantities until finally she became very weak, nervous and ill herself.

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Court of Revision

NOTICE is hereby given that, a session of the Court of Revision of the Town of Peterborough will be held in the Town Council Chamber in the said Town on WEDNESDAY, THE 29th DAY OF OCTOBER, 1902, at 7.30 o'clock p.m., to hear appeals respecting the Assessment Roll of the said Town of Peterborough, of which all persons interested will take notice.

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In Five Years Chinese Territory Has Been Transferred to Russia

Debates on German Tariff Bill—Difficulties in the Way of a Solution are Very Great—Sale of West Indies

London, Oct. 22—A Pekin correspondent who has just completed four months' journey through Manchuria says:—"I have been an eye-witness to the marvelous energy which in five years, despite the Boxer outbreak, has transformed Manchuria virtually into a Russian province. Five years ago the traveller laboriously crossed Manchuria in a Chinese cart, now the country is traversed over a well-built and equipped railway, and one is met on every hand with friendly courtesy. I saw the Russian city of Harbin built up boldly out of the most fertile plain in the heart of Manchuria. I saw thousands of solid buildings showing signs of permanent Russian occupation along the entire length of the railway. The transformation in this region has been so marvelously rapid that the Chinaman already seems to be an intruder in Heilung Kiang, and Siberia appears to have extended southward with the railway. Hailor, which five years ago consisted of a few Mongol tents, is now a Russian town, with shops, hotels and hospitals. I counted twenty-two locomotives at the railway station. Harbin is now a Russian city, with a civil population of 9,000 throbbing with activity. The river steamers there are as [illegible] as on any American river. At other places to the Eastward, there are large Russian settlements and to the southward Russian settlements are being built alongside of all great cities. The Russian concession at Mukden around the railway station covers ten square miles. The railway guards are now significantly called frontier guards and they will number 30,000 or more if Russia thinks it fit to erect permanent guard-houses every third mile along the length of railway, and a large barracks at every important centre. Russia's assurances of re-evacuation will be faithfully carried out, because afterward by concentrating the army of occupation along the railway, which passes the gates of the most important cities, she will be more immovably installed than ever before. Evacuation simply means the removal of troops to concession settlements, which in every case are at places where the city, evacuated can be struck. Manchuria is disarmed and absolutely dominated by Russia."

MAY DAMAGE GERMAN DIGNITY.

London, Oct. 22—The Times' correspondent at Berlin says that it is pointed out in many quarters that if the tariff bill debates are prolonged for weeks and months without a prospect of legislative result, the situation will do the utmost damage to the dignity and authority of the Government in the Reichstag. The proceedings will degenerate into a mere subject of caricature. On the other hand, it is pointed out that the difficulties in the way of a solution of the problem at the present time are almost insuperable. It is difficult to see what attitude the Government can adopt at the next election toward Conservatives in the clerical centre upon which it has hitherto relied.

DISTRICT NEWS

INDIAN RIVER.

—Indian River is booming at present

—Mr. T. H. Legget shipped three car loads of beef cattle from here on Wednesday, also a car of hogs. He intends marketing them in Buffalo.

—Mr. R. Torpey shipped two cars of hogs on Monday. He also shipped a car of beef cattle on Tuesday.

—The grain market here is very dull. It seems the buyers want about every 10 bushel and that is leaving the farmer to draw his grain to Peterboro.

—Mr. T. Gavey, of Smith, was the guest of Miss Emma O'Leary on Sunday last.

—Miss Lucy O'Leary and Miss Curran, of Bismarck, North Dakota, left for their homes on Friday evening, 17th inst.

—Mr. Walter Kerr was terribly frightened by a turkey the other night. He intends giving the turkey a more severe fright on Hallowe'en.

KEENE

—Dr. an dMrs. Harrison are attending the Sunday School convention being held at St. Thomas.

—The farmers in this vicinity are at present engage din storing away their root crop for winter use.

—Large flocks of wild geese passed over our village on Sunday last, which accounts for our present frosty nights.

—The potato crop is poor in our vicinity, and many are complaining of the tubers rotting in their cellars.

—A short time ago a black ground hog was captured on a farm north of our village. This certainly is a curiosity.

—Dogs are becoming scarcer in our village. Another was treated to a dose of poison last week. It is a pity that the guilty party cannot be detected an darrested and severely punished.

—Cows have still possession of our streets an dare taking advantage of our new sidewalk.

APSLEY

—The Beaver Lodge Hunting Club are making extensive preparations for a big hunt this fall. A business meeting to arrange matters was called for Thursday evening, Oct. 9th. All the members were present except Lena, who has gone to Minnesota. Minutes of former meeting were read and confirmed. Treasurer's report showed a balance on hand of 37c. On motion the treasurer was ordered to deposit same in First National Bank, and to get seven receipts for it. Three new members were added to the club, viz: J. W. Stewart, Albert Smith and R. Patteson. After being duly instructed in the signs and passwords and invested with the badge of the club (a beaver's tail) the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Lafayette, Jr; treasurer, General Don Clinton; secretary, Spike Fred. As none of the members would accept the office of cook it was decided to hire Roy Neil for the season, and each member to take all risks. Benny was re-elected Master of Hounds. He reported several additions to the pack, which now numbered 13, viz: 2 deer hounds, 6 bear dogs, 3 coon dogs, and 2 that are just dogs, but Benny says they will all work or he will know why. Curly will be on hand again if he can spare time from attending to the Lime Stone Fort. Spike says he will be there sure now, as a boy came to his house Oct. 9th. He is not very big, but judging from the way he runs the house already, will be able to run the whole town in two weeks time.

—Our blacksmith had the misfortune to get badly kicked by a horse last week, but is able to attend to business again.

—Apsley and Clydesdale teachers are back again from their Thanksgiving holidays.

—Threshing machines are humming in every direction now. Johnny is getting in his work with a steam thresher.

—Mr. R. A. Dutton, and Mr. Joe Yelland, from town, are here enjoying the sport of partridge shooting for a few days. They are the guests of Mr. Wm. Gallon, who inveigled them to church on Sunday. Joe did a lot of kicking, but his chum went meekly along, and took his medicine like a man. The woods in the neighborhood of the village are being splendidly "salted" just now with lead.

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Hunters' Excursions

The Grand Trunk announce single first class fare from stations in Canada and west, to that Sportsman's Paradise the "Highlands of Ontario," which include the Muskoka Lakes district, Lake of Bays, Lake Nipissing, Argyle to Coboconk, Severn to North Bay, Lindsay to Haliburton, on line of Canada Atlantic Railroad, Rainy Lake to Parry Sound, and on C.P.R. Mattawa to Nepigon. Tickets are good going Oct. 24th to Nov. 1st, inclusive, and valid returning until December 13th.

Reports from this district promise a record year, and the deer are much more numerous. The fact that there is an open season for moose this year Nov. 1st to 15th, will induce many hunters to take advantage of these low rates, and enjoy this exhilarating sport. Illustrated booklets entitled "Haunts of Fish and Game" may be obtained from W. Bunton, City Passenger Agent, or to J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, Toronto.

A Great Sufferer Cured

Mr. Benjamin Dillon, of Leeds, Ont., was cured of muscular rheumatism by Polson's Nerviline, and says, I feel my duty is to proclaim Polson's Nerviline as an infallible cure for rheumatism; it cured me after 20 years suffering, and nothing I know of can equal its penetrating power. Nerviline simply has no equal in quickly relieving and curing rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica and lumbago. A trial will convince anyone. Price 25c.

Wedded in Lakefield Lakefield

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mr. Watson, Lakefield, when his charming daughter, Miss E. C. Watson, was united in marriage to Mr. John Henderson, of the same place. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Geo. Warren, in the presence of a number of the immediate friends of the contracting parties.

Miss Dollie Montgomery assisted the bride, while Mr. Andrew Henderson, brother of the groom, performed similar duties for the groom.

The happy couple left on the 1.20 train this morning for a short honeymoon.

BANK CAN'T GET AT ITS MONEY

All Shut Up in a Vault Which Even Lock Experts Can't Open

Port Chester, Oct. 20—The safe deposit vaults and the safe of the First National Bank of Port Chester have been closed since last Saturday because a bolt slipped out of place. In the vaults are $100,000 in cash, besides bonds worth $1,000,000. In order to carry on its business, the bank has been forced to borrow funds from the Mutual Trust Company. For several days three experts have been trying to get the doors open.

BRICK PEAT FOR FUEL

If Experiments are Successful St. Louis County Can supply Entire West, It Is Said

Duluth, Oct. 21—Peat from the bogs of St. Louis county may be called into use for fuel this winter. Chemists in the laboratory of the Fayal mine, this county, have been experimenting with it, and they say that when pressed into bricks and dried it makes excellent fuel, almost as good as anthracite.

Ultimately this peat would become coal, the scientists say, and it is proposed to simply hasten the process of nature by utilizing the peat now instead of waiting.

There are peat bogs miles in area in this county, and it is said that if experiments come out properly there is enough to supply the entire west with fuel.

AMERICAN MONEY GOOD

Woman Advertises That She Will Promise Good Time at the Durbar

An English lady advertises that she is starting for India next month to attend the Durbar at Delhi, and that she would chaperon an American or British young lady.

The terms for four months' chaperonage are $2,000, and as an enticement the advertiser adds that having many invitations, she would be able to promise a very good time.

The advertisement is palpably aimed at rich Americans, in forgetfulness of the fact that it was a rich American girl who not long ago went to India chaperoned by the viceroy himself, regardless of expense.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

CONCLUSION OF THE BUSINESS OF THE COURT YESTERDAY

Jory vs. English Postponed to Spring Assizes—True Bill Against John Fallon

The business of the High Court of Justice was concluded today.

The Grand Jury returned a true bill against John Fallon, who was charged under the Charlton Act. Having concluded their other business the jurors this afternoon returned the following presentment:

To the Honorable Mr. Justice Meredith, presiding at the Fall Assizes for the County of Peterborough:—

Your Grand Jurors, having completed their duties, desire to make their presentment.

Your Grand Jurors have disposed of the only criminal charge laid before them and deem it a subject of congratulation to the community that the criminal calendar is so light.

Your jurors have examined the county jail and have found everything in good order and the prisoners well cared for.

Your jurors have visited the hospitals and have to report that these institutions are well managed, and under the control of competent officials and assistants.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Dated this 22nd October, 1902.

JAMES ANDREWS,
Foreman.

After thanking the Grand Jurors for the faithful discharge of their duties, Hon. Justice Meredith dismissed them.

The case Jory vs. English was referred to the county judge.

ONE YEAR FOR FALON.

The jury returned a verdict against John Fallon about 3.30, and the Hon. Justice sentenced him to one year in the Central prison.

Catarrhozone

An instant relief and perfect cure for colds, coughs, catarrh, deafness, asthma, bronchitis, lung trouble and consumption.

Inhale Catarrhozone five minutes any time and it kills a cough or cold in the head.

Inhale Catarrhozone five minutes four times daily and it permanently cures chronic catarrh, deafness, asthma and hay fever.

Inhale Catarrhozone ten minutes every hour and it cures pneumonia, consumption and lung trouble, and prevents all contagious diseases. Complete outfit, $1, trial size 25c. Druggists or N. C. Polson & Co, Kingston, Ont.

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—Lindsay will have a boxing school with a well known pugilist as teacher, "Shadow" Mafor, who fought with Kid McCoy and other clever boxers, was in town on Tuesday looking over the ground and received good encouragement.

PETERBORO CHEESE BOARD.

RESULT OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD ON WEDNESDAY

Highest Price was 11 1-4c—This was Obtained After a Slight Hitch—Over 3000 Boxes went at That Price

The regular meeting of the Peterborough Cheese Board was held Wednesday morning. Buyers present were Messrs. Kerr, Fitzgerald, Cook, Whitton, Rollins and Brown. There were 5,536 cheese boarded as follows:

Keene	204
Warminster	115
Shearer	85
Central Smith	200
North Smith	137
Villiers	160
Warsaw	130
Westwood	200
Oakdale	150
Missing Link	215
Daisy D.	85
Melrose Abbey	130
Lakefield	170
Peterborough	89
Otonabee Union	75
Myrtle Leaf	135
Myrtle	171
Ormonde	225
Young's Point	135
Lang	200
Fraserville	175
Indian River	110
North Dummer	75
Ballyduff	42
East Emily	117
Treewern	120
Bensfort	172
Cedardale	78
Stoney Lake	50
Cavanville	226
Mount Pleasant	90
Norwood	200
Fleetwood	200
Oak Leaf	45
Darlington Union	100
Buckhorn	135
Soith Burleigh	40
Brickley	80
Shamrock	110
Dartford	120
Apsley	60
Percy	250

Mr. Cook brought attention to the fact that a few of the dear hunters present wished to have the Board adjourne dfor three weeks and that the balance of the season's work be then sold. Mr Cook said he, of course, looked for a supply of venison from Mr. Whitton and Mr. Rollins who were mighty hunters, and made a motion in favor of adjournment. It was carried.

One of the salesmen asked if any of the buyers had the right to make such a motion.

Mr. Cook expressed the opinion that they had, and further thought that next year the buyers should be taxed the same Board fees as the salesmen. This brought forth many evidences of approval.

Bidding started with Mr. Kerr's offer of 11; Mr. Whitton raised to 11 11-16; Mr. Fitzgerald to 11 1-8; Mr. Whitton to 11 3-16. Mr. Whitton bid the highest and he called Westwood, Shearer, Ormonde, Villiers, Oak Leaf, Keene, all of whom refused. Mr. Whitton then went 11 1-4 and when he called Westwood there came from Mr. Blezard an emphatic "No!" He then called Keene and Mr. Drummond, the salesman hesitated until he discovered what was the reason for this extraordinary block in proceedings. Mr Blezard evidently had something up his sleeve, and it appeared that the other salesmen were following suit in good faith. Mr. Whitton remarked, "They don't get any more from me. Other buyers suggested that the Board be adjourned.

Mr. Cook pointed out that there was no difference in prices for white and colored cheese on the English market but there were 2,000 orders for white where there was not one for colored cheese.

Mr. Whitton stated that he had offered the price the market warranted for white and colored cheese. He would withdraw his bid of 11 1-4 and would hold by 11 3-16. He had made the higher bid on the spur of the moment he said.

Mr. Cook suggested that there be an adjournment.

Mr Whitton—"I am here to buy cheese and not to lose money. White cheese is in demand and the salesmen have had their chances nine times out of ten in regard to colored cheese. They should now give us a show." He renewed his offer of 11 3-16 and called Ormonde, Shearer, Villiers, Westwood and Oak Leaf and was refused. He finally raised to 11 1-4 and was accepted by these factories.

Everything now ran smoothly and there was a great demand for cheese.

Mr. Fitzgerald at 11 1-4 took Keene, Fraserville, Myrtle and Lakefield.

Mr. Rollins next called 11 1-4 and took Warminster, North Smith, Oakdale, Daisy D., Maple Leaf, Young's Point, North Dummer, Cedar Dale, Stony Lake, South Burleigh, Apsley, and Pine Grove.

Mr Kerr at 11 1-4 took Bensfort, Mt. Pleasant, Fleetwood, East Emily, Central Smith, Cavanville, Missing Link, Norwood, Melrose Abbey, Ballyduff, Dartford, Percy, Shamrock and Brickley.

Mr. Cook called 11 1-4 and Mr. Kerr then asked to be allowed to add Buckhorn. Mr. Cook registered a kick against any such procedure, but the chairman ruled, on the ground, of precedent in Mr. Kerr's favor.

Mr. Cook held that this was not businesslike. He called Lang, Indian River, Otonabee Union, and Peterborough.

Mr. Fitzgerald added Treewern to his selections.

Darlington Union went to Mr. Cook at 11 3-16.

Mr. Galvin called attention to the fact that next meeting would be the last of the season and hoped that dues would be promptly paid.

The Board then adjourned for three weeks.

Thursday's Sale of Silk Velvets

Line of silk velvets, all in the leading shades, worth from $1.25 to $2.25, on sale Thursday, one price, 69 cents per yard.

Special sale of ostrich feathers and tips, to be sold Thursday morning at half marked price.

Don't mistake the place, the Bankrupt Stock Store, 408 George street.

—Two furnished rooms to let, suitable for young women going to business. Meals can be had if desired. Very central location. Apply at Times Bookstore for address.

Mainly About People.

A rash Irishman had climbed up a tree in pursuit of a small but irate wildcat. His friend, awaiting him below, heard in dismay the uproar of a fierce combat. "Pat," he shouted, "Pat, shall I come up and help you catch him?" Above the crash of breaking branches came a groan, "No, for Hivin's sake come up and help me let him go."

A Dowling avenue (Parkdale) reader sends the following: "Last washday, in our house, the washerwoman asked the domestic whether she should starch the master's pyjamas. 'Good gracious, no!' exclaimed the maid; 'master sleeps in those!' 'Now, see here,' replied the garrulous apostle of the washtub, 'I know what pyjamas is, 'cause I've washed 'em in the best houses in the city, and I tell you that your master will wear 'em when he goes a-fishin', so I guess he'll want 'em starched.'"

A gentleman visiting a minister was asked to attend Sunday school at his host's church and address a few remarks to the children. He took the familiar theme of the children who mocked Elijah on his journey to Bethel—how the youngsters taunted the poor old prophet, and how they were punished when two she-bears came out of the wood and ate forty and two of them. "And now, children," said the speaker, wishing to learn if his talk had produced any moral effect, "what does this story show?" "Please, sir," came from a little girl well down in front, "it shows how many children two she-bears can hold."

John Kendrick Bangs says that one evening he found himself on the rear platform of a crowded New York car with a policeman whom he understood to be the largest man on the force. This policeman, according to his own statement, was six feet eight inches in height, and weighed in his best condition two hundred and ninety-two pounds. Mr. Bangs fell into a pleasant conversation with the giant, in the course of which he complimented him on his great size, which he said he supposed must be a very valuable asset to a man of his profession. "Well, sor," replied the policeman, meditatively, "I ain't got no grievance against me size when I am travelin' along with a rough crowd. But when it comes to buying pants, it's h—ll."

Sir Wemyss Reid tells a good story about William Black. At a banquet of the Royal Academy at which he was present two rich gentlemen, with "self-made" written large all over them, enquired with an air of patronage what line of business he was in. On his meekly replying that he wrote novels, they expressed their surprise and pleasure at meeting a person of his class. The first gentleman said, "I like to meet littery people. I buy books. I've got a library of six hundred volumes all bound in full calf. I've got all the works of Thackeray and Dickenson, and if you'll tell me the names of yours I'll buy them too I've never read them." The second gentleman, anxious to atone for his friend's indiscretion, kicked his shins under the table and said, "Oh yes, you have, but you've forgotten them."

At a little girls' party recently a tot had been valiantly boasting of the advantages of belonging to her family, and had managed to hold her own against the vainglorious and ingenuous discourses of her companions. They had gone from clothes to personal appearances, then to interior furnishings, then to the number of tons of coal consumed in the home of each during the last winter, and finally brought up at parental dignity. The minister's little girl boasted: "Every package that comes for my pa is marked 'D. D.!'" "An' every package that comes for my pa is marked 'M. D.!'" retorted the daughter of a physician of the neighborhood. Then came a fine snort of contempt from the heroine of this anecdote. "Huh!" she exclaimed. "Every package that comes to our house is marked 'C. O. D.!' There, now!"

William Pruette, the singer, was one of a group of married men who were discussing housekeeping and servants the other evening in a Philadelphia hotel corridor. He told of a girl who served him and Mrs. Pruette well enough while they were living in a New York flat several years ago, and who one day went to Mrs. Pruette in tears and asked permission to go home for a few days—she had a telegram telling that her mother was ill. "Of course, go," said Mrs. Pruette—"only, Maggie, do not stay longer than is necessary. We need you." Maggie promised to return as soon as possible, and hurried away. A week passed without a word from her, then came a note by mail, reading: "Deer Miss Pruete I will be back nex week an plese kep my place for me, mother is dying as fast as she can. To oblidg Maggie."

In Legal Terms.

"If I were to give you an orange," said the judge, "I would simply say, 'I give you the orange,' but should the transaction be entrusted to a lawyer to put in writing he would adopt this form:

"'I hereby give, grant, and convey to you all my interest, right, title and advantage of and in said orange, together with its rind, skin, juice, pulp and pits; and all rights and advantages therein, with full power to bite, suck, or otherwise eat the same or give away with or without rind, skin, juice, pulp or pits; anything hereinbefore or in any other deed or deeds, instruments of any nature or kind whatever to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.'"

Unflattering to the Press.

Although the power of the press can hardly be overestimated, little that is printed leaves a permanent impression. Dr. Edward Everett Hale puts it characteristically in commenting on the sensitiveness of his distinguished kinsman, Edward Everett, to what appeared about him in print. "He did not know, as I do, that of whatever is put in the newspaper half the people who see it do not read it; second, that half of those do not understand it; third, that of the half who understand it, half do not believe it; fourth, that of the half who believe it, half forget it; fifth, that the half who remember it are probably of no great account, anyway." To which Dr. Hale adds the remark, personal to himself, "This may be forgotten with the rest." Nevertheless, it has a kernel of truth worth remembering.

Mistress (to new servant)—There are two things, Mary, about which I am very particular; they are truthfulness and obedience. Mary—Yes'm; and when you tell me to say you're not in, when a person calls that you don't wish to see, which is it to be, mum—truthfulness or obedience?—The "King" (London).

—Mr. G. W. Brockenshire, drayman, of Port Hope, arrived in town with a pretty little yacht "Gochingo Mink," last evening, the property of Mr. Alf. McDonald, of the Point St. Charles Lumber Co., which he purchased from Dr. Nelands, of Port Hope. Mr. Brockenshire will launch the yacht this morning. [illegible] weight 2300 lbs. [illegible]

ALL SOMALILAND HAS RISEN AGAINST BRITISH

The Mad Mullah Has Now Over Thirty Thousand Soldiers in the Field

BRITISH REINFORCEMENTS HURRIED FORWARD

Regiments From India Being Rushed to the Scene of Conflict—A Big War On

Special to The Times

London, October 23—The latest despatches indicate that the Mad Mullah has at least 30,000 soldiers, well drilled and armed with rifles, to fight the British.

It is stated that a man namer Karl Unger is cooperating with the Mad Mullah. Unger is an ex-officer of the Austrian Army who took service with the Madhi in the Soudan. Subsequently, in 1897, he came to Europe, where he styled himself the Special Envoy and Viceroy of Somaliland. He aimed to establish an independent kingdom in that country, and to organize trade with Europe.

He was able to equip an armed expedition, which sailed from Flume, but he could not land. The French Consul at Jubitil confiscated the army of the expedition and the members dispersed. Unger subsequently was with Osman Digna, the Lieutenant of the Madhi

It is believed that the Mad Mullah now has between thirty and forty thousand men. Col. Swayne's reinforcements do not number more than 4,000.

Alfred Pease, M.P., and other travellers, who have been in Somaliland say that it is now necessary to conquer the whole country, as the Mullah is certain to be reinforced by all the petty Sultans. The natives will even make the ports on the coast untenable unless the country is effectively occupied.

Calcutta, Oct. 23—Two Indian regiments will leave immediately for Somaliland, East Africa, to reinforce the British troops under Col. Swayne, who were recently defeated by the Mad Mullah.

Paris, Oct. 23—The Journal des Debats declares that Great Britain's object in ending the expedition against the Mad Mullah in Somaliland was to pave the way for the subsequent conquest of Abyssinia. The paper says England now discovers that she has a long and costly undertaking on her hands.

The Temps regards the defeat of Col. Swayne as another sorry exhibition of British military methods.

THE MOLSONS BANK

Very Satisfactory Report Presented at Annual Meeting

We congratulate the Molsons' Bank on the result of the year's operations as set forth in the financial report presented at the annual meeting recently held at the head office in Montreal. The net profits for the year, after deducting expenses of management, reservation for interest accrued on deposits, and provisions for bad and doubtful debts are shown to be $351,000. Of this sum $225,000 went into dividends and $100,000 was added to the reserve fund, which now amounts to $2,350,000. The non-interest bearing deposits amount to $3,545,000 as compared with $2,792,000 a year ago. The interest bearing deposits amount to $13,561,000, as compared with $2,453,000 a year ago. Calls and short loans on bonds and stocks amount to $2,806,000 as compared with $1,215,000 a year ago. The sum of $7,500 has been added to the officers' pension fund.

INTERESTING WEDDING

Nuptials of Mr. Robt. Hicks and Miss Mary Menzies

The home of Mr. Wm. Menzies, 291. Rubidge street, was the scene of a very pretty house wedding yesterday afternoon when his daughter Miss Mary was united in marriage to Mr. Robt. Hicks, manager of R. Hicks & Co., lumber and fuel dealers.

The ceremony which was performed by Rev. Dr. E. F. Torrance, assisted by Rev. J. A. Wilson, took place at 2 p.m., only the immediate friends of the contracting parties being present.

A profusion of pink and white chrysanthemums prettily combined with palms, ferns and smilax composed the tasteful floral decorations.

The bride who was most becomingly attired in a suit of navy blue chevoit with an Irish point lace collar, was given away by her father and entered the drawing room to the strains of Mendelssohn's "Wedding March," capably rendered by her cousin, Miss May Patterson.

Miss Isabel Menzies, sister of the bride, who was also charmingly attired in biscuit voile over burnt orange tafetta, with trimmings of black and linen appliqeu, performed the duty of bridesmaid. Both bride and bridesmaid carried magnificent boquets of chrysanthemums and maiden hair ferns, the former of white and the latter pink.

Mr. W. C. Ackerman ably assisted the grrom. A pretty gold wishbone set with pearls was the groom's gift to the bride. After the ceremony an elaborate wedding breakfast was served by Mr. Harry Long, caterer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hicks left on the 5.10 C.P.R. train for Toronto and Buffalo and on their return will take up their residence on the corner of Murray and Aylmer street.

The very best wishes of Peterborough and community follow this happy young couple in their new life, for a long life of unalloyed happiness and abundant prosperity.

WEATHER NOTES

Thursday—South and south-west winds mostly fair and warmer.

The weather continues fair and mild in

the Northwest Territories and Manitoba. Frost occurred last night very generally in Ontario, Quebec, and the Maritime Provinces, but the tendency will now be towards higher temperature. The present indications are for unsettled weather on the great lakes, and squalls are not improbable.

PASSES TO HEAVEN

American Senator Charges Missionaries With Swindling Ignorant Hawaiians

Topeka, Kan., Oct. 22.—United States Senator Burton arrived here to-night preparatory to entering the State campaign He has just returned from Hawaii, where he went as one of a Senatorial investigating committee.

"The Hawaiians are fine people," he said to-night, "but they are in hard lines just at present. Their condition is the suit of the work of Boston missionaries. A number of missionaries have been over there recently and have given many of the natives certificates guaranteed to admit them to heaven in exchange for their lands. A number of the more ignorant natives have been swindled this way. Those who have learned their mistake are naturally a trifle suspicious of all Americans.

TOOK SNAPSHOTS IN SALOONS

Topeka Minister Will Show Them and Some Topeka Citizens are Worried

Topeka, Kan., Oct. 22—Supporters of the independent candidates for Sheriff and county attorneys here who are pledged to complete the destruction of the Topeka liquor joints begun by Mrs. Nation, have created consternation among certain persons who pose as temperance advocates and leaders in the church

On Friday night the friends of the temperance candidates will give a unique entertainment by throwing upon an immense canvas scenes of fifty Topeka These snapshots were made by Rev. A. M. Jackson, disguised as a saloon frequenter. The faces of many prominent persons will be shown in these pictures including some temperance advocates.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

Montreal, Oct. 23—Sir Audley Gosling who for many years was British Minister to the Republic of Chili, is a guest at the Windsor, accompanied by his son-in-law, Mr. Oliver Wetead, who is interested in some mining properties in British Columbia.

Sir Audley speaks enthusiastically of the Chilaneos, who, he says, are the most intellectual and advanced of any of the Spanish-American Republics. They are honorable and enterprising, have a fine army, and an exceptionally efficient navy. While not aggressive, they have the power to make themselves felt and have a stable and well conducted government. The boundary dispute with the Argentine Republic, in Sir Audley's opinion, will be amicably settled, and both countries will abide by the decision of King Edward, who is the sole arbitrator to settle the dispute. The mining industries of Chili are progressive, the country is prosperous, and it is not a prey to the everlasting revolutions which devastate other South American Republics. In Sir Audley's opinion the only way to secure a stable government there will be for the United States to absorb the whole of the South American continent, which, he believes, is its manifest destiny, perhaps not in this century, but eventually.

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Cleveland's
BAKING POWDER
All the Leading Teachers of Cookery use it. Why?
Does better work and goes further than any other.
MARION HARLAND, author Common Sense in the Household.

NERVOUSNESS

Or despondency caused by weak unhealthy nerves, are responsible for more sickness and suffering than any other disease. If you have a secret drain from early abuse, later excesses or exposure, you cannot expect healthy nerves while your vitality is being wasted. Do not eke out a miserable existence on account of your follies, you are not safe until cured—nature never excuses—no matter how young, old or innocent one may be.

KIDNEYS AND BLADDER.

Have you pain in the back, a dull feeling in the region of the kidneys? At times your water comes freely, a large quantity light in color, while at other times you do not make it quite so freely, it is dark in color, you make a small quantity, or you may have a mucous deposit or brick dust colored sediment; give your condition immediate attention or more serious complications will set in. My treatment guaranteed as a positive cure for such conditions, and remember you PAY WHEN CURED.

You need pay nothing until you are convinced that a thorough and complete cure has been established. Surely this is fair, as you run no chances. CONSULTATION FREE. If you cannot call, write for blank for home treatment. Perfect system of home treatment for those who cannot call. BOOK FREE. Medicines for Canadian patients shipped from Windsor—All duty and transportation charges prepaid—Everything confidential—No names on envelopes or packages—Nothing sent C. O. D.

DR. GOLDBERG, 208 WOODWARD AVE., Cor. Wilcox Street, DETROIT, MICH.

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Morning Times

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A CURE FOR LEPROSY

Although little is said about the increase of leprosy in the United States and Canada, it is well known that the ancient plague has found a foothold on this continent, and that our closer relations with the leprous countries Hawaii, the Philippines and China, are adding to the number of lepers for whom the Washington and Ottawa authority must become responsible.

Although this appalling skin disease, which takes its name from the flaking off or peeling of the body, has been known to science from earliest times, a cure for which has not been found until within recent days.

In the regions where this malady prevails the utmost savagery is manifested to its unfortunate victims except where a true Christian missionary and the volunteer Christian nurses have alleviated its pains and softened the imprisonment of the lepers.

Lepers are no worse treated by the pagan peoples now than other unfortunates used to be by Christian communities. It is scarcely a hundred years since the insane were looked upon in extensive portions of Christendom as wild beasts. They were either permitted to wander unprotected in the forests or were jailed like criminals and left to perish in filth and hunger.

Heroic science has long been engaged upon the leprosy problem. All act it appears to have secured beneficial results. Dr. Razlag of Vienna has devoted his talents and monetary resources to the study of the disease. Unaided by public or other private funds, in a prolonged isolation he has experimented with lepers until he has found not only a palliative, but, he believes, a cure.

The medical nature of the successful treatment is reserved for science, but it is not strange to find cleanliness its first therapeutic principle. Dr. Razlag has employed frequent baths, salt as well as fresh water, for lepers, and massage, with strict regulation of diet. The improvement following adherence to his rules has been convincing.

It was an officer of the United States medical corps in the Philippines that Dr. Razlag continued the experiments he began in China. Should American intervention in the archipelago result in bestowing upon humanity a cure for leprosy the sacrifices will not have been altogether in vain.

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—Mr. Fred. Roy will accompany a party of deer hunters to the north this season for the purpose of obtaining views for an American sporting magazine.

Mainly About People.

"I wonder what makes my eyes so weak?" a fierce Radical once said to Disraeli. "It is because they are in a weak place," was the reply.

General Horace Porter, the United States minister to France, says that when he departed for his post five years ago, his parting words to Mark Twain, as he was about to board the steamer for the other side, were: "Mark, may the Lord be with you." "Yes," the humorist replied, with a slight cough, "and I hope He may occasionally find a leisure moment to pay some attention to you also."

Once when dining quite by chance with Dr. Creighton, the late Bishop of London, at a certain club, Lord Rosebery remarked: "Ah! my Lord Bishop, what a nuisance this dining is! Two things I absolutely dread—a long dinner and a long sermon! I think that a sermon and a dinner, however good either may be, ought never to last more than a quarter of an hour, or twenty minutes at the most." "Well, well," said Dr. Creighton, musingly, "could we not arrange matters this way, my lord? Knock, say, ten minutes off the sermon, and put it on to the dinner."

Here is the story how Mrs. Caroline Corbin became the anti-woman suffragist leader in Chicago. Mrs. Corbin went to school with Miss Susan B. Anthony, and not until years later the two women met in Washington. "What have you been doing all this while?" asked Miss Anthony. "Bringing up four boys," was the answer. "Boys!" exclaimed the outspoken Susan. "What under the sun is a woman like you doing with four boys?" "I don't know. Would you expect me to strangle them?" "Bosh!" was the reply; "you should never have had them. They will grow up to be men—nothing but men!" It was then that Mrs. Corbin became an opponent of woman suffrage.

Gilbert Parker says of his first attempt at authorship: "I went to Archibald Forbes, with whom I was acquainted, to have him give me a note to the Macmillans, as I wanted to see whether they would not bring out a book of short stories for me. He read the stories and then invited me around to dine, to give me the letter of introduction and his opinion of the stories. 'I have read your sketches,' he said after dinner, 'and I must say this of them. I have never seen such a fine collection of titles in my life.' 'There, don't say another word, Mr. Forbes,' I said; 'I understand perfectly; each title suggests a complete idea which the story fails to carry out. I understand perfectly.' Thereupon I went home and burned every one of them. Then I sat down and wrote the first of the 'Pierre' series, which was the beginning of whatever success I ever had."

Captain French E. Chadwick, U.S.N., who was commander of the flagship "New York" during the Spanish-American war, says that Rear-Admiral Sampson was deeply and unaffectedly religious, and adds: "He was a strict observer of Sunday, but the fact that once, at least, he forgot the days of the week is indicative of the intensity with which the duty in hand always seized him. Having called the captains aboard for consultation on June 4 (a Saturday), he said toward the close of the conference: 'I am going in tomorrow to attack the batteries, so have everything ready by daylight.' Captain Philip, who was most earnest in his religious convictions, at once spoke up: 'But, admiral, to-morrow is Sunday, and I don't believe in fighting on Sunday, unless the other fellow begins. I have always noticed that whoever begins a Sunday fight gets licked.' Sampson at once said: 'I am glad you mentioned that, Jack; to tell the truth, I had forgotten the days of the week. I am no more a believer in fighting on Sunday than you are. Gentlemen, we'll put it off until Monday,' and his order was obeyed."

English Humor.

Mr. Max Beerbohm, in a recent review, writes that he has codified, as it were, all the English comic papers, and finds the following list to comprise, in the order of their importance, all of the subjects discussed:

Mothers-in-law.
Hen-pecked husbands.
Twins.
Old maids.
Jews.
Frenchmen, Germans, Italians, niggers (not Russians or other foreigners of any denomination).
Fatness.
Thinness.
Long hair (worn by a man).
Baldness.
Sea-sickness.
Stuttering.
Bloomers.
Bad cheese.
Shooting the moon (slang expression for leaving a lodging-house without paying the bill).
Red noses.

Questions and Answers.

Here are some answers to questions in examination papers:

What religion had the Britons? A strange and terrible one called religion of the dudes.

What caused the death of Cleopatra? It was because she bit a wasp.

What can you tell of Johnson? He survived Shakespeare in some respects.

What is the spinal column? Bones running all over the body. It is considered dangerous.

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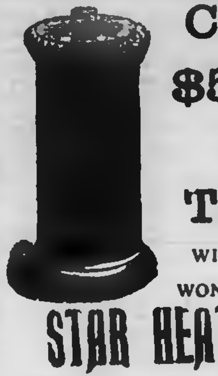

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"No 'buts' until you've heard me out!" Macaire broke in. "My friends all know me for a sportsman, and I have few friends who are not sporting men. Sometimes, to amuse them, I have a show in a big vault of a room under my house, and nobody outside is the wiser. Last spring I managed a pretty good glove fight—Joe Nash, known as Joey the Kid, and a mulatto, Bill Clay. They were both first-rate men. The Kid is the champion of his county, and since he downed Clay, who had a splendid record in the prize-ring in the States——"

"I've heard of him," said Newcome.

"I thought you must have. Well, the Kid has gone swaggering about swearing there's no one who can touch him. He's getting tiresome, and I should like nothing better than to see you knock him out—at my place, with my friends and me looking on—for a purse, of, say, two thousand pounds. It would be a very sporting thing for you to accept."

Hope Newcome flushed a little, and did not hurry in answering. He saw that the millionaire looked upon him as an animal, and valued him as a man may value a new hunter which he thinks of securing. Newcome felt that there were things in him of more worth than his muscles, and he liked not the proposal made by the millionaire. But only this morning he had told himself that he would do anything for a hundred pounds, even to committing a crime. Not for his own necessities, though he wanted money badly enough, but for another use upon which he had set his heart and soul. Now, here was the chance of earning much more than the sum he had thought of—a chance which a few hours ago had seemed as far away from him as the stars in heaven. It would be madness to think of letting it slip.

But Macaire believed that he was hesitating in the hope of a larger bribe. That bribe he had meant to offer by and by; now, however, he proceeded to "spring" it at once.

"Two thousand pounds is the purse for which you would put on the gloves," he said. "But I'm rather a whimsical fellow. I like my jest with the world, which has played some hard tricks on me; and in this hour that you and I have had together an idea has come into my head concerning you. Two thousand pounds is a good enough purse, maybe, but it's not a fortune; and I hinted to you that you might make your fortune. If you knock the Kid out you get the purse, but how would you like at the same time to blossom out as a rich young man about town, with a name and enough money to buy you a place in society? A place as good as mine, for instance?"

Macaire watched the dark face, but it changed very little. There was only a slight quivering of the lips for a second, which ended in a smile—not exactly the sort of emotion that the millionaire had expected to call up. He had looked for astonishment.

"The higher the place, the better I should like it," said Newcome, laughing. "But I don't see any ladder to begin the climb on at present."

"If you fight Joey the Kid, and lick him," returned Macaire, in the vernacular of his kind, "I'll provide the ladder. After the fight's over I shall introduce you to my friends as a sporting young pal of mine who did the thing for a lark. I shall give them the tip that you have come into a pile of money, and that you want to see something of London life. I've done pretty well for myself, and I'm in just the sort of set that I like; but there are people in English society who think themselves too good for me, in spite of my money. There are others who'll say black's white if I ask them to, because I've got what they want. You shall know both kinds. You must have a good name, of course—a title would be the best thing. But an English one couldn't be managed, I'm afraid. You'd have to put up with a foreign makeshift. What would you think of—er—let me see, Baron von Zellheim?"

Now, at least, Macaire had no need for disappointment, for the young man's face was red from chin to forehead. "How did you happen to think of that for a name?" he asked, quickly.

"It came into my head," answered Macaire, "partly because there really is such a title, which has lapsed, I believe, for lack of a man with the right to bear it; partly because it's not important enough to be doubted and disputed; and partly because of an association in my mind."

"Would you object to telling me what that association is?"

"Not at all. When you recalled to me the fact that I had seen you at the Duke of Clarence's theater one night some weeks ago I remembered that I then asked my friend Anderson who you were. Said he: 'That young man was sent to me with a letter of introduction from the once famous F. E. Z.' Well, I knew F. E. Z. slightly—a long time ago, when she was very young and I not much older. If she had been a man she would have been Baron von Zellheim. You knew her personally, I suppose? Did she ever mention that to you?"

"Yes. She spoke of her antecedents."

"If she had married and had a son he would have been the Baron von Zellheim. But, as a matter of fact, I believe she never did marry. However, you may know better than I about that."

"No," remarked Newcome, coolly. "About her private life, until I had the privilege of meeting her, I knew very little." This time his expression told no more than his words.

"Well, you understand what I meant by the 'association,'" quietly explained Macaire. "Seeing you, and remembering what Anderson said, brought up the thought of the beautiful F. E. Z. So I recalled the title which is going begging—a good old German name, and nobody to dispute it, if you choose to keep your mouth shut. As the lady is your friend——"

"She is dead!" cut in the other.

So George Anderson had notified Macaire after receiving the information from Newcome. But the millionaire affected surprise and regret. He still professed certainty, however, that she would gladly have lent the family title to her young friend if it could serve him.

"Why should it serve me?" asked Newcome.

"It would offer a foundation to begin upon, which, with the money I should put at your service, would at once give you a free pass into society—real society, I mean."

"But I don't understand yet why you should put money at my service," Newcome answered.

"To amuse myself. I should like above all things to play a trick on the society which has only accepted me because of what I have. I should enjoy seeing you take everyone by storm; seeing you flattered, and run after, and made much of, on my recommendation. I tell you, if you fight the Kid for me and come out on top, you shall have six months of such life as perhaps you've never dreamt of."

The thought that flashed through Hope Newcome's head was: "Six months ought to be enough for my purpose. With such a chance as this madman offers me for some queer reason of his own, which he's hiding and doesn't want me to guess at, I could not only give the help I would sell my life to give, but I should be able to learn how to keep my oath as well."

"And at the end of the six months?" he said aloud.

"'After me, the deluge,'" smiled Macaire, grimly. "Why, at the end of the six months I should come to the kernel of my joke. Wouldn't you be willing to help me crack the shell?"

"I don't know what you mean by that. Perhaps you don't wish me to."

"I confess I'm fond of a harmless mystery," answered the man just baffled by the mystery wrapped round the vanished figure of a girl. "If I—merely to amuse myself—not out of any exaggerated whim to be generous—offer you a—er—salary, we'll call it, of a thousand pounds a month for six months, and let you do what you like without asking questions, wouldn't you grant me my mystery till the end of that phase of our partnership?"

"I've never yet taken any money I haven't earned," said Newcome.

"I mean you shall earn this. At first, with the fight (the thing's off if the Kid knocks you out); afterwards, at the end of the six months. Oh, you needn't look so suspicious, my friend. I swear I would ask nothing dishonorable. Will you take my word for that, and, trusting me for the rest, give me my way?"

Lionel Macaire, with his hideous, scarred face, and pale eyes, did not look a person to whom trust would naturally flow out; but Hope Newcome wanted money and position—position not for what it could give him of enjoyment, but for the help it would afford in the mission for which he had lived until the moment when an incentive even stronger came suddenly into his life. Money he must have for the accomplishment of both objects.

It seemed to him, holding no cue to the motif-music which sang so strange a tune in Lionel Macaire's blood, that the eccentric millionaire must be hovering on the verge of madness—a verge where it was difficult to draw a line of definition. But there was the offer, such as it was, for him, Hope Newcome, to take or leave. And after six months, why, he believed himself strong enough to face the consequences and pay the bill, whatever that might be. Besides, he might not win in that fight, supposing he went in for it. Yes, he would do it. Let all depend upon that. It must be Fate's decision, not his.

"Well?" enquired Macaire.

"How long will you give me to decide?"

"Five minutes. The fight to be twenty rounds. Queensberry rules, two-ounce gloves, a decision on points if you stick it out till the finish. Fifty pounds in your hand before you leave the room for your immediate expenses, living, and training—for you'd want a sparring partner and a lot of odds and ends. The best thing for you to do would be to go straight to town, take up your quarters in my house, and use my gymnasium. But all these points can be settled if you decide my way in five minutes."

Hope Newcome had wanted as many hours, meaning to walk by the sea in the November darkness making up his mind. But the offer of fifty pounds down and a chance to live without spending too much of it was, in the strange circumstances known only to himself, more than he could resist.

"I'll try it," he said, without waiting for even one of the five minutes to go by.

CHAPTER XXI.

A Backward Glance.

When Winifred Gray had cried out her broken prayer for help on the night of her great trial at the theater, Mrs. Purdy had honestly striven to comfort the girl.

The old woman thought that the young one made far too much of the ordeal through which she was expected to pass, and bluntly said so. "What's an extra petticoat here or there?" she had scornfully demanded. "There's many a girl just as good without as with 'em. My own daughter now is one of the best, and she plays the boy in pantomime, my dear, whenever she can get the job, and I wish she had one now. It didn't kill me, not it. Why should it your mother?"

There was a difference, but perhaps too subtle for Mrs. Purdy's comprehension. Winifred, quivering and panting still, did not attempt to go into it, but a few words which the woman had spoken made her turn wet, wistful eyes up to the common old face.

"You've a daughter of your own," she said. "For her sake, and for my mother's, help me. It isn't only this scene that is so dreadful. There is far more than that. A man—a very rich man—has persecuted and plotted against me. My playing Mazeppa and being here at all to-night is part of the trick. He would spoil my whole life if he could—I think he has nearly spoilt it now. This is to bring me into the dust under his feet; and he would be glad if the shame of it killed my mother, who is very ill, for then I should have no one on earth to care for or protect me. Think how you would feel if your daughter—your good daughter—were in such trouble and danger. Do for me what you would have my mother do for her if our places were changed. Help me to get away—to hide myself from this man."

She caught the woman's skirt with her hands, when Mrs. Purdy half turned away. Eyes, and shaking voice, and falling tears all did their part in pleading.

"Dear me, if you ain't suddenly the image of my own beautiful lady, the first and dearest I was ever dresser to!" exclaimed Mrs. Purdy. "It's your eyes—I think—and the look of your face now. I'll never forget till the day I die, seeing her cryin' because of a trouble a bit like yours. Why, if there was anything I could do for you, miss, I'd do it and be glad, for my gal's sake, and the look on you like my lady. But what could a body like me do that would be any use? In fifteen minutes you'll be on the stage, and——"

"But there are those fifteen minutes first. "Somehow, if you would, you might smuggle me out of the theater, and then, if you could tell me what to do just for the night——"

"Hist!" whispered the old dresser, holding up a finger of warning. "Someone is coming to the door."

"Winifred was hushed into instant silence, her wet eyes large and shining, her lips parted for hurried, uneven breaths.

Knuckles rapped out a summons on the door. It was then that the stage-manager had asked Mrs. Purdy how she was getting on. With a quick, meaning glance at Winifred, her answer had been that she was "getting on as well as could be expected."

Then he had been induced to go away, and the parley had begun again where it had been so abruptly broken off.

"Supposing I could get you out—I don't say I could, but supposing"—the dresser went on, "you couldn't go to your lodgings, could you? This rich man you're talkin' about, he's sure to know where you lodge, eh?"

"They have my address here at the theater. He could easily have found out."

"Then he has found out. You may bet on that, miss. The search for you would begin the minute they discovered you'd given 'em the slip. And if you was to try and get to London, even, the railway stations would be the very places they'd look for you."

"I haven't a penny. I couldn't go to London if I wanted to," said Winifred. "I'm even in debt at my lodgings—for I was counting on my salary at the end of the week."

"There it is, you see!"

"Ah, but I can earn money, somehow. Hide me at your house, and I swear I'll pay you back one day before long. Do help me. In a few minutes it will be too late."

As the girl talked she had begun unfastening the hated silken garments for Mazeppa's "great scene." But, as she would have begun hurriedly dressing herself in her own clothes, Mrs. Purdy, with a shrewd glint in her little eyes, laid a restraining hand on the girl's arm.

"If you want to get off without leaving a trace," she said, quickly, "you mustn't put on one of your own things. And look here, it isn't payment I was thinkin' of, 'twas somethin' else. My gal's got diphtheria, and I've kep' it from the doctors, so she could be nussed at home, she cried so at the thought of goin' into hospital. She's better now, but she's laid up yet. Ain't you afraid?"

"No," answered Winifred. "I'll help nurse her. I'm a good nurse—my mother says so."

"There's someone helpin' me now—a lodger. But we can make room for you somehow, only you may get the disease."

"I'd rather die than stay here," cried Winifred.

"Well, then, this is what I've been thinkin'. Lucky enough, when I come I puts in my pocket a hood I was knittin' for my gal. It's finished, all but the strings. And this worsted shawl I've got on for my rheumatics, you could have that. No one would notice I'd took it off. And I could spare you a few things. I've a petticoat on, was a dress-skirt once, only made a bit shorter. Then you could leave all your clothes as they are, and I'd make 'em think you'd gone out for your scene—that you couldn't have left the theater, whatever you did. I'd keep 'em waitin' as long as I could, too. If only you had a thick veil now, to hide your face, you could slip out of this room while Jeffrey's back was turned; I'd peep first and make sure you'd a chance. You might pass by every stage-hand about the place, and the doorkeeper, too, before anybody dreamt you weren't bein' dressed in here for your next scene. Miss Emmet—one of the ballet girls—wears a hood like this. I knitted it for her myself, and you're about her size. She leaves the theater after the first act. If you could go now, it would be about her time, and with a veil——"

"My black chiffon fichu," cried Winifred. "Doubled, it would hide my face."

In five minutes she was dressed and ready to go. Mrs. Purdy peered out, even her old heart beating fast with excitement. Jeffrey was talking to Selim's groom behind the big screen. No one was looking. "Now!" whispered the old woman. "Don't forget the way I've told you to go when you get out. Now's your one chance."

Winifred took it. Mrs. Purdy softly shut the door after her and locked it, muttering to herself. She had, while getting the girl ready for the venture, told her how she must, when she passed through the stage entrance, go to the left, take the second turning to the right, first to the left again, and so on through confusing directions until she should come to a little street called Salt street. The Purdy house was No. 12 (there were but twenty houses in the street), but the old woman feared that Winifred would never find her way. She had said that she would be certain to remember the directions, since so much depended on not forgetting; still, Mrs. Purdy doubted that the girl's confused, excited mind could possibly retain them without getting hopelessly mixed.

She had done all that she could do, however, and in the midst of her misgivings a crabbed sense of humor set her laughing at the thought of Winifred Gray's slim little feet flopping through the streets in the Purdy goloshes—for the smart patent leather shoes had been left behind with everything else that was Winifred's.

The old woman's meditations were interrupted by another call from the stage-manager; and she had gained three or four minutes' time for the fugitive by her complaints that it was difficult to dress other people who were fainting.

"In for a penny, in for a pound," was her motto; and her conscience was not of the mimosa type, which shrinks from a fib or two. In fact, she was to tell many more before the night was out, and with such innocent eyes that her prevarications would have done credit to an accomplished actress.

But she, though feeling her triumph, was desperately impatient to be at home. "What had happened there?" she continued to ask herself, under the placid mask of the commonplace, dried-apple face. Had that poor, distracted lassie ever found her way through the darkness?

To be Continued.

—The American Cereal Company yesterday began using power from the Otonabee Power Company's station at dam No. 5. The Cereal Company are at present using about 300 h.p. of this power, but this will be increased in the course of a week or two to five or six hundred horse power. The Cereal Company will continue to use this power until their new power house is completed.

—It is said that 400 grain cars passed through Peterborough on Sunday on the Grand Trunk.

—A carrier boy wanted at The Times office to take one of the Ashburnham routes. Good wages.

—The police court will meet at 10 o'clock instead of 9 o'clock in the mornings from now until May next.

—Mr T. Cavanagh is hiring men for the North Shore lumber camps. Wages range from $26 to $35 per month with board.

PREMIER DISMISSED DISLOYAL COLLEAGUES

Minister's Action in Dictating Policy The Ground For Removal from Office

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Told Mr. Tarte That He Had Betrayed His Leader and His Colleagues and Demanded His Resignation

Ottawa, Oct. 21—Sir Wilfrid Laurier today addressed the following letter to Hon. J. I. Tarte, which is now given to the public:

"Ottawa, October 21st, 1902 — My dear Tarte,—After having seen you on Sunday last, and having expressed to you my well-settled opinion upon the consequences of your recent attitude, my first duty was to wait upon his Excellency, the Governor-General, to inform him that I was obliged to demand the resignation of your portfolio. After having seen his Excellency, I had to acquaint my colleagues of the interview which I had with you.

"In accepting your resignation, it is well to emphasize the points of difference between us. During my absence in Europe, without any communication with me, and without any previous understanding with your colleagues, you began an active campaign in favor of an immediate revision of the tariff in the direction of high protection. I regret having been obliged to observe to you that this attitude on your part constitutes a self-evident violation of your duty towards the Government of which you were a member. I repeat to you here what I told you on Sunday. I do not wish to discuss at this moment the economic theory of which you have made yourself the champion. The question, however important it might be, is subordinate to one still more important. If you had reached the conclusion that the interest of the country demanded, without delay, an increase of the customs duties the first thing for you to have done as a member of the Government, before addressing your views to the public, would have been to place them before your colleagues, with the object of obtaining that unanimous action of the Cabinet which is the very foundation of responsible government. If you had not been able to attain from your colleagues their assent to the course which you recommended, you would have been obliged then to choose rather to accept their own views, or to sever your connection with them, and then for the first time would you have been free to place your views before the public.

"Such was the very simple course which was binding upon you, but to remain a member of the Government, and, at the same time, to advocate a policy which has not yet been adopted by the Government, was an impediment to the proper working of our constitutional system and implies a disregard for the loyalty which all those who are members of the same Administration owe to each other and have a right to expect from each other.

I thank you for the good wishes which you express for the improvement of my health, and I will make it my duty to convey to your old colleagues those that you formulate for their welfare and their happiness Believe me, yours very sincerely.

Mr. Tarte's Letter.

The following letter has been addressed by Mr. Tarte to the Premier:

Public Works Department, Minister's Office, Toronto, Ont., Oct. 20, 1902.
The Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier,
Primo Minister, Ottawa:

My dear Sir Wilfrid.—I feel it is my duty to place my resignation in your hands, and ask you to be good enough to have it accepted by his Excellency the Governor-General. In the interview which I had with you, you expressed the opinion that I should not have spoken on the tariff as I have done, that the Government had not as yet come to any difinite understanding on the fiscal policy for the future. I shall not discuss with you at the present time the question as to whether I was right or wrong in the course I have followed.

You are the leader of the Government, and your opinion, as far as my attitude is involved, must prevail.

You told me that my utterances are causing you trouble. I have no right and no desire to be a source of embarrassment to you or to the party with which I have been connected since 1892.

My views on the tariff are well known to you. I have, on several occasions, stated them publicly in your presence, and discussed them often privately with you. Entertaining the opinion that the interests of the Canadian people made it our duty to revise, without delay, the tariff of 1897, with the view of giving a more adequate protection to our industries, to our farming community, to our workingmen, I cannot possibly remain silent. I prefer my freedom of action and of speech, under the circumstances, even to the great honor of being your colleague

Before severing my official relation with you, allow me to express my sincerest hope that you will soon be restored to your health of former days. You would greatly oblige me by conveying to my colleagues my best wishes for their welfare and their happiness. My personal relations with most of them have been of a pleasant and cordial nature. I hope they will continue to be the same in the future.

Believe me, my dear Sir Wilfrid, very sincerely yours

(Signed) J. Isreal Tarte.

WHO WILL SUCCEED.

Ottawa, Oct. 21 —When Sir Wilfrid Laurier landed from the Lake Erie he announced that he had little time for receptions, that pressing business called him to the capital. That business was the dismissal of Mr. Tarte. The Premier had made up his mind that the Minister of Public Works had committed a grave breach of constitutional usage in trying to stir up a public feeling in the country favoring a policy to which the Cabinet of which he was a member was entirely opposed.

Mr. Tarte in taking up the cause of the manufacturers against his colleagues, never expected that it would lead to his expulsion. He counted on the past kindness of his leader to save him. He thought he had a winning card and that in a matter of weeks he would be himself Prime Minister. To-day he is deceived. The Premier is back and in spite of all the fears that Mr. Tarte can create about his chief's health, Sir Wilfrid is ready and fit for duty.

Not His First Break.

No doubt the ordinary citizen finds it hard to make out the riddle. Who ever heard of such a thing in a constitutional governed country before as a Cabinet Minister trying to create by open and by covered appeals on the platform, and through the press, a public sentiment exactly opposite to the policy decided upon in Council? But did not Mr. Tarte do exactly the same thing in the matter of the French River improvements, too? His colleagues were not prepared to place in the estimates a sum of millions for a work that they did not consider to the public advantage. Yet Mr. Tarte went right on advocating on the public platform that same undertaking.

Liberals here say that the Minister of Public Works has come under the influence of the large corporation and the manufacturers, that he thought he could set the constitution at naught, and remain in the Cabinet, but that since he finds it impossible to advocate high protection as a Cabinet Minister, he will continue to fight the same fight in his newspapers, probably retaining the name of a Government supporter so as to make his campaign the stronger.

The Next Minister.

Who will be the next Minister of Public Works? The public will not have to wait long for an answer. Your correspondent hears two or three names mentioned. Speaker Brodeur of the Commons is a Liberal who has long been marked out for advancement. The question is, does he consider his health robust enough to warrant the assumption of a very exacting post.

"The next Minister of Public Works," said a gentleman today who will have something to say in the matter, "must be a man who is prepared to look after the affairs of the Department properly. He will not have time to administer the affairs of half his colleagues besides. It is known to most people that Mr. Tarte estimates for public works were very large, so large as to bring down upon the party the denunciations of its opponents. But how many are aware that, after having all this money voted, session after session, either the Minister himself, or his incompetent staff, had not time to spare for the plans and the contracts to spend it?"

Speaker Brodeur is an able debater, well informed, and well liked. There is no tinge of Toryism in his blood. His family were Reformers as far back as 1837. He was born in the district where the Papineau agitation broke out in revolt. His father was one of the patriots who fought for what he regarded as fair government.

Premier Parent Mentioned.

"What would Premier Parent of Quebec say to the offer of this important portfolio in Sir Wilfrid's Cabinet? How would his selection balance off the loss of Joseph Israel?" said your informan. "The Provincial Premier bears the reputation of an exceptional administrator. Besides he has a following in the country, and a record behind him to win votes. Would he care to join his distinguished compatriot in the Federal arena? Other local Prime Ministers gave up office to take a portfolio in the Laurier Ministry, Mr. Blair, Mr. Fielding. Sir Oliver Mowat, They considered the exchange in the nature of an advance."

Dandurand a Possibility.

Senator Dandurand is one of the most striking figures in Parliament. He has had something to do with organization work, too. It has always seemed to the writer that he was peculiarly out of place in the restful atmosphere of the Red Chamber, where his stirring voice in the Cook enquiry, in advocacy of legislation to abolish lotteries and usury in Montreal, fell largely upon unsympathetic ears, who rather resented these evidences of life, vigor and heat in an assemblage where debate is not looked on with favor that rises much above a whisper. A seat could easily be found for him in the Commons if it were desired. Will this be done?

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

In Wentworth the county vote on the good roads by-law to raise $96,000 for the improvement of the roads will be taken next Wednesday, and it is thought the by-law may be carried in every municipality.

As the G.T.R. is about to enlarge its freight accommodation in Hamilton, 21 of its tenants in Gerguson Avenue, Robert and Barton streets have been notified to vacate their houses which are to be torn down at once.

John Moodie, sr., one of the founders and original directors of the Cataract Power Company, died in Hamilton on Saturday night, at the age of 66. He started in business in a small way and amassed a large fortune.

In St. Thomas, Ont., a joint stock company is being organized with a capital of $50,000 to manufacture and export cheese, which will be put up in thin squares, each being divided into smaller squares of half a pound each.

The election trial in North Norfolk, where Mr. Snider, the Conservative candidate, was elected, will open at Simcoe on November 4, and it is said that four or five important witnesses have already been spirited away, and that intimidation is being tried on others.

Farmers in Rochester and Maidstone townships, Essex County, were inveigled into giving their notes for $52 each for a milk can of a new style, with a lining guaranteed to prevent the contents being affected by changes of temperature, but which turned out worthless. They must, however, pay the notes.

THE DEAD LETTERS

A Total of $46,[illegible] in Money Found in Undelivered Mail

Washington, D. C., Oct. 21—The annual report of the dead letter office for the last fiscal year, submitted today shows total receipts of [illegible] pieces by Acting Postmaster General Wynne, of mail matter of all kinds, an increase of nine per cent. over last year. Of the letters and parcels opened, [illegible] were found to contain money to the amount of $46,[illegible] and [illegible] commercial papers with an aggregate face value of $1,[illegible].

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A Complete Rest.

Tipton shut down the roll-top desk in his private office with a bang, threw a last derelict envelope into the waste-basket, and turning with smiling face to the clerks who had gathered in a little group to bid him good-bye, said:

"Well, boys, I'm off. Keep your end up while I am gone, and remember this: I don't want to hear a word from you. Don't send me any mail. Don't try to reach me by wire or telephone, even if the building burns down. I'm going away for a real vacation, where I won't be disturbed."

Then he shook hands all around, and hurried off to join his wife at the railway station.

The usual excitement incident to the departure of a train was successfully lived through. As they sped out into the open country, Tipton looked at Mrs. Tipton with a fond, exultant look.

"There, my dear," he said; "we're off at last! For the first time in years I am going to do the sensible thing. I'm going to lose myself. No mail. No messages. Complete rest. I wonder why I never thought of it before?"

"I'm so glad," said Mrs. Tipton, "that you've come to your senses at last. This will do you a world of good, I know."

In the course of a few hours they alighted at their station. Then they were driven miles and miles—it seemed almost interminable—until they came in sight of the quiet little hotel—or rather inn—on the mountainside, where they were received with all the splendor of courtesy that only a rural hotel-keeper knows how to bestow.

Tipton could scarcely wait to get into his outing clothes. An hour later they were strolling down through the quiet woods to the bank of the stream that chippered away to the music of the breeze.

"Could anything," murmured Tipton, "be finer?"

He pressed his wife's hand. "This is rest. This is true solitude. When I think of that maddening city, I wonder how I could ever have lived there. I never want to go back again."

The next morning after a fine breakfast—for our friend had made sure of his place—Tipton strolled out and said good morning to the proprietor.

"Well, sir," said the proprietor, "how do you like our little view?"

"Great!" exclaimed Tipton. "It certainly is a charming spot. By the way, you don't happen to have any of the New York papers here, do you?"

"Not regularly," said the proprietor. "You see, this is a place where folks come to rest, and we don't have much call for 'em."

"Certainly not," said Tipton. "Precisely. Thought I would just like to glance over the head lines, that's all."

He joined his wife, who was walking in the near view.

"This is a great place to rest," he observed, somewhat tritely, as they walked off toward the stream. "Never was in a place quite like this. Couldn't even get a morning paper."

Mrs. Tipton looked at him suspiciously.

"Now, dear," she said, "that isn't fair. You must forget the world."

At noon Tipton sought the proprietor once more.

His face wore a shade of anxiety. He clutched his cigar nervously.

"You don't happen to have a telegraph or a long-distance telephone near here, do you?" he asked. "Fact is, I came away yesterday and forgot an important matter."

"No, sir!" said the proprietor. "We haven't such things around. This, as you know, is a place for complete rest, as advertised."

"Very well, sir," said Tipton, "you can make out my bill."

He glared fiercely around him, and walked upstairs to his room.

"My dear," he said, "would you mind if we got out of this prehistoric place on the first train?"

Mrs. Tipton gazed at him blankly for a moment, and threw her arms around his neck.

"Mind!" she exclaimed. "Why, I was only staying here for your sake. I didn't dare say how lonesome I was! I am afraid, my dear, we have never lived in the country long enough to appreciate it."

Two hours later they were in the dining car of the Long Branch express, with the remains of a feast and a cold bottle between them.

"I've wired the boys to send me the mail," said Tipton. "I will talk with the cashier over the wire as soon as we get in. I see the market opened up strong this morning. And now, if you will excuse me, I'll step into the smoking room with this bundle of papers and catch up on twenty-four hours' lost time."—Tom Masson, in "Life."

Herbert Spencer on "Americanisms."

Mr. Herbert Spencer's recent protest against what he called "Americanisms" concludes thus: "Perhaps a little might be done if in return for criticisms on Americanisms like those passed above, Americans were systematically to expose deteriorations in the language as spoken here. They might, for example, mercilessly ridicule that vulgar misuse of the word 'awfully,' which has now continued for more than a generation."

A correspondent of the London "Spectator" adds: "This reminds me of the following rather good story told to me by a friend now deceased. A certain distinguished philosopher happened to be staying at a country house in which my friend was also a guest, and one morning a youngster looking out of the window, observing a large flock of rooks alighting on the grass, cried out: 'What an awful lot of crows!' upon which the philosopher, in a tone intending to convey a gentle rebuke, enquiringly said: 'Well, my young friend, are crows really so very awful?' The boy quickly answered: 'I didn't say, "What a lot of awful crows," but "What an awful lot of crows!"' The philosopher remained silent, and the boy whispered to my friend: 'Had him that time, I think, sir!' This is a true story."

"Do you believe in heredity?" "Certainly; I know a barber who has three little shavers."—Ex.

The man entering the store—Have you typewriter-ribbons? The fresh girl behind the counter—Is she blonde or brunette?—Yonkers "Statesman."

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—Odd numbers of that interesting folio "Glimpses of South Africa in Peace and War" will be sold while they last, reduced from fifteen cents to seven cents. Sent by mail for one cent extra for postage. Times Bookstore.

Wild Animals I Do Not Want to Know.

In the days of the Ark, they of the animal kingdom were admitted, two by two, on sufferance. In Paradise, they sported at harmless, mythical ease, untroubled by man and his theories. But the antediluvian days passed by. The animals became as man, knowing good and evil, and having, moreover, ways of their own. It all began with the flood. Up to that time they were roughly classed as "cattle and everything after their kind." They were to be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth, and man was to rule over them. So went they into the Ark, two by two; but so, alas, came they not out. They have been fruitful; they have multiplied, and filled the earth; and to-day man, their master, is prostrate before them. He studies their ways, prowling through underbrush, on all fours, to observe them sporting on their native heath. He wriggles on his stomach. No position is too humble for him, no attitude too cramped. He is gathering material for the next new popular book on animals.

One cannot help wondering a little how it has come about. Hints of it crop out in the Old Testament—after the flood. The animals are no longer creeping things and cattle after their kind. They are found taking on names and a certain individuality. There is the ram caught by its horns to serve in place of Isaac on the altar of sacrifice, and the bears that eat up bad little children, and the Ass that speaks, and the Lions of Daniel, and the Whale of Jonah. All these are historical personages, with David and Saul and Noah—with the strange winged creature of Ezekiel, and Apocalyptical visions of beasts with heads and horns and crowns and candlesticks and Scarlet Women.

The biblical writers did not hesitate, it would seem, to draw on the animal kingdom when necessary to make clear the ways of God to man. With a fine disregard of zoology and fact, they drove home the truth. And their words live even to this day. But animal lore has changed. We are asked to give up Jonah and the whale, as being a tax on credulity. We are offered, in place of it, either "Wild Animals That I Have Known" or "The Outcasts." The bears of Elijah the prophet are replaced by "The Bears of Blue River" by the author of "When Knighthood Was in Flower." And Balaam's Ass becomes a Coyote whose favorite message is "Yip-ki-ki—Yah!"

Imagination, like Jerushun, has waxed fat and kicks.

Perhaps the Jungle Books did it. Aesop is too far away and too excellent to be held responsible for the hordes let loose on us. Like the biblical animals of old, the animals of Aesop existed for a purpose—flashlights on the heart of man. The cunning fox and the brave lion and the foolish wolf existed to point a moral and adorn a tale. This done, they disappeared once more in the brushwood of fancy whence they came. The Jungle Books too have their master-word—the Law of the Jungle. It shines through them.

But these newer animals—what shall one say of them?—the deer and the caribou and the buffalo and the horse and the bull-terrier and the fawn and the doe and the moose and the buck and the spike-horn and the fox and the wolf-dog and the canary bird. They bring neither the nutty kernel of Aesop nor the fresh, sweet smell of the Jungle. Made up in equal parts of fact and straining imagination, they have no message of beauty or of truth.

Who that has once known him will forget Kaa, the wise old serpent, or Bagheera, leaping with light paws at the time of the spring running, or Mowgli, crossing the moonlight with Gray Brothers at his heels and the skin of Shere Khan poised deftly on his swaying head? But who shall hope to remember the new ones?—Jennette Barbour Perry in "Critic."

The Sons of Poets.

The "Lancet," the well-known English medical weekly, has been enquiring into the question of the transmission of genius from father to son, and has found that the sons of great poets are generally dull dogs. Poetic fervor is evidently a spiritual flame that burns itself out in the generation wherein it is kindled. Indeed, it often seems to burn out the very aptitude for paternity; or is it that the poet is generally too poor to permit himself the delight of fatherhood? However it may be, many eminent English poets can never be accused of having "dull dogs" of sons, because they never had any sons at all. Cowley, Butler, Otway, Prior, Congreve, Gay, Philips, Savage, Thomson, Collins, Shenstone, Akenside, Goldsmith, Grey, Johnson, and Keats all died without leaving off-spring, and Pope, Swift, Watts, and Cowper were never married. Dryden's, Addison's and Parnell's descendants did not pass into the second generation, and the descendants of Shakespeare and Milton became extinct in the second and third generations. Sir Walter Scott's baronetcy expired with his son.

A Weather-Man's Invention.

Partly, no doubt, in recognition of the obduracy of climate, Professor Moore, chief of the United States Weather Bureau, has invented and patented a cold-air stove, of which the newspapers give descriptions. Being charged once a day with some sort of composition, the stove works automatically. The air inside of it getting cold, sinks and passes out through a pipe in the bottom. Warmer air runs in at the top, and so a current of air keeps running through the machine. The air comes out at a temperature of about 36 degrees. The warmer the room, the faster the machine works. It will reduce the temperature of a room to about 64 degrees. If the room is cooler than that there is no current, and the stove doesn't work. Besides cooling the air, it takes the dust out of it, and delivers it not only chilled, but clean. A stove twelve feet high turns out 123 feet of cold air a minute, which is enough to cool a hospital ward.

The inventor thinks his stove will be of great use to hospitals, which find serious difficulty in keeping sick patients comfortable in hot weather. No doubt, too, if it turns out well, it may be used in office buildings, and possibly in hotels and restaurants. It is possible that it may prove more satisfactory than the fans which are used so much, and, if so, there are commercial prospects for it.

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—"How fast they build houses now," said Mr. Dan Durnitt to Mr. Will Salisbury yesterday. "They began a house in the west end last week, and now they are putting in the lights." "Yes," exclaimed the junior reporter of this g.f.j. who happened to drop along, "and next week they will be putting in the 'liver.'"

Now is the Last Chance to Buy the St. Paul & Sunset Oil

COMPANY'S STOCK AT 35 CENTS

California Oil Stocks Have Paid Millions in Dividends

KERN COUNTY (SUNSET DISTRICT) OIL COMPANIES PAID

ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS IN AUGUST ALONE

MORGAN IN THE OIL INDUSTRY--NEW YORK FINANCIER AT THE HEAD OF A $20,000,000 COMPANY TO EXPLOIT CALIFORNIA FIELDS

Bakersfield, Cal., Sept. 27.—J. Pierpont Morgan is about to identify himself with the oil business in Californa. On October 12, or a few days later, surveyors will be put into the field, and will run lines to the ocean from Sunset, Coaling, McKittrick, Midway and Kern River fields to determine by which route it is most feasible to transport oil to tide water. The surveys will run over the coast range at a number of points, and also will go down the San Joaquin valley parallel with the line of the Standard.

A company having a capitalization of $5,000,000 has been organized for the construction of lines, pumping stations, storage tanks, and the like. Mr. Morgan and his associates have also formed a separate company, capitalized at $20,000,000, half of which will be invested in proven ground and the other half turned into a reserve fund.

It is stated that the Morgan syndicate will be prepared to handle 2,000,000 barrels the first year, and will increase that amount at the rate of 1,000,000 a year until the whole demand of the market is met.

THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY own and control a large tract of absolutely oil proven asphalt land in the very heart of the best oil producing land of **Kern County, California**, the district where flowing wells are situated. We have **a bed of Liquid Asphalt** underlying a portion of our lands. Our property is situated right at Sunset Station. A new line of railway is surveyed and will be constructed in a very short time, putting us not only in touch with Eastern cities, but in touch with tide-water. This, in addition to the railroad facilities we now have. Remember that we own our land—it is paid for and entirely free from debt.

ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL CO.'S GIGANTIC TRACT

will be developed and should prove a formidable rival for the new company.

PROFESSOR DR. RUD J. SCHIMPER, Analytical and Expert Chemist, of St. Paul, makes the following statement relative to the composition, what can be produced and the estimated profits of the Sunset Crude Oil. A copy of the original certificate can be seen at the office of the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Co., which is in substance as follows:

"This is to certify that the undersigned, Dr. Rudolph J. Schimper, Chemist expert, member of Parisian Academy, according to analysis made from the crude oil furnished me by the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company, I find the following valuable products and with each beg to submit my estimate of its value:

1. LIQUID RUBBER—200 lbs of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 1,800 lbs. of liquid rubber, value of which is from 25c. per lb. and up. (Estimated value $450.00.)
2. SOLID RUBBER—200 lbs of this crude oil (6 bbls) will produce 1,700 lbs. of solid rubber, value of which is from 50c. upwards. (Estimated value $450.00.)
3. FUEL BRIQUETTES 200 lbs. of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 2,000 lbs. (1 ton) of fuel briquettes, which, according to government tests made, is equivalent to two tons of best anthracite coal. (Estimated value $22.00)
4. ASPHALTUM—2,000 lbs. of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce ½ ton of asphaltum, value $25 to $35 per ton. 25 gal. of lubricating oil, value 50c. per gal. and upward. 40 gal. illuminating oil, value 10c per gal. and up. 60 gal. of distilled oil, value 5c. per gal. and upward. (Estimated value $54.50.)
5. SOAP—200 lbs. (1 ton) of crude oil and filling will produce over 2,000 lbs. of soap, value 3c. per lb. and upward. (Estimated value $60.00.)

Id my opiniou many other valuable products can be obtained from the oil of that famous field.

Respectfully, DR. R. J. SCHIMPER, Chemist Expert."

THIS goes to show the immense profits that will accrue from our products when refined. We expect to commence **Building Our Refinery** in the very near future. The sale of the next allotment of stock will be made for that purpose. **The largest flowing wells in California** were brought in adjoining our property and their stock was taken off the market. **We employ the best drillers** who report rapid progress on our wells and we expect to bring in gushers equal, if not to excel any in the Sunset field. **Our General Manager, Superintendent and Drillers, all** are experienced oil men. The officers of our company are all thorough, competent and efficient men who have always made a success of their undertaking in life and who will see that the welfare of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company is furthered, portected and promoted to the most advantageous extent possible.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS should be paid to the stockholders of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company when their property is fully developed, their refinery equipped and in full operation. ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS was paid by Kern County Oil Companies during the month of August alone.

SIX MILLION BARRELS is the consuming capacity of the Southern Pacific Railway engines, which are now equipped for burning oil. Outside of this consider other railway lines, smelters, factories, steamships, stationery engines, which are all heavy consumers of fuel oil and last but not least, hotels and private dwellings are falling in line with the procession in the use of fuel oil.

A GOOD REASON WHY YOU Should Invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. More fortunes have been made in oil than any other business. Consider the immense amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for its fortunate stockholders, and the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard Oil Company. Here is what $100 has accomplished for those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:

Home Whittier $1,000 on an investment of $100.

Kern returned $2,200 on an investment of $100.

Peerless returned $1,800 on an investment of $100.

Dillon returned $2,500 on an investment of $100.

New York returned $30,000 on an investMent of $100.

Union returned $150,000 on an investment of $100.

Home returned $50,000 on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Company's oil holdings and property, when developed and handled, should not bring like returns.

CONTRARY to the general supposition the earth is the repository of all mineral wealth. When it is known and demonstrated beyond a question of a doubt where its wealth reposes and you put your money up to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people but creates new wealth. It is therefore an investment.

Wonderful Increase in Value of Oil Stocks.

The rapid rise in the value of shares in some oil companies will be seen from the following table:

	Original price per share	Present Market price
[illegible] Mountain Oil Co	$ .05	$ 1.50
Central Oil Co	.30	1.50
Home Oil Co, Whittier	.25	2.50
Monte Cristo Co.	.10	2.50
West Shore Co.	.50	4.50
Twenty-eighth Oil Co	.50	2.50
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	.50	1.90
Sterling Oil & Development Company	.50	2.25
Dillon Oil Co	.25	3.50
Peerless Co	.30	8.62
San Joaquin Oil Co.	.50	16.00
Kern Oil Co	.35	10.00
Thirty-three Oil Co	.35	13.50
Kern River Oil Co	.50	26.00
New York Oil Co	50	20.00
Oil City Petroleum Co	2.50	34.00
Hanford Oil Co	2.00	120.00
Kreyenhagen Oil Co	.10	350.00
Columbia Oil Co.	100.00	400.00
Union Oil Co	1.00	1500.00
Home Oil co	100.00	[illegible]

The time will come in the near future when stock in St. Paul and Sunset Oil Co., should bring prices equal to the last.

WE CLAIM NOTHING WE CANNOT PROVE TO BE TRUE

BRIEFLY, OUR PROPOSITION IS THIS: THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY

owns its immense tract of proven Oil Land—without a penny of incumbrance. The property is located in the most wonderful and richest oil producing section in the world, in the famous Sunset District of Kern County, California. Other Oil Companies in Kern county have paid hundreds of thousands of dollars in dividends—and today their stock cannot be bought at any price. These companies in many instances have less property, and in some cases are only lessors, not owning refinery, tanks, lines, etc.

A LIMITED AMOUNT OF THIS STOCK WILL BE SOLD AT 35c. PER SHARE, PAR VALUE $1.00.

BUY NOW. THIS STOCK WILL BE ADVANCED TO 50c WITHIN THE NEXT 30 DAYS

THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY will erect their own refinery, etc. are now owners of the property they are developing, employ the best drillers in the whole State of California. The manager is an old and experienced oil man who has been connected with large California companies. The officers are all successful and reliable business men, who are investors—the same as every other stockholder. And the company, with plenty of ready capital, proposes to make the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Co. a leader in the field and to develop their property to the fullest extent that money and brains will permit.

The first orders received will be the first ones to be filled. In case we are unable to fill your orders at 35c. your money will be refunded. Send Orders and Remittances to

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The Viola Gold Mining & Development Company

Idaho Springs Colorado

Capital Stock 1,500,000 Shares. Par Value $1.00 Each
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We own nine claims in the famous county of Gilpin, Colorado. This county is known as the Little Kingdom, being the smallest county in the State, but has produced over

$200,000,000 IN GOLD!

More pay ore is sight on two of our claims, and will soon be shipping.

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$5 00 per month for 24 months. Only a limited number of shares will be sold at these prices.

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CONSOLIDATED ALPINE

Gold and Silver Mine

Owns twenty-five claims on Alps Mountain, Clear Creek Co. Modern equipment. Air compressors and machine drills. Located in center richest spot in Colorado. Within radius of ten miles,

Over $200,000,000 Produced

Surrounded by some of the greatest gold and silver producers world has ever seen. Shaft 300 feet deep; 1,000 feet lateral drifting. In ore from grass roots to bottom of shaft; not a foot of barren ground in whole mine; $41,000 removed from east second level.

A mine that is a mine with a recorded production. Meritorious property. Active development. Competent management and good results. Not much stock to be had.

Buy all you can at 35c. It's a Cinch.

WILLIAM FAIR, PETERBORO', ONT., FINANCIAL AGENT

Thunder Mountain

12 Claims Embracing an area of about 240 Acres

Have been secured in the richest section of the Thunder Mountain mining district in Central Idaho by

The Thunder Mountain's Exploration and Development Company's Own Expedition.

RECENT ASSAYS SHOW

Ore runs from $7.00 to $38.50 per ton

AND CAN BE MINED AND MILLED AT A COST OF ABOUT $1.00 PER TON.

REMEMBER! The company equipped and sent its own expedition into Thunder Mountain to carefully prospect and examine the district and locate desirable mining claims. The expedition made a careful examination of the district and finally located claims in what is now admitted to be the richest part of the district. These claims the Company OWNS free of any incumbrance or indebtedness. It is proposed by the Company to begin the erection of plant and equipment of mines as soon as possible. In the meantime a certain amount of development work will be done on the properties.

A LIMITED AMOUNT OF STOCK IS FOR SALE AT

15 CTS. per Share. Par Value $1.00

FULL PAID AND NON ASSESSABLE.

STOCK WILL BE ADVANCED OCTOBER 15th TO [illegible] PER SHARE. SEND FOR ILLUSTRATED PROSPECTUS.

The Thunder Mountain Exploration and Development Company

The Western Securities Co., Financial Agents

Main Office, Suite 711, 145 La Salle Street, Chicago

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THE MOLSONS BANK

THE FORTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING WAS HELD ON MONDAY

A Satisfactory Report of the Year's Workings Submitted to the Shareholders—The Retiring Directors Re-elected

The forty-seventh annual general meeting of The Molsons Bank was held in the Board Room of that institution at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The President, Mr. W. Molson Macpherson, occupied the chair, and among those present were: Messrs. S. H. Ewing, Vice-President; J. P. Cleghorn, Samuel Finley, Lieut.-Col. F. C. Henshaw, H. Markland Molson, W. M. Ramsay, David Crawford, A. G. Watson, G. W. Robinson, F. W. Molson, F. G. Payne, W. D. Lesueur, R. W. Shepherd, Alex. D. Fraser, George Durnford, Herbert Molson, S. A. Shepherd, George Filer, C. E. Spragg, James Wilson and W. R. Miller.

The President, having called the meeting to order, requested Mr. A. D. Durnford to act as secretary, and after that gentleman had read the advertisement convening the meeting, the President named Messrs. George Durnford and A. G. Watson to act as scrutineers.

REPORT OF DIRECTORS.

The General Manager, Mr. James Elliot, then read the annual report of the Directors, as follows:

The Directors have pleasure in submitting the statement of the Bank for the year ending 30th September, 1902.

The profits for the year, after providing for operating expenses and bad and doubtful debts, are $251,375.51.

Dividends in April and October, 4 1-2 per cent. each (making 9 per cent. for the year), amounting to $225,000, have been paid, and $100,000 added to Rest, raising it to $2,250,000, or 90 per cent. of the capital, and at credit of Profit and Loss Account there remains $26,905.30.

Since our last meeting, we have opened branches in Arthabaskaville, Acton and Chicoutimi, Que., and Iroquois, Ont., to avail of the growth and improved conditions of the country. At all these points we have reason to expect a safe and profitable business. At Victoria, British Columbia, we have closed our branch, as its progress did not equal our expectations.

The head office and branches have been carefully inspected as usual, and the officers of the Bank have continued to perform their duties with efficiency.

In September the President and General Manager visited several of the western branches, going as far as Calgary. They were greatly impressed by the appearance of prosperity and progress visible on every hand. The bountiful harvest then being reaped ensuring to our country a continuance of sound and healthy business there.

At Winnipeg, which seems destined to become a great city, a centrally situated premises has been purchased, which will afford us convenient quarters for occupation as soon as the lease office now occupied by our branch there expires in May, 1904.

W. MOLSON MACPHERSON,
President.

Montreal, 20th October, 1902.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

Balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account on 30th September 1901		$ 21,506 47
Net profits for the year, after deducting expenses of management, reservation for interest accrued on deposits, exchange, and provision for bad and doubtful debts		251,375 51
		$272,881 98
Appropriated as follows:		
93rd Dividend at rate of 9 per cent per annum, 1st April 1902	$112,500 00	
94th Dividend at rate of 9 per cent per annum, 1st October, 1902	112,500 00	
Business Taxes	9,062 54	
Expenditure on Bank Premises at Branches	14,414 42	
Contribution to Officers' Pension Fund	7,500 00	
Added to Reserve Fund	100,000 00	
		245,976 68
Leaving at credit of Profit and Loss Account, 30th September, 1902		$ 26,905 30

General Statement of the Affairs of The Molsons Bank:

LIABILITIES.

	30th September, 1901		30th September, 1902	
Capital, all paid up		$ 2,500,000 00		$ 2,500,000 00
Reserve Fund	$ 2,150,000 00		$ 2,250,000 00	
Rebate on Notes discounted	80,000 00		80,000 00	
Profit and Loss Account	21,506 47		26,905 30	
92nd Dividend for 1-2 year at 8 per cent. per annum	100,000 00		94th Div. 1-2 yr. at 9 p.c. per an. 112,500 00	
Bonus of one p. c. to Shareholders for year	25,000 00			
Dividends unclaimed	120 00	2,376,626 47	126 51	2,469,531 81
Interest, Exchange, etc., reserved	105,519 42		107,333 60	
Notes in Circulation	2,455,726 00		2,446,279 00	
Balance due to Dominion Government	26,029 74		24,221 53	
Balance due to Provincial Governments	26,193 95		46,392 62	
Deposits not bearing interest	2,732,445 27		3,546,733 42	
Deposits bearing interest	12,546,726 05		13,551,406 65	
Deposits by Foreign Banks	....		13,763 40	
Due to other Banks in Canada	276,257 42		271,734 46	
Due to Agents in United Kingdom	....		52 76	
Other Liabilities	....	18,220,904 08	1,332 19	20,179,050 80
		$23,120,527 55		$25,148,657 61

ASSETS.

	30th September, 1901		30th September, 1902	
Specie	$ 253,172 24		$ 374,352 75	
Dominion Notes	1,172,138 75		1,069,348 25	
	$ 1,425,310 99			$ 1,444,701 00
Deposit with the Dominion Government to secure Note Circulation	120,000 00		121,000 00	
Notes and cheques of other Banks	397,416 92		1,103,720 10	
Due from other Banks in Canada	108,833 37		102,404 51	
Due from Foreign Agents	116,200 04		425,921 07	
Due from Agents in United Kingdom	504,120 67		612,777 78	
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities	324,256 90		322,700 15	
Municipal, Railway, Public and other Securities	1,987,280 54		2,172,720 22	
Call and Short Loans on Bonds and Stocks	2,315,112 00	$ 7,290,596 20	2,818,954 07	$ 9,208,003 00
Bills Discounted and Current	15,237,850 00		15,254,853 90	
Bills past due (estimated loss provided for)	37,288 10		94,178 38	
Real estate other than Bank Premises	25,283 44		96,100 25	
Mortgages on Real Estate sold by the Bank	82,302 30		40,808 30	
Bank Premises at Head Office and Branches	250,000 00		280,000 00	
Other Assets	20,207 07	15,760,989 25	34,707 00	15,930,612 71
		$23,120,527 55		$25,148,657 61

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STOCK MARKETS

After Reaction Purchases

New York, Oct. 22.—The latter part of last week we suggested quite strongly in these letters that points be taken in the then strong range of prices, as in our opinion a reaction was due. Monday and Tuesday witnessed a reaction, not quite as much as we would have liked to have seen, nevertheless a set back, as the market receded it became intensely due stocks failing to be freely offered at the concessions. This leads us to the belief that the recent decline lodged stocks in hands that are unwilling to dispose of them for ordinary profits as would tempt most traders? This fact causes us to revise our opinions to such an extent as leads us to the belief that reactions will not be of any great dimensions, but small in fluctuation and very frequent. In other words, market reactions will from now on more likely be in range from 1-2 per cent. to a point and one half, instead of say three to five points; but will be four to five times more frequent. If this be true, then stocks should be persistently purchased on any concessions of from 3-4 to a point. The dullness that sets in after each half to one point concessions is our principal grounds for the above belief. We feel disposed to devote a little space to cotton, paragraphically at least, though we don't intend to fringe upon the preogative of our cotton man who each week prepares a resume of the market for our house. We simply desire to call your attention to the fact that cotton is at present selling at most attractive prices, while statistics shown by the Government and other cotton experts make the strongest showing for bulls upon that staple of any given out for the past 12 years. Cotton is in our opinion at prices about as low as it will go for the balance of the year, and once it has drifted from the hands of the planter to those of the middleman they will be in line for advancing prices before the spinner comes in for his supplies. Statistics are favorable for higher prices. Cotton ought to sell well above 10 cents very shortly.

To-day's market was dull but stronger. It looks as if it would be still higher before reactions set in again. Buying demand was well distributed throughout the list. Gains, while not great, were practically unanimous. We look for higher prices before Saturday. Money closed at 5 per cent. Sales 449,300.

HAIGHT & FREESE Co.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS

WHEAT	
Wheat	65 to 68
FLOUR AND MEAL	
Flour, patent process, cwt	$2 00 to 2 25
Flour, bakers', per cwt	2 15 to 2 25
COARSE GRAIN	
Barley, per bushel	38 to 40
Peas, small	63 to 65
Peas, mummies	73 to 80
Oats	30 to 31
Buckwheat	50 to 55
Rye	46 to 50
WOOL AND HIDES	
Wool, unwashed	08 to 09
Fleece Wool	11 to 12
Veal Calf Skins	08 to 10
Deakons	40 to 60
Beef Hides per cwt	6 50 to 7 00
Sheepskins	20 to 30
MEAT, POULTRY, AND DAIRY PRODUCE	
Beef by the quarter, per cwt	5 00 to 8 00
Mutton, per lb	06 to 07
Spring Lamb, quarter	07 to 8
Dressed hogs, per cwt	8 00 to 8 50
Pork by the quarter, per lb	10 to 10
Lard	13 to 14
Chickens, per pair	50 to 75
Ducks, per pair	60 to 90
Geese, each	75 to 1 00
Turkeys, each	75 to 1 00
Butter, fresh roll, per lb	18 to 22
Butter, crock	16 to 18
Eggs, per doz	14 to 16
Hay, per ton	9 00 to 10 00
LIVE STOCK	
Cattle, choice butchers (steers, exporters and heifers)	4½ to 05
Medium butchers' (steers and heifers)	03 to 3½
Light cattle and cows	2½ to 03
Feeders, 1,000-1,100	3¼ to 3½
Stockers	2½ to 2¾
Hogs, select, 160-200	5 75 to 6 00
Fats and heavies	5 50 to 5 75
Lights	5 50 to 5 75
Sows	4 00 to 5 00
Stags	02 to 03
Sheep	2 50 to 2 75
Lambs, per lb	3 to 3½
GENERAL	
Potatoes	1 00 to 1 25
Carrots	40 to 45
Wood, hard	5 00 to 6 00
Wood, soft	2 00 to 3 00
Straw, per load	2 00 to 3 00
Tallow, rendered, per lb	05 to 07

INITIAL OFFERING OF STOCK IN THE

NEW YORK - GRASS VALLEY GOLD MINING CO.

TWO DETROIT MEN ON THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Capital $2,000,000. Par value of stock, $1.00. In Treasury, $1,000,000

FULL PAID AND NON-ASSESSABLE

The Company offers for immediate subscription only 100,000 shares at

15c. Per Share

$1500 buys 10,000 shares
750 buys 5,000 shares
150 buys 1,000 shares
15 buys 100 shares

THIS IS THE LOWEST PRICE AT WHICH THIS STOCK WILL EVER BE OFFERED TO THE PUBLIC

The Company has for its president the Hon. Geo. W. Root, of the Supreme Court of California, and a successful mining man. Has 30 mines of 600 acres of United States patented land. Has a 10-stamp mill in operation on the property now producing gold and intends to install 30 more stamps. Has 1,000,000 shares in the treasury for development purposes.

The Property is situated in the heart of the famous Grass Valley district of California, now producing $1,000,000 in ore annually, surrounded by the world's greatest mines. More fortunes have been made in this district than in any other district in the world. Not a single failure recorded on mines sunk below 800 feet.

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The Board of Directors of the Pitkin Gold Belt Mining and Reduction Company are well known to us to be reliable and responsible, and we can recommend the Company as worthy of confidence.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Have Your Piano Tuned

R. B. Shaw, piano tuner for Heintzman & Co., direct, is in the city. Parties requiring their piano tuned, please leave orders at Mr. C. R. Routley's store.

He Found His Dog

That "everybody read The Times," is becoming more and more apparent every day. About two weeks ago Mr. J. M. Brooks lost a valuable hound dog and after a vain search for the animal the loss was advertised in The Times. One insertion was enough, the dog being recovered the afternoon following the first appearance of the ad. If you want to reach the crowd, use The Times.

A Small Blaze

During Tuesday night a blaze occurred in the basement of the Peterborough Hardware Company's premises. It was fortunately discovered by Mr. Ed. Mahan and the fire brigade summoned before any great headway was obtained. The fire seemed to have started from the furnace for the rafters and flooring above within a circle of ten feet are badly charred. The damage was comparatively slight.

"Haunts of Fish and Game."

Is the title of a handsome and illustrated folder recently issued by the Grand Trunk Passenger Department and which will be found to be of great value to those who are desirous of obtaining any information about that splendid hunting district on the line of the Grand Trunk. Hunters excursion rates in effect Oct. 24th to Nov. 1st. Single first class fare for round trip valid returning until Dec. 13th, 1902. Copies of above folder, and information to excursionists on application to W. Bunton, City Passenger and Ticket Agent, or to J. D. McDonald District Passenger Agent, Toronto.

For Smallpox Prevention

Dr. Bryce, Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, Toronto, gave it as his opinion that there should be public vaccination stations, where men could be trained to vaccinate. He admitted that the average medical practitioner, who had no special training in this work, did not know how to vaccinate a person properly. Dr. Bryce also favored the appointment of a public paid vaccinator, but would not make vaccination compulsory until children were old enough to attend school. The establishment of a Government laboratory for the manufacture of vaccine points of a uniformly high quality was also regarded as a desirable step.

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POLICE COURT CASES

A Drunk and a Case Over a Five Dollar Bill

A man named Hoban faced the Magistrate yesterday on a charge of being drunk. He paid a fine on Tuesday morning on a similar offence, but evidently had not enough of it. The Magistrate remanded him for a day, to give him a chance to sober up.

A five dollar bill was picked up in a grocery by a dog belonging to Mrs. Foy, who claimed it. Mrs. Kronk was the rival claimant. After hearing what the women had to say the Magistrate gave the money to Mrs. Kronk.

ARRESTED IN TORONTO

Peterborough Girl Arrested of Theft and Remanded for Trial

The Globe says:—Helen Pogue, of Peterboro', was arraigned in the Police Court yesterday morning on a charge of obtaining $28 worth of goods from W. A. Murray & Company. The girl has been living at a boarding house on Bloor street and she left neglecting to pay her board. She then went to the Queen's Hotel, where she ordered the above goods to be sent. She also represented that she was a daughter of Mrs. Kirkpatrick. She was remanded for a week in order to give her friends a chance to appear on her behalf.

The Times had made enquiries and has learned that Miss Pogue has borne an excellent character in Peterborough. Previous to going to Toronto she was employed by Mrs. Dunsford, 113 Simcoe street, town.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr W. B. Copperthwaite, of Birdsall's Landing, was in town yesterday.

—Messrs. R. Dutton and Joe Yelland are duck shooting near Apsley.

—Mr. Wm. Bunton, the popular ticket agent of the Grand Trunk Railway, is in Washington, D.C., on business.

—Robert F. and Miss Gertrude Buntin, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Mann, of Hamilton, have returned home.

—Mrs. W. S. Robinson, nee Aggie Dawson, will be at home to her friends on Tuesday and Wednesday, 28th and 29th October.

—Mrs. A. W. Turner, (nee Yenney) will receive on Tuesday afternoon and evening and Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 28th and 29th, at her residence, Stewart street, Ashburnham.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Grand Trunk station at Kinmount was burned on Tuesday.

—The steamer Water Lily went down yesterday with scow.

—Two second hand coal stoves for sale cheap. Call at The Times office.

—The Chief has a pair of spectacles for which he would like an owner.

—The annual meeting of the Historical Society will be held in the Y.M.C.A. this evening.

—The steamer Rainbow brought up a scow load of wood yesterday, most of which was for Mr. Dan Foley, who has closed up the Jubilee Point Hotel for the season, and is residing in town for the winter.

—The annual Harvest Dinner and concert, under the auspices of the Ladies of All Saints' church will take place in the Forester's Hall, Simcoe street this evening. Dinner will be served from 5.30, concert at 8 p.m. All are invited.

—Messrs. James Bell and Randolph Soanes have returned from attendance at the Convention of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew held in Brantford on Friday, Saturday and Sunday last.

WEDDING BELLS

Nuptials of Miss Violet Cowper, of Chandos and Mr. Stephen Payne, of Faraday

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Payne, of Bancroft, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday the 15th inst., when Miss Violet Cowper of this place, was united in marriage to Mr. Stephen Payne, of the township of Faraday, Hastings County. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. Mr. Anderson, of the Methodist church Bancroft. The young bride looked charming in a pretty gown of brown cloth with trimmings of silk and white applique. She was attended by her friend, Miss Ena Hawkes, also of Chandos, who was attired in a pretty suit of checked cloth with white silk ribbon trimmings.

The bridal party entered the parlor at 11.30 a.m.. After the ceremony congratulations over, the guests repaired to the dining room where ample justice was done to the good things provided. The table was tastefully decorated for the occasion.

The happy couple left in the afternoon amidst a shower of rice, and drove to the home of the groom's parents, where a host of friends assembled to greet them. The evening was spent in dancing and other amusements.

The bride was the recepient of many useful and pretty presents.

NO DRUGS

Just Proper Food and Rest

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A minister's wife writes :—"Three years ago, while living at Rochester, N.Y., where my husband was pastor of one of the city churches, I was greatly reduced from nervous prostration and anaemia and was compelled to go to a well-known Eastern sanitarium for my health. My stomach was in bad shape from badly selected food; I was an habitual user of Carbonate of Magnesia and my physicians made every endeavor to break up this most damaging habit, but all to no purpose.

At the sanitarium I was given Grape-Nuts and learned the value of the food. I used it continuously, eating it at nearly every meal, and my recovery was rapid. Its use enabled me to eat and digest food, and to give up the drug habit and I am now completely restored to good health.

At the present time I am able to attend to my household and family duties, pursue music, which was formerly my profession, besides reading and studying, all of which I was totally unable to do it at the time referred to." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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THE FORTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING WAS HELD ON MONDAY

A Satisfactory Report of the Year's Workings Submitted to the Shareholders—The Retiring Directors Re-elected

THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

The President then said:

The annual statement which has been presented will, I feel sure, afford you every satisfaction, for it indicates a most successful year, and it has enabled us to add $100,000 to the rest, which now stands at 50 per cent. of the capital.

The steady growth and prosperity of nearly every branch of business in the country has caused a demand for money, healthy in itself and satisfactory to the banks. We anticipate that the available circulation of all the banks will be fully absorbed, which is now nearly the case, by the business of the country, and to move our large crops.

The deposits in the chartered banks of Canada, the savings banks and the post office savings banks have increased from $423,565,000 odd to $460,175,000, an increase of about $36,210,000.

The older provinces have had very good crops, and the export of cattle, bacon and butter has shown a continued increase, while the shipments of cheese and lumber continue satisfactory. The amount of butter shipped to England is but a very small percentage of the quantity consumed, it being only 5 per cent. of the whole; so that the butter market has a large field before it, and every exertion should be made to more amply fill the English requirements.

Manitoba and our North-Western Territories have enjoyed another bountiful harvest, establishing a stability and backbone to the country which cannot fail in giving confidence, and it is rapidly attracting settlers not only of an experimental class, but of farmers who have made a success of farming, and who are now transferring their experience, their money and cattle to a country where they feel there is a great future before them.

Accompanied by your general manager, Mr. Elliot I visited our Western Territories, and we formed a most favorable opinion of the future of that part of Canada. The farmers and all the men of business were jubilant at the success which surrounds them, and the introduction of a new railroad enterprise has established a feeling of greater confidence.

The Molsons Bank has been poorly provided with banking quarters in Winnipeg, and as an opportunity offered to acquire a suitable and central position in the city of Winnipeg, we took advantage of it, and have bought a building suited to our requirements, and one which, I am sure, will be a great acquisition to the bank.

The prosperity and growth of business throughout Canada has caused an increased demand upon the circulation of notes of our banks, as well as upon capital, for additional business. Such being the case, an increase of capital to enable the bank to keep pace with its requirements will soon be necessary, and your directors may, therefore, call a special meeting of the shareholders at an early date, to ask your approval of an application to be made to the Treasury Board for an increase of capital.

Our circulation is continually pressing against the limits (our capital $2,500,000). now $2,446,279.

Our growth of deposits is very marked largely in agricultural districts, thus showing the prosperity of our farmers.

In 1897.	In 1902.	Increase of
$10,678,965	$17,097,250	$6,418,285

Our holdings of Government securities and railway bonds were: In 1897, $1,384,403, are, in 1902, $2,562,496.

Gentlemen, you have heard the annual report and the few remarks I have made, and I shall be very pleased to answer any questions you may have to ask. Undoubtedly, the requirments of the country and the requirements of the bank warrant us in calling upon you at an early date, to enable us to increase the capital of the bank.

I beg to move the adoption of the aroposo to make the increase in capi.

This was seconded by Mr. S. H. Ewing, vice-president.

THE DISCUSSION.

Mr. R. W. Shepherd—"What do you pnnual report. tal?"

The President—"The notice will be sent out calling a meeting for that purpose, and I don't think we would care to say that we would consider necessary, until we meet the Shareholders when the meeting has been convened. It is not, however, at all likely that we should ask for more than $500,000 at a time, but the total increase, we should want would be greater than that. We asked last time for $500,000, but the growth of the country is such that we require more."

Mr. S. H. Ewing—"The circulation question has been a very troublesome one for the General Manager of this Bank. With the number of agencies we have, and the circulation going up and up so near the limit, it keeps him in a sort of feverish excitement watching it, because if it went over the limit, the fines are very heavy. If we were to start with an extra capital of $500,000 now, every dollar would go out in circulation. The country would take it and it would ease us to that extent. As the President has stated, our circulation at the present time is within some $40,000 of the total limit, and this, spread over all our branches and agencies, might put us in the dilemma, perhaps, of having to pay a large fine to the Government."

The General Manager—"The fines are on the sliding scale. The penalty would be at least $1,000 a day."

Mr. S. H. Ewing—"It would take very large earnings to keep up with that. When applying for permission to increase the capital of the Bank, it would be well to name a good amount. We would never think of issuing any stock without calling the Shareholders together and having their authority to do so; and that would only be given after due consideration. I am sure that we can at present comfortably use $500,000, as the wants of the country seem to be increasing all the time."

No one else desiring to take part in the discussion, the President put the motion for the adoption of the annual report, and it was carried unanimously.

Mr. R. W. Shepherd moved: "That the thanks of the Shareholders are due and are hereby tendered to the President, Vice-President and Directors, coupled with the officers, for their efficient services during the past year." He considered that the Shareholders had every reason to be satisfied with the excellent condition in which the affairs of the Bank were. As the President had remarked, the country was prospering, and the Bank was, of course, prospering too. He thought that the President had everything in his favor in asking for an increase of capital.

Mr. James Wilson seconded the motion, and spoke of the great pleasure it afforded him to do so. The banking business, he remarked, have been very much like other businesses; it had been very successful, and Molsons Bank had had a very good share of the success.

"The Bank Directors, I know," said he, "have done their duty, because results show it, but they could not expect to have these results if they did not have the proper officers under them. The Directors are all right, but they would not make much of a show without efficient officers."

The motion was unanimously concurred in.

The General Manager, in returning thanks, on behalf of the officers and himself, said that the Bank had a very good staff of managers all over the country. They had been largely trained under the late Mr. Wolferstan Thomas, for many years, and since then, under himself (Mr. Elliot). Some things occasionally had gone a little wrong, but on the whole, the officers had done their duty.

The President also briefly returned thanks, on behalf of the Directors, for the compliment which had been paid them. They, of course, were the executive board, and they realized that the faithful services of the officers of the Bank had enabled them to place before the Shareholders the statement which had that day been submitted, and the Directors were very thankful that the statement was what it was. The country had been prosperous, the Bank's business had been most carefully attended to, and the securities of the Bank in themselves spoke of the great care which had been exercised over the Bank's business during the year. As he had previously stated, the Bank's holdings of Government securities and railway bonds had increased from $1,384,403 in 1897 to $2,562,496 this year, which must be very gratifying to the Shareholders.

The meeting then proceeded to the election of directors, and the scrutineers soon reported that the retiring Board had been re-elected, viz.:—Messrs. James P. Cleghorn, S. H. Ewing, Samuel Finley, F. C. Henshaw, H. Markland Molson, W. Molson Macpherson, W. M. Ramsay.

At a subsequent meeting of the Directors, Mr. W. Molson Macpherson was re-elected President, and Mr. S. H. Ewing Vice-President for the ensuing year.

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UNDIVIDED PROFITS	165,856

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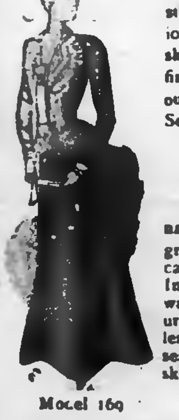

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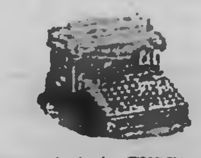

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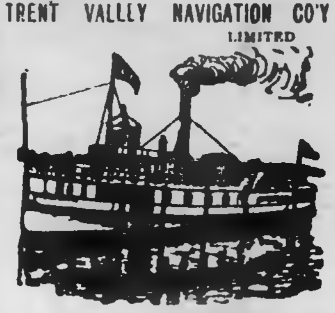

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THE TOWN WILL NOT BUY THOSE PINE SLABS

They Would Cost $3.00 a Cord When Delivered, Which was Considered too High

The Town Council have reconsidered their previous decision to purchase from the Dickson Company 600 cords of pine slabs at $2.00 per cord at Lakefield, and will, by permission of Mr. Shook, the Dickson Co's manager, withdraw the order.

Mayor Denne explained to the Council last night that these slabs would, after paying for freight and delivery cost the citizens $3.00 a cord, far too high a figure for this quality of wood. On submitting the question to Mr. Shook, he had telephoned him (the Mayor) that he is willing to release the Town from their contract, should they not see their way clear to satisfactorily dispose of the wood.

Ald., Roger said seeing that the coal strike has been settled he did not think it would be wise to make the purchase.

Ald. Best thought this offer of Mr. Shook's presented a first class opportunity for the Council to withdraw from an embarrassing position. He had opposed the purchase in the first place as an unwise one.

The following tenders were received for handling and delivering the wood:

From Richard Killen and Thos. Twomey, off'ering to deliver 300 or 600 cords at a cost to the citizens, all told, of $3.00 per cord. The Town would have to guarantee them, however, a car load a day, and supply orders and pay for the same.

From George McClellan, saying he would take 50 cords at $1.25 a cord, providing the slabs are dry and of good size.

This tender is somewhat ambiguous, as Council were not sure whether McClennan was tendering for the purchase of the wood outright, or for hauling it from Lakefield

Ald. Rush moved, seconded by Ald. Turner, that Mr. Shook's generous offer to cancel the order for 600 cords of slabs be accepted.—Carried.,

PRICE OF SOFT COAL.

Ald. Batten asked Council what steps he was to take toward securing coal for corporation purposes. He had received one offer from a local dealer to furnish 50 tons of soft coal at $7 a ton.

Ald. Turner thought the price of soft coal would soon drop considerably. Yesterday he bought three tons at $7.50 a ton.

Ald. Best moved, seconded by Ald. Corkery, That the Chairman of the Property Committee be empowered to purchase the coal for corporation purposes in small quantities—a ton or two at a time—until the market gets easier.—Carried.

The Town Council met in special session last night at 8.15, when there were present Mayor T. H. G. Denne, presiding, and Ald. Edgcumbe, Roger, Rush, J J. Turner, Morrison, Clinkscale, Corkery, and Best.

The minutes of the preceding session were taken as read. Council have decided hereafter to have the minutes of each meeting typewritten and a copy presented to each Alderman. This is to avoid the necessity of reading the minutes at each meeting.

COMMMUNICATIONS.

From the Department of Inland Revenue, acknowledging Councils' letter re the equipment off the office of Assisant Inspector of Weights and Measures, stating that the office here was much better equipped than the one in Port Hope. The instruments in the local office were all that was necessary to meet the requirements of the assistant, but the following articles would be added: one five lb. balance, one eight lb. balance ,one comparteur and one set grain weight.—Received.

From the Peterborough Canoe Co., making application to be put on the same footing as other manufactories and asking to be favored with exemption or a fixed assessment—The Committee of the Whole Council.

From ratepayers on Hunter street, asking that an electric light be placed on that street between Aylmer and George streets.—Fire, Water and Light Committee.

From L. D. Letellier, asking that a sidewalk be laid in front of the five new houses he has erected on the south side of Westcott street. —oard of Works with power to act.

Wm. Godfrey applied for remission of taxes.—Court of Revision.

From A. G. Brown, clerk of Stoufville, asking that the municipality be allowed to keep the town's horse road roller over winter. There is a possibility of dispoaing of it.—Board of Works with power to act.

From H. F. Timmerman. General Superintendent of the C. P. R., stating that the matter of gates at the George street crossing was under consideration. and that he was awaiting a report from the Inspector whose company supplied the crossing signal ,with reference to working of same, and also to the use of gates. This matter was left in the Mayor's hands:

From Thos. J. Moore, petitioning for a granolithic sidewalk on the south side of Homewood avenue, from the corner of Belmont avenue, 40 feet west.—Board of Works.

From J. J. Turner & Sons, Peterborough. Sail, Tent and Awning Manufacturers, asking for a fixed assessment of $1,000 on their factory for ten years. a by-law to this effect to be sumbitted to the ratepayers at the same time that the William and Peter Hamilton Co.' by-laws are voted upon.—Referred to a Committee of the Whole Council.

From W. J. Johnston, Secretary Carpenters' and Joiners' local union, enclosing a resolution endorsing the scheme submitted to the Council by Ald. McGregor, namely, "Municipal Ownership of coal and wood for supplying the town of Peterborough with fuel—Committee of the Whole Council.

From Mrs. Chalmers, Secretary of the Womens Christian Temperance Union, asking the Council to prohibit spitting in the market hall, and on the stairs; also on the corner of the streets.—Referred to the Town Solicitor to report as to the Council's power in this matter.

From the Otonabee Power Co., applying for permission to place poles and wires on Murray street to Aylmer, on Aylmer street from Murray to McDonald street, thence east on McDonald street to Dickson street, in order to enable Mr. Meldrum to connect his house with the Co's. private telephone line to Dam No. 5 — Board of Works with Power to act.

From Walter Evans, J. T. C. Long and Frank White complaining of defective condition of Park street drain. — Board of Works with power to act.

ACCOUNTS.

The following accounts were referred to the Finance Committee:

Robert Howland	110 00
Allan Ice Co.	26 00
Bell Telephone Co.	75
Kingan Hardware Co.	9 00
A. McDonald	107 99
Victoria Industrial School	26 00
W. R. G. Higgins	4 75
St. John's Industrial School	26 00

TO REPAIR SIDEWALK.

Ald Turner moved, seconded by Ald. Morrison, That the sidewalk between the customs house and Mr. Comstocks store be temporarily repaired.—Carried.

Ald. Roger submitted the following report:

Gentlemen,—Your Committee of the Whole Council, beg leave to report as follows:

1. Your Committee held a joint meeting with the Daniel M. Spence Memorial Committee, and after considering the matter of the proposed purchase of a Memorial Ambulance, we recommend that the matter be left in the hands of Mayor Denne, Ald. Roger, Reeve Smith, of Ashburnham, and Messrs. D. W. Dumble and Joseph Succee with authority to purchase a suitable memorial ambulance.

2. We recommend that the hydrant at the corner of Simcoe and Bethune streets be moved further east so as not to interfere with the railway gates, and that the matter be left in the hands of the Town Engineer and Superintendent of the Waterworks.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The report was adopted as raed.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Best submitted the following report:

Gentlemen:—Your Board of Works beg leave to report as follows:

1 The following tenders were received for the construction of a sewer as a local improvement on Dalhousie Street from George to Aylmer streets:

J. S. Hayes, $1.05 per foot, connections, $16.50.

R. Sheehy, $1.33 per foot, connections, $17.50.

J. Robson, $1.03 per foot, connections $15.

Wm. Henry and J. Gibson, 90 cents per foot, connections, $18.

We recommend that the tenders of Messrs Henry & Gibson be accepted.

2. Your Committee authorized a sidewalk to be built from George street to the Central Milling Company's mill on Dalhousie street.

3. We recommend that the Chairman and Town Engineer be authorized to have the street railway tracks covered where it is exposed from Smith street northward, and to repair all bad places on the streets within the fire limits.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The report was adopted as raed.

SEWER BY-LAW.

A by-law to authorize the construction of a sewer on Dalhousie street passed its several readings.

Council then adjourned.

Sir Robert Bond in Montreal

He is on His Way Home to Consult His Colleagues About His Washington Negotiations

Montreal, Oct. 23—Sir Robert Bond, premier of Newfoundland, registered at the Windsor today from New York, on his way home to report to his Government concerning the reciprocity negotiations he has been carrying on at Washington.

"You can quite easily understand," said the premier today "that it is impossible for me to speak regarding these matters before I confer with my ministers. No, I cannot even say whether I shall return to Washington or not. Very much, indeed would I like to inform the press of the result of my mission could I do so with propriety."

There was one thing however, Sir Robert would discuss, and that was Mr. Tarte's resignation. When informed of it he said,—"You don't say so. That will prove a great loss to the Government, he is a very able and a very strong man. I am surprised. And so he has resigned today. Why, it is the first I heard of it, and I supposed that Sir Wilfrid and he would have patched matters up. It will certainly be a loss to the party."

"Things in Newfoundland," Sir Robert says, "are very prosperous at present, and the island is not contemplating any change in its political condition."

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THE TEACHERS' CONVENTION.

Opened in Ashburnham Yesterday Morning —A Two Days' Session

The annual convention of the Peterborough County Teachers' Association opened yesterday morning and will continue until this evening. The first session opened in Ashburnham, there being a good attendance of teachers from all parts of the county. The morning session was taken up in hearing the reports of the delegates to the Provincial Convention. The delegates were Miss McEwan, of Bridgenorth, and Mr. T. J. Wallace, of Keene. Mr. J. C Brown County Inspector of Schools, read a paper on "The Ontario Reader."

The convention will be in session for two days. Yesterday afternoon's session was held in the Y.M.C.A. hall.

In the afternoon the convention met in the Y.M.C.A. hall. Peterborough. Mr D L. Somerville, Havelock, gave an excellent paper on "Nature Study." A good discussion followed in which several took part. Inspector Walker, Peterborough, gave an excellent paper on "Manners" and called attention to the many points which teachers should attend to.

It was moved and seconded that the papers presented should be published in the county papers.

Mr. E. Langfeldt, Rector of St. Luke's Church gave a very able paper on "Temperance in Public Schools."

LACROSSE PLAYER DIES

Is Injured at Millbrook and Succumbs at Port Hope

Port Hope Guide:—It is with the deepest regret that we have to record the death of one of Port Hope's most promising sons, Mr. Grant McLean, who by his kind and obliging disposition had won the affection of all who knew him. One week ago Saturday he went out to Millbrook to play lacrosse, the first out of town game he ever was in, and received injuries which today proved fatal. The sickness was brought on by a very severe check in the side, which caused peritonitis. This was his first year to play the game, and the Victorias, of which team he was the favorite member can hardly believe that he is gone. Deceased was sixteen years of age, and the sixth son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McLean. He was a good living young man and a regular attendant of the Methodist Sunday school and church. He was in the third form of the High School. and was a great favorite with the teachers.

TRANSVAAL SCHOOLS

The Problem of Educating the Boer Children Is Now Being Faced—Five Schools Have Started

London, Oct. 23.—The Transvaal Education Department, says the Times' correspondent at Pretoria, has to cope with the problem of providing schools for a large number of children living on farms at a distance from towns and villages. No final plan has yet been adopted, but it has been found possible to start five farm schools in the Transvaal, groups of farms having guaranteed from twenty to thirty pupils for each school Two teachers are sent to a farm indicated as the most suitable for holding school, taking with them a marquee, furniture, rations, etc.

In cases where it is impossible to collect more than a dozen children some system of pupil teachers will have to be introduced, and at the same time efforts will be made to attract children toward schools, where they can be boarded.

The correspondent says that though the expenditure for education is not productive pecuniarily, it is to be hoped a generous policy will be pursued, as education must be regarded as a means for the ultimate pacification of the country.

GEN. DE WET'S BOOK

Fell Into Ambuscade When It Came to Writing—Australian and an Englishman Made Shrewd Contract

London, October 23.—General De Wet, while never entrapped in his military operations, fell into an ambuscade when he undertook to write. An Australian and an Englishman made a shrewd contract with him before he left South Africa, and they control the copyrights in all languages. They are now in London with the manuscript of the book, which has been completed in Dutch, but has not yet been translated into English. They have put the book on the market, and are asking high prices for English and United States copyrights. The book will contain about 125,000 words, and be a detailed account of De Wet's tactics, marches, battles, retreats and escapes during the campaign in South Africa. The Century Company has bought the United States book rights of Mr. Kruger's memoirs.

A BAD BANK FAILURE AT LAKEFIELD VILLAGE

James Linton & Company, Private Bankers Close Their Doors

ames Linton & Co., who for several years have carried on a private banking business in Lakefield, have suspended payment. It was known for some time that the Company was not financially strong, but their collapse was not looked for at present.

There will be a heavy loss sustained by the people of the village and surrounding country. Amongst the creditors are five cheese companies, the patrons of which hold the Company's cheques to the amount of probably $10,000 or $12,000.

Messrs. Linton & Co., also carried on a banking business in Orono, where the principal of the firm resided.

The Traders Bank has moved into the premises, where they will conduct a branch.

LAST ERUPTION OF SOUFRIERE DID IMMENSE DAMAGE ON ST. VINCENT

The Sand Thrown Out By the Volcano has Covered up Large Tracts of Land and Destroyed Its Value for Agricultural Purposes

Kingstown, St. Vincent, October 23.—The eruption of the Soufriere volcano on October 15 and 16, the fourth terrific outbreak since the catastrophe of May 7th, has plunged the colony into deeper distress than before existed, crippling its agricultural resources by further devastating the arrow-root fields and completely destroying wide areas of growing crops on lands which had been considered outside the volcanic zone. On these lands thousands of young cocoa, coffee and other plants were buried under a hot mass of sand, which, while hot, fell in the windward district on the morning of October 16. Even the Mesopotamia valley, an ideal garden of tropical vegetation, although twelve miles from the volcano's crater, is burdened with sand, in some places six inches deep, and the lands to the eastward bordering upon the previously devastated area are covered to a depth of nine inches.

Travel on all roads in the Windward district, the only means of communication between Georgetown and this city has been rendered extremely difficult. Large numbers of refugees and other persons left Georgetown for Kingstown, a distance of twenty miles, October 6th, and many of them fainted on the way from hunger and thirst and fatigue engendered by trudging the hot sand. A number of animals even broke down under the strain of the journey. Hundreds of poor persons were driven from their homes by the falling cinders and stones.

The situation is desperate. Comparatively no damage was done on the leeward coast by the outbreak. No lives were lost. This eruption was equal in duration and violence to that of the night of Sept. 3, but owing to the bright moonlight, the electrical discharges were less terrifying

SLOPERVILLE-DOURO.

—Mr. Dennis Maloney, our worthy Reeve, is sure to be re-elected without opposition. For Councillors the names that are mentioned are James Walsh and George Garbutt, two young men well qualified for the position and will be a much needed acquisition to the Council. John R. Allen, Charles Curtis and Mr. D. Sullivan will seek re-election, and as they have proved themselves good men are sure to be re-elected.

—Corporal Kennedy and Major Condon are on speaking terms for the first time in seven years.

—Rattle the Cam Barry and Lapland Johnnie are anxiously awaiting the 31st of October.

—Geordie Runnell reports all quiet in Windmill City.

John Duzer, the man with the large optics, centered his gaze on the n. e. part of the heavens and was the first man to observe the comet. The notorious Bat Leahy disputes this assertion, as he claims that he climbed to the top of the weather-cock on Dennis McMahon's barn and from there observed the comet approaching Pat. Heffernan's barn at the rate of 3000 miles an hour.

—A conclave of pedagogies invaded the village on Monday evening last.

—Jim Herr's injun predicts an open winter.

PORTUGUESE AFRICA

England Has Not Made a Purchase or Lease Yet, But Negotiations are No Doubt in Progress

London, Oct. 23.—While premature reports of the sale or lease of Portuguese Africa to the British have been denied at Lisbon and elsewhere, there has been a general agreement among people in the diplomatic set, that the future of that section would be determined by a secret treaty between Great Britain and Germany. The inferences drawn from the journeys of the King of Portugal and the German Emperor have been elastic and it is not improbable that negotiations for the acquisition or control of the Portuguese territory are in progress. The terms of the partition, however, have been agreed upon in advance, and this carries with it the presumption that the purchase or lease will be effected as soon as the government of Lisbon is prepared to set a reasonable price and face the popular agitation which would inevitably follow the alienation of national territory.

—Charlie Craig weighs 16 oz. to the lb since he came south.

SKIMMED MILK TABLETS

Chicago Concern With a $15,000,000 Capitalization Produces a New Article

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Crying over spilled milk will go somewhat out of date if a lacteal solid, to be put on the marke (by a Chicago syndicate proves popular. Tabloid milk it might be called. The latest product of the condensing art is the result of a process of reducing skimmed milk to a kind of paste or flour. It is expected to be used by bakers as a cheap substitute for fresh milk and has already been furnished in small quantities to the United States Government (for use by soldiers on march when fresh supplies are not available.

A local capitalists is at the head of a corporation, with a capitalization of $15,000,000, which will put the new product on the market.

CHINA ALARMED

Prince Ching Sees British Minister About the Recent Outrages

Pekin, Oct. 23.—Sir Ernest Satow, the British Minister, had a conference to-day with Prince Ching, head of the Foreign office, who, it is said, is alarmed by England's attitude regarding the recent murder of missionaries. He is also concerned regarding the evacuation of Shanghai by the foreign troops, he having accepted the German stipulations without consulting the British Minister. Japan is not expected to take any action in the matter until the present Anglo-German complications are settled.

The missionaries here hold that the action of the Chinese in shielding officials who are guilty of murder again demonstrates that the powers were too lenient in dealing with the authorities in 1900.

London, Oct. 23.—A despatch to the Standard from Shanghai says that four British gunboats have been ordered to proceed from that city up the Yangste Kiang to Hankow. This action is taken in consequence of the failure of the Chinese to punish the murderers of British missionaries.

PARTY OF KINGS

Four Crowned Heads Under One English Roof

London, Oct. 21—It is understood to o settled that the German Emperor will make his long anticipated visit to King Edward next month.

In fact, the English and German ambassadors have been invited to meet him here.

The Kaiser, it is said, means his visit o be quite private.

He plans to visit the king at Sandringham and probably will not be seen in London at all. He will travel to Portsmouth in his yacht and his suite will be small.

Besides the king of the Hellenes, who s expected at about the time of the kaiser's visit, it is probable that King Carlos f Portugal will also visit us late in the autumn

It is therefore possible that during the eek of the king's birthday four crowned eads will be beneath one roof at Sandringham.

WEDDED AT THE "SOO"

Nuptials of Miss Lilian I. Stevenson and Mr Richard Gillespie

The following, taken from the Daily News-Record, Sault Ste Marie, Mich., of 16th inst, will be of interest to many in Peterborough. Mr. Gillespie is the son of Mr. John Gillespie, of this town:

Miss Lillian Isobell Stevenson became the bride of Richard Gillespie, of the Canadian Soo, last evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. B. Steele under a floral arch which separated the parlors in the residence of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Adam Ferguson, Maple Street.

At 8 o'clock Miss Helen Ferguson began the notes of Mendelssohn's wedding march on the piano in the parlor, in which the ceremony was to take place Mr. Gillespie and Miss Stevenson came down the stairs, followed by Thomas Thompson, of the Canadian Soo, and Miss Maud Stinson, the groomsman and bridesmaid.

"The bride was attired in a costume of pure white, French lawn over taffeta and she carried white roses: Miss Stinson's gown was of hwite batiste over tafetta and her boquet was pink roses. The floral decorations in the back parlor, where the service was read were supberb, being made up of potted plants, cut flowers, ferns and smilax, arranged in a bank of bloom and green at the sides of the floral arch which formed the canopy over the bridal party.

"Following the wedding service a supper was served at which a small number of guests sat down. The tables were decorated in carnations and smilax. Mrs. Gillespie was during the evening made the recipient of a number of costly mementoes of the wedding.

"Mr Gillespie is the manager of Stark's store in the Canadian Soo and previously to that time he had been employed in this city; so that he is still considered a Sooite, and as such is very popular socially and among his former associates. His bride has been a Soo girl for a number of years. Her social accomplishments are many and she has been much sought after among the younger set. Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie, left after the ceremony for their home in the Canadian Soo. They will be at home in two weeks on Wellington street."

LEAPS TO DEATH

Nephew of the Former Governor General of Canada Makes Foolish Wager

Jumps From Moving Freight, Expecting Momentum to Carry Him to Safety

Wichita, Kan., Oct. 23.—A young Englishman jumped from the top of a Santa Fe freight car while crossing the Salt Fork bridge near Ponca City, Okla., saying the momentum wolud carry him to the bank and making a bet to that effect. He fell short, however, striking a rock in the river and was instantly killed.

In his pockets were found evidences that he was the nephew of the Earl of Lonsdale and that he had served in the British army in India. In his pockets also a letter from London lawyers asking him to return to prosecute a claim to an inheritance.

THE BRITISH FORCE HAS EVADED THE MAD MULLAH

The News Gives Great Satisfaction, but Troops from India Are Ready

To Go to Somaliland, Where Developments are Now Being Awaited—Infantry Sails for India

London, Oct. 23—A message received at the Foreign Office here today from General Manning dated Berbera (capital of Somaliland, British East Africa,) announces that the force commanded by Colonel Swayne, which was threatened with destruction by the army commanded by the Mad Mullah has reached Bohotle in safety.

General Manning's message adds: "Colonels Swayne's force was not attacked during its retirement. The situation consequently, is more satisfactory, but do not cancel the orders warning a Punjab regiment to be in readiness in case it is wanted, as further developments must be awaited. The wounded are all doing well, and no anxiety concerning the wounded offficers need be cerning the wounded officers need be celt. The Aden detachment is expected today, and will go forward to-morrow."

The news from Somaliland caused great satisfaction here, and relieved the keen anxiety felt as to the fate of the British expedition. Gen. Manning's message was promptly forwarded to King Edward.

Simla, India, Oct. 23—Besides the Second Bombay Grenadiers and the Bombay Infantry regiment, sailing for Somaliland today, a native field hospital will sail for the same destination Saturday. The 29th Baluchis have also been warned to be in readiness.

TO CANADIAN INVESTORS

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Sports and Pastimes

The Houghton (Michigan) Daily Gazette in its hockey talk says—"Of the new men , Baker, of Listowel, Ontario, a the last to arrive. The other new men are Wescott, of St. Mary's Ont., and Seibert and Stephens of Berlin. All these men have great reputations and are expected to add materially to the strength of last year's champions. There is going to be an interesting contest between some of the old players and he new men to see who will make regular paces on the team,. Just now there are 13 candidates for the team, and the regulars will be chosen on the basis of form shown in preliminary practice. Just at present it is impossible to name to a certainty any regular player with the exception of Captain Gibson.

PLAYERS TO HAVE CHARGE.

According to the Herald, the players will run their own hockey team in Stratford this winter. There was a great deal of dissatifaction among the players last year as to the way the teams were run; also, on the part of the management, as to the way the team wanted to be run. So all the talk among the boys this season is that they will manage the team themselves, both in financial and other ways. It has been proposed that the players each deposit ten dollars, to meet the expenses at the first of the season, which occur before any games can be played. This money will then be returned at the end of the year to each depositor.

General Grant's Widow Ill

Cobourg, Ont., Oct. 22—Word was received here that the widow of the late President Grant, who spends her summers in Cobourg, is seriously ill. She arrived in Washington on a special car, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris, and their servants. Mrs. Grant is in a very feeble condition and confined to her bed, but while no immediate danger is anticipated great concern i felt for her. She has been ill a number of times in the last few years, once last winter so seriously for a time as to cause grave apprehension on the part of her family. She was very feeble when she arrived here last spring, but was much improved by the climate of Canada, as was also Mrs. Saratoris, who was indisposed most of the time during the past year, and was under treatment in New York.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

Boston, Oct. 24—The United Irish League of America started out enthusiastically today in its career on behalf of the cause of Irish independence by holding its First National Convention in Faneuil Hall. Well known Irish-Americans were present from the chief cities of the country and conspicuous among them all were the Irish Parliamentarians who spoke at the big meetings here last night.

The convention nearly filled the hall. The proceedings were opened by National President John F. Finerty, of Chicago, James H. Doyle, acting Mayor, gave the official welcome on behalf of the city.

Bourke Cochrane was chosen temporary chairman. He made a speech which inspired his hearers to enthusiasm, saying that whenever the English had relaxed oppressive measures against the Irish, Ireland had bloomed into instant prosperity. Gen. James R. O'Beirne of New York also spoke.

The committee reported that there were 482 delegates, representing 466 branches; 177 at large ,21 States, the District of Columbia and Canada. There were no contests in any delegation. John F. Finerty of Chicago was chosen permanent chairman.

WEATHER NOTES

Friday—Easterly and southerly winds; unsettled and showery.

The weather is fair throughout Quebec and Eastern Ontario and cloudy further west. An area of high pressure, which was not visible on yesterday's chart, has moved southeastward with great rapidity, and is now centered north of the Ottawa Valley. The outlook is unsettled and strong winds and moderate gales are probable on the great lakes.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of the Peterborough Town And County Historical Society—Officers Elected—Important Additions to the Museum

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Town and County Historical Society was opened by Lieut.-Col. Rogers last evening in the Y.M.C.A. Hall for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. Mr. Rogers apologized for the meeting not being held in September, the usual time.

SECRETARY'S REPORT.

Following was the report by Mr. T. A. S. Hay, the Secretary for 1901.

It was moved by Col. Edwards seconded by Mr. Brown that Mr. Hay's report be adopted.

OFFICERS ELECTED

The following were the officers elected for the year 1903.

Hon.-Pres.—Judge Weller.
Pres.—Lieut.-Col. Rogers.
1st. Vice.-Pres.—Mr. R. Hall.
2nd Vice.-Pres.—Mr. J. B. McWilliams
3rd. Vice.-Pres.—Mr. Birdsall.
Secretary—Mr. T. A. S. Hay.
Treasurer—Mrs. McFarlane Wilson.
Executive Committee— Col. Edwards. Rev. Mr. Davidson, Mr. D. Spence, Mr. Toker, Mr. J. C. Brown, Mr. Elcombe, F. J. Jamieson.
Museum Committee —Mr. Strickland, Mr. T. A. S. Hay, Mr. Burnham

REPORTS.

The Secretary reported Mr. F. J. Jamieson as being instrumental in securing $100.00 toward the funds of the association.

A very interesting and lengthy paper was read by Mr. Robt. Harrison, of town, regarding the first settlements around Peterborough when his father came here in 1820.

ADDITIONS TO MUSEUM

The Secretary reported the following additions to the museum:

A model of a Columbus clock.

Specimens of coal ore from Cordova mines by Mr. F. Richardson.

Two bank notes of a rare variety for $1 and $2 issued in 1838, by Mr. Richards of town.

A tomahawk belonging to Chief Potash of Rice Lake bearing an Indian manuscript."

A blunderbuss used in Ireland about 1800, by the late Jno. English.

Two hundred and fifty varieties of eggs of Canadian wild birds.

It was moved and carried that members of the staff of the University of Toronto to be engaged from time to time to give lectures at the different meetings held by the Association.

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EMPLOYERS ORGANIZE

An important sign of the times was given on Tuesday night in Toronto, when at a largely attended meeting of employers, they organized themselves into what will be called "The Employers' Association of Toronto, Canada." This body is the first of its kind in this country, though several we believe, are in existence across the line. The objects of the association, as will have been divined, will mainly be to protect its members in their right to manage their respective businesses in such lawful manner as they may deem proper; to adopt a uniform legitimate system whereby members may ascertain who is, and who is not, worthy of employment; to make it possible for men to obtain employment without being obliged to join a labor organization, and to encourage them to resist the compulsory methods of organized labor; to adjust differences existing between members and their employees, etc. etc. The officers of the new association are as follows: President, J. P. Murray, Toronto Carpet Company; first vice-president, W. H. Carrick, Gurney Foundry Company; second vice-president, A. F. Rutter, Warwick Bros. & Rutter; treasurer, Frank Polson, Polson Iron Works; secretary, H. G. Hunt.

OUR TRADE WITH JAMAICA

The present agitation in Jamaica for either the federation or the commercial union of that colony with the Dominion of Canada, is worthy of serious consideration in this country, says the Ottawa Citizen. The Jamaica planters desire to find a free market in Canada for their sugar, lemons, oranges, bananas, coffee, ginger, spices, logwood, etc., etc., in return for which they would purchase from us oats, split peas, soda and fancy biscuits, tin and enameled ware, boots and shoes, organs, furniture, agricultural implements, ropes and cordage, paints, lumber and other building material, metallic roofing, canned goods, live stock, butter, cheese, tallow, bacon hams, flour and other food stuffs and manufactures. According to the report of the committee of the Royal Jamaica Society of Agriculture and Commerce and Merchants' Exchange; "The natural conditions of the respective colonies are all in favor of mutual trade. Each country is the natural complement of the other in natural products, and it is high time that the feeling which has so long existed in favor of improved trade relations should bear good results." Th eprincipal drawback to the interchange of commodities is the lack of rapid, up-to-date, frequent and direct steamboat service. The direct trade between the two countries has largely increased since the advent of the Canada-Jamaica line from St. John, N.B., but this new service, although a decided improvement, is but a monthly one, carried on in far from up-to-date steamers, occupying from eight to ten days between St. John and Kingston, Jamaica.

The general complaint is made that Canadian shippers neglect to cater to the wants of the market in the matter of packing the size of packages. This conservatism which ignores the local preference of outside markets has been a standing complaint for years and results in the anomaly of Canadian produce being sold in Great Britain at a figure so low that the purchasers are enabled to repack it properly and ship it to the West Indies. That this actually occurs is vouched for by a correspondent in Kingstown, Jamaica, and is a reflection on the business capabilities of Canadian shippers and producers. A little more intelligence and progressiveness in this particular would ensure much higher prices, a benefit that is reaped by outside middlemen.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Our old friend the Eastern war cloud again appears upon the horizon.

The manner in which the Canadian Pacific railway is moving the wheat out of the northwest this fall is eliciting unstinted praise from all sources.

DISTRICT NEWS

KEENE.

Dr. T. W. Harrison and wife are at present taking a vacation at the doctor's father's home. Dr. McWilliams has charge of the practice.

Mrs. George Manning is visiting Mrs. English.

Miss Daisy Seccombe and her friend, Miss Scott, of Whitby Ladies' College, spent Thanksgiving Day at the home of the former.

Mr. Will McIntyre has returned from the West.

Mr. Albert and John Bettice, of Keene, spent Sunday in Keene.

The Post Office is being repaired. Mr. R. J. McCamus has the contract for the complete work.

A united meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary and Bible Society was held in the Methodist church on Sunday evening. Rev. Mr. Potter, of Peterborough, conducted the services.

The Y.P.S.C.E. hold their annual social in the town hall on Friday evening.

We are glad to see that Mr. John Doris is able to be around again after a severe illness.

Our veteran duck hunter, Mr. Marshall Weir, returned home from camp a few days ago. He says the ducks are plentiful, but hard to get.

Mr. Will Howson, public school teacher at Mathers' Corners, is contemplating taking a course at the Whitby Ladies' College. Great "Scott" Will she's a dandy.

Master Vincent Pue had his arm broken by falling from a horse.

Mr. Harry Neil, of Peterborough, is at present at his cottage, Sea Breeze.

Dr. W. McCauley, of Warkworth is at present shooting "at" ducks, on Rice Lake.

A number of our citizens intend going to the back country for the deer hunting.

Mr. Marshall Weir, jr., is spending a few days at his uncle's, Mr. John Dixons, Drummond's Station.

The Son's of Rest will hold a meeting in the hall of wisdom next Monday evening, to transact business and elect officers for the coming year. A report will be given in next issue.

BENSFORT.

Mr. Edward Stirton lost a valuable driving horse recently. No reason can be assigned, as she dropped dead after being brought into the stable from the pasture field.

Mr. John Thorne had the misfortune to break his collar bone recently by falling from an apple tree. Mrs. Thorne was blown from the verandah some time since, breaking her thigh. We understand that they are both progressing favorably.

Mr. John Whitting has been very sick lately, but is again recovering his usual health.

The wife of Mr. Alex. Emberson presented him with a fine child last week. 'Tis a girl.

Mr. Watson is again in the neighborhood with his steam threshing outfit, doing his usual satisfactory work. He is finishing up the jobs he commenced in harvest and getting several others besides.

The milk drawers at the factory say that their loads do not get much lighter. The flow of milk keeps up wonderfully well for the lateness of the season, and the muddy condition of the roads does not mend matters to any extent.

Mr. Stanley Robinson visited Norwood Fair last week. He reports a splendid time and a good show.

The fuel question is much in evidence in Bensfort. Several of the residents have no wood on their farms, consequently they have to buy coal. The price being so high they have almost as much difficulty in laying in a stock as residents of the larger cities. Hence the kick.

PASSES TO HEAVEN

American Senator Charges Missionaries With Swindling Ignorant Hawaiians

Topeka, Kan., Oct. 22.—United States Senator Burton arrived here to-night preparatory to entering the State campaign He has just returned from Hawaii, where he went as one of a Senatorial investigating committee.

"The Hawaiians are fine people," he said to-night, "but they are in hard lines just at present. Their condition is the out of the work of Boston missionaries. A number of missionaries have been over there recently and have given many of the natives certificates guaranteed to admit them to heaven in exchange for their lands. A number of the more ignorant natives have been swindled this way. Those who have learned their mistake are naturally a trifle suspicious of all Americans.

TOOK SNAPSHOTS IN SALOONS

Topeka Minister Will Show Them and Some Topeka Citizens are Worried

Topeka, Kan., Oct. 23.—Supporters of the independent candidates for Sheriff and county attorneys here who are pledged to complete the destruction of the Topeka liquor joints begun by Mrs. Nation, have created consternation among certain persons who pose as temperance advocates and leaders in the church

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New York, Oct. 23.—Certain industrials have recently been showing considerable strength. On Tuesday last, when the market was exhibiting a tendency to decline, some of these shares actually advanced upon a comparatively animated business transacted in them, considering the comparative dullness of the market as far as dimensions in transactions were concerned. Some of them lost their earlier gain in sympathy with the balance of the market. Notable strength appeared for Rubber Goods issues, Hide and Leather, Sloss Sheffield, Pressed Car, Car and Foundry and Hocking Valley. The prospects are that in the absence of outward developments some bullish activity will be seen in the future in the industrial group. One reason for this is that the industrial companies of this country have been very successful, while their securities have not participated to any great extent in the sharp rise enjoyed by the railroad shares in the past twelve months. All of them, or nearly all, are selling at moderate prices which do not necessarily require large sums of money to handle; and they of the dividend class make enormous returns upon the money invested, many of them being absolutely certain of maintaining their present rate of dividend, while several more are actually in shape not only to increase them, but will positively do so. The main obstacle to an industrial boom is the lack of confidence of the speculative public in the market movements of this class of stock; owing to the unpleasant episode which have occurred in some of them, they will nevertheless have their day. It does not take a long memory to go back to the great industrial boom of '99, in which ex-Gov. Flower was the chief engineer. Then the industrials proved to be the best speculative propositions in the market. The present era of prosperity so greatly reflected in Wall street activities will not pass away without the industrials getting their turn. We will devote some space in these letters for a few days to certain issues that are certain, and large payers, for such of our clients that are looking for outright investments which are not only safe but yield large returns.

New York, 23.—To-day's market was nondescript in character, showing extreme inertness to drift; manipulation was lacking most everywhere save in Col. F & I., where a buying movement of some aggressiveness seemed to be under way. There was no particular news all through the day having any direct influence upon prices. Facts circulated by the Wall street news agencies were negative in character. The bulk of transactions were made by the room traders, and eighth chasers; in fact there was hardly any market at all; the undertone was strong, and what little business there was transacted was generally well distributed. We look for more or less quiet market until after the election, with the general tendency in the upward direction. To-morrow's letter will be "Market caring for itself." Money closed at 4 per cent. Sales 400,400

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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A Real Estate Purchase Now

His Worship, Mayor Denne, is said to have purchased the property situated on the south west corner of Hunter and Bethune streets, from the Bank of Montreal. The property consists of a four-terrace house, facing on Hunter st. and five houses on Bethune street. It is evident that our popular chief magistrate is not afraid of investing in Peterborough real estate.

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The annual harvest dinner and concert under the auspices of the ladies of All Saints' church, held yesterday afternoon and evening in the Forester's Hall, Simcoe street was a great success. The dinner was liberally patronized as was also the concert. The programme was a good one, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, readings, &c. A snug sum, which will be devoted to the building fund of the church, was the result of the effort.

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A Newspaper Man's Troubles

The editor of a newspaper has got to be mighty careful how he reports things or he's going to get into trouble. A short time ago a scribe on the staff of this j.l.j. saw one of our citizens driving out of town and supposing his wife was with him reported Mr. and Mrs.——as going to such and such a place. The fact was Mr.——did go, but Mrs.——remained at home, and ever since that time the gentleman has kept pretty busy trying to explain who the other Mrs. was, and our junior reporter has been the victim of his wrath, in a mild way, every since the article appeared.

Wanted His Money Back

The item which appeared in the Times a few days ago regarding the action of a church-goer in changing a ten cent piece from the collection plate, has brought the following, the truth of which is vouched for by the Times' informant: In a house of worship recently a man who had evidently been asleep and was not sufficiently awake when collection time came, to be quite sure of anything, put a fifty cent piece on the plate. He discovered the awful truth when he got home and found that the penny he thought he had given to the Lord was still in hispocket, whereas a fifty-cent piece was missing. He slept but little that night and early next morning went around to the deacon, who takes charge of the collections, and offered him eight cents if he'd give him back the fifty. The deacon refused.

Must Learn Cooking Now

The Department of Education announced recently that hereafter graduates of the Normal Schools in Ontario, and that means every teacher who gets a permanent certificate, must take a course in domestic science, otherwise the certificate becomes void in three years. Although it is not so stated it is presumed that this only refers to female teachers, for the Department will hardly want to turn out men cooks. Such domestic science instruction will be given at the new Macdonald school at Guelph, or at Lillian Massey School in Toronto, which is under Government patronage or at similar institutions which may be established later. Mr. Harcourt anticipates that the compulsion will not be considered a hardship; but that the graduates of the Normal schools themselves will not be satisfied until they have taken advantage of the facilities offered.

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The promotion of Major Miller is popular with all classes, and The Times cordially joins in extending hearty congratulations to the gallant officer.

THE GEISHA.

The Famous Opera to be Produced by a Local Company

The Times is pleased to state that Mrs W. J. Morrow, has decided to present the beautiful opera entitled "The Geisha," in Peterborough at an early date. The ladies and gentlemen who desire to take part in her Choral Class are requested to leave their names at her studio, 365 Brock street, on or before Wednesday of next week.

Mrs. Morrow has been fortunate in securing the services of Mr. J. Harry Proctor as stage director. Mr. Proctor is well known, having conducted the Grecian Drills, at the Charleston, S.C., Mid Winted Exposition, as well as having staged many operas throughout the United States and Canada.

The members of local choirs, and all other trained vocalists, should and no doubt will, turn in and assist.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the p p r with items of a personal and Social nature either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. John Crane, of the Ontario Bank, was in Lakefield on Wednesday.

—Mrs. V. Eastwood and daughter left today on a visit to Mrs. Eastwood's sister, Mrs. Masson, at Concord, New Hampshire.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Spellman arrived home from their honeymoon trip on Wednesday. They left last night for Toronto, Mrs. Spellman returning to Cleveland, on account of the illness of her mother.

—Mr. Alex. Poole, of Winchester, England, who has been visiting his nephew, Dr. Poole, left for home yesterday. He has, since August last, been touring through Canada and the United States.

—Trooper Baskin, of the South Africa Constabulary, was in town yesterday morning with his uncle, Mr. Jno. Baskin, of Norwood. The trooper arrived home Wednesday from South Africa having obtained his discharge after a period of service beginning two years ago last March.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The gates are now being put in at the Grand Trunk crossing.

—The bar rooms will be closed on December 4—referendum day.

—Another counterfeit ten dollar bill has turned up in Peterborough.

—Two second hand coal stoves for sale cheap. Call at The Times office.

—Don't waste matches. You may have to depend upon them for heating purposes before the winter is over.

—The work of dredging the river opposite the Cereal Works is now progressing.

—Mr. James Kendry, M.P., Toronto, publishes a letter supporting Mr. Tarte's high protection policy.

—Work on the new rink is progressing under the energetic hand of contractor Langford.

—Deer hunters will pay the same fee for a license as was paid last year—$2 for a Canadian, $25 for an American. Permits will be issued to bond fide settlers at 25c., enabling them to kill two deer for home use.

—We have just received some very choice lines in fancy stationery, including the very latest in wedding and "At Home" cards. Call and see samples and get our prices before buying elsewhere. Times Bookstore, Market Block.

—A Peterborough schoolteacher visiting in a nearby town was a guest at a party the other day, and a lady to whom she had been just introduced did not catch the "Miss" and, supposing she was married, asked: "How many children did you say you have?" "Well, only forty now," was the reply that nearly staggered the questioner.

—Mr. Wilson Henderson, the efficient superintendent of the Peterborough waterworks, has returned from Hamilton, where he was invited by the directors of the electric railway company to give an expert opinion as to the location and arrangement of a dam at Caledonia on the Grand River.

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ON THE RANCH

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She says, "I know it has had a beneficial effect on my family, I hear very little complaint of dull headache as I used to when we drank coffee; as for myself, I was so troubled with palpitation and aching of my heart that I consulted a physician and was told that I had serious heart trouble which would necessitate my giving up everything but the slightest housework. But now after a busy summer's work, doing the cooking for my family, which with the hired help numbers 8 and 10 persons. I can say that I have no trouble with my heart and my general health is excellent.

I wish all coffee drinkers could realize how they are undermining their health by its use and would change to that best of all drinks, Postum Coffee. I wish to add that we use a package of Grape-Nuts a day which will attest the favor in which the food as well as the coffee is held by my family."

Mainly About People.

"What can we do with Rosslyn?" Disraeli once asked of Salisbury. "Make him master of the buckhounds, as his father was," suggested the latter. "No," replied the Premier, "he swears far too much for that. We will make him high commissioner to the Church of Scotland."

Senator Proctor of Vermont says the finest speech he ever made consisted of only four words. It was a retort to Senator Hoar's sarcastic little thrust in a speech directed at the Green Mountain senator. He said: "No man in Vermont is allowed to vote unless he has made five thousand dollars trading with Massachusetts people." Whereat Proctor said: "And we all vote."

The principal of a high school tells the following anecdote: One day at school I gave a bright boy a sum in algebra, and, although the problem was comparatively easy, he couldn't do it. I remarked, "You ought to be ashamed of yourself. At your age George Washington was a surveyor." The boy looked me straight in the eyes and replied. "Yes, sir; and at your age he was President of the United States."

A good story comes from the Davidson Theater, in Chicago, and runs to the effect that a man from up the State went in to see the opera the other night, pulling his money from his pocket before he reached the box-office window. "I want tew git a good seat," he said, loud enough to be heard all over the lobby of the theater, "and I want it right down the middle lane, and close up tew the exercises." He got it.

A hunting party of ladies and gentlemen were detained by a storm at the hut of a Virginia backwoodsman. Dinner being served, there was an embarrassing paucity of knives. The mother, wishing to impress her aristocratic guests, called in a commanding tone to her young daughter, "Fetch some more knives, Sairey; you know we've got thousands of 'em." "Law, no, ma'm; they're all thar! Thar's 'Big Butch,' and 'Little Butch,' and 'Razor-Back,' and 'Bunty.'"

David Lloyd-George, a member of Parliament from Wales, tells a good story on himself in connection with a Disestablishment meeting in which he has been taking part in Wales. A few days previous, it seems, there had been a Church Defence meeting held in the same place, at which a certain prominent dignitary of the Establishment had spoken, referring to whom Mr. Lloyd-George's chairman observed: "In my opinion that Churchman is one of the biggest liars in North Wales, but, thank goodness, we've got a match for him here to-night!"

"Chums" tells of a certain wild beast tamer who had been on bad terms for some time with one of his neighbors, and the other day, as the result of a violent quarrel, the latter, with a friend, attacked the former just before he was timed to give his performance. The tamer, unwilling to make a scene, took refuge in the lion's den. Judge of the amusement of the spectators when they beheld the two men standing in front of the cage and shouting through the bars at regular intervals: "Come out of that, you big coward; come out of that!"

Some little while ago a rather eccentric cotton manufacturer, owning large mills not a score of miles from Halifax, England, and who was familiarly known in the district round about as "Owd H——," overheard one of the lads in his employ remark to somebody: "Aw wish Aw hed 'Owd H——'s' brass, an' he wor i' th' warkhaase." Quickly retiring, "Owd H——" sent for the offender into his office, and asked him what he would do with the money, supposing his wish were to be fulfilled. The youngster was quite equal to the occasion, promptly replying: "Whoy, th' furst thing Aw'd do wod be ta fotch yo aat (out), maister." This clever reply so appeased the old gentleman that the boy was sent back to his work with half a sovereign in his pocket.

The other afternoon, says the New York "Tribune," when President Roosevelt reached Dupont Circle, a "seeing Washington" electric car hove in sight, and the guide continued his lecture through a megaphone in this way: "On the left we see the elegant residence of Mr. George Westinghouse, the millionaire inventor and electrician, formerly the home of the late James G. Blaine; a little to the left of front we perceive the palatial mansion of Mr. L. Z. Leiter, the Chicago millionaire, and father of the famous beauty, Miss Mary Leiter, now Lady Curzon, the wife of the Governor-General of India; in the park in front we are confronted by the statue of Admiral Dupont, and also in front we see the President of the United States on horseback." The crowd looked, and one woman said, "Whose statue is it, McKinley's?" "It's Roosevelt," the guide responded. "He ain't a statue yet."

Something Wrong With the Shammy.

There is a prominent doctor in Germantown who is busy telling a little joke on himself, says the Philadelphia "Evening Telegraph." It appears that he employed an Irish servant who had just arrived from the "ould sod." Starting out one morning, he noticed his office windows were rather dirty, and calling Bridget, he instructed her to clean them before he returned. At the same time he told her that he would stop and purchase a new chamois skin and send it home, and with this she was to clean the windows. After he had gone his rounds he found them thickly streaked with grease. He called Bridget, and the following colloquy took place:

"Bridget, didn't I tell you to clean the windows?"

"Yes, sor."

"And didn't I tell you to use the new chamois?"

"Yes, sor."

"Well, did you use it?"

"Sure I did, sor."

"Let me see the chamois," said the doctor, and Bridget promptly brought it. Then for the first time he learned that his wife had left the house a half hour before he did in the morning and had sent home some tripe. The doctor declines to say what happened to the chamois skin.

Little gobs of powder,
Little specks of paint,
Make the little Freckle
Look as if it ain't.

Jack—It is mighty hard to be the son of a self-made millionaire. Tom—Why so? Jack—A fellow can't decide whether to go into business and live up to his father's reputation, or go into society and live it down.—"Town Topics."

A Painful Accident

Mr. James Fegg, of Kingston, formerly of Peterborough, was the victim of a very painful and serious accident. During the day, Mr. Fegg, in company with his brother-in-law, P. C. Graham, went shooting out on the Cataraqui marsh, near Kingston. Late in the afternoon while on the watch out for birds. Mr. Fegg rested the muzzle of his gun on his right foot, and while in this position the weapon went off, the contents of the same, heavy shot, entering the foot, of the unfortunate man. His companion did all he could to relieve his sufferings, and after great difficulties the injured man was gotten as far as the asylum, where his injuries were partly dressed. One of the toes hung only by a thread, and the rest were badly mangled. He was taken to the General Hospital where he is now resting as easily as can be expected.

PUNISHMENT.

Social progress has done away with a great many forms of punishment once administered under the laws of enlightened people. But nature never changes or modifies her penalties. She still has

the same punishment for the man who neglects or abuses his stomach as she had in the far off days "when Adam delved and Eve span."

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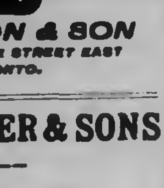

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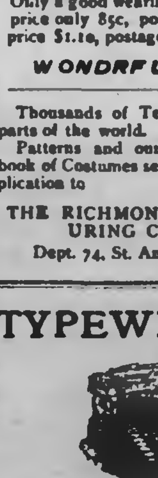

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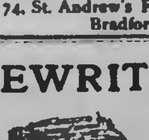

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SOME MINERS STILL ON STRIKE IN HAZLETON

Two Independent Operators will not Take Them Back in a Body

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 4.—There is a slight improvement in the coal mining situation in the Wyoming and Lackawanna regions this morning, but in the Schuylkill and Leigh regions there has been little change since yesterday. All of the collieries at the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Company are being worked with an increased force of miners. The Ontario and Western Company started all of its mines this morning. The Leigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company resumed operations at two of its mines, but owing to the accumulation gas they had to be shut down again. The Delaware and Hudson Company, has more mines in operation in the Lackawanna district than yesterday, but in the Wyoming region the company could not get an additional colliery started, although steam was up in readiness for hoisting coal. The Leigh Valley Company reports that it has one more mine in operation this morning than yesterday. A general resumption is not looked for until Monday. With the mines in operation the output of coal must be somewhat curtailed, because the mines cannot be worked to their full capacity. As one mine superintendent expressed it today: "We are only feeling our way. It will take some days before any thing like the normal output will be obtained"

MANY CAN'T GET WORK.

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 24—It is stated here that not fifty per cent. of the men who went out in the Lykens Valley region where the coal strike was declared will get their places back and that only a small number have started work. Others will be given employment but the coal company has refused to discharge those who took the places of men who struck. The miners are incensed at this action by the company, and there is a feeling of unrest in the Lykens Valley. The company has issued an order to the effect that only a limited number of men will be re-employed, and that it will not discharge the men who have taken the places of the strikers.

Hamilton, Pa., Oct. 24—The employes of the G. B. Markle & Company's collieries and the men working at the Drift-on mine of Coxe Bros & Co., voted last night to continue on strike until the conditions under which they are to be taken back by these firms are changed. One of the officials of Coxe Bros. & Co., said to-day:

"We insist that all the men formerly employed at our mines, who went on strike, shall apply to the respective foremen as individuals if they wish to return. If we have room for them and they committed no act of violence during the strike, they will be taken back with the understanding that the non-union men must not be molested. Every man who struck is considered by us as having left our employ, and that is why we will not resume operations by permitting the men to return to work in a body."

At Silverbrook colliery, operated by J. S. Wertz & Co., the men must also make applications as individuals before operations are resumed.

FROM THEIR DEATH BED TO PARLIAMENT

London, Oct. 23. The Copenhagen correspondent of the Daily Telegraph describes in graphic language how the sale of the Danish Islands in the West Indies to the United States was refused ratification by the Landsthing. The result was doubtful until the last moment, as one member had not taken up a definite stand on the question, and it was uncertain wherther two others, who were ill, would attend. The excitement had become intense.

These two sick members, one of whom is 97 years of age and the other 87 have been confined to their beds for many weeks at a place 150 miles away, and, indeed, are expected to die. On Tuesday, however, some of the prominent political leaders were sent to transport them to Copenhagen. They were carried into an ambulance carriage which was placed on the ferry across the channel separating their island from Jutland, and accompanied by physicians. they travelled to the capital. Here they were met by certain prominent anti-sale agitators and were driven in carriages to an hotel, where they were looked after and nursed during the night.

Wednesday morning they were taken to the Landsthing half an hour before the first meeting, and were carried in and placed in their chairs, with a prompter at their side to inform them how to vote. The names of these men are Thygeson and Raben. This story, no doubt, sounds like fiction, but it is literally true.

The result of the vote, which was by roll call, was awaited with breathless excitement, and when, on the last name that it was a tie, the spectators broke out, some in cheers and others into hisses. Pandemonium, in fact, reigned and it was impossible to suppress the popular feeling. The more violent opponents of the treaty, particularly, exhibited their joy like children

AN OLD TIME MATCH

A Great Game Played Away Back in the Sixties

PORT HOPE VS. PETERBORO

How Base Ball Became Unpopular in Peterboro and District

The Fire Fighters of the Two Towns Have an Exciting Contest on the Diamond The story of the Battle as Given The Times

"Did I ever tell you about the one occasion on which I went outside the legitimate world of sport" said an old timer to The Times yesterday.

"It was away back in the beginning of the sixties, when Messrs. J. J. Lundy, Harry Winch, Jim. English, Bertie Morrow and that crowd of our esteemed citizens were boys. In those days the leading men in sports as well as in everything else that had for its object the promotion of the well being and happiness of our citizens, were the late Messrs. Wm. Cluxton. Edmund Chamberlain. Wm. Lundy, T. Bradburn, Wm. Cumming, Samuel Dickson, Charles Perry J. F. Dennistoun and others.

"At the time I speak of," the Old Timer began, "there was to be a Fireman's tournament in Peterborough. At that time every town in the district had a volunteer fire company, and the yearly drills and exhibitions were of greater importance than the circus. The meeting often lasted a couple of days, and consisted of team races, hose squirting contests, baseball and cricket games etc.

"The rivalry between the ball teams of Port Hope and Peterborough was intense. Every one expected a closer contest than usual that year. The Port Hope Dandies were the popular favorites, but the Peterborough Roarers had a stronger team than usual and their friends were pretty confident.

"The previous year Peterborough had not entered the contest and her new team was not considered formidable by the leaders. As a matter of fact the team was not organized until a week before the contest.

"As I was the only man of affairs in the village who was not a member of the fire company, I was elected manager. The last manager had disappeared in company with the gate receipts, and the team decided to take no chances.

"Well, I advanced the necessary money ofr outfits, and the team practised every day ofr a week. They hardly took time for meals. They certainly were a fine lot, and on the last day of practice they showed up so well that the betting dropped from long odds to about 5 to 1.

"Much to the surprise of the outsiders the Peterborough boys went through the contest with an unbroken string of victories. There were just two games between them and the championship, and on the day before the close of the tournament they defeated the Lindsay Slashers by a big margin. This made people think, and the supporters of the Port Hope Dandies began to look for a chance to hedge.

"Never in the history of the tournament had such a crowd been seen as gathered to see the final struggle. The primitive grand stand was packed to the roof and the field along the base lines was a mass of excited humanity.

"At the end of the eleventh inning the score was even at two runs apiece. From the beginning it seemed as if the Dandies had the best of it.

"You see that the competing fire companies had parked their engines in the outfield and the Dandies' backers had turned on their hose on the field and soaked it. At first we thought this would hinder their fielders as much as it did ours, but those farmers kept their feet in the mud as if they were used to it, while our boys found it almost impossible to get under a fly.

"We managed, nevertheless, to shut them out in the first of the twelfth and they killed the first two men who came up in our half of the inning. It looked as if we might make a tie, but nobody dared to hope for more than that.

"Finally their pitcher got tired and gave two bases on balls. We were quick to see our chance, and yelled with delight. The next man for us was Sam Williams, the heaviest on either team.

"Our most ardent supporters were the Lindsay Hose. They had won the hose squirting contest and had bet all the prize money on our winning.

"When Sam came to bat the boys jumped up and manned their double-expansion hand engine. We did not understand just what they were up to, but we soon found out.

"When their centrefielder saw who held the stick he got sort of scared, and ran back till he was right in front of the Lindsay engine. The first ball pitched was a straight one and Sam hit it with all his strength.

"At the moment the ball left the bat the Lindsay boys began to work their engine like mad. It was a beautiful fly and the fielder judged it to perfection.

"The ball was coming down right in his hands. It seemed to take ages for that ball to drop. The suspense was awful.

"When the ball was within ten feet of the man's hands and we were about to shut our eyes a queer thing happened. The fielder was right under it and was beginning to lift his hands when a stream from the Lindsay engine hit the ball and threw it twenty feet in the air.

"When the ball came down the stream hit it again and up it went. Well, sir, you've seen those fountains in shooting galleries that keep a ball in the air for you to shoot at? Well, that's just what those cusses from Lindsay did.

"And in the meantime Sam Williams was going around the bases like a whirlwind. When he reached the plate they gave the ball a final squirt and threw it over the fielder's head.

"Of course the umpire did not live the right out and baseball has never been popular here since. We did not have a hospital here than and altogether it was almost too strenuous, but it certainly was a great game.

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THE HUNTERS PREPARING

Eagle Lake Club Have Their War Paint Ready—Other Hunting Parties

—The members of the Eagle Lake Hunting Club met at the Commercial House on Thursday evening and organized for the fall hunt. Mr. Jack Cottingham was elected Captain and Mr. Charlie Westlake, Secretary-Treasurer. The following members were present: Messrs. M. Tooley, R. Sheehy, C. Gonsulus, Geo. Fitzgerald, — Tivey, C. James, T. Parker, Sam Currier, Wm. White. T. Pearson, Mark Dobson, Charlie Butcher, J. Mitchell and G. Mitchell. The total membership is 19. The hunters will leave Mr. George Fitzgerald's shop on Thursday morning next at 7.30, and will be open for business on Saturday, at Eagle Lake. They have about 20 dogs and about a ton of provisions, including a small quantity of buttermilk.

—The Blade-Rutherford-Pentland party leave on Saturday for Parry Harbour, where they will place themselves under the guidance of Mr. Charlie Gladman, who will conduct them to the shore of a lake, about 30 miles inland, where the deer are said to be so thick that you can hardly fore in the woods in any direction without hitting one.

—The Times would suggest to those who have recently been buying lead mine stocks to hang on. When Mr. Tooley and the rest of the hunters get to work lead stocks will surely take a jump upwards.

—The Winch-Morrow party will leave about the end of the week for their splendid quarters, "Win-Ketch" on Ketchecum Lake. The party have amongst their number some of the expert hunters of the district—men who have done wonderful execution on the trail as well as with the more peaceful knife and fork at meal hour. Capt. Harry Winch will lead the hunters, and this means that every man will have his quota when the season closes.

—The Gold Lake party is in a state of —disruption. Chief Snowden, and Secretary Boddy are all that is left, the other members all going to the North Shore district this year.

—Mr. J. M. Brooks, who is a member of the Ketchecum Lake party, is fixing up his artillery and getting everything in readiness. He is an enthusiastic hunter, and has become a member of the Winch party.

WRECK NEAR BELLEVILLE

Lindsay Auxiliary Crew Dispatched to the Scene

Accident Caused a Double-Header Parting—No one was Injured

Another smash-up occurred on Wednesday on the Midland division of the Grand Trunk. This time Corbyville a station a short distance west of Belleville, was the scene of the trouble. A double-header grain train, which left Lindsay yard early in the morning, broke in two at that point, and a second train following close behind smashed into the rear end of the loose section. The engine was wrecked and a number of cars were demolished, including the caboose, which caught on fire. Luckily no one was injured.

Belleville auxiliary train reached the scene at 3 o'clock, and the Lindsay crew left about an hour later. The wreckage was cleared away before 9 o'clock.

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The Santa Fe broke its record in getting the train ready and in running to Newton, Kan. The strain started an hour after Mr. Erhart telephoned for it and made the run to Newton, 550 miles, for which the limited requires 17 hours in 11 hours and 40 minutes. At Newton Mr. Erhart left the special and started for Galveston, Tex., his wife showing much improvement.

WHY NOT PETERBOROUGH

Interesting News Concerning Proposed Sugar Beet Factory

The following from the Lindsay Watchman-Warder, is of special interest to our readers, in view of the fact that the percentage of sugar in the beets grown throughout the Province as a test, was the highest in Peterborough:

"The who supposed that the beet sugar factory proposition was a dead issue in this town will be surprised to learn that as a result of quiet negotiations carried on by the secretary of the Board of Trade, Mr. J. H. Sootheran, and a few others, a letter was received this week from the Toronto solicitor of a beet sugar syndicate, saying that his clients had fixed upon Lindsay as one of four or five places in which they have decided to build factories if suitable terms can be secured. Those terms were said to be roughly: exemption from taxes for a period of years and local subscription of stock to a sum that will pay for the charter and other expenses of organization. Mr. Sootheran has asked for details of this proposition and it is expected that the whole matter will be considered by the beet sugar committee on Friday."

MOB IMPATIENT WITH JUDGE

Couldn't Wait Thirty Days to Hang Two Negroes and Did it Right Away

Dallas, Tex., Oct. 24.—The mob at Hempstead this afternoon lost patience with the Judge who conducted the legal formalities of the trials of Jim Wesley and Reddick Barton, the negroes who confessed to the murder of Mrs. Lewis; and at 4.30 p.m. invaded the county jail by hundreds. The men overpowered the officers, took the two negroes out and at 5 o'clock lynched them by hanging.

The intention to burn Wesley and Barton was abandoned and a "simple execution" by rope and a telegraph pole followed. The two negroes had waived all legal rights in the cases against them and had expressed a willingness to be hanged by the law officers at once. The trial judge thought that the convicted men should have the benefit of the thirty days provided in the Constitution.

After the two negroes had been taken to the county jail the mob was not slow to emphasize its protest by physical force. The juries that tried Wesley and Barton each had six negroes on them. These desired that the convicted men be turned over to the negro population for an immediate hanging, but the white citizens considered it their days of enough are expired and their own privilege to do the hanging.

THE COUNTY TEACHERS IN ANNUAL CONVENTION

THE CONCLUSION OF BUSINESS YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

Several Very Interesting and Instructive Papers Read—The Next Meeting to be Held at Norwood

The Friday morning session was held in the Y.M.C.A. Hall, the chair being occupied by Inspector Brown.

Mr. Albert H. Leake, of Toronto, director of the Macdonald Manual Training Schools was present, and gave a splendid address on the necessity for and the principles of "Manual Training." He pointed out many erroneous ideas in regard to this matter, showed how it could be successfully conducted, and expressed his disappointment that it had not already been introduced into Peterborough. A discussion followed, in which Inspector Brown, Miss Munro, Mr. T. J. Wallace, Mr. L. T. Locheed, M.A., took part. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Leake.

Mr. W. A. Evans followed with an admirable paper on the subject of "Attention."

The nominating Committee reported as follows —

President—Mr. D. L. Somerville, Havelock.

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Secretary-Treasurer— Mr. J. W. Kelly, Box 620, Peterborough.

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Auditors—Miss Annie L. Wood and Mr Louis Bohn.

Delegates to O. E. A.—Miss M. McEwen. Mr. John Mahood.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the retiring Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. M. W. Matchett, who has severed his connection with the teaching profession and has accepted a position as special agent of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada, in connection with the office of Mr. W. H. Hill, Peterborough

Miss Jessie K. Munro, who spent some in Japan gave a most interesting address on "Life in Japan." The address was very profitable to all who heard it.

The following delegates were in attendance: J. Brackenbridge, Westwood; D. B. Campbell, Westwood; M. E. Buchanan, South Dummer; E. A. Kerr, Hastings; S. W. Wildman, Norwood; G. Taylor Norwood; K. Baskin, Buch Lake; E. M. Weatherstone, Round Lake; R. J. Taylor, Bluffton; B. Leahy, Indian River; E. M. Powers, Peterborough; G. A. Buck, Douro; — Sullivan, Warsaw; A.E. Maloney, Douro; L. Dolin, Keene; T. Robson, Cottesloe; B. F. Hutton, Warsaw; G. H. Spence, Warsaw; T. Coughlin, Norwood, S. McDonnell, Ennismore; L. A. Simpson, Lakehurst; A. M Staunton, Rockcroft; — Batchelor, Peterborough; S. A. Smithson, Villiers; W. Robins, Lang; J. Cyldsdale, Otonabee; T. J. Wallace, Keene; M. M. Campbell, Keene; P. Pekey, Keene; J. C. Hope, Keene, W. R. Howson, Keene; L. E. Cameron, Peterborough; W. Tighe, Graystock; E. McGregor, Peterborough; L. M. Roszel, Peterborough; E. Milburn Peterborough; J. Mahood, Peterborough E. Courtney, Peterborough; M. Edgar, Peterborough; M. E. McEwen, Bridgenorth; H. Gilmour, Young's Point; E. L Higgins, Hall's Bridge; J. K. Munro, Peterborough; A. L Wood, Peterborough M. W. Matchett, Peterborough; M. F Erskine, Peterborough; F. Coveney, Peterborough; A. Williamson, Peterborough; D. L. Somerville, Havelock; A. Hutchinson, Havelock; H. McLachlan, Havelock; M. Davidson, Havelock; W. A Evans, Lakefeild,; J. W. Kelly, Lakefield E. Stewart, Norwood; M. Kirkpatrick, Norwood; M. McLachlan, Norwood.

The closing session met in the Y.M. C. A. Hall, Inspector Brown presiding.

Mr. L. T. Lockheed, M.A., Toronto gave an excellent address on a "Teachers' Editing Union." He spoke of the necessity of having books referred to teachers for criticism, before they are authorized for use in our schools. lively discussion followed in which several took part. The general consensus of opinion was that there should be more freedom and independence allowed to teachers in the matter of text-books.

Mr. J. H. Burnham, M.A., followed with some very appropriate and helpful remarks on the subject of "Teaching from the Pupils' Standpoint." Mr Burnham has addressed the convention more than once before and is always welcome as his addresses are always eloquent and helpful.

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The attendance was not as large as it should have been, but the programme was much enjoyed by all present.

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Kingstown, St. Vincent, B.W.I., Oct. 23—The Soufriere volcano has been active since Oct. 11, keeping the people in the Windward district in a state of continuous unrest. Evidence gathered in the district proves that the eastern crater was chiefly operative during the last eruption. The devastated lands now include all the plantations on the north-eastern coast down to the Grand Sable estate on which the re-establishment of cultivation will be hopeless for years, even should La Soufriere soon become quiescent.

A deputation of distressed inhabitants had waited upon the administrator of the island for the purpose of informing the Government of the hopeless condition of the district in consequence of the last eruption of the volcano. They appealed ofr food and shelter, especially for their terrified wives and children, and begged to be moved from the northern quarter of the island to form a new settlement in another locality, where they could safely and conveniently start life afresh.

The administrator, expressed his hearty sympathy for the sufferers and promised to communicate the facts to his chief, together with certain suggestions. He said he hoped the Government would soon be able to do something to relieve the victims of the volcanic disturbances.

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WEATHER NOTES

Saturday—Moderate westerly winds, fair and mild.

An area of low pressure is passing northeastward across Lake Superior, and is likely to cause moderate gales on all the great lakes. The weather continues mild in the Northwest Territories, and at present there is no indication of lower temperature in any portion of the Dominion. Scattering showers are occurring this morning in Quebec.

THE BOERS SURPRISED AT OUR RESOURCES

Marvelling at the Rivers, Timber, and Many Villages of Canada

Canadian Goods Could be Sold in Large Quantities in South Afric —Will Not Talk Politics

Toronto, Oct. 25—"I am surprised at Canada. Your rivers impress me, your woods impress me, and more than all, I am impressed by the friendliness of the Canadians."

This in brief is the feeling of the Boer farm delegates who are now in Toronto, the guests of the Government.

The speaker was Mr. T. H. Rood, of Ermelo, South Africa, who, with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jooste, and Mr. and Mrs. Moody Lane, of Klerksdorp arrived in Toronto this morning via the C. P. R, from Ottawa.

Their Own Immense Farms.

The visitors shatter the tradition that the recent war has conjured up about the Boers. The men are not shaggy, grugg, or uncouth. They have no whiskers that hang askew and blow to the wind. They look more like the Eastern Yankee than the residents of the former Boer Republics. They are linguists and gentlemen of refinement. Mr. Jooste owns 24,000 acres, divided into fifteen farms. Mr. Lane is also a wealthy farmer, while the father of Mrs. Rood is one of the influential men of his country. Mr. Jooste's farms were entirely devasted by the war, and they are of the opinion that it will take fully ten years before the country will be in a normal condition. Mr. Rood went through the war as aide-de-camp for Botha and twice was wounded. The other two delegates were captured at Paardeberg and went to St. Helena with Gen. Cronje.

To the Star this morning Mr. Rood said "I cannot express to you how surprised I was when we came up the St. Lawrence. You cannot imagine my feelings, for we have no rivers like you. And your trees; why, we have nothing like that where I came from. And your little villages and farms, why it was a perfect picture.

"We have visited some of your saw mills, and I am sure Canadians should be proud of their great timber supply, for that is an asset that you should carefully treasure."

"How about Canadian products in South Africa?"

"Well, since the war there should be a great opening for Canadian-made goods, for the farms will be re-stocking and in many cases it will be just like commencing house all over again. We use just about the same things as you do, and use many of the luxuries, just as the Canadians. Corn with us stands in the same relation as wheat with you, and we expect to carry back many valuable suggestions. One already that has taken me very much is the use of the silo."

Won't Talk Politics.

"Do you think the country will settle down now and become a harmonius whole, as it is wished?"

Mr. Rood wouldn't answer this question, but shrugged his shoulders and said: "I can't talk about politics and I left Africa too soon after the trouble to give you an intelligent answer."

Captain Kirkpatrick, an Imperial officer, accompanied the delegate to this country. Captain Kirkpatrick went to South Africa to shoot, but himself was shot in turn by Cupid, and married a Boer lady, who is with him. The two remained in Ottawa, and Mr. W. W. Moore, of the Agricultural Department, Ottawa, will take the delegates as far west as Vancouver, when they will go to Australia.

The delegates are loaded with kodaks, and are shooting the best things in sight. When they return they will exhibit the pictures and lecture on what they have seen. While in Toronto they will visit its various points of interest, including the Massey-Harris works. Tomorrow they will go to the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. Sunday will likely be sepnt very quietly.

NOT MORE REFINED THAN GREAT BRITAIN

Educational Atmosphere in Germany Not Superior to That in England

London, Oct. 24—With reference to Andrew Carnegie's rectorial address at St. Andrew's University, a Berlin correspondent says it is considered singular that an economic union of Europe against America should be favored by an American whose industrial and financial interests are still in the United States. Carnegie's denunciations of British training and British games are naturally echoed in Berlin, though there is no ground for asserting that the educational atmosphere is more refined in Germany than in Great Britain. Carnegie is probably not acquainted with duels among barbarous students in Germany,, while there is no comparison between the drinking customs at German universities and general abstemiousness at Oxford and Cambridge.

London, Oct. 24—A Tokio correspondent says that arrangements in connection with the proposed railway in the Upper Congo region are being actively pushed by the Brussels Administration. The Katanga district section of the line, about 500 miles long, will start from Lake Kasali, near the source of the Lualaba River, and will run south toward the Rhodesian frontier, where it will join the Cape line.

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KEENE.

Dr. T. W. Harrison and wife are at present taking a vacation at the doctor's father's home. Dr. McWilliams has charge of the practice.

Mrs. George Manning is visiting Mrs. English.

Miss Daisy Seccombe and her friend, Miss Scott, of Whitby Ladies' College, spent Thanksgiving Day at the home of the former.

Mr. Will McIntyre has returned from the West.

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HERE'S MONEY IN PEAT

The coal strike and coal famine will produce good effects. They will make the people of Canada and the United States think more of their peat beds and encourage the facilities that will be employed for the moulding of the product into form for use.

The peat beds of Canada are practically inexhaustible, and with some expenditure, and especially home patronage, (which is at the basis of all successful business) the fuel question of the future will be very different from what it is to-day.

According to one report, now receiving due attention in the American press, "In nearly fifty towns of Eastern Massachusetts, taken as a fair average of its quantity in other towns and other counties, it would follow that 80,000 acres, or 125 square miles, are covered with peat, having an average thickness of six feet. This area and depth would yield not far from 200,000,000.

There can never again be a fuel famine if the exigencies of the present produce the desired result, namely, that men of capital and genius will give their attention to peat manufacture. In Beaverton one person, with modest appliances, can make a real good article and sell it for $1.25 per ton. Extensive plant, operated by men of large monied interests, could make peat for a lower rate, and once the business were fairly established coal would become and remain cheaper.

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WHEN THE WEATHER BEGINS TO GET COOL

The following verses were handed to the Sporting Editor of this great family journal, who said he got them from the Political Editor, and were supposed to have been written by the Horse Editor, in a fit of temporary aberration of intellect, doubtless caused by the high price of coal. This g.f.j. respectfully dedicates it to the coal barons of Peterborough:

All the sorrows of life are brought home to a man
When the weather begins to get cool,
There's a hustling for stuff from Beersheba to Dan
When the weather begins to get cool,
All the summer fixings are now out of date—
From the sole of your foot to the crown of your pate
You must have a new rig or be counted a skate,
When the weather begins to get cool.

Though you're broke yourself flat for a Panama hat—
When the weather begins to get cool,
You must never be seen in such head gear as that
Or your friends will pronounce you a fool;
Though you feel you'd be willing to wear it awhile,
Though you're anxious to keep what is left of your pile,
You must hit it again for a three dollar tile
When the weather begins to get cool.

Of thick underwear you must lay in a stock
When the weather begins to get cool,
Your fall overcoat must be got out of "hock"
When the weather begins to get cool,
From your earnings "Old Prob," takes a generous toll—
The plumber comes in for a whack at your roll,
And whatever is left must be squandered for coal
When the weather begins to get cool.

'Tis time ofr reflecting on what you have spent
When the weather begins to get cool,
Your landlord hints darkly of raising your rent
When the weather begins to get cool,
'Tis the signal for all that you live on to rise,
Your monthly expense bill soars to the skies
And your wages are all that remain the same size
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Must Learn Cooking Now

The Department of Education announced recently that hereafter graduates of the Normal Schools in Ontario, and that means every teacher who gets a permanent certificate, must take a course in domestic science, otherwise the certificate becomes void in three years. Although it is not so stated it is presumed that this only refers to female teachers, for the Department will hardly want to turn out men cooks. Such domestic science instruction will be given at the new Macdonald school at Guelph, or at Lillian Massey School in Toronto, which is under Government patronage or at similar institutions which may be established later. Mr. Harcourt anticipates that the compulsion will not be considered a hardship; but that the graduates of the Normal schools themselves will not be satisfied until they have taken advantage of the facilities offered.

LIEUT-COL. MILLER.

The Militia General Orders announce the retirement from the command of the 57th Regiment of Lieut.-Col. E. B. Edwards, who is placed upon the retired list of officers. Major J. W. Miller, who has been second in command for some time, has been promoted to the command and Lt.-Colonelcy of the regiment.

The promotion of Major Miller is popular with all classes, and The Times cordially joins in extending hearty congratulations to the gallant officer.

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THE MOONSTONE SPHINX

By Mrs C N Williamson

Author of The Barn Stormers Fortune's Sport, Miss Nobody, Her Royal Highness Lady Mary of the Dark House, etc.

CHAPTER XXII.

A Lady in a Veil, and a Man in a Mask.

All went well with Winifred, so far as she could tell, until she was out of the theater, and had taken a few of the many turnings prescribed by her friend. She did not think that her leaving the theater had attracted any attention, as several ladies of the ballet, employed in the first act only, were departing for their homes about the same time. And she was nearly certain that, at all events, she was not being followed.

When she had gone a certain distance, however, she began to feel confused, to fear that she had taken a wrong turning, and might do so again, thus getting hopelessly lost, unless she should enquire of people whom she might meet on the way to Salt street.

But Mrs. Purdy had warned her against the risk of making enquiries, if possible to avoid it, as a search for her would certainly be instituted by the person she most wished to avoid. He would very likely employ detectives, and someone might remember having been accosted on that night at such and such an hour by a veiled woman with the voice of a lady, asking to be directed to Salt street. So a clever detective might be put upon her track, and Mrs. Purdy was as anxious to avoid such a mischance as Winifred could be; for the lies she must tell at the theater would put her in a peculiar position if they should be found out. Mrs. Purdy had been at the Thespian Theater as dresser since it had been built a few years ago, and she did not wish to lose her place.

Suddenly Winifred heard the lively music of a banjo. A man's voice was singing a darkey song. Not one of the songs known in London's music-halls as "genuine plantation ditties" warbled by shapely young ladies in broad white collars, knickerbockers, and silk stockings, attended by black-faced "pickaninnies;" but the real thing, invented by Southern darkies for darkies—senseless, tuneful, contagious of mirth. It was that quaint bit of Kentucky gibberish known as "Home-made Chicken-Pie" and the people who had crowded round the singer to listen were laughing and patting their feet, some of them joining in the chorus.

They were collected at a well-lighted street corner, and Winifred had begun to wish that she could find a quieter thoroughfare when the song came to an end.

"Give us 'Linger Longer, Loo,'" suggested someone.

"Can't, thank you. Shop's shut up for to-night," laughed the man who had been singing, with a slightly American accent, which might or might not be affected. Something in the voice caused Winifred to pause at a distance outside the radius of the nearest lamp, and try to obtain a glimpse of the speaker. He was tall, and wore a black mask, which completely hid his face; but Winifred was sure that she associated the voice with some incident which had lately happened.

She never forgot a face or a voice; and when she had thought for a moment or two the elusive memory was enticed back, and came flying swiftly, like a homing pigeon.

"It is the young man who flung that strange person off the box-seat of the cab on my last night at the Duke of Clarence's," she said to herself. And she thought it odd, indeed, that he should be singing, masked, in a Brighton street at night.

At first, in her almost morbid fear of detection, she wondered if his presence could possibly have anything to do with her; but in an instant she had decided that this was most improbable.

She crossed to the other side of the road in order to avoid the light and the crowd, and went on her way—or what she hoped was her way—not turning to look back. The music did not begin again, and, having turned a corner which she could only trust was the right one, she found herself in a dark and quiet street.

It was very long and straight, and at each junction with another road Winifred paused and peered through her thick, improvised veil, hoping to see the name of Salt street. If it were not somewhere near she was wrong in her calculations, and would have to ask the way of someone, or be hopelessly lost. She went on thus, slowly, and could see the name she looked for nowhere. It was not late, but most of the houses in this quiet street appeared to have gone to sleep for the night. There was no sound, save the dulled murmur of distant traffic, so that a footstep coming after her seemed unnaturally loud.

It began by being just audible, far away; then grew more distinct, till it rang clearly along the pavement. What if, after all, she had been followed, Winifred thought. Somebody might have watched her, waiting his chance; and now in this dark, silent street——

She could not follow the supposition further without turning to look over her shoulder. Against her will she did it, feeling as if some power other than her own forced her head round.

The dim light that shone through a yellow window-blind in a house where the inmates were still up fell upon something bright, and struck out a gleam. It was the metal frame of a banjo; and Winifred sighed with relief. Instead of being afraid she was glad that the man was near, for if she must ask anyone to direct her she felt she would rather trust him not to betray her than a stranger.

Even supposing he recognised her, instinctively she felt that for the second time he would do what he could to protect rather than injure her.

He came on rapidly with a swinging stride, as if he were in a hurry, and passed Winifred without paying the slightest attention to the slim woman's figure in its dark, inconspicuous clothing. Just as he had gone by, however, she summoned courage to speak. "I beg your pardon," she said, meekly, "but can you tell me the way to Salt street? I'm afraid I have come wrong."

He stopped abruptly, and took off his hat, not like a seaside minstrel, but like a gentleman. "I'm going to Salt street," he replied. "It isn't far from here, but there are a couple of turns still, one to the right and one to the left. If you like I could show you."

"Thank you very much," said Winifred. "I should be glad if you would, since it won't be taking you out of your way."

They walked on side by side, but at some distance apart, and neither spoke. Probably the man fancied that if she wished for conversation on the way

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Perhaps we are coming to railways without rails. Several automobile owners in New York are planning to construct on Long Island fifty miles of road, to cross other roads above or below grade so that they may have a free course on which to speed their machines. From running a single motor car on such a road to attaching one or more "trailers' is a short step, and the next leads to passenger and freight service. Even if special roads are not built for their accommodation, it is probable that automobile coach lines will be run as feeders to the steam or electric lines in districts where it would not pay to lay a track.

A petition to the President and Congress of the United States asking an appropriation of $500,000,000 to assist negroes to leave the United States has been prepared by the International Immigration and Commercial Association, an organization of negroes, who were in session in Chattanooga, Tenn., a fortnight ago. The petition recites a long train of abuses to which it is asserted the negro is subjected, among which are the denial of all social and political recognition and the violation of his constitutional rights. The leading spirits in the convention are Bishop Turner of Georgia and Mr Heard, former minister to Liberia.

In spite of the opposition of his famous mother Maurice Bernhardt has applied to the state council of Paris for permission to change his name to Maurice Clairin. This is in order to conform to the usage which requires that children should bear the name of their father, not their mother. This step is said to have been taken at the instigation of Mme. Maurice Bernhardt who is about to become a mother, and does not desire to inflict the brand of illegitimacy upon her offspring. M. Clairin, whom Maurice now selects as his father, was a painter, whose infatuation for the "Divine Sarah" nearly caused a triple tragedy twenty-five years ago.

A remarkable instance of the intelligence of ants is described by Dr. Schroeder, in the "Zeitschrift fur Entomologie." Last summer a country house was so overrun by ants that the owner, after destroying a large anthill near the house and collecting the numerous pupae for poultry feed, laid sticky fly-paper before the door of the house in such a manner that the ants could not enter without crossing it. In the morning he found his poultry feed gone and the fly-paper covered with sand, dry grass and pine needles, over which the ants had passed "dry-shod." The anthill had also been rebuilt during the night. This case is well-authenticated, and a piece of the fly-paper is shown in evidence."

A well-dressed young woman entered a Boston car the other day and took a seat next to a man. Presently she leaned forward and began to tie up her shoe-lacing. It proved rather difficult to do with her gloves on, but after a while the passengers witnessing the performance saw the feat accomplished and the lady sit back calmly gazing out of the window as if "she was always tying her shoe" in electric cars. At the next stop the man beside her rose to get off, but lo! there came a struggle and then horror, mutual and general. The two were fastened, not exactly hand and foot, but shoe and shoe! So diligently had the lady tied the knots that the lacing had to be cut by a ready pocket-knife before the embarrassed couple could be separated.

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A Clue That Failed.

Deductions in the manner of Sherlock Holmes do not always work out successfully. They did not in a case reported by the Washington "Post." A group of reporters were talking together, and one of them, who liked to play the amateur detective, devoted part of his time to watching a man standing some distance away.

"That man used to be in the army," he said.

"How do you know?"

"See how he puts his hand into his trousers pockets. He lifts up the side of his coat—look! he's doing it now—instead of pushing the coat back as we do. He acquired the habit from wearing a fatigue coat in the army. A fatigue coat, you know, is cut square about the body. To put the hand in the trousers pocket, one must lift up the side."

Some discussion followed, with the result that one of the reporters volunteered to lay their speculations before the stranger. He proved to be a worthy real estate dealer. After listening to the reporter's explanation, he replied, with much amusement:"

"I'll tell you why I put my hand in my pocket that way. I used to be a butcher in New York thirty years ago, and I got that habit raising my butcher's apron to make change."

Their Vacations.

The musicians will live on the Sound, and the ping-pong players will go to Table Bay, suggests New York "Life." The summer girls will naturally go to the Isle of Man, and those too old to be loved will seek the Isle of Pines. Dipsomaniacs will go to Bar Harbor, brewers to Behring Straits, while all reformed drunkards will go to Haddam. The coal men will flock to Asheville, poets will go to Attica, geometricians to Cuba, tramps to Bath, horseback riders to Canterbury, funny men to Chestnut Ridge, golf players to Bunker Hill, philanthropists to the Bounty Islands, Boston girls to Chili, and chiropodists to Cornwall.

Printers will go to Ems, aurists to Erie, pawnbrokers to Hocking Valley, spiritualists to Knoxville, burglars to Lock Haven, Pullman car porters to Palm Beach, but there is some doubt about the Filipinos going to Liberty. Those who linger too long will go to Tarrytown.

All the stuffs will go to Turkey. Prohibitionists will go to the Water Gap, and all practical jokers to Cape Cod. Some Wall Street men will go to Great Bear Lake and others to Bull Run. Folks troubled with insomnia will go to Sleepy Hollow. Roulette players will go to Wheeling, and poker players to Council Bluffs. Fat men will go to Great Neck, thin men to Littleton, and melancholy men to Sulphur Springs.

The cooks will go to Pottstown, the anarchists to Bombay, cabmen to Hoboken, vivisectionists to the Catskills, and all the shoppers to Paw Paw.

Pool players will go to the Pyramids, leather men to Morocco, magnates to the Rockies, while those whose fortunes are falling will go to Sag Harbor.

All the peach growers will go to Pittsburg, and the lace-makers will go to Old Point. The confectioners will flock to Mt. Desert, and the gossips to Pekin.

And finally, those whose thoughts are fixed on Heaven will go to St. Petersburg.

And those whose thoughts are in the other direction will go to Fire Island.

Catabolic Man.

According to a writer in the "Lancet," the male human needs more food than the female, not only on account of his larger stature, but also because he is the more catabolic of the two. The man tends to expend energy and the woman to store it up in the form of fat; he burns the faster. This sexual difference shows itself in the very blood; the man has a larger percentage of chromocytes than the woman, showing that he needs a proportionately larger quantity of oxygen in order to maintain his more active combustion—a fact which one may associate with his comparative freedom from chlorosis; moreover, weight for weight, his pulmonary capacity is greater than that of the woman, whose smaller respiratory need is further shown by the facility with which she can without discomfort diminish her breathing power by means of the corset. "The great contrast between the metabolic activity of the two sexes," continues the writer, "was forcibly brought home to me by a military display given by a troupe of dusky Amazons, with whom were also a few male warriors. The women, in spite of their daily exertions, were all rounded and plump, some very much so, no single muscle showing through the skin, and it was noticed that their movements, though full of grace, lacked energy and 'go.' The men, on the other hand, were spare, their muscles standing out plainly under the shiny skin, and they, in further contrast with the women, displayed a truly amazing agility, bounding about and whirling round in a most astounding fashion; the women, in short, were essentially anabolic and the men were catabolic. I may here draw attention to the fact that men are apt to be larger meat-eaters than women, just as they are, possibly in consequence of this very fact, more prone to drink alcohol and to smoke tobacco."

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A man walking through the suburbs of a certain large town noticed a barber's pole to which was attached a signboard with the inscription, "Shaving One Halfpenny."

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"Cert'nly I do. Do you think I can go out in the street half-shaved?" replied the other.

And the barber proceeded to operate on the other side of his customer.

When the job was finished the man, who began to smell a rat, fumbled in his pockets and fished out a halfpenny, which he tendered to the barber.

"Another halfpenny, if you please, sir," said the latter.

"What? You've got on your board outside, 'Shaving a ha'penny.'"

"Very true. But if you will have the goodness to observe, you'll find that that inscription is on each side of the board."

"I know that."

"Very good, sir. There are two sides to my board—and two sides to your face."

"I see," replied the man, with his hand on the door-knob, "and, if you will have the goodness to observe that ha'penny, you will find there are two sides to that as well."—"Tit-Bits."

The Proper Term.

Martha, the colored washerwoman, was complaining of her husband's health to one of her patrons. "He's ve'y po'ly, ma'am, ve'y po'ly. He's got dat exclamatory rheumatism." "You mean inflammatory, Martha. Exclamatory is from exclaim, which means to cry out." "Yes, miss," answered Martha, with conviction, "dat's what it is. He hollers all de time."

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The annual harvest dinner and concert under the auspices of the ladies of All Saints' church, held yesterday afternoon and evening in the Forester's Hall, Simcoe street was a great success. The dinner was liberally patronized as was also the concert. The programme was a good one, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, readings, &c. A snug sum, which will be devoted to the building fund of the church, was the result of the effort.

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Stocks—THE MARKETS OF THE WORLD—Grain

Interesting Items.

Farmers in Sanpete County, Utah, are having "pin-shows," only they use grasshoppers instead of pins as tickets of admission. The crops last year were ruined by the grasshoppers. This year the farmers determined to destroy the pests, so they arranged for a series of entertainments to which only those might be admitted who brought half a bushel of grasshoppers with them. Seventy-five bushels were the receipts of the first entertainment. The grasshoppers were burned at the close of the evening's amusement.

The Eastern manager of the Pennsylvania Railway has issued an order forbidding passengers to exchange kisses with their friends in the Jersey City station. They must give such greetings and farewells where they will not obstruct traffic. The Western manager says this order will not be enforced on his side of the Alleghany Mountains. And there you have it—the broad, expansive osculatory freedom of the West pitted against the exclusiveness of the East!

In London a curious experiment was recently tried by a South American named Papuss. Having wrapped around his body three hundred and fifty yards of flannel he lay down in a sort of glass coffin, which was then hermetically closed and placed at the bottom of a large tank filled with water. By means of an electric ventilator and of a tube, one end of which passed into the coffin, a constant supply of fresh air was assured, and this air was the only nourishment which Papuss received during the eight days that the experiment lasted. An eight days' fast is not an extraordinary occurrence, but what is particularly interesting about the present case is that the faster did not consume any water.

The "Lancet" has unearthed the curious fact that nearly all the important events in the life of His Majesty King Edward VII. have happened on a Tuesday. He was born, baptized, and married on a Tuesday; on a Tuesday he was appointed a member of the Privy Council; on a Tuesday it was definitely ascertained that he had contracted typhoid fever, and it was on a Tuesday he attended the public thanksgiving service for his recovery. On a Tuesday he succeeded to the throne; on a Tuesday the Royal Standard was first hoisted at Marlborough House, and on a Tuesday His Majesty underwent an operation for perityphlitis. Students of "the occult" may be able to deduce something from this dominance of the day dedicated to the god of war in the life of the King, but without any such deduction the series of coincidences is a very remarkable one.

Not only the horses but the powers of the law, says the London "Chronicle," are swift at Ascot, for the course has a special tribunal for the punishment of evildoers. No sooner is the pickpocket, welsher, or ticket-snatcher arrested than he is standing before Sir Albert de Rutzen in a little room in the royal stand, where the evidence is heard and the verdict and sentence pronounced before the offender fully realizes that he is caught. Nowhere else does punishment so swiftly follow crime as at this court, which is decreed by clause 31 of the Indictable Offences Act of 1848. This race-course tribunal arose curiously in the eighteenth century from an assault upon a royal personage. In his indignation at the impossibility of instant punishment of the assailant, he ordered that in future a magistrate should always attend the royal race meeting. This has ever since been done, and by the above-mentioned act the chief magistrate of Bow street was constituted ex officio a justice of the peace of the County of Berks, in order to enable him to hold this court at Ascot.

Mama Bug—Look! children, Mt. Peloo is in eruption again!

A Letter From Burns.

A traveler in Ottawa who recently visited an old Scotch settler obtained the privilege of examining the contents of a musty leather trunk full of papers and letters. In a bundle of receipts from tradesmen, preserved with Scottish thrift among the family papers, he found an unpublished letter from Robert Burns. The New York "Sun" gives it as follows, and justly remarks that it shows the great poet at his best, a sympathetic, kindly man at heart:

R. Burns, Dr., to G. Turnbull, for five copies of his poems at 2s 6d—12s 6d.

Dear Sir: I send you by John Glover, carrier, the above amount for Mr. Turnbull, as I suppose you have his address.

I would fain offer, my dear sir, a word of sympathy with your misfortunes, but it is a tender thing, and I know not how to touch it. It is easy to flourish a set of high-flown sentiments that would give great satisfaction to "a breast quite at ease," but as one observes who was seldom mistaken in the theory of life, "The heart knoweth its own sorrows, and a stranger intermeddleth not therewith." Among some distressful emergencies that I have experienced, I ever laid this down as my foundation of comfort, "that he who has lived the life of an honest man has by no means lived in vain."

With every wish for your welfare and future success, I am, my dear sir, sincerely yours,

ROBERT BURNS.

Ellesland, May 26, 1789.

To Mr. James Hamilton, Grocer, Trongate, Glasgow.

—A Peterborough schoolteacher visiting in a nearby town was a guest at a party the other day, and a lady to whom she had been just introduce did not catch the "Miss" and, supposing she was married, asked: "How many children did you say you have?" "Well, only forty now," was the reply that nearly staggered the questioner.

Mainly About People.

"What can we do with Rosslyn?" Disraeli once asked of Salisbury. "Make him master of the buckhounds, as his father was," suggested the latter. "No," replied the Premier, "he swears far too much for that. We will make him high commissioner to the Church of Scotland."

Senator Proctor of Vermont says the finest speech he ever made consisted of only four words. It was a retort to Senator Hoar's sarcastic little thrust in a speech directed at the Green Mountain senator. He said: "No man in Vermont is allowed to vote unless he has made five thousand dollars trading with Massachusetts people." Whereat Proctor said: "And we all vote."

The principal of a high school tells the following anecdote: One day at school I gave a bright boy a sum in algebra, and, although the problem was comparatively easy, he couldn't do it. I remarked, "You ought to be ashamed of yourself. At your age George Washington was a surveyor." The boy looked me straight in the eyes and replied, "Yes, sir; and at your age he was President of the United States."

A good story comes from the Davidson Theater, in Chicago, and runs to the effect that a man from up the State went in to see the opera the other night, pulling his money from his pocket before he reached the box-office window. "I want tew git a good seat," he said, loud enough to be heard all over the lobby of the theater, "and I want it right down the middle lane, and close up tew the exercises." He got it.

A hunting party of ladies and gentlemen were detained by a storm at the hut of a Virginia backwoodsman. Dinner being served, there was an embarrassing paucity of knives. The mother, wishing to impress her aristocratic guests, called in a commanding tone to her young daughter, "Fetch some more knives, Sairey; you know we've got thousands of 'em." "Law, no, ma'm; they're all thar! Thar's 'Big Butch,' and 'Little Butch,' and 'Razor-Back,' and 'Bunty.'"

David Lloyd-George, a member of Parliament from Wales, tells a good story on himself in connection with a Disestablishment meeting in which he has been taking part in Wales. A few days previous, it seems, there had been a Church Defence meeting held in the same place, at which a certain prominent dignitary of the Establishment had spoken, referring to whom Mr. Lloyd-George's chairman observed: "In my opinion that Churchman is one of the biggest liars in North Wales, but, thank goodness, we've got a match for him here to-night!"

"Chums" tells of a certain wild beast tamer who had been on bad terms for some time with one of his neighbors, and the other day, as the result of a violent quarrel, the latter, with a friend, attacked the former just before he was timed to give his performance. The tamer, unwilling to make a scene, took refuge in the lion's den. Judge of the amusement of the spectators when they beheld the two men standing in front of the cage and shouting through the bars at regular intervals: "Come out of that, you big coward; come out of that!"

Some little while ago a rather eccentric cotton manufacturer, owning large mills not a score of miles from Halifax, England, and who was familiarly known in the district round about as "Owd H——," overheard one of the lads in his employ remark to somebody: "Aw wish Aw hed 'Owd H——'s' brass, an' he wor i' th' warkhaase." Quickly retiring, "Owd H——" sent for the offender into his office, and asked him what he would do with the money, supposing his wish were to be fulfilled. The youngster was quite equal to the occasion, promptly replying: "Whoy, th' furst thing Aw'd do wod be ta fotch yo aat (out), maister." This clever reply so appeased the old gentleman that the boy was sent back to his work with half a sovereign in his pocket.

The other afternoon, says the New York "Tribune," when President Roosevelt reached Dupont Circle, a "seeing Washington" electric car hove in sight, and the guide continued his lecture through a megaphone in this way: "On the left we see the elegant residence of Mr. George Westinghouse, the millionaire inventor and electrician, formerly the home of the late James G. Blaine; a little to the left of front we perceive the palatial mansion of Mr. L. Z. Leiter, the Chicago millionaire, and father of the famous beauty, Miss Mary Leiter, now Lady Curzon, the wife of the Governor-General of India; in the park in front we are confronted by the statue of Admiral Dupont, and also in front we see the President of the United States on horseback." The crowd looked, and one woman said, "Whose statue is it, McKinley's?" "It's Roosevelt," the guide responded. "He ain't a statue yet."

Something Wrong With the Shammy.

There is a prominent doctor in Germantown who is busy telling a little joke on himself, says the Philadelphia "Evening Telegraph." It appears that he employed an Irish servant who had just arrived from the "ould sod." Starting out one morning, he noticed his office windows were rather dirty, and calling Bridget, he instructed her to clean them before he returned. At the same time he told her that he would stop and purchase a new chamois skin and send it home, and with this she was to clean the windows. After he had gone his rounds he found them thickly streaked with grease. He called Bridget, and the following colloquy took place:

"Bridget, didn't I tell you to clean the windows?"

"Yes, sor."

"And didn't I tell you to use the new chamois?"

"Yes, sor."

"Well, did you use it?"

"Sure I did, sor."

"Let me see the chamois," said the doctor, and Bridget promptly brought it. Then for the first time he learned that his wife had left the house a half hour before he did in the morning and had sent home some tripe. The doctor declines to say what happened to the chamois skin.

Little gobs of powder,
Little specks of paint,
Make the little Freckle
Look as if it ain't.

Jack—It is mighty hard to be the son of a self-made millionaire. Tom—Why so? Jack—A fellow can't decide whether to go into business and live up to his father's reputation, or go into society and live it down.—"Town Topics."

—Mr. Wilson Henderson, the efficient superintendent of the Peterborough waterworks, has returned from Hamilton, where he was invited by the directors of the electric railway company to give an expert opinion as to the location and arrangement of a dam at Caledonia on the Grand River.

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A company having a capitalization of $5,000,000 has been organized for the construction of lines, pumping stations, storage tanks, and the like. Mr. Morgan and his associates have also formed a separate company, capitalized at $20,000,000, half of which will be invested in proven ground and the other half turned into a reserve fund.

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5. SOAP—2000 lbs. (1 ton) of crude oil and filling will produce over 2,000 lbs. of soap, value 3c. per lb. and upward. (Estimated value $60.00.)

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MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS.

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SIX MILLION BARRELS is the consuming capacity of the Southern Pacific Railway engines, which are now equipped for burning oil. Outside of this consider other railway lines, smelters, factories, steamships, stationery engines, which are all heavy consumers of fuel oil and last but not least, hotels and private dwellings are falling in line with the procession in the use of fuel oil.

A GOOD REASON WHY YOU Should invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. More fortunes have been made in oil than any other business. Consider the immense amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for its fortunate stockholders, and the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard Oil Company. Here is what $100 has accomplished for those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:

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Dillon returned $2,500 on an investment of $100.

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Home returned $50,000 on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Company's oil holdings and property, when developed and handled, should not bring like returns

CONTRARY to the general supposition the earth is the repository of all mineral wealth. When it is known and demonstrated beyond a question of a doubt where its wealth reposes and you put your money up to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people but creates new wealth. It is therefore an investment.

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Monte Cristo Co	.10	2.50
West Shore Co	.50	4.50
Twenty-eighth Oil Co	.50	2.50
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	.50	1.90
Sterling Oil & Development Company	.50	2.25
Dillon Oil Co	.25	3.50
Peerless Co	.20	8.62
San Joaquin Oil Co	.50	26.00
Kern Oil Co	.25	10.00
Thirty-three Oil Co	.25	13.50
Kern River Oil Co	.50	26.00
New York Oil Co	.50	20.00
Oil City Petroleum Co	2.50	34.00
Hanford Oil Co	2.00	120.00
Kreyenhagen Oil Co	.10	350.00
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STOCK MARKETS

Market Caring for Itself

New York, Oct. 24.—To write a market letter descriptive of stock movements, when there is to all ostensible purposes no market, is a hard job. The writer is at loss for material, the reader wondering what can be said about nothing. At present writing, the market is apparently left to care for itself by the insiders, and for the past three days the traces of manipulation are exceedingly slight. This is positively the best thing to have happen at the present time. To keep speculation at a low ebb until money commences its return flow to New York is advisable, as it smothers and discourages any wild speculation which would at the time tend to aggravate the money market. To let the market drift as it does with declining volume of transactions is to hasten the bringing back of the money market to normal conditions, and will be better in the end for the market and the market price of securities. Investment demand is in evidence; offerings of stocks in most instances being exceedingly light. The pools appear to be laying on their oars, but hanging on tenaciously to their present holdings, which augurs well for the future of prices. Though indisposed to at the time, manipulate prices in the upward direction, they appear to be prepared to buy at current range whatever people see fit to sell. A considerable, if not the majority of, selling in the past two days has been for short account. Market indications at the time favor the bull side. The outlook is good for shareholders. We spoke yesterday of calling your attention to some splendid shares selected from the industrial list, that large and safe returns, and that are intrinsically cheap. In this class we to-day notate the preferred stock of the Pressed Steel Car Co. It pays 7 per cent in quarterly installments, and is in our opinion absolutely certain to maintain this rate under all conditions. The common stock receives 4 per cent.; the statement of the company shows it to be earning full 20 per cent. per annum upon the common stock. On Wednesday the directors met and declared the customary dividends upon preferred and common stock. At the meeting a statement of earnings for the quarter and for the nine months of their present fiscal year were given out. It showed the cash surplus of the company to have increased ofr three months $[illegible]. For nine months $1,[illegible]. The present surplus is over two and one quarter millions. It is a splendid and certain security to purchase for investment, as well as an excellent stock to buy speculatively.

Summary: An element of strength pervaded the day's dealings; fluctuations were within narrow limits, and bulk of business was confined to comparatively few issues, B. & O., Atch., St. Paul, Southern Pacific, and Norfolk being the principal trading favorites. The aggressive buying movement continued to day in C. F. I. shares, emanating from the Gates party. It carried the price of that stock up sharply. We called the attention strongly to these shares in these letters recently when selling below [illegible], urgently recommending their purchase for a movement some considerable dimensions. Our opinion of the stock at present time continues to favor the bull side, showing indications of advancing a point or so before declining an equal amount. We will probably see a rise of some proportions after election day.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 25, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Four Boys Wanted

Four good boys wanted at The Times office—one to learn bookbinding, one to learn press work, one to carry an Ashburnham route and one as messenger in the bookstore.

Pocket Book Found

A pocketbook containing a small sum of money. The finder can recover property by applying at Times Book-store

Have Your Piano Tuned

R. S. Shaw, piano tuner for Heintzman & Co., direct, is in the city. Parties requiring their piano tuned, please leave orders at Mr. C. B. Routley's store.

Mr. Bunton's Honor

At the meeting of the Canadian Ticket Agents' Association held this week at Washington, D.C., Mr. Wm. Bunton, the popular ticket agent of the Grand Trunk Railway Company was elected president of the executive committee.

Broke Collar Bone

A young five-year-old son of Mr. Ben Lellar, who resides on Simcoe street, fell from the top of a fence on which he had climbed and broke a collar bone. Dr. Gray was called in and set the bone. This is the second time within a year that the child broke his collar bone in exactly the same place.

The Automatic Telephone

Ottawa is going to try the automatic telephone system with two hundred services, at $15 and $30 as an experimental demonstration. The new telephones are to dispense with the hello girl. They are of most modern make. On the face are the ten unit numbers on separate buttons. A man who wishes to get, say 260, would press the number 2, then the number 6, then the number 0, and pull down a lever. This would put the phone in direct communication with 260. Should 260 be using their telephone, the lever will indicate this. Thus there is no need of a central exchange. The wires come together in a central point, but one man is enough to look after everything there. Thus the cost of maintenance is much reduced.

ANOTHER NEW BANK

The Crown Bank of Canada is to be Opened at Once

We are to have still another bank, the "Crown Bank of Canada," for which a charter was obtained at the last session of the Dominion Parliament. The provisional directors, as named in the charter, are Senator McMullen, of Mount Forest, Michael Patrick Davis, of Ottawa and Whitford Vandusen, Henry Romain Hardy, Wm. James Clarke, and Daniel A. Gordon, of Toronto. The head office of the bank will be in toronto, and the Board of Directors and other officers will be named at once, andthe bank opened within a very short time.

It is said that branches are to be opened in Ottawa, Montreal, Winnipeg, London, Hamilton, Guelph and Peterborough

Never Behind Hand

Most printing concerns have three hands: Right hand, left hand and a little behind hand. This great family journal has only two, right and left. It is never behind hand in supplying the latest and most authentic news from all parts of the world. Our jobbing department is splendidly equipped and is also run on the same lines.

A Change to be Made

The Ontario Government contemplates a change in the supervision of the 1,300 cheese factories in Ontario, by which a system of licensing will be introduced in the near future. The appointment of two cheese factory inspectors who have during the season devoted themselves to about twenty-five factories each, has resulted in the receipt of an increase of one-eight to one-quarter a cent a pound all summer on the product of these factories over the price received by others.

A Generous Act

The generous act of the Dickson Company in letting the town out oftheir contract for wood, is one that we are sure the people will fully appreciate. In the first place the Company sold the 600 cords of wood to the corporation for less money than they could have obtained elsewhere; then when the strike ended, and the demand for fuel abated, and no risk of a fuel famine existed, they cheerfully release the town from any obligation to take the wood. It was a generous act, and one that should not be forgotten.

Corporation Light

Now that Peterborough is in possession of a dam of its own, whereby power may be developed to furnish electric light, the following is of special interest: "Brockville at least, seems to have profited by municipalization of its lighting plant. Two years ago the plant was acquired by the municipality. As the year draws to a close the commissioners find that in addition to providing for the annual payment on the debenture debt, both for purchase and improvements, they can reduce the price of fuel gas from $1.25 to $1, and this in the face of coal at $8 a ton."

A Safe Investment

From information received from the Lima, O., Oil Fields, we are satisfied that the National Oil Co., whose ad has been running in this paper for some time, is one of the most substantial oil companies in the Buckey State. They are operating on legitimate lines and is in no sense a stock jobbing concern.

They are not connected in any way or manner with any other oil company and court the fullest investigation of their property and their standing. They have the production from the wells they now own, which they sell to the Standard oil company, to pay the dividend guaranteed on all the stock they have sold including the block of 300,000 shares they are now offering. The money derived from the sale of this stock will be used in developing leases they now hold, as they have acquired over 300 acres of additional leases in the best part of the Auglaize and Mercer county fields, since their ad. was first placed in this paper. We are informed that all stock subscribed for by the 10th of October will be entitled to a full quarterly dividend on Dec. 2d.

They have appointed Mr. Wm. Fair, of this city, their fiscal agent, and we advise any person seeking a safe investment to call upon him.

—A Lindsay dealer is sending to Manitoba for a car-load of potatoes. He says they can be sold down here for fifty cents a bushel.

A LITTLE ACCIDENT

Saved a Lot of Money

Food that will safely and surely carry a man through exhausting mental work is worth knowing of.

A man in St. Louis, Mo., says:—"In my work, it is necessary to begin at seven o'clock and work straight through without lunch until two P.M. You can readily see that this is a strain on the ordinary person, and I was frequently worn out and sick with hunger and weakness. On numerous occasions when two o'clock came round, I was so utterly exhausted and unstrung as to be forced to lose the remainder of the day, and that carried with it a loss of money.

The first package of Grape-Nuts came into our house a little over a year ago by accident. There has been one by design ever since that time. Almost immediately after beginning to use Grape-Nuts, I felt its good effect in my ability to work those long hours in comfort. There was no sickness or weakness, and no loss of time from exhaustion. In my business, it is also necessary to work every Wednesday night of each week. The change from day to night work and then back again is certainly no light call on the reserve force of any one, and my invariable preparation for this task is a generous saucer of Grape-Nuts and cream, a light lunch but a most sustaining one.

An old friend was visiting me recently, and while eating the evening meal I was extolling Grape-Nuts to him. He rather doubted the deliciousness of the food. My three children, aged four, six and eight years, were at the time watching a large cream cake on the table, and enjoying in anticipation the treat. I asked the three which they would perfer for desert—cream cake or Grape-Nuts. Without hesitation they answered in chorus, 'Grape-Nuts.' My friend was convinced.

The only breakfast the children have is Grape-Nuts and rich milk, and you could not find a more healthy trio." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich."

COAL AT $4 50 PER TON

The McClellan Coal Company Supplying the Schools

We noticed in yesterday's Toronto papers that a dealer in Hamilton is selling soft coal at $7.50 per ton. This is regarded as exceedingly cheap. But it is not to be compared to the price at which the same coal is being delivered to our schools by the McClelland Coal Company, who are putting in 400 tons at $4.50 per ton. Taking the extra freight which we have to pay as compared to Hamilton into consideration (a matter of 80c. per ton) it makes a difference of $3.80. It is easy figuring up how much the ratepayers are saving.

The citizens, we are sure, appreciate what Mr. McClelland is doing in regard to cheap coal for the schools.

Fish Confiscated

Toronto Globe: "An Eastern Ontario fishery officer, journeying to Toronto yesterday, had his official senses aroused by a suspicious looking barrel which he espied on his arrival here. Prompted by the sense of smell he made an investigation, and found it contained a large quantity of maskinonge, consigned to a Front-st. merchant. It was found that the fish had been shipped from Peterborough, and that they had been netted, which is contrary to law; so he reported to the department, and the spoil was confiscated, and disposed of to deserving charitable institutions." Perhaps there is a mistake as to the locality; netting is not common in our waters.

The Morning Paper

In the morning, one feels fresh and vigorous, with body rested, and one is mentally active and energetic. You want to be up and "dong thinks." An axiom of the commercial world is to do business before the day is late. No new proposition should be placed before a tired man or woman.

This logically explains the superiority of the morning newspaper as an advertising medium. An advertisement in The Times reaches the mind when the reader's mind is active and aggressive—when to think is to act.

The great newspaper in every city is always a morning paper. Its influence is wider and prevails amongst the more thoughtful and thrifty. The evening newspaper, because of its narrow sphere of circulation, and the fact that it reaches a wearied, passive mind, can never be a power, nor yet a productive advertising medium amongst other than the poorer classes.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—St. Peter's T.A.S. banquetted their lacrosse boys on Thursday night. Rev. Father McCall ably filled the chair. A A most enjoyable evening was spent.

—Word was received here yesterday of the serious illness of Mr. James Hill, of Sault Ste. Marie, formerly of Peterborough. Mr. Hill is son-in-law of Mrs. Rehill, town.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Deer hunting season opens next Saturday.

—Get your school scribblers at the Times Bookstore. They have the best paper and are the cheapest.

—The various hunting parties are making great efforts to go to the woods on November 1st. Deer are said to be very plentiful this year and everyone is looking forward for two weeks' sport.

—The Brockville council has purchased 200 cords of stove wood, retailing to the citizens at cost, $2.25 a cord, and $5,000 more has been voted for a further supply of fuel.

—Two furnished rooms to let, suitable for young women going to business. Meals can be had if desired. Very central location. Apply at Times Bookstore for address.

—The Canadian Jubilee Singers gave one of their famous concerts at St. Paul's church last night, under the auspices of the Young Men's Guild of the church. There was a large attendance, and everything passed off satisfactorily.

—At the Police Court yesterday morning Robt. McIlwain was fined $3 for furious driving. A young man named Heron, charged by E. J. Ferguson with having stolen a bridle last February was dismissed.

—Omemee Mirror: Mr. J. H. Gardiner, the leading auctioneer of Peterborough, gave the Mirror a call on Wednesday. Mr. Gardiner wielded the hammer at Mr. J. J. Lang's yesterday, and we understand that notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, the sale was a grand success, and the prices were very good.

—As the best farmers in this district have silos and in many places silo-filling bees are all the rage. It requires about twenty-five men and a number of teams, and in some cases more, where the fodder is a greater distance from the silo, to handle the job properly. About 120 tons is placed in an average sized silo.

—Havelock Standard: Mr. J. D. McWilliams was in town on Saturday inspecting the Cordova Road improvements. Mr. McWilliams was highly pleased with the manner in which the work is being carried on, and he is hopeful of securing a stone crusher, in order to lay a top dressing of small stone on the new road.

—The C.P.R. Telegraph Co., has made arrangements, whereby it is in a position to accept messages for transmission to incoming and outgoing vessels fitted with the Marconi system of wireless telegraphy, via Sagapenack, L.I. The rate is two dollars per message of ten words. There are eleven vessels entering new York which are equipped with the service.

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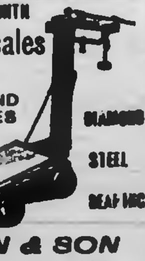

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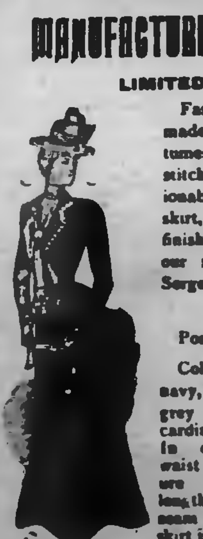

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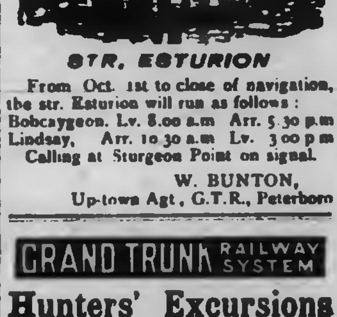

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Fire Broke Out in Guild Hall Just as the Royal Procession Had Left the Building

Suspicious Man Caught—King and Queen Made Their Formal Parade in the Metropolis of the Empire Saturday

London, Oct. 24.—The Sun prints an unconfirmed story of the arrest of a foreigner near a stand erected for a view of the Royal procession, with two pounds of suspicious powdery substance in his possession.

The Sun says that George Martin, a clergyman, was remanded at the Southwark Police Court to-day charged with having a pound of gunpowder in his possession with felonious intent.

London, Oct. 25, 3.42 p.m.—The Guild Hall caught fire shortly after their Majesties left the building. Fire engines are now rushing to the scene.

3.47 p.m.—It turned out that the fire was in the dome of the Guild Hall, some distance from the part of the building where the luncheon was held. The firemen easily subdued the flames.

London, Oct. 25 — King Edward and Queen Alexandra started on the Royal progress toward the city shortly after noon today, in somewhat dull weather. The rain, however, kept off, and the temperature was sufficiently mild to make the day enjoyable. Outside Buckingham Palace, which naturally was one of the greatest centers of attraction, a great crowd had been waiting for hours, watching the arrivals and departures and the forming up of the procession. The brilliancy of the latter was greatly detracted from by the fact that all the troops were cloaked. The only touch of color was from the lance pennants of the Lancers and the brass helmets of the heavy cavalry. The khaki-painted guns of the artillery, and a naval gun of the same hue, added to the general tone of soberness. The roofs of houses near the palace, and other points of vantage, giving a view of the picturesque panorama in Green Park and the historic Mall, were filled with spectators, whose cheering announced to the less privileged public the starting of the state carriage with their Majesties.

Roberts Almost Unnoticed.

The procession formed up outside the gate and had already moved off when the first carriages containing Royal personages and members of the household emerged therefrom. The veteran Duke of Cambridge, who was in a carriage with Princess Victoria, came in for considerable cheering, but Lord Roberts and his staff passed almost unnoticed.

There was a somewhat tedious interval before the appearance of their Majesties, who drew forth the first real cheers of the day as they passed through the rows of bluejackets from the first-class cruiser, Terrible lining either side of the main entrance to the palace. The King wore a Field Marshal's uniform with the cloak thrown back, showing his decorations. The Queen had on a straw-colored toque and a fur collaret and cloak. Both the King and Queen looked extremely well, and continuously bowed their acknowledgments of the warm welcome extended to them. The King's escort of Life Guards, equerries, etc., was about the only detachment of the procession not wearing cloaks, and these troopers made a brilliant display."

Boer Generals There.

Partly in consequence of the length of the route, there was nowhere a great crush of people, with the exception of open spaces like Trafalgar Square, where the London County Council presented the King with an address of welcome, and where the Boer Generals Botha, De la Rey and De Wet were prominent among the spectators, and at the City Boundary, Temple Bar, where the Lord Mayor, sheriffs, and other city officials welcomed his Majesty, and presented him with the city's sword.

At the Mansion House, most of the procession stopped, their Majesties from there being accompanied only by the Sovereign's escort, and the Prince of Wales, the Duke of Connaught, and other princes, equerries and aids, to the Guild Hall, where they arrived without any extraordinary incidents.

Princesses Upset.

Owing to the King's carriage being the last some confusion occurred at the entrance to the Guild Hall in an endeavor to empty the carriages quickly and avoid keeping his Majesty.

Several of the Princesses were rather unceremoniously deposited on the sidewalk, where they tried to throw their wraps into carriages which were being hustled off down a narrow street, and a confused mass of Princesses, ladies-in-waiting, and such generals as has time to dismount, gathered under the canopied entrance.

When the King arrived he looked tired, and stepped heavily from his carriage. The Queen threw off the wrap which covered her simple, straw-colored dress, trimmed with gold. Her Majesty who looked marvelously youthful and well, accepted a boquet from the Lady Mayoress, and the King shook hands with her. The procession then started off, down a long, picturesque row of "beef-eaters."

In the great hall the seven hundred persons waiting about the luncheon tables cheered as the King came in. His Majesty accepted the corporation's address, and then the members of the Royal family sat down and the luncheon commenced.

His Majesty in London.

The most interesting feature of the Royal progress up to this point was the King's reply to the address of the London County Council on Trafalgar square. The Boer generals occupied prominent seats in the center of the County Council stand, immediately facing the King. His Majesty's reply was clearly audible to all in the vicinity. He said:

"It gives much pleasure, both to myself and the Queen to receive in person the loyal and dutiful address of the center of municipal authority on the occasion of our progress through the capital of the Empire, and to receive the greetings of our people on our coronation. Your confidence that my favor will be extended to every measure calculated to ameliorate the conditions of numerous important questions which come under your consideration none appeal more strongly to my interest and sympathy than those directly touching on the welfare of the poorer classes of this and other great cities. I thank you for your good wishes for myself and my house. I cordially share your aspiration that it may be granted me by the same Divine Providence which preserved my life from imminent danger to reign over my firmly established and peaceful Empire, and in the loyal hearts of my contented and prosperous people."

A Brilliant Scene.

The interior of the great hall of the Guild Hall presented a brilliant scene. It was filled with members of the Royal family and diplomats, officers and officials, all in full uniform, with their breasts blazing with orders.

The King's reply to the address in the Guild Hall was much on the same lines as his speech at Trafalgar Square.

After lunch the common crier called for a toast to his Majesty, the King, and Madame Albani, stationed in one of the galleries, sang the National Anthem, in which the whole company joined.

After other formal toasts the party left the hall, the procession re-forming and it re-started on its progress across the river.

The pageant traversed miles of streets on the Surrey side of the River Thames. There was no special incident, though the heartiness of the welcome far transcended anything heard in the more aristocratic portions of the route.

Their Majesties returned to the palace at 3.30 p.m.

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Woman Aged 117, Near Exeter

Has Been a Widow 50 Years—She Still Retains Her Faculties

Exeter, Ont., Oct. 26—Mr. C. H. Sanders of the Exeter Advocate and Mr. Robert Sanders, of Exeter had the pleasure a few days ago of shaking hands and conversing with Mrs. Mary Ann Mills, of the 8th concession of Blanshard. Mrs. Mills celebrated her 117th birthday on Saturday last. She was born in County Fermanagh, Ireland, on October 18th, 1785. Mrs. Mills and her husband came to Canada in 1857, and settled in the Township of Usborne, in this county. Two years afterwards Mr. Mills died, and Mrs. Mills has been a widow for nearly half a century. They had a family of five sons and four daughters, and of these six are still living. The eldest son resides in St. Thomas and is 77 years of age.

Although physically feeble, her intellect is still unimpaired. She has been under the reign of five British sovereigns. Mrs. Mills never took as much as two bottles of medicine in her life. She made her own pills. She loved tea, and she sipped it several times a day, taking one half a cup of strong tea at each meal, with cream and sugar, but was not a coffee drinker. Liquor has been used as a medicine; she has been a moderate eater of fruit and vegetable diet; prefers milk to drink instead of water, and is fond of fruit. She never fretted, was always contented, and never nervous. It had been her delight to be out of doors, and a pleasure for her to work in the garden and in the field.

A good sleeper, Mrs. Mills occasionally retired before sunset, usually getting up in the morning before sunrise. Her church denomination is Methodist and up to 111 years of age she was strong enough in body to walk a quarter of a mile to attend services at the church of her choice. It is said of her that she was ever ready to speak in class meeting. It has been her custom to read the Bible every day. At 106 years she hemmed bookmarks on silk for each of her grandchildren, and could thread a needle without glasses. As an evidence of Mrs Mills' cheerful and active disposition, it is stated that when 106 years of age she would occasionally delight her granddaughters by showing how to step off a jig on the floor.

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AGED, BUT GAME

Six Robbers Met More Than Their Match in an Old Farmer

Cleveland, O., Oct 26.—In a secluded farm house on a country road two miles from the village of Rochester, in Lorain county, last night, three aged men named Meach were attacked by six desperate robbers. As a result two of the robbers were shot to death, one probably fatally wounded and two of the Meach brothers are badly beaten. There are three of the Meach brothers, Loren, aged nearly 80 years; John, about 70, and Jarvis, aged 65. The old men are said to be rich. About eight o'clock, while in the barn, John was surrounded by three robbers and bound. Going to the house they knocked Jarvis Meach into insensibility by blows on the head. John Meach worked himself free from his bonds, however, and securing a shotgun cautiously stole upon the three burglars, who were working on the safe. He shot two of them to death and fatally wounded the third men. The three companions of the men who were watching outside the house, realizing their danger, immediately got away. The third of the brothers, Loren, is bedridden and could offer no resistance, so he was not molested. The authorities are scouring the neighborhood, and great exitment prevails. The would-be robbers secured no money. The wounded robber was taken into custody, but he refused to make any statement as to his identity and there was nothing on his person to tell who he was. The authorities believe the men are from Cleveland. The outlaws are typical tramps in appearance.

CONSTERNATION IN THE TRANSVAAL.

Order of the Government for Abolition of Town Guards in Cape Colony

London, Oct. 25—A Cape Town correspondent says that the Government order for the disbandment of the town guards throughout Cape Colony has caused strong indignation among the loyalists. The Afrikander Bond, adds the correspondent, resents the very existence of these local forces which were raised to defend the royalists throughout the country.

London, Oct. 25—The postponment of the Transvaal Loan Bill has been received with considerable consternation, says a Johannesburg correspondent. However, the correspondent adds, the best has to be made of the business. People have been waiting in the hope that extraneous circumstances would give them the first start on the *road of progress*. They must now make up their mind to look to themselves to make the country go ahead steadily.

London, Oct. 25—A Brussels correspondent says that the Dutch subscriptions received by the committee formed to aid the Boer war sufferers exceed $100,000. The Belgian subscriptions amount to $9,000 which is less than a penny per head for the population of Brussels.

London, Oct. 25—The Old Age Pensions Act providing pensions for indigent workmen, aged sixty-five years and over, is embarrassing the Belgian Government, says a Brussels correspondent. Many demands for pensions during the last twelve months have upset the Government's financial calculations. It appears that the local committees have been admitting the claims of large numbers of retired tradesmen and others not entitled to the bounty, which is intended for bona fide laborers only. The Government will dissolve the local committees and revive lists.

London, Oct. 25—Thanks to the vigorous initiative of the Governor, says an Odessa correspondent, everything possible is being done to stamp out the plague. The Governor's efforts are being supported financially by the corporation of the city, and the Central Government. The latter has assigned about $13,000 monthly to provide medical assistance. Considerable private subscriptions are also coming in. The deaths up to date number only fifteen. The outbreak, says the correspondent, is attributed to infection carried by rats. A big colony of these vermin has been destroyed by burning the large bazaar in the centre of the town which contained dozens of old wooden buildings. The correspondent adds that it is confidently hoped that the present measures will speedily result in ridding Odessa of the disease.

London, Oct. 25—An order has been issued, says the Athens correspondent, which has resulted in the release of M. Tatarcheff, president of the local Bulgarian Committee at Salonika, who had been imprisoned at Athens for the last six weeks, charged with the murder of a Greek. The evidence was declared insufficient to justify holding him. M. Tatarcheff's arrest caused indignation at Sofia, and his conviction would probably have led to retaliation upon the large Greek population in Eastern Rumelia. M Tatarcheff is a Turkish subject, but the Turkish Legation at Athens refrained from interfering in the case.

ANOTHER BIG SWINDLE

How a Number of Peterborough Farmers Have Been Taken In

A number of farmers residing in this district claim to have been taken in by a creamery company, and they are now trying to get out of paying for articles purchased and paid for promissory notes. The notes were discounted, and now the farmers have been called upon to settle.

Some months ago a man representing the Arctic Creamery Company called on a number of farmers and exhibited to them a new style of a milk can. It was claimed that the lining of the can was also constructed so that it was not subject to the changes in temperature. Many of the farmers purchased the can, giving their notes for $60. The representative of the company disappeared after he had delivered the cans and secured the notes.

In a short time the farmers allege they made an investigation of the packing in the cans and found only a thick layer of sawdust.

THE QUEEN OF SPAIN MAY RETURN TO DIE

Young King Invites Aged Isabella to Return to the Capital

BUT SHE STILL LOVES GAY PARIS

Though Dowager is 73 Years Old Today, She is Fond of French Gaieties

Paris, Oct. 27.—According to current report, the young King of Spain is desirous of having his parental grandmother, the former Queen Isabella II., return to Madrid and spend her declining years in the Spanish capital. It is doubtful if the invitation will be accepted, as the former queen, despite her age—she will be 73 to-morrow—is known to be extremely fond of Paris and its gayeties.

Should the invitation be accepted it would be curious indeed to see the old queen once more surrounded by many who formed her gay court in days gone by—stately, portly dames, with snow-white hair, who used to be her fair ladies in waiting, and aged courtiers who were the dashing wild youths of her time.

There are still several duchesses, marchionesses and countesses surviving the gallant court of Isabella II., and among them, though far from the land of her youth, is Eugenie, ex-empress of the French, who was then the lovely lady-in-waiting styled "The Countess of Teba."

The sons and daughters of these aged courtiers are now occupying high positions under the young king.

But it would not be among these grandees and nobles that the venerable ex-queen would receive her most affectionate welcome. It is among the people that her memory is kept green.

The present generation of workers in Spain have heard what a popular queen Isabella II. was; how her court was the gayest of the gay; how there was always plenty of work for everyone; how the queen used to go among them herself and take an interest in all their small doings, and how she freely gave to the needy, heedless of the ruined state of her treasury.

QUEEN STILL LAVISH.

With money the old lady is still generous to lavishness. The story is told that her chamberlain, in despair at her royal disregard of questions of ways and means, arranged a financial object lesson for her. He drew 5,000 francs in 5-franc pieces, fresh from the mint, and spread the bright silver coins upon a table in a room through which the queen often passed. They made a show and glitter, and when Isabella saw them she said: "Why, marquis, you tell me my coffers are empty, and here is all this money." "Madame," replied the chamberlain, "here is barely enough for the sustenance of your majesty's household three days."

The former queen lives very comfortably, but with little state in her fine Paris house in the Avenue Kleber, and since the death of her husband, Don Francisco, last April, she has been seen very little in public. Her daughters visit her by turns, but her favorite child is the Infanta Eulalia, who resembles her most.

During most of her residence in France she has spent a number of weeks out of every summer at her villa at St. Adresse, a romantic spot on the cliffs close to Havre. It used to be her favorite pastime to make excursions along the coast incognito visiting Trouville, Dieppe, Honfleur and other neighboring resorts.

Sports and Pastimes

RUGBY.

St. John's choir boys' team won from Trinity College School II., Port Hope, on Saturday afternoon by 8 points to 0.

St. John's wings, although up against much larger boys, held their own and it was seldom that a T.C.S. player got through. The back division was very strong. In Kern, Willis and Robinson the visitors had a great half back line, while Spencer at quarter was a star.

No scoring was done in the first half but in the second St. John's got two unconverted tries by beautiful runs around the end by Boucher.

The teams were:

Trinity College School.

Halves—Kern, Willis and Robinson.
Quarter—Spence.
Scrimmage—Lumsden, Hubbard, Paasy
Wings—Bethune, Parker, McKeand, Jog, Odbmbell, Vallau and Digby.

St. John's Choir Boys.

Back—Boucher.
Halves—Hodgson, Mulhern, H. Sawers,
Quarter—Jack Seymour.
Scrimmage—Ward, Yokome and Walkey.
Wings—Weller, Morphet, Campbell, Smith, Roy, Halpany, Cumming and F. Sawers.

The Ottawa Rough Riders defeated the senior Argonauts at Ottawa on Saturday by a score of 20 to 0.

The Toronto rugby team defeated the second Argos by 12 to 0.

—The first open session and social under the auspices of the A.R.M. Bible club will be held on Wednesday evening.

BARS WILL BE CLOSED

No Liquor to be Sold on Referendum Day December 4th

Many inquiries have reached the license branch of the Ontario Government as to whether bar-rooms must be closed on December 4th, the day of the vote on the Liquor Act. J. K. Stewart, Chief Inspector of Licenses, said that by a clause in the prohibition at the provisions of the general election law respecting closing of bars, corruption, etc., would apply to the coming vote.

A GOOD BUSINESS PROPOSITION

Where an Investment Can Be Made That Will be Safe and Profitable

We call the attention of investors to the advertisement in to-day's issue of the Arizona Smelting and Reduction Company, of Yuma, Arizona. This Company presents a proposition to the investors worthy of investigation:

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WEDDING BELLS

Mr. Ernest Gittens of Alleghany, Pa., Weds Miss A. L. Moffat, Town

The home of Mrs. Moffatt, 344 Simcoe street was the scene of a very happy event, on Thursday evening, Oct. 21st, when Miss Alma Louise Moffatt, grand daughter of the late Andrew Moffatt, was united in marriage to Mr. Ernest Gittens, of Alleghany, Pa., The Rev. George Yule, formerly assistant pastor of St. Paul's church, but now of Springville, performed the ceremony.

The bride, who was prettily attired in fawn covert cloth, trimmed with brown velvet, and vest of white corduroy, and carried a boquet of white roses, carnations and smilax, was assisted by Miss May Kelly, who wore a linen all over lace gown and carried a boquet of pink roses, carnation and smilax. Miss Hazel Stanger very gracefully performed the duties of maid of honor. The groom was supported by Rev. J. A. Wilson.

A choice selection of gifts, both beautiful and useful bear testimony to the popularity of bride and groom. A handsome gold crescent brooch set with pearls, was the groom's gift to the bride and a gold pin set with pearls and rubies to the bridesmaid.

An elaborate dejeuner was served at the conclusion of the ceremony to the guests, who numbered about twenty-five by Mr. Harry Long, caterer.

The happy young couple left on the 7.10 train Thursday morning for Alleghany, Pa., where they are to reside.

Lightning Remedy for Cramps

Some people have cramps pretty often, others now and again. But when you do have them it's a mighty quick relief you want. Polson's Nerviline is as sure as death to relieve cramps in five seconds—it's instantaneous, just a few drops in sweetened water and the pain is gone. Buy a bottle of Nerviline to-day, and keep it handy. Nerviline is a common household necessity and only costs 25 cents.

Dr Hamilton's Mandrake Pills cure Constipation.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETER

Toronto, Oct. 25—"I am surprised at Canada. Your rivers impress me, your woods impress me, and more than all, I am impressed by the friendliness of the Canadians."

This in brief is the feeling of the Boer farm delegates who are now in Toronto, the guests of the Government.

The speaker was Mr. T. H. Rood, of Ermelo, South Africa, who, with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jooste, and Mr. and Mrs. Moody Lane, of Klerksdorp arrived in Toronto this morning via the C. P. R. from Ottawa.

Their Own Immense Farms.

The visitors shatter the tradition that the recent war has conjured up about the Boers. The men are not shaggy, gruff, or uncouth. They have no whiskers that hang askew and blow to the wind. They look more like the Eastern Yankee than the residents of the former Boer Republics. They are linguists and gentlemen of refinement. Mr. Jooste owns 34,000 acres, divided into fifteen farms. Mr. Lane is also a wealthy farmer, while the father of Mrs. Rood is one of the influential men of his country. Mr. Jooste's farms were entirely devasted by the war, and they are of the opinion that it will take fully ten years before the country will be in a normal condition. Mr. Rood went through the war as aide-de-camp for Botha and twice was wounded. The other two delegates were captured at Paardeberg and went to St. Helena with Gen. Cronje.

To the Star this morning Mr. Rood said "I cannot express to you how surprised I was when we came up the St. Lawrence. You cannot imagine my feelings, for we have no rivers like you. And your trees; why, we have nothing like that where I came from. And your little villages and farms, why it was a perfect picture.

"We have visited some of your saw mills, and I am sure Canadians should be proud of their great timber supply, for that is an asset that you should carefully treasure."

"How about Canadian products in South Africa?"

"Well, since the war there should be a great opening for Canadian-made goods, for the farms will be re-stocking and in many cases it will be just like commencing house all over again. We use just about the same things as you do, and use many of the luxuries, just as the Canadians. Corn with us stands in the same relation as wheat with you, and we expect to carry back many valuable suggestions. One already that has taken me very much is the use of the [illegible]."

Won't Talk Politics.

"Do you think the country will settle down now and become a harmonious whole, as it is wished?"

Mr. Rood wouldn't answer this question, but shrugged his shoulders and said: "I can't talk about politics and I left Africa too soon after the trouble to give you an intelligent answer."

Captain Kirkpatrick, an Imperial officer, accompanied the delegate to this country. Captain Kirkpatrick went to South Africa to shoot, but himself was shot in turn by Cupid, and married a Boer lady, who is with him. The two remained in Ottawa, and Mr. W. W. Moore, of the Agricultural Department, Ottawa, will take the delegates as far west as Vancouver, when they will go to Australia.

The delegates are loaded with kodaks, and are shooting the best things in sight. When they return they will exhibit the pictures and lecture on what they have seen. While in Toronto they will visit its various points of interest, including the Massey-Harris works. Tomorrow they will go to the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. Sunday will likely be spent very quietly.

PORTFOLIO WILL BE VACANT FOR TWO WEEKS

Premier Says It Will Probably Take That Time to Sound His Friends as to Mr. Tarte's Successor--He Proceeded to Quebec and Afterwards Goes to Arthabaskaville

Montreal, Oct. 25—The impression in well informed circles today is that Mr. fontaine's chances of entering the Cabinet have considerably improved. The personal popularity of the ex-mayor is undoubtedly very great in this district and it is urged that in the qualifications for the office just vacated by Mr. Tarte he is away ahead of any of his competitors.

The other gentlemen named are lawyers and politicians, but are absolutely without experience in administrative affairs. Mr. Prefontaine on the other hand knows a good deal about administration and particularly in connection with engineering matters. He is not, however, persona grata, with some of the Liberal papers in this city, which during the time he was quarreling with Mr. Tarte espoused the cause of the late Minister of Public Works, and in so doing said things about Mr. Prefontaine that they find it hard to swallow now.

"As far as I can see at the present time, it will be at least two weeks before the appointment of a Minister of Public Works will be made."

This was the statement made to a press representative by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, at the close of his interviews with the leading Liberals of the district of Montreal.

Accompanied by Lady Laurier and Mr. H. G. Carroll, Solicitor-General, the Premier left for Quebec.

"It is a matter," the Premier went on to say, "that needs much consideration and what I desire to get, especially, is the views of the leading members of the Liberal party throughout the Province of Quebec. This I have done in Montreal and after spending a few days in Quebec I will go to Arthabaskaville on Monday o. Tuesday. I will return to Ottawa, after again visiting Montreal, and the appointment will likely be announced after I have had an opportunity of conferring with my colleagues.

OTTAWA IS EXPECTANT.

Ottawa, October 26—In political circles here every one is on the qui vive for the announcement of a successor to Hon. J. I. Tarte. One report which has at least semi-official countenance is current to the effect that Hon. James Sutherland will retain the portfolio of Public Works, Hon. L. P. Brodeur succeeding Mr. Sutherland at Marine and Fisheries and Mr. Raymond Prefontaine become Speaker provided that these arrangements can be in anyway be made acceptable to the party managers in Montreal. From conversation held, it is gathered that such progress has been made in this direction, that is is possible that an official announcement will be made this afternoon.

Sir Frederick Borden has returned to the city from Boston and resumed his official duties. The rumor that he is in any way disgruntled with matters connected with the Premier of the Government is authoratively denied.

DENIAL FROM QUEBEC'S PREMIER.

Quebec, Oct. 25— There is naturally much interest taken here in the succession to Mr. Tarte, especially in view of Sir Wilfrid's coming visit, which is believed to be for the purpose of consulting his friend, Mr. Parent, whose counsel he is shown to prize very highly. Mr. Parent denies that there is any question of his entry into the Cabinet at Ottawa, and Hon. F. Langlier's friends do not credit the report that a portfolio has been offered him, because it is admitted here that the vacant seat in the Cabinet belongs to Montreal.

NEW ENGLAND HAS A RECIPROCITY LEAGUE

Its Aims and Objects are Set Forth in a Circular Which Has Just Been Made Public

Boston, Mass. Oct. 26—The New English Reciprocity League, through its secretary, William B. Bringham issues the following:

"Eugene N. Foss, Republican candidate for Congress, in the eleventh district has insistently declared for Canadian reciprocity and free iron, coal and hides. Now it is possible to announce that he is the prime mover in the organization of the *New England Reciprocity League*.

"The object of this league is to organize the merchants and manufacturers for educational purposes with established headquarters and all the modern facilities for impressing the commercial and industrial needs of New England on the public. The theory of the League is that Pennsylvania and other great states have never been over-modest in urging their own claims upon Congress—a fact seriously emphasized by the price of hard coal at the present time—and that it is exceedingly doubtful, if it is not actually a stupid policy for New England silently allow herself to be deprived of one of the most important of her natural markets, while there is hope of retaining it without injury a to any legitimate business interest in this country.

Although the League has yet made no definite declaration of its principles the spirit in which it purposes to act is that embodied in the last address of President McKinley, and is set forth with peculiar fitness in the sentences of that statement:

"Reciprocity treaties are in harmony with the spirit of the time. Is some of our tariffs are no longer needed for revenue or to encourage our industries at home, why should they not be employed to extend and promote our markets abroad?"

It is suggested by the promoters of the league, however, that the expansion of commerce is only one of the phases of the question of better reciproval trade relations. The other more startling is discovered in many current developments and is concisely conveyed in the recent utterances of Hon. John Charlton, M.P., a leading statesman in Canada:

"This condition of affairs probably is not acceptable to Americans. If so, they may charge the responsibility to their own government, for the policy of the United States toward Canada is primarily and almost exclusively responsible for the present state of matters. Time and again has Canada sought to break the bands of repression only to be repulsed as often as the effort was made; and at last in despair she turns to imperialism and after turning its claim to the light of critical examination will probably swing over to the American policy and adopt reciprocity of tariffs and legislative strangulation of her American import trade in manufacturers, amounting to over $105,000,000 per annum."

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous services.

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EXCITEMENT RUNS HIGH IN CITY OF OLD LONDON

Fire Broke Out in Guild Hall Just as the Royal Procession Had Left the Building

Suspicious Man Caught—King and Queen Made Their Formal Parade in the Metropolis of the Empire Saturday

London, Oct. 24.—The Sun prints an unconfirmed story of the arrest of a foreigner near a stand erected for a view of the Royal procession, with two pounds of suspicious powdery substance in his possession.

The Sun says that George Martin, a clergyman, was remanded at the Southwark Police Court to-day charged with having a pound of gunpowder in his possession with felonious intent.

London, Oct. 25, 3.43 p.m.—The Guild Hall caught fire shortly after their Majesties left the building. Fire engines are now rushing to the scene.

3.47 p.m.—It turned out that the fire was in the dome of the Guild Hall, some distance from the part of the building where the luncheon was held. The firemen easily subdued the flames.

London, Oct. 25 — King Edward and Queen Alexandra started on the Royal progress toward the city shortly after noon today, in somewhat dull weather. The rain, however, kept off, and the temperature was sufficiently mild to make the day enjoyable. Outside Buckingham Palace, which naturally was one of the greatest centers of attraction, a great crowd had been waiting for hours, watching the arrivals and departures and the forming up of the procession. The brilliancy of the latter was greatly detracted from by the fact that all the troops were cloaked. The only touch of color was from the lance pennants of the Lancers and the brass helmets of the heavy cavalry. The khaki-painted guns of the artillery, and a naval gun of the same hue, added to the general tone of soberness. The roofs of houses near the palace, and other points of vantage, giving a view of the picturesque panorama in Green Park and the historic Mall, were filled with spectators, whose cheering announced to the less privileged public the starting of the state carriage with their Majesties.

Roberts Almost Unnoticed.

The procession formed up outside the gate and had already moved off when the first carriages containing Royal personages and members of the household emerged therefrom. The veteran Duke of Cambridge, who was in a carriage with Princess Victoria, came in for considerable cheering, but Lord Roberts and his staff passed almost unnoticed.

There was a somewhat tedious interval before the appearance of their Majesties, who drew forth the first real cheers of the day as they passed through the rows of bluejackets from the first-class cruiser, Terrible lining either side of the main entrance to the palace. The King wore a Field Marshal's uniform with the cloak thrown back, showing his decorations. The Queen had on a straw-colored toque and a fur collaret and cloak. Both the King and Queen looked extremely well, and continuously bowed their acknowledgments of the warm welcome extended to them. The King's escort of Life Guards, equerries, etc., was about the only detachment of the procession not wearing cloaks, and these troopers made a brilliant display."

Boer Generals There.

Partly in consequence of the length of the route, there was nowhere a great crush of people, with the exception of open spaces like Trafalgar Square, where the London County Council presented the King with an address of welcome, and where the Boer Generals Botha, De la Rey and De Wet were prominent among the spectators, and at the City Boundary, Temple Bar, where the Lord Mayor, sheriffs, and other city officials welcomed his Majesty, and presented him with the city's sword.

At the Mansion House, most of the procession stopped, their Majesties from there being accompanied only by the Sovereign's escort, and the Prince of Wales, the Duke of Connaught, and other princes, equerries and aids, to the Guild Hall, where they arrived without any extraordinary incidents.

Princesses Upset.

Owing to the King's carriage being the last some confusion occurred at the entrance to the Guild Hall in an endeavor to empty the carriages quickly and avoid keeping his Majesty.

Several of the Princesses were rather unceremoniously deposited on the sidewalk, where they tried to throw their wraps into carriages which were being hustled off down a narrow street, and a confused mass of Princesses, ladies-in-waiting, and such generals as has time to dismount, gathered under the canopied entrance.

When the King arrived he looked tired, and stepped heavily from his carriage. The Queen threw off the wrap which covered her simple, straw-colored dress, trimmed with gold. Her Majesty who looked marvelously youthful and well, accepted a boquet from the Lady Mayoress, and the King shook hands with her. The procession then started off, down a long, picturesque row of "beef-eaters."

In the great hall the seven hundred persons waiting about the luncheon tables cheered as the King came in. His Majesty accepted the corporation's address, and then the members of the Royal family sat down and the luncheon commenced.

His Majesty in London.

The most interesting feature of the Royal progress up to this point was the King's reply to the address of the London County Council on Trafalgar square. The Boer generals occupied prominent seats in the center of the County Council stand, immediately facing the King. His Majesty's reply was clearly audible to all in the vicinity. He said:

"It gives much pleasure, both to myself and the Queen to receive in person the loyal and dutiful address of the center of municipal authority on the occasion of our progress through the capital of the Empire, and to receive the greetings of our people on our coronation. Your confidence that my favor will be extended to every measure calculated to ameliorate the conditions of numerous important questions which come under your consideration none appeal more strongly to my interest and sympathy than those directly touching on the welfare of the poorer classes of this and other great cities. I thank you for your good wishes for myself and my house. I cordially share your aspiration that it may be granted me by the same Divine Providence which preserved my life from imminent danger to reign over my firmly established and peaceful Empire, and in the loyal hearts of my contented and prosperous people."

A Brilliant Scene.

The interior of the great hall of the Guild Hall presented a brilliant scene. It was filled with members of the Royal family and diplomats, officers and officials, all in full uniform, with their breasts blazing with orders.

The King's reply to the address in the Guild Hall was much on the same lines as his speech at Trafalgar Square.

After lunch the common crier called for a toast to his Majesty, the King, and Madame Albani, stationed in one of the galleries, sang the National Anthem, in which the whole company joined.

After other formal toasts the party left the hall, the procession re-forming and it re-started on its progress across the river.

The pageant traversed miles of streets on the Surrey side of the River Thames. There was no special incident, though the heartiness of the welcome far transcended anything heard in the more aristocratic portions of the route.

Their Majesties returned to the palace at 3.30 p.m.

The Day of Miracles not Past

A Toronto "Star" reporter investigated the case of Mr. Geo. Warner, and found that after thirteen years of almost total deafness he had been cured by inhaling Catarrhozone.

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Woman Aged 117, Near Exeter

Has Been a Widow 50 Years—She Still Retains Her Faculties

Exeter, Ont., Oct. 25—Mr. C. H. Sanders of the Exeter Advocate and Mr. Robert Sanders, of Exeter had the pleasure a few days ago of shaking hands and conversing with Mrs. Mary Ann Mills, of the 8th concession of Blanshard. Mrs. Mills celebrated her 117th birthday on Saturday last. She was born in County Fermanagh, Ireland, on October 18th, 1785. Mrs. Mills and her husband came to Canada in 1857, and settled in the Township of Usborne, in this county. Two years afterwards Mr. Mills died, and Mrs. Mills has been a widow for nearly half a century. They had a family of five sons and four daughters, and of these six are still living. The eldest son resides in St. Thomas and is 77 years of age.

Although physically feeble, her intellect is still unimpaired. She has been under the reign of five British sovereigns Mrs. Mills never took as much as two bottles of medicine in her life. She made her own pills. She loved tea, and she sipped it several times a day, taking one half a cup of strong tea at each meal, with cream and sugar, but was not a coffee drinker. Liquor has been used as a medicine; she has been a moderate eater of fruit and vegetable diet; prefers milk to drink instead of water, and is fond of fruit. She never fretted, was always contented, and never nervous. It had been her delight to be out of doors, and a pleasure for her to work in the garden and in the field.

A good sleeper, Mrs. Mills occasionally retired before sunset, usually getting up in the morning before sunrise. Her church denomination is Methodist and up to 111 years of age she was strong enough in body to walk a quarter of a mile to attend services at the church of her choice. It is said of her that she was ever ready to speak in class meeting. It has been her custom to read the Bible every day. At 106 years she hemmed bookmarks on silk for each of her grandchildren, and could thread a needle without glasses. As an evidence of Mrs Mills' cheerful and active disposition, it is stated that when 106 years of age she would occasionally delight her granddaughters by showing how to step off a jig on the floor.

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AGED, BUT GAME

Six Robbers Met More Than Their Match in an Old Farmer

Cleveland, O., Oct 26.—In a secluded farm house on a country road two miles from the village of Rochester, in Lorain county, last night, three aged men named Meach were attacked by six desperate robbers. As a result two of the robbers were shot to death, one probably fatally wounded and two of the Meach brothers are badly beaten. There are three of the Meach brothers, Loren, aged nearly 80 years; John, about 70, and Jarvis, aged 65. The old men are said to be rich. About eight o'clock, while in the barn, John was surrounded by three robbers and bound. Going to the house they knocked Jarvis Meach into insensibility by blows on the head. John Meach worked himself free from his bonds, however, and securing a shotgun cautiously stole upon the three burglars, who were working on the safe. He shot two of them to death and fatally wounded the third man. The three companions of the men who were watching outside the house, realizing their danger, immediately got away. The third of the brothers, Loren, is bedridden and could offer no resistance, so he was not molested. The authorities are scouring the neighborhood, and great excitment prevails. The would-be robbers secured no money. The wounded robber was taken into custody, but he refused to make any statement as to his identity and there was nothing on his person to tell who he was. The authorities believe the men are from Cleveland. The outlaws are typical tramps in appearance.

CONSTERNATION IN THE TRANSVAAL.

Order of the Government for Abolition of Town Guards in Cape Colony

London, Oct. 25—A Cape Town correspondent says that the Government order for the disbandment of the town guards throughout Cape Colony has caused strong indignation among the loyalists. The Afrikander Bond, adds the correspondent, resents the very existence of these local forces which were raised to defend the royalists throughout the country.

London, Oct. 25—The postponement of the Transvaal Loan Bill has been received with considerable consternation, says a Johannesburg correspondent. However, the correspondent adds, the best has to be made of the business. People have been waiting in the hope that extraneous circumstances would give them the first start on the road of progress. They must now make up their mind to look to themselves to make the country go ahead steadily.

London, Oct. 25—A Brussels correspondent says that the Dutch subscriptions received by the committee formed to aid the Boer war sufferers exceed $165,000. The Belgian subscriptions amount to 19,009 which is less than a penny per head for the population of Brussels.

London, Oct. 25—The Old Age Pensions Act providing pensions for indigent workmen, aged sixty-five years and over, is embarrassing the Belgian Government, says a Brussels correspondent. Many demands for pensions during the last twelve months have upset the Government's financial calculations. It appears that the local committees have been admitting the claims of large numbers of retired tradesmen and others not entitled to the bounty, which is intended for bona fide laborers only. The Government will dissolve the local committees and revive lists.

London, Oct. 25—Thanks to the vigorous initiative of the Governor, says an Odessa correspondent, everything possible is being done to stamp out the plague. The Governor's efforts are being supported financially by the corporation of the city, and the Central Government. The latter has assigned about 112,000 monthly to provide medical assistance. Considerable private subscriptions are also coming in. The deaths up to date number only fifteen. The outbreak, says the correspondent, is attributed to infection carried by rats. A big colony of these vermin has been destroyed by burning the large bazaar in the centre of the town which contained dozens of old wooden buildings. The correspondent adds that it is confidently hoped that the present measures will speedily result in ridding Odessa of the disease.

London, Oct. 25—An order has been issued, says the Athens correspondent, which has resulted in the release of M. Tatarcheff, president of the local Bulgarian Committee at Salonika, who had been imprisoned at Athens for the last six weeks, charged with the murder of a Greek. The evidence was declared insufficient to justify holding him. M. Tatarcheff's arrest caused indignation at Sofia, and his conviction would probably have led to retaliation upon the large Greek population in Eastern Rumelia. M Tatarcheff is a Turkish subject, but the Turkish Legation at Athens refrained from interfering in the case.

ANOTHER BIG SWINDLE

How a Number of Peterborough Farmers Have Been Taken In

A number of farmers residing in this district claim to have been taken in by a creamery company, and they are now trying to get out of paying for articles purchased and paid for promissory notes. The notes were discounted, and now the farmers have been called upon to settle.

Some months ago a man representing the Arctic Creamery Company called on a number of farmers and exhibited to them a new style of a milk can. It was claimed that the lining of the can was also constructed so that it was not subject to the changes in temperature. Many of the farmers purchased the can, giving their notes for $60. The representative of the company disappeared after he had delivered the cans and secured the notes.

In a short time the farmers allege they made an investigation of the packing in the cans and found only a thick layer of sawdust.

THE QUEEN OF SPAIN MAY RETURN TO DIE

Young King Invites Aged Isabella to Return to the Capital

BUT SHE STILL LOVES GAY PARIS

Though Dowager is 72 Years Old Today, She is Fond of French Gaieties

Paris, Oct. 27.—According to current report, the young King of Spain is desirous of having his parental grandmother, the former Queen Isabella II., return to Madrid and spend her declining years in the Spanish capital. It is doubtful if the invitation will be accepted, as the former queen, despite her age—she will be 72 to-morrow—is known to be extremely fond of Paris and its gayeties.

Should the invitation be accepted it would be curious indeed to see the old queen once more surrounded by many who formed her gay court in days gone by—stately, portly dames, with snow-white hair, who used to be her fair ladies in waiting, and aged courtiers who were the dashing wild youths of her time.

There are still several duchesses, marchionesses and countesses surviving the gallant court of Isabella II., and among them, though far from the land of her youth, is Eugenie, ex-empress of the French, who was then the lovely lady-in-waiting styled "The Countess of Teba."

The sons and daughters of these aged courtiers are now occupying high positions under the young king.

But it would not be among these grandees and nobles that the venerable ex-queen would receive her most affectionate welcome. It is among the people that her memory is kept green.

The present generation of workers in Spain have heard what a popular queen Isabella II. was; how her court was the gayest of the gay; how there was always plenty of work for everyone; how the queen used to go among them herself and take an interest in all their small doings, and how she freely gave to the needy, heedless of the ruined state of her treasury.

QUEEN STILL LAVISH.

With money the old lady is still generous to lavishness. The story is told that her chamberlain, in despair at her royal disregard of questions of ways and means, arranged a financial object lesson for her. He drew 5,000 francs in 5-franc pieces, fresh from the mint, and spread the bright silver coins upon a table in a room through which the queen often passed. They made a show and glitter, and when Isabella saw them she said: "Why, marquis, you tell me my coffers are empty, and here is all this money." "Madame," replied the chamberlain, "here is barely enough for the sustenance of your majesty's household three days."

The former queen lives very comfortably, but with little state in her fine Paris house in the Avenue Kleber, and since the death of her husband, Don Francisco, last April, she has been seen very little in public. Her daughters visit her by turns, but her favorite child is the Infanta Eulalia, who resembles her most.

During most of her residence in France she has spent a number of weeks out of every summer at her villa at St. Adresse, a romantic spot on the cliffs close to Havre. It used to be her favorite pastime to make excursions along the coast incognito visiting Trouville, Dieppe, Honfleur and other neighboring resorts.

Sports and Pastimes

RUGBY.

St. John's choir boys' team won from Trinity College School II., Port Hope, on Saturday afternoon by 8 points to 0.

St. John's wings, although up against much larger boys, held their own and it was seldom that a T.C.S. player got through. The back division was very strong. In Kern, Willis and Robinson the visitors had a great half back line, while Spencer at quarter was a star.

No scoring was done in the first half but in the second St. John's got two unconverted tries by beautiful runs around the end by Boucher.

The teams were:

Trinity College School.

Halves—Kern, Willis and Robinson.
Quarter—Spence.
Scrimmage—Lumsden, Hubbard, Pacey
Wings—Bethune, Parker, McKeand, Jeg, Cibmbell, Vallau and Digby.

St. John's Choir Boys.

Back—Boucher.
Halves—Hodgson, Mulhern, H. Sawers.
Quarter—Jack Seymour.
Scrimmage—Ward, Yokome and Walsey.
Wings—Weller, Morphet, Campbell, Smith, Roy, Halpeny, Cumming and F. Sawers.

The Ottawa Rough Riders defeated the senior Argonauts at Ottawa on Saturday by a score of 20 to 0.

The Toronto rugby team defeated the second Argos by 12 to 0.

—The first open session and social under the auspices of the A.R.M. Bible club will be held on Wednesday evening.

BARS WILL BE CLOSED

No Liquor to be Sold on Referendum Day December 4th

Many inquiries have reached the license branch of the Ontario Government as to whether bar-rooms must be closed on December 4th, the day of the vote on the Liquor Act. J. K. Stewart, Chief Inspector of Licenses, said that by a clause in the prohibition at the provisions of the general election law respecting closing of bars, corruption, etc., would apply to the coming vote.

A GOOD BUSINESS PROPOSITION

Where an Investment Can Be Made That Will be Safe and Profitable

We call the attention of investors to the advertisement in to-day's issue of the Arizona Smelting and Reduction Company, of Yuma, Arizona. This Company presents a proposition to the investors worthy of investigation.

The Company is splendidly officered. The President, Hon. James Rice, is ex-Secretary of State of Colorado, and lived in Colorado for more than 20 years. Mr. L. B. Williams, Director and Eastern Representative, to whom all communications should be addressed, has his office in Glenwood, Iowa.

How to Beautify the Complexion

To have a soft, smooth skin, free from eruptions and pimples, the blood must be healthy and pure. Ferrozone invigorates enfeebled blood, and cleanses it of all impurities and poisons; it brings color to the lips and cheeks, brilliancy to the eyes, whitens the teeth and sweetens the breath. No tonic compares with Ferrozone in rapid action and permanent results. Try it. Price 50c. at druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Dr. Hamilton's Pills cure Headache.

WEDDING BELLS

Mr. Ernest Gittens of Allegheny, Pa., Weds Miss A. L. Moffat, Town

The home of Mrs. Moffatt, 344 Simcoe street was the scene of a very happy event, on Thursday evening, Oct. 21st, when Miss Alma Louise Moffatt, grand daughter of the late Andrew Moffatt, was united in marriage to Mr. Ernest Gittens, of Allegheny, Pa. The Rev. George Yule, formerly assistant pastor of St. Paul's church, but now of Springville, performed the ceremony.

The bride, who was prettily attired in fawn covert cloth, trimmed with brown velvet, and vest of white corduroy, and carried a boquet of white roses, carnations and smilax, was assisted by Miss May Kelly, who wore a linen all over lace gown and carried a boquet of pink roses, carnation sand smilax. Miss Hazel Stanger very gracefully performed the duties of maid of honor. The groom was supported by Rev. J. A. Wilson.

A choice selection of gifts, both beautiful and useful bear testimony to the popularity of bride and groom. A handsome gold crescent brooch set with pearls, was the groom's gift to the bride and a gold pin set with pearls and rubies to the bridesmaid.

An elaborate dejeuner was served at the conclusion of the ceremony to the guests, who numbered about twenty-five by Mr. Harry Long, caterer.

The happy young couple left on the 7.10 train Thursday morning for Allegheny, Pa., where they are to reside.

Lightning Remedy for Cramps

Some people have cramps pretty often, others now and again. But when you do have them it's a mighty quick relief you want. Polson's Nerviline is as sure as death to relieve cramps in five seconds—it's instantaneous, just a few drops in sweetened water and the pain is gone. Buy a bottle of Nerviline to-day, and keep it handy. Nerviline is a common household necessity and only costs 25 cents.

Dr. Hamilton's Mandrake Pills cure Constipation.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETER

Toronto, Oct. 25—"I am surprised at Canada. Your rivers impress me, your woods impress me, and more than all, I am impressed by the friendliness of the Canadians."

This in brief is the feeling of the Boer farm delegates who are now in Toronto, the guests of the Government.

The speaker was Mr. T. H. Rood, of Ermelo, South Africa, who, with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jooste, and Mr. and Mrs. Moody Lane, of Klerksdorp arrived in Toronto this morning via the C. P. R. from Ottawa.

Their Own Immense Farms.

The visitors shatter the tradition that the recent war has conjured up about the Boers. The men are not shaggy, gruggy, or uncouth. They have no whiskers that hang askew and blow to the wind. They look more like the Eastern Yankee than the residents of the former Boer Republics. They are linguists and gentlemen of refinement. Mr. Jooste owns 24,000 acres, divided into fifteen farms. Mr. Lane is also a wealthy farmer, while the father of Mrs. Rood is one of the influential men of his country. Mr. Jooste's farms were entirely devasted by the war, and they are of the opinion that it will take fully ten years before the country will be in a normal condition. Mr. Rood went through the war as aide-de-camp for Botha and twice was wounded. The other two delegates were captured at Paardeberg and went to St. Helena with Gen. Cronje.

To the Star this morning Mr. Rood said "I cannot express to you how surprised I was when we came up the St. Lawrence. You cannot imagine my feelings, for we have no rivers like you. And your trees; why, we have nothing like that where I came from. And your little villages and farms, why it was a perfect picture.

"We have visited some of your saw mills, and I am sure Canadians should be proud of their great timber supply, for that is an asset that you should carefully treasure."

"How about Canadian products in South Africa?"

"Well, since the war there should be a great opening for Canadian-made goods, for the farms will be re-stocking and in many cases it will be just like commencing house all over again. We use just about the same things as you do, and use many of the luxuries, just as the Canadians. Corn with us stands in the same relation as wheat with you, and we expect to carry back many valuable suggestions. One already that has taken me very much is the use of the silo."

Won't Talk Politics.

"Do you think the country will settle down now and become a harmonious whole, as it is wished?"

Mr. Rood wouldn't answer this question, but shrugged his shoulders and said: "I can't talk about politics and I left Africa too soon after the trouble to give you an intelligent answer."

Captain Kirkpatrick, an Imperial officer, accompanied the delegate to this country. Captain Kirkpatrick went to South Africa to shoot, but himself was shot in turn by Cupid, and married a Boer lady, who is with him. The two remained in Ottawa, and Mr. W. W. Moore, of the Agricultural Department, Ottawa, will take the delegates as far west as Vancouver, when they will go to Australia.

The delegates are loaded with kodaks, and are shooting the best things in sight. When they return they will exhibit the pictures and lecture on what they have seen. While in Toronto they will visit its various points of interest, including the Massey-Harris works. To-morrow they will go to the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. Sunday will likely be spent very quietly.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous services

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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PORTFOLIO WILL BE VACANT FOR TWO WEEKS

Premier Says It Will Probably Take That Time to Sound His Friends as to Mr. Tarte's Successor--He Proceeded to Quebec and Afterwards Goes to Arthabaskaville

Montreal, Oct. 25—The impression in well informed circles today is that Mr. fontaine's chances of entering the Cabinet have considerably improved. The personal popularity of the ex-mayor is undoubtedly very great in this district and it is urged that in the qualifications for the office just vacated by Mr. Tarte he is away ahead of any of his competitors.

The other gentlemen named are lawyers and politicians, but are absolutely without experience in administrative affairs. Mr. Prefontaine on the other hand knows a good deal about administration and particularly in connection with engineering matters. He is not, however, persona grata, with some of the Liberal papers in this city, which during the time he was quarrelling with Mr. Tarte espoused the cause of the late Minister of Public Works, and in so doing said things about Mr. Prefontaine that they find it hard to swallow now.

"As far as I can see at the present time, it will be at least two weeks before the appointment of a Minister of Public Works will be made."

This was the statement made to a press representative by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, at the close of his interviews with the leading Liberals of the district of Montreal.

Accompanied by Lady Laurier and Mr. H. G. Carroll, Solicitor-General, the Premier left for Quebec.

"It is a matter," the Premier went on to say, "that needs much consideration and what I desire to get, especially, is the views of the leading members of the Liberal party throughout the Province of Quebec. This I have done in Montreal and after spending a few days in Quebec I will go to Arthabaskaville on Monday or Tuesday. I will return to Ottawa, after again visiting Montreal, and the appointment will likely be announced after I have had an opportunity of conferring with my colleagues.

OTTAWA IS EXPECTANT.

Ottawa, October 26—In political circles here every one is on the qui vive for the announcement of a successor to Hon. J. I. Tarte. One report which has at least semi-official countenance is current to the effect that Hon. James Sutherland will retain the portfolio of Public Works, Hon. L. P. Brodeur succeeding Mr. Sutherland at Marine and Fisheries and Mr. Raymond Prefontaine become Speaker provided that these arrangements can be in anyway be made acceptable to the party managers in Montreal. From conversation held, it is gathered that such progress has been made in this direction, that is is possible that an official announcement will be made this afternoon.

Sir Frederick Borden has returned to the city from Boston and resumed his official duties. The rumor that he is in any way disgruntled with matters connected with the Premier of the Government is authoratively denied.

DENIAL FROM QUEBEC'S PREMIER.

Quebec, Oct. 25— There is naturally much interest taken here in the succession to Mr. Tarte, especially in view of Sir Wilfrid's coming visit, which is believed to be for the purpose of consulting his friend, Mr. Parent, whose counsel he is shown to prize very highly. Mr. Parent denies that there is any question of his entry into the Cabinet at Ottawa, and Hon. F. Langlier's friends do not credit the report that a portfolio has been offered him, because it is admitted here that the vacant seat in the Cabinet belongs to Montreal.

NEW ENGLAND HAS A RECIPROCITY LEAGUE

Its Aims and Objects are Set Forth in a Circular Which Has Just Been Made Public

Boston, Mass. Oct. 25—The New English Reciprocity League, through its secretary, William B. Bringham issues the following:

"Eugene N. Foss, Republican candidate for Congress, in the eleventh district has insistently declared for Canadian reciprocity and free iron, coal and hides. Now it is possible to announce that he is the prime mover in the organization of the New England Reciprocity League.

"The object of this league is to organize the merchants and manufacturers for educational purposes with established headquarters and all the modern facilities for impressing the commercial and industrial needs of New England on the public. The theory of the League is that Pennsylvania and other great states have never been over-modest in urging their own claims upon Congress—a fact seriously emphasized by the price of hard coal at the present time—and that it is exceedingly doubtful, if it is not actually a stupid policy for New England silently allow herself to be deprived of one of the most important of her natural markets, while there is hope of retaining it without injury a to any legitimate business interest in this country.

Although the League has yet made no definite declaration of its principles the spirit in which it purposes to act is that embodied in the last address of President McKinley, and is set forth with peculiar fitness in the sentences of that statement:

"Reciprocity treaties are in harmony with the spirit of the time. In some of our tariffs are no longer needed for revenue or to encourage our industries at home, why should they not be employed to extend and promote our markets abroad?"

It is suggested by the promoters of the league, however, that the expansion of commerce is only one of the phases of the question of better reciprocal trade relations. The other more startling is discovered in many current developments and is concisely conveyed in the recent utterances of Hon. John Charlton, M.P. a leading statesman in Canada:

"This condition of affairs probably is not acceptable to Americans. If so, they may charge the responsibility to their own government, for the policy of the United States toward Canada 'is primarily and almost exclusively responsible for the present state of matters. Time and again has Canada sought to break the bands of repression only to be repulsed as often as the effort was made; and at last in despair she turns to imperialism and after turning its claim to the light of critical examination will probably swing over to the American policy and adopt reciprocity of tariffs and legislative strangulation of her American import trade in manufacturers, amounting to over $105,000,000 per annum."

STRICTURE

I guarantee my Latest Method Treatment to be a permanent and positive cure for Varicocele and Stricture, without cutting, stretching or loss of time. In Varicocele it absorbs the bagging, or wormy condition, equalizes circulation, stops pains in the groins, also all drains, thereby giving the organs their proper nutrition, vitalizes the parts and restores lost power; in Stricture it absorbs the Stricture tissue, stops smarting sensation, nervousness, weakness, backache, etc., while in all prostatic troubles it is the treatment par excellence. So positive am I that my treatment will cure you, you can

PAY WHEN CURED

You need pay nothing until you are convinced that a thorough and complete cure has been established. This should convince you that I have confidence in my Latest Method Treatment, otherwise I could not make you this proposition. It makes no difference who has failed to cure you, call or write me.

Each Time You Call You See Me Personally,

Or each time you write it receives my personal attention. The number of years I am established in Detroit, and the cures I accomplished after given up by other doctors, has placed me as the foremost specialist of the country. CONSULTATION FREE. Call or write for blank for blank for home treatment. Perfect system of home treatment for those who cannot call. BOOK FREE. All medicines for Canadian patients shipped from Windsor, Ont. All duty and express charges prepaid. Nothing sent C. O. D.

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PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 27, 1902.

REMARKABLE OPERATIONS

There was given in Chicago, on October 13, a wonderful exhibition of the advantage of knowing how. Some children are so unlucky as to be born with their hip-joint out of its socket. Of course unless the joint can be put in place such children are cruelly crippled for life. This misfortune had happened to the little daughter of Mr. Armour. He learned that the surgeon who succeeded best in these hip-joint cases was Professor Lorenz, of Vienna, so he opened negotiations with Professor Lorenz, and was able to induce him to come to Chicago and put little Lolita Armour's hip to rights. He came and did the operation. The next day he went to the College of Physicians and Surgeons, and there, in the amphitheater, with eight hundred doctors and students looking at him, he did for nine afflicted children the same service he had done for Mr. Armour's child. The newspaper account of how he did it describes the unconscious child brought to him, the "large projection at the hip-joint caused by the head of the dislocated femur," and the corresponding depression in the groin, "deep and discolored, with the surrounding flesh shrunken and unnatural in appearance," showing where the head of the bone belonged. Then, the despatch says:

"The surgeon took the leg in his hands, drew it up at right angles to the body, and, holding it, paused to say: 'The manipulations I am about to make might with ease break the bones of the leg. It is not necessary to break bones, however. It is only necessary to know how to handle them.' A series of rapid, deft turns, twists, and pulls followed. Suddenly the surgeon paused. He held the leg in one hand and pointed with the other to the spot where the dislocation had been so apparent. The spectators then saw the culminating point of the operation. The ugly protrusion was gone; the depression beside it was gone, too, and except for the discoloration of the flesh, the entire hip appeared like the other. The eight hundred onlookers broke out in applause. No knife had been used, nothing had been done, as was formerly believed indispensable to prepare the socket for the presence of the dislocated femur. Knowledge, skill, a certain amount of daring and precision of movement, which showed a knowledge to a hair's breadth of how far to move and twist, had wrought what medical men say will be a cure. It had taken five minutes."

We all clap our hands with the eight hundred who saw the miracle of skill. How it happened that a surgeon from Vienna could do who no surgeon in Chicago knew how to do is not explained. But it has so happened, and great is the glory of Dr. Lorenz, and enviable his privilege, in discovering to his American brethren a process so merciful, so efficacious, and, apparently, so simple. There seems to be no doubt that the operation is efficacious. Dr. Lorenz says that the cure is permanent in every case when the bandages are taken off. *It is beautiful!* Good luck to this skilful European who gives such blessed exhibitions of sleight-of-hand!

PIETRO MASCAGNI

Whose Fame Was Born in a Night

Mascagni is coming. Are you going to hear Mascagni. The musical world along the line of Mascagni's movements has been expectant for many a day, and all music lovers have been and are asking one another this question; and many another not among the inner circle has voiced the query, and has has asked besides, Who is Mascagni? And now he reaches Canada's Queen City, bringing increasing plaudits in his train.

Who is Mascagni? Pietro Mascagni comes from soft-voiced Italy, the land of fire and love, of summer and of song. He is the greatest musical composer of the present day, having written many orchestral works and songs, and he comes supported by a chorus of one hundred voices, a complete orchestral of seventy-five, and scenery made under his own supervision and from sketches from life. The principals in the company are all famous singers, each specially trained for their parts by the maestro himself, their parts written for their voices, so that any unfortuitous circumstance would not occasion a change in programme. His operas are given under the personal direction of the master-composer himself, and he leads the orchestra at every performance.

"Cavalleria Rusticana" (Rustic Gallantry) is an opera of world-wide celebrity, wherever there is genuine appreciation of the best in music drama. It was composed in a little more than six weeks and entered in the famous Sonzogno competition. It was selected for the prize. Its production at the Costanzi in Rome is remembered by the lovers of music in that world of song, the furore which it created is familiar yet to all interested in the rise and reward of true genius. Mascagni, with one prodigious effort passed from obscurity to fame in one night. "Cavalleria Rusticana" has been played in all the leading opera houses of the world since then.

"Zanetto" and "Ratcliff" are each one act. "Ratcliff" is based on the poem of Heine; which tells the story of young William Ratcliff, a Scottish gentleman, who because of a maiden of Clan Macgregor, became involved in a feud with the houses of Douglas and Macgregor. The story is intensely romantic, and the sparkling music which Mascagni has set to the libretto enhances both its tender sentiment and warlike action.

Mascagni tours for sixteen weeks, commenced at New York on Oct. 8th. He visits every place of importance between Boston and the Pacific Coast, going by the northern route, returning by the southern. His repertoire is extensive, and all equally worth hearing. He performs in Toronto on Oct. 30, his selections being "Cavalleria Rusticiana" "Zanetto" and "Ratcliff." The last two have never been played in America before and form the programme for the afternoon. Peterborough's musical world should come to hear Mascagni, or better still, should invite him to their own city.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

WHEN THE WEATHER BEGINS TO GET COOL

In yesterday's issue the Horse Editor of this great *family journal* broke into rhyme over the subject of cool weather. This g.f.j. in printing it took great chances of breaking the press. The fact that the press is still in business after so great a strain goes to show the superior quality of the machinery in this office. Now the Junior Reporter tries his hand and works off the following spasm dedicated to the Horse Editor:

There are more joys than sorrows, my pessimist friend,
When the weather begins to get cool;
They are yours, though you haven't a dollar to spend,
When the weather begins to get cool;
There's a maiden who waits at the edge of the town,
Clad in russet and umber and scarlet and brown,
From her hair flaming garlands float temptingly down
When the weather begins to get cool.

She is dusky October, with grapes in her hand,
When the weather begins to get cool;
She beckons us *on* to a smoke-softened land
When the weather begins to get cool;
O'er the purple hills follow her mild, mellow flute,
Drink the wine of the sunshine, the blood of the fruit,
And forget all about your old last summer's suit
When the weather begins to get cool.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Drill Hall, London," will be received at this office until Friday, 7th November, 1902, inclusively, for the construction of a Drill Hall, London, Ont.

Plans and specification can be seen and form of tender obtained at this Department, and at the office of Messrs. Moore & Henry, Architects, London.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with their actual singatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
FRED. GELINAS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 17th October, 1902.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department, will not be paid for it.

THE MOONSTONE SPHINX

By Mrs C N Williamson

Author of The Barn Stormers
Fortune's Spor., Miss Nobody,
Her Royal Highness Lady
Mary of the Dark
House, etc.

she would set the ball rolling. They took the two turnings, and presently entered Salt street, the masked singer announcing the fact in a businesslike tone.

Winifred thanked him with a dismissing "Good-night." Obediently, her late guide dropped behind, his occupation gone; but, apparently to the surprise of both, they met again at the door of No. 13.

CHAPTER XXIII.

A Meeting.

The lady in the veil and the man in the mask stopped, and looked at each other. Then off came the man's hat again. "I beg your pardon," said he, "but I live here. Was it No. 13 you wanted?"

"Yes," responded Winifred, "I thought so. Maybe I've made a mistake. Isn't it Mrs. Purdy's house?"

"It is," he answered, "and I'm Mrs. Purdy's lodger."

"Oh!" exclaimed Winifred, "she spoke of you. She said you had been good to her sick daughter."

"I haven't been able to do very much," said the masked man. "You know, her daughter's ill, then?"

"Mrs. Purdy told me."

"I don't think," he went on, "that it's right for you to come into the house. Miss Purdy's better, but——"

"I'm not afraid," Winifred broke in. "Mrs. Purdy sent me here. I—I hope I can be taken in. It would be—very inconvenient otherwise."

"Of course you can be taken in, if you're not afraid. I don't believe myself there's much danger now, but one never knows; and for your sake I wish——"

"Please don't mind," she interrupted him again. And then, hesitatingly: "I—think I recognize your voice as one I have heard before."

"I recognized yours the moment you spoke," he returned. "But I thought perhaps I ought not to say so."

"As you are Mrs. Purdy's lodger, and I shall be in her house for a time," said Winifred, "we are sure to see each other's faces. And if your face is the one I think it is I feel certain you will respect my wish to let no one know that I am here."

"You may be certain of that," he answered. And, fitting a latch-key which he had taken from his pocket into the key-hole of a small, battered door in a mean little house in a row of other mean houses exactly like it, he threw the door open for Winifred to walk in.

Inside was a tiny passage, lit by a common, unshaded paraffin lamp suspended from the wall by a bracket, with a tin reflector as a background. The floor was bare, save for a narrow strip of carpeting meant to cover a staircase, and on one side of the passage were two doors.

"Miss Purdy's in that room," said the masked man, indicating the door near the front. "At the back here there's a sort of sitting-room and dining-room and kitchen all in one. Will you walk in?—and I'll light the lamp."

Winifred did walk in, and in a moment, after some fumbling with matches, darkness was turned into light. The girl saw dimly through the double folds of her fichu veil a small room, uncarpeted, and furnished only with a red-covered table, a few chairs, a kitchen range, plenty of shelves for brightly-polished tins, and cheap blue and white china. A queer old-fashioned clock, with the picture of a pastoral landscape on the door under its face, ticked with supernatural energy on a very narrow mantelpiece above the range. Hanging over this was a vilely-executed crayon enlargement of a photograph, representing a good-looking young woman dressed as a "pantomime boy."

There was hardly anything else in the room save a colored mat woven of rags, which adorned the bare floor and afforded a resting-place for a large black cat; but everything was spotlessly clean, and, despite its poverty, the poor, little room contrived to wear an air of homely comfort.

Winifred's heart warmed to her refuge. Somehow she suddenly discovered that she was not as unhappy as she had been. She felt a sudden accession of courage and hope, though there was little which could reasonably account for either emotion.

The masked singer gave her a chair, and she sat down, conscious that she was faintly embarrassed in his presence. He had recognized her voice, just as she had recognized his; they knew each other, and she desired to account to him in some commonplace manner for her anomalous position; yet she did not see how to do so without revealing the actual, hateful truth.

The young man laid his banjo on the table beside his hat and began removing his mask. As he did so, with a sudden impulse Winifred's hands went up to the knot which tied the piece of chiffon at the back of her head.

Perhaps he had his secret as well as she. But he was trusting her, and she would show that she meant to trust him as well. Many wise people, knowing her circumstances, would have thought her exceedingly imprudent to do this. And doubtless she was imprudent. But she did not fear the consequences. And the veil and the mask slipping down at the same instant, the man and the girl looked into each other's faces.

The man's was pale, and his dark eyes were bright. If Winifred had possessed the slightest clue to his strong feeling she might have wondered at the light in his eyes. His expression was that which a man might wear in dreaming a wonderful dream from which he feared to be awakened. But Winifred was not in a mood for subtle comparisons, and she only realised more keenly than she had at their last meeting that his face was fine and virile, and singularly attractive in a way that she could feel without analyzing.

She wondered, nervously, if he would ask any questions; but he did not, and it seemed to her that he was making an effort to pass the whole matter off as if it were but a mere commonplace occurrence—nothing to excite surprise at all.

"I must go to Miss Purdy's door and knock softly, to find out whether she's sleeping still, or if she's woke up and wants anything," he announced. "After a fashion I'm acting nurse when the poor girl's mother's away; but she's so well again now that she can be left alone for a while, so I went out for an hour. I'll be back in a minute, and perhaps you'll let me get you something to eat or drink, if—if you're tired."

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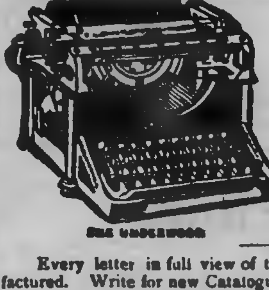

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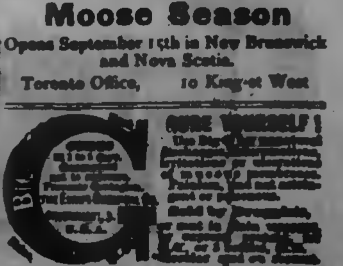

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R. S. Shaw, piano tuner for Heintzman & Co., direct, is in the city. Parties requiring their piano tuned, please leave orders at Mr. C. B. Routley's store.

Four Boys Wanted

Four good boys wanted at The Times office—one to learn bookbinding, one to learn press work, one to carry an Ashburnham route and one as messenger in the bookstore.

Peterborough's Double Attraction

Interest is now about equally centered between the lift lock and the Cereal Company's dam. On Sunday crowds of people wended their way to each of these places. Yesterday was no exception, and thousands of our citizens viewed the dam, which is so convenient and nearby.

A Runaway Accident

Yesterday afternoon while Dr. Robinson, with Mrs. Robinson, was driving up Aylmer street, the horse took fright, throwing the occupants of the buggy out. The doctor's head came in contact with the pavement and he received a serious wound. Dr. Bradd was summoned and found that no serious injuries were inflicted.

More Hunters Preparing

The Lakefield-Young's Point party are preparing for the hunt and will leave on Thursday next for Silver and Turtle Lake, where they will encamp. The party consists of Capt. P. P. Young, W. Brooks, Frank Young, Young's Point, W. H. Casement, Dr. Fraser, Geo. and Wm. Baptie, C. Young, and John Ballson and son, Lakefield. This party have always in the past made a grand record and rarely return with less deer than the limit.

Goodman is Coming

Mr. F. S. Goodman, of New York, special religious work secretary of the international committee of the Y.M.C.A., will hold a two days' conference in connection with the Peterborough Association on Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 10 and 11. A meeting of all active members of the association will be held on Thursday evening next, to make arrangements so that the conference will be of service to the largest possible number of men.

SUNDAY IN TOWN

Events Connected with the Church Services Yesterday

—Rev. J. G. Potter, of St. Andrew's church, delivered an address at the young men's meeting at the Y.M.C.A. yesterday afternoon.

—Rev. Yoshiyas Hiraiwa, President of the Japan Methodist Conference preached at Charlotte street Church yesterday morning and at George street Church in the evening. His subject was "The Mission Work in Japan." This evening he will lecture at George Street League, his subject being "The Progress of Japan and the Recent Anglo-Japanese Alliance as Viewed from a Christian Standpoint." Silver collection.

—The Rev. J. G. Potter preached at both services in St. Andrews yesterday. In the morning the subject was "Woman's Relation to the Cross" and in the evening "Man's Relation to God."

—In the Murray street Baptist Church the pastor, Rev. J. Baslow occupied the pulpit morning and evening, preaching eloquent and impressive sermons.

—At All Saint's the rector conducted both services yesterday. In the evening he gave the fourth and last of the series of sermons on "Common Things Spoken of by our Lord," the subject being, "The Candle."

—Musical service at Charlotte street Church yesterday morning: — Anthem, "Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem" by Maunder; solo, "Calvary" (by request), by Mr. Richards, of Chicago; duett, "Forever with the Lord." Gounod, Mr. Richard and Mr. Davis. At the evening service Mr. Richards and Mr. Davis sang Nevin's beautiful duett "Hark, hark, My Soul."

—Get your school scribblers at the Three Bookstores. They have the best paper and are the cheapest.

DROWNED IN RICE LAKE

SAMUEL CURRIER, OF TOWN, LOST HIS LIFE SATURDAY MORNING

Mr. A. E. Talbot Had a Close Call and Was Rescued—A Gun was Discharged and Blew a Hole in the Canoe

A very sad drowning accident occurred in Rice Lake on Saturday morning, by which Mr. Samuel Currier, of Ashburnham, lost his life. It appears that the unfortunate man, accompanied by A. E. Talbot, tobacconist, town, went out from Mr. Harry Neil's cottage, (where they had been staying with a party of friends) to shoot ducks. They were engaged in raising a screen, preparatory to commencing operations, when one of the guns in their canoe was accidentally discharged, tearing a ragged hole in the bottom of the boat. The canoe at once filled with water and turned over. The two men clung to the boat, and called loudly for help. Their cries were heard after a time by Mr. John Hogg and John McNutt, of Alnwick, who were at Curtis' Point, and who at once proceeded with all haste in a skiff to the rescue. When they reached the spot, Currier had sunk to the bottom and Talbot was almost unconscious. He was at once pulled into the boat and taken to Mr. Sam Curtis' house, where he was put to bed. He became unconscious and remained in this condition for a couple of hours.

As soon as possible efforts to recover the body of Currier were undertaken, and the search continued until shortly after dinner, when it was grappled and raised. It was brought to Ashburnham in the evening.

It appears that the unfortunate man made a desperate fight for life. Four times he is said to have lost his hold on the upturned boat and sank.

The sad occurrence is universally regretted, as Mr. Currier was well known and very popular with his many friends. He leaves a widow with one little daughter. Deceased was about 35 years of age, and was employed as driver for the Oakland Brewing Company.

The funeral will leave the family residence, Ashburnham, at 11 o'clock and proceed to the Grand Trunk station, where the remains will be taken to Port Hope and from there to Welcome.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. John Lang, M.P., was in town on Saturday.

—Mr. Thos. Blezard, ex-M.P.P., gave The Times a call on Saturday.

—Mr. C. H. Keefer, C.E., of Ottawa, was in town on Saturday.

—Mr. Angus McPherson and bride, nee Miss Rose Shannon, of Marmora, have arrived from their wedding trip.

—Mrs. J. H. Roxburgh, of Norwood, who has been visiting in town returned home on Saturday

—Mr. A. E. Ames, a former resident of Peterborough, has been elected president of the Metropolitan Bank, which is to open about the 15th of November.

—Mr. P. P. Young, Young's Point, the popular proprietor of the steamer Majestic, was in town on Saturday and gave The Times a friendly call.

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—The Times is requested to state that every member is asked to attend the regular meeting of the A. O. F. to-morrow evening, as business of importance will be introduced.

COFFEE FLYERS

Be one if You Stick to it

The coffee habit is as injurious as other drug habits of the same nature. Don't think so? Well, dig in and see. The system craves a stimulant more and more until finally the victim wakes up.

When we are as fortunate as Mr. James D. Kimble of Northampton, Mass. to realize that we have got to stop or the penalty will be severe, it is a little startling at first to consider. He says, "I was an inveterate coffee drinker during twenty years of my life.

The first ten years I experienced no ill effects from the coffee but its insidious working brought forth a train of evils later on. I became very nervous and irritable, in fact felt all the time as if I should 'fly to pieces.' My nerves were all unstrung and I craved coffee as a toper does liquor, in truth I was a 'coffee toper.'

My appetite became very poor and solid food repugnant to the sight; dyspepsia and indigestion were my inseparable companions and food did me but little good. About four years ago a friend advised me to try Postum Cereal Food Coffee. I was loath to believe that coffee was the cause of my trouble therefore I did not have much faith in Postum, nevertheless I commenced its use and from the very first I experienced a decided benefit. My appetite returned, food began to taste natural and did me good. My nervousness gradually disappeared; the brain became clear, the loss of strength and flesh arrested and the stomach gradually strengthened. Life seemed once more worth living and the continued use of Postum has not disappointed me. To me coffee proved slow poison. I have found Postum to be the builder and sustainer of the system and I heartily recommend it to the slaves of coffee, without a single reservation."

Mr. Kimble mentions in his letter many of his friends in Northampton who have recovered health and strength from using Postum on his recommendation.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The writs for the referendum are expected daily by the returning officers, Sheriff Hall and County Registrar Morrow.

—The corundum mines at the head of Stony Lake, which have been closed down for some weeks, are once more the scene of activity. Mr. Haycock, the new manager, arrived on Monday, and with Foreman Williamson and a staff of workmen left on Tuesday morning to begin operations. They took with them a considerable quantity of supplies, and we are informed that it is the intention of the company to push operations vigorously.

—A report from Lindsay says John Smith, a youthful farmer, purchased a bottle of effervescent salts at a local drug store recently, and after returning home and reading the directions found that they should be taken in tepid water. He immediately hurried back to the store and asked the druggist for a quart of teped water. The druggist in his usual pleasant manner, picked up a bottle, filled it with pure water, and handed it to the customer cautioning him to warm it a little before using, charged him 25cents and took a snapshot of him as he passed out the door.

The Breakfast State of Mind.

Why is breakfast "the most trying meal of the day?" asks a writer in the "Spectator." Why are people irritable at breakfast and disinclined to talk? Is it possible, perhaps, that there exists a particular breakfast bacillus, which thrives in the presence of bacon, coffee and buttered toast, and which attacks everybody who comes into the room where it lives, with a varying effect upon different constitutions? For the breakfast state of mind varies with different persons. There are several distinct classes into which the prevalent symptoms seem to fall. People do not behave in the same way at breakfast as at other meals, and though at dinner their moods may be practicably indistinguishable — the states of mind of diners, that is, do not greatly vary—at breakfast they conduct themselves as differently as possible. There are some people, for instance, who are in offensively high spirits early in the morning; in a state of health, in short, which really is rightly described as rude. You can hear them coming downstairs, no matter how far the stairs are away from the dining-room, after slamming their bed-room doors with a resounding bang. They open the dining-room door as if they were pursued by a policeman, and probably slap their male friends on the back in an extremely provocative manner. During breakfast itself, while consuming great quantities of all kinds of food, they comment loudly on the small appetites of others, and insist upon drawing the attention of those who clearly wish to eat very little to the presence of everything which is edible in the room. They appear to be perfectly unconscious of the amount of suffering which their splendidly healthy habits inflict upon other persons of less robust constitutions, and are only able to suggest, in answer to possible complaints of a headache, that the complainant should resort to the particular dishes of which they have themselves eaten, and which they invariably describe as "quite excellent."

If the frame of mind of the rude and boisterous breakfaster is one extreme, the other extreme is the mental state of the man who goes through the meal in a condition of profound depression. He glances vaguely and uncomprehendingly at a succession of dishes, eventually taking the smallest possible amount of the dish that is easiest to get on with. He does not speak unless someone speaks to him, when he either answers shortly and sadly, or, more often, with obviously forced merriment and inconsequent laughter. Or—and perhaps this variant of the breakfast state of mind is a more striking antithesis to the rudely boisterous—his unbalanced mental attitude may be one of suppressed fury. Men have been known who every morning of their lives hold a kind of review of their acquaintances and friends, and in some cases of those whom they employ. They occupy the breakfast hour in passing, so to speak, down the front and rear ranks, and in trenchantly summing up the habits and qualifications of every man reviewed, ending in each case with the verdict that "he is an ass." Probably he is nothing of the kind; later in the day, indeed, he may become endowed with all the virtues, but from eight o'clock in the morning until ten he possesses for the furious breakfaster no characteristics except those of the idiot, or, in exceptional cases, of the professional robber. Of course, between the extremes of the rudely boisterous and the profoundly depressed or trenchantly furious breakfast states of mind there are others less definite. The curious case came under the observation of the present writer of a man who, although in every respect temperate and healthy, did not find himself able to breakfast until everyone else had finished. He was accustomed to get up at the same time as everyone else, but knowing that others staying in the same house were breakfasting in the ordinary way downstairs, he would pace up and down his room waiting until a footman, specially instructed, brought in the news that breakfast was over. He would then enter the dining-room with an excellent appetite, which, however, failed him completely should any fellow-guest by chance return to the room. But nothing, in any case, exhausted his patience; if it happened that a late riser remained at the breakfast-table half an hour longer than the rest, he accepted the situation with complete equanimity; nor, upon any consideration, would he consent to breakfast in his own room, or anywhere except at a deserted table.

There are other and more or less comprehensible states of mind; as, for instance, the dislike which some persons have of watching other people eat porridge; the unhappiness which possesses some breakfasters, usually journalists, unless they are allowed to walk up and down the room in silence; the extreme difficulty which some men find in breakfasting in a room in which there is a looking-glass; and the strange mental condition which, at whatever time they may happen to come down to the dining-room, impels some persons to but one desire—namely, to get the thing over as soon as possible. "Early or late, winter or summer, work or holidays, two damns and a cup of coffee—that's my breakfast," was the succinct comment of one who invariably began the day in a quite unnecessary hurry.

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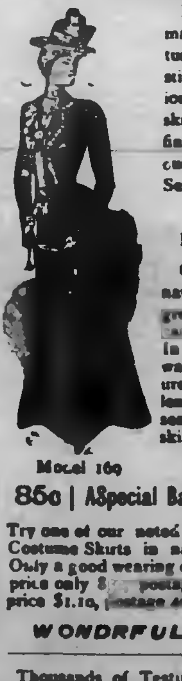

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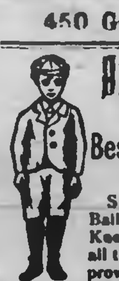

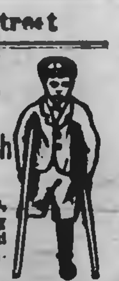

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These words were spoken the other day to the writer by a friend of one high in the Pasteur Institute in Paris. He had been talking of the recent inauguration of the statue of Pasteur at Dole, his native town, and of the veiled promises contained in the discourses of Dr. Roux on that occasion.

"The Pasteur Institute has solved a problem that may change the destiny of all humanity as we imagine it?" continued this friend of one of the workers. "It is now slowly and methodically studying how to apply the discovery to man, instead of laboratory animals. They all grew out of the blood serum, whose announcement made such a stir in January, 1900. At that time Dr. Bordet began by injecting the blood of a living rabit into the body of a living guinea pig. Later he injected blood from this same guinea pig into another rabbit. The rabbit died. Starting from the fact that poisons elaborated in the guinea pig was fatal in large doses, Professor Mechnikoff, the chief of Dr Bordet, argues that its action in small dose might be stimulating to the rabbit. On this principle is based the action of such poison medicines as arsenic and strychnine. He therefore began to inject into rabbits certain feeble solutions of the blood of guinea pigs into whose bodies there had been injected the blood of a rabbit. The cubic millimeter of the rabbit's blood before injection contained 3,000,000 red globules, in three or four days the number had increased to 8,000,000.

PROLONG HUMAN LIFE.

"A sovereign remedy against anaemia had been discovered. Then, little by little, it dawned on them that they had hist on a specific serum for the blood and a means of indefinitely prolonging human life."

'Do they still make the claim?" we asked.

"As much as ever. When the reporters crowded around him the first day of the announcement Dr. Bordet told them: 'The main problem has been solved, but for the moment we cannot prolong anything. We are still at laboratory experiments, abstract work. For the moment all I have to say is that, in theory, it seems possible to prolong human existence indefinitely by arresting senile decrepitude.

"And what would he say now?" I asked

"He could say a great deal more if he were willing. The discoveries have gone far beyond that of the blood serum. In a word they have proved the same thing for each organ of the body For example, they take out a living rabbit's liver. They inject a paste of it into a living guinea pig. A few days later they inject blood from this guinea pig into another rabbit. And just as in the case of the first serum for the blood, its effect in small doses is to invigorate the special organs whose cells had been previously injected into the guinea pig.

REJUVENATING BLOOD CELLS.

"The Pasteur Institute experimenters have discovered a great general law," continued my informant. "Cells of a rabbits liver having sojourned for a few days in the body of a guinea pig, there elaborated a specific poison or a specific invigorator—you may even say rejuvenator—for the livers of all other rabbits. And so with the nerves, brain, kidneys and other organs."

"And the practical result?" we asked

"You can see for yourselves," he answered. "When all these discoveries are brought from laboratory proof to actual practice, man may hope to live on almost indefinitely. Should you or I come to the doctors with our kidneys damaged, they could set the forces of our body working ing to restore them. It will be well worth while, because we shall no longer have to fear death from old age."

This was Dr. Oscar Jennings, the authority on drug and alcohol addictions and a specialist of nerves and neurasthenia.

Dr. Bordet has spoken very openly," said the interviewer. "Old age seemed natural; every one accepted it. 'Then one day,' says Dr. Bordet, in an interview, 'it struck me that there might be interesting matter for investigation in the subject. It came to me from this reflection: Life being a function like any other, if we should die normally we ought to die with joy, with the desire to die. When we have eaten we are no longer hungry; after the labor of the day we wish to sleep. How is it that old men, with rare exceptions, cling to life? Because generally we are forced to go before the instinct to die is awakened in us. Death either takes us too soon or else old age weakens us to the point of not permitting this desire for death to blossom in us. What is this imperious old age that arrests in us a sinking down? It is an inferiority, a lack of equilibrium among the various elements of our being. Bodies are composed of myriads of cells. Well, there are certain of these cells that finish by eating their nobler brethren."

"The Pasteur Institute discoveries will put it in our power to stop this cannibalism and its final catastrophe in altrophies and paralysis," was said to Dr. Jennings.

"The moral is not far to seek," he continued. "Pending their announcement we have a new motive to live on to old age, and a very greatone. But will the average man whose health is threatened take the trouble? I am pessimistic not of the discoveries, but of man's willingness to benefit by them."

RIPE OLD AGE.

"Here are some photographs of men who have lived to a green old age," continued Dr. Jennings. "Here is Herbert Spencer, who I know was very delicate some twenty years ago. Here is Littre, who lived to be near a hundred—as a vegetarian! Here is Tolstoi, who lives like a peasant, eating beans and tilling the ground. They lived to ripe to ripe old age by taking the trouble to do so.

"You have heard of course of the book of the American Dr. Dewey?" inquired Dr. Jennings, "and of the writings of Dr. Keith in England? Both have made a great stir. In the profession Keith is called 'the starving doctor.' Both he and Dr. Dewey, independently, have come to the conclusion that instead of 'feeding up' the ailing, the true method is to starve them. Dr. Dewey goes so far —in downright illness even—as to keep the sick man without food at all for 30 days."

"No food at all?"

"But water. And his very general practice is to cut off the morning entirely. Dr. Haig, the celebrated London specialist on uric acid, tried Dr. Dewey's plan. He says that it gave him mornings of well being such as he never before experienced."

"Take the case of Succi, the professional faster. When he first fasted here he was troubled with a chronic ulceration in the corner of his eye. Well, it healed while he was finishing his fast, which shows that it is an error to imagine that to effect repair you must have rich nutriment —or any nutriment: Dr. Dewey says that every man has a reserve of food in his own body on which he can call in time of illness to keep him in nutrition without taking food from the outside to complicate his trouble."

"What is the signal to begin to eat again?" he was asked. An appetite?"

"Not even that. A sick man may eat ravenously from a craving induced by a stomach out of order. The true signal to begin eating is improvement in the patient's health. When he gets well he may take hunger as a signal. And, note, he ought never to eat without hunger. One of Dr. Dewey's favorite expressions is 'two days' or 'three days from a beef-steak appetite.' He claims that those who follow these rules will eat more in the long run and those 'who force themselves' and I agree with him.

"To sum up, there is a new and hopeful movement in the medical profession:

"1. Against 'supporting' patients with nutritious food.

"2. Against the theory that to live long one must live on a 'generous diet.'

LIVED TO BE 180 YEARS.

"The Lancet recently devoted much space to the subject of longlevity," Dr Jennings, "and the general result of its investigations may be summed up in the case of Michael Solis, of Bogota, carefully examined by the Lancet while the man still lived, in 1878. Dr. Hernandes, himself over 80 years of age at that time, had known Solis as a centarian when he himself was but a boy, and documents dated 1712 contain his signature! Now, the conclusion of the Lancet, after having twice investigated the case is that Michael Solis lived to be 180 years old. What is more pertinent, Michael Solis had his theories on longlevity. He ate but one meal each day, and this he allowed to get cold before he touched it. It consisted of the strongest and most nourishing foods obtainable; but, on the other hand, he fasted twice a week, on which days he drank water in large quantities.

EAT OR NOT EAT.

There comes a time in the life of most men when they must take this decision—or refuse to make it. Gout means a condition of the system in which there is excess of uric acid, and according to locality, it causes any quantity of different symptoms. Any quantity of people are in this condition without knowing it. They think they have heart disease, for instance. Indeed rheumatism, gout or uric acid will be found at the bottom of nine-tenths of all chronic illnesses. Congestion of the liver, stomach trouble, heart trouble, kidney trouble—all of these are uric acid! Men arrive at one or two other of these troubles before natural old age has time to steal upon them. What need have they for a serum against decrepitude. Of what use to them will be the discovery?

"I say to such patients, 'You must be willing to give up what is necessary to cure you. I can't say in advance to what extent you must abstain. But—

"'(1) To start with, you must cut off all alcoholic drinks—beer, wine, spirits, etc.—and restrict very much the quantity of meat you eat. Then—

"'(2) Be ready to suppress meat entirely, i.e., become a vegetarian. This may be sufficient; but if necessary, you must be ready to give up, one after the other, butter, sugar, tea, coffee, and even salt—or at least restrict their use to very little.'

"They reply: 'But, Dr. Jennings, what you demand is not practical. I cannot do it,' and, "Are you not prejudiced? You find the regime good yourself; therefore, you generalize it must be good for us."

THE CONCLUSION OF THE MATTER.

"I answered that while I do so, profess to be without fads, I am confirmed in these views by my reading as well as my study and investigations. Ever since the time of Galen, when a doctor has proposed a scheme for the alleviation of chronic diseases it has been based on these lines. For example, take the celebrated Dr. Cheyne, of the last century, whose book called "The English Sickness," may be looked on as the first monograph on neurasthenia. At a time when everything was port wine and beefsteaks, when physicians were the pillars of the coffee houses and gave consultations in their favorite restaurants, he showed that abstemiousness and a mild diet are the true cure for the spleen'—the neurasthenia of our fast-living ancestors."

"Then your conclusions, doctor?"

"Is that those of us who hope to profit by the serum against senile decrepitude had best take care not to die of disease before we need it."

"The specific serums for the various organs will aid us to do that?"

"Yes," said Dr. Jennings, "they will. Therefore, let us strive to live on to extreme old age—to be alive when they shall be perfected."

THE LAKEFIELD BANK FAILURE IS VERY BAD

Mr. James Linton Meets the Creditors and Submits a Statement

The Liabilities are Thirty Four Thousand Dollars and Assets of Less Than Half This Amount

Yesterday Mr. James Linton, head of the firm of James Linton & Co., proprietors of the defunct bank at Lakefield and Orono, arrived in Lakefield, and attended a meeting of the creditors in the Town Hall at 7.30 p.m. There were about 80 persons present, most of whom were creditors of the bank.

Mr. Linton submitted a statement of the assets and liabilities of the Lakefield branck, as follows:

Total liabilities		$ 34,000
Available assets...	$8,224	
Notes, good......	6,000	14,224
Shortage		$19,776

In addition to the above there are notes to the amount of about $5,000, which are regarded as worthless. The above is approximately the position of the bank, as it was impossible to prepare an accurate statement in time for the meeting.

Mr. Linton stated that Mr. Benson, the late manager of the Lakefield office had evidently misrepresented the position of the bank in his last statement, made on September 29th.

A rather warm discussion followed and Mr. Linton was kept under a heavy cross fire of cross questions by excited creditors for a couple of hours or more.

The loss is divided amongst the villagers and farmers living near the village several cheese factories being involved.

GREAT BRITAIN AND VENEZUELAN REPUBLIC

Strained Relations Between the Two Countries Becoming Very Acute

London, Oct. 27.—Between Great Britain and Venezuela friction has arisen which may at any moment lead to something worse. For months the Republic has been in a state of civil war, which appears to be the only method is has for adjusting its political disputes. In the lawlessness that has ensued, a band of Venezuelans visited the Island of Patos a few weeks ago and murdered several of the inhabitants. This little island, which lies in the Gulf of Paris, about half way between Trinidad and the coast of Venezuela, has for a long time been British territory. To warn the intruders away, and protect the inhabitants, the Governor of Trinidad sent a small force of men Against this action the Government of Venezuela protested, on the ground that the island belongs to the Republic. There is not the slightest doubt in the minds of the British authorities that Patos Island is and has long been British territory, and hence the objection of Venezuela has thus far gone unheeded. It is altogether likely that President Castro will appeal to Washington, if he has not done so already, and invoke the Monroe doctrine, as Venezuela did on a former occasion. As Great Britain is always as willing to maintain her rights by force of argument as by other means, a respectful request for arbitration would not be in vain.

In the meantime, however, the Government of Venezuela has found another grievance against the British. It now charges that the revolutionists are using Trinidad and other British islands as the bases of operations against the Republic. President Castro's declaration that the British Government offered to stop this, in exchange for commercial privileges, is evidently a misrepresentation, or worse. It is the duty of a Government to prevent expeditions from being organised within its jurisdiction and despatched against a power with which it is at peace. No one knows that better than the British authorities, and by no one is the rule more jealously observed. But President Castro makes the charge flatly against Great Britain, and at the same time declares that by tomorrow it may lead to bloodshed. One would imagine that he has enough trouble at home without looking for more elsewhere. Possibly he supposes that a foreign complication would unite the Venezuelans under him, and the he can always rely upon Uncle Sam to go to his rescue if he treads too heavily on the lion's tail. In this he is playing a dangerous game, for patience has its limits both at Washington and London.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

James Glasgow, Mayor of Prescott, is dead.

Thieves and vandals broke into Windsor rink and did $250 damage.

Two boys out shooting near Fort Frances, Ont., Friday, discovered the partially decomposed remains of an unknown man.

The Grand Trunk Railway will shortly construct a new switch at Caroline street, Hamilton, for the benefit of the west end manufacturers.

Fire destroyed the one-storey brick building at Brighton occupied by Duncan Cummings on Friday, and there was no insurance.

The Hamburg liner has brought to Halifax a large batch of immigrants for the West.

W. T. R. Preston has appealed against the verdict in his recent libel suit against the Ottawa Journal and will ask for a change of venue.

In an accident to a construction train on the Canadian Northern at Steep Rock one man was killed and six injured.

The Militia Department has issued a warning against the incurring of expenditure by officers in its behalf without authority.

The Grand Trunk Railway earnings Oct. 15 to 21, 1902, were $679,617, and for the same period of 1901, $567,176, giving an increase of $82,491.

The receipts of the C.P.R. for the week ending Oct. 21 were $942,000, being an increase over the $809,000 for last year during the same period.

In the Lincoln election trial the protest against the election of Dr. Jessop, Conservative, was dismissed on Friday, as no evidence was adduced to prove the charges of corruption.

The London branch of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire Order of the Daughters of the Empire have undertaken to raise funds for the erection of a suitable monument in Victoria Park, to the memory of the late Queen Victoria.

On Monday of this week Dan McAllister, a farmer at Gore's Landing, shot 63 wild ducks, being redheads and bluebills, on Rice Lake, thereby holding the record for that vicinity.

Parliament is to be asked to incorporate a company which proposes to build a railway from McLeod in Alberta to the international boundary.

The Ottawa Veterinary surgeons have decided to invite the American Medical Veterinary Association to hold its next meeting, in September, 1903, in Ottawa.

The reduction works at Rat Portage and a big group of mining claims have been taken over by the Keenora Mining Company of Rat Portage, and the company will be capitalized at $1,000,000.

The schooner Avalon Dukeshire of St. John, for New York, was towed into Yarmouth dismasted and waterlogged, the crew having been without food or water for some time.

London, Oct. 27—That the gravity of the situation in South Africa is at last recognized by the Government is shown by the announcement of Mr. Chamberlain's decision to proceed to South Africa to examine on the spot the problems presented by the termination of the war and the settlement of affairs in the new British colonies. This morning's newspapers, without exception, warmly congratulate Mr. Chamberlain upon his decision to proceed to South Africa.

It is tolerably certain that if the situation had not been one of extreme gravity the Colonial Secretary would have left the whole matter absolutely in the hands of Lord Milner.

The feeling between the British and Dutch people in Cape Colony just now is said to be more bitter than it was in the days before the war. The former Transvaal and Free State colors are worn freely in the Dutch towns of the Cape, and sedition is openly preached.

In all probability, however, the situation in Transvaal Colony is causing the Government even greater anxiety. Evidently Mr. Chamberlain has no intention of making the Transvaal pay more than the colony can bear. Rand magnates have been astonished at the proposed imposition of a tax of 10 per cent. on the gold mines, and they have hinted that they will not use their resources for the development of fresh properties unless they receive better treatment at the hands of the Imperial Government. At present there is an entire absence of enterprise in the Transvaal and the Government is warned against the policy of killing the goose that laid the golden eggs.

Woodstock, Oct. 27— Rowlan, the 2-year-old son of R. Cornwall, the tollkate keeper at Tilsonburg, fell into a cistern on Saturday and was drowned.

London, Oct. 27—Gen De Wet informed a representative of the Associated Press today that he will sail for South Africa on November 1, but that Botha and De la Rey still intend pauing a visit to America.

IN TIME OF PEACE PREPARE FOR WAR.

Uncle Sam Believes That in Times of Peace Get Ready for a Scrap

Washington, D.C. Oct. 26 — Secretary Root will recommend in his forthcoming annual report to Congress that the United States Government purchase arms and equipment sufficient for a force of 250,000 men. He believes this number of troops will be absolutely necessary to repel invasion by a foreign army in time of war.

Under the army reorganization bill the President is given discretion to increase the strength of the regular army to 100,000 men, but the Secretary of War thinks that force is not sufficient. In addition to keeping on hand arms with war footing, Mr. Root would have the government buy 150,000 additional which to equip the regular army on a stand of arms and equipment to correspond.

He purposes that this war material shall be stored away in government arsenals, where it shall be kept to be utilized only in case the United States should become involved in war with some foreign power. In such an emergency the Secretary of War would arm and equip 250,000 volunteer soldiers. He believes that this plan would save much time in organization of an army, which with the regular forces, would number 350,000.

In advancing this proposition Mr. Root is bearing in mind the experiences of the War Department at the outbreak of our late conflict with Spain. At that time Secretary Alger was called on to arm and equip over 200,000 volunteers on short notice. The resources of the department were taxed to the uttermost in the performance of this task, and much of the work necessarily was done in an inferior manner. Secretary Root would obviate all the Rush and Hurry that were gone through with in 1898 by keeping constantly on hand arms, ammunition, clothing and other equipment that could be distributed immediately among recruited volunteers. He will exert all his energies in an effort to get Congress to appropriate a sum sufficient to carry out his plan at the coming session.

Secretary Root also plans to have the state militia forces organized into a national reserve. He wants to have them armed with Krag-Jorgensen rifles, and equipped with military stores similar to those in use in the regular army. He thinks the members of the various state guards should be trained and drilled in strictly military fashion, and in uniform manner, so that in the event of an emergency the state militia could be relied upon to furnish a large and homogenous body of well-trained and thoroughly equipped troops that could be mustered into the service of the United States without delay.

Chairman Dick of the house committee on militia has been constituted Secretary Root's especial representative in carrying out this plan. He has prepared a bill embodying the secretary's ideas about state militia, which will be introduced at the coming session, and pushed, as Mr. Root hopes, successfully through both houses of Congress.

A WORD TO FARM TOILERS

Paine's Celery Compound

The Home Friend of the Farmer and His Family in the Autumn Season

After the labors and toils of the summer time, and harvesting crops in the early autumn, many of our farmers, their wives, daughters and sons, find them in a condition of health demanding careful attention if suffering is to be avoided later on. Many experience kidney trouble of some form; with some the liver is torpid; there is biliousness, nausea and vomiting, with loss of appetite and depression of spirits. Thousands who have been exposed to cold, damp winds and rains, now feel the twinges of terrible rheumatism; others rundown by worry, overwork and irregular dieting, are tormented with the pangs of dyspepsia.

To the thousands of rundown, sickly and half dead men and women in farm homes we recommend with all honesty and confidence the worker's friend, Paine's Celery Compound, the only medicine that can quickly and fully restore the strength to the weak body and vigor to the muscles. Paine's Celery Compound tones the stomach; it removes poisonous acids from the blood which cause rheumatism; it feeds the weak and diseased nerves and banishes neuralgic tortures; it purifies the blood and gives true vitality and life. The use of Paine's Celery Compound in autumn means the establishing of a perfect physical vigor to withstand the rigors of a severe winter.

The Latest Style

In At Home cards and wedding stationery at The Times Bookstore. The newest and most up-to-date stationery, for up-to-date people.

Selling Coal at $6.50 a Ton

To Everybody in New York—A Great Shortage of Cars

New York, Oct. 27.—With tracks comparatively free from passenger traffic, all the anthracite roads rushed trains eastward on Sunday to fill the gap in the coal marts, caused by the great strike More than 10,000 tons reached the receiving yards and piers in Jersey City and its neighborhood. That coal will be divided into small lots and put on the retail market today, with the understanding that consumers shall not be required to pay more than $6.50 a ton for it in any instance. Some dealers even went so far as to promise they would sell it to the poor at the rate of ten cents a bucket, which really would be $8.00 a ton.

Many dealers who still have coal bought at high prices during the strike will still charge $2.50 a ton more than the dealers who are handling the new supply.

Railroad officials declare that the indications of a serious car shortage throughout the country, are becoming more and more pronounced, and the outlook is causing no little apprehension, says the Journal of Commerce. The movement of general freight, both east and west-bound is reported to be unusually heavy. Under normal conditions the principal lines would find their facilities heavily taxed. The termination of the coal strike, however, and the resumption of mining, has resulted in the abnormal demand for cars of all kinds suitable to carry coal by the anthracite roads, and the heavy coal shipments are expected to severely tax the hauling power of these lines. All-rail grain has not yet started to come forward to any great extent, but will begin to move in larger quantities next month, and then, judging from all present indications, the officials declare, est car shortages on record. All the trunk lines are using their utmost endeavor to force the per diem agreement agreement to hurry the return of their cars.

Turning Down The Doctors

The marvellous cures of Catarrhozone are being much talked about. Thousands are daily recognizing the exceptional merit of this simple inhaler treatment, and instead of running to the doctor with their winter ills they correct themselves by Catarrhozone; it kills colds in the head in ten minutes, quickly relieves Catarrh, Bronchitis, Asthma, Lung Troubles, and cures even though all other remedies have failed. Catarrhozone is very pleasant, safe and convenient to use. Its best recommendation is its enormous sale; try it today. Price $1.00, small size 25c., at Druggists.

WEATHER NOTES

Tuesday—Strong north-west and north winds; fair and cooler.

The area of low pressure, which was over the Western States on Saturday, is now passing eastward across Quebec. The weather is much disturbed throughout the continent. Rain has fallen generally in Ontario and Quebec, and the outlook is decidedly unsettled. From 15 to 20 degrees of frost were recorded in parts of the Northwest Territories last night.

New Link for British Empire

Mr. Chamberlain's Visit to South Africa is Expected to Impress Europe and Please the Colonies

London, Oct. 27—The Times Johannesburg correspondent, says the present inordinate cost of living is exercising a paralyzing effect at Johannesburg. The only panacea is supposed to lie in a reduction of railway rates. However, in the absence of the Transvaal loan it is difficult to see how the Government will be able to reduce rates, at least to the extent that will be needed. Money must be forthcoming from some source during the next half year. The correspondent declares there will be no satisfactory reduction in current prices until competition is keener. When this is the case the system of plunder practiced by housekeepers and others under pretense of high customs and railway rates will inevitably receive a death blow.

In an editorial on Chamberlain's approaching visit to the South African colonies, the Times says: "It constitutes, we trust, and believe, a new departure in the consolidation of the Empire. We sincerely hope this statesmanlike departure from the routine rule of administration may bear such fruit as to insure that it will become a precedent. Nothing, we are confident, could contribute more effectually to the growth of Imperial policy at home and in the colonies, than a series of such visits to each of the chief groups of British possessions successively. Can we doubt that the step will deeply impress Europe, and perhaps more deeply impress our kinsmen beyond the Atlantic with the sincerity of our desire to cement the Empire we have built up by the contentment and loyalty of its people."

London, Oct. 27—A banquet was given on Saturday evening to Lieutenant-Governor Lawley, of the Transvaal, Lord Milner, Governor, was present. The Lieutenant-Governor, in replying to the toast of his health, said that the Government had at last overcome the physical difficulties in connection with the repatriation of the Boers. Forty thousand Boers had been repatriated from the burgher camps and none had returned to them. Seed would be distributed in the middle of December to Boers returning to their farms. Lord Milner, in toasting the chairman, said that in regard to its contribution toward the expenses of the recent war, the Transvaal might trust to the good sense and generosity of the British public. Imperial credit would greatly assist the development of the colony, and if great prosperity resulted, it was only reasonable that they should contribute from their abundance. It was not intended to place any burden on the colony which might delay its progress. The Governor added that he could not hold out hopes of any considerable reduction in railway rates or customs duties, since revenue must be obtained from somewhere.

PROGRESS OF GERMAN COMMERCE.

London, Oct. 27—The Vienna correspondent of The Times says that the progress of German's commerce is one of the most marked features of recent trade development in the Balkans, and part of the Levant, where Austria-Hungary was formerly supreme. The German success, says the correspondent, seems largely due to the antiquated ideas in regard to economic affairs prevailing in the American aristocratic and official world, which is accused by the industrial element of neglecting to afford effective State support and encouragement to industry. Such State aid is one of the main causes of German success. The correspondent remarks that another cause of German predominance in the near East, and even within Austria-Hungary itself, is the vigorous self advertising of the Germans. They have managed to convert a considerable portion of their military renown into a reputation for high industrial capacity, which reputation some of the best judges are not always prepared to confirm. The powerful influence of the German press adds the correspondent, has almost completely hypnotized public opinion in Vienna. It is only on rare occasions such as the publication of the German Customs Tariff Bill that the Austrians realize that they are becoming economically as well as politically and intellectually a colony of the German Empire.

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Or despondency caused by weak unhealthy nerves, are responsible for more sickness and suffering than any other disease. If you have a secret drain from early abuse, later excesses or exposure, you cannot expect healthy nerves while your vitality is being wasted. Do not eke out a miserable existence on account of your follies, you are not safe until cured—nature never excuses—no matter how young, old or innocent one may be.

KIDNEYS AND BLADDER.

Have you pain in the back, a dull feeling in the region of the kidneys? At times your water comes freely, a large quantity light in color, while at other times you do not make it quite so freely, it is dark in color, you make a small quantity, or you may have a mucous deposit or brick dust colored sediment; give your condition immediate attention or more serious complications will set in. My treatment guaranteed as a positive cure for such conditions, and remember you

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PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 28, 1902.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

At the other side of the earth Premier Seddon, of New Zealand, is accused of talking too much too. The skies change, not tongues.

The trouble for the Mad Mullah and Britain, lies primarily across the route for the Cape to Cairo railway. He has to be persuaded to be reasonable.

The Liberal party has an opportunity to suggest to itself that no revision of the tariff which it can undertake could be as pleasing to the manufacturers and the protectionists as that which would be undertaken by the opposite party if it gets a chance. And after considering such a suggestion, the party may be in a position to inform itself that there are a considerable number of consumers in this country who would be pleased by a revision of the tariff in the reverse direction. Or make the British preference fifty per cent, and call quits.

Great Britain is not going to have an easy task to restore good feeling throughout South Africa. The Dutch in Cape Colony are showing an ugly spirit, even those high in office make no attempt at concealing their hatred of those who remained loyal to Britain during the war. It is to be doubted whether the latitude given to the disloyalists has not for the best. It certainly has not availed between them and the men remained true to Britain and made sacrifices for her cause.

WHEN THE WEATHER BEGINS TO GET COOL.

The Senior Reporter of this great family journal desires also to make a few remarks in verse, in reply to the poems which recently appeared in the Times, written by the young Horse Editor and Junior Reporter. The Managing Editor [would say just here in brackets, that this whole business must stop, or he will be tempted to take a hand in and throw the Horse Editor, the Junior Reporter, the Political Editor and all the rest of the Editors out of the front window.]

It's all very well for a chesty young swain,
When the weather begins to get cool.
To chase a brown maiden thro' forest and dell
And in other ways act like a fool.
But a man with a wife and six kids to amuse
Can find other methods to wear out his shoes,
And o'er frost-tinted landscapes will hardly enthuse,
When the weather begins to get cool.

So chase the coy maidens my bachelor friend,
Ere the warm blood of youth shall grow cool.
But remember such sport has its logical end
In a term at connubial school;
And when once in the harness you'll seldom resort
To the high-colored woodlands to prance and cavort—
There'll be other things doing to keep you in sport.
When the weather begins to get cool

The Sporting Editor of this great family journal, not to be outdone by any of the other members of the staff, left the following on the copy hook yesterday evening, and which has been O. K'd by the Managing Editor. It is addressed to the Junior Reporter:

Those joys that you dream about my optimist friend,
When the weather begins to get cool,
Are not yours, tho' a million dollars you spend,
When the weather begins to get cool,
For the dusty old maiden whose garlands float down,
Who waits for her lover in the woods out of town,
No, she isn't for green nor she isn't for brown,
When the weather begins to get cool.

There's an old Cavalier from the north who'll come down,
When the weather begins to get cool,
Who will meet this old damsel so dusty and brown,
When the weather begins to get cool,
His name as you know is November, so chilly and cold,
There is ice in his face and his manner is bold.
To his arms Miss October he fiercely will hold.
When the weather begins to get cool.

AN AWFALUL CAMITY AVERTED

How our New Reporter Worked up a Sensational Item

The new reporter was sent out on the streets Saturday with general instructions to rubber around and get a good feature story for Monday. He rushed in about 3 p.m., his face flushed with the excitement of the chase after the elusive item and his eye gleaming with the satisfaction of having found it. He started in to tell the city editor "it was this way," but the heartless magnate choked him off with the remark: "Write your story and turn it in at once." The new reporter bounced into his chair, threw back the top of his desk, with the following result:

An awful calamity was averted at the crossing of the Grand Trunk Railway on Hunter street on Saturday about noon. The streets were thronged with goers and comers to and from the busy marts of trade for lunch. The sun was shining bright and all nature seemed keyed up to the spirit of the gladsome approaching holiday season. Conductor Fred Haskill's ponderous Lakefield Express was backing down towards the station, a little faster than the regulation speed. The grim conductor with one hand grasping firmly the brake wheel and the other the bell rope, cast his eyes nervously ahead. On the crossing in front of the car a sight met his gaze which must have caused his blood to run cold. From the east rode a woman on a green wheel, bound northward. Her eyes were fixed straight ahead and she heeded not the mighty engine of death which was moving so ponderously toward her. From the west rode a man, also on a green wheel, bound down town. His eyes were also fixed straight ahead and he heeded not the mighty engine of death which was moving so ponderously toward him. Each green wheel with what seemed its doomed rider reached the track at the same time. Then each rider glanced up and saw the big car almost on them. Both turned the same way and at the same time. The wheels crashed together and the two riders sprawled at full length right on top of the cruel rails and over the unfeeling right of way between the rails. A shudder of horror went up and down both avenues for a block either way. The conductor set his teeth and the brake at the same time. The death-laden wheels ground on the rails under the firm grasp of the brake, creaked out a hoarse protest at being deprived of their prey and came to a stop just as the wheels touched one of the recumbent bicycles. The two frightened riders had meanwhile scrambled up and were brushing the dust from their clothes. If they hadn't got up when they did and if the gallant conductor hadn't stopped his train when he did, an awful calamity would have resulted. As it was, no damage was done, not even to the green wheels. And the goers and comers from the busy haunts of trade continue to go and come

The story went up to the desk. The cross copy-reader glanced it over, grunted significantly, got busy with his blue pencil, gave up in disgust, and wrote the story as follows:

Two careless bicycle riders, a man and a woman, each on a green wheel, collided in front of a Grand Trunk train at Hunter street crossing, about noon. No damage was done to either wheels, riders or train.

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Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
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THE MOONSTONE SPHINX

By Mrs C N Williamson

Author of The Barn Stormers Fortune's Spor. Miss Nobody, Her Royal Highness Lady Mary of the Dark House, etc.

concealed. Winifred guessed that she must be pallid and weary-looking after all she had gone through, and fancied that her white face had suggested his stammering offer.

There was something curiously comforting and helpful in his manner, though he had made no offer of help or hinted his suspicion that she might need it. While he was gone from the room Winifred listened attentively to the sound of his footsteps in the passage, his low-toned conversation with the sick girl, and was glad when he came back again—a warming, protected gladness as of one who has found safe haven after storm.

"I always make myself a cup of tea or cocoa when I come in about this time," he said, when he had returned to the kitchen sitting-room. "Mrs. Purdy has given me permission, and I feel myself very much at home. Won't you have some tea? Or do you like cocoa better at night?"

"I should like tea very much, thank you," Winifred answered.

She leant back in the cheap, old easy-chair and watched him. There was something wonderfully restful about it, after all she had passed through.

He seemed to understand by instinct that she was too weary and worn to talk, and went quietly about his work.

In this little household the lumps of coal and kindling were luxuries, so the fire had not been lighted. Hope Newcome boiled the water over a spirit lamp, and before the kettle had begun to sing he cut thin, tempting slices of bread and buttered them. He knew where to find everything, and performed his self-appointed task with the skill of one who has cooked himself many a meal at times and in places when otherwise he would have had none.

There was a glass of milk for the sick girl in the next room, and when it had been carried to her the tea had stood long enough to be good. A pleasant fragrance filled the little room. Feeling like one in a dream, Winifred ate bread and butter and sipped strong tea. It was a very strange thing, but nothing on earth had ever tasted so good.

"What nice tea you make!" she said.

"Do I? I'm glad," he answered. "I used to make it for my mother."

"And my mother used to make it for me!" the girl exclaimed. Then suddenly it struck her that it was curious they two should have been thrown together again, and be talking most familiarly in a calm, everyday way, ignoring all that made each one's heart sad or anxious, and knowing absolutely nothing of one another's lives.

Yet, now that she thought of it, did this man know nothing of her life? She had told him nothing. But he had been at the Duke of Clarence's that night, and now he was here in Brighton. He might have had some superficial knowledge of her as an actress in the beginning, and possibly he had asked questions. At least, he could hardly be ignorant of her name after what he had done in her service outside the stage-door of the London theater; and if he remembered it, he must know that Winifred Gray was billed to act in "Mazeppa" to-night and after.

The blood rushed up to her face as this conviction seized her. What he had not already learnt Mrs. Purdy would probably tell him. Somehow the girl could hardly bear that he should know all the truth. It would be horrible to feel that she was associated in his mind with a man of Lionel Macaire's reputation.

Of course there was no reason why she should care what this poverty-stricken young minstrel, who masked himself and played his banjo in the public streets, thought of her, even though, whatever his outward circumstances, he was certainly by birth and breeding a gentleman. Still, Winifred did care, disproportionately, cruelly.

She was seized with a vivid desire to discover how much he already knew. All the brief, sweet restfulness had vanished with those thoughts.

"Do you know my name?" she asked, abruptly.

"Yes," he answered without hesitation. "I hope you don't mind my remembering it so well. You are Miss Winifred Gray. I couldn't help enquiring at the theater that night; and the doorkeeper told me. As for me—not that you'd be interested, still, I'd like to tell you—I call myself Hope Newcome. It's not my real name; I merely chose it because it meant something to me, for a sort of mission that brought me to England, and I shall drop it when that mission's done. But I haven't told anybody else this."

"Thank you for trusting me," said Winifred, guessing that he had told her just to show his trust, and to let her see that she was not the only one who had secrets to keep. "I can't feel that we're strangers after what you did for me that other night. I've never forgotten. But there are other things I want to ask you. Did you know that I was to have acted in Brighton? Of course, though, you must have seen the bills."

As she spoke her eyes fell and her color rose, for she seemed to see one terrible poster with a crowd about it. Perhaps he had been one of that crowd, or another like it.

"I knew, yes," said Hope Newcome, and flushed a little, for it was because he had known that he had come to Brighton. But he would not tell her that.

He could not tell her how he had been tempted that night when he had first seen her (and the whole world had seemed the brighter and sweeter for his knowledge of her) to follow and find out where she lived, merely that he might sometimes pass the house and look up at the windows.

He could not tell her of his astonishment and pain when he had read in a paper that Miss Winifred Gray had suddenly severed her connection with the Duke of Clarence's Theater. He had meant somehow to get the money for a seat on the first night of "As You Like It" to see her as Celia, but the Duke of Clarence's lost its attraction for him when he knew that she was gone.

CHAPTER XXIV.

Partners.

He could not tell her that, nor how often he had thought of her, wondering whether she were still in London; whether she were ill or well; whether she were "resting" or rehearsing for some new play of which he had missed the announcement.

He could hardly have looked her in the face to-night if she could have guessed how when he had read that she was in Brighton, he had hastily answered an advertisement in a dramatic paper requiring a banjo-player and singer of American "plantation" melodies for a negro minstrel party to open at an early date at a cheap music-hall in that seaside town. He could play the banjo well, and a very good one which he had had since his college days was still in his possession; that is, grim necessity had not yet obliged him to pawn it.

He had got the engagement, as the manager was in a hurry and ready to take almost anybody. And he had been delighted with the chance, though he would have to black his face with burnt cork every night, associate with cads and bounders, and receive in exchange for his services the sum of one pound a week.

As a matter of fact, the pound was forthcoming for one week, and no more. Business was bad, and the manager disappeared before treasury day of the second week, leaving the five members of the troupe to do as best they could.

What Hope Newcome did was to stay and help his landlady take care of her sick daughter. When his funds failed he put on a mask, which Mrs. Purdy made at his request, and went out into the street or down by the sea with his banjo, earning not only money enough to pay his way, but to provide some little delicacies for the invalid, which otherwise she would have to do without.

Unassisted, he would perhaps not have thought of this method of refilling his empty pockets, but when the "ghost" ceased to "walk" for the "Six Jolly Niggers," Clara Purdy had suggested the idea. Newcome had come to occupy the one room her mother had to let, before a cold had developed for her into serious illness, and she had not long before been earning a few shillings in the same way herself. Having no engagement for this year, she had been in the habit of going out, masked, to sing popular music-hall airs, with a sweet, untrained voice, and she had thought that Hope Newcome might utilize his rich tenor and his banjo.

So he had taken her advice, and had been in Brighton three weeks. But there was very little of this which could be explained or even mentioned to Winifred Gray. And if he could tell her nothing about himself, still less could he ask her questions. He must be content for the present with the crumbs that she cared to throw to him

And how content he was! As if it mattered what wind had buffeted her within his reach, if he were not hurt by its roughness, since here she was beside him!

"Yes, I knew you were here," he had said, simply. And the answer seemed bald and cold enough compared with the whole reality which he had in his thoughts. "I knew it some weeks ago. You were here before I was."

He had not referred to her question about the posters. But perhaps he had only forgotten to speak of them. Perhaps he had not seen those horrible new ones of which that girl at the theater had told her.

"Did Mrs. Purdy speak of me?" she asked.

"No. Not to me. Since she went to the dress rehearsal she hasn't spoken of anyone in particular at the theater; and, of course, as there's been nothing going on there except rehearsals, she wasn't at the place till then, since you came to Brighton."

Newcome might have added that he had taken the room in Mrs. Purdy's house because someone at the music-hall had told him she acted as a dresser at the theater; and that he had tried to extract from her some information concerning Miss Gray after the dress rehearsal of Mazeppa, but had not gone about it tactfully enough to get the satisfaction he wanted. But he kept this part untold.

"You must be wondering very much why I am here, instead of playing my part on the first night," Winifred said, hesitatingly, not sure yet how far she meant to go in explanation.

"I'm not thinking about that," Newcome answered. "I am only thinking that I should like to help make you comfortable now you are here."

"I simply couldn't play the part as they wanted it done," the girl faltered on. "They deceived me up to the very last, on purpose, of course, because they must have known I wouldn't do it if I had been told in time. They hoped that at the last moment they could force me to take their way. But I would not. Still, if it hadn't been for Mrs. Purdy they might have succeeded. She helped me to get away, and nobody at the theater guessed. When they found out that I was gone—as they must have long ago now—I don't know what they could have done. I suppose they sent somebody else on in my place. But I can't care much, because it was like a plot, and I had to save myself, since they were determined that I should wear—that I should play the part exactly in their way. I don't want them to know where I am. It's to be quite a secret, if it can be kept so. And, oh, I hope it can!"

"It shall be," said Hope Newcome. His firm tone gave the girl courage, and she felt a thrill of gratitude.

They were still talking together when Mrs. Purdy came home with the news of the theater and all that had happened after Winifred's disappearance.

Winifred flew down the passage to meet the old woman when her latch-key was heard scraping in the lock. She wanted time for one whispered caution before her hostess should come into the sitting-room.

"If you guess the name of the man I most want to escape from," she said, hurriedly, in Mrs. Purdy's ear, "please don't mention it to anyone, not even your daughter or your lodger, will you? I can't bear to think that people should know in what a horrible way I have been persecuted."

"If I've a thought in my mind about that, there it stays locked up," rejoined the old woman. "The name I was thinkin' of isn't known to the public as the manager of the play, and there's no reason why anyone here, anyhow, who ain't in theatrical secrets should put it alongside o' yours."

"That is what I hope," the girl exclaimed. "And now I'm so anxious to hear all you have to say. Your lodger has been very kind to me. But I've been impatient for you to come and tell me if there's any suspicion——"

"Not a jot, thanks to my lies," broke in the old woman. "I've told a pack this night, and my only hope is that I may be forgiven, as 'twas in a good cause. When I've had a peep at my gal I'll come into the sittin'-room and tell you everything."

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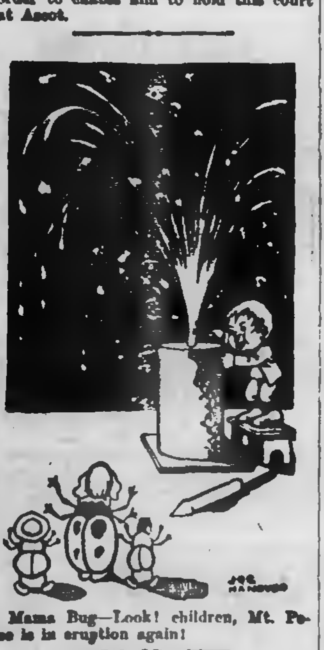
The Eastern manager of the Pennsylvania Railway has issued an order forbidding passengers to exchange kisses with their friends in the Jersey City station. They must give such greetings and farewells where they will not obstruct traffic. The Western manager says this order will not be enforced on his side of the Alleghany Mountains. And there you have it—the broad, expansive osculatory freedom of the West pitted against the exclusiveness of the East!

In London a curious experiment was recently tried by a South American named Papuss. Having wrapped around his body three hundred and fifty yards of flannel he lay down in a sort of glass coffin, which was then hermetically closed and placed at the bottom of a large tank filled with water. By means of an electric ventilator and of a tube, one end of which passed into the coffin, a constant supply of fresh air was assured, and this air was the only nourishment which Papuss received during the eight days that the experiment lasted. An eight days' fast is not an extraordinary occurrence, but what is particularly interesting about the present case is that the faster did not consume any water.

The "Lancet" has unearthed the curious fact that nearly all the important events in the life of His Majesty King Edward VII. have happened on a Tuesday. He was born, baptized, and married on a Tuesday; on a Tuesday he was appointed a member of the Privy Council; on a Tuesday it was definitely ascertained that he had contracted typhoid fever, and it was on a Tuesday he attended the public thanksgiving service for his recovery. On a Tuesday he succeeded to the throne; on a Tuesday the Royal Standard was first hoisted at Marlborough House, and on a Tuesday His Majesty underwent an operation for perityphlitis. Students of "the occult" may be able to deduce something from this dominance of the day dedicated to the god of war in the life of the King, but without any such deduction the series of coincidences is a very remarkable one.

Not only the horses but the powers of the law, says the London "Chronicle," are swift at Ascot, for the course has a special tribunal for the punishment of evildoers. No sooner is the pickpocket, welsher, or ticket-snatcher arrested than he is standing before Sir Albert de Rutzen in a little room in the royal stand, where the evidence is heard and the verdict and sentence pronounced before the offender fully realizes that he is caught. Nowhere else does punishment so swiftly follow crime as at this court, which is decreed by clause 31 of the Indictable Offences Act of 1848. This race-course tribunal arose curiously in the eighteenth century from an assault upon a royal personage. In his indignation at the impossibility of instant punishment of the assailant, he ordered that in future a magistrate should always attend the royal race meeting. This has ever since been done, and by the above-mentioned act the chief magistrate of Bow street was constituted ex officio a justice of the peace of the County of Berks, in order to enable him to hold this court at Ascot.



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A Letter From Burns.

A traveler in Ottawa who recently visited an old Scotch settler obtained the privilege of examining the contents of a musty leather trunk full of papers and letters. In a bundle of receipts from tradesmen, preserved with Scottish thrift among the family papers, he found an unpublished letter from Robert Burns. The New York "Sun" gives it as follows, and justly remarks that it shows the great poet at his best, a sympathetic, kindly man at heart:

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Many inquiries have reached the license branch of the Ontario Government as to whether bar-rooms must be closed on December 4th, the day of the vote on the Liquor Act. J. K. Stewart, Chief Inspector of Licenses, said that by a clause in the prohibition at the provisions of the general election law respecting closing of bars, corruption, etc., would apply to the coming vote.

Special Stock Market Review

—FOR—

THE TIMES — PETERBOROUGH ONT.

By the Manager of the Speculators' and Investors' Information Club, New York City

The course of stock market values during the last week has been marked by a good deal or irregularity, and especially during the early part of the week prices were wholly under the influence of changing reports about settlement of the coal strike, and also about the measures contemplated for the relief of the monetary situation by the Secretary of the Treasury. The final settlement of the coal strike and the return to almost normal conditions in the monetary situation, has been a great relief to the whole financial community. These two factors were looked upon in Wall street as practically the only dark clouds on the horizon of the country's prosperity, and with their removal a revival of active speculation was confidently expected. No wonder therefore that prices for stocks responded with a rush to the first favorable reports. The general advance was unquestionably helped by a considerable "short" interest, but at the same time the market has shown since a good deal of underlying strength. On the whole, stocks retained their advances fairly well. Market leaders and banking interests do not seem to desire any great increase in speculation at the present time. The best proof of this is the close scrutiny of collatoral presented for loans, but there is a certain speculative element apparently ready to run away with the market in spite of anything. With the coal strike out of the way and money at about six per cent., where does the stock market stand? What are the prospects for investors and speculators? However careful and conservative views a man may be disposed to take, the fact is that the stock market finds itself face to face with the prosperity of our great country. It is confronted by conditions which are bound to be reflected in the earnings of railroads and other industrial enterprises, and the increased receipts will find corresponding expression in the prices of stocks of the various corporations. Some railroad stocks have already advanced to a price level which discounts a great deal of all the good things to come, but there are a good many others whose advance can be said to have barely begun. It will be the object of this weekly stock market review to point out to the readers of The Times those stocks which offer the best and safest opportunities for profitable speculation or investment.

There is for instance New York Central now quoted about 156. The earnings of this road are something wonderful. All the surplus earnings of the Lake Shore Road are going now into the New York Central treasury, and it will not be many years before New York Central disappears from the speculative market just as Lake Shore has done. There has been the best kind of buying in the New York Central lately. That stock is worth easily 1200 a share, and it will reach there simply on the strength of its merits. Two other stocks which are equally good are Pennsylvania Railroad and Missouri Pacific. A man who will buy moderately of Pennsylvania whenever that stock declines is sure of a profit on his purchase. From its present price of 164, an advance to 200 is only a question of time. As to Missouri Pacific, comparatively few people realize what a fine property it is to-day. Its physical condition is excellent, and compared with other railroads for cost of construction and cost of capitalization per mile, Mo. Pacific is to-day the cheapest railroad property in the United States. It pays at present a regular dividend of 5 per cent., which makes the stock look rather attractive around 110. It will not be such a long time before that stock will reach a price nearer 150 than 110. Among high priced stocks the three mentioned above are probably the most promising from a conservative standpoint. There are, however, a number of other low or medium priced railroad stocks which perhaps appeal stronger to the general investing public than the expensive issues. First among these should be named the preferred stock of the Toledo, St. Louis and Western, the old Clover Leaf Road. The "Information Club," in its daily letters of advice, has urged Club members to buy that stock ever since it was selling around 32. At time of writing the price is above 45. Brokers identified with leading market interests have been buying T.O.U. prefered in connection with some important pending developments, and the management of the Information Club wishes to predict now at least 60 for T.O.U. preferred stock within a reasonable time, probably before the end of November. Stocks like Texas Pacific, Chesapeake & Ohio, Alton, Chicago & Great Western, Erie, are all selling at prices below their intrinsic merit. To buy these stocks whenever they are weak and look like lowering, will prove a profitable transaction. The greatest mistake which a man can make in stock market operations is to overtrade. Members of the Information Club have been advised right along to leave all dangerous or gambling stocks strictly alone. To trade only in solid conservative stocks which have an established record, and not to buy a single share more than they can afford to take care of. Conservatism is the secret of success in Wall street. Another stock which should strongly commend itself to investors and speculators, is United States Steel, both common and preferred. The common stock returns now almost 10 per cent. on the investment. The payment of that dividend is assured for an indefinite period, and it is only a question of time when the intrinsic merit of U.S. Steel stocks will secure for them the recognition which they deserve, and the price will then be found nearer to 70 than to 40. Stock market conditions generally favor a gradually improving market. The Information Club does not advise, however, the indiscriminate purchase of railroad securities. A good many of the high priced issues are selling on a level with their intrinsic merits. Stocks like Louisville, Met., B. & O., Manhattan, etc., etc., while excellent and well managed properties, can hardly be called cheap around present quotations. Traders would therefore be naturally afraid of them and it would seem safer to look for profitable returns in meritorious, conservative low and middle priced stocks. An attempt has been made the last few days to revive public interest in "International Power," and the tip ine largely circulated that "insiders" intend to advance that stock to par. Club members have been advised not to have anything to do with that stock at any price. The "Information Club" does not accept accounts or monetary deposits. We confine ourselves strictly to giving advice. Club members are advised free of charge about securities they are interested in, and the Club's daily financial letter points out those stocks which offer the best and safest opportunities for either speculation or permanent investment. Club members contribute $5.00 per month. If interested, you can obtain free sample letters from

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AGED, BUT GAME

Six Robbers Met More Than Their Match in an Old Farmer

Cleveland, O., Oct 26.—In a secluded farm house on a country road two miles from the village of Rochester, in Lorain county, last night, three aged men named Meach were attacked by six desperate robbers. As a result two of the robbers were shot to death, one probably fatally wounded and two of the Meach brothers are badly beaten. There are three of the Meach brothers, Loren, aged nearly 80 years, John, about 70, and Jarvis, aged 65. The old men are said to be rich. About eight o'clock, while in the barn, John was surrounded by three robbers and bound. Going to the house they knocked Jarvis Meach into insensibility by blows on the head. John Meach worked himself free from his bonds, however, and securing a shotgun cautiously stole upon the three burglars, who were working on the safe. He shot two of them to death and fatally wounded the third men. The three companions of the men who were watching outside the house, realizing their danger, immediately got away. The third of the brothers, Loren, is bedridden and could offer no resistance, so he was not molested. The authorities are scouring the neighborhood, and great excitment prevails. The would-be robbers secured no money. The wounded robber was taken into custody, but he refused to make any statement as to his identity and there was nothing on his person to tell who he was. The authorities believe the men are from Cleveland. The outlaws are typhical tramps in appearance.

The Morning Paper

In the morning, one feels fresh and vigorous, with body rested, and one is mentally active and energetic. You want to be up and "dong thinks." An axiom of the commercial world is to do business before the day is late. No new proposition should be placed before a tired man or woman.

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—The corundum mines at the head of Stony Lake, which have been closed down for some weeks, are once more the scene of activity. Mr. Haycock, the new manager, arrived on Monday, and with Foreman Williamson and a staff of workmen left on Tuesday morning to begin operations. They took with them a considerable quantity of supplies, and we are informed that it is the intention of the company to push operations vigorously.

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A united states newspaper once announced that a notorious thief, well known locally, had been lynched for horse-stealing. The man called at the office, sound in wind and limb, and demanded a withdrawal of the unfounded statement. "We cannot retract," said the editor; "we never do." "But the 'Mail,' which published a similar report, has withdrawn it," said the man. "That may be," replied the editor. "The report appearing in the 'Mail' was no doubt without foundation; but our news is always true. However, we don't mind saying in the next issue that the rope broke, and that you escaped with a slight contusion."

If a story told in journalistic circles be well founded, a somewhat similar incident occurred in London. One day a gentleman called at the office of a well-known newspaper and said to the editor, a famous man in his time: "Sir, it is announced in your paper that I am dead." "Well," replied the editor, "if it is in our paper it is correct." "It is not correct, for here I am alive," rejoined the other. "Well, it can't be helped," said the editor. "But I expect you to contradict it," said the gentleman. "No, I cannot do that," said the editor, "as we never contradict anything that appears in our paper. I will do the only thing I can do to bring you to life again. To-morrow I will put you in the list of births."

Sometimes the editor gets the better of these unpleasant intruders into his sanctum. A friend of ours was seated in his editorial chair in a Yorkshire town, quietly snipping paragraphs from contemporary journals, when in walked, unannounced, a big, ferocious-looking man with a heavy stick in his hand. "Is the editor in?" he asked. The menacing tone in which the question was put showed that he had not come to make a friendly call, to insert an advertisement, or to pay a subscription to the journal. "No, sir," replied the editor, with admirable presence of mind—"he has just gone out. Take a seat and read the paper; he will return in a minute." Down sat the indignant visitor, crossing his legs, with his club between them, and commenced reading a paper. In the meantime the editor quietly vanished downstairs, and at the landing he met another excited man, with a cudgel in his hand, who also asked if the editor was in. "Yes, sir," was the prompt response, "you will find him seated upstairs, reading a newspaper." The second visitor, on entering the room, commenced a violent assault upon the first, which was resisted with equal ferocity. The fight was continued till they both rolled to the foot of the stairs and had cudgelled each other to their hearts' content.

New Round Dances.

Three new round dances have just been approved and adopted by the Normal Association of Masters of Dancing of the United States and Canada, which recently met in New York. They are the Military Dip Waltz, the Olympia Schottische, and the Antler's Gavotte. The Military Dip Waltz is said to be the simplest and most graceful of the three. It has been predicted that this dance will sweep the country, and may take the place of the two-step in the matter of popularity. The movements are thus described: Take a position facing your partner, as if for waltzing. The left foot of both lady and gentleman should be in the fourth position, front; that is, about the length of one step in front of the right foot. At the beginning of the strain the gentleman dips forward upon his left and the lady backward upon her right; then both reverse the movement. The gentleman next makes a quick change, stepping forward on the left and then on the right. The balance is repeated in this position, the two dip movements having occupied just four measures in all. From this point glide into the waltz, waltzing four measures; then repeat the balance movement again, and so on ad libitum. The dance is simple, easy, and fascinating. The Olympia Schottische is designed for the more agile and spirited dancers. It is begun in the open position assumed for any schottische, the gentleman holding the lady's left hand with his right, the two facing one another. The lady starts with the right foot, the gentleman with the left. Dip backward with a graceful bend of knee, then bring the rear foot forward and rise on the toes. Repeat the movement with the other foot; glide four times to the right, repeat both movements, face forward and hop on left foot, kicking right with toe touching the floor; then hop on right, kicking left. Next assume the closed position and take four glides, a half turn, finishing with four more glides in the same direction. The Antler's Gavotte is made up entirely of familiar steps. This is begun in the closed position. March two measures, two-step four, take three glides to the left, finishing on the right foot, and waltz to the close of the strain. This is a new combination of the two old favorites, two-step and waltz, with the march step for variety.

A Valuable Clue.

"Please, sergeant," exclaimed a lady, as she rushed into the police station, half out of breath. Then she hesitated.

"What is it, ma'am?"

"I don't like to tell you."

"Proceed. Have you been robbed, or ——?"

"Robbed, sir; cruelly robbed. Last night someone stole a lot of clothes from off my line."

"Just give me a list of the articles stolen."

"I couldn't do that, for they took two pairs of ——"

"What?"

"Oh, no; I really couldn't say; but, Mr. Policeman, if you see anybody wearing them, arrest them."

With this brief explanation she departed, and now she is telling all the neighbors that the police force of this country are too stupid to detect crime, even when they get a clue at first hand.

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Verestchagin, the artist who is painting a large picture of the Battle of San Juan Hill, with President Roosevelt as the central figure, was very much depressed over New York's sky-line, when he visited the metropolis fifteen years ago. He said that the occasional skyscraper was a painful blot on the landscape; that it made the sky-line one terrible thing to behold. The other day, after long contemplation of it and the scores of big buildings which load down the Island of Manhattan, he is said to have turned to a friend and remarked: "Really" (a pause), "it begins to be grand."

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—The various hunting parties are making great efforts to go to the woods on November 1st. Deer are said to be very plentiful this year and everyone is looking forward for two weeks' sport.

Mainly About People.

The "Courier de Paris" relates that a party of men, sitting in front of a boulevard cafe, were recently approached by a man who had a clarionet in his hand, and who said: "Gentlemen, excuse me, I have to make my living, but I suppose you would rather give me a sou not to hear me." They took the hint. He repeated this performance several times, till, one day, one of the men said he felt like hearing a tune, and asked him to play. "I am sorry," said the man with the clarionet, "but I cannot play a note."

George Douglas, the author of "The House With the Green Shutters," says that once he met Froude in the house of an Oxford don. "It's astonishing," the historian remarked to Douglas, "it's astonishing! You're the living image of my dear friend, the late John Conington." Douglas said he was glad to hear he was so like the great authority on Virgil. For a moment Froude's thoughts seemed to be busy with the sacred past. "Conington," he then added, dreamily, "was the ugliest man I ever clapped an eye on."

A beginner in newspaper work in a Southern town who occasionally "sent stuff" to one of the New York dailies picked up last summer what seemed to him a "big story." Hurrying to the telegraph office he "queried" the telegraph editor: "Column story on so and so. Shall I send?" The reply was brief and prompt, but to the enthusiast unsatisfactory. "Send 600 words," was all it said. "Can't be told in less than 1,200," he wired back. Before long the reply came: "Story of creation of world told in 600. Try it."

Several stories are told of Tennyson's thoughtless speeches. "What fish is this?" he once asked his hostess where he was dining. "Whiting," she replied. "The meanest fish there is," he remarked, quite unconscious that he could have wounded anyone's feelings. Yet his kindness of heart was such that when his partridge was afterward given him almost raw he ate steadily through it, for fear his hostess might be vexed. On one occasion Tennyson was very rude to Mrs. Brotherton, a neighbor at Freshwater. The next day he came to her house with a great cabbage under each arm. "I heard you liked these, so I brought them," he said, genially. It was his idea of a peace-offering.

In a speech in London the other day Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman told an admirable story of the advice given by an Englishman, a Scotchman, and an Irishman, respectively, to a gentleman whose servant was constantly breaking articles in the household. The Englishman, in his blunt, honest way, said to the employer: "Oh, get rid of him—dismiss him." The Scotchman's advice was "Stop the money out of his wages." "But," said the master, "he breaks more than his wages amount to." "Then," said the Irishman, "raise his wages."

An extremely stout, good-tempered Englishwoman once contrived to wedge herself into a gallery seat at the Adelphi Theater that would have accommodated a person of ordinary size, to the unconcealed annoyance of a smartly dressed youth next to her. She began to peel an orange, and the youth, with a gesture of complaint, removed his silk hat fussily to a safer position. "I suppose," said the good-tempered woman, "that you'd rather have had a gentleman sitting by the side of you, sir, wouldn't you?" The youth replied, snappishly, in the affirmative. "Ah!" said the woman, thoughtfully, "so would I!"

United States Senator Perkins says that once when he was a sailor, a tremendous storm came up, and it looked as if the vessel were doomed to go under. In the midst of the excitement a minister, who was one of the passengers, asked the captain if he could have prayers. "Oh, never mind about the prayers," said the captain; "the men are swearing too hard to stop for prayers, and as long as you hear them swearing," added the captain, "there is no danger." The minister went back to his cabin. A little while later, when the storm grew worse, the preacher went on deck to see what the sailors were doing. Then he went back to his wife. "Thank God!" he said, fervently, "those men are still swearing."

Lord Spencer of Althorp, one of the greatest of book collectors, was at home only in his own field. One day, in browsing about Bond street, London, he went into the shop of a dealer in bric-a-brac. The dealer, who knew him by sight, said, persuasively: "Here is a fine bit of pottery which your lordship really ought to have, and you shall have it very cheap—only two guineas." So Lord Spencer bought it and took it home, and set it in a high place. One day a connoisseur of china paid him a visit, and Lord Spencer showed his bargain. "What did you give for it?" asked the connoisseur. "Two guineas," answered Spencer, rather proudly. "What!" said the connoisseur. "At that price the marmalade should have been included." "What do you mean?" "Why, that precious piece of yours is nothing more nor less than a shilling marmalade pot, with a green thistle painted on it."

A Natural Conclusion.

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Jimmy—Sunday school.
Tommy—Dug yer bait yet?

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Bakersfield, Cal., Sept. 27.—J. Pierpont Morgan is about to identify himself with the oil business in California. On October 12, or a few days later, surveyors will be put into the field, and will run lines to the ocean from Sunset, Coaling, McKittrick, Midway and Kern River fields to determine by which route it is most feasible to transport oil to tide water. The surveys will run over the coast range at a number of points, and also will go down the San Joaquin valley parallel with the line of the Standard.

A company having a capitalization of $5,000,000 has been organized for the construction of lines, pumping stations, storage tanks, and the like. Mr. Morgan and his associates have also formed a separate company, capitalized at $20,000,000, half of which will be invested in proven ground and the other half turned into a reserve fund.

It is stated that the Morgan syndicate will be prepared to handle 2,000,000 barrels the first year, and will increase that amount at the rate of 1,000,000 a year until the whole demand of the market is met.

THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY own and control a large tract of absolutely oil proven asphalt land in the very heart of the best oil producing land of **Kern County, California,** the district where flowing wells are situated. We have **a bed of Liquid Asphalt** underlying a portion of our lands. Our property is situated right at Sunset Station. A new line of railway is surveyed and will be constructed in a very short time, putting us not only in touch with Eastern cities, but in touch with tide-water. This, in addition to the railroad facilities we now have. Remember that we own our land—it is paid for and entirely free from debt.

ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL CO.'S GIGANTIC TRACT

will be developed and should prove a formidable rival for the now company.

PROFESSOR DR. RUD J. SCHIMPER, Analytical and Expert Chemist, of St. Paul, makes the following statement relative to the composition, what can be produced and the estimated profits of the Sunset Crude Oil. A copy of the original certificate can be seen at the office of the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Co., which is in substance as follows:

"This is to certify that the undersigned, Dr. Rudolph J. Schimper, Chemist expert, member of Parisian Academy, according to analysis made from the crude oil furnished me by the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company, I find the following valuable products and with each beg to submit my estimate of its value:

1. LIQUID RUBBER—2000 lbs of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 1,800 lbs. of liquid rubber, value of which is from 25c. per lb. and up. (Estimated value $450.00.)
2. SOLID RUBBER—2000 lbs of this crude oil (6 bbls) will produce 1,700 lbs. of solid rubber, value of which is from 50c. upwards. (Estimated value $450.00.)
3. FUEL BRIQUETTES—2000 lbs. of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 2,000 lbs. (1 ton) of fuel briquettes, which, according to government tests made, is equivalent to two tons of best anthracite coal. (Estimated value $22.00)
4. ASPHALTUM—2,000 lbs. of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce ½ ton of asphaltum, value $25 to $35 per ton. 25 gal. of lubricating oil, value 50c. per gal. and upward. 40 gal. illuminating oil, value 10c per gal. and up. 60 gal. of distilled oil, value 5c. per gal. and upward. (Estimated value $64.50.)
5. SOAP—2000 lbs. (1 ton) of crude oil and filling will prduce over 2,000 lbs. of soap, value 3c. per lb. and upward. (Estimated value $60.00.)

Id my opiniou many other valuable products can be obtained from the oil of that famous field.

Respectfully, DR. R. J. SCHIMPER, Chemist Expert."

THIS goes to show the immense profits that will accrue from our products when refined. We expect to commence **Building Our Refinery** in the very near future. The sale of the next allotment of stock will be made for that purpose. **The largest flowing wells in California** were brought in adjoining our property and their stock was taken off the market. **We employ the best drillers** who report rapid progress on our wells and we expect to bring in gushers equal, if not to excel any in the Sunset field. **Our General Manager, Superintendent and Drillers, all** are experienced oil men. The officers of our company are all thorough, competent and efficient men who have always made a success of their undertaking in life and who will see that the welfare of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company is furthered, portected and promoted to the most advantageous extent possible.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS should be paid to the stockholders of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company when their property is fully developed, their refinery equipped and in full operation. ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS was paid by Kern County Oil Companies during the month of August alone.

SIX MILLION BARRELS is the consuming capacity of the Southern Pacific Railway engines, which are now equipped for burning oil. Outside of this consider other railway lines, smelters, factories, steamships, stationery engines, which are all heavy consumers of fuel oil and last but not least, hotels and private dwellings are falling in line with the procession in the use of fuel oil.

A GOOD REASON WHY YOU Should Invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. More fortunes have been made in oil than any other business. Consider the immense amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for its fortunate stockholders, and the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard Oil Company. Here is what $100 has accomplished for those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:

Home Whittier $1,000 on an investment of $100.

Kern returned $2,200 on an investment of $100.

Peerless returned $1,800 on an investment of $100.

Dillon returned $2,500 on an investment of $100.

New York returned $30,000 on an investMent of $100.

Union returned $150,000 on an investment of $100.

Home returned $50,000 on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Company's oil holdings and property, when developed and handled, should not bring like returns

CONTRARY to the general supposition the earth is the repository of all mineral wealth. When it is known and demonstrated beyond a question of a doubt where its wealth reposes and you put your money up to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people but creates new wealth. It is therefore an investment.

Wonderful Increase in Value of Oil Stocks.

The rapid rise in the value of shares in [illegible] companies will be seen from the following table:	Original price per share	Present Market price
Black Mountain Oil Co	$ .05	$ 1.50
Central Oil Co.	.30	1.50
Home Oil Co., Whittier	.25	2.50
Monte Cristo Co.	.10	2.50
West Shore Co.	.50	4.50
Twenty-eighth Oil Co	.50	2.50
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	.50	1.90
Sterling Oil & Development Company	.50	2.25
Dillon Oil Co	.25	2.50
Peerless Co	.30	8.62
San Joaquin Oil Co.	.50	16.00
Kern Oil Co	.35	10.00
Thirty-three Oil Co	.35	11.50
Kern River Oil Co	.50	26.00
New York Oil Co	.50	20.00
Oil City Petroleum Co	2.50	34.00
Hanford Oil Co	2.00	120.00
Kreyenhagen Oil Co	.10	350.00
Columbia Oil Co.	100.00	440.00
Union Oil Co	1.00	190.00
Home Oil co	100.00	8000.00

The time will come in the near future when stock in St. Paul and Sunset Oil Co., should bring prices equal to the last.

WE CLAIM NOTHING WE CANNOT PROVE TO BE TRUE

BRIEFLY, OUR PROPOSITION IS THIS: THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY

owns its immense tract of proven Oil Land—without a penny of incumbrance. The property is located in the most wonderful and richest oil producing section in the world, in the famous Sunset District of Kern County, California. Other Oil Companies in Kern county have paid hundreds of thousands of dollars in dividends—and today their stock cannot be bought at any price. These companies in many instances have less property, and in some cases are only lessors, not owning refinery, tanks, lines, etc.

A LIMITED AMOUNT OF THIS STOCK WILL BE SOLD AT 35c. PER SHARE, PAR VALUE $1.00.

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Help us build a Mill immediately by purchasing our One Dollar Shares, which are offered this week at 30 cents a Share as a Special Inducement to insure the speedy building of the Mill, and we will make your stock yield you an inordinate profit as quickly as the Mill can be put in operation.

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STOCK MARKETS

Two More Preferred Investments

New York, Oct. 27.—As promised in these letters a day or two ago, to take up certain preferred stocks good for investment, absolutely safe and yielding large returns, we to-day call your attention to the car and foundry preferred shares and the U. S. Steel Corporation preferred shares, both of which are paying seven per cent in quality installments, and which can be purchased quite well below par. These two stocks are intrinsically cheap, extraordinarily so, and are in our opinion absolutely certain to maintain these dividends under all and any conditions. Both concerns have a large and rapidly increasing surplus, are paying dividends upon their common shares, and are impregnable in their market situation. Time will witness both of these issues salable pretty close to 120, as is the case at present with the preferred stock of the American Sugar Refining Co., which also has frequently been below par. The falling interest rates and steadily advancing average prices for railway investments will cause in the next year or so a vast amount of money to seek investment in the shares of the preferred industrials. American Car and Foundry Co. for its last fiscal year shows net earning upon its common stock amounting to about 15 per cent. This is indeed a remarkable showing. The company was a large lender of money all through the close money period; its business has increased in one year's time fully 60 per cent. and it has enough orders on hand at present to keep it busy for fully one year to come without any additional orders. You can, in our opinion, make no mistake in purchasing either one of these stocks either speculatively or for investment.

Our special letter now ready for distribution, copy of which will be mailed you upon request, most exhaustively analyses United States Steel, devoting four pages to the subject, while on the subject of investment issues, we would also call your attention to Western Union shares. This stock has paid five per cent. for over twenty years without a miss, sells in the neighbourhood of 90 and is cheap. Its closer affiliation with the postal company since the death of Mackey makes it even more valuable than heretofore. It is not only a good investment at going prices, but likely within a year to sell closer to 110 that to its present price.

Summary.—The proverbial Blue Monday again. Stocks, however, more sluggish in movement, and prone to drift with a sagging tendency. Bears apparently more cautious, their market selling failing to dislodge long stock in any quantity. The general market opened off following the lead of London. After the delivery hour, stocks endeavored a rally, but it was fitful and as sluggish as the retrograde movement. It is doubtful if there will be any great market activity until after election day. Should the Republicans maintain control of Congress as indications now point, quite a lively buying movement should put in an appearance after that date. To buy now would be to precede the movement. Money closed last loan $1.2. Total sales, 433,300.

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—As the best farmers in this district have silos and in many places silo-filling bees are all the rage. It requires about twenty-five men and a number of teams, and in some cases more, where the fodder is a greater distance from the silo, to handle the job properly. About 120 tons is placed in an average sized silo.

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150 buys 1,000 shares
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The Property is situated in the heart of the famous Grass Valley district of California, now producing $1,000,000 in ore annually, surrounded by the world's greatest mines. More fortunes have been made in this district than in any other district in the world. Not a single failure recorded on mines sunk below 800 feet.

Dividends It is expected that dividends will begin on or about Jan. 1. This stock will undoubtedly be one of the great dividend payers of California and within twelve months will no doubt be selling above par. Where similar conditions existed property has never failed to pay big dividends.

Statements can be verified by United States survey report, or company refers to any bank in Grass Valley or Nevada City, or to any mining man who knows Grass Valley district, and courts the most searching investigation. Send for prospectus. Make all remittances payable to

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PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 28, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

St. Mark's Otonabee

The annual harvest tea of the congregation of St. Mark's, will be held on Tuesday, Nov 18th, in the Forester's Hall, Otonabee.

Have Your Piano Tuned

R. S. Shaw, piano tuner for Heintzman & Co., direct, is in the city. Parties requiring their piano tuned, please leave orders at Mr. C. B. Routley's store.

A Large Shipment

A few days ago five car loads of bacon were shipped by the George Matthews Company. The bacon is intended for England, where the Company has a large and increasing trade.

Four Boys Wanted

Four good boys wanted at The Times office—one to learn bookbinding, one to learn press work, one to carry an Ashburnham route and one as messenger in the bookstore.

Fine Lot of Cattle

Mr. H. P. Kennedy yesterday purchased about 75 head of cattle from Mr. David Conroy, who brought them down from his ranch in Harvey. The cattle weighed about eleven hundred pounds each, or a total of 8,250 pounds. They were as fine a lot as has been seen in town for some time.

Struck on the Head

While engaged in the excavation work on the sewer on Babb's Lane, Mr. John Cousins met with a painful accident yesterday morning. He was down in the trench, when a large pipe rolled in, striking him on the head and inflicting a bad cut. He was attended by Dr. Pigeon, who addressed the wound, and Mr. Cousins, with his well-known vitality, returned immediately to work.

St. John's Dedication Festival

The Dedication Festival will be held on Sunday next. Among the events in connection with the occasion will be a Young People's Social on Monday evening next, to be arranged for at a meeting of young men tomorrow evening. On Tuesday evening, Nov. 4th, a Turkish Social will be given, a feature of which will be an address on "Turkey," given by Rev. Mr. Brooks, formerly Chaplain to the British embassy at Constantinople.

Severe Electric Shock

While working the elevator in Mr. Fair's store on Saturday evening, a clerk named Elliott received a severe eletric shock. It appears the young man caught a live wire with one hand and named Elliott received a severe electric tor in the other, thus creating a circuit. He was doubled up and his moans brought assistance. There was no serious injury, however, and the young man is now at work as usual.

The Agonizing Pains of Rheumatism

Swollen, aching joints, muscles are stiff and sore, every movement accompanied by pain. The most potent remedy is Polson's Nerviline, which has five times the pain-subduing power of any other preparation. Apply the Nerviline copiously, rub it on well and then bind in a hot flannel bandage. This will cure the worst cases in a short time. Try Nerviline for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica or Lumbago—it's all right and only costs a quarter.

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Remember the place, north window Times Bookstore for a few days only.

Carrier Pigeons

Mr. Harold Snowden has about thirty carrier pigeons with which he is making very successful experiments. One of his birds, No. 4, has a splendid record, having made a flight from Belleville and three from Lakefield. It is Mr. Snowden's intention to send No. 4, and No. 58 back to Parry Sound, with a party of hunters. The distance is over two hundred miles as the crow flies, and it is his opinion that the birds can make the journey. He will also send pigeons to Eagle Lake. They proved a very effectual means of communication last year.

An Interesting Case

The manager of the 48th Highlanders Band, of Toronto, has entered an action against the Cobourg committee who had charge of the Old Boys' celebration in August last to recover $125 claimed to have been guaranteed for expenses. The band was entered to play at the tournament, and won second money, which no doubt helped to make the manager sore, and to get even he entered the suit. A defence was filed on Tuesday, and no doubt the case will be very interesting when it comes up for trial in December. The Post says that the committee guaranteed nothing.

Meat May be Cheaper

Everyone will be pleased to know that while coal is dear the prospects for cheaper beef are bright. The west and our own province are marketing thousands of fat cattle in earnest. The supply has outrun the demand, and everything points to the downfall of high prices. Deliveries of live stock at the Toronto stock yards for the last month have been the largest since their inception. About 300 car loads of all kinds of stock were delivered. The natural consequence is that beef cattle are cheaper and lambs are so cheap that every one in Toronto who is a lover of chops, may get them at a very reasonable price. It is hoped this wave will strike Peterborough.

Soot is the Trouble

When householders begin to burn soft coal in the furnaces or base-burners, as they may have to do, there is one element of danger to be guarded against, viz., the heavy deposit of soot in the flumes. This soot, unless it is swept out at stated intervals, will accumulate, and being inflammable, would be liable to ignite and produce a fierce fire in the chimney, with a consequent risk to the dwelling. It sometimes happens that the ends of rafters and beams are, by careless or ignorant contractors allowed to project into the chimney flues. These might become ignited and carry fire to the interior of the house. There is a further danger that the shower of sparks from a burning chimney would ignite the shingle roof. These risks may be obviated by sweeping the chimney, say once in two months.

Some Results of Impure Blood

A blotched, pimply, disfigured face feeling of exhaustion, wracked nerves, headache and a dull brain. The proper cure is one Ferrozone Tablet after each meal. Ferrozone clears and beautifies the complexion by making rich, pure blood. It restores the enfeebled brain and unstrung nerves to a healthy, vigorous condition. It invigorates all the physical and mental powers, and brings strength and ambition to the the depressed. Refuse a substitute for Ferrozone—it's the best tonic, rebuilder and invigorator known. Price 50c., at Druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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We bespeak for the firm a liberal patronage from Canada.

JUDGE EDMINSON'S PROMOTION

Has Been Made Local Judge of the High Court of Justice

His Honor Judge Edmison has been gazetted local Judge of the High Court of Justice of Ontario. Some time ago Mr. Edmison was made Judge of the County Court of Peterborough County, Judge of the Surrogate Court and also local master of the High Court. These appointments are all pro tem during the leave of absence of His Honor Judge Weller. The Times joins Judge Edmison's many friends in extending congratulations.

WITH INTENT TO KILL

Murderous Assault by a Chinese Laundry man

At the Police Court yesterday Hop Sing, a Chinaman of the Simcoe street laundry, was charged with assault with attempt to kill. It seems that a man called for his laundry which was not forthcoming and in trouble ensuing Hop Sing made a vicious assault on him.

In the absence of His Worship Magistrate Dumble, Mr. J. Stevenson, J. P., remanded the prisoner until this morning.

The Chinaman, as near as can be made out of him, says it was in self-defence, but will be given a chance to clear himself today.

THE GREEN EYED MONSTER.

The Cobourg People are not Favorable to Mr. Culverwell

The following from the Cobourg Post shows that our contemporary has a severe attact of the green eyed monster. That Peterborough should be prefegred to Cobourg by Mr. Culverwell's prospective industries is only natural, considering our many natural advantages. Here is what the Post says:

"Mr Culverwell, the gentleman who visited Cobourg some months ago and talked so encouragingly of introducing electric power from Burleigh Falls, has not been heard of for some time. Perhaps he is too busy booming Peterboro, and has no time to look after such small fry as Port Hope and Cobourg. There were many in Cobourg at the time of his visit who had but little faith in the scheme, and we regret to learn that there are many more now who have become converts to that belief. Mr. Culverwell has frequently announced that he has secured the necessary capital, but it now looks as if the subscribers to the enterprise "have a string" on their money. It will soon be up to some other party to "promote" another power scheme.

—No matter how you look at it, this coal business looks black.

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Applications for stock should be made as quickly as possible, as the chances are that it will be all taken up before many days. Read the advertisement for yourselves.

THE LATE MR. D. E. EVANS

Demise of One of Peterborough's Oldest Inhabitants

There passed away on Sunday last at the family residence, 44 Paterson st., Mr. Enos D. Evans, one of Peterborough's oldest and most respected inhabitants. The deceased was a native of Western Ontario, but has resided in Peterborough for about 57 years. He was a carpenter by trade and was prominently associated with the building of All Saint's church. The deceased was a member of the Church of England, and in politics was a Conservative. He leaves to mourn his demise a wife and six sons and four daughters. The sons are Messrs James T., of Copper Cliff; Walter Henry, Wallace and George, of town; and Russell, of Niagara Falls. The daughters are Mrs. William White, Mrs. George Young, and Mrs. Pentland Alexander of town, and Mrs. Fred Adams, of Guelph.

The funeral will take place from the family residence at three o'clock this afternoon and proceed to the Little Lake cemetery for interment.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature either by phone or in writing.—[ED. TIMES]

—Mrs. A. W. Cressman is in Toronto today.

—Mr. Robert Fair is in Toronto for a couple of days.

—Miss Nellie Young, Young's Point, left for Denver, Colo. last night.

—Mr. James Linton, Orono, passed through town yesterday on his way to Lakefield.

—Mrs. R. W. Ray, nee Miss Laura Craig, will be at home to her friends on Wednesday afternoon and evening and Thursday afternoon of this week at 191 King street.

—Mrs. C. B. McAllister is in Toronto, and will return on Friday morning, accompanied by Miss Morris, daughter of the late Sheriff Morris, of Pembroke, Mrs. McAllister will receive Friday as usual.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—It is said that a strike is threatened in one of the local millinery establishments.

—A couple of second hand coal stoves for sale cheap. Apply at The Times Bookstore.

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—A look in the north window of the Times Bookstore will be of special interest to the public balance of this week.

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—The reports from the coal carrying roads are of such an encouraging character that citizens are warranted in believing that before many days they will be able to purchase fuel from the anthracite fields at the prices prevailing last spring.

—Mr. Will Kearney an employee of the Peterborough Lock Co., had a piece chopped from the middle finger of his right hand yesterday morning by a drop hammer. It is a very painful injury and he will not be able to work again for some time.

—On Sunday last a team of horses, driven by Mr. Lee Fadis town, while tied in front of the Craig House, at Lakefield, broke loose and ran away. The whiffletrees were broken, and the rig otherwise damaged. The party borrowed another set of whiffletrees and were able to reach home.

—The Ontario Bank's branch at the corner of Yonge and Carlton streets, in Toronto has been opened this week, under the management of Mr. G. G. Adam; and a branch has been opened in Collingwood, under the management of Mr. James Morris, formerly at Peterborough.

—The Grand Trunk Railway Company has leased the old Parliament grounds west of the Union Station, Toronto, for a term of twenty-one years at a rental varying from $6,000 to $7,000 per year, with the option to purchase at the expiration of a certain term. The company will use the site for freight sheds and yards, and will possibly build ultimately a new passenger station.

—In view of the referendum in December the following figures are of interest—In the Ontario plebiscite on 1894 there were 192,489 votes cast for prohibition and 110,489 against. In 1898, with 676,784 names on the list there were 154,498 votes cast for prohibition and 115,275 against, a decline in the prohibition vote of 37,990 and an increase in the anti-vote of 4,865. In 1894 there were 14,000 votes cast by women and women cannot vote on December 4. In the Ontario general elections of November, 1898, there were in all 436,083 votes cast. It would take 213,439 of these to carry prohibition in December.

Corporation Light

Now that Peterborough is in possession of a dam of its own, whereby power may be developed to furnish electric light, the following is of special interest: "Brockville at least, seems to have profited by municipalization of its lighting plant. Two years ago the plant was acquired by the municipality. As the year draws to a close the commissioners find that in addition to providing for the annual payment on the debenture debt, both for purchase and improvements, they can reduce the price of fuel gas from $1.25 to $1, and [illegible] in the face of coal at $8 a ton."

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3	37 1-2 in.	12 in.	$19.20
4	41 in.	15 in.	$23.80

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When filling the stove always shut the draught door at the bottom.

Keep the small opening in the back pipe closed except when cleaning.

Clean the back pipe every two weeks.

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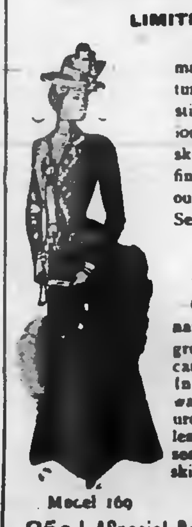

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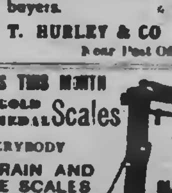

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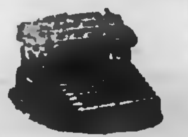

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Chamberlain's Visit to South Africa will Enhance His Reputation

Special to The Times.

Vienna Oct. 28—Neue Freie Presse says that the journey to South Africa, about to be undertaken by Mr. Chamberlain, British Colonial Secretary, is of much importance, which will not only fortify Chamberlain's position and enhance his reputation as a politician, but will also be of the greatest advantage to Great Britain. For some time there has been a complete revolution of opinion in many parts of the Continent in regard to Chamberlain, who was once the object of general execration, but since peace in South Africa, has been almost popular.

RUSSIAN COMPANIES FAIL.

Odessa, Oct. 28—In consequence of the discontinuance of the Government subsidy the Black Sea & Danube Company has decided to sell its entire fleet of twelve ships. No dividend has been paid since the formation of this company. This is the second Russian steamship company plying in the Black Sea which has been forced to liquidate in eighteen months, mainly owing to bad management.

CONSUMPTION OF TOBACCO.

Paris, Oct. 28.—The consumption of tobacco is increasing in France. About 26,000,000 pounds were sold in 1817; 32,000,000 pounds in 1826; 60,000,000 pounds in 1876, and 81,000,000 pounds in 1900. The average per head is now 1 3-4 pounds, which is exceeded in Belgium, Holland, Spain, Germany, Austria, Hungary, Denmark and Norway, but exceeds the average in Turkey, Bulgaria and Greece.

ABUSIVE ARTICLE BY O'BRIEN.

London, Oct. 28—The Irish People, a paper owned by William O'Brien M.P., refers abusively in an article quoted in a telegram from Dublin, to the welcome to the Earl of Dudley, new Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland, at Connemara. The paper says that the habit of presenting "whinning addresses" to "every wretched creature of ascendency" who come among them must have struck Lord Dudley as a proof of how men can be transmuted into slaves under conditions favorable to the growth of slavery. The Irish People deplores the fact that the Lord-Lietenant can travel through a "place most foully branded with English misrule without hearing a word of truth as to what the people think of him."

ARE RESIGNED TO SEPARATION.

Paris, Oct. 28—A representative of The Gaulois has interviewed a number of protestant pastors and Jewish rabbis in regard to the proposed separation of the Church and State. All expressed themselves as either in favor of or resigned to the step.

FORTIFICATIONS OF PARIS.

Paris, Oct. 28—Parliamentary Credits Committee has accepted the scheme for setting back the Northern and Eastern portions of the fortifications of Paris at a cost of $10,000,000. The sites of the present fortifications will, it is estimated, produce $20,000,000.

WORSHIPPING FATHER JOHN.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 28—Ignorance and religious fanaticism of Russian peasantry are illustrated by the peasants' almost blasphemous veneration of the famous Father John of Kronstadt, which exists much against his will. Recently a peasant of Kostroma wrote a hymn in Father John's honor, placing him almost on an equality with the Trinity.

Father John wrote a severe rebuke but it was not effective, whereupon he was compelled to visit Kostroma. There are cases of peasants openly maintaining that Father John is Jesus Christ reincarnated. Portraits of Father John are frequently used as images and venerated

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Ottawa, Oct. 28.—It is learned at the Indian Department that there is no truth in the reports sent out from Helena, Mont., alleging that Canadian officials had sent into the United States Canadian Indians suffering from smallpox. The Indians concerned were American Indians, and, according to the information supplied by the United States Indian police, they had been put across the boundary into Canada upon the order of Major Monteith, a United States Indian agent, who also give instructions that they were not to be allowed to recross, not because they were Canadian Indians, but because they did not belong to his —Monteith's—reservation.

Cared for by Canadians.

On October 8th the Canadian officials were notified that United States Indians, suffering from smallpox had crossed the boundary, and the Canadian Mounted Police were at once sent to the camp. Some of the Indians could not at the time be moved without endangering their lives, so the band was quarantined, food sent to them, and medical attendance provided.

When the physician in charge reported the Indians were fit to be moved across the line, Major Monteith, the United States agent whom the Indian police had ordered to make the deportation, was requested to make arrangements for receiving them.

He refused to receive them, saying: "I shall resist by any and all means the putting upon this reservation of any Indians affected with smallpox who do not belong here."

He further suggested that if the Canadian police desired to cross the Indians into the United States they would have to take them beyond where the eastern boundary of his reservation intersects the international boundary line and cross them at that point. Later he telegraphed: "The Indians are not Piegans. I will not allow them in Blackfoot reservation."

An American's Queer Ideas.

It htus appears that the United States agent deported these unfortunate Indians, although they were American Indians, simply because they did not belong to his particular reservation. The Canadian police, on the other hand, provided them with food and medical attendance, although they had no claim upon Canada.

The Indians were Assiniboines on 60 days' pass from the United States Belknap agency. It is customary for Indians from the United States and Canada to interchange visits, but the United States medical authorities should have taken every possible means to prevent such a visit wehn smallpox was pereva-lent.

Panama, Colombia, Oct. 27— The Colombia cruiser Bogota—formerly the British steamer Cutch, and later the Jessie Banning, arrived here today from San Francisco, October 7. Captain H. H Marmaduke, her commander, informed the correspondent of the Associated Press that the vessel made a slow trip because the crew was exercised at target practice all the way down the coast. She stopped at Madgalena Bay for about 30 hours to lighten parts of her engine and for target practice. The Bogota made very good time after taking the outside course and reached here in fine condition, with no sickness on board and ready for action.

Soon after the Bogota's officers had landed they were shown the fortifications and sights of the city. Captain Marmaduke visited Generals Perdomo and Salazar, who welcomed him most cordially.

The Columbian gunboats Chicuito and Clapet are under the orders of Captain Marmaduke, who, as chief commander, will have charge of the Colombian fleet, which he will reorganize.

Montreal, Oct. 28—Mr. Willard R. Green of New York, the representative in America of the English Marconi Company, is here for the purpos eof completing the organization of the Marconi Company for Canada. He said:-

"The company will do a trans-Atlantic business with England and other countries, and also an inland telegraph business throughout the Dominion, Newfoundland and Nova Scotia. The long distance station at Cape Breton is now practically finished and ready. This station has been constructed at a cost of approximately $100,000. This station will belong to the Canadian company, and will be used for long distance business and oceanic business. Other inland stations will be built for inland business These cost much less, depending upon distance of operation, and varying from one thousand dollars to twenty-five thousand dollars each."

"Has overland transmission been demonstrated?"

"Yes. Within the past few months messages have been sent from stations on the west coast of England to various points in Denmark, Germany and Russia. During the festivities at the time of the visit of the King of Italyto the Czar, communications were sent from England to St. Petersburg and courtesies exchanged. These messages, as will be seen wer esent across the widest portion of the South of England, across Denmark and Sweden and the intervening bodies of water. This was over a route supposed to present exceptional difficulties if there are any, since it is not only across large bodies of land, over various great cities, including London, where powerful electric currents are constantly being generated and liberated, but also including various ranges of mountains and hills. This theoretically is the most difficult task conceivable. Messages have alse been sent between England and Mediterranean points, including a point near Rome. This of course, was done at noo jump across the entire intervening continent of Europe, including the Alps Mountains."

FELL IN LOVE WITH SOLDIER.

London, Ont. Oct. 28—"See that young fellow there," said a gentleman yesterday to a reporter, pointing to a fine stalwart chap who was walking along the street. "Well, he's carrying around him the symbol of a pretty little romance. If he were to roll his sleeve back on his arm you would see a magnificent gold bracelet studded with diamonds on it. He was one of the boys who went from this city to South Africa to fight in the late war. While he was down there a Boer girl fell in love with him. She was the daughter of a rich Boer, and when he was leaving she took a bracelet off her arm and put it on his asking him to leave it there until she could take it off again. He promised, and left her, never thinking, no doubt, that he would ever see her again.

"But now I understand that he has just heard from her father, who says that he is coming to Canada, and if it's the country he thinks it is, he'll probably settle in this country."

Berlin, Ont, Oct. 28—At the Police Court this afternoon, before Police Magistrate Blake, Messrs. Brikert and Zien, two of the Krug strikers were each fined $10 and costs for besetting the factory of Mr. Mr. Krug, of Berlin. The evidence went to show that these gentlemen had interfered with some of the Krug employees, while on their way to and from their work. The interference was of such a nature as to intimidate the workmen, and they were afraid of being injured by the strikers mentioned.

Police Mailstrate Blake said in the concluding remarks of his address that he proposed to make an example of these men by imposing a fine in order to establish a reverence for the law, which clearly sets forth that every workman shall be protected from interference or insult when going to and from his lawful calling. The simple fact of a man, or a number of men, walking on a certain street for days consecutively, at stated hours, and observing certain premises does not in the estimation of Mr. Blake constitute a breach of the law But the moment any threats are made, the person making such threats renders himself liable under the "Act."

Law Cannot Reach Food Fraud

The Adulterators Can be Punished Only if the Consumer Dies

Ottawa, Oct. 28—The attention of the Minister of Inland Revenue was this morning drawn to a report of Dr. Laberge, health officer of Montreal,, in which it is stated that large quantities of imported foods are exposed for sale which are adulterated with injurious substances. Out of 24 samples of tomato catsup and jams examined by the Montreal city anaylst, 12 were of American origin and were all condemned. Ten of the Canadian brands were similarly condemned, only two being found free from deleterious matter.

Hon Mr. Bernier said, "I have not yet seen the report you refer to, but on the matter being submitted the department will give it due attention. We have a staff of analyists and are trying to cope with the evil of adulterated foods, but even after a case has been submitted to the courts, it is almost impossible to secure a conviction. The manufacturers show that the article in question has been on sale perhaps, for years, so that unless we can bring forward witnesses who actually suffered by its use, the time spent in prosecution is usually thrown away. It amounts to this, that under the interpretation the magistrates put upon the law we would have to poison an individual to convince the court that the food is injurious. They will not take the analyst's word for it alone. In this way the analyst's branch of the Inland Revenue Department is made of extremely small value. But I am looking into the subject to see if the difficulty cannot be overcome.

"The public deserves this protection in the matter of food products and we must be able to punish those who break the law by placing injurious foods upon the market."

THE KAISER AND THE BOER GENERALS

The Generals Must Approach the Emperor as British Subjects if at all

Berlin, Oct. 28.—It is evident that public sentiment does not altogether approve of the Kaiser's attitude toward the Boer generals. Up to a few days ago it was generally believed that the Emperor had expressed a wish to receive the three great heroes of the Boer cause at his court. It is now known that the Kaiser's stand in the matter is strictly neutral. His Majesty does not wish to offend public opinion in either Germany or England.

If the Boer generals come to Berlin as subjects of King Edward, and are introduced in the usual manner by the British Ambassador, the Emperor will give them a cordial reception. It is reported from Brussels that the main object of the generals in seeking an interview with the Kaiser is to increase their chances of raising large subscriptions throughout Germany in aid of exiled Boer families who are eager to return to the Transvaal and the Orange Free State and establish their ruined fallths.

Accordingly a member of the Emperor's Government is said to have sent to Brussels an unofficial intimation that the Kaiser will gladly set an example to the German people by making a generous personal contribution. It is thought here that this contribution will be considerably larger, and have a wider influence, if the generals sink their personal pride and present themselves here through the offices of the British Embassy, thus sparing the Emperor all embarrassment on diplomatic ground, than it would if De Wet and his comrades could stand on their dignity and keep out of Germany.

However, the cause of the Boer families is not likely to suffer in Germany through lack proper representation. It is a German publisher who has purchased all rights in General De Wet's History of the South African War, and paid therefor the handsome sum of $50,000.

HARD COAL NOW COMING

PETERBOROUGH WILL PROBABLY GET SOME SOON

Hard Coal Has Dropped in Toronto but $15 is still Asked for it in Peterborough—Will soon Take a Tumble

There is no change in the fuel market as far as Peterborough is concerned, the only hard coal for sale here being that of the McClellan Coal Company, who are still selling it at $15 per ton. In Toronto yesterday the price dropped for soft coal to $7 per ton.

The general opinion among dealers in Toronto is that anthracite will not be selling lower that $8 per ton for some time. Since April, when it sold at $6.50, the mining operators have added $1 per ton to the price. Lake rates at present are $1 per ton as against the usual rate of 25 cents, so that the price is expected to be sustained for some time.

A considerable quantity of anthracite is now on its way to Canada, but it will be some little time before any of it reaches Peterborough, as Toronto and other cities are presumed to have the first call. Small quantities will doubtless soon be coming in, when the price will drop.

OUTBREAK OF DIPHTHERIA

Child of Christian Scientist Died Without Medical Attendance

Port Hope, Oct. 28—Much alarm is felt here over what appears now to be a serious fight with diphtheria, the disease having a hold on different parts of the town. The worry to the inhabitants has been increased through Christian Science, as a child of one of its followers, Edward Long, died from the disease without a doctor having been called in, while his brothers were allowed to play with the other children on the street. The indignation of the people was increased when the father and another child appeared on the main street this morning. A coroner's inquest will be held to-morrow. The Board of Health will also take immediate action in the matter. One of the schools has been closed and the others will probably be but slimly attended.

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Dr. Hamilton's Pills Cure Constipation.

Powerful Warships

London, October 27— The British Admiralty has given out contracts for the construction of three warships described as "scouts." They will have a speed of 25 1-4 knots when in fighting trim, their engines will be of 17,000 horse power, and their sea-going qualities will be superior to those of the torpedo boat destroyers.

TYPHOID FEVER NOW CURED BY SURGERY

A Paris Surgeon Performed a Novel and Successful Operation

EVERYTHIND ELSE HAD FAILED

A New Field for the Scientist in the Treatment of This Disease

Paris, October 28.—Typhoid fever has been cured by an operation. A Paris surgeon has just brought a patient out of a seemingly hopeless case of the disease and the method by which he did it constitutes a distinct achievement in curative science.

Dr. J. S. Dauriac, an eminent practitioner of Paris, resorted to surgery as a last remedy in a case which had been given up. The patient, a young man of 17 years, is now in full possession of his health.

While the physician was convinced that the intestines could be cleaned antiseptically and the inflammation thus reduced, he would not have undertaken the dangerous operation if the father of the young man had not urged it and if it had not been that the patient was doomed, and if it had not been apparent that he could live but a few days.

The fever had followed its course for twenty days and the case was seen to be hopelessly. The father, seeing the hopelessness of his son's condition, urged the physician to perform the operation as a last measure, and it was decided to undertake it.

An incision about the length of the index finger was made in the left side, about two and a quarter inches inside the forward and upper iliac spine, into the peritoneum. This incision was just sufficient to allow the physician to take hold of the small intestine and draw it out. Alittle shield was attached in the peritoneum, and in the deeper points of the incision, with the convex side toward the smaller intestine, and this shield fastened by catgut. The intestinal tumor was then opened and cleaned out and the edges tied to the skin. The wound was then closed up minutely and protected all around the mouth of the intestine by sterilized cotton, covered by a thick layer of iodoformed collodion.

Afterward a Nelation tube in flexible rubber was introduced and the drainage of infected matter from the intestines facilitated by the employment of boiled water slightly cooled and salted. At the end of the second day the water thus used seemed to be free from infected manner. From the first day there was a noticeable improvement in the patient's condition. His temperature steadily decreased and three days after the operation it was lower than it had been at any time since the beginning of the illness.

The physician then did not hesitate to give his patient more or less solid food, beginning with thick vermicelli soup, then noodles and fine macaroni cooked in water. Seven days afterward the invalid ate an egg, followed by a lamb chop. From that time on the recuperation was extremely rapid, and the young man to-day is enjoying perfect health.

In describing the details of the operation Dr. Durlac said that probably many American physicians had realized the possibility of resorting to surgery in the treatment of typhoid cases and a relation of this operation might prove interesting to them.

"I was careful to select a point of the intestine sufficiently removed from the ileocaecal valve to avoid the center of the ulceration," said the physician "and not too much above the jujunum to interfere with nutrition. I was guided in the operation by the ecchymose aspect presented in spots by the exterior surface of the small intestine the nearer I approached the largest of the intestines."

The achievement of the Paris physician is greeted by men of his profession in that city as one of the memorable surgical achievements of the year.

BEATEN BY STRIKERS

Two Men Suspected of Working During Strike Nearly Killed

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct 28 Two strikers, who were suspected by their fellow-countrymen of having worked as non-union men were terribly beaten today and one is in a dangerous condition.

Anthony Jelinski came back to this region and said he had been working in the soft coal fields. Several believed he worked in the lower end of the coal strike district, and this morning he was terribly beaten. The physicians say his recovery is doubtful. Four of his assailants are under arrest; three are still free.

Stanley Mecally who told the same story as Jelinsky, was enticed into a little tailor shop by six men and cross examined as to his movements since the strike began. They were not satisfied with his answers. He was stripped and held upon a table and beaten with rubber hose until he was covered with welts and bruises. The six men were arrested and jailed.

JUMPED IN FRONT OF TRAIN

Former Peterborough Man's Desperate Attempt to Commit Suicide

In our telegraphic news yesterday mention is made of a terrible accident which befell Mr. Wm. J. Stump at Cobourg on Sunday afternoon. We were informed that Mr. Stump has been residing at Cobourg for some time, engaged in taking orders for enlarging pictures, and that he had been drinking rather heavily. When in Cobourg he made his stopping place the hotel near the G. T. R. station Shortly after dinner on Sunday he tried to end his life by attempting to hang himself. He was discovered in the act, and about half an hour later, seeing the Intercolonial flyer coming, he ran and threw himself in front of the engine, receivin gterrible injuries, from which he may not recover. He was taken to Toronto on the regular train leaving Cobourg at 3.45, and was conveyed to the General hospital, where his legs were amputated. In addition to his legs being mangled he was terribly cut and bruised about the face and head.

Mr. Stump is a former resident of Peterborough, having been engaged here as clerk in the Palace hotel, when Mr. Joseph Armstrong was proprietor. While in Lindsay he was married to a Miss Reynolds. While in Peterborough he boarded at the Oxford hotel.

WILL BE TROUBLE WITH DOUKHOBORS

Mr. John Wallis Says That They are a Dangerous Element

UNDESIRABLE CHARACTERISTICS

All That is Needed to Make Anarchists of the Entire Crew is a Leader

Mr. John Wallis, who has just returned rfom the Northwest, in speaking of the Doukhobors, gave The Times his opinion regarding these peculiar people. He resided for some time in close proximity to them.

"We never know what they are going to do next," he continued. "I am afraid that some day one of them with more power of leading his fellow men than the rest, will rise up and declare himself inspired of God, and in the midst of his fanaticism will excite them to do some damage. It is not a very comfortable feeling to be aware that there is a whole army of foreign fanatics within a few miles of one's house, if they were but steady in their beliefs they would be tolerated, but they have shown themselves to be most erratic, and any move on their part now would not be surprising, after their peculiar actions of late. They refuse to conform to the laws of the Dominion, a thing that no other foreigner does. They refuse to settle on their own land, and as soon as this country is anything like settled, what will they do?"

BOTHERSOME WORKMEN.

"Did you ever have any trouble with them?" queried the reporter.

"No; I cannot say that I have," he answered, "for I never went near them. I hired a couple once, and they were good workmen, strong and ablebodied. Their physical condition, beyond being a little dirty, was all right, but their actions even when employed are most annoying. At the close of each day they wanted their pay and refused bills, demanding silver in every instance. They are suspicious and scheming. When they thought I had to rely on them for my labor they tried to raise the rate of wages, refusing to proceed in the middle of a job, so I dropped them off and since then have nothing to do with them."

COMMOTION AMONG THEM.

"Did they attempt to march on Yorkton?" was the next question.

"I don't know," he answered. "On several occasions they have moved about mysteriously, and commotions among them are frequent. They are a curious people and their only use, as far as I can see, is as subjects for a psychological student, and if the government wants to propogate that line of research it should put them nearer the large centres of population where their habits can be watched.

"Are they good farmers?"

"In this country there are farms with dozens of horses and many heavy implements, and how can the Doukhobors expect to compete with these farmers by utilizing no power except that of their own muscles. The government will certainly be accomplishing much if they can improve the country with these people who will produce barely a sufficiency for their own existence."

NO SOLUTION.

"Are they in good financial circumstances now?" was then asked.

"I believe so," said Mr. Wallis, "but there is no knowing. None cannier than the Doukhobors exist and the difficulty of approaching them is one of their chief drawbacks. They can feign stupidity better than any other foreigner that I ever had dealings with. A solution to the question regarding the disposing of either the sect or its fanacticism will be hard to get at and it will take a wise head to even suggest a practical solution."

IRISH ENVOYS WOULD LIKE TO ARBITRATE

They Desire an Opportunity to Settle Ireland's Troubles as the Coal Strike was Settled

New York, Oct. 28.—Carnegie Hall was filled last night at a public reception to the Irish envoys, Redmond, Davitt, Dillon and Blake. Bourke Cockran, who presided, made an appeal to swell the Irish parliamentary fund. Ushers who went among the audience returned with baskets heaped with five, ten and twenty dollar notes. There were several hundred dollar bills collected.

John E. Milholland and Bourke Cockran gave $1,000 each. About nine thousand dollars altogether was collected.

Mr. Redmond was received with great cheering. He said that he and the other envoys appeared before the people of America on behalf of united Ireland. "There is great need," he said "of encouragement from the people of this country for those who are struggling against the tyranny of England in Ireland There is a conspiracy between the English Government and the Irish landlords to crush the movement of the United Irish League. It is the most formidable conspiracy that has faced the Irish people for many years. We would like to settle the trouble between the landlords and the tenant at home in the way the coal strike has been settled here, that is, by arbitration. But the landlords won't arbitrate. We want the British Government to compel them to do so."

Mr. Dillon said that England was now engaged in committing against the people the greatest crime she ever was guilty of, with the exception of that against the Boers. We have not overthrown the British Government by our work in Parliament, he said, but we have shown the civilized world we are not willing subjects to British rule. The British House Parliament is now absolutely incapable of governing the British Empire.

Mr. Davitt said the British Parliament violates its own constitution in trying to suppress the Irish members, but all in vain.

Mr. Dillon will then proceed to Canada with Mr. Blake, and speak in Toronto, Ottawa, and Montreal, returning to Washington to speak there on December 7, and sailing for Ireland two days later.

WILL NOT ACCEPT FAVORS FROM EITHER SIDE

To Arbitrate, Not Inspect--Operators Find Coal Commission will More Than Investigate

Washington, Oct. 27—The first meeting of the coal strike commission was held this afternoon and the work before them outlined. The fairness of its members was noticeable from the outset, and it is significant that they refused to place themselves under obligation to either party, although the mine owners offered every facility, and proposed to provide for their comfort and convenience.

Judge Gray, president of the commission, said they would first receive the statements of the miners, who might be regarded as prosecutors. The other side could then reply. President Mitchell read the demands adopted by the Shamokin convention, the rejection of which resulted in the strike.

Objection to Mr. Mitchell as a representative of the union was taken by President Baer, the chief operator, Mr. Mitchell said he simply represented the anthracite workers.

It was agreed that Mr. Mitchell should file with the commission next Monday a detailed statement off the claims of the miners. The statement he read today was a preliminary statement of the case. The representatives of the operators announced that they would file an answer to this statement of Mr. Mitchell on Monday, or within three days of that time. It was suggested that each side to the controversy appoint an expert to go through the books of the coal companies to secure data upon which to work, but President Baer and other representatives of companies immediately objected and suggested that they would furnish whatever information the commission needed. This question precipitated a long discussion, in which the coal presidents and the miners' representatives took part.

Before adjourning it was decided that the operators shall submit sworn statements as to their pay rolls, etc., and that Mr. Mitchell shall have an opportunity of verifying them through the miners, if discrepancies wer found it was agreed that the commission shall appoint an auditor whose findings shall govern the commission.

SLIDING SCALE.

Mr. Baer said he would contend for a sliding scale in the regulation of wages.

"I shall urge the adoption of that profit sharing plan which gave us peace formerly in our realtion to our employes" he said.

Mr. Thomas of the Pennsylvania Coal Company, objected to the word arbitration being applied to the work of the commission. It was only an investigation. Judge Gray said the President's instructions settled it as an arbitration.

One of the commission suggested that the mines be visited. Mr. Baer fell in with the idea, as did Mr. Mitchell, who thought the homes of the miners should also be visited.

BEGIN INSPECTION.

After consulting the members of the commission President Gray announced that it would begin its inspection next Thursday, commencing its work in district No. 1, in which the City of Scranton is located. While the subject was up Mr. Baer said that the mine operators would furnish all facilities at their command to enable the commission to make its investigation thorough adding that they would place a special train at the disposal of the commission, providing also for the accommodation of a representative of the miners. The public meeting of the commission then came to a close, and the commissioners retired for the purpose of private consultation. They first took up the question which had been raised by the proffer of a special train by Mr. Baer, and unanimously decided not to accept the train. The exchange of views brought out the fact that the commissioners expect personally to pay all their expenses, accepting no favors, and relying on the Government to reimburse them if so desired.

A BRAVE ACT RECOGNIZED

Royal Humane Society's Medal Awarded Miss Hay

Miss Isabel Hay, daughter of Mr. T. A. S. Hay, town, has been awarded the medal of the Royal Humane Society. The act of heroism for which this honor has been awarded to her occurred at Chemong Park, on August 18th last. Miss Hay, in company with other ladies was bathing, in the lake, when she and Miss Maud Allen, of Toronto, swam out for a considerable distance. Suddenly Miss Allen became unconscious and disappeared beneath the water. Miss Hay swam to her and diving brought her to the surface, and finally to the shore. To do this she had to swim with her burden a distance of sixty-five yards, as testified by Mr. W. Bell of Chemong, who witnessed the rescue and helped materially to resuscitate Miss Allen. The girls were several times under water and the fact that a strong breeze was blowing and there was consequently considerable sea made the rescue all the more heroic. It was a very plucky feat for the young lady to perform, and it has been fittingly recognized by the award of the Humane Society's medal, an honor which is the more valuable because it is given so sparingly and only when found after strict investigation to be thoroughly earned.

CENTRAL CHARITY BOARD

Met Monday Night and Transacted Business

A meeting of the Charity Board was held Monday night with the following in attendance. Messrs. Innes, McColl, Mollain, Fowler, Aldridge, Miller, Rush, Batten, Sawers and Kemp.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

The statement of orders was presented, which was as follows:

	Since last month.	During 1902
Groceries	$48 75	$521 85
Wood	16 00	264 93
Tickets		69 20
Sundries	6 75	33 03
J. Evans (Oct. 31)	15 00	48 00
Total	$86 50	$1,018 00

The following accounts were presented: N. Routley, $5.25; Gordon & Kennedy, $3.00; Little Lake Cemetery Co., $4.50; A. McDonald, $12.00; R. H. Hunter, $6.00; P. Connal & Son, $3; J. Sutherland, $3.00; J. T. Braund, $2.00; Mrs. Wainwright, $1.00; Waller & Co., $3.00; P. Connal & Son, $6.00; Curran & Goheen, $3.00; R. C. Braund, $2.50.

It was moved by Mr. Sawers, seconded by Mr. Rush, that the accounts be paid.—Carried.

The Relief Officer said he had received a letter from W. Sangster and he had arrived in England all right.

It was moved by Mr. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Batten, thatt he account of Ormond & Walsh for $11.25, for anti-toxine furnished for children to children's shelter, be paid by the Board.—Carried.

Meeting adjourned until last Monday in November.

OPERATION ON DR. LAPONI.

Rome, Oct. 28— The operation on Dr. Lapponi, the Pope's private physician, whi is suffering from appendicitis, was successfully performed by Dr. Mazzoni, who operated on the Pope for a cyst about two years ago. The Pope, who was very anxious, was informed of the result by telephone and begged Dr. Mazzoni to go to him personally in order that he might hear more precise details.

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A RUSSIAN TYRANT

The Czar of Russia has appointed Gen. Wahl as assistant Minister of the Interior. Wahl was the tyrant who narrowly escaped assassination at Vilna. He arrested two hundred persons in a theatre. During the performance seditious proclamations were showered upon the audience from the gallery, and two hundred men were taken into custody as they left the theatre. Gen. Wahl flogged the lot. For this he was shot at at a public function, and many persons were sorry that he escaped. While he was Governor of Vilna he allowed no street gatherings of any kind, and many laborers and students were whipped by his directions. Certain Polish priests were forbidden to preach, and he even went so far as to close the Roman Catholic churches. As Minister of the Interior he will have full fling to flog.

OPENING UP SOUTH AFRICA

Among other land questions in South Africa there is one concerning large areas of the Zulu territory, which will have to be settled soon. When this territory was annexed it was stipulated by the Imperial Government that nothing should be done with regard to European settlement for at least five years, and that then certain areas should be demarcated for the use of the natives. That period having now expired, a commission has been appointed to delimit these areas, and the Government evidently intends to open part of the province to European occupation. The dispatch of an expedition to Zululand to ascertain the most suitable routes for railways, and of an engineer to inspect the coast with a view to the possibility of the establishment of harbors, indicates the value of the province. Zululand is, as yet, practically virgin soil. No part of South Africa has been less exploited; but the existence of mineral wealth is beyond question, and large districts are suitable for agriculture. Hereafter, it may be expected to prove one of the most productive parts of South Africa.

MORE ELECTION SAW-OFFS

A considerable number of election protests in Ontario have just been 'sawed-off' by evident agreement between the two political parties, says the Ottawa Journal. "You drop your protest in that county and we will drop ours in this." Agreed. What the agreement means may be illustrated by further supposed conversation. "We (Conservatives, or Liberals as the case may be, let us say Liberals) we Liberals have filed in court a declaration on oath that your candidate in that country was elected by bribery and fraud. You Conservatives in this county have filed a declaration on oath that we elected our candidate here by bribery and fraud. Let us drop both protests. We will be practically compounding crime and defeating the ends of justice unless indeed one or both of us have committed perjury; but as we both will be guilty, we won't hurt each other, and as for justice or morality, let them go hang." So the protests drop.

Some discussion is going on as to how the saw-offs can be legally stopped, or at least, the filing of protests be made more likely to mean business. Of course, in mere hopes of sawing-off, each party enters protests for which it knows there are no good grounds—though each party gets some stool pigeon to swear that there are. How can this be checked? A deposit of $1,000 is required with each protest, but the money is returned if the protest be dropped or dismissed. One paper suggests that the money be forfeited if the protest does not succeed. That seems hardly fair for a contestant may have a real case yet not be able to prove the facts. Another paper suggests that if the $1,000 were to be forfeited in case the protest were dropped or failed, there might be a pretty lively manufacture of evidence in order to save the $1,000 deposit. In the South Oxford trial, Judge Street has just expressed a belief that a lawyer for the Liberals in one of these protests had been going perilously near to cooking up evidence by paying money to disreputable witnesses.

Possibly it might be safe to enact that the deposit of $1,000 in connection with a protest should be forfeited if the complainant is not brought to trial, and forfeited or not according to the discretion of the court if the protest should be tried but fail. The court can generally tell from the evidence whether decent reason existed to enter the protest.

But the thing which can be done and ought to be done is for decent men of all parties to refuse to agree to either countenance empty protests, or withdrawal of protests which are once made.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Boer leaders are finding that European sympathy though eloquent in words is not so much disposed to make that sympathy tangible in deeds and dollars. De Wet is disappointed and wants to go home. The experience will impress upon them the conviction that old John Bull is their stanchest friend after all.

There are three Liberals in Quebec good for cabinet timber of quality—Brodeur, Prefontaine and Parent. Mr. Brodeur is in a way next in succession and a man of the highest character, but ex-Mayor Prefontaine, of Montreal, and Premier Parent, of Quebec, both are political leaders of quite exceptional courage and ability. Mr. Tarte will be succeeded by one of the three.

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THE MOONSTONE SPHINX

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She was as good as her word; and presently Winifred's mind was relieved for the moment of the fear that Mrs. Purdy's complicity in her act or the hiding-place chosen had been suspected by anyone at the theater.

Later, Hope Newcome had also a private word for the old woman's ear. He wanted to give up his room to Miss Gray without letting her know what he was doing, and transfer his few belongings to the store-room behind it, where a bed of some sort might be made up on the floor.

Mrs. Purdy had mentally apportioned this poor accommodation to her unexpected guest, since she herself slept in a cot in her daughter's room downstairs; but since Mr. Newcome was willing to endure inconvenience, there was no reason against it; and it was like him, that was all she had to say!

So Winifred was made comfortable at the expense of her knight, blissfully ignorant that he was sacrificing himself for her sake.

Next morning she made Clara Purdy's acquaintance, and Clara's fertile mind, alert in her convalescence, suggested a method by which Winifred's safety from pursuit might be further secured. Clara was a red-haired girl, but her tresses were neither long, curly nor abundant. One year in a provincial pantomime she had played the fairy queen, and she had worn a ruddy wig, which was an improvement upon her own hair. That wig had been preserved with care since then as an expensive "prop," which might be found useful at any time; and in going out to sing in the streets this autumn she had worn it, as being more attractive, when hanging on her shoulders, than her own rather scanty locks.

She was ill now, and not likely to leave her room for ten days or a fortnight. Meanwhile, Miss Gray might have the wig if she would take it; and as Miss Gray's "make-up" box had been left in her dressing-room at the Thespian Theater with many other things that were hers, Miss Gray was at liberty to use Clara's, which had not done duty since the pantomime last year. Miss Gray might make up with a wig and grease paints to look quite different from herself; and then, if any prying eyes spied her through door or window, she would never be associated with the young lady who had run away from the Thespian.

Clara's advice was taken, to a certain extent. Winifred did wear the wig and blackened the soft natural darkness of her brows and lashes to give the same somewhat startling contrast presented by Miss Purdy's own. Seeing her so, a stranger but casually acquainted with Clara's appearance might, after a fleeting glimpse of her, go away and say that he had seen Mrs. Purdy's daughter.

A day or two passed, and Winifred remained closely in hiding. Accounts from the theater were satisfactory. Suspicion was not turned towards Mrs. Purdy or Mrs. Purdy's house, and Winifred had so far some cause for satisfaction. Nevertheless, she was restless and utterly miserable.

It was dreadful to be living on charity, with no present prospect of being able to repay the debt of gratitude she owed, and the girl chafed under her burden of humiliation.

One of the first things she had done after finding sanctuary at the house in Salt street was to write a letter to her mother. Even to do that she had been obliged to beg paper and a postage stamp.

It had been a difficult letter to write, because Mrs. Gray's state was still critical, in so far that the least excitement might induce a relapse. Something she had to be told, lest strange rumors might reach and distress her; but Winifred had weighed each word as she set it down on paper. She explained that unfortunately she had had a "misunderstanding with the management," and at the last moment thrown over the part of Maseppa, which she had felt she could not play according to their requirements. They had been angry, threatening legal proceedings; and at present she did not wish her whereabouts to be known. Her dear one must not worry, but instead of letting the nurse write, or scrawling a few pencil lines herself to the theater, she must address Miss W. Graham, Poste Restante, Brighton. And then she begged that a word or two might be sent to her soon. But no word came, though Hope Newcome called at the post-office twice a day.

Winifred grew desperately anxious. She longed to telegraph to the head nurse of the "home" where her mother was, but she had not a penny; and though she often tried to find courage enough to ask for a loan, she invariably failed at the last moment.

The Purdys were very poor. They had nothing save what they could earn, and Clara had not been a breadwinner for many weeks. It was bad enough to be wearing their clothes and eating their bread, without borrowing their hard-won shillings.

But, though the girl could keep silence, she could not hide the fever of anxiety in her eyes. Hope Newcome saw it there, and asked her straight out what was the matter. Was she not comfortable? Was she in a great hurry to bring her short stay in this poor little house—so unworthy of her—to an end? Above all, was there anything that he could do?

She did not dream of what he was already doing. She did not know that his long absences from the house were all for money-getting, that little delicacies might be bought to tempt her appetite, or a bunch of flowers to bring a fleeting smile to her face.

So she answered that he could do nothing. She was only rather worried at not hearing from her mother, who was ill at a nursing home in London.

"Why don't you telegraph?" he said.

Winifred flushed, and did not answer. Then he knew what he had already suspected. He had posted the letter she had sent to Mrs. Gray, and though he had not meant to look, had accidentally seen the number of the house in Welbeck street, and had since been unable to forget it.

He hesitated for a while, and then went out, having made up his mind. Three hours later he brought home a telegram addressed to "Miss W. Graham, Chief Post-Office, Brighton."

"Mrs. Gray had relapse, unable to read or write letters," the girl read with a sick throbbing of the heart. "We hope no cause for serious alarm. Now we have address will write same when further news."

This message was signed by the head nurse, and for a few minutes, in her grief and terror, Winifred had no time to wonder how or why it had come. She looked upon the telegram as a

To be Continued

Mainly About People.

In pronouncing sentence, a Scotch judge once added: "Ye did not only kill and murder the man, and thereby take away his valuable life, but ye did push, thrust or impel the lethal weapon through the bellyband of his regimental trousers, which were the property of His Majesty."

J. Pierpont Morgan was showing some friends through his kennels the other day, and one of them expressed great admiration for an imported setter. "Yes, he's a fine dog. His name is Russell Sage." "How did you come to give him that name?" "Well, he never loses a scent."

Curran said to Father O'Leary, the wittiest priest of his day, "I wish you were St. Peter." "Why?" asked O'Leary. "Because," said Curran, "you would have the keys of heaven and could let me in." "It would be better for you," said O'Leary, "that I had the keys of the other place." "Why?" asked Curran. "Well, then I could let you out."

Secretary Hay's poem, "Little Breeches," was frequently attributed to the late Bret Harte. A young lady once said to him: "I am highly pleased to meet you, Mr. Harte. I have read all your poems, but I have enjoyed 'Little Breeches' the most." "Pardon me, madam," Harte is said to have replied, "but you have put the 'Little Breeches' on the wrong man."

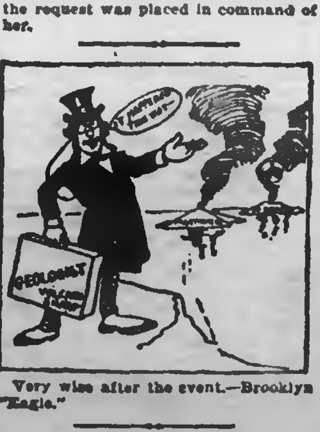
On one of his later birthday anniversaries, United States Senator Hoar wrote to William M. Evarts and congratulated him upon his length of years. In his reply, the aged lawyer said it brought to mind an old lady in New England, who had occasion to write to a friend about some matter of trifling importance, and when she had reached the end of the thirteenth page awakened to the fact that she had been rather diffuse, and added: "Please excuse my longevity."

Samuel Foote, the English actor, was one day invited for a few moments into a club where he was a stranger. Left alone a minute, he did not seem quite at ease. Lord Carmarthen, wishing to relieve his embarrassment, went up to speak to him, but became embarrassed himself and could only say: "Mr. Foote, your handkerchief is hanging out of your pocket." Whereupon Foote, looking around with playful suspicion, and hurriedly thrusting his handkerchief back into his pocket, replied: "Thank you, my lord, thank you; you know the company better than I do."

At one of the great London hospitals a cold storage chamber was being constructed in connection with the post-mortem room, and the secretary of the hospital, on going to see how the work was getting on, found that the chamber was being fitted with double doors—and those of small size—instead of one large door. He made enquiries as to the reason for this deviation from the original plan, when the chief carpenter, who was superintending the work, replied: "Oh, sir, we are putting in double doors and a wooden partition in order to keep the sexes apart!"

Two gentlemen who were playing cards at a New York club were very much annoyed by other members who stood behind their chairs and interested themselves in the game. Finally one of the players asked one of the spectators to play the hand for him until he returned. The spectator took the cards, whereupon the first player left the room. Pretty soon the second player followed the example of the first. The two substitutes played for some time, when one of them asked the waiter where the two original players were. "They are playing cards in the next room," was the waiter's reply.

President Roosevelt possesses a characteristic sense of humor. It is vigorous and sometimes almost grotesque. When he was Assistant Secretary of the Navy, during the preparation for the Spanish war, the Government was buying a number of yachts to be converted into torpedo-boats, despatch-boats, scouts, etc. Considerable intimacy existed between the family of President Roosevelt and that of one of the officers of the navy in the department. The wife of this officer got a fancy she would like to have one of these beautiful little boats bear her name. There is a prejudice in the navy against giving a woman's name to a war vessel of any type. It is believed to be unlucky. But the officer, who found it easier to face official prejudice than to resist the importunities of his better half, made the request of Mr. Roosevelt. The Assistant Secretary of the Navy hesitated. "It won't do," he said. "I would like to oblige your wife, but a woman's name won't do." Then a thought occurred to him, and he replied. "I will fix it," he said. "Tell your wife it will be all right." The next day the boat was named "The Vixen." And the officer who had made the request was placed in command of her.



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"Eloquent?"

"Very."

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"What's his name?"

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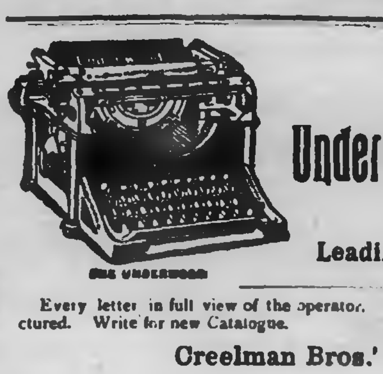

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Traders Market Now, After Election Buoyancy

New York, Oct. 28.—The heading of this letter in our opinion about sums up the situation in a very few words. It says as much as if were extended into full columns, and is we believe pretty close to being correct. If the election shows a majority in Congress for the Republican party, all will be well, as it will mean a continuance of the policies followed out by this Government since the first inauguration of McKinley. If the Democrats get the ascendency no one will know exactly what it will mean for the immediate future, and as a result there will be uncertainty, and distrust which would bring about lower prices. We are strongly of the opinion that the Republicans will be found to be in control after the fight is over. The betting in New York points that way; and as a rule money talks correctly in gauging the results of an election, as it does elsewhere. Were we as a fact approaching pretty close to the top of the hill of prosperity the enormous crops garnered this year would put back the inevitable setting in of the ebb tide for fully one year. That pessimistic and ponderous London financial sheet, The Statistic, openly admits the fact. The additional values of this years corn and wheat crop, exceeding that of last year by over $500,000,000, will be a stickler for the bearishly inclined to climb over. This is as certain in its results as is the fact that a hungry man will not starve in the midst of abundance. We note with some considerable pleasure that many houses who were recently disinclined to permit their customers to make purchases owing to the expense to them for carrying stocks, now take a more favorable view of the situation and talk of advances this fall and winter, extending from 10 to 30 points. It is much more pleasant in any walk of life to be cheerful and hopeful than pessimistic, suspicious and discouraged. It is almost a certainty that for the next week or ten days we will have more or less of a seesaw market, strong then weak, or vice versa, fluctuations being brought about principally by the room traders or scalpers, who only trade from day to day and in the immediate small results. It should be a good time to get long of the markets and thus be prepared for better times shortly after election day.

Summary—The somewhat belated T. C. I. statement is out. It had been widely advised as possibly being a bad one. Earnings for 9 months from Jan. 1st last were nearly $1,100,000 or about $300,000 more than the entire preceding year. The net earnings for the 9 months were $1,162,761. The surplus for 1901 was $243,300, whereas the surplus for the last quarter was $323,990 alone, and for the 9 months of the present year it was $826,525, or nearly three and one half times the entire surplus of last year. This statement shows that the earnings net of the company for 1902 will aggregate about $1,500,000, which is a very respectable showing upon the $26,000,000 capitalization, amounting as it does to pretty nearly 6 per cent. upon the stock. The fact that the company has this surplus would indicate that the old $4,000,000 indebtedness, created by improvements and acquisition of new property, for which the company decided to stop dividends, utilizing the earnings for payment for same, had been entirely liquidated. It should be a splendid purchase. To-day's market closed about where it did last night; there was if anything a reversal in form, the market showing a tendency to recover, while stock offerings diminished in quantity. This kind of market will probably continue until after election day. Money closed 4 per cent. Sales 210,300.

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Dissolution of Partnership

The partnership heretofore existing between Mr. W. R. Pollard and Mr. George Daniels, as bakers, has been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be conducted by Mr. Daniels, who is well known to most of our readers.

Opening Social

The opening social of the A.B.M. Bible Club of the Y.M.C.A. will be held this evening 7.30. It will take the form of a "Potatoe Roast." A very interesting programme is promised. All senior members of the association are invited.

Anniversary Services

The anniversary services of the Park Street Baptist Church will be held on Nov 2nd and 3rd. Rev. P. K. Dayfoot, M.A., of Port Hope, will preach at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. On Monday evening tea will be served from 6 p.m. to 7.30 p.m. At 8 o'clock a programme will be given, including music, and a lecture, by Mr. Dayfoot, "Happy, Though Married." Freewill offering at the door; all welcome.

Y. W. C. A.

Owing to the Hallowe'en party on Friday night the two divisions of the gymnasium class will meet this evening, as follows: 7.30 to 8.00, wands and Indian club work with the Friday Division: 8.00 to 8.30, marching and Emmerson exercises with both divisions; 8.30 to 9.00, wands and club work with Wednesday Division. Gymnasium members will please make note of this.

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Will Return to Peterboro

Helen Pogue, the pretty girl from Peterboro', who pleaded guilty to stealing some $25 worth of goods from the W. A. Murray Company, has many influential friends in that town. She is of a very good family. This morning His Worship said that he had decided to remand her for sentence, and that she would return with a clergyman from Peterboro, who would come for her at 5.30 o'clock this evening.

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WEATHER NOTES

Wednesday—Fair and cooler.

A VICIOUS LAUNDRYMAN

A Chinaman Fined Twenty Dollars and Cost for Assault

Hop Sing, the laundryman who was charged with assaulting a man at the former's shop on Charlotte street Saturday night, was disposed of at the Police Court yesterday morning. After hearing the evidence of five witnesses the magistrate fined the Chinaman $20 and costs amounting altogether to $30.30.

MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION

Elected Officers Yesterday—Rev. Dr. Chowan Coming

At a meeting of the Ministerial Association at the Y.M.C.A. the following officers were elected:—

President—Rev. J. P. Wilson.

Secretary-Treasurer—Rev. J. A. Wilson.

Committee on Topics—Rev. Dr. Torrance and Rev. J. P. Davidson.

The association will meet again on the first Monday in December.

Arrangements are being made for a temperance meeting next Monday evening in George street Church at which Rev. Dr. Chowan will speak.

PETERBOROUGH'S FIRST BAND

The Pioneer Band Organized in 1857—List of Officers and Members

The Times is indebted to Mr. E. Green, Water street, for a peep at the cash book of the first brass band that existed in Peterborough. The band was formed in August, 1857, and had the following members:

Edward Green, George Brown, A. McDonald, R. J. Winch, W. N. Kennedy, John E. Kennedy, Erasmus Green, Joseph Spencelly, James McComb, E. C. Hill, W. A. Scott, John Spencelly, George Jeffrey, Samuel S. Peck, John P. Metherall, Stephen Norton, Joseph Sawdye, Thomas Hewitt, Wm. Wilson and Ed. Mannell.

Mr. A. H. Rackett was bandmaster, and he was paid eight pounds per month, each member paying his share.

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"Jolly Boys," Oct. 27, 1902.

Dear Tommy,—On this evening, the occasion of our last meeting together before you leave town for your home, we cannot let it pass without expressing to you our good will and appreciation of your good fellowship and company during the many pleasant evenings we have spent together in our Jolly Boys Club.

We hope and trust that, though you will be far away from us, we will all be true to our "Constitution," and we know then, that by asking God to help us, if we are spared to meet in this way again, we will meet as the same "Jolly Boys" with a settled purpose to be true, pure and useful men. Wishing you the choicest blessings and a safe home journey, we are the "Jolly Boys."

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GEORGE W. DANIELS.
Peterborough, Oct. 27, 1902.

A HAVELOCK SUICIDE.

MRS. GLYNN TOOK A DOSE OF STRYCHNINE ON MONDAY LAST

The Gossip of a Neighbour Woman Said to Have Been the Cause of the Deed

Mrs. Fred. Glynn, of Havelock, a young woman about nineteen years of age, committed suicide at her home in the village on Monday afternoon by taking a dose of strychnine. Dr. Jeffs, of Havelock, reported the case to Crown Attorney Wood in a letter in which he states that he was called to attend the woman on Monday afternoon and found her dead. She had been alone in the house during the afternoon. He saw crystals of strychnine on the side of her face and also in a cup. He then went to a drug store and found that she had bought five grains of strychnine for the purpose of killing two cats. She had had a little trouble with her mother about some little gossip and Dr. Jeffs says this was the cause of the act as far as he could make out.

County Crown Attorney Wood called Mr. Mathieson, Justice of the Peace at Havelock and learned that some one had threatened to put the young woman in goal because of certain gossip she had given utterance to and that in fear she put an end to herself. Dr. Gray, went to Havelock last night to hold an inquest.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Hallowe'en will be here Friday.

—Chinese laundrymen are becoming too numerous.

—Several hunting parties will leave for the woods to-day and to-morrow.

—A couple of second hand coal stoves for sale cheap. Apply at The Times Bookstore.

—A $175 organ, with eleven stops—as good as new—will be sold for $37.50. This is a snap.

—About thirty beautiful trees are being laid low in Victoria Park. But it's not on account of the coal famine.

—A few county of Peterborough maps left. Splendidly mounted on rollers, for $2.50. Times Bookstore.

—The steamers on both upper and lower water have more than they can do just now.

—Rev. Dr. O'Brien delivered a lecture on Ireland in the T.A.S. hall on Monday night. It was very interesting and much enjoyed.

—A look in the north window of the Times Bookstore will be of special interest to the public balance of this week.

—There is likely to be considerable opposition to the granting of a bonus to the Colonial Weaving Company by the ratepayers.

—Get your school scribblers at the Times Bookstore. They have the best paper and are the cheapest.

—A young man accustomed to night work desires employment at day work. Can give good references. Apply at this office for address.

—Mr. W. J. O'Brien has opened an attractive cigar store on George street, near Canadian Express office.

—John Fowlie, of Lakefield, charged with assault, was arraigned before Magistrate Edmison yesterday morning and remanded until Thursday.

—Handsome new goods arriving daily at Times Bookstore. Many new novelty nick-nacks which are both useful and ornamental. See them.

—The Secretary of the Historical Society has received from the Department of the Interior a very fine large map of the Dominion, issued this year and revised up to date.

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—All the churches in town are asked to make to-night's prayer meeting a season of special prayer for blessing upon the work to be initiated by the Rev. Dr. S. D. Chown on Sunday and Monday next in connection with the forthcoming temperance campaign.

—The nine o'clock express was about an hour late on Monday night, owing to the fact that a double-header freight could not make the grade between here and Omemee, and hence had to back to Peterborough, and the express then started out from the village.

Chief Rossel received a letter from the Chief Constable, Stratford, to the effect that the bogus checks circulated in Stratford and those here were evidently made by the same person and were identical even to the amount. The description given of the man is as follows:—Age, 35 years; height 5 or 10 inches; dark clothes, black hat, a gold filled tooth in upper jaw and ring on left hand. He will probably be run down very soon.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—(Ed. Times)

Lindsay Post:—Mr. J. Lockhart left today to visit Peterborough friends.

—Mrs. Bradburn and Dr. and Mrs Kirby and Master Tom Kirby went down to Ottawa last night.

—Coroner Gray went to Havelock last night to hold an inquest on the remains of the late Mrs. Glynn.

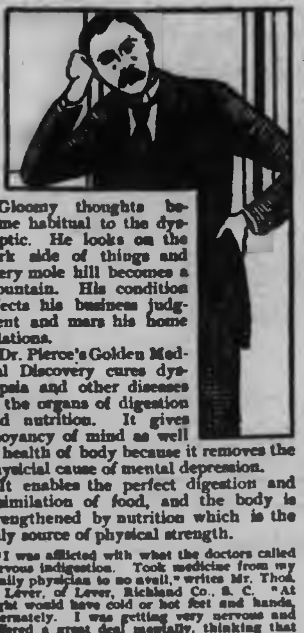
Mrs. F. S. Clarke, left this morning for New Minster, B.C., where she has gone to join her husband.

—Miss Sadie Dolan has gone to spend part of the winter in Montreal. She will also visit the coast before returning home.

—Mr. Frank Dumble, of Chicago, who has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Dumble, returned home on Monday.

—Miss Code, who was at one time secretary of the Dr. Barnado's home, but who has just returned from a three years' visit in England, is the guest of Miss H. S. Woodgate.

—At St. Peter's Cathedral this morning Miss Ellen Macdonnell, daughter of Mr. John Macdonnell, of Smith, and Mr. Samuel Anglesey, of town, were united in marriage by Rev. Father McColl. Miss Nora Anglesey was bridesmaid and Mr. S. Macdonnell groomsman.



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SPECIAL MEETING

Of the Fortnightly Club Last Night—Officers Elected

A meeting of seven members of the Fortnightly Club was held in the Y.M.C.A Hall at 8 o'clock last evening for the purpose of reorganizing the club and electing officers for 1903.

The former Sec. Mr. McWilliams explained the purpose, etc., of the meeting and said that three previous meetings had been arranged but were not attended.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mr. Jeffreys.

1st. Vice-Pres.—Mrs. MacFarlane Wilson.

2nd Vice.-Pres—Rev. Mr. Davidson.

Secretary—Mr. McWilliams.

Treasurer—Mr. Green.

Executive Committee—Mr. T. A. S. Hay Mr. C. Fessenden, Sheriff Hall, Mrs. Burnett, Miss Halliday and Miss J. Dennistoun.

It was decided that each section of the club elect officers to look after its own affairs.

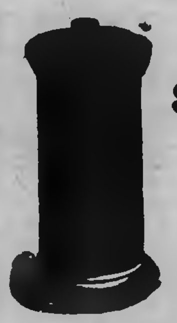
It was also proposed that arrangements be made with the Hon. Mr. Borden and Clifford Sifton to secure their services next week (while they are in Lindsay) for lectures.

Mr. T. A. S. Hay proposed that the club and the historical society co-operate in all meetings, lectures, etc., held during the year, that are of interest to both.

Moved by Mr. McWilliams seconded by Mr. Green that a series of four lectures at intervals of three weeks be held as soon after New Years as possible.

The membership fee was set at 25c, with an admission fee of 15c for non-members to all lectures.

A meeting of the Executive Committee is to be held in the Y.M.C.A. hall on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock to transact some private affairs.



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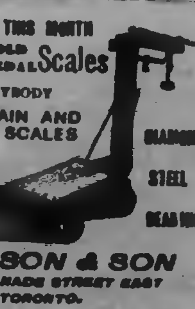

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ALWAYS THE SAME

Woman Married Four Times and Each Time to the Same Old Man

Three Times She Divorced Him Three Times She Has Forgiven Him

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 29.—Mrs. Grace Snell-Coffin-Walker-Coffin is about to marry her first husband, Frank Nixon Coffee, for the fourth time in seventeen years.

After a short period of divorced happiness she announces that she will try wedded bliss with her thrice-divorced spouse. This beats all previous records in divorce and matrimonial lines in this State.

Just why she is marrying the man she has cast aside three times she does not explain except to say that she has grown into the habit of marrying him and cannot break it.

She tried once only to be happy with another man, James C. Walker.

Seventeen years ago Grace Snell embarked on the stormy sea of matrimony. She was the daughter of Amos J. Snell, whose mysterious murder in his palace in Chicago is still quoted as one of the most remarkable crimes of the century.

She was then but a slip of a girl sixteen years old.

Coffin was a man of varied occupations. At one time he taught a dancing class. At another he had been a coachman.

The girl's father objected to the match, so they eloped to be married. They lived together ten years. A son was born to them. Then Mrs. Cuffin applied for and secured a divorce. She alleged incompatibility of temper.

Suddenly the boy was taken sick and his parents were reconciled at his deathbed. And so they married again. But newly wedded life did not bring peace.

Mrs. Coffin again sued for divorce, and again secured it on the grounds of "incompatibility of temper."

There was a handsome hotel clerk where she was stopping named James C. Walker. He had a good, but untrained voice, and Mrs. Grace Snell-Coffin-Coffin sent him to Europe to study music.

When the good-looking cerk I was back again, he was at once married to his patroness, who gave him on their wedding a present of $50,000.

In the early days of their honeymoon the wife discovered that her husband was jealous. It was no flesh and blood villain that awoke the husband's fury, but the heroes of her novels. The Return of an Expatriate and the Pre-Sanctified, which his wife had written. He kicked the novels and the manuscripts into the fire.

She applied for divorce on the ground of extreme cruelty and the courts granted her plea.

On October 17th, the very day after the decree was issued, she was married "quietly" in Chicago to her first husband for the third time.

This was last year. After another quarrel she divorced Mr. Coffin again and swore that she would have nothing to do with him.

SOLDIERS AT A WEDDING

Have to Guard a Non-Union Man and His Bride at Church and at Home

Shendanoah, Pa., Oct. 29.—A detail of soldiers from the Eighteenth Regiment escorted Joseph Patosky and Minnie Shemailer to the Polish Catholic church this morning where they were married by Father Lanarkiewisz. Patosky had been employed in the Shenandoah city colliery during the strike and yesterday morning he returned to town to claim his bride.

Before the strike he had been a boarder at the home of the girl's father on Raspberry street and when it was learned that he had returned here last night a crowd assembled about the house and were making a demonstration. Col. Rutledge sent a squad of soldiers to disperse them, after which a guard was stationed around the house.

This morning five carriages arrived at the house to convey the bridal party to the church, but the cabmen were warned that if they permitted the party to ride a boycott would be placed on them. The threat was effective and the teams were driven away. Patosky appealed to the officers of the guard for protection, and surrounded by soldiers the party walked to the church. The wedding festivities are in progress at the home of the bride to-night while a squad of soldiers guard the house on the outside.

LOCOMOTIVES FROM SCOTLAND.

Montreal, Oct. 29—The C. P.R. has placed an order in Scotland for twelve ten-wheeled locomotives. This will be the first time that the railway has imported locomotives from across the Atlantic, and the order is due to the fact that the manufacturers of Canada and the United States are overcrowded

PLAN TO PREVENT STRIKES

Employers and Employees' Union Invented

Brief Outline of the Scheme—It is Hoped it Will Put an End to Industrial Trouble

Washington, Oct. 29.—The Washington Bureau of the Employers and Employees' Union, whose plan for the prevention of strikes and the future and permanent adjustment of labor questions between operator and workman recently received the indorsement of the Association of American Advertisers at their New York meeting, is receiving hundreds of letters daily from all parts of the country and from all classes of people requesting information regarding the scheme. Briefly, the plan is as follows:

Employers and employees join and each deposit 2 per cent. of wages in bank or trust company each pay day until the total amounts to $25 on the part of employer for each member of his force, and $25 on the part of employee. This sum is to be in charge of trustee and held as a guarantee fund.

The contract agrees that employee sell his labor for six months at a fixed price and employer agrees to purchase same.

Employee reserves the right to quit if sick, incapacitated or ill treated, but shall not quit to secure higher wages, and shall not interfere in any manner with any employee.

Employer reserves right to dismiss employee if unfit or incapable or in any way unsatisfactory, but shall not discharge to secure labor at lower price than agreed upon for the contract period, and will in no way interfere with employe seeking work elsewhere.

Employees shall have unrestricted right to purchase their own supplies.

Neither employer nor employee shall be a member of any federation, union or agreement, which, by combination or otherwise, seeks to force wages wages down or up.

Three months after employee ceases work for employer, both employer and employee shall be paid the full amount of the deposit fund which applies to said employee, providing that the terms of the agreement have been kept. In case of failure to keep such agreement the party breaking shall forfeit to the other.

The plan is the invention of C. W. Post, the millionaire "health food" manufacturer of Battle Creek, Mich., whose plan providing for the adoption of postal currency is now under consideration by the Post-office Department.

Sports and Pastimes

RUGBY.

All those who have been selling membership tickets for the Rugby team are requested to make their returns to the secretary at once. The Rugby team go to Ottawa on Friday night and all the funds available will be required to send the team.

Lindsay and Norwood have organized football clubs this fall and will enter teams in the O.R.F.U. next season. An effort should be made to have Havelock and Millbrook organize fifteens and a fine district could be organized around Peterborough. Peterborough has done much to foster the game of Rugby in Ontario during the past few years. Amon g the graduates of the team are Mr. Garnet Bell, of the Argos, Mr. F. Burnham of 'Varsity, and Mr. Ben Simpson, of Queen's.

The London News says if London wins from the Torontos on Saturday they will win the western series and have Peterborough for an opponent for the championship. It adds that "at present it looks very much like London on Saturday and subsequently the championship." It may look like London on Saturday but as far as "subsequently championship" is concerned, Peterborough will have a little to say in that matter. London beat Peterborough last year but it was not our strongest team that played them and the westerners will have to go at a merry clip to beat Peterborough this year, as the locals are much stronger than last year.

After much scheming and waiting, a series of games have been arranged between Ottawa College II. and the Rough Rider Intermediates. The first will be played to-morrow afternoon at the Oval. As the Ottawa Seconds have a very important contract on their hands next Saturday, the team needs all the practice that it can possibly get, as to win the round from Peterboro' it is necessary that a victory should be attained by the very handsome majority of 20 points. Against such a team as Peterboro' this means considerable and to do it the local boys must go some. But still it is not an impossibility. Sandy Cameron, Herb, Ralph, Dr. Sanderson and Roberts are seniors that can be utilized by the boys, and as all have agreed to help the team out the fifteen will be greatly strengthened.—Ottawa Journal.

There is a prospect that the first game in the saw-off between Westmount and Quebec for the O.R.F.U. intermediate championship will be played here on Nov. 1st. Westmount has asked to play here first and Quebec has accepted under these circumstances the second game will likely be played in Montreal on the 8th, the winners meeting the Ontario champions at a later date.—Ottawa Journal.

GOLF.

Members of the Golf Club who have been asked to play in the match today between the ladies' and the gentlemen's club are requested to bear in mind that the play will begin at two o'clock.

HOCKEY.

Port Hope will have two teams in the O.H.A. this winter, intermediate and junior.

AUTUMN WEDDING BELLS

Mr. John Russel Jeffrey of Cincinnati Claims for His Bride Miss Catherine Agnes Ferguson

Pink and white with relieving background of rich green foliage were the predominating floral colors that added pleasing effects to the wedding of Miss Catherine Agnes Ferguson, only dauhgter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ferguson, last evening. The ceremony took place at the residence of the bride's parents, 254, Stewart Street, Rev. Dr. E. F. Torrance, of St. Paul's Presbyterian church being the officiating clergyman The groom is Mr. John Russel Jeffrey, of Cincinnati, Ohio, formerly of Toronto.

The beautiful home of the bride's parents, was most tastefully and harmoniously decorated for the occasion. Pink and white carnations combined with stately palms and feathery asparagus plumaris were used in profusion to decorate the drawing room while a wealth of yellow and white chrysanthemums gave a most graceful appearance to the dining-room.

At seven o'clock, the bride who was attired in white silk crepe de chene over white tafetta, trimmed with chantilly lace and wearing the customary veil, entered the drawing-room on th earm of the opening chords of Lohengrin's Wedding March. Miss Ada McBain who wore white de voil over yellow taffeta performed the duties of bridesmaid. Both bride and bridesmaid carried magnificent boquets of roses, the former pink and the later yellow. The groom was assisted by his brother, Mr. A. H. Jeffrey, of Toronto.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the guests who numbered about seventy partook of an elaborate dejeuner served by Long Bros., caterers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey left on the 9.10 G.T.R. train for a trip to Montreal and other eastern points after which they leave for Cincinatti, where they will reside.

A handsome brooch of pearls and diamonds was the gift of the groom to the bride and to the bridesmaid a brooch of pearls and opals. The groom was also presented with a cabinet of silverware by his fellow associates in the Bullock Electric Mfg. Co., of Cincinnati.

The bride has been for years a most devoted worker in St. Paul's church where the loss of one so winsome and whose qualities of heart and mind are so refined will be much regretted. It is sincerely hoped that a long life of useful and happiness in the wider sphere which they are now entering, may be the portion of this happy young couple.

COCHRANE—DOBBIN.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized by Rev. W. J. Armitage last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. Haskell 270 King street when their niece, Miss Sarah Cochrane was united in marriage to Mr. L. O. Dobbin, town.

The bride, who was becomingly attired in blue venetian cloth trimmed with sabl and lace medallion carried a white prayer book and was given away by her uncle, Mr. F. Haskell. Miss Evangeline Cochrane, sister of the bride, wearing a becoming gown of lady's cloth trimmed with white silk, acted as bridesmaid. The groom was supported by Mr. Roland Glover, town.

Miss Lottie Cochrane, cousin of the bride efficiently rendered Mendlesshon's wedding march.

During the ceremony the bridal party occupied the bay window which was converted into a perfect bower of beauty, for the occasion. The decorations of the various rooms were most prettily carried out in pink and green effects.

The popularity of this happy young couple is evidenced by the numerous useful and choice presents they were the recipients of.

After congratulations a bountiful wedding dinner was served in the dining room after which a very pleasant evening was spent.

A host of friends join with The Times in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Dobbin a bright and prosperous future.

CURE OF CONSUMPTION

Astonishing Progress Reported at the Berlin Congress

London, Oct. 29.—Great interest is felt throughout Europe in the first meeting of the International Tuberculosis Congress at Berlin this week. Some of the proceedings were too technical for popular discussion, but astonishing progress is already recorded in conquering the deadliest malady of the human race.

Thus, the English delegate reported that the death rate in the United Kingdom in 1838 was 38 per 1,000. This has been reduced to 13, or more than 60 per cent.

The delegates to the congress yesterday visited the great public sanatoria in the pine forests, an hour's ride from Berlin. They found there not only the finest modern equipment for the cure of the disease, but what Prof. Brouardel of Paris described as an entirely novel and momentous experiment in the realm of social policy. These great institutions provide every accomodation at public expense to working-class victims of this scourge. The delegates were very much impressed and the English representative declared his intention to induce a deputation of English workmen's friendly societies to visit the sanatoria.

PRINCE MAY COME TO AMERICA.

London, Oct. 28.—The King has, it is learned, returned a polite, non-committal reply to the presentation made to him that the Prince and Princess of Wales should visit the United States in 1904. The question of definite acceptance or declination will be dealt with in case an official invitation is received from the Government of the United States.

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TWO MONTH'S AFTER DEATH

$2 Dollar Bill with Girl's Name on it Reaches Her Father

Woodstock, Oct. 29—Miss Alma E. Oliver, a young Windsor girl, whose death occurred at Hamilton two months ago, shortly before her death wrote her name across the face of a $2 bill and by strange dictate of fate it turned up among friends. A bill bearing the name "Alma E. Oliver, 226 John street, Hamilton, Ont," across its face turned up in Walkerville. Clerk Ed. Rechford laid it aside and brought it to the dead girl's father, of Windsor, the other night, with whom it will likely remain forever. Mr. Oliver identified the writing as that of his daughter.

MR. MITCHELL ANNOYED

Doesn't Like It Because Some of the Miners Remain on Strike

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Oct. 29.—Committee from the Hazelton district called upon President Mitchell today in regard to the strike situation in that region. Nine thousand men are idel because they refuse to sign the agreements not to ill-treat non-union men as requested by A. Pardee & Co., Coxe Bros. & Co. and A. Wentz & Co., and to make the promise, desired by John Markle, that they will abide by the decision of the Strike Arbitration Commission. The companies will not employ them until they sign these agreements.

President Mitchell would say no-formation of the strike at the two collerica of the Mill Creek Coal Company and the threatened strike of Lentz & Co.'s employees and of the situation in the Panther Creek Valley where many of the union men desire a strike of all the 6,000 hands employed by the Leigh Coal and Navigation Company.

PPresident Mitchell would say nothing about the situation. He is annoyed particularly by the action of the Mill Creek men for striking because they were asked to sign a agreement and the men of Lentz & Co. who threaten to go out unless some of their number who were discharged are reinstated.

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EARNINGS OF CRIMINALS.

Paris, Oct. 27—Alphonse Bertillon has undertaken to instruct the police of this city in the identification of criminals, and special value is being given to heights, noses and ears of persons who have been expelled from Paris. The police are being supplied with photographs, methodically arranged with regard to these points in people who are wanted by them.

VASI GOLD FIELDS FOUND IN SIBERIA

They are Said to be the Very Richest in the World

IT IS AN IDEAL WHEAT REGION

The Asiatic Possessions of Russia Rich in Gold—A Great Grain Trade—Cape Nome Now Worked Out

New York, Oct. 29.—That the greatest gold fields the world has ever known are in the Amur River country in Eastern Siberia, is the opinion of E. B. McCowan, a mining expert who has just returned from a 12,000 mile trip of exploration through the Asiatic possessions of Russia.

The Russians, he said yesterday, took out $20,000,000 of gold last year from the placer deposits and have not yet begun to work the quartz. The mining methods of the Russians are very crude, Mr. McCowan says, and do not compare with American methods.

The exhaustive trip he made through Siberia, has convinced Mr. McCowan that it is the richest undeveloped country on the globe, and from an agricultural point has greater possibilities than the wheat and corn growing sections of the United States.

IT'S A WONDERFUL COUNTRY.

"Before many years have elapsed," said Mr. McCowan, "Siberia will supply all of Europe with grain. A large number of wheat farms have already been opened, and the Government is encouraging immigration from European Russia to this great and rich country.

"The Russians have not yet learned the advantages of using American agricultural machinery, but they are quick to learn and very shrewd — much shrewder than the average Yankee. Before long their wheat farms will rival in every way those of the Northwest.

"The country is being rapidly opened up by the Trans-Siberian Railroad. This road is wonderful. It is the superior in many ways of the best of the American railroads, and shows what can be done by Government ownership when the management is efficient and free from corruption.

"I rode 4,000 miles on that railroad for $30. The car I travelled in was the equal of the Pullman sleeper in every way. There was a dining car on the train, a barber shop, and all of the very modern improvements. The emigrant rate for the 4,000-mile journey is only $9.

"The average Russian official is the best in the world. He is simply a wheel on a great machine and can turn only one way. He cannot be corrupted; he knows only his official duty and nothing can swerve him from it."

Mr. McCowan says that while agitation of the plan to bridge Behring Strait and connect Alaska and Siberia is as persistent as ever, the scheme is absolutely impossible. "There are thirty-five miles between the two points of the mainlands and two small islands, leaving about twenty miles of water," Mr. McCowan said. "The sea rushes through the strait at the rate of seven miles an hour and is so deep in places that the bottom has never been found. Aside from these obstacles to bridge building, the severity of the climate in that region would make the bridge, if it could be built, and its connecting railroads of service only during a small fraction of the year.

AN IDEAL WHEAT REGION.

"Much misconception seems to exist in the United States as to the climate of that part of Siberia through which the railroad runs. Vladivostock, the Eastern terminus, is 126 miles further south that Seattle and 3,000 miles south of Behring Strait. The climate is ideal for wheat growing."

Mr. McCowan also made an extensive trip through the mining regions of Alaska.

"The Eastern people," he said "should be warned against buying stock in any Cape Nome company. Cape Nome is absolutely worked out. When I was there I heard of plans to launch at least twenty mining companies upon the public this winter. One of them is capitalized at $10,000,000, another at $5,000,000. All of these twenty companies together couldn't dig $100 worth of gold. In 1899 and 1900 something over $2,000,000 was taken out of Cape Nome, and then $10,000,000 was spent in plants to continue the mining. These plants for the most part were a clear loss. Now the owners want to get back what they paid out from th e public, and plan to use the 1899 and 1900 records of production to fool the people."

MAY END IN REVOLUTION AND MASSACRE

Despair and Ill-Omened Gloom Hanging Over the Country of Russia

London, Oct. 29—The Times' St. Petesburg correspondent says the Grazdanin publishes a pessimistic article regarding the present state of affairs in Russia, referring to the political and economic despair and mysterious ill-omened gloom hanging over the country. Alluding to Western Europe and the French Revolution, the article says the French people, trodden-down as they were, won recognition for the rights of man, where of Western civilization is the outsome.

The Times' correspondent says the article created some sensation, although the ideas expressed in it are but commonplaces to educated Russians, but that it is surprising that the Grazdanin, the defender of obscurantism and bureaucratic despotism, should publish such doctrines. It is, observes the correspondent, but another sign of the times, but which are becoming frequent in Russia.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

Hahigax, Oct. 27—The trial of Geo. W. Cook for the killing of his wife in their home on Albemarle street in July last, bu cutting her throat with a razor, was concluded on Saturday afternoon and the jury returned a verdict of guilty of murder.

RECEPTION TO DANISH PRINCE.

Copenhagen, Oct. 29—The Danish press notes with great satisfaction the hearty reception given to the Crown Prince in Berlin. It is pointed out that the only claim put forward by Denmark is that Germany shall abolish the restrictions upon the use of the Danish language north of Schleswig.

DELYANNI PLEADS FOR HIMSELF.

Athens, Oct. 29—M. Delyanni has returned from his political tour of Thessaly, where he has been enthusiastically received. His speeches, which were largely confined to economic questions, assured the people that Greece was on the brink of economic ruin, and that such a fate was only avoidable by his accession to power.

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HUMBERT LAWSUIT STRVCK OFF.

Paris, Oct. 29—The sham law suit between Crawford and Humbert in Paris, which served as a decoy to the gigantic Humbert frauds of last year, has been struck off the rolls of the French Court of Appeals.

REGULATION OF CATHOLIC SCHOOLS.

Paris, Oct. 29—The French Cabinet, agreed to the bill repealing Falloux law, and regulating the conditions for the opening and working of the secondary Catholic schools. The bill renews the prohibition of teaching on the part of teaching on the part of members of unauthorized religious communities.

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Chicago, Oct. 27—The corpse of Nels Anderson, said to have been one of the best known steamship men in the country, was found today in a clump of bushes on the Washington Park golf links by a passing policeman. A bullet hole is in the man's head, but no trace of any weapons can be found.

Anderson was at one time general agent of the White Star Steamship Company, and was connected also with the Atlantic Steamship Company. His home was in Chicago.

REASNOS FOR PROSPERITY.

New York, Oct. 27—The British Trade Journal in its latest issue gives the prosperity of the United States as a reason for the prosperity of Great Britain and her colonies. It states that the demand by the people of the republic for agricultural produce and cattle has exceeded the supply, and hence ther ehas been a falling off in the exports of these commodities to Europe, and a consequent rise in prices there. Another reason for the rise in there. Another reason for the rise in prices was the shortage of the corn crop in 1901.

Brussels, Oct. 29—The Independence Belge publishes a despatch from Tangier to the effect that the French colony in Morocco had decided to ask Foreign Minister Delcasse to induce the Sultan to appoint a Moroccan Ambassador to Paris. Such an Ambassador could also be accredited to Madrid. The despatch says that the appointment would help to counterbalance the British influence in Moroccan affairs, there being at present over thirty Englishmen attached to the Court of the Moroccan Sultan, and not a single Frenchman.

MR. JOHN REDMOND MAKES AN EXPLANATION

As to What Has Been Done with the Parnell Fund Money--Committee was Outbid for the Avondale Estate

New York, Oct. 29—John Redmond, Chairman of the United Irish League, and of the Irish Parliamentary party, yesterday made a statement concerning the disposition of the funds raised in this country to save Avondale, the estate of the late Charles Stewart Parnell from the hands of outsiders. In a despatch to the Evening Post from London on Saturday, it was said that Mrs. Dickinson, sister of the late Mr. Parnell, had written a letter to the Irish Times, in which she demanded a full accounting from Mr. Redmond, saying that his chanc eof success in America would be better "if he could show that as regards the funds he collected to redeem the ancestral home of his former leader he had honestly and independently carried out the plans and applied the moneys to the purposes for which they were subscribed."

Soon after the funds were collected Mr. Redmond wrote to Mrs. Dickinson, telling her that the money was to be used for the erection of a monument to Mr. Parnell, and the purchase of Avondale House and lawn which would be available as a residence for the Parnell family. At the sale of the estate, the committee in charge of the funds, tried to purchase the house alone, but their bid was set aside in favor of a Dublin butcher, who purchased the whole property.

Mr. Redmond says that the funds are safely invested, and will now be used to pay for the erection of the monument, it being no longer possible to purchase Avondale House.

REDMOND'S STATEMENT.

Mr. Redmond's statement is as follows: "The funds collected by Lord Mayor Tallon and myself never at any time passed through my hands. They were to the Parnell Monument Committee in Dublin, and have been invested in Government stock for the treasurers of that committee by the most eminent stockbroker in Dublin, Mr. James McCann. As far as I know, the only actual expenditure has been in the purchase of a bronze bust of Parnell which was required by the sculptor who is making the monument, and in the purchase of a portion of the Avondale Library. These funds were collected for the purpose of creating a memorial to Parnell. This memorial was to consist of a monument in the streets of Dublin, and, if possible, the purchase of the Mansion House of Avondale, to be held for the nation, much as Washington's birthplace is at Mt. Vernon.

OUTBID BY A BUTCHER.

"At the sale of the estate two years ago, the committee bid for the house, but was outbid by a Dublin butcher, who made one bid for the whole estate, including the house. It afterwards transpired that he was acting in union with Mr. John Parnell, and that he paid the latter $10,000 in addition to the $10,000 paid as the price of the estate.

"It being no longer possible to purchase the house, the committee made a contract with Augustin St. Gaudens to build the monument. There has been some regrettable delay, but the model is now complete and Mr. St. Gaudens is coming here today to show it to me. I hope the work will now proceed rapidly and that the monument will soon be in its place. The funds at hand are not enough to complete the payment of the monument, but there will be no difficulty in obtaining the necessary balance when required."

Douk's Army At Yorkton.

Contradictory Stories of Their Conduct—One Says They Are Wild and the Other Simply Demented

Ottawa, Oct. 29—The Department of Immigration, received a despatch from Yorkton today, stating that about 1,000 Doughobors, who are religously demented, arrived there, and the women and children are being cared for by the Department. There were only five cases of sickness, and all the party were in good condition. An effort will be made to get them to return to the villages, where there is plenty of food. There is no distress, of any kind, and the pilgrims are making no disturbance. The Superintendent of Immigration said that he will look after the party, and charge the expense to the fund which was obtained from the sale of their goods.

ANOTHER STORY.

Winnipeg, Oct. 29—Two thousand of the Doukhobors have gone insane, or if it is not insanity it is closely allied to it. Thirteen hundred of them have now arrived at Yorkton after their long march and four hundred more are encamped near Pollock's Bridge, seven miles out. There is a lowering sky and the glass shows fourteen degrees of cloth. There are men, women and children and babes in arms among the fanatics. One babe was born on Monday, but the mother marched in the procession on Tuesday. Some are sick, some are borne on litters and some are barefooted, while many wear sandals and rubber boats.

"We are looking for new light, we are looking for Jesus," is the answer given be Simen Tcjeralakow, who is one of the leaders and who shows the light of insanity in his eyes. His feet are bare, and when asked where his boots were he only answers. "Jesus' boots."

Housing Them.

After much energetic work, the Dominion immigration agent, C. W. Speers, succeeded in getting the sick, with the women and children, house in the immigration buildings. But it was much against their wills. Their prophet, a typical ascetic, with disheveiled hair and unkempt beard, had told them that their babes would be taken from them when they arrived at Yorkton, and mothers deserted their babes on his prophecy and gave them up willingly, but would not follow them to the warmth and shelter that was prepared for them. The situation is serious. The Doukhobors feel that they have a revelation from God to release the sick, the women, and children from their present quarters, and special constables are being sworn in to protect them. Nearly two hundred Italian laborers are working on railway construction nearby, and Yorkton's telephone system ran summon aid from the country about should the mania develop more accutely.

A Howling Mob on the P rairie.

The fanatics, who are encamped near Pollock's Bridge, seven miles from Yorkton, are wild with the intoxication of starvation They are shouting, singing, and whirling about the prairie as the whirling Dervish whirls when in the heights of his religious frenzy. One woman refused milk for her starving babe and had to be held while it was given to the child. Residents are badly alarmed. While the Doughobors are opposed to having blood shed, they have buried people alive, and tell without any fear of having put five Russian priests to death in this way. The babes that died during the arduous march were thrown into the bushes by the roadside.

ing creatures have arrived and Immigration Agent Speers and Corporal Nugent of the NW M.P. are arranging for their reception. They have been greeted with smiles by some of the bystanders, and recite in reply in Russian from the 22nd Psalm, "They that see me, laugh me to scorn."

Seeking Rose Food.

The exposure of the trip was awful, with the low temperature and sweeping winds. Parties have left Yorkton in search of the fruit of the rose bush, for as no labor of animals has helped to produce this fruit the Doukhobors can eat it without sin. It is significant that their prophet is protected from the wind by a long frieze cape which protects him by reaching from the shoulders to the ground, while many of his followers had not sufficient clothing to prevent their perishing in a snow storm.

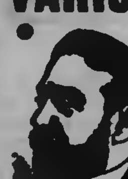
Anniversary Services

The anniversary services of the Park Street Baptist Church will be held on Nov 2nd and 3rd. Rev. P. K. Dayfoot, M.A., of Port Hope, will preach at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. On Monday evening tea will be served from 6 p.m. to 7.30 p.m. At 8 o'clock a programme will be given, including music, and a lecture, by Mr. Dayfoot, "Happy, Though Married." Freewill offering at the door; all welcome.

St. John's Dedication Festival

The Dedication Festival will be held on Sunday next. Among the events in connection with the occasion will be a Young People's Social on Monday evening next, to be arranged for by a meeting of young men tomorrow evening. On Tuesday evening, Nov. [illegible] a Turkish Social will be given, a [illegible] of which will be an [illegible] boy," given by Rev. Mr. [illegible] by Chaplain to the British [illegible] Constantinople.

VARICOCELE AND STRICTURE



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PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 30, 1902.

IMMEDIATE DISSOLUTION?

Mr. Fielding's organ, the Halifax Chronicle, advocates the immediate dissolution of Parliament. It says it would like to see "a general election in Canada before the snow flies on the ground." It is easy to understand why Mr. Fielding wants the election to come on at once. It is certain that Sir Wilfrid would retire as soon as the election was over, and now that Mr. Tarte is out of the way, Mr. Fielding feels confident that he could obtain the leadership of the party. If the election were put off Sir Wilfrid would be urged to continue in control, and the day of Mr. Fielding's ascendency would be postponed. An incident might happen, or a strong man might come to the front in the Liberal party and Mr. Fielding's chance might be lost altogether. He has now an advantage over all other applicants, because no other member of the Cabinet is even as good as he is. Mr. Prefontaine has told us that it was Mr. Tarte's ambition for leadership that was largely responsible for the disruption we have just witnessed, and that with his only able rival temporarily out of the way, Mr. Fielding recognizes his opportunity.

A PASSING SMILE.

Written for the Times:

The smile of mother saying good-by to her only boy. He's going off to college. She knows it's the parting of the ways between him and her. How she loves him. She places his cheeks between her hands and wistfully looks into his manly face and smiles good-by. It says, that smile of hers, as tears start in her eyes and the lips tremble, "My boy, my boy, only God knows how my heart loves you and how it aches." But she only says "Good-by, my child; be mamma's good boy." He goes, and though he may not know it, that good-by smile decides for him between right and wrong many times before he learns that it's easier to be good than bad.

There's the smile of the girl you love, who doesn't love you. She's a good girl, and it's a good, candid smile that says, "I'd be perfectly delighted to meet you on friendly grounds, but please don't bore me, telling about your love. It doesn't fit into my life."

And then there's the smile of the girl that loves you. She's worth a merry-go-round full of the one that you bore, yet you'd calmly let her drown while you hunted conch shells with the other one. Her smile says, louder than the breakers against the bar, that her happiness is all pinned to your whimsical sail, that flops and bellies to the varying breezes, sometimes heading into port, but oftener out.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

"Wash the transmitter and receiver daily" is the advice of the Chicago Health Department to telephone subscribers who want to guard against the possibility of contagion through the use of the instrument. Aside from the possibility of contagion, near or remote, says the Chicago Tribune, the daily wash is a sensible sanitary precaution which can be taken with little or no trouble and expense.

The failure of storage batteries for traction purposes is one of the reasons put forward for the financial disaster to German electrical companies. The German companies in most cases secured their municipal franchises by undertaking to use the batteries, and a single undertaking in Hanover has at present in service 171 accumulator cars. But storage is confessedly costly and heavy, and will not pay. At Berlin a sort of compromise has been arrived at to use underground conductors in central parts of the city, and overhead wires in less crowded and suburban districts.

The Boer generals are illogical and so are their French friends. It cost the Transvaal $200,000,000 to fight with England, did it? War is indeed a bloody luxury for nations, but the Boers should have thought of that before they began to be sassy and belligerent. Now Botha, and the others, are crying baby, because their property has been lost in the struggle. However, the sympathetic French have contributed a collection of $1,178 to help them out, so with this sum to offset the destruction by the British generals, all is not lost.

The coloring of the leaves in autumn says a good authority, is not due to frost, as many suppose, but is caused by a ripening or oxidation of chlorophyll and other pigments inherent in the leaf. The action is not precisely the same with all shades of color, but all may be reduced to an identical principle. One never attempts to account for a golden or rosy-cheeked apple through the agency of frost. Again, each year certain plants, like red maple, Virginia creeper and tupelo, begin to color vividly in August, while even the nights are still warm.

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long-delayed answer to the letter she had sent her mother. But when she grew calmer she realized that this could hardly be, and guessed what Hope Newcome must have done.

He had taken a liberty, perhaps, but it was not hard to forgive him, especially when, being accused, he admitted his guilt, looking shamed and unhappy, his eyes wistful as he begged her pardon.

After this Winifred grew somewhat more confidential with him, confessing that she had great need of money. She must earn some before she could try to steal quietly away from Brighton, or pay the debt which she felt was increasing with every day that she lingered at the little house in Salt street.

"Why shouldn't I go out with you and sing?" she suddenly flashed at him. "In these clothes, with this wig of Clara Purdy's and a mask like yours, it would be impossible for my own mother to know me except that she would recognise my voice in singing, which nobody here could do. And I can sing. I can really. Once I hoped to be a singer instead of an actress, but that was long ago. I haven't had time for singing lately. But I shall do well enough for the street."

She was sorry for those last words of all the instant they were uttered, lest his feelings, since he sang in the street, should be hurt. But if they were, his manner and face kept the secret. He did not seem to think of himself at all, but only of her. It would be impossible that she should do what she proposed, he said. It was not to be thought of for a moment.

But Winifred did think of it; and the more she thought the more practicable seemed the idea. She had no fear of being recognized in Clara Purdy's clothes, mask, and wig; and neither Lionel Macaire nor any member of the "Mazeppa" company had ever heard her sing. Indeed, no one whose presence she need fear in Brighton would know her singing voice.

Hope Newcome made money enough to tide him over a crisis in his financial affairs; why should not she? Surely there was no disgrace in trying to earn an honest living, and this seemed the only road open to her. She would think of it, and talk of it, and insist, despite her new friend's protestations, until at last he began to understand that she would be better in health and happier in mind if she were allowed to have her own way.

He consented to take her with him; and, quite as excited as she had ever been on a first night in a new part, she lifted up her voice to sing in the public street, accompanied by Hope Newcome's banjo.

The pair attracted quite a crowd, and when the masked man held out his banjo afterwards a shower of small silver and coppers went clinking in. At home later they counted their takings, and found that they had made six shillings. This was unusual luck, and Newcome attributed it entirely to the charm of Winifred's voice. He generally averaged two shillings, he said; and, of course, this was all hers, every penny of it.

But Winifred would not listen to such arguments. They were partners or nothing. She would not touch the money unless he would take half. Seeing anger in her eyes Newcome had to yield. And after this they went out together every day.

Winifred's eyes, shadowed by her mask, roamed hither and thither as she stood singing in the King's road or in less important thoroughfares. Once they were near a large hoarding which had displayed a poster of "Mazeppa," but everything was torn away save a bit of colored paper at the top, and half the name at the bottom.

Winifred could scarcely bear to look at this, fearing that the poster might have been one of the dreaded ones, and that Hope Newcome might have seen it in all its horror before some kind hand had torn it down.

She did not even guess whose hand had served her—not only in this one instance, but in many others. Newcome, however, could have told if he would; though he would probably have died by slow torture rather than speak at all of these vile paper desecrations, save with murmured profanity under his breath.

Winifred looked, too, for faces from the theater; but not one did she chance to see until, late one afternoon, Lionel Macaire had passed her by without a glance. Then had come the episode of the fight which had been begun to save her mask from being torn aside by rude fingers. She had rushed away, adjured by Newcome, and had not been there to see the millionaire when he returned.

She had her reasons for not wishing it known that she and Lionel Macaire were acquaintances. Hope Newcome had given a promise that his dealings with the man should remain a secret; and so it was that Fate began to play a pretty game of cross-purposes between the man and the girl who called each other "partners."

CHAPTER XXV.

The Jewel in the Toad's Head.

Hope Newcome had guessed Winifred's difficulties without being told, for his mind was sensitized by his passionate love for the girl, and her thoughts, as they passed through her brain, seemed often to print themselves upon his. If he had not engaged himself to go to London and train for the coming event, which might mean everything for his future, it would have been hard for him to bid her go. But as it was, though his bargain with Macaire was to be so profound a secret, Newcome was joyous at the prospect of Winifred's departure to London. Even if he did not see her there for many a day to come it would be something to feel that she was not far away.

Not only did he advise her to go as soon as possible to her mother, but, when he had received the fifty pounds promised in advance from Macaire, he sent half the sum anonymously to Winifred.

Just how he should do this had been a puzzle. She would not take money from him, that was certain. He could not forge a letter from the girl's mother, or from the brother of whom she had spoken rather sadly once or twice. And no friend of hers was supposed to know her present whereabouts.

But, after much thinking, he hit upon an idea, which he at once proceeded to work out. He addressed an envelope in a feigned hand to "The Young Lady Singer in the Mask," 12 Salt street, Brighton. In the same cramped writing he penned a few lines on a sheet of paper, saying:

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MILLIONS OF DOLLARS should be paid to the stockholders of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company when their property is fully developed, their refinery equipped and in full operation. ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS was paid by Kern County Oil Companies during the month of August alone.

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A GOOD REASON WHY YOU Should invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. *More fortunes have* been made in oil than any other business. Consider the immense amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for its fortunate stockholders, and the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard Oil Company. Here is what $100 has accomplished for those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:

Home Whittier $1,000 on an investment of $100.

Kern returned $2,200 on an investment of $100.

Peerless returned $1,800 on an investment of $100.

Dillon returned $2,500 on an investment of $100.

New York returned $30,000 on an investMent of $100.

Union returned $150,000 on an investment of $100.

Home returned $50,000 on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Company's oil holdings and property, when developed and handled, should not bring like returns

CONTRARY to the general supposition the earth is the repository of all mineral wealth. When it is known and demonstrated beyond a question of a doubt where its wealth reposes and you put your money up to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people but creates new wealth. It is therefore an investment.

Wonderful Increase in Value of Oil Stocks.

The rapid rise in the value of shares in some oil companies will be seen from the following table:

	Original price per share	Present Market price
Black Mountain Oil Co.	$ .40	$ 1.50
Central Oil Co.	.10	1.90
Home Oil Co. Whittier	.25	2.00
Monte Cristo Co.	.10	2.50
West Shore Co.	[illegible]	4.50
Twenty-eighth Oil Co	.50	2.50
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	[illegible]	1.70
Sterling Oil & Development Company	.50	2.25
Dillon Oil Co	.25	2.50
Peerless Co	.10	8.62
San Joaquin Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kern Oil Co	[illegible]	[illegible]
Thirty-three Oil Co.	[illegible]	11.50
Kern River Oil Co	[illegible]	[illegible]
New York Oil Co	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oil City Petroleum Co.	2.50	[illegible]
Hanford Oil Co	2.00	[illegible]
Kreyenhagen Oil Co	.10	[illegible]
Columbia Oil Co.	100.00	[illegible]
Union Oil Co.	1.00	[illegible]
Home Oil co	100.00	[illegible]

The time will come in the near future when stock in St. Paul and Sunset Oil Co., should bring prices equal to the last.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 30, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Wanted

Good Cook and Dining Room Girl, good wages. Apply at Munro House.

Lost

Yesterday morning on Hunter st., and Ashburnham, a lady's velvet belt with four gold ornaments. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Times Office.

Have Your Piano Tuned

R. S. Shaw, piano tuner for Heintzman & Co., direct, is in the city. Parties requiring their piano tuned, please leave orders at Mr. C. H. Bentley's store.

Four Boys Wanted

Four good boys wanted at The Times office—one to learn bookbinding, one to learn press work, one to carry an Ashburnham route and one as messenger in the bookstore.

Lease the Grounds

The Peterborough Turf Club has leased the driving park from Mr. R. A. Morrow, for a term of five years. The Club intends to make improvements in the grounds and grandstand, and will have a big meet spring and autumn.

Our Football Hero

Raw! Raw! Raw!
Gee! Gee! Fee!
Nose off—ear off—
Spavin on my knee!
Jawbone busted—
Splices in my spine—
Won't the girls go crazy
As I waltz down the line!

Off for the Hunt

The following members of the Gold Lake Hunt Club left yesterday for Moon River, Parry Sound, where they will chase the antler: Messrs. Wm. Snowden, Jos. Pentland, Arthur Blade, Sam Ray, W. R. Hartshorn, Martin McFadden, G. M. Roger, L. Strate, R. H. Kells, T. E. Boddy. A number of Harold Snowden's carrier pigeons were taken along.

Toothache Cured in One Minute

Saturate some batting with Polson's Nerviline and place in the cavity of the tooth. Rub the painful part of the face with Nerviline, bind in a hot flannel and the toothache will disappear immediately. Nerviline is a splendid household remedy for Cramps, Indigestion, Summer Complaint, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, and Toothache. Powerful, penetrating, safe and pleasant for internal and external use. Price 25c. Try Nerviline.

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Wanted Some Change

There are people who believe in being matter of fact in church as well as anywhere else. On Sunday last in a house of worship, one of the collectors received a shock which he hasn't recovered from yet. The first person he presented the plate to, who was seated in a front seat, dropped on a five cent piece. In the next pew was situated a man with a look of irresolution on his face. But when the plate was put in front of him the look of irresolution gave place to one of stern resolve. Dropping a ten cent piece on the plate he picked up the solitary five which had been put there by the person in the front pew, and dropped it into his pocket, after which resumed the quiet air of devotion he had worn before the collectors started on their rounds.

November Canadian Magazine

The fiction in the November Canadian Magazine is exceptionally strong. There are good short stories by Jean Blewett, Albert R. King, and N. de Bertrand Lugrin, and the first instalment of Virna Sheard's new serial, entitled "Fortune's Hill." This latter is a story of student life, and describes the use of education in a country such as ours, in enabling a young man to rise to higher and better things. Among the illustrated articles, Julia W. Henshaw describes the beauties in and about Field, a little village in the Rockies; Charles Lewis Shaw gives an impressionistic sketch of "The Fire-Fighters of Toronto," which is accompanied by some striking pictures; while C. W. Nash, the Ontario naturalist, writes most engagingly of "The Ways of the Woodcock," illuminated with his own drawings. For those interested in "home study," there is an article on Shakespeare's use of Birds and another on Astronomy, both of which are quite readable. Norman Patterson reviews the situation of the Alaskan Boundary Question, and F. Blake Crofton, the Halifax librarian and litterateur, deals with some "Imperial Bugbears." The departments are as interesting as usual.

THE KING'S BIRTHDAY

Some of the Local Societies May Celebrate Nov. 9th

Sunday, the 9th of November, will be the anniversary of the birth of His Majesty King Edward VII., and in many places arrangements are being made to mark the event in a quiet way.

No doubt in Peterborough the matter will be confined mostly to special services in the churches, and probably entertainments of a patriotic nature on the evening following.

NO INDIAN SUMMER YET

Changes are to Rapid—May Have a Fine Spell in November

There has been no Indian summer this fall, but people are looking for it every day. The weather for the past few days has been varied, but is not what is known as Indian summer. The atmospheric conditions are changing with much rapidity. In fact, the changes are occurring so rapidly that the forecasters at the Observatory experience great difficulty in making reliable predictions for any length of time ahead. It is thought the weather may settle shortly, and a couple of weeks in November will answer the description all right.

C.P.R. TO MIDLAND

There is Every Prospect That the Line will be Built

As will be seen by our telegraphic despatches in this issue, Mr. W. H. Bennet, M.P., who accompanied the Conservative leader, Mr. R. L. Borden, in the recent trip through the Northwest refers to the prospect of the C.P.R. getting into Midland from Peterborough.

Mr. Bennet says that there would be a great advantage in having C.P.R. connection, as this road would then become the leading grain route from the west.

The proposal, as will be remembered, for the C.P.R. to double track the Grand Trunk between Peterborough and Midland. It is expected that work will be begun early in the spring.

SERUM OF WHOOPING COUGH

Brussels Physician Says He can Cure the Disease in Ten Days

London, Oct. 29—A young Brussels physician named Loureaux, says he has discovered the serum of whooping cough, which is injected under the skin in the abdominal region. From the experiments, which he has conducted hitherto the injection appears to be quite harmless.

The first effects are apparently about forty-eight hours after the inoculation. The serum produces an early cessation of the coughing fits and a considerable diminution of the normal period of illness. If the injection is made immediately on the manifestation of the usual symptoms the malady can be cured in eight or ten days. The usual course is from six to eight weeks.

OUR FIRST VOLUNTEER CO'Y

Names of Those Who Joined our First Militia Corps

The following are the names of those who formed the first volunteer company in Peterborough, in 1866:

Edmund Poole, Captain.
James A. Hall, Ensign.
William Johnston, Color-Sergeant.
Templeton Brown, Sergeant.
Wm. Logan, Sergeant.
John I. Davidson, Sergeant.
Edward Green, Bugler.
Thomas Burk, Corporal.
A. T. Heathfield, Corporal.
Edward Cookson, Corporal.

Privates—David Arnott, David Breeze, Walter Beal, Joseph Craig, James Craig, Richard Cook, David Gamble, Erasmus Green, John Green, Wm. Isbister, David Law, Wm. Morrow, Martin Lynch, John B. McWilliams, John May, Edmund Mannell, John Madden, W. C. Picton, John Robertson, Henry Owens, Wm. Solomon, Robt Stuit, Alexander Stewart, Andrew Stevenson, George Taylor.

THE TEMPERANCE PARTY ARE NOW ORGANIZING

The Whole County to be Put Into Line for the Vote

A meeting of the temperance workers to discuss the coming campaign was held in the Maccabee's Hall, Peterborough, last Tuesday evening. The Good Templars threw open their regular lodge meeting to the members of other temperance societies and friends of the cause in general. The Chief Templar, Mr. Cowan, was called to the chair and Mr. Roddis, of the Royal Templars, appointed secretary. Mr. Weeks, of Toronto, representing the Dominion Alliance, explained the general plan of organization, and said that practically all the counties of the Province were either already organized for the campaign or had taken steps to that end. The Rev. Mr. Potter explained what action had been taken by the Peterborough Ministerial Association, who had issued an invitation to their brother ministers of the county to meet them in conference on this question at the Y.M.C.A. building here next Monday Nov. 3rd at 2 p.m.

After some discussion it was unanimously resolved that the meeting through the chairman and Secretary invite all temperance workers of the county to meet next Monday at 2 p.m. at the same place to consult with the ministers and to effect the organization of the county for the coming vote on the Ontario Liquor Act.

Ringing in the Ears

There is just one cure and that is plenty of food for the blood and nerves, which is best supplied in Ferrozone, than which no blood builder, nerve tonic or strength producer is better. Ferrozone promotes healthy digestion, which results in improved nutrition. The blood grows rich and red, furnishes stability to the entire system, and the store of nerve force and energy increases daily. A rebuilding of the constitution, new spirits, health and strength, all come from the use of Ferrozone. This marvelous renovator is sold by Druggists for 50c. a box, or six boxes for $2.50. By mail from Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

A Blaze at the Gas House

A blaze in the boiler room of the gas house caused considerable excitement last night. The flames were confined to the roof of the building, and considerable damage was done.

The annual harvest tea of the congregation of St. Mark's, will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 11th, in the Forester's Hall, Otonabee.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Court of Revision met last night.

—Merchants are getting in their holiday goods.

—Anthracite coal is selling at $10 a ton in Hamilton.

—Good progress is being made on the new rink.

—The C.P.R. has handled over 13,500,000 bushels of grain, up to Oct 21st.

—The American Cereal Co. are paying 33 cents for choice white oats.

—Lieut.-Col. Drury will, it is expected inspect the 14th Field Battery guns.

—A $175 organ, with eleven stops—as good as new—will be sold for $37.50. This is a snap.

—A runaway on George street yesterday afternoon caused considerable excitement.

—A couple of second hand coal stoves for sale cheap. Apply at The Times Bookstore.

—The executive committee of the C.G. E. Co. Mutual Benefit Society, meets this evening at the Y.M.C.A.

—The A.R.M. Bible Club of the Y.M.CA held its first social last night at 7.30. A unique programme was presented.

—Get your school scribblers at the Times Bookstore. They have the best paper and are the cheapest.

—The Snowden-Rutherford hunting party, ten in number, left yesterday for the North Shore hunting grounds.

—The Grand Trunk will erect a new freight depot on the old Parliament grounds in Toronto.

—A few county of Peterborough maps left. Splendidly mounted on rollers, for $2.50. Times Bookstore.

—The Oriental hotel has been overhauled and repainted. It now looks quite nobby, in its new coat of paint.

—The government dredge is making satisfactory progress dredging the river above the Hunter street bridge.

—A look in the north window of the Times Bookstore will be of special interest to the public balance of this week.

—A great many licenses are being issued this year to hunters. The number will exceed that of any previous year.

—Messrs. W. J. Pearson & Son, horse buyers, purchased twenty fine animals yesterday in town, and shipped them to Montreal.

—When out for a walk take a peep in north window of Times Bookstore and novelty goods on exhibition this week only.

—Two furnished rooms to let, suitable for young women going to business. Meals can be had if desired. Very central location. Apply at Times Bookstore.

—Miss Benson, of St. Catherines, was fatally shot and killed, by her younger brother on Wednesday evening. She was known by many in Peterborough.

—Mr. David Elliott, a highly respected citizen of Cobourg passed away yesterday afternoon. He was over 80 years of age.

—The steamer Water Lily came into port yesterday with a cargo of wheat from Robbins' Landing for the McAllister Milling Co.

Handsome new goods arriving daily at Times Bookstore. Many new novelty pick-nacks which are both useful and ornamental. See them.

—There is likely to be a serious shortage of coal cars which may affect the price of coal in Peterborough as well as in other places in this district.

—A young man accustomed to night work desires employment at day work. Can give good references. Apply at this office for address.

—The municipal wood yard in many of the cities did not prove a success, and is not likely to do so in Peterborough, should it be attempted.

—Mr. Wm. Houlihan, a farmer aged 80 years, living near Cobourg, while at church was taken suddenly ill and expired in about ten minutes.

—In Lindsay during the past century seven instances have been recorded in which the bride has married the best man by mistake.

—An inquest upon the body of Harold Leslie Long, of Port Hope, who died from diphtheria while under Christian Science treatment was commenced last night.

—The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A will hold its annual meeting in the parlor this afternoon at 3.30. All members and other ladies who are interested in the work for young men are invited.

The Peterborough girl who got into trouble in Toronto recently was arranged in Police Court there and allowed to go on suspended sentence. A clergyman from town appeared on the girl's behalf.

—Municipal candidates are commencing to whisper in the ear of the ratepayer. Take care who you promise, and have all statements sifted. Charges and assertions that have to be whispered, and will not bear discussion, are generally lies. Better not promise at all until you know the facts.

—Lindsay Post: Mr. R. Sackville, of Dundas and Flavelle Bros. staff, who has been laid up with typhoid fever in Nicholls Hospital, Peterboro, spent last night in town and left this morning for his home in Cannington. It will be a couple of weeks before Mr. Sackville will be able to resume his position.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. Roland Carter and Mr. Wm. Allen of Lakefield, are visiting friends in town.

—Mr. F. W. C. Shewer, of Julien's Landing, is in town and gave The Times a pleasant call.

—Mr. J. W. Bennett, of the law firm of Roger & Bennett, has returned from a business trip to the Pacific Coast.

—Miss Meharry, Aylmer st., has returned home after spending a pleasant two weeks' visit with sisters and friends in Toronto.

—Mr. Thos. Kelly has accepted a position with the Ontario Power Company at Niagara Falls. He will be greatly missed by his many friends in Peterborough.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. Hicks have returned from their honeymoon and have taken up residence at the corner of Murray and Aylmer streets.

—We had the pleasure of a call yesterday from Mr. A. Bretz, district superintendent of the London Life Assurance Company, which is under the efficient management of Mr. George Lee.

—Mr. J. Alex Culverwell, of Peterborough, has had the honor conferred upon him of a Vice-Presidency of Upper Canada College Old Boys' Association, which is practically the governing body of this great school,—the Legislature having placed this responsibility upon the Association. Mr. Culverwell is also a member of the Building Committee of the proposed new gymnasium and drill hall and hockey rink for the college.

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Mrs. Giltpace—Splendid. Why, I never have to see the baby from one week's end to the other.

The Kind That Got Away.

"That little minnow," said the first fish, "seems to have got a big opinion of himself all of a sudden." "Yes," replied the other, "he managed to wriggle off a hook this morning, and then heard the fisherman bragging about his size."—Philadelphia "Press."

"Yo' say Mistah Johnsing am industrious?" "Yeas, sah. Why, he spent two whole days tryin' to get his wife a job." —Chicago "Daily News."

Israel Zangwill has been one of the sprightliest witnesses in the "Truth" libel case in London. Asked whether his paper, "Ariel," was still in existence, he replied: "No. It was too good to live. I can't, however, say that it is dead, for its jokes still appear."

Milly—My husband objects to this bathing dress. Tilly—Oh, I don't see much in it. Milly—Oh, it isn't that. It's what you see out of it that he objects to.

Muggins—Youngpop is going to have his baby christened Bill. Buggins—How strange. Muggins—Oh, I don't know. He came on the first of the month.

Amusing Mistakes.

Some years ago a school teacher began to keep a record of amusing mistakes made by the children in her charge. These grew so quickly to respectable dimensions that a volume of them has just been published, fortified by an introduction from Mark Twain. The author expressly states that every reply is genuine, and that in no case has there been any tampering with the originals.

One child, asked for a definition of plagiarist, replied "a writer of plays." Very good also is the definition of a demagogue as "a vessel containing beer and other liquids."

"To find the number of square feet in a room," writes a young mathematician, "you multiply the room by the number of feet."

There is a quaint truth in the statement that "Henry VIII. of England was famous for being a great widower, having lost several wives."

Perhaps, however, the best of all is one which comes under the head of "Music," and which says that "emphasis is putting more distress on one word than another."

No Need of Assistance.

The father of the family had stepped into a bookstore to buy a birthday present for his fourteen-year-old son. "What kind of book would you like?" asked the salesman, to whom he had confided his purpose.

"Something that would be useful for the boy," was his reply.

"Well, here is a very good one on 'Self-Help.'"

"Self-help!" exclaimed the father. "Son don't need anything of that kind. You ought to see him at the dinner-table!"

Has Been.

An Englishman went into a restaurant in a New England town, and was served for the first course with a delicacy unknown to him. So he asked the waiter what it was, and the waiter replied: "It's bean soup, sir," whereupon the Englishman, in high indignation, responded: "I don't care what it's been; I want to know what it is." —Philadelphia "Times."

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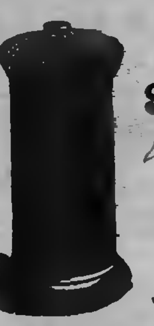

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2	34 in.	10 1-2 in	$15.00
3	37 1-2 in.	12 in	$19.20
4	41 in.	15 in	$28.80

DIRECTIONS

When filling the stove always shut the draught door at the bottom.

Keep the small opening in the back pipe closed except when cleaning.

Clean the back pipe every two weeks.

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We are using one No. 3 Star stove in our large rooms, where formerly we had four large wood heaters, and get more heat now than before. The wood stoves cost us $4.50 every week for fuel, and the Star stove which we are now using costs us only $1.50, making a saving of $3.00 per week in the price of fuel—which would soon pay for the stove. We can recommend this stove to any person wanting a first-class heater. We would not use any other stove that is made.

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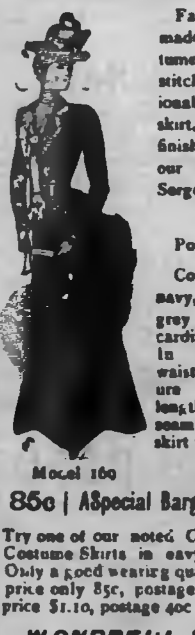

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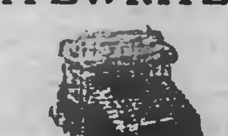

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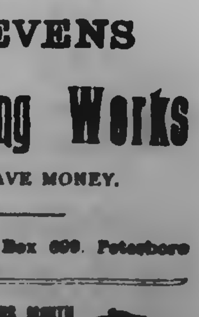

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The Situation In The North Much Less Disquieting Than a Few Days Ago

THE CONDITIONS AMONGST THE CRAZED PEOPLE

A Times' Representative Visits the Settlement—They are Centuries Behind the Age

Yorkton, N.W.T., October 30.—The first contingent of the Doukhobor pilgrims marched up Broadway shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday, numbering about 1,100 and was followed by a second and last detachment during the afternoon of some five hundred; altogether there are 1,600 of this race in town.

The two cavalcades had about a dozen litters, constructed of poles and ropes and blankets, on which the sick or enfeebled were carried. In one litter was an old man, blind a long period in both eyes; another contained an old woman afflicted with chronic rheumatism. Such was the variety of the helpless. Only one girl appeared to be suffering from the exposure to which the travellers must have been subjected. Other litters contained women and babies, some of whom were evidently born while on the march, the youngest being three days old. All were warmly and seasonably clad, with the exception of the three extremists, who were bareheaded and barefooted.

THE ORDER OF MARCHING

was irregular; Psalms in the peculiar Doukhobor tones being chanted whilst on the move. The first body halted in front of the immigration hall, and were met by C. W. Speers and J. C. Crerar, officials of the Interior Department.

Mr. Speers asked the leaders why they had come to Yorkton, what was their object and where were they going.

The reply was that they knew not where they were going, and were seeking "the new light."

Not being able to get a satisfactory answer to the several questions, Mr. Speers told them they would not be allowed to travel over the country accompanied with women and children as they had been.

The immigration hall was then opened, and the men invited to conduct the women and children and the ailing ones into the building, where they were assured that every care and attention would be given. The Doukhobors stood sullen and made no response.

The statement was then repeated, this time emphatically, that if the women and children were not voluntarily led into the building such a step would be taken by the officials.

Corporal Junget and one constable, assisted by willing spectators, then began the work of housing. When this work had been started, the Doukhobors began to assist carrying in the babies. One or two women refused to be separated from their husbands, but their resistance was easily overcome. The housing was eventually completed. Besides the immigration hall several other buildings were utilized.

The women of the town generously came to the help of the infants and in other ways showed tokens of sympathy to the Doukhobor females. Whilst the work of housing was progressing the men were psalm singing.

No shelter was provided for the men, who were left to look after themselves. The whole body was not by any means destitute, as each man was carrying provisions. The spectacle was one for sympathy, and other Doukhobors who stood watching the proceedings, on being interrogated, said it was a crazy act in which they would take no part.

It is uncertain what will be the future of the pilgrimage.

At present all is quiet and peaceable.

VISIT TO DISTRICT.

A Times' correspondent has just returned from an extensive trip through the Doukhobor settlement to the north and northeast of Yorkton, and has endeavored to sift out facts from the many conflicting rumors which have been going the rounds lately in regard to these people. It is extremely difficult to get at the true facts of the matter, but there is no doubt whatever that a large number of the Doukhobors left their villages and marched out toward Swan River.

VILLAGES DESERTED.

In many cases entire villages have been deserted. The vegetables and grain which they have raised this year are either stored in their houses or stand in the stack unthreshed. In nearly every village to the northeast of Yorkton some members at least have gone. In one village that I visited the grain was still standing in the stack and there appeared to be only two men remaining in the place. These men said it was not their intention to thresh their grain. At a village just a mile and one half from there it appeared that none of their members had gone. Their grain was all threshed and the people appeared to be contented. This particular village had 600 bushels of wheat and 1,500 bushels of oats stored in their granaries.

One of the brightest young fellows I met in any of the villages was here, and he told me that he did not wish to leave Canada, that was quite satisfied. Three miles from that village I came on another, where some of the residents had gone on the tramp. This village had threshed its grain, but in a long conversation I had with one of the members of this community he informed me that that the Doukhobors wished to leave the country. He said they wished to get to some warmer country than Canada; that in Canada man made too much money; that in the country where he came from all men were poor, and that we in this country did not know what poverty was. He wished to get to some idealistic spot where men held all things in common. There was no doubt whatever of the sincerity of the man's speeches, but there was also no doubt whatever that, whatever they may have intended to do when they came to this country, the large majority will be of very little use now. In many respects the Doukhobors are splendid people, but they are at least a thousand years behind our time in agriculture and everything else.

THRESHING.

The manner of their threshing shows the character of the people. This latter operation was very interesting to witness. They first cleared about an acre of ground, which they tramped hard, then laid the sheaves in circular rows from the outside until the centre was reached. Then they took a roller about four feet long, on which they had nailed cleats of wood, and hitched that to a wagon. Underneath the wagon they drew a long flat stoneboat, into the bottom of which had been set triangular pieces of iron; then a boy was put on the wagon to drive a team of horses round and round on the straw until the chaff and grain were entirely separated from the straw. During the time these curious threshing machines were travelling round the circle some of the men threw the straw up and rolled it over so as to thresh every particle. After they considered the grain threshed the straw was very carefully lifted off the chaff and wheat and the latter was brushed into a pile in the centre. to clean the grain two women held a sieve between them shaking it up, while another woman poured the wheat into the sieve. In this manner they threshed about eighty bushels a day.

Winnipeg, Oct. 30 — After a whole night of medication and prayer and chant singing the Doukhobors at Yorkton have decided not to return to their villages, but are still fixed in their determination to convert the world. The Mounted Police are guarding the women and children, and watching the males lest they do them harm. There has been no sign of violence, and many of the Doukhobors living in Yorkton have been trying to persuade the pilgrims to return to their villages.

The immigration agent at Swan River has sent Immigration Commissioner Moffatt particulars of their search for a "new life." Eight hundred from the various communities about Thunder Hill were induced to join the pilgrimage, and on Tuesday afternoon the army, eleven hundred strong, passed through Fort Pelly. They were carrying on stretchers all those who were too sick or weak to walk.

A Wild Lot of People.

Many of the men stepped out of the ranks as they passed the immigration agent to shake hands and thank him for his kindness as they said good-bye. They told Officer Harley they were leaving all to "go and meet Jesus." Markoff, the leader, told him they were going to Terpennie.

"And where then?" enquired Mr. Harley.

"We don't know." was the reply.

Many asked the officer what the Government would do, and he assured them this was a free country where, if they did not desire to sleep in warm houses and have plenty to eat, they were at liberty to sleep in the open air and go barefoot.

At Terpennie the pilgrims were met by George, the brother of Peter Veringen, a Siberian exile, who still exercises a strong influence over the people, and for whom they entertain a deep veneration.

One village has been entirely deserted, and there the department has stationed guards over their goods and grain. In another village there are five persons remaining, and in another, fifty-five.

The leaders of the movement have been notified that they will not be allowed to beg, and that the sick people and insane women will be taken from them Before leaving the Doukhobors spent considerable in the purchase of warm underclothing and are well clad. Only a few have thrown away their hats and shoes, preferring to go barefoot. The women have thrown away blankets and clothing they were unable to carry.

The department officers are satisfied the pilgrims are sincere in their religious mania, though they are beginning to expect the leaders will utilize the movement to ask for a new location

WHAT THEY ARE LIKE.

Mr. H. Hellyer, a young Russian Jew who is at present attending the Toronto Bible School, College street, knows more perhaps, about the Doukhobors than anyone in the city. He has seen them in Russia, he can speak their tongue, and he has just returned from the North-West, where he has been spending some weeks among them as representative of the Upper Canada Bible Society.

To the Star Mr. Hellyer talked on Doukhobors, and answered a number of questions.

"They come from the south-eastern part of Russia, don't they?"

"Yes, and the climate there is just about the same as the climate here."

"Where do they get their belief?"

"They say from the Spirit."

The Doukhobors, so Mr. Hellyer says is a very conscientious fellow. Should a mosquito, for instance, succeed in tapping his face or hand he would not kill him ker-slap-bang, the way an ordinary mortal would. No, no: the Doukhobor would carefully give the interfering hole-drilling insect warning that it was time to quit, and allow him to fly away. The Doukhobor opens his Bible and stakes his claim on "Thou shalt not kill." He does not kill, he will not eat what is killed, and flies, ants, insects, and the myriads of the lower world may ramble over their persons with impunity.

They do not believe in physical laws, and take no stock in the criminal code, or any other code that may be drawn up by man. They say God is the only lawgiver.

To secure a license before they can marry seems to them foolishness and sin. To register the birth or death of a babe seems to be nothing short of sacrilege. So, according to Mr. Hellyer's statements they don't fit in to the niche which was cut out for them in the great West.

However, Mr. Hellyer says he believes there is a good deal of exaggeration about the acts of these people. He takes no stock in the statement in the papers that in Russia they burned five priests alive and are now boasting of it.

The Doukhobor has his good points. He is not lazy. He will not make his wife do all the hard work. But he backs up on butter, milk and eggs. There are about 500 of these people who are not vegetarians and they are getting on in marked contrast to the others. Mr. Hellyer does not believe it is possible for them to thrive in the North-West unless they abandon their peculiar views, collect their stock together, and commence on the meat, milk butter and egg diet, the same as the other settlers. The climate demands it.

WHEN THE WEATHER BEGINS TO GET COOL

(Contributed.)

I acknowledge I'm beaten; I've nothing
[to say;
And in sympathy here is my hand.
I had thought in my weak-minded bach-
[elor way,
(But of course I did not understand),
That to travel life's road with the girl
[of one's choice.
And to listen in turn to each innocent
[voice
Of six loving children, would make one
[rejoice,
And would glorify ocean and land.

But you've kindly informed me in meta-
[phors mixed
You're in harness and also in school;
So I plainly perceive how lamentably
[fixed
You benedicts are as a rule;
And I see it is wiser to chase o'er the
[hills
Allegorical maids, thus avoiding the ills
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[creasing bills
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Transportation Is Engaging Attention of the West

Mr. W. H. Bennett, M. P. for East Simcoe, Finds North West Farmers Intensely Interested In This Subject

Montreal, Oct. 30.—Mr. W. H. Bennett, M.P., for East Simcoe, is in the city today on business. Mr. Bennett was one of those who accompanied Mr. R. L. Borden on his recent tour of the West, and he has come back with some decided views of the western situation.

"The first thing that struck me in that country," says Mr. Bennett, "was the great rapidity with which people are making money. A person who has not seen it can have no conception of it. As to their political views they are doing a lot of thinking. They got straight talk from Mr. Borden, and they enjoyed and appreciated it.

"What they are worrying about in the West is the question of transportation. They want railways everywhere, and they want them quick. You can easily see that a man who has to team 30 miles is at a decided disadvantage as compared with the man who can load from his thresher into a waggon and take it to the station. If they get the transportation facilities I am quite convinced that they will be willing to stand for anything reasonable in the way of protection."

FUTURE OF MIDLAND.

The town of Midland, where Mr. Bennett resides, is very much interested in the transportation problem, and especially in the proposed arrangement by which the C. P. R. will secure running rights over the Grand Trunk from Midland to Peterborough. "Already," says Mr. Bennett, "some 12 million bushels of grain have passed through Midland this season, and it is expected to reach 15 millions before the season closes. There would be a very decided advantage to the C. P. R. in carrying through Midland to Peterborough and thence by their main line. It seems a much better route than their present one from Owen Sound to Toronto."

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THE BOER GENERALS ARE SORELY DISAPOINTED

Botha Talks at Some Length on the Failure of Their Mission

Special to The Times.

London, Oct. 30—Regarding the failure of the Boer mission, General Botha said today: "Having come here to plead a cause which should speak eloquently enough for itself, we are sorely disappointed by the result. At last, we have every reason to consider that we have failed in our errand. It is assumed that we did not take kindly to the loan. That supposition was gratuitous as to the shape in which the material should be given. We had neither the right nor the will to pick and choose. But having seen no prospect of receiving such help we appealed for aid to all the nations of the world. That course was sharply criticised. So far as we can see, all our appeals to foreigners implied was that our people were in sore need of instant relief, and that we were willing to undergo the humiliation, no trivial ordeal, of pleading for it. Memories of help withheld, despite the pressing needs and the urgent appeal for justice and generosity, are certain to live long, die hard and inflict damage out of all proportion to their seeming importance. While the painful incidents of the war however deep the wounds they may have inflicted at the time, are forgiven, even forgotten. Those which follow peace rankle long in the minds of high-spirited people. I am stating well known facts, not uttering a covert threat. The sum required to relieve the primary needs of South Africa would not constitute a really irksome burden to this wealthy Empire, though certainly it is more than we have yet seen and disposition to grant. The number of farms destroyed is larger by far than the people of England imagine. We ourselves who know the country and its people are reduced to estimates which, laying no claim to absolute accuracy, would require to be officially verified by some impartial commission."

BOND WILL OPPOSE CHAMBERLAIN.

London, Oct. 30—The Cape Argus in an article quoted by a Cape Town correspondent, comments on the virulent editorial on Mr. Chamberlain's approaching visit to South Africa which appeared in South African News. The Argus says the members of the Afrikander Bond are afraid of Mr. Chamberlain's visit. They know they cannot hoodwink him any more than they could Lord Milner. They will do all they can to make the Colonial Secretary's trip a failure, but Mr. Chamberlain is more than a match for them all.

INDIAN CHIEFS OFFER TROOPS.

London, Oct. 30.—The Maharajah of Jodhpur, says a Simla correspondent has volunteered to send for service in Somaliland 600 Imperial service troops, mounted on camels. The Maharajah of Bikaner has offered the whole of his camel corps. The Nawab of Bahawulpur has also offered to send a camel squadron The correspondent says that the native chiefs of India are displaying the greatest eagerness to offer assistance to Great Britain.

Constantinople, Oct. 30—Turkey objects to withdrawing any of her troops from Aden hinterland until the frontier question is settled. Great Britain, on the other hand demands that the withdrawal of Turkish troops precede the frontier negotiations.

London, Oct. 30. The Times to-day prints further extracts from the "Memoirs of President Kruger," which will be published in November. Referring to the late Cecil Rhodes, Mr. Kruger says he was one of the most unscrupulous characters that ever existed. No matter how base and how contemptible, be it lying, bribery or treachery, all and every means were welcome to him if they would lead to the attainment of his ambitions and desires. Mr. Kruger describes Lord Milner as "This tool of Chamberlain's," and says the High Commissioner has carved out his mission faithfully, "and today enjoys the satisfaction of having turned South Africa into a wilderness, and robbed thousands of innocent people of their lives." Lord Milner, Mr. Kruger declares lost no opportunity go by of harassing the South African Republic and putting his foot on its neck. Of Great Britain's policy in South Africa the ex-President says: — "Lies, treachery, intrigues and secret instigations against the Government of the republic—these have always been the distinguishing marks of English politics which have found their final goal in a cruel war.

If Hon. Joseph Chamberlain visits the colonies he will receive a series of the greatest ovations ever accorded a British statesman abroad. No other British minister has ever so completely filled the eye of the public in the King's "oversea dominions," or so won their confidence and admiration. This was shown in London during the coronation when thousands of colonials were gathered there from every part of the empire. With the exception of Their Majesties, the personality that most attracted these visitors was Chamberlain.

Boer Wonder at the Fruit

Orchards of the Niagara District Took Them by Surprise

The Boer delegates left Toronto today at 8.35 a.m. for Owen Sound, where at noon they expect to take the boat for Sault Ste Marie, the fact that the hatches have had to be nailed down on the recent lake trips have no terrors for them.

They expressed themselves as being more delighted with the fruit district of Niagara than with anything else they had seen in Canada. As they drove from Hamilton to Grimsby, passing past farm after farm with nothing on it but fruit, and no mixed farming anywhere, their surprise was unbounded. They were delighted with the fine, clean orchards, without sod and without other crops than apples.

"Why don't you grow corn in your orchards, as we do in South Africa?" they asked one grower.

"If we did that," was the answer, "we would have some corn and some apples but not a great deal of either."

At the fruit farm of Mr. L. Wolverton, they found Baldwins and Spies being packed for the Glasgow market. Each apple was being wrapped separately, and packed in excelsior in quarter-barrel boxes, a method now adopted by all the best fruit exporters.

"And this has got to be the way of packing all perishable fruit in the future," said Mr. G. C. Creelman, who accompanied the Boers. "The extra expense is far more than paid for. New markets may be reached, and not only that, but the old markets are increased by the method. The city man at home will not buy a barrel of apples, but he will buy a box, and eat more apples as a result."

The fruit farm of Mr. W. M. Orr, of Fruitland; the nurseries of Mr. E. D. Smith of Winona, and the evaporating and basket factories of Grimsby were also visited by the delegation.

Niagara Falls called forth the visitors greatest wonderment.

Mr. Creelman told the Star today that of all the foreign deputations he had ever met, he never saw anyone who was more eager for information than the Boers. They never tired; were always ready to visit any new place where something might be learned. Each night they spent two hours writing a diary, and they are fastidiously particular as to accuracy, especially in names and addresses, and such like.

The ladies of the party are just as eager to learn as the men. They remarked that in South Africa it is the custom for wives to take an interest in their husbands' business, and try to know as much about it as they do, so that they can consult with them and advise.

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—The committee on appointments met last night.

SLEEP MYSTIFIES DOCTORS

For Ten Days a Girl Has Lain Unconscious and Barely Breathing.

ELECTRICITY FAILS TO AROUSE HER

Many Specialists Working Over New York Patient — Spell Seems Hypnotic.

New York, Oct. 29—For ten days Miss Nellie Corcoran has laid unconscious in St. Vincent's Hospital, and the best medical skill in the city has been unable to revive her or even to tell what is the cause of her condition. Every treatment known to the medical science has been resorted to in vain. The doctors are baffled by this new mystery, and in their dilemma have suggested that she is in a hypnotic sleep and are investigating along this line, but with little hope of reaching a solution.

Neurologists, physiologists, and diagnosticians, the most prominent in the [illegible], have been called in by the hospital doctors, but none of them has been able to explain the nature of the girl's malady, or to bring her back to consciousness. They have pierced her skin with needles and shocked her with electricity of a voltage up to the very limit of safety, but still she lies there peacefully sleeping.

While the doctors are puzzling their brains, helpless to aid her, the girl is wasting away.

Nellie Corcoran was a bright healthy girl up to the night of October 18, when she bade good night to Mrs. G. Hanse, with whom she lived at No. 223, East Fourteenth street and went to her bedroom. It was Saturday night, and she retired at 10.30 o'clock. She made no complaint of illness, and in fact all that day had been unusually vivacious.

Little Dog's Strange Action

That anything happened to the girl during the night is not believed, and there is nothing to bear out such a suggestion, but on Sunday morning Mrs. Hanse said she was awakened by her little dog scratching at the side of her bed.

Thinking that something unusual had occurred to frighten the dog, Mrs. Hanse arose and made an investigation, but found everything quiet in the house and nothing out of the ordinary except that Nellie was sleeping later than usual.

Mrs. Hanse called to her, and when the girl did not get up, went to her room and tried to arouse her. Finding her efforts in vain, Mrs. Hanse became alarmed. She felt the girl's pulse, and could not detect the faintest beat. Then she sent in haste for Dr. Bradenberg, who lives in the same house, and he worked over the girl from 7 a.m. till 10 a.m. on Sunday Oct. 19th. but could not arouse her.

Father Sullivan, of St. Anne's Catholic church, where the girl was an attendant was called, and at the priest's suggestion an ambulance was summoned bringing Dr Gilbert Donovan, of St. Vincent's Hospital. He worked over the strange case for a while, with no better results than Dr. Bradenberg, and then took her to the hospital where the whole staff of physicians tried various methods and means to revive her.

Her Breathing Very Faint.

First restorative of every kind were tried, but none proved effective. Powerful stimulants were forced down her throat but did not produce the slightest change in her condition or appearance. Electricity was tried again and again, the shocks being as strong as permissible without endangering her life, but still she lay on her cot barely breathing and completely unconscious.

The hospital doctors worked without success all day Sunday, and on Monday prominent specialists were called in. These tried new experiments. They pricked her with needles and she gave no sign of heeding. They touched her most sensitive nerves without effect. Only once did they observe the slightest evidence of feeling in the rigid form. While an attendant was slapping her, her eyes opened and closed again without the least sign of recognition or a spoken word or even sound.

There are no pronounced symptoms. The girl lies as though asleep, breathing faintly. Her pulse is just a little faster than normal and her temperature shows only half a degree of fever. Yet her appearance is changing rapidly. During the ten days she has aged ten years appearance, and they fear she cannot be kept alive if her coma lasts much longer.

As a last resort the doctors have begun investigating the theory that some one has put the girl in a hypnotic sleep. Yet they say is she is the victim of a hypnotist she should have responded to some of the tests they have already tried.

AN AMERICAN VIEW OF CAPE COLONY UNREST

The Proposed Visit of the Colonial Secretary to South Africa

IT WILL DO MUCH TO ALLAY DISCONTENT

The Position of South Africa Compared to That of the Southern States at Close of Civil War

Boston, Oct. 30.—The Boston Herald, in discussing the South African situation, says. The decision of Mr. Chamberlain, the English Colonial Secretary, to visit South Africa is said to be due to the unsettled, and hence unsatisfactory condition of affairs in Cape Colony and the other English possessions in that section. Apart from the wish of the Boers of the Transvaal and the Orange Free State to assert their independence, the late war constituted a struggle between the Dutch and the English nationalities. While many of the Cape Colony Dutch believed that those of common descent living in the Boer states were making a mistake in endeavoring thus to defy the great English Empire, they were none the less drawn toward them by strong ties of sympathy. These feelings were sufficiently intense to cause some of the so-called Afrikander members of the Cape Colony Parliament to actively associate themselves with the Boer cause, while others, less hopeful, or more cautious, were prepared to welcome a final Boer victory, even if they thought that such an event was quite beyond the range of the probable.

Now that the war is over, many of the representatives of the English class in Cape Colony wish to have the line clearly drawn between those who were steadfastly loyal to the English cause and those who were somewhat wavering in their allegiance. This wish is entirely natural after years of struggle and loss have been passed through. We know how impossible it was, after our own civil war, for the loyal citizens of the North to look with anything except intense disfavor upon their northern fellow-citizens who had exhibited what were termed southern proclivities. Good policy—that is, the policy that looks toward the future—dictated with us, as it does now in South Africa, that the past should be forgotten as quickly as possible; but good policy is not always in harmony with the aroused dictates of human nature, and it needs time to dissipate sectional and race animosities.

Since the close of the war it seems to us that in the advice he has given Mr. Chamberlain has shown excellent good judgment. The English element of Cape Town desired to have the constitution of the colony temporarily suspended, so that the people might be governed by an executive officer sent out from London, with no voice on their own account in the raising of taxes or the spending of public money. Mr. Chamberlain believed that this would be an exceedingly unwise step to take. He insisted that it would be better to have the Cape Town Parliament assembled and have such differences as existed discussed and determined in that assembly than have the fires of political discontent smouldering, all over the colony. In this conclusion we think he was altogether in the right.

It is said that one grievance which the loyal colonists have is found in the ostentatious way in which those who have been engaged in the Boer war as enemies of England and those who have sympathized with the Boers are permitted to show their colors and indulge in what is thought to be treasonable talk. We imagine that this grievance is more sentimental than real. It does not seem to us that there is the shadow of a possibility that an attempt will be made by the Boers to regain their lost political independence. They could not hope to make any progress in such an attempt for years to come, and by that time the growth of English population will be so great that the Boers will doubtless find themselves in a small minority. The evil which the loyalists complain of is therefore sentimental rather than real, and if it gives the Boers any comfort, if it is a solace to their defeat to be able to publicly announce that they belong to the lost cause, it is only the sensitive who will raise serious objections. Possibly Mr. Chamberlain will endeavor to make this fact evident during his stay in South Africa.

Newfoundland and Uncle Sam Will Make a Treaty

It is Stated That the Recent Negotiations Will Have a Favourable Result

Washington, D.C., October 30.—It is now quite certain that the negotiations for a reciprocity treaty with Newfoundland will have a favorable outcome within a short time. Information of a positive nature is had here that there has been no interruption of the negotiations on account of the attitude of Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts or any other reason.

The negotiations will be completed and Senator Lodge will have to decide whether the treaty suits the business needs of his constituents when the documents come before the Senator for ratification.

It is quite well understood that the treaty will grant some concessions to Newfoundland on the duty upon fish, and this will result in opposition from the Gloucester fishing interests. The fishermen, however, are apt to receive concessions from Newfoundland in the purchasing of bait which would be of great advantage to them and also in trading privileges along the coast.

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PETERBOROUGH, OCT. 31, 1902.

A SOFT SNAP

This has been a fairly good year for J. Pierpont Morgan & Co., and when the American thanksgiving occurs, on the last Thursday in November, he and his partners may well be devoutly grateful for the few blessings they have received. In the past ten months the Morgan Company has managed to clean up $42,190,000 out of a few little business enterprises. The International Harvester Company, with a capital o f $65,000,000, was financed by the Morgan Company, for which Pierpont and his partners only received a trifle of $2,000,000. As Hamilton is largely a beneficiary from the consolidation of the harvesting and farm manufacturing companies in the United States, we feel like congratulating Mr. Morgan on his streak of good luck even though he only got $2,000,000 out of it. Besides his share in the $42,190,000 made by the company this year, Mr. Morgan is a director, trustee or officer in companies that control $4,000,280,527, out of which his yearly income will figure up high in the millions. Mr. Morgan has not yet begun to divide up with libraries and such like, for, unlike his friend Carnegie, he is not ashamed to die a billionaire.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The anthracite coal railroad companies have figured up their losses during the five months of the strike at $15,000,000. This was for hauling coal alone. The managers have put an additional 50 cents on each ton of coal, and it will not take them long to make up their losses. They have not lost anything on the coal, for it is still in the mines, and will fetch the cash as soon as the miners dig it out. The shortage on the output of coal for five months is shown to be about 20,000,000 tons. The man who burns the coal will pay the losses.

If Hon. Joseph Chamberlain visits the colonies he will receive a series of the greatest ovations ever accorded a British statesman abroad. No other British minister has ever so completely filled the eye of the public in the King's "oversea dominions," or so won their confidence and admiration. This was shown in London during the coronation when thousands of colonials were gathered there from every part of the empire. With the exception of Their Majesties, the personality that most attracted these visitors was Chamberlain.

WHEN THE WEATHER BEGINS TO GET COOL

(Contributed.)

I acknowledge I'm beaten; I've nothing [to say;
And in sympathy here is my hand.
I had thought in my weak-minded bach- [elor way,
(But of course I did not understand),
That to travel life's road with the girl [of one's choice,
And to listen in turn to each innocent [voice
Of six loving children, would make one [rejoice,
And would glorify ocean and land.

But you've kindly informed me in meta- [phors mixed
You're in harness and also in school;
So I plainly perceive how lamentably [fixed
You benedicts are as a rule;
And I see it is wiser to chase o'er the [hills
Allegorical maids, thus avoiding the ills
That a married man suffers from in- [creasing bills
When the weather begins to get cool.

NO INDIAN SUMMER YET

Changes are So Rapid—May Have a Fine Spell in November

There has been no Indian summer this fall, but people are looking for it every day. The weather for the past few days has been varied, but is not what is known as Indian summer. The atmospheric conditions are changing with much rapidity. In fact, the changes are occurring so rapidly that the forecasters at the Observatory experience great difficulty in making reliable predictions for any length of time ahead. It is thought the weather may settle shortly, and a couple of weeks in November will answer the description all right.

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DISTRICT NEWS

JULIEN'S LANDING.

—The people of this locality had better use pretty good judgment in future as to who they deal with in buying agricultural implements. A "smart" agent of the Massey Harris Company received a payment on a wagon in the morning, and in the afternoon while the innocent party, who had purchased the wagon was away, hired a gang and took possession of the wagon, and being intercepted by the just party and told by him to either give up securities or wagon, he presented a loaded shot gun at his head and defied him. I want to know is this legitimate business or not?

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1st Vice-President—Mayor John Drummond.

2nd Vice-President—Scrapping Tully.

Secretary—Cod Dungeroy Soucie.

Treasurer—Kruger English.

Corresponding Secretary—Roxy Weir.

Social committee—Tailor Gall. Andrew Weir, Faldy Wedlock.

Park committee—Pouty Burnham. Ily Hill Henderson, Lawyer Davidson.

Music committee—Ripper McCamus, Stager McIntyre, Root Laing.

Constable—Fighting Archie Weir.

Business Managers—Gummy Skinner, sr., Bushy Wallace.

After the election of officers, Wavy McFarlane proposed that the society hold a fowl supper on Halloween, seconded by Tote Robinson. Broncho Pete McFarland suggested that we corral the three wild chickens that have been eating our new dock, all summer.—Carried unanimously.

At this stage of the game Pony Moore proposed a song by Tamworth Edwards, which was very gracefully rendered.

Moved by Hoosier Roach, seconded by Mac, that a vote of condolence be sent to Brother Dixon on the loss of his valuable partridge dog, Dude.—Carried.

It was decided to organize a hockey team, from the society. The following are the members:

Goal—Rinker Jack.

Point—Sleepy McCarthy.

Cover Point—Dubby Anderson.

Forwards—Jonas Nelson, Fighting Archie, Howden Doris, Mufraw Elmhirst, sr.

Manager—Denody Kenneally.

Tobin Brown was appointed to look after the conveyance of the team.

Proposed by Hickory Campbell, seconded by Bunny Eason, that the meeting be adjourned. Then Howden stood up and declared the meeting closed.

God Save the King.

—A large black bear was seen on Sunday night last, about a mile north of our village. Two young men were driving in a buggy when bruin made his appearance. The horse became very frightened and so unmanageable that it bolted off the road into a fence corner. We surmise that the occupants of the buggy were equally as scared as the horse.

—A farmer, not far from here, while engaged in plowing, divested himself of his coat and laid it down on a stone in the field. When he unhitched his team in the evening, he carried the coat home and left it in the kitchen until he had partaken of supper. He then went to get his pipe from the pocket of his coat to have a smoke. Imagine his surprise in putting his hand into the pocket to find a green snake nicely coiled on his pipe. We are informed that he invested in a new pipe, as he did not feel inclined to smoke a pipe after a snake.

—Mr. Thomas Tully, our enterprising blacksmith, who had the misfortune to get his ankle broken and dislocated, is, we are pleased to learn, so far recovered from his injuries, under the skillful treatment of Dr. Harrison, as to be able to attend to his duties again. We wish him success in his business, and trust that he will be patronized.

—Mr. John Kane left our village on Monday morning for the North Shore to work in a lumber camp.

—Dr. and Mrs. Harrison have returned from their visit at Ridgetown.

—We are informed that a chicken buyer is to visit this neighborhood in about two weeks. Farmers and others should feed their fowls well, and have them salable when the buyer calls around.

—Cordwood is said to be scarce and the price high. We trust and hope that we will be favored with a mild winter.

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"This is from an invalid, blessed in this world's goods, who, being wheeled in her bath chair along the parade, has heard you sing favorite songs of her childhood in your sweet voice. The pleasure you have given her has been better than medicine; and she begs that you will accept the enclosure as a slight tribute of admiration."

To this sheet of paper Newcome had pinned bank-notes for twenty-five pounds, and had hardly been able to wait in patience until the letter had been delivered at the house by the postman.

Winifred's surprise and bewilderment were quite vivid enough to satisfy his boyish eager anticipations; but he had to put forth all his powers of argument and persuasion before she would entertain the idea of using the money. What could she do with it else? he urged. As she did not know the name of the sender she could not possibly return the present. Why not, then, consider the gift providential, believing that the thought had been put in somebody's head for the purpose of enabling her to go to the mother who needed her? It seemed to him that her course was clear; every other road was blocked.

After her bitter experiences Winifred was inclined to be fearful and easily suspicious. She did not for an instant think of her "partner" as the mysterious benefactor, because, as far as she knew, he was nearly as poor as herself. But she did think of Lionel Macaire, asking herself if he could have found out where she was hiding, and be firing another mine to explode under her feet by and by.

At last, however, the temptation to accept the goods given by the gods was too strong for her. She imagined her mother dying, calling in vain for the daughter who was kept away by a mere scruple. She remembered the debt she still owed to Sir Digby Field, and at the nursing home; and she decided that it would be worse than folly to let the money which could do so much, lie idle. If evil came from it in the future, why, the future must take care of itself.

Having once come to this resolve, she grew quite reckless, for five-and-twenty pounds seemed so much for her to own after those days when she had been looking with respect on every halfpenny. She gave Mrs. Purdy and Clara a present, and very shyly begged Hope Newcome to let her lend him a few sovereigns.

This offer had its humorous side, since the money she was pressing upon him was in reality all his; but Newcome received it with a perfectly grave face. He was on the point of telling her that he needed nothing and would take nothing, when suddenly he had an idea which struck him as brilliant.

"That's awfully good of you," he said, "and I will borrow a sovereign—I really don't want more—on one condition, and one only."

"What is that?" asked Winifred.

"Well, you see, we've been partners, and nothing I hope can ever make us feel like strangers to each other again. And so I can take this money freely from you, if you'll promise me that, in case you should be a little down on your luck at any time, and I was flush, you'd let me lend you something—something really worth while — just supposing, you know, that I could well afford it."

Such a contingency seemed at present rather remote, and so for the pleasure of lending him a pound to-day Winifred pledged herself to his condition for other days to come.

That evening she let him see her off at the station, and he stayed in Brighton for the night (instead of going straight to town to begin work with his sparring partner in preparation for the coming contest), solely for the joy of receiving a letter which Winifred had promised to write.

Next morning the letter came. She had written it before going to bed, in the flat which had once been such a dear home to her and the little mother. Mrs. Gray's relapse had been caused by some bad news about her son, so the girl wrote, though she did not tell what the nature of the news had been; but the nurses hoped for the best, and Winifred thought that the sight of her might do her mother good. She was not alone at the flat, she went on to say; her brother Dick was with her, having come to town only a few days before. And, thanks to Winifred's new riches, they should get on comfortably for a while till "something turned up." Of course, as they had had such sharp reverses of fortune, the flat was now much too expensive for them; but they had it on their hands till it could be sub-let, and so they might better live in it than go elsewhere. If Mr. Newcome came to town while Dick was with her she hoped that he would call upon his late "partner" and her brother.

Hope Newcome thought this the most delightful letter that had ever been written or received; and it went into the pocket nearest his heart, where lay certain documents of a very different character — documents which had brought him to England.

Then he wrote to Winifred, telling her that suddenly-arranged business was calling him to London, and that he should be only too happy to call upon her if she would let him. When this letter had been sent off he went to see Macaire at the Metropole, to say that he was ready for work; but Macaire was engaged, and he was kept waiting.

As a matter of fact, the millionaire was at that moment closeted with a detective in his employ. The man had received a telegram from a colleague in London, with the information that Miss Gray had returned to her flat near Bryanston square, where she had joined her brother quite openly, and had gone with him to the nursing home in Welbeck street, where the mother lay ill, to enquire after the invalid's health.

Where she had been hiding meanwhile had not yet transpired, and Macaire had some sarcastic comments to make upon his employee's methods.

When he had sent the detective away he saw Newcome, and told him that he himself was ready to return to town. He had run down to Brighton for a few days by the sea, as he didn't care to go abroad this year, but after all, London was best; and they might make the journey together, if Newcome liked.

All this seemed very good-natured and unaffected; for Newcome's clothing, although not as conspicuous as that in which he had called upon George Anderson at the Duke of Clarence's, was shabby at best; and hand-

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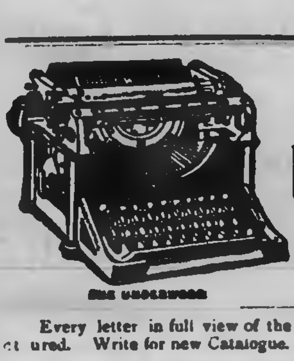

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STOCK MARKETS

What is Probably Ahead of the Security Markets

New York, Oct. 30.—Wall street is proverbially notorious for its short memory, and now that the coal strike is a thing of the past, and the election soon to be out of the way, with the substantial assistance the Secretary of the Treasury has recently afforded the time should be again near when a resumption of a sound and healthy appreciation in security values should occur. This is based upon the undoubted solid conditions of all lines of trade and industry in the United States. Railroad earnings continue to pile up increases, and the only immediate problem to be solved grown out of the clearly impeding congestion of freight traffic, resulting from the enormous movement of grain, and cotton, coal and general merchandise in all directions. The grain markets have reflected the recent reports of the unusual lateness of the staple European crops, and the availability of an ample fuel supply will on the one hand tend to increase our imports of pool products, and on the other hand decrease the volume of our imports of iron andsteel from Europe. The buying of St. Paul during the past lively market episode was of the very best character; the time is coming when it will command as high a price as does North West common. Its securities are becoming greater European favorites every day. The London Statist notes that the prices of St. Paul bonds are very high, as most of them mature within a comparatively short period, which will cause a further appreciable reduction in fixed charges by conversion of high interest into low interest bonds. The St. Paul annual report show. that the company at the end of June last, had a credit balance to its income account of $20,082,000, of which $15,560,000 was in cash, besides $4,000,000 in deposit with the various banks and trust companies, on account of renewal and improvement funds. This certainly is a most gratifying and magnificent statement, illustrating the ultra conservatism of the St. Paul management, and plainly demonstrates what is yet ahead for the shareholders of that great company. No wonder the Rockfellers and their associated allied interests continue to be such greedy purchasers of St. Paul stock. No wonder prominent Chicago capitalists decline to sell their immense holdings to these interests at prices materially above the highest ever recorded in the past for that stock.

Summary—What little market there was to-day leaned towards higher prices. After an opening at about last night's closing prices, some hesitancy developed; the room traders, finding that stocks were not freely offered, started in to buy, and prices advanced. After two o'clock St. Paul rose rapidly from 187 1-2 to 189 3-4, from which point it reded slowly. Its action somewhat stimulated the balance of the list. Sluggish movement and extreme market inertia continues to be the feature of trading. The time is now drawing near when market activity will be much more pronounced, then will be materially increased activity and range of fluctuations. Money closed 5 per cent. Total sales 364,000.

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Mr, Bennet says that there would be a great advantage in having C.P.R. connection, as this road would then become the leading grain route from the west.

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The Victoria Hospital

The new Lindsay Hospital will be ready for business in a few days. About $10,000 had been subscribed in Lindsay, and $7,000 outside. It was hoped by the management that this would soon be made $20,000 by further subscriptions. A golden key similar in design to that of the hospital had been ordered and would be presented to Mr. Ross, who gave the hospital to the citizens. Judge Dean is preparing an address to present to Mr. Ross at the opening, and it is proposed to have it illuminated and properly bound at a cost of $100.

MEREDITH PERCY KILLED

Young Man well Known in Peterborough, Accidentally Killed

Word was received yesterday that Mr. Meredith Percy, formerly of Port Hope, only son of Mr. Charles Percy of the audit department, G.T.R. Montreal, had received injuries at the iron works, Montreal, from which he died. The deceased was a graduate of McGill University, and was about twenty-two years of age. The funeral will take place in Port Hope this after noon, from the station, on the arrival of the G.T.R. flyer. The deceased was well known in Peterborough, where he was highly esteemed.

LOOKING FOR A LOCATION

Large Engine Works Want a Good Site to Build

The Times is in receipt of a letter from Brampton, stating that Mr. J. M. Ross, Sons & Co., of that place are looking for another location for their Haggart works, which manufacture plain and traction engines for Ontario and the Northwest. They propose to manufacture threshers and their farm implements and expect to about treble their business.

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It would be well for Mayor Dumas and the council to look this matter up.

CONDUCTOR'S WATSON'S DEATH

A Former Havelock Man Killed at Michipicoten

Robert Watson, formerly of Havelock, who was a conductor on the Algoma Central Railway, was killed at Michipicoten on Tuesday, being caught between the engine and trucks while shunting. He died three hours after the accident in Helen Mine Hospital. He was 32 years of age, and leaves a wife and a young son. The body was taken to Havelock, Ont., for burial.

WINTER RACES

The Peterborough Turf Club Decide to Have a Winter Meet

A meeting of the Directors of the Peterborough Turf Club was held yesterday afternoon at the Oriental Hotel.

The lease of the Driving Park from Mr. R. A. Morrow for a term of five years was completed.

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THE NEW BANK MANAGER

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Mr. F. W. Baillie, who was yesterday appointed general manager of the new Metropolitan Bank, is well known in Peterborough. His friends here will be delighted to hear of his appointment.

In referring to the matter, the Globe has the following:—This is the day of the young man in business. The truth of this is very well illustrated in the appointment yesterday by the directors of the Metropolitan Bank of Mr. F. W. Baillie, Assistant Manager of the Central Canada Loan Co., as Manager of the Metropolitan Bank, which will soon open for business. Mr. Baillie is just twenty-seven, but in his few years of business life he has climbed to a place of importance in Canadian finance that only the exceptionally gifted reach. Mr. Baillie is probably the youngest man ever chosen as Manager for a large Canadian bank. His friends believe that the wisdom of the appointment will be thoroughly demonstrated in the years to come.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Dr. Carmichael has added an X-ray apparatus to his surgery appliances.

—A few county of Peterborough maps left. Splendidly mounted on rollers, for $2.50. Times Bookstore.

—The railway gates at the two Grand Trunk crossings are now in working order.

—A $175 organ, with eleven stops—as good as new—will be sold for $37.50. This is a snap.

—A little girl picked up some money on the street yesterday. It is now in the hands of Chief Roszel, awaiting an owner.

—A couple of second hand coal stoves for sale cheap. Apply at The Times Bookstore.

Three good boys wanted at The Times office—one to learn bookbinding, one to learn press work and one as messenger in the bookstore.

—A live wire on the poles in front of the Dominion Express Company's office caused some excitement yesterday, by coming in contact with another wire and burning it through.

—The Chief has notified The Times that he will be after the boys who do any damage to-night. Hallowe'en will not be an occasion of mischeif if the police can help it.

—Get your school scribblers at the Times Bookstore. They have the best paper and are the cheapest.

—An eclipse of the sun is set down on the calendar to take place this evening. It will not be visible here, however, but other events will probably take place to-night, if the boys are allowed to do as they have done in the past.

—Campbellford Herald:—Mr. E. E. Plummer, of Campbellford, has made the purchase of a 21-foot steam launch from a party in Peterborough, which he intends to place in the waters of the Trent river, either at Percy Boom or Healey Falls next spring. He expects its arrival here this week.

—Lindsay Watchman-Warder:—Yesterday morning a man named Sisson of Manvers, appeared before Magistrate Steers charged with bigamy—or if marrying four women is known by any other name he was likely chargeable with that, for it is said that he has a quartette of helpmates. His case will be investigated a week hence.

—Once when Judge Weller was trying a case he was disturbed by a young man who kept moving about in the rear of the room, lifting chairs and looking under things. "Young man" Judge Weller called out, you are making a great deal of unnecessary noise. What are you about? "Your honor," replied the young man, "I have lost my overcoat and am trying to find it." "Well," said the jurist, "people often lose whole suits in here without making all that disturbance."

—There will be no public holiday on November 9th this year. The Government has decided to issue a proclamation fixing May 24th as the day upon which His Majesty's birthday shall be observed. In the Interpretation Act it is provided that the expression "holiday" includes among other days in the year, "the birthday or the day fixed by proclamation for the celebration of the birthday of the reigning sovereign." It is on the action of the King in selecting May this year for the celebration of his natal day that the Government proposes to act as indicated.

Valuable Advice to Rheumatics

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Toil and the Designer of Things.

A gray mist scudded in front of the patch of blue sky that all afternoon had been peering between the tall buildings into the studio window, and carried away most of the light with it.

The Boy was glad of this, for his faith in himself was about gone. He gathered up his brushes, throwing a few curses at the weather as he did so in a bravado sort of fashion. He was determined not to be a fool this time and seek unsatisfactory sympathy from people who could not understand. Instead, he would go down to the "Vesuvio" and allow its liquid flame to consume his mood.

"Better be drunk than foolish," he said to the Girl as he started for the door. "I'm tired of this breathless pursuit of the Ideal. After all, if I did overtake her, I don't suppose she'd be worth while. This torture of self-denial, of looking forever over the roof in vain desire for the things that may never be, while the hot blood of youth in your veins commands you to drink deep of the things that are, is insanity. To the devil with work and the dreams of doing."

"It is discouraging, isn't it?" said the Girl. "I felt that way myself until you spoke. I looked at your work this afternoon and envied you."

"Envied me? Don't laugh at a fellow because you've happened to find the way to success. Suppose you do manage to paint good canvases and win plaudits. Ten million people have had the same little reward for the same mighty struggle. Already the wear and worry is showing on you. In ten years youth will be gone from you and all you'll have for it will be the memory of heart's blood painted into canvas for trivial 'mention,' and tragic realization of your limitations. The wise man is he who refuses to do what he is able to do; our ability always seems so much greater to us until we put it to the test. Never give yourself a chance. That's the only way to escape heart-break."

The Girl was fragile in the gray light. She stood at the window looking into the twilight that fell in hopelessness among the crowding walls of unsightly buildings. The Boy took a step toward the door. Then the Girl turned.

"I wish you would not talk like that," she said. "It hurts. Have I ever said I expected to do great things? You know I haven't. I was mean to-day and half envied you for your gift. But I don't want to envy anybody. I try not to think of future or fame, for it is thinking of self-glory that brings pain and disappointment. I try to do my work as best I can because it is my work and because I must do it. I know it is delightful to win success. We can't help feeling that our effort has won approval. But I don't work for success. I put my heart into my pictures because I have to, and if by so doing I can soften, if only for an instant, some other heart; bring a look of wistfulness into a careless eye; waken a longing in a dreamless soul, I have the greatest of rewards. Work for work's sake demands no sacrifice. On the contrary, it leads our feet into the ways where perfect happiness may be gathered.

"I know how weak I am and how discouraged I grow even yet. But discouragement never lingers long. All I need do is remind myself that I am not an isolated toiler wearing out my own destiny in unsympathetic solitude, but one of many who are working to carry to completion the wonderful plan of the great Designer of things beautiful.

"There are no failures. Your discouragement helps me to catch the shadows my portion of the picture needs to-day; my rebellion shows you the glorious light of patience and sympathy your brush must depict."

"It's easy to talk hopefully when you're already in the sunlight of success," replied the Boy as he grasped the door-knob. "I'm tired of the shadows and am determined to get out of them I'll enjoy myself in idleness for a while. I'll be on hand to help hang the Picture Beautiful when it is finished. I'm done with brushes."

The Girl laid her hand lightly on the Boy's shoulder. "What great work you are going to do," she said. "Some of the wonderful touches in the picture have been reserved for you. You are not 'tired of the pursuit of the Ideal.' You are only impatient that your hand has not yet the wonderful skill your soul demands of it. Be patient; there's not only Time but Eternity for our work."

They stepped into the corridor and paused in silence. From a room opposite some divine melody drifted to them. The Boy was glad of the darkness, for his eyes were wet. He grasped the Girl's hand.

"I thank you," he said. "I guess I was only impatient."—Leavenworth MacNab.

Their Steering-Gear.

A professor of a profound subject at Harvard University has a small son who is very observant and inquisitive, and a hired man who has all the Irish wit and good humor.

The other day Albert, the small boy, was playing with a cat in the stable while Larry cleaned the harness.

"Say, Larry," he asked, "why do cats always stand on their feet?"

"They shteer themsilves wid their tail."

"Well, how do rabbits steer themselves? They haven't long tails; only a stub."

"Wid their ears. That's phwat they have their long ears for."

"Well, how does a bulldog steer himself? He doesn't have long ears or a long tail."

"Wid his bark."

The boy looked doubtful and was silent. Presently he ran in to his father's study, and in a few minutes came back to the stable.

"Larry!"

"Yis?"

"That's true what you told me about bulldogs. I asked papa, and he read something to mamma out of a book about 'barks that steer against the wind.'"

Fate.

Once there were two beautiful white eggs laid side by side in a nice new nest. A great big man gathered them up with his rough hands and sold them to a grocer. And one little egg was a good little egg, and went into an angel cake, but the other little egg was a very, very bad little egg, and got mashed on an actress.

JULIEN'S LANDING.

—The people of this locality had better use pretty good judgment in future as to who they deal with in buying agricultural implements. A "smart" agent of the Massey Harris Company received a payment on a wagon in the morning, and in the afternoon while the innocent party, who had purchased the wagon was away, hired a gang and took possession of the wagon, and being intercepted by the just party and told by him to either give up securities or wagon, he presented a loaded shot gun at his head and defied him. I want to know is this legitimate business or not?

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Dr. Gray has gone to Virginia on a business trip.

—Mr. James Linton, of Orono, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. Wm. Runnells, of Campbellford is visiting his daughter Mrs. R. J. Walter.

—Mrs. H. LeBrun and her daughter Miss Dot, have gone on a trip to Watertown on a visit.

—Mr. J. E. Hodgson leaves this morning for Yonkers, N.Y., where he will in future reside.

—Mrs. Archie Roberts and little son of Belleville, are spending a few days in Peterborough, the guests of Mrs. Rev. J. P. Wilson.

—Mrs. J. H. Sherrin, nee Rathbone, will receive Monday afternoon and evening, of November 3rd, four to nine, and afterwards first and third Wednesday.

—Mrs. Aaron Cox leaves this morning for Ottawa to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Hess, whose death occurred in Chicago, and whose remains are being interred in Ottawa.

—Mr. R. J. Walter arrived home from the Northwest a few days ago. He is suffering from a severe attack of blood poisoning in his hand. It is hoped he will have a speedy recovery.

—Friends of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Dickenson, of Warsaw, will sympathize with them in the bereavement they have experienced through the death of their children, a daughter four years old, and a son eighteen months old, which occurred on Sunday afternoon last, of diphtheria.

Toronto Globe:—Miss Priest, of this city and Miss L. Pratt, of Peterborough, are leaving Canada to join the forces of the Baptist Foreign Mission Board in India. In England they will be joined by Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Cross, who left here lately. The quartette will then sail for Madras, the scene of their work.

—Mr. Wm. Ainsworth, of Cannington, their members had gone. Their train arrived in town Wednesday evening with his friend Mr. Fred Smith, the popular wine clerk with Mr. W. Dickson Jewett, proprietor of the well known Bennet House, of Cannington. Mr. Smith was recommended to come to Peterborough by his family physician, Dr. Bingham, and take treatment at the Nicholls Hospital.

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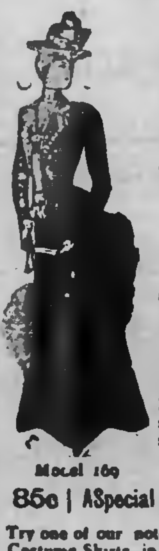

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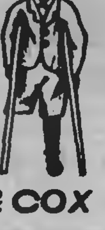

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RIDING OF NORTH PERTH A VERY UNCERTAIN ONE

Past History of the Constituency Just Vacated Makes It Doubtful as to Who Will Win

Toronto, Ont., October 31 —The riding of North Perth, which has recently been deprived of a representative by the resignation of the Conservative member-elect, Mr. John C. Monteith, is a riding of a rather varied political history. It is one of those constituencies which are situated within the fighting line, and it is practically impossible to credit a victory to either party until the last vote has been counted. The political battle in North Perth is generally won in the City of Stratford and the Town of Listowel, and as neither of these places are very certain of their political complexion, a keen struggle is looked for by both the political parties in the riding. North Perth would be a Conservative stronghold but for the presence of the township which belongs to the Hon. Jas. Sutherland (North Oxford) for Dominion purposes has a Liberal majority of about 700. Since 1890 the riding has gone twice Liberal and three times Conservative In 1890 Dr. Ahrens (Liberal) defeated Geo. Hess (Conservative) by 92, in the bye-election which followed Thomas Magwod (Conservative) defeated Dr. Ahrens by 46. In 1894, T. Magwod defeated Geo. McPherson, Liberal, by 108 and in 1898 Magwood was defeated by John Brown, Liberal, by 160. At the last election J. C. Montieth (Conservative) won the riding from Brown by 2 majority.

Salisbury Starts for England

Paris, October 31—A despatch from Nice to the Eclair says the former Prime Minister Salisbury will start for England on Nov. 15.

RUSSIA'S POLICY IS CONCILIATING IN DEALING WITH BALKAN TROUBLES

The Russian Bear Seeks to Be On Good Terms With Great Britain Austria and Turkey

CZAR LOOKS TO LORD ROSEBERY

Return to Power of the Liberal Government Would Facilitate Liberal Plans

London, Oct. 31.—Attention is attracted afresh to the international situation by indication of special diplomatic activity on the part of the Russian Government.

"There is good reason to believe," says the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Politsche Correspons of Vienna, an unusually well informed paper, "that Count Lamsdorff, conscious that Muscovite policy in the Balkans and in Manchuria antagonizes too many interests, has set himself to the task of consolidating Russia's position abroad by establishing better relations with Vienna, Constantinople, and London. The moves are complicated; but the Russian Foreign Minister is an adroit player."

It is with London that the greatest difficulty is found. But St. Petersburg is aware that if a re-arrangement of parties in Britain should bring in an administration under Rosebery, many obstacles now existing to an improvement of Anglo-Russian relations would be removed. Rosebery, like Salisbury, has held for years to the doctrine that there is room enough in Asia for both Britain and Russia; and when at the Foreign Office he often went more than half way to meet the Czar's advisers in Asiatic concerns.

ROSEBERY INCLINES TO RUSSIA.

In his latest parliamentary allusions to Eastern affairs he urged the British electorate not to allow their hands to be tied too tightly, by the Lansdowne Hayashi convention, taking the ground that although it was of the first importance to maintain close relations with Japan it was not less vital to avoid "Reviving the exploded fiction of antiquated diplomacy as to irreconcilable differences between Russia and England."

They watch British domestic politics closely from the Russian capital and a return of Rosebery to power would do much to allay the irritation which began with Chamberlain's declaration that "Muscovite methods bear watching and he who sups with the devil must use a long spoon."

Rosebery does not regard the Manchurian issue with the anxiety professed by leading members of the coalition government. If Britain can hold her own in the Yang-Tse valley, he is not supremely solicitous as to what happens in the North. An administration directed by him would listen to appeals for a give-and-take arrangement between London and St. Petersburg.

ROSEBERY AND DELCASSE FRIENDS.

Rosebery's relations with M. Delcasse who is likely to direct the French Foreign Office for a long time, are calculated to increase the favor in which both statesmen are held by the Russian government. Moreover, the school of able British writers who insist that the trump card for Britain in the old world is "an understanding" with Russia always point to Rosebery as the man to negotiate.

Of late there has been a tendency on the part of the Russian press to flatter Rosebery at the expense of some other British statesmen. References in the continental press, "to changes that would ensue in Britain's Asiatic policy were the Balfour cabinet to disappear," suggests that Europe would not be surprised at a marked improvement between the leading two old world powers should there be a general turn over in the United Kingdom.

Austro-Russian relations also show a change for the better. Count Goluchowski's warnings to Russia as to the effect upon the Austro-Hungary opinion of the collapse of the agreement of 1897 by which Russia and Austria undertook to maintain the status quo in the Balkans and under no condition to give military aid to Bulgaria in any effort to realize the ideal of a "Greater Bulgaria" have apparently had the desired effect.

BULGARIA GIVEN WARNING.

According to the Fremdenblatt, Russia has given the Bulgarian aspirants to a larger position in the Balkan peninsula than consorts with European peace, a timely reminder, through properly accredited channels, that Bulgaria must not expect Russia to sacrifice $250,000 in order to realize the treaty of San Stefano and extend Macedonia to the Bulgarians.

The Neue Wiener Tageblatt quotes from the Vosdi of St. Petersburg as follows:

"While Russia naturally sympathizes with the pan-Slav movement, it is no part of her programme to tolerate premature agitation and revolutionary schemes calculated to create a new and independent state in the Balkans. Such dreams are idle. So long as Francis Joseph lives this must be Russian policy if only to provide against contingencies which his removal in the course of nature would invite."

This marks a new era in Austro-Russian relations.

At Constantinople the Russian project is a treaty giving Russian warships certain exclusive privileges in Ottoman waters in a war involving either power. There is no truth in the rumor of an attempt to revive the Unkiar-Skelessi treaty, by which the Black Sea would have been converted into a Russian lake. But, short of that, there is room for concessions of enormous naval value to St. Petersburg, and the anxiety of the Sultan to get rid of the indemnity to Russia inclines him to make them if Britain can be placated.

It comes to this: Russia is seeking lines of less resistance than those she has been following so brilliantly, yet at such frightful expense, for two decades.

COAL MEN CANNOT NOW SQUEEZE ANYONE

It Has Been Demonstrated That Coal is Not Necessity

THE STRIKE HAS PROVED MUCH

Capital Will Now Be Invested in Peat Fuel and Other Mines Will Be Sought

The strike has set some people thinking, and especially has it promoted the peat industry. The works at Balsam Lake, we understand, will be put into active operation in the spring, and other peat bogs will be exploited. This is one effect of the strike.

Coal dealers in Toronto and American cities are of the opinion that it would be useless to take advantage of the strike developments to either increase the prices or even continue the present scale.

"There is practically no demand for coal," said a prominent dealer in Toronto yesterday. "This talk of making the people pay high prices for coal this winter in consequence of the situation is absurd. The majority of the people are prepared for cold weather and if they were asked unreasonable prices they would not buy any coal. They would use their gas stoves instead. So I do not think there will be any imposition of this kind. In fact, I believe that within a reasonable time the prices will return to the level at which they were before the beginning of the strike."

From another source comes the promise that there will be a plentiful supply of coal at former prices. This assurance comes from President Baer, who says that as soon as work is resumed to coal will be rushed to the cities.

There was no change made yesterday in the prevailing prices and the scale will probably continue in effect until the big shipments from the anthracite region begin to arrive.

Stirling News-Argus:—Mr. W. W. Hagerman, of Peterborough, has been spending the week here, being laid up with blood-poisoning in his hand and arm.

COAL COMMISSION BEGINS REAL WORK

Party of Fourteen Start to Look Over Mining District

WON'T TAKE EVIDENCE NOW

All The Troops Will be Ordered Home For The Begining of Next Week

Scranton, Pa., Oct. 30.—The real work of the arbitration commission appointed by President Roosevelt to adjust the differences existing between the coal operators and their employees began to-day. Briefly stated, the day's work will consist of a general inspection of the inside and outside workings of coal mines and the homes and surroundings of the workmen. All of the region lying north of here to Forest City, a stretch of 22 miles, will be gone over. This will take up the entire day. To-morrow and Saturday the mining region from here south to Wilkesbarre will be looked over.

The commission is making this tour so that the members may gain a better idea of mining in order to more intelligently understand the testimony which will be given by experts on each side of the controversy. No testimony will be taken during the inspection trips. The commission party consists of 14 persons.

The entire party, which also includes four general mining superintendents and a number of newspaper correspondents, left the Delware and Hudson Railroad station for Forest City this morning on a special train of Pullman cars, the expense of which is borne by the commission.

TROOPS WILL ALL LEAVE.

Pottsville, Oct. 31—It is expected that all the troops in the coal region will be ordered home before the beginning of next week. The first battalion of the Second Regiment stationed at St. Clair, and the first battalion of the Third Regiment at Minersville, left for Philadelphia today. General Schall said to-day that the two battalions of the Third Regiment at Audenreid will be sent home home to-morrow.

All the collaries in the Panther Creek Valley resumed operations to-day. The Park Place Colliery, in the Mahony region, resumed to-day after a week's idleness. One thousand employee had gone on strike because several union men were not reinstated. The leaders prevailed upon the men to return to work with the understanding that those who were discriminated against will be provided for by the union until they have secured employment elsewher.

St. John's Dedication Festival

The Dedication Festival will be held on Sunday next. Among the events in connection with the occasion will be a Young People's Social on Monday evening next, to be arranged for at a meeting of young men tomorrow evening. On Tuesday evening, Nov. 7th, a Turkish Social will be given, a feature of which will be an address on "Turkey," given by Rev. Mr. Brooke, formerly Chaplain to the British embassy at Constantinople.

To Increase Your Appetite

Nothing will stimulate a keen, healthy relish for food, insure good digestion, and perfect assimilation like Ferrozone, which is the most successful tonic and health renewer known to medical science. Ferrozone is a positive cure for Anaemia, Impure Blood, Boils, Pimples, Indigestion, Dyspepsia and all Stomach and Bowel troubles. Ferrozone cleanses strengthens and purifies the blood, it invigorates the heart and nerves, banishes sickness and pain, and makes ailing people well. Try a box or two of Ferrozone, the result will be a surprise. Price 50c., at Druggists, or N. D. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Hamilton's Pills Cure Constipation.

GREAT BRITAIN'S POWER EXTENDING

The Effect of the Purchase of the Bay of Lorenzo Marquez

FOREVER WIPES THE BOERS OUT

No Munitions of War Can Ever Reach the Conquered Republics

London, Oct. 31—If Great Britain could have controlled the port of Lorenzo Marquez, on Delagoa Bay, during and just before the Boer war, her military position would have been much stronger, and the resources of the Transvaal sooner exhausted. As Lorenzo Marquez was the port of a neutral power, with its commerce open to all nations during the war, the British authorities found themselves unable to detect contraband freights and thus prevent shipment of supplies to the enemy. As it was, the seizure of German vessels nearly led to an international quarrel and explanations had to be made. Now future trouble will be obviated by Britain and Germany purchasing or leasing the whole of Portuguese East Africa and dividing it between them. The southern portion will become British. Details of the arrangement will, it is said, be discussed when the German Emperor and King of Portugal go to London soon. The advantages which will thus accrue to the British Empire in South Africa are considerable. By extending the Transvaal Colony to the coast it will place the trade of the region and the means of transportation under British control. The two principal railroads centering at Lorenzo Marquez are the Delagoa Bay Railway, which places Pretoria by rail 350 miles from the coast, and Johannesburg 400 miles, and the Beira Railway, which extends north in Rhodesia. The extension and development of these valuable lines of communication are specially important to Great Britain, and for military reasons equally necessary. The long line of railway down to Cape Town, over 1,000 miles in length was the sole effectual means of communication with the interior during the war, and its protection from the enemy imposed a great task on the military forces. If troops, munitions of war, and commercial traffic could have used Delagoa Bay as an alternative route throughout the course of hostilities, the fight would have terminated earlier. That Portugal finds herself unable to maintain the position of a great colony-owning state, is in no way discreditable to the nation. But it is becoming clearer every day that colonial territories abroad mean not merely the keeping of a large naval force, but also financial resources of immense extent. In these respects Great Britain is far superior to all her European rivals.

THE LATE MRS. JOHNSTON

A Tribute to a Woman Who was Much Esteemed and Beloved

The Millbrook Reporter has the following reference to the death of the late Mrs. Alexander Johnston, who had relatives living in Peterborough:—

"She was full of good works and alms deed which she did," was the sorrowful and sympathetic cry of the weeping ones who had shared in the beneficence of one of the mothers to old whose voice had been stilled by the fluttering wings of death's angel. And perhaps no excerpt from sacred or other story, could more fully portray the beautiful life of Mrs. Johnston, who, having served her alloted time on earth, entered into her reward on Sunday morning last. Although not strong of constitution for years she went in and out amongst her friends until about a year ago, but for the last few weeks it was known by her friends that the span of life was gradually closing up. She who had often passed under the rod of affliction, yet never murmured or complained, whose presence was a benediction, and whose life was a halo of inspiration to good works, has passed from amongst us, and while many besides her near and dear ones will drop sad tears of regret, as they recall their helpfulness, methinks the still sweet voice of the departed may be heard from the apparent darkness, singing in hope,

"But with the morn, those angel
Faces smile that we have loved long
Since and lost awhile."

With three children who died in childhood, and a daughter in budding womanhood and her husband who was laid to rest some thirteen years ago all in the better land, it was not strange that her life and words were attuned to the symphonies of heaven and now she has joined her loved ones there. To her only son, Mr. H. W. Johnston, and her sister, Miss O'Brien, whose sorrow will be most deeply felt, and to the other brothers and sisters the community will extend their sincere sympathy. In her church work and munificence she will be much missed. She loved God's house, and when able was a very regular attendant. Rev. Mr. Johnston, of the Presbyterian Church, her pastor, conducted the funeral services at the house on Tuesday afternoon and the funeral took place to Centerville cemetery followed by very many sorrowing friends.

THE COMING CONFERENCE

Four Meetings to be Held in Connection with Mr. Goodman's Visit

Arrangements are being completed for the conference to be held on Nov. 10th and 11th, on the occasion of the visit of Mr. F. S. Goodman, of New York.

There will be four meetings in all, including two sessions on Tuesday. Secretaries and workers from neighboring associations will be invited

Committees have been appointed to look after the details of the arrangements as follows:

Tea and Social Committee — R. S. Merrill, chairman.

Billets—C. Whiten, H. Brown, Geo. Lee.

Advertising—N. Jollife, B. Jackson, G. Robertson.

Finance — H. A. Pearson, G. Galley, J. Gerrard.

KING OF BELGIUM

May Visit United States and Canada Next Year

London, Oct. 31.—A despatch to the Times from Brussels says that King Leopold has accepted the invitation to attend the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis, in the spring of 1904. This means that he will also see Niagara Falls, and possibly go to see the Governor-General at Ottawa.

BOER LEADERS FLEE FROM MOB

Commander Kritzinger Has to Scale a Wall to Get Away

London, Oct. 31.—The Boer commanders, Kritzinger, Fouche, and Joubert, after addressing a meeting at Cambridge to-night, had a narrow escape from the angry crowd of people that had listened to their speeches. Kritzinger was obliged to scale a wall to get away, while the others were escorted to their hotel by the police.

SAYS NEGROE IS DEGENERATING

English Luthern Pastor Declares Race is Deteriorating Physically and Morally

Muscatine, Ia., Oct. 31.—A sensation was created here by the Rev. J. L. Murphy of the English Lutheran church, who said in a lecture that the study of the sociological condition of the negro to-day proved that he was deteriorating in this country, and would lapse in barbarism and finally become extinct. He said that before the war the negro was trustworthy and the honor of any woman of the South was safe without the protection of white men. To-day, however, a white woman scarcely dared to venture forth alone Mr. Murphy says the black man is becoming degraded also physically in the South.

MEETING OF CREDITORS OF JAS. LINTON & CO

Private Bankers at the Village of Lakefield

A STATEMENT WAS SUBMITTED

A meeting of the creditors of Messrs. James Linton & Co., private bankers, was held in the town hall, Lakefield, on Monday evening last, when a large number were present.

Mr. Jas. Linton, of Orono, the head of the firm, was present, and submitted a statement of the affairs of the bank, as shown by the books, and which is as follows:

ASSETS.

Notes from Orono	$ 4331	50
Notes from Lakefield branch	4333	00
Cash from Mrs. Linton	2000	00
Cash	1500	00
Office furniture	500	00
Deposits at Lakefield	224	63
Deposits at Traders' Bank Port Hope	600	00
Overdrawn accounts	200	36
Total Assets	$14,448	90

LIABILITIES.

Portland Cement Co	$ 3291	35
W. H. Casement	753	61
Samuel Nelson	1510	63
R. A. Tanner	2	12
A. Y. Hill	21	40
F. J. Moore	451	16
Moore and Baptie	29	01
Geo. Hendren	18	61
J. W. Ridpath	21	02
O. A. Langley	6	00
O. A. Langley (trust ac't.)	10	61
W. Sherin	60	05
Lakefield Public Library	27	00
R. Morrison	14	75
L. Payne	96	00
Jos. Harvey	310	20
E. H. Harvey	200	00
Joseph Little	66	00
D. A. McDonald	6	75
W. A. Baker	197	29
Geo. A. Bickell	101	40
F. X. Fortier	7	25
Miss Ray	112	96
Walter Young	15	00
C. L. Farrer	7	06
Jas. Jory	96	16
Casement & H. Sherin	73	50
Bella Nelson	43	08
Dr. G. Metzler	100	00
Alex. Graham	4	90
Arthur Jory	300	30
B. Hunter	101	13
William Hunter	75	00
William J. Grant	125	00
Hugh Allen	63	50
William C. Stone	310	16
Edwin Dunford	170	00
Miss Isabella Duff	227	35
W. F. M. Society	35	30
Clementi Lodge	165	77
Annie Munro	364	00
Elizabeth Dunford	105	38
W. Creswick	4	50
Mrs. S. E. Graham	14	30
Allen Dunford	44	00
M. M. Kidd	47	00
W. V. Reynolds	70	00
Levi Payne	5	00
Thos Gordon	450	57
Geo. Payne	45	00
J H. McWilliams	11	25
John Pearson	100	00
C. J. Vizard	42	40
Lakefield Milling Co	405	64
George A. Baptie	705	75
W. J. Baptie	181	11
Rev. T. W. Legott	6	07
St. John's Baptist church	46	15
S. E & L. Argicultural Society Presbyterian church, E. A. Tanner, Treasurer	100	00
T. H. Calder	3	00
C. O. Friends	22	53
B. V. Harvey	22	00
Mary Ann Harvey	7	40
Rev. G. W. Warren	[illegible]	[illegible]
Robt Calder	[illegible]	[illegible]
Archibald Johnston	[illegible]	[illegible]
Buckhorn Dairy Co	[illegible]	[illegible]
South Burleigh Cheese Co	1081	[illegible]
North Dummer Cheese Co	2047	[illegible]
Pine Grove Cheese Co	[illegible]	[illegible]
Young's Point Cheese Co	[illegible]	[illegible]
Margaret Smith	[illegible]	[illegible]
B. A. Bates	[illegible]	[illegible]
H. W. Darcy	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dr. D. Fraser	[illegible]	[illegible]
Other Liabilities	[illegible]	[illegible]
Orono Liabilities	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total Liabilities	[illegible]	[illegible]

In addition to the above named assets the bank holds notes amounting to the amount of $3000.00, which are considered to be absolutely worthless. A package of notes, to the amount of $3000.00, which had been on deposit at the Traders Bank at Port Hope, as collateral security, had been withdrawn by Mr. Benson, the late manager, a few days before the bank closed its doors, and no trace of them can be found. Even if those notes turn up the liabilities will be considerably in excess of the assets.

Mr. Linton stated that he would be able to pay the creditors 30 cents on the dollar, forthwith. In all probability if the notes can be collected and no litigation or anything unforeseen occurs, and by the most careful management, an additional dividend of 20 per cent. will be declared in a few weeks.

Mr. Linton is anxious to satisfy his creditors and will do everything in his power to do so. Orono creditors receive the same amount as the Lakefield creditors.

It appears that the late manager, Mr. T. H. Benson, had misrepresented the statement of the bank's affairs in the village for some time past, and in his statement to the head office on September 30th, he showed a considerable surplus. When the books were being audited, a deficiency of quite a large amount was shown.

On Wednesday cheques were issued to all depositors, made out of 30 per cent. of their claims, and it is likely that they will be accepted by them, and a further dividend anxiously looked for.

GRAND TRUNK IMPROVEMENTS

The Company Making Extensive Changes on the Main Line

The Grand Trunk Railway improvements at Whitby are now in full swing. The Henry street bridge is completed. It is entirely of frame, but is a very large bridge. On Sunday morning last the work of demolishing the Brock street bridge was begun, and it will not be long before a larger new bridge at this point is completed. The steam shovel has been at work during the week digging out the embankment so as to permit three tracks to be placed under the new bridge, which was used at Pickering during the recent improvements there. It is to be the one that will span Brock street for the present wooden abutments will be built beneath it, but as soon as time will permit stone abutments will be substituted. The work of the new station, too, is to be undertaken immediately and will be located just east of Byron street on the north side of the track. The past ... the old station has been raised so that the roadbed is now about on the level with the roof of the station. In going over the line east of town, one it is like climbing a mountain, owing to the elevation of the track. A large number of Italians are doing the work and things are being rushed to completion. From the present appearance the G.T.R. is completing its work at Whitby in such a manner as to be highly satisfactory. This is all the more appreciable in view of the recent agitation against the company. The company propose to take up the Peterborough and Belleville section next year.

Good news Who Are Bald

Or have thin hair, should call on Prof. Dorenwend at Oriental Hotel, Peterborough, on Wednesday, Nov. 12, and see his wonderful devices in Toupees and Wigs worn on over 60,000 heads. Explanation and demonstration free. Private apartments at Hotel. Don't fail to see this new invention, patented all over the world.

POSITIVE CURE FOR LEPROSY NOW FOUND

Dr. Adolph Raslag, a Naturalized American, Works Wonders

A Dying Man Made Whole—News of the Discovery Creates A Sensation

Washington, Oct. 31—There will be made public by the state department in a few days a consular report that will create a sensation in the medical and scientific world. It will be the report of United States Consul Robert M. McWade, stationed at Canton, China, in which will be set forth for the first time, the wonderful results of a cure for leprosy that has been tested in Southern China.

Mr. McWade is in Washington now enjoying a leave of absence from his post, to which he was appointed a few years ago. It is his narrative of a cure for the most terrible disease known to man, leprosy. He expects it to meet with skeptical criticism, but he will lay before the public in a State Department report, the plain facts of what has been accomplished by this cure in the leper colony at Canton.

RESULTS OF TREATMENT.

"Can you tell me some of the results of this cure?" the consul was asked.

"I have no objections, as the results are of public knowledge in the Orient, but I do not care to go into the details and history of the discovery."

"Who is the discoverer of the leprosy cure?"

"Dr. Adolph Raslag, a naturalized American, a native, I believe of Austria and educated in the medical schools of Vienna."

"How did you happen to meet him?" Consul McWade was asked.

"Of course, his being an American brought us together at once," replied the consul, "and my interests and sympathies were aroused when he explained the nature of the work he was engaged in. I have always taken the keenest interest in everything that tends to allay human suffering and ameliorate the condition of the poor and lowly, and the mission of Dr. Raslag appealed to me with peculiar force. I was able to enlist the sympathy of the Viceroy of the Province, and I can now say that individual now regards Dr. Raslag as the most famous man of centuries. Not long before I left Canton the Viceroy said that he regarded Dr. Raslag's treatment of leprosy as the greatest discovery, not only of a century, but of many centuries. I firmly believe that time will prove this to be true."

SOME CURES EFFECTED.

"Have there been absolute cures effected by this treatment?" Mr. McWade was asked.

"There certainly have been cures," he answered emphatically.

"There are today in the leper colony in Canton, segregated from other cases, fourteen who show every symptom of absolute recovery from the ravages of that horrible disease. There is one case in particular which to my mind is simply marvelous. It is that of a big Chinese coolie in whom the disease had made such progress as to make it a question of a few days or weeks at the furthest when death would relieve him. From a stalwart man he had been reduced to a repulsive cripple, with bent back and twisted limbs. He could scarcely crawl along the ground.

"This was one of the cases segregated from the colony for the purpose of Dr. Raslag's experiments. How successful the remedy is can be better understood when I tell you that the coolie is today working as an angel man, is able to carry five or six hundred pounds burden all day long, and the only evidence of his leprosy is in the cicatrized wounds on his feet body and hands. The man is strong and well today. This is one case of the fourteen that have been under treatment for six or eight months."

Mr. McWade declined to go into further explanations of the new leprosy cure. He is very much delighted with his post at Canton and has introduced some Philadelphia ideas in Canton. His experience as a president of the famous Five O'clock Club has stood him in good stead and contributed in no small degree to his success as the American representative in China.

Mr. McWade has organized a "Five O'clock Club," patterned somewhat after its Philadelphia prototype. Its membership is limited to fifteen and a unanimous vote of the club is necessary to fill a vacancy caused by death. Mr. McWade is president of the club and the only foreigner who is likely ever to become a member of it. The rest of the members are Chinese officials and merchants.

THE ALASKAN BOUNDARY

Alleged Monuments Merely Ruins Of Indian Stone Huts

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 31.—Archibald Campbell, road superintendent, who is down from Porcupine, says the boundary monuments alleged to have been discovered and stated to be the demarcation of the Alaskan boundary, are merely the ruins of stone huts built by Indians.

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THE STRIKING MINERS

Strike at Coxe, Markle and Silver Brook Mines Officially Renewed

Hazelton, Pa., Oct. 31.—The strike at the seven collieries of Coxe Brothers & Company, the four mines of G. B. Markle & Company, and the Silver Brook operation of J. S. Wentz & Company, was officially renewed to-day, on an order issued by District Secretary Gallagher, of the United Mine Workers, upon instructions from President Mitchell. The strikers at those mines were not permitted to return to work in a body. The Coxes insisted that their employes make personal application for their former positions, and G. B. Markle & Company required that employes before going back to work should promise to abide by the decision of the arbitration commission. The mine workers object that the object of these requirements is discrimination against men who were prominent in the strike.

A DUMMER WEDDING

Nuptials of Mr. Thos. H. Crowe and Miss Isabella Nelson

A very pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mrs. McLean, 8th concession of Dummer on Wednesday, Oct. 22nd, 1902, when her daughter, Lydia, was united in the bonds of holy matrimony to Mr. Thos. H. Crowe, of Douro. The ceremony was performed in the parlor, under an arch of evergreen and chrysanthemums, the Rev. W. L. Atkinson officiating. [illegible] in a charming manner fulfilled the duties of bridesmaid, while Mr. Hugh McDonald ably supported the groom. At the conclusion of the ceremony about 75 guests sat down to a repast which did credit to the hostess and the liberality of the hosts.

The bride was made the recipient of many valuable presents which marked the high esteem in which she was held.

Mr. and Mrs. Crowe leave the community for her new home at [illegible]. She will be much missed, [illegible] old and young. [illegible] join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Crowe every blessing and success in their new sphere of life.

NERVOUSNESS

Or despondency caused by weak unhealthy nerves, are responsible for more sickness and suffering than any other disease. If you have a secret drain from early abuse, later excesses or exposure, you cannot expect healthy nerves while your vitality is being wasted. Do not eke out a miserable existence on account of your follies, you are not safe until cured—nature never excuses—no matter how young, old or innocent one may be.

KIDNEYS AND BLADDER.

Have you pain in the back, a dull feeling in the region of the kidneys? At times your water comes freely, a large quantity light in color, while at other times you do not make it quite so freely, it is dark in color, you make a small quantity, or you may have a mucous deposit or brick dust colored sediment; give your condition immediate attention or more serious complications will set in. My treatment guaranteed as a positive cure for such conditions, and remember you

PAY WHEN CURED.

You need pay nothing until you are convinced that a thorough and complete cure has been established. Surely this is fair, as you run no chances. CONSULTATION FREE. If you cannot call, write for blank for home treatment. Perfect system of home treatment for those who cannot call. BOOK FREE. Medicines for Canadian patients shipped from Windsor—All duty and transportation charges prepaid—Everything confidential—No names on envelopes or packages—Nothing sent C. O. D.

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Strangers visiting Peterborough are cordially invited to make their headquarters at the Times Office, where they will be provided with writing material.

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CANADA AND NEWFOUNDLAND

It seems that the Bond-Blaine treaty is all right again, only it may not be the Bond-Blaine treaty, and it may not be quite all right. But the Newfoundler Bond party are vigorously threatening dire vengeance upon all and sundry who may stand in the way of its final adoption. It is likely that the Gloucester fishermen will be about the first to feel their awful wrath. As for Canada, Newfoundland may never come into Confederation if we object to having a British colony discriminate against us in favor of a foreign nation. And Newfoundland would be such a fine place for a generous Minister of Public Works to get rid of lots of our good money in! And that French Shore question would be such a comfort to us! And Newfoundland would be so apt to want confederation with us if she had commercial union with the United States, knowing that confederation with Canada would kill commercial union with our neighbor! It is an awful, awful threat.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Grover Cleveland is to make one little speech on behalf of his own party, but he does so with diffidence, lest some one ask why he lugs superfluous on the stage. How soon will the progressive and business-like Americans tire of a prejudice which prevents a party from utilizing the services of its most experienced and successful leaders? If Cleveland had been beaten on the two occasions that he won the Presidency he could now be in politics; but, having succeeded, he put an end to his own political life.

If they had only had our resourceful Government in the United States, they would have arranged for the celebration of "Mitchell's Day" by the miners, when the miners had nothing in particular to do. Over here we shift the King's birthday about to suit the holiday season.

Quebec has all the spending departments of the Dominion Government, although Ontario is the milch cow of the whole ranch.

The weather conditions in the Northwest should soon be of a character to chill the religious enthusiasm of those Doukhobors.

TO COLD TO BOIL EGGS

Uncle Bill Tells How One Klondiker Tried It—Strange Consequences

I'll bet this here coal strike must 'a caused th' durndest sort of sufferin' up in th' Klondike."

Uncle Bill shook his head at the very thought of it.

"Why, it's so pesky cold up thar even when they do have coal, that—say, did I ever tell ye th' experience old Cy Draper's boy Jake had tryin' t' cook eggs in th' Klondike?

"Wall, first mornin' he wuz thar he took his ice pick an' pried four eggs off'n th' heap of provisions he'd brought along.

"Then he built a roarin' hot fire and set th' kettle on. 'Long sometime that afternoon th' water commenced t' bile a mite, an' he dumped th' eggs in. Late that night he shoveled some more coal on th' fire an' then went tew bed.

"Next morning he thought his eggs must be nigh done an' fished one out with the ice tongs.

"You'll hardly believe it, sir, but when he split it open thet egg wuz plump raw. Why, it wuz skeercely warmed through.

"But Jake wasn't discouraged. He just shoveled on more coal an' prepared two wait a spell longer.

"At th' end of th' third day th' kettle wuz almost biled dry, an' he had to add more water. Four days after that he opened another egg. It wuz just warmed through an' that's all.

"On th' night of the twentieth day Jake fully determined tew bile them eggs at any cost, shoveled his last ton of coal on an' opened all the draughts.

"'Them eggs must be done by t'morrow,' he said tew himself.

"Next mornin' bright and early he wuz suddently awakened by a terrible squakin an' flappin'.

"He rushed intew th' kitchen an' looked in th' kettle.

"Would you believe it, sir, that kettle was biled dry again an' thar in th' bottom wuz two little chickens a dancin' 'round an' flappin' their wings acrost their chests tryin' in vain tew keep warm.

"To see, it's so durned cold in th' Klondike thet bilin' water up thar ain't no hotter'n an ordinary incubator down here.

"What became of th' chickens? Oh, th' minit Jake took 'em outer th' kettle th' poor little critters froze tew death."

WINTER RACES

The Peterborough Turf Club Decide to Have a Winter Meet

A meeting of the Directors of the Peterborough Turf Club was held yesterday afternoon at the Oriental Hotel.

The lease of the Driving Park from Mr R. A. Morrow for a term of five years was completed.

It was decided to have two days' races on Tuesday and Wednesday, January 21st and 22nd, in the park, when some handsome purses would be competed for.

The officers of the Club are:—Messrs J. M. Brooke, President; Arthur Rountree, Secretary; R. J. Munro, Treasurer.

The splendid success attending the Club's first meet, held last month, augurs well for the future. Under the present management even greater success is assured.

Will Return to Peterboro

Helen Pogue, the pretty girl from Peterboro', who pleaded guilty to stealing some $25 worth of goods from the W. A. Murray Company, has many influential friends in that town. She is of a very good family. This morning his Worship said that he had decided to remand her for sentence, and that she would return with a clergyman from Peterboro, who would come for her at 5.30 o'clock this evening.

St. John's Dedication Festival

The Dedication Festival will be held on Sunday next. Among the events in connection with the occasion will be a Young People's Social on Monday evening next, to be arranged for at a meeting of young men tomorrow evening. On Tuesday evening, Nov. 7th, a Turkish Social will be given, a feature of which will be an address on "Turkey," given by Rev. Mr. Brooke, formerly Chaplain to the British embassy at Constantinople.

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THE MOONSTONE SPHINX

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some and well set up as the wearer was, many men in Macaire's position might not have cared to have him for a traveling companion.

Macaire had his own special car, made after an American model, and it was to accompany him in this gorgeous conveyance that Newcome found himself invited. The millionaire was taciturn at first, appearing to be absorbed in singularly engrossing thoughts, the gruesome, glazed skin on his forehead twitching nervously from time to time; but after a while his mood completely changed. He talked rapidly, and even picturesquely, about sporting matters in general, and boxing in particular, seeming vastly keen upon the subject. He described Joe Nash, otherwise Joey the Kid, advising and warning Newcome of the best way to "tackle" so wary and formidable a customer; and then drifted into talk of the Stock Exchange, growing almost confidential at last, describing some of his own early successes, and illustrating the maxim that "money makes money." He had had but a moderate fortune to start with, he said, scarcely thirty thousand pounds; but he had been ambitious, and he had had ideas. At the age of twenty-eight or thirty he had made up his mind exactly as to what he wanted in life, and determined to get it. He had speculated, and been phenomenally lucky, and the result had been—well, he would not say how much, but all the money was ever likely to want. Then he deigned to describe one or two of his first great coups, and Newcome listened with attention.

Only a short time ago he had not been conscious of high worldly ambitions. He had always been poor, had even known great hardships since reaching manhood, and he had expected to remain poor. If he could accomplish the one task to which a beloved woman had solemnly dedicated his life he had thought that he would be satisfied. Afterwards it would not matter so much what happened to him, though no doubt he would rub on somehow well enough when he went back to the States, where he was known and could get something decent to do.

But now all was suddenly changed. He was in love, and he wanted Winifred Gray more than he had dreamt it was possible for a man to want anything. Ambition awoke with the prospect of the strange adventure in which he was engaging. Talk of money interested him. His heart quickened at the story told by Macaire, and though his face betrayed nothing, seeming even indifferent as he listened without any particular expression to the tale of how a man, beginning at an age not much greater than his own, had grasped fortune, he missed not one detail of a single anecdote. Macaire, though he fancied himself a student of character, would have been surprised could he have seen into Hope Newcome's mind.

When the millionaire was tired of telling of his successes and how they had been made, he turned the conversation to the duties of rich men. He did not pose as a dispenser of charity, he remarked. That sort of thing he left to the fellows who wanted to get on the soft side of the princesses and work for titles. As for him, he thought knighthoods positively vulgar, they smelt of soap, beer, or groceries, and baronetcies weren't much better, unless a chap was born to them.

"I shouldn't sleep of nights if I didn't feel I was doing some good in the world," he exclaimed, with the well-executed air of frankness which those who knew him intimately recognized at once as leading up to something—something for which they had better keep their eyes open. "But I don't go in for charity in a lump—the kind that's meant to get into the papers; presents of Christmas turkeys to fifty thousand poor people, or endowing hospitals, or giving gold plate to cathedrals. I like to help individuals, not the regular 'slummers,' though it's well enough to look after them, too, but people who have had hard luck, and want just a 'hand-up' out of the slough. Now, for one instance of what I mean, among many, there's a family called Gray; a nice little woman, whom everyone likes who knows her, and a daughter who's on the stage. By the way, she was to have played here in Brighton, I think, the other day, but there was a misunderstanding of some sort—I don't know what. I suppose that's what put her and her mother in my mind at this moment. Anyhow, the family has had hard luck lately, I hear, and I'd like to do something for them—through the brother, perhaps—if I could manage it without its being known. I hate that sort of thing to be talked about. I hate to have people's thanks. Hanged if I know what to say to them, or where to look."

Hope Newcome's heart warmed to the eccentric and hideous millionaire. He had accepted his queer offer because it suited him, but he had not liked the man. Now it occurred to him that, like the toad which is supposed to hide the jewel of price in his ugly head, Lionel Macaire was better inside than out. He was certainly not snobbish; that was proved by his treatment of a shabby young stranger, even though the stranger served his purpose; and now it seemed that he had a good heart.

Newcome had had experiences in his twenty-six years which had made him reticent, slow to form opinions of people, and still slower to utter them. This habit of reserve clung to him now; he was not sure of Macaire, but he was inclined to believe him genuine, and his faint suspicions of the man were not increased by his mention of the Grays. On the contrary, his pulses leaped at the sound of the name, and he was ready to encourage further confidences on the subject without betraying any special eagerness in drawing them out.

If Macaire, remembering Newcome's championship of Winifred Gray outside the stage-door of the Duke of Clarence's, watched his face for signs of emotion, he must have been disappointed. The young man looked civilly interested, just as he had looked before.

"You must remember Miss Gray," Macaire went on. "You hauled a man off the driver's seat of her cab the night I saw you. Perhaps you knew her before?"

"No," said Newcome, calmly. "I'd never seen her till that night. The affair you speak of happened quite by accident."

"You didn't run across her at Brighton, then?"

"I wish I had," Newcome answered, with such apparent frankness that no one could have suspected evasion. "I'd

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THE TEMPERANCE PARTY ARE NOW ORGANIZING

The Whole County to be Put Into Line for the Vote

A meeting of the temperance workers to discuss the coming campaign was held in the Maccabee's Hall, Peterborough, last Tuesday evening. The Good Templars threw open their regular lodge meeting to the members of other temperance societies and friends of the cause in general. The Chief Templar, Mr. Cowan, was called to the chair and Mr. Roddis, of the Royal Templars, appointed secretary. Mr. Weeks, of Toronto, representing the Dominion Alliance, explained the general plan of organization, and said that practically all the counties of the Province were either already organized for the campaign or had taken steps to that end. The Rev. Mr. Potter explained what action had been taken by the Peterborough Ministerial Association, who had issued an invitation to their brother ministers of the county to meet them in conference on this question at the Y.M.C.A. building here next Monday Nov. 3rd at 3 p.m.

After some discussion it was unanimously resolved that the meeting through the chairman and Secretary invite all temperance workers of the county to meet next Monday at 2 p.m. at the same place to consult with the ministers and to effect the organization of the county for the coming vote on the Ontario Liquor Act.

THE LAKEFIELD BANK FAILURE

The Liabilities are $34,000 Dollars, and Assets of Less Than Half that Amount

Yesterday Mr. James Linton, head of the firm of James Linton & Co., proprietors of the defunct bank at Lakefield and Orono, arrived in Lakefield, and attended a meeting of the creditors in the Town Hall at 1.30 p.m. There were about 30 persons present, most of whom were creditors of the bank.

Mr. Linton submitted a statement of the assets and liabilities of the Lakefield branch, as follows:

Total liabilities		$ 34,000
Available assets	$8,224	
Notes, good	6,000	14,224
Shortage		$19,776

In addition to the above there are notes to the amount of about $8,000, which are regarded as worthless. The above is approximately the position of the bank, as it was impossible to prepare an accurate statement in time for the meeting.

Mr. Linton stated that Mr. Benson, the late manager of the Lakefield office had evidently misrepresented the position of the bank in his last statement, made on September 29th.

A rather warm discussion followed and Mr. Linton was kept under a heavy cross fire of cross questions by excited creditors for a couple of hours or more.

The loss is divided amongst the villagers and farmers living near the village several cheese factories being involved.

Chief Roszel received a letter from the Chief Constable, Stratford, to the effect that the bogus checks circulated in Stratford and those here were evidently made by the same person and were identical even to the amount. The description given of the man is as follows:— Age, 25 years; height 9 or 10 inches; dark clothes, black hat, a gold filled tooth in upper jaw and ring on left hand. He will probably be run down very soon.

—Good progress is being made on the new rink.

—Merchants are getting in their holiday goods.

Sparrow Housekeeping.

Have you ever watched a pair of sparrows when first the house-hunting and building mania comes upon them? How stupendously busy they are, especially the cock, and what a tremendous lot he has to say! As a matter of fact, his missus does all the real work, and he supplies all the theory, which she consistently disregards.

Not that Mrs. Sparrow works impetuously, as though time permitted of no deliberation. On the contrary, she uses the greatest deliberation in the performance of every action, however trivial. Watch her when she is considering the eligibility of, let us say, a bit of string which she has found in the garden path, as material to be used in the building of a nest over which she is busy. First she will sit upon a gooseberry twig a yard or two away and inspect that morsel of string from the south-east.

Then she will flit over to the apple tree close by and study it from the north-west. Then she will examine it from other points of the compass. At last she will hop up to it and pull it about—apparently accepting it, but rejecting it again, still uncertain as to its suitability for some purpose exactly defined in her foolish little mind. At last she will decide to use it, and, seizing it, she will fly up to her nest with the treasure; but, vacillating once again, she drops it at the very threshold, and sits upon the roof a little while, eying it and chattering, explaining to her lord, perhaps, that it would have done well enough if it had been longer or shorter, or thicker or thinner, or heaven knows what. Finally she will flit down and carry it away to use, and behold! to-morrow she has turned it out once more, and it lies upon the garden path a rejected thing. Not for long, however, for either she herself or some other bird has removed it next time one looks for the much considered scrap.

That conceited and self-assertive little person, her lord and master, is far less deliberate in his actions. He is more certain of himself, being convinced that he knows everything, and that to consider and weigh and deliberate is a waste of time.

He is anxious to help with the nest-making, and holds forth without ceasing while his lady builds. Occasionally he lends a hand. He catches sight of a straw, it may be, or a small piece of stick, and it occurs to him that here is the very thing his foolish wife has sought for days and failed to find. What does not occur to him is that he is a garrulous old incompetent, and knows no more about nest-building than he does about the laying of eggs. His wife knows all about him, however, and the straw is turned out of the nest again as soon as his back is turned. He has probably placed it in some impossible position, and—after explaining what a marvelous fellow he is, and what a treasure he has brought up in the way of building material—departed, forgetting all about the matter in a moment or two. Even when he sees that straw lying upon the garden path, so conceited is he that he does not recognise it, because he cannot contemplate the possibility of its rejection by the missus. He thinks he has found another treasure. "There," says he, dumping it down by her side as she sits resting, perhaps laying a little egg, in the semi-completed nest; "there's another splendid straw; how is it you don't come across them? I can find them whenever I like!"—"Longman's Magazine."

Telephone Etiquette.

Just and authoritative rules are needed that will fit the caller and the called. Says "Electrician:" Mr. Smith, a busy man of business, summons his office boy, and says, "Please get Mr. Jones on the wire." The boy does as directed. It happens that neither man has attained the luxury of a desk set. Accordingly, when Jones is informed by his boy that Mr. Smith wants to talk to him over the telephone he lays aside what he is doing and walks to the instrument. There he hears the familiar "Hold the wire a minute, please," and waits patiently, or perhaps impatiently, until Smith is notified that Mr. Jones is "on the wire," and goes to the telephone in his turn. Jones has wasted some minutes of his valuable time. Smith, on the other hand, has lost no time. He could have saved Jones the waiting by directing his boy to call up Jones' office and ascertain if he were in. Receiving an affirmative answer, he could then have stepped to the telephone and called for Jones, waiting himself until Jones responded. But in that case Smith would have waited, and Smith doesn't care to stand around any more than Jones does. Little vexations, like great problems, depend so much on the point of view. What we need is a system of rules that shall be equally respected by Smith and Jones, whether either be the seeker or the sought.

The "Hen Deceiver."

A friend of mine, says "Pick-Me-Up," has invented what he calls a "hen deceiver," for the purpose of promoting industry amongst the ladies of the farmyard. The apparatus is simple, and consists of a box for a nest, with a trapdoor for the bottom, so that when the hen lays an egg it drops through into a receiver underneath, the door closing automatically. When the hen gets up to look for the egg—it has gone, and she thinks she has made a mistake, and lays another. A hen has been known in this way to lay fifteen eggs at a sitting.

Ping-pong appears to be more successful than Christianity in India. The native ladies of the Punjab have taken it up.

"What do you mean by saying she just celebrated her wooden wedding?" "She married a blockhead."—Philadelphia "Press."

"Goodness! how that railroad stock does fluctuate." "Yes, it's a wise railroad stock that knows its own par."—Philadelphia "Press."

New Woman—"Husband, I need a change. The doctor said my life is too monotonous. I need excitement." Husband—"Try staying at home."

Greene—They tell me you send a good many things to the magazines, as well as to the daily papers. Come now, is there any money in literature? Browser—If there isn't it is no fault of mine. I never took any out of it.

Severe Electric Shock

While working the elevator in Mr. Fair's store on Saturday evening, a clerk named Elliott received a severe electric shock. It appears the young man caught a live wire with one hand and named Elliott received a severe electric [illegible] in the other, thus creating a circuit. He was doubled up and his moans brought assistance. There was no serious injury, however, and the young man is now at work as usual.

Pace in Reading.

A common and trivial excuse given by those who read little is that they have no time for reading. One may have no time for eating or sleeping, but hardly no time to make love or to read. It is good will, concentration, and the habit of despatch, not leisure or unlimited opportunity, which have always performed the greatest wonders in both of these useful pursuits. Many persons in mature life are conscious of a gentle and luxurious sentiment in favor of reading, which comes to nothing because they do not know how to read. With all the good-will in the world, they lack concentration and the habit of despatch. The good-will was not applied early enough, or not applied at all to any other end than the lazy diversion of a moment. This naturally resulted in the formation of the newspaper habit, by which I do not mean simply the habit of reading newspapers, but the habit of mind which makes it possible for men to spend an evening in going through motions. There is no more reason for spending two hours in reading the newspaper than in having one's boots blacked. Some people never make their way into the great Establishment of Letters farther than the vestibule, where they spend their lives contentedly playing marbles with the hall-boys. Of course we do not call the newspaper worthless simply because some other things are worth more. The best reading is both intensive and extensive; one reads a little of everything, and a great deal of some things. The good reader takes all reading to be his province. Newspapers, periodicals, books old and new, all present themselves to him in their proper perspective; they are all grist to his mill, but they do not go into the same hopper or require the same process. On the contrary, one of the main distinctions of the clever reader is that without varying as to intensity, he varies almost indefinitely as to pace. This power of reading flexibly comes mainly, of course, with practice. For those who have lacked an early experience of books, the manipulation of them is never likely to become the perfect and instinctive process of adjustment which it should be. People often achieve a certain degree of education and refinement late in life, but seldom, I think, the power of the accomplished reading man. It is simply not to be expected. An adult who takes up the violin may get much amusement and profit from his instrument, but he cannot hope to master it. A certain increase of facility, however, the belated reader may surely expect to gain from some sort of observance of this simple principle of adjustment.

This anxious but unskilled reader is too likely to have a set gait, so many words to the minute or lines to the hour. An essay, an editorial, a chapter in a novel or in the Bible, a scientific article, a short story, if they contain the same number of words, take up just the same amount of this misguided person's time. No wonder reading becomes an incubus to him, with the appalling monotony of its procession of printed words filing endlessly before him. He really has time enough, if he knew how to make use of it. Eben Holden keeps him busy for a week or more; it should be read in a few hours. He plods methodically through Sir Walter, and finds him slow; the happy reader who can get Quentin and his Isabelle satisfactorily married in six hours does not. The trained reader readjusts his focus for each objective. Milton may be read in words or lines, Macaulay in sentences, Thackeray in paragraphs, Conan Doyle in pages. The eye, that is, readily gains the power of taking in words in groups instead of separately. How large a group the glance can manage varies with the seriousness of the subject. With the same degree of concentration, eye and mind will take care of a page of the "Prisoner of Zenda" as easily as they can absorb a line of Macbeth, or one of Fitzgerald's quatrains.

Of course this disposes of the indolent lolling style of reading—or rather makes a rare indulgence of it. When one occasionally comes upon the novel of his heart, or the poem he has waited for, he may well afford to consider it at his luxurious leisure, minimizing labor by dilatoriness. But as a rule the widely reading man is not an indolent person. Not that he is to be always keeping his nose in a book. By regulating his pace, he not only covers an astonishing amount of ground in reading, but makes room for other things. He knows how to get the most for his time, that is all. The bee does not eat the flower to get the honey out of it. The eye of the skilled reader acts like a sixth sense, directing him to the gist of the matter, in whatever form it may appear. Twenty minutes yields all that there is for him in the book which his neighbor, knowing that it would mean a week's spare hours, is careful to avoid.

This, it may be said, sounds very much like an advocacy of skimming. Skimming and rapid reading are different processes, but skimming is at times a good thing, too; even skipping becomes, on occasion, a sacred duty. We may go a step farther, for skimming implies cream, and skipping, a foothold somewhere; and many books deserve neither of these less and least complimentary modes of treatment. The eye brushes a page or two, and the mind is hardly called in to assist in a damnatory verdict which is informal, but summary. The experienced reader, in short, is an artist, and, like other artists, attains his highest powers only when he has learned what to subordinate, to slight, even to omit. The poor fellow whose conscience will not let him refuse an equally deliberate consideration to every six inches of black and white which comes in his way may be an excellent husband and father, a meritorious lawyer or merchant, and a model citizen; he is certainly not a good reader.—"Contributors' Club."

An Age of Scepticism.

"In my young days," said the Moro chief, bitterly, "everybody believed that a man who fell in battle had a passport to heaven." "And is it not so now?" "Evidently not. I have seen heretics skulking behind rocks and throwing away first-class chances of getting shot."—"Puck."

Sis Hopkins—Mis' Lummis, ma wants t' know 'f you can let her have a cup o' sugar, two eggs, 'n' a few raisins, 'n' some flour. Oh, yes!—'n' a little butter. Mrs Lummis—Well, I never! Sis Hopkins, you go home 'n' tell your mother I said if she'd wait till I had time t' make it, she could come over 'n' take the cake.—Philadelphia "Bulletin."

Anniversary Services

The anniversary services of the Park Street Baptist Church will be held on Nov 2nd and 3rd. Rev. P. K. Dayfoot, M.A., of Port Hope, will preach at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. On Monday evening tea will be served from 6 p.m. to 7.30 p.m. At 8 o'clock a programme will be given, including music, and a lecture, by Mr. Dayfoot, "Happy, Though Married." Freewill offering at the door; all welcome.

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Interesting Items.

A Chicago playwright advertises that he has written and invented a melodrama in five acts, called "In Death's Shadow," "introducing the most absolutely startling and realistic scene in existence, the eruption of Mount Pelee and the destruction of St. Pierre. Fully protected. Western and southern rights for sale."

Perhaps we are coming to railways without rails. Several automobile owners in New York are planning to construct on Long Island fifty miles of road, to cross other roads above or below grade so that they may have a free course on which to speed their machines. From running a single motor car on such a road to attaching one or more "trailers" is a short step, and the next leads to passenger and freight service. Even if special roads are not built for their accommodation, it is probable that automobile coach lines will be run as feeders to the steam or electric lines in districts where it would not pay to lay a track.

A petition to the President and Congress of the United States asking an appropriation of $500,000,000 to assist negroes to leave the United States has been prepared by the International Immigration and Commercial Association, an organization of negroes, who were in session in Chattanooga, Tenn., a fortnight ago. The petition recites a long train of abuses to which it is asserted the negro is subjected, among which are the denial of all social and political recognition and the violation of his constitutional rights. The leading spirits in the convention are Bishop Turner of Georgia and Mr Heard, former minister to Liberia.

In spite of the opposition of his famous mother Maurice Bernhardt has applied to the state council of Paris for permission to change his name to Maurice Clairin. This is in order to conform to the usage which requires that children should bear the name of their father, not their mother. This step is said to have been taken at the instigation of Mme. Maurice Bernhardt who is about to become a mother, and does not desire to inflict the brand of illegitimacy upon her offspring. M. Clairin, whom Maurice now selects as his father, was a painter, whose infatuation for the "Divine Sarah" nearly caused a triple tragedy twenty-five years ago.

A remarkable instance of the intelligence of ants is described by Dr. Schroeder, in the "Zeitschrift fur Entomologie." Last summer a country house was so overrun by ants that the owner, after destroying a large anthill near the house and collecting the numerous pupae for poultry feed, laid sticky fly-paper before the door of the house in such a manner that the ants could not enter without crossing it. In the morning he found his poultry feed gone and the fly-paper covered with sand, dry grass and pine needles, over which the ants had passed "dry-shod." The anthill had also been rebuilt during the night. This case is well-authenticated, and a piece of the fly-paper is shown in evidence."

A well-dressed young woman entered a Boston car the other day and took a seat next to a man. Presently she leaned forward and began to tie up her shoe-lacing. It proved rather difficult to do with her gloves on, but after a while the passengers witnessing the performance saw the feat accomplished and the lady sit back calmly gazing out of the window as if "she was always tying her shoe" in electric cars. At the next stop the man beside her rose to get off, but lo! there came a struggle and then horror, mutual and general. The two were fastened, not exactly hand and foot, but shoe and shoe! So diligently had the lady tied the knots that the lacing had to be cut by a ready pocket-knife before the embarrassed couple could be separated.

Clarence Davies has bought for $200 a triangular strip of land 14 inches by 6 inches, and comprising 40 square inches, at the north-east corner of One Hundred and Forty-Ninth street and Third avenue, New York. Mr. Davis expects to derive an income of about $1,000 a year from this investment. As the parcel is a corner one, its owner has the right to occupy the sidewalk to the stoop line, which would give him a space 6 inches by 5 feet fronting in Third avenue, and 14 inches by 5 feet in One Hundred and Forty-ninth street. Mr. Davies can also get the right to build a vault under the sidewalk and the size of this vault could be 20 by 20 feet, or 400 square feet. He can use the vault as a subterranean store. The triangular plot was made by widening Third avenue and title to it has been held for some time by Samuel G. Walker as executor. It is said that a man stood on the plot for three nights some months ago, so that no one could build on it. He covered the plot almost with one foot.

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Santos-Dumont Answers His Critics.

M. Santos-Dumont has at last answered his critics. He publishes in the "North American Review" for June his first article on aerial locomotion, and, despite the criticism of scientists, he makes good his case of the air-ship against the aeroplane. Most of the criticisms have been to the effect that Santos-Dumont has been on the wrong track; that no balloon—an apparatus lighter than the air, at the mercy, more or less, of the winds of heaven—could ever become a commercial success; that though he could guide it to a certain extent, he could never be sure of reaching any point; and, finally, that the birds of the air, being themselves heavier than the air, moved by means of dirigible planes—wings—and were held in space by means of locomotion, which went to prove that similar human machines could alone be successful. That was and is in the main good reasoning. But Santos-Dumont says: "Beginning with this year, I shall attempt to apply in the air the principles of aviation properly so called, in subjecting my air-ships to a continual evolution. In the same proportion that I increase the extent of the inclined planes symmetrically disposed at the right and left, I shall reduce the surface of the envelope of varnished silk, and, consequently, the volume of hydrogen relatively to the power of the motor. Thus I expect gradually to diminish the role of the hydrogen, making secondary its importance, which is now primary, and even completely doing away with the use of this gas. The air-ship will then have become an aeroplane in the absolute sense of the word, and I hope that some day we shall see it such. That day is undoubtedly not far distant, but the flying-machine will be achieved only by the way of evolution, by making the air-ship pass through a series of transformations analogous to the metamorphoses by which the chrysalis becomes the winged butterfly. My air-ship, which raises itself by pushing back the air, has already done better than the chrysalis, whose elongated form it resembles. It may be that very soon nothing will prevent it from freeing itself completely from its cocoon of silk lined with hydrogen, and from being wholly comparable to a butterfly."

In other words, he began his experiments with a large balloon and small motors and planes. Gradually from practical experience in the air he reduces the size of the balloon, the quantity of hydrogen, and enlarges the planes and motors, and he says he has carried this far enough to prove to his own satisfaction that it is only a question of time and careful study to reduce the balloon to a minimum and the aeroplane principle to a maximum. That sounds right; that is the method of the great entity which laid down the laws of evolution; that is the survival of the fittest. And meantime the great aeronaut is experimenting in the air and not in the laboratory, which in such evolution contains the essence of ultimate success.

Dowie's Crisis.

"Harper's Weekly."

"Dr. John Alexander Dowie, self-proclaimed reincarnation of the Prophet Elijah, banker and publisher, divine healer and absolute owner of a town with more than 4,000 residents, General Overseer of the Catholic Church in Zion, lace manufacturer, and founder and head of the Theocratic party, former Presbyterian preacher and present millionaire, who is said to draw regularly every week one-tenth of the total income of more than thirty thousand families in the United States and other parts of the world, has apparently reached a crisis in his career, which has so far been a remarkable demonstration of the power possible to a man who combines shrewd business methods with the audacity and fierce earnestness of a religious fanatic. The cardinal doctrine of Dowie's creed is divine healing through the prayers of himself and of his apostles. By preaching this doctrine and by denouncing physicians and all drugs as allies of the devil, he has brought about him hundreds of invalids, some of them bringing with them considerable sums of money. Two weeks ago his only daughter, Esther, was terribly burned by flames resulting from the overturning of an alcohol-lamp. Her wounds were dressed by one of Dowie's elders, after which the General Overseer and his chief men spent the whole day in prayers about her bedside. At nightfall the young woman was suffering terrible agony, and at last paternal love overcame the scruples of her father, and he sent for one of the despised physicians. The physician who responded says that from the first there could have been no hope for Miss Dowie's recovery. She died during the evening. And now the thousands who actually look upon the gray-bearded old Scotch-Australian as more than human, and who have listened to his terrible denunciations of medical men as words inspired, are asking what they shall think of his own act of heresy in the hour of personal distress. Dowie himself slipped off to his summer home, leaving behind him his apostles and a number of phonographic records of his own "inspired speech," to which 5,000 followers, gathered in the Chicago Auditorium on Sunday afternoon, listened midway between awe and incredulity. Within recent months Dowie and the great religious-business enterprises he has built up have received several other severe shocks. By a court decision he was forced to pay more than $100,000 to an English manufacturer he had persuaded to take up his residence in the holy city of "Zion," located forty miles north of Chicago, on the shore of Lake Michigan, and more recently there was a severe outbreak of smallpox in the Divine Healing College which he has established in Michigan avenue. Whatever the outcome of the present crisis, it is certain that Dowie and the strange and fanatic following he has built up in ten years are worthy of the serious study of sociologists.

"Mamma," said the fair bather, "declares that my bathing dress has not enough goods in it." "Your mamma is mistaken," asserted the young man; "it covers your shoulders completely, does [illegible]"

A Large Shipment

A few days ago five car loads of bacon were shipped by the George Matthews Company. The bacon is intended for England, where the Company has a large and increasing trade.

Chimmie Fadden on Endowed Journalism.

"When Mr. Carnegie gets his hundred poipers all running, no more will busy young gents go hiking all over de globe—by telephone, by telegraft, special trains, boats, and flying-machines—seeking news at de cannon's mout, and pictures in de fire and crash of craters. No more will lynx-eye reporters run down and capture moiderers, and have 'em drawn, hanged, and ne quarters, before de police hears of de crime. Gone will be de days when de sporting extra prints de name of de winner before de last horse passes under de wire; de standing of de league clubs before de echoes of de empire's voice dies, as he calls tree strikes on de last man to bat. Never again, loidies and gents, shall we know more dan Edward Sevent about de chances of a Marquis of Cleveden, alas! Opera stars and chorus goils will cease to suffer from publicity, end may pursue deir ways and lost diamonds in obscurity and peace.

"Joinalism will feed in de sweet pastures of Reform. Managing editors will go dance jigs to mile stones, deir places filled by Professors of Etics from de leading univoisities and de Century Club. News editors of to-day will be chained in padded cells, deir duties performed by members of de Autors Club who can prove dey has ever wrote a book. Headline builders, copy re-writers, and telegraft editors who take de pledge will be let to write essays on Japanese poetry and basic steel ovens. No salaries will be paid, but every poisson employed may draw as much money as he feel likes, tree times a week. No poker games is to be allowed on de editorial floor until de make-up editor has time to sit in."

"Who would read such a silly poiper?" says Widdy.

"Madame," says Mr. Paul, "did anyone ever suspect Mr. Carnegie of being a fool? An advertisement for more editors will be printed in every edition of each poiper. Applications for such jobs must be written on coupons printed, also, in every edition of each poiper. De man what has filled out de most coupons gets de foist job."

"What of it?" says Widdy.

Mr. Paul looks tautful at her a while, den he says, "De mystery of newspoiper coupons is for woman's poiese, not her understanding. But dis I'll tell you: De poiper mills will never come witin a mile of supplying white poiper for Mr. Carnegie's use. I has prepared a table of figures what shows dat inside a year de only people on eart, besides Mr. Carnegie and staff, who will have de price of a meal will be a few cranks who don't want a job on a Carnegie poiper, wit privileges of de cash drawer."

"I don't tink much of de plan," says Whiskers. "If I had two hundred million I would do someting more better dan dat."

The Drinking Orchid.

A plant termed by English "Public Opinion" the most extraordinary ever discovered has been brought to light by the exertions of Mr. E. A. Suverkrop of Philadelphia, who during his trips to South America has been for some years contributing to the collection of his friend, Professor N. E. Brown, of the Herbarium, Kew Gardens, London. The wonderful plant which Mr. Suverkrop has now found is an orchid that takes a drink whenever it feels thirsty by letting down a tube into the water. When not in use the tube is coiled up on top of the plant.

One hot afternoon, says Mr. Suverkrop, I sat down under some brushwood at the side of a lagoon on the Rio de la Plata. Near at hand was a forest of dead trees which had been choked to death by orchids and climbing cacti. In front of me, stretching over the waters of the lagoon and about a foot above it, was a branch of one of these dead trees. Here and there clusters of common planta del aire grew on it, and a network of green cacti twined round it.

Among the orchids I noted one different from the rest, the leaves, sharp lance-head shaped, growing all round the root and radiating from it. From the center or axis of the plant hung a long, slender stem about one-eighth of an inch thick and one-fourth of an inch wide. The lower end of this was in the water to a depth of about four inches.

I went over at once to examine my discovery, and was surprised when I touched the plant to see the center stem gradually contract and convulsively roll itself up in a spiral like a roll of tape. I found on examination that the stem was a long, slender, flat tube, open at the outer end, and connected at the inner end to the roots by a series of hairlike tubes.

By subsequent observation I found that when the plant was in need of water this tube would gradually unwind till it dipped into the water. Then it would slowly coil round and wind up, carrying with it the quantity of water that the part of the tube which had been immersed contained. When the final coil was made, the water was poured, as it were, directly into the roots of the plant. The coil remained in this position until the plant required more water. But should the plant be touched while the tube is extended, the orchid acts like the sensitive plant, and the coiling is more rapid.

I found many of these plants, all directly over the water, or over the place where he water had been. In the latter case it was almost pitiful to see how the tube would work its way over the ground in search of water that was not there.

High "Steaks."

In the great gambling hall there was breathless silence.

A poker game between two of the billionaires was in progress.

About their table were packed and jammed hundreds of curious, excited people, watching their play with astonishment.

"I'll bet you a porterhouse steak!", says one.

Murmurs of awe rise from the watchers.

Clear and stern comes the answer:

"I'll see that porterhouse steak and raise you two rib roasts, a pig's knuckle and a can of ox-tail soup."

Here the onlookers gasped.

One of them, indeed, muttered:

"It is such things as this that make anarchists."

But, pooh! What know the hoi polloi of sport?—Baltimore "American."

Leases the Grounds.

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MORGAN IN THE OIL INDUSTRY--NEW YORK FINANCIER AT THE HEAD OF A $20,000,000 COMPANY TO EXPLOIT CALIFORNIA FIELDS

Bakersfield, Cal., Sept. 27.—J. Pierpont Morgan is about to identify himself with the oil business in California. On October 12, or a few days later, surveyors will be put into the field, and will run lines to the ocean from Sunset, Coaling, McKittrick, Midway and Kern River fields to determine by which route it is most feasible to transport oil to tide water. The surveys will run over the coast range at a number of points, and also will go down the San Joaquin valley parallel with the line of the Standard.

A company having a capitalization of $5,000,000 has been organized for the construction of lines, pumping stations, storage tanks, and the like. Mr. Morgan and his associates have also formed a separate company, capitalized at $20,000,000, half of which will be invested in proven ground and the other half turned into a reserve fund.

It is stated that the Morgan syndicate will be prepared to handle 2,000,000 barrels the first year, and will increase that amount at the rate of 1,000,000 a year until the whole demand of the market is met.

THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY own and control a large tract of absolutely oil proven asphalt land in the very heart of the best oil producing land of Kern County, California, the district where flowing wells are situated. We have a bed of Liquid Asphalt underlying a portion of our lands. Our property is situated right at Sunset Station. A new line of railway is surveyed and will be constructed in a very short time, putting us not only in touch with Eastern cities, but in touch with tide-water. This, in addition to the railroad facilities we now have. Remember that we own our land—it is paid for and entirely free from debt.

ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL CO.'S GIGANTIC TRACT
will be developed and should prove a formidable rival for the new company.

PROFESSOR DR. RUD J. SCHIMPER, Analytical and Expert Chemist, of St. Paul, makes the following statement relative to the composition, what can be produced and the estimated profits of the Sunset Crude Oil. A copy of the original certificate can be seen at the office of the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Co., which is in substance as follows:

"This is to certify that the undersigned, Dr. Rudolph J. Schimper, Chemist expert, member of Parisian Academy, according to analysis made from the crude oil furnished me by the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company, I find the following valuable products and with each beg to submit my estimate of its value:

1. LIQUID RUBBER—2,000 lbs of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 1,800 lbs. of liquid rubber, value of which is from 25c. per lb. and up. (Estimated value $450.00.)
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3. FUEL BRIQUETTES—2000 lbs. of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 2,000 lbs. (1 ton) of fuel briquettes, which, according to government tests made, is equivalent to two tons of best anthracite coal. (Estimated value $22.00)
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5. SOAP—2000 lbs. (1 ton) of crude oil and filling will produce over 2,000 lbs. of soap, value 3c. per lb. and upward. (Estimated value $60.00.)

In my opinion many other valuable products can be obtained from the oil of that famous field.
Respectfully, DR. R. J. SCHIMPER, Chemist Expert."

THIS goes to show the immense profits that will accrue from our products when refined. We expect to commence Building Our Refinery in the very near future. The sale of the next allotment of stock will be made for that purpose. The largest flowing wells in California were brought in adjoining our property and their stock was taken off the market. We employ the best drillers who report rapid progress on our wells and we expect to bring in gushers equal, if not to excel any in the Sunset field. Our General Manager, Superintendent and Drillers, all are experienced oil men. The officers of our company are all thorough, competent and efficient men who have always made a success of their undertaking in life and who will see that the welfare of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company is furthered, protected and promoted to the most advantageous extent possible.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS should be paid to the stockholders of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company when their property is fully developed, their refinery equipped and in full operation ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS was paid by Kern County Oil Companies during the month of August alone.

SIX MILLION BARRELS is the consuming capacity of the Southern Pacific Railway engines, which are now equipped for burning oil. Outside of this consider other railway lines, smelters, factories, steamships, stationery engines, which are all heavy consumers of fuel oil and last but not least, hotels and private dwellings are falling in line with the procession in the use of fuel oil.

A GOOD REASON WHY YOU Should Invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. More fortunes have been made in oil than any other business. Consider the immense amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for its fortunate stockholders, and the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard Oil Company. Here is what $100 has accomplished for those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:
Home Whittier $1,000 on an investment of $100.
Kern returned $2,300 on an investment of $100.
Peerless returned $1,800 on an investment of $100.
Dillon returned $2,500 on an investment of $100.
New York returned $30,000 on an investment of $100.
Union returned $150,000 on an investment of $100.
Home returned $50,000 on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Company's oil holdings and property, when developed and handled, should not bring like returns.

CONTRARY to the general supposition the earth is the repository of all mineral wealth. When it is known and demonstrated beyond a question of a doubt where its wealth reposes and you put your money up to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people but creates new wealth. It is therefore an investment.

Wonderful Increase in Value of Oil Stocks.

The rapid rise in the value of shares in some oil companies will be seen from the following table:	Original price per share	Present Market price
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Monte Cristo Co	.10	
West Shore Co	.50	
Twenty-eighth Oil Co	.50	
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	.50	
Sterling Oil & Development Company	.50	
Dillon Oil Co	.25	
Peerless Co	.50	
San Joaquin Oil Co	.50	
Kern Oil Co	.25	
Thirty-three Oil Co	.25	
Kern River Oil Co	.50	
New York Oil Co	.50	
Oil City Petroleum Co	2.50	
Hanford Oil Co	2.00	
Kraevenhagen Oil Co	.10	
Columbia Oil Co	100.00	
Union Oil Co	1.00	
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STOCK MARKETS

The Market Again Reaching Bottom.

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Summary: To-day's market was stronger. As foreshadowed in these letters, a strategetic movement was carried out in L. N., running stock down rapidly from 138 to 133 1-2 prior to an advance in which the stock crossed 137. Splendid buying developed in U. P., B. & O., Manhattan and Chicago. Investment demand was plainly discernible in such stocks as N. Y. C., Penna. and St. Paul. Industrials were strong. The market should close the week comparatively strong, and be more lively after election. In the event of Republican success odds to buy be greater in volume and better range of prices. Money closed 5 per cent. Sales 410,000.

To-morrow's letter: "Some telling figures."

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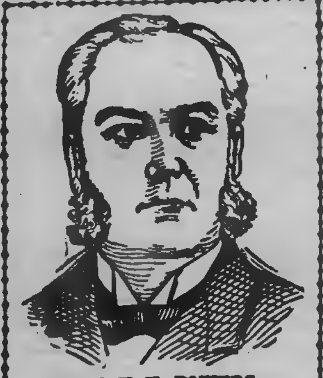

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PETERBOROUGH, NOV. 1, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Have Your Piano Tuned

R. S. Shaw, piano tuner for Heintzman & Co., direct, is in the city. Parties requiring their piano tuned, please leave orders at Mr. C. B. Routley's store.

Police Court

In the absence of Magistrate Dumble yesterday Mr. Adam Hall, J.P., occupied the bench. There was only a case of alleged dealing in second-hand ware without a license, which was not confirmed, and the court adjourned.

Fell Dead on the Street

As Mr. Sam Sullivan, driver for the Central Milling Company, was on his way up George street yesterday with his team of horses, one of the horses fell dead. The animal had not previously shown any sign of being sick and Mr. Sullivan cannot give any reason for the death of the horse.

Marks Bros. Last Night

Another full house marked the second appearance of Marks Bros.' Dramatic Company last night, when the realistic and beautiful drama entitled "Under Two Flags," was presented. As usual with these talented artists, the acting was superior and the performance was devoid of anything coarse or vulgar. The specialties were of the usual high order. This afternoon there will be a matinee, and this evening a complete change of programme.

—A $115 organ, with eleven stops—as good as new—will be sold for $37.50. This is a snap.

Sympathy Appreciated

The family of the late Enos D. Evans desire to express their appreciation of the evidences of esteem and respect that were paid to the memory of deceased by the forwarding of numerous floral offerings and sympathetic messages. They desire to especially express their appreciation of the kindness of the employees of the American Cereal Company in this behalf.

Death of Mr. Salisbury

It is with sincere sorrow that we have to record the death of Mr. Jonathan Salisbury, father of Mr. Wm. Salisbury, of town, which occurred yesterday at Toronto General Hospital. About three months ago the deceased gentleman was stricken with paralysis, from which he never fully rallied. He was about 76 years of age, and was widely known and universally respected. The interment will take place on Monday at Cobourg.

The Gunpowder Plot

The anniversary of the Gunpowder Plot will be celebrated in Peterborough by a grand concert, held under the auspices of L.O.L., No. 80, in the Forester's Hall, Simcoe street, on Wednesday evening next, Nov. 5th. A splendid programme has been arranged for the occasion, consisting of addresses by Worshipful Master Joseph Jones and several ministers, and vocal and instrumental music, &c. Price of admission is only 15c.

CHARGED WITH ASSAULT

John Fowley, of Lakefield Fined $10.00 and Costs

In the County Police Court John Fowley, of Lakefield was charged with indecent assault upon a 16-year-old girl.

Prisoner was defended by Mr. A. O. Langley, whilst Mr. R. E. Wood conducted the prosecution.

Fowley was found guilty of common assault and was fined $10 and costs, amounting in all to $29.60.

SEASON'S CROP DESTROYED

A Barn Near Norwood Was Struck by Lightning

During the heavy storm which passed over this district on Thursday a barn about half a mile out of the village of Norwood, belonging to T. M. Grover and leased by Fred. Murphy, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground, together with Mr. Murphy's entire season's crop of 1,500 bushels of grain, which was threshed this week, some hay and a span of work horses.

Mr. Murphy was away from home at the time of the storm and carried no insurance. The barn also was not insured. This is the second barn Mr. Grover lost this fall.

A FLAGMAN PUT ON

The C. P. R. Has Taken Action Regarding George St. Crossing

His Worship, Mayor Denne, who has been looking after the matter of having gates placed at the C.P.R. crossing, George street, received the following letter yesterday, from H. P. Timmerman, General Superintendent of the C.P.R.:

T. H. G. Denne, Esq.,
Mayor of Peterborough:

Dear Sir,—Referring to your letter of the 24th concerning gates at George street. I have given instructions for the crossing to be protected by flagmen, when trains are using it, until such time as arrangements for gates can receive full consideration.

Yours truly,
H. P. TIMMERMAN,
General Supt.

As a result a flagman is now doing service at the crossing.

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Death of Mr. Joseph H. Hewson

On Thursday morning there passed away at the family residence, Belleville, Mr. Joseph H. Hewson. The deceased was well known in Peterborough as a conductor on the Midland division of the G.T.R. running between Belleville and Lindsay. His death was caused by a complication of diseases. He had been in the employ of the company since 1885. Until some nine months ago Mr. Hewson resided in Millard. Although a resident of Belleville but a short time he had made many warm friends as he was a kind-hearted and sociable man. He was in his 45th year. Deceased took an active interest in fraternal societies and was a member of the Free Masons, I.O.O.F. and A.O.U.W. In religion he was a member of the Anglican Church. A widow and a family of two sons and one daughter survive. The funeral ceremonies this morning will be under the auspices of Mizpah Lodge, I.O.O.F. and the remains will be taken to Port Hope for interment. Since Mr. Hewson's illness the members of Mizpah Lodge I.O.O.F., Belleville, had shown him much brotherly attention.

The Direct Line

From Peterborough to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and the South is via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley Railroad. Route of the "Black Diamond Express." Pullman sleepers and dining car service from Toronto. Everything first class. Scenery and service unsurpassed. Call at W. Bunton's ticket office Peterborough, for tickets, Pullmans and further particulars.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—The many friends of Mr. Alex. Rutherford will be pleased to know that he is gradually recovering from his illness.

—Mr. John Hull, of Lakefield, was in town yesterday, on his way to Cobourg, where Mrs. Hull and family have been visiting.

—Dr. J. Caldwell, of Bowmanville, and Dr. Neil Caldwell, of Orono, spent Monday in town with Dr. and Mrs. Gray, Sherbrooke street, as they passed through on their way to Ottawa.

—Miss Mary Bethune, a graduate of the Belleville Hospital, has been appointed Head Nurse of the New Ross Memorial Hospital, Lindsay. Her duties will begin on Jan. 1st, 1903. The Belleville Intelligencer says of her: "Miss Bethune is to be congratulated on her no doubt, well-merited advancement, which speaks volumes for the thoroughness and character of the training imparted at the Belleville General Hospital."

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—This is the first day of the hunting season

—The Rugby football kickers went down to Ottawa last night.

—The bridge over the creek on Brock street is being repaired.

—The wire fence is being placed around Victoria Park.

—The young men of the George street church are talking of forming a Guild.

—Dr. Glover, returned missionary, will conduct services at Bethany Tabernacle to-morrow.

—A couple of second hand coal stoves for sale cheap. Apply at The Times Bookstore.

—Complaints have been made that nets to catch fish are being used in Rice Lake.

—Work on the new skating rink is progressing satisfactorily. The brick work will be started at once.

—A few county of Peterborough maps left. Splendidly mounted on rollers. $2.50. Times Bookstore.

—All those who have not made their first payment to the Hockey Rink Company, are asked to do so at once.

—Get your school scribblers at the Times Bookstore. They have the best paper and are the cheapest.

—The ministers of the town and country are to meet on Monday to take action in regard to prohibition.

Three good boys wanted at The Times office—one to learn bookbinding, one to learn press work and one as messenger in the bookstore.

There will be a meeting of the members of L.O.L. No. 80 at their hall, Simcoe street, on Monday, evening. Every member is requested to be present, as business of importance will come before the meeting.

—Just in—Exquisite invitation cards for children's parties; also handsome birthday cards and a large variety of sheets of scrap pictures in colours. These lines are entirely new and up-to-date. Purchasers should see our stocks before buying. Times store.

—Millbrook Reporter:—Rev. Mr. Wright, who has been afflicted with granulated eyelids, went into the Peterborough Hospital last week for treatment. We are glad to hear that he is much improved and expects to return this week.

—Lindsay Watchman-Warder—"The Boers have visited Oshawa. They would likely be more at home in Peterboro." Right you are, dear boy; Peterborough is a much better place to visit than Oshawa, or even Lindsay. If the Afrikanders are after a good quiet time, Lindsay would be their Mecca.

—Lindsay Post:—Five carloads of stock passed through to the Toronto markets today from Fenelon Falls and Kinmount. Three carloads were owned by Messrs. Thompson & Beatty, stock buyers, Carmington, one by McDougall & Austin, Fenelon Falls, and one by Mr. George Watson, Kinmount. The price paid for hogs was $6.60, butcher's cattle $3 to $3.50, expert $4 to $4.25, lambs $3, sheep $2.75, calves $5 to $6 and milch cows $35 to $50.

— —Regarding the King's birthday things are slightly mixed. The popular celebration takes place on May 24th, and the official celebration falls on November 9th, the actual anniversary of the occasion. As that falls on Sunday this year, the King's birthday, will be officially recognized on the 10th. His Majesty therefore, is so fortunate as to have three birthdays within 12 months.

—Lindsay Post:—Mr. Wm. Snowden of the Snowden House, Peterborough, passed through yesterday to Owen Sound. While at the station Mr. Snowden, who had brought two carrier pigeons with him, tied a letter on their legs and let them go. The birds headed in a north-westerly direction, but after getting up a good distance in the air they turned east. Mr. Snowden is experimenting to find exactly how long it will take these birds to make their destination.

Toronto Star: A quiet wedding took place at St. John's Church at half past two o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, when Mr. Gilbert Strattor Minty was married to Alice Capreol, second daughter of Mr. Frank Osborne Cross, of the Bank of Commerce, late of St. Catharines and now of 20 Willcocks street. The Rev. Alexander Williams, rector of the church, performed the ceremony. The bride, who was attired in white silk, was escorted by her father, who gave her away, and her sister, Miss Edith Cross and Miss Eva Paterson as bridesmaids. They wore pretty frocks of white and pink. A short reception was held at 20 Willcocks street after the ceremony, after which Mr. and Mrs. Minty left for Detroit and other places, the bride traveling in a pretty suit of bronze broadcloth, the coat being pleated and belted, and wore over a white silk blouse, a white hat and set of sables, the gift of the groom. Mr. Cross was formerly manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce in Peterborough, and resided here with his family for some time.

WORN TO A SHADOW.

When there is a falling off in flesh in woman or man there is "something wrong." And that something wrong is generally a loss of nutrition due to disease of the stomach and the other organs of digestion and nutrition. Sometimes this loss of flesh is accompanied by variable appetite, but in many cases the appetite does not fail and there may be a constant desire to eat. Languor, nervousness, irritability, sleeplessness, are symptoms often associated with this loss of nutrition and falling off in flesh.

Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures disease of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It enables the perfect digestion and assimilation of food so that lost flesh is regained and the physical health re-established.

"I had suffered from indigestion and only those who have suffered from it know what it really is," writes Mrs. M. J. Fagan, of 1613 East Genesee St., Syracuse, N. Y. "I had had severe attacks of headache and dizziness, with cold hands and feet; everything I ate distressed me, bowels were constipated and *I was growing very thin and nervous.* I cannot half express the bad feelings I had when I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I took nine bottles of the 'Discovery' and have taken several bottles of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. I commenced feeling better with the first bottle and kept on improving. Now I am so greatly improved in health my friends often speak of it. I most heartily recommend these medicines to all suffering as I was."

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Proves a Difficult Job on Account of the Hard Bottom

The work to dredging the river above the bridge is progressing slowly. The job is somewhat difficult on account of the hard bottom, and also on account of the stiff current at this point. About 30 yards has been dredged to a depth of about seven feet.

Mr. Frank Fairen, the courteous clerk on the dredge, says that the work above the bridge will be completed this fall, when the dredge will again be dismasted and taken through under the bridge to the lower side, where it will work in the spring, making a channel down to the C.P.R. bridge.

The dredges are being dumped at the side of the river, the intention being at some future day to build docks along the river front for the accommodation of vessels that may come and go. When this time arrives of course it will be imperative that swing bridges be substituted for those which are now stationary.

After Many Years

Mr. Joseph Marks, of Marks Bros.' Dramatic Company, a few days ago received a letter from his mother's brother, Mr. Thos. K. Farrell, who resides in England. Mr. Farrell went to South Africa twenty years ago, and resided there almost ever since, being Mayor of Kimberley just before the outbreak of the war. His relatives had no idea of his whereabouts till the arrival of this letter. The elderly gentleman has become a millionaire, and has now leisure to look up his relatives. He proposes to visit Canada, and view the scenes of his childhood. He has seven sisters and three brothers, one sister having died lately.

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4	41 in.	15 in	$22.80

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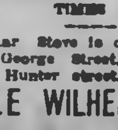

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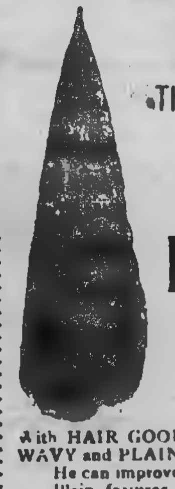

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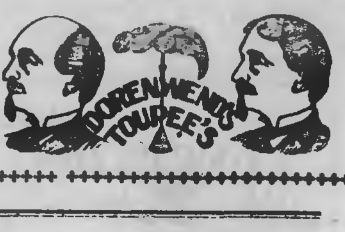

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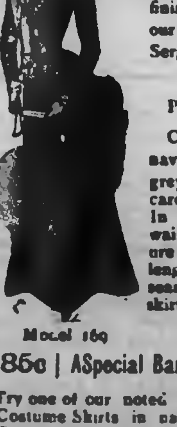

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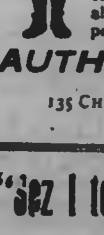

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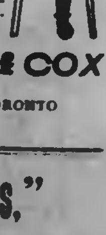

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ENGLAND'S GREAT FOE IN AFRICA THE MAD MULLAH AND HIS PEOPLE

Particulars of the War Which Britain Is Now Engaged In

THE STRUGGLE A COSTLY ONE

The Mad Mullah Being Largely Reinforced by Natives

London, Nov. 3.—The New African war is now the centre of interest in this country, especially on account of the fact that the recent British reverse has sent thousands to reinforce the Mad Mullah.

Some twelve or fifteen men in Somaliland are known to the inhabitants as Mullahs. They are also called sheiks or widads. They are the religious leaders of the Somalis, all followers of Islam. Comparatively few of the Somalis have been regarded as fanatical Mohammedans; small European hunting parties have repeatedly travelled through their country in safety; and most of the white visitors have had a good word for the people, and also for the Mullahs, who have been represented to be very quiet and respectable persons, generally on the side of order and peace, and civil in their treatment of travellers.

In all inner Somaliland there are no permanent settlements, except those occupied by these Mohammedan leaders. Each Mullah has a settlement around his home. These centres of population are on an average at least seventy miles apart. The largest of them is the town of the Mullah Seyid Mohammed, in Ogaden. The next most important settlement is supposed to be that of the Mullah Hargeisa, in British Somaliland; besides these two religious leaders there are about a dozen other Mullahs of less importance scattered over several degrees of latitude and longitude.

The Mullahs have been enabled to settle down, form permanent villages and cultivate the land around them because all the people hold them in the greatest respect. The Somalis are great looters, and one tribe does not hesitate to send an armed party to rob another tribe of its horses, donkeys, camels or grain; but a looting party would be driven to the last extremity of hunger before it would attack the village of a Mullah, and even then it would take no more plunder than necessary to provide food for a few days. It is thus seen that the Mullahs have great influence; and as a rule they have not used the power they wield over the people to turn them against the whites.

One of the less important Mullahs, however, a man who was never known outside his country until he began to be heard of as "The Mad Mullah," suddenly assumed, in 1901, an attitude of hostility to the white race. He is known as Haji Mohammed Dul Abdullah. He is a religious fanatic, one of the leaders in Islam whose religion has become a frenzy, and he has exhibited magnetic and persuasive qualities sufficient to imbue those around him with his own rabid ideas. He is called by Europeans the Mad Mullah, simply because he has been preaching a war of extermination against the whites. He has rallied around him thousands of fairly well-armed natives who are devoted to his cause. The reports from Somaliland have been very meagre, and it is not known how many of the other Mullahs, if any, have joined his standard; but the Mad Mullah has become exceedingly active since he began to attract attention. Within the past year he has met the forces sent against him in British Somaliland, in Italian Somaliland further south and in the Abyssinian territory to the west. He has generally been repulsed, and has fled to a considerable distance, only to recruit his forces and take the field again. At latest accounts the British who had had a hard fight with him near the border between British and Italian Somaliland, found it necessary to retreat north to the centre of their territory.

This war is going on only 100 to 300 miles south of the Gulf of Aden where steamers are constantly passing on their way to the Suez Canal. The scene of disturbance is thus quite near one of the greatest trade routes of the world.

Most of the trouble has occurred in British Somaliland, which fronts on the Gulf of Aden, and has an area of about 68,000 square miles. Along its coast are considerable ports of Berbera, Bulhar, and Zeila, which have had important trade with the Somali, though the commerce of Berbera and Bulhar have been nearly ruined by the present troubles.

The larger part of the British Somaliland is an elevated plateau crossed by barren mountain ranges. For a part of the year the country is very dry, and water can be obtained only along the few rivers and in the wells; but in the fall and winter seasons a great deal of rain falls over most of the country. This is the time when the livestock has most feed and the people are most active. Somaliland is now in the midst of the rainy season, and this is one of the reasons why the Mad Mullah has resumed hostilities, for there is now plenty of grass to sustain the horses of his cavalry.

It is believed that not more than 250,000 natives are living in British Somaliland. The revolt has been confined almost entirely to these Somalis who live under the so-called rule of the British Government, with the Consul-General at Berbera as the chief official of the protectorate; but, though the hostile Somalis are nearly all residents of British Somaliland, they have carried on their campaign of the past year to some extent into the Italian and Abyssinian parts of the land. The fear is now expressed that the recent successes of the Mad Mullah may have the effect to induce a large number of Somalis living in the Italian and Abyssinian districts to join the hostile faction: in this case the European powers interested are likely to have a very ugly war on their hands.

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Used a Shot Gun

Kingston, Nov. 2.—A man named Soper was shot and dangerously wounded in Oden township by a young man named Veley, as the result of a family squabble. Soper's wife left him recently and returned home. He followed her up, and had a quarrel with her father. Apparently he blamed Veley for some share in the trouble, and with the help of another man he waylaid Veley, ill-treated him, and finally left him tied to a tree. Last Tuesday he made another attempt to induce his wife to go with him, and in the course of a row which followed, Veley used a shotgun, shooting him in the hand and side. Veley then gave himself up to the police, at the same time making the plea that he had acted in self-defence.

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MRS. MARY BAKER EDDY MAY BE INDICTED

As the Founder of a Doctrine Which Caused Death of Child

A CASE OF GREAT INTEREST

Christian Science on Trial at White Plains, New York

New York, Nov. 3.—It is likely that before the Quimby Christian Science case is over, Mrs. Baker-Eddy, the "mother" of Christian Science, will be indicted by the White Plains grand jury for propogatting the doctrines, the practive of which by the Quimbys led to the death of little Esther Quimby.

Esther Quimby had diphtheria and was only treated by Christian Science treatment. She died and now Hector Lathrop and the parents are on trial charged with her death.

The case will be one of great interest, and the grand jury dropped all its other criminal business on Saturday in order to begin its investigation, with a view of officially fixing the blame for the death of the girl. There is no Christian Scientist on the jury, most of the members being Episcopalians, Presbyterians and Methodists, and a majority of them are opposed to the Christian Science faith. The questions the jurymen will decide will be these:

"Shall Mr. and Mrs. Quimbly be indicted for a misdemeanor as set forth by subdivision 1 of Section No. 288 of the Penal Code?" or "Shall the accused be indicted for manslaughter in the second degree?"

Under subdivision 3, section 193 of the Penal Code, a conviction under the latter indictment is punishable by imprisonment of fifteen years in Sing Sing prison and a fine of $1,000.

If convicted of a misdemeanor the prisoners may be sent to the penitentiary for one year, or pay a fine of $500.

Most of the jurymen favor indicting the Scientists for manslaughter and making a test case in order to determine all other criminal proceedings against the members of the sect.

AS TO MRS. EDDY.

More than that, Mrs. Eddy, the founder of the faith, may be arraigned, and the right of Christian Scientists to endanger human life by neglecting ordinary medical precaution will be settled by law.

So far as Mrs. Eddy is concerned the grand jurymen have not decided on what action to take against her. The name of the founder of the church was frequently spoken in the room, and at the next session the jury will be provided with several of her books, in order that they may judge what bearing her works have on the proceedings pending.

CASE WILL BE FOUGHT.

If Lathrop and the Quimbys are indicted they will be defended by eminent counsel, and a $5,000 relief fund of the church will be at their command, so it is said.

Several of the jurymen may be opposed to indicting "Healer" Lathrop for manslaughter, on the ground that he was not an illegal practitioner and was not at the Quimbly home in the last twenty-four hours of the child's life.

The matter of deciding on what charge the Scientists should be indicted was left in the hands of District Attorney Young, who will make his report to the jury to-morrow.

THE CASE.

Little Esther Quimbly died on Oct. 28 of malignant diphtheria, which the physicians claim could have been cured by proper medical attention. Her parents are Christian Scientists, no doctor was called in, and she was only treated by a "healer," Mr. Lathrop, who went to White Plains and attempted to cure her by silent prayer and the laying on of hands.

For five hours the jury investigated these facts, but although it adjourned without bringing in any indictment, it is practically certain that the mother and father of the dead child, and all the Christian Scientists who are involved in the case, will be held either for misdemeanor or manslaughter.

The first witness called was Coroner Banning of Mount Vernon, who is determined to push the charge against the scientists to a speedy trial.

He told how he had investigated into the death of Esther Quimby, who had been permitted to die slowly from diphtheria without her parents making any attempt to call in a physician to help her. Instead, he was told by her parents that a "healer" had been called in from New York; that he visited the patient daily and tried to cure her by holding her hand, and by concentration of thought upon the patient's mind, made an attempt to save her life.

CALLS IT PURE FANACTISM.

He said he had held the healer and Mr. and Mrs. Quimbly for manslaughter because he believed they were guilty of culpable neglinence, and that their religious practice was pure fanaticism and a violation of the laws of the State.

HIS FAITH IS FIRM.

Before leaving the court house Mr. Quimbly made this statement:

"We do not fear the outcome. We believe in religion and not in physicians. That is the truth of the matter. Medicines kill people. Christian Science prolongs life and removes errors from the body. I am a firm believer in its teachings and would not take medicine for anything. Drugs do more harm than good.

"Physicians said my wife and two children had diphtheria. Look at them now. Everything has passed away, and they did not take any doctor's advice either. Their belief in our faith was their only relief.

"We shall stand trial willingly. It will only result in bringing out more truths."

Now that the quarantine has been raised from the Quimbly cottage, Healer Lathrop has ceased making his visits to the house.

CORONER URGES INDICTMENT.

Coroner Banning, who demanded Mrs. Eddy be indicted, said:

"I feel certain that the Scientists will be indicted for manslaughter. I told the jurymen that Mrs. Eddy should also have a charge preferred against her.

"She is the head of the Christian Science church, and, through her books and teachings, is morally responsible for the neglect and abandonment of medicine. She is the instigator of the whole sect and gave instructions to Healer Lathrop, who treated the child, and in conjuction with the parents is responsible for her death. If I had my way I would indict Mrs. Eddy with all the rest concerned.

"This Christian Science cult is a danger to humanity. It is more of a humbug than anything else. I told several jurymen to indict Mrs. Eddy and that then the district attorney could apply for requisition papers from the Governor of New York and then she could be brought on to plead to the charge. I am going to suggest the Frederick W. Peabody, a prominent lawyer of Boston, who has conducted a bitter warfare against Scientists there, be employed to prosecute the prisoners if they ever come to trial.

"I am sure a conviction can be secured if the case is pushed with vigor and determination. I shall keep on fighting until the Scientists are brought to realize the seriousness of their crime."

On Thursday the Grand Jury will bring in its indictment, and then will begin this strange battle between law and science and faith and religion—a breathless interest by the millions of Christian Scientists throughout the world.

PARIS TO LONDON IN AIRSHIP

Santos Dumont will Try It for a Prize of $50,000 Under Conditions

Paris, Nov. 3.—Santos-Dumont says that he is willing to attempt to make the passage from Paris to London in an airship for a prize of £10,000, but the conditions imposed are not satisfactory.

He believes that he should be allowed to make more than three attempts, as unfavorable atmospheric conditions at the last moment might oblige him to abandon the trip.

JAMES STOKES HONORED

He Receives the Cross of Officer of the Legion of Honor in Paris

Paris, Nov. 2.—James Stokes, of New York, was decorated here Saturday by a commission from President Loubet, with the cross of Officer of the Legion of Honor. The ceremony took place at the jubilee fete of Young Men's Christian Associations in Paris.

The cross was placed in position by Jules Siegfried, member of the Chamber of Deputies, and former Minister of Commerce, amid enthusiastic cheering.

Mr Stokes gave the funds necessary to erect the Paris building of the association.

SACRIFICES TO RIVER GOD

To Be Made by Chinese to Show Gratitude for Absence of Inundation

Pekin, Nov. 2.—The Dowager Empress to signalize the return of the court from the summer palace, has issued an edict ordering special services to the river god of the Hoang-Ho as a token of gratitude for the absence of inundation. The overflowing of the Hoang-Ho or Yellow River has caused the loss of thousands upon thousands of lives in past years.

The proposed pilgrimage of the Emperor to the Western tombs has been abandoned, and His Majesty will perform his ancestral worship in Pekin.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

Aden, Arabia, Oct. 30—Col Swayne, the British Commissioner in Somaliland, has reached Berbera in safety. His wounded are doing well. No further movement of the British troops against the Mad Mullah, will be made until a large force is collected, which will be About two months hence. There is no doubt that the Somali levies showed the white feather in the recent fighting with the Mullah's followers.

Col. Cobbe is in command at Bogtle, Somaliland, where the guns have arrived. The garrison there is not threatened.

Montreal, Oct. 30—A unique religious service will take place in St. Martin's Church to-morrow morning. For some days there has been in progress there a series of undenominational meetings upon the lines of those inaugurated by the Keswick Brethren, in which clergymen of all denominations have taken part. The movement, so far as Montreal is concerned, has been organized By Rev. G. Osbrone Troop, rector of St. Martin's Church, and now he is to crown his work by a united communion of different Christian ministers and people. Archbishop Bond is to officiate at the communion table, and the various other parts of the service will be taken by Anglican, Presbyterian and Methodist ministers. This new departure is sure to cause a deal of discussion among those who are sticklers for the observance of the rubrice of the church.

Montreal, Oct. 30—The great result of the recent visit of the Premier of Canada to France will be that the relations between both countries from an intellectual and economic point of view will be much friendlier, and be attended by a much larger commerce. In the principal parts of France there is a very general impression that there are excellent opportunities of building up a large commerce with Canada, and that a direct line of communication would be of much benefit."

This was the statement made to a reporter at the Windsor today by M. Francois Morin, of Paris, France, who arrived in Canada today, to take up his duties as consul-general for France at Vancouver, B.C., where he will succeed M. Houssain de St. Laurent. M. Morin, who up to the time of his appointment was secretary to the Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. Delcasse, was present at the interviews held between the Prime Minister and Hon. Mr. Fielding and M. Delcase, and is, therefore, in a position to speak with regard to the policy of the French Government as to the course to be followed by the Minister of Foreign Affairs.

"As a matter of fact," M. Morin went on to say, "France like all other countries, seems to have acquired the particular spirit of the age—that of extending its relations as far as possible with foreign countries. And, naturally, as there has always been much interest manifested in Canada, the developments that will be made in this country now that the opportunities are so numerous will be greater than ever.

"Of course, this is my first visit to Canada, I cannot as yet say along what particular lines of commerce this development will be made."

"M. Delcasse, as Minister of Foreign Affairs, has showed himself one of the strongest men in the present Government. Perhaps I might even go so far as to say that he is the most able Minister of Foreign Affairs that France has ever had. His policy has already met with the entire favour of the country, and will undoubtedly benefit the country greatly.

"There has been a good deal of talk about the Combes Ministry, and it has been stated often that the Premier would be forced to resign at an early date. I do not see any reason why anything of the kind should happen. On the contrary, it looks as though he might remain in power for quite awhile."

This afternoon M. Morin called on M. Kleczkowski, the Consul-General for Canada. He is accompanied by Mme Morin, and will spend a few days in the city before starting for Vancouver.

M. Morin has already served in the Consular service in Austria and Germany.

London, Nov. 3.—Though the outlook for the coming winter in the country is far from encouraging, there are indications that the distress, speaking generally, will not be quite so acute as in London.

Accounts from different districts vary considerably. In Birmingham some of the leading trades have shown a gratifying improvement within the past few months. Cycle makers are doing well and the motor industry is developing steadily. There is, however, a slackness in the hardware and building trades. In only a few branches in Sheffield is trade really bad. Many of the large firms have Government orders that will last through the winter. At the poor law offices only the normal number of recipients of relief is anticipated. The state of the labor market in Leicester is much better than it was this time last year. At Portsmouth it anticipated that the distress will be more than normal.

A gloomy report, however, comes from Newcastle, where the trade union officials estimate that 14,000 men are out of employment. The high price of coal is seriously accentuating the depression in the iron and steel industries, and shipbuilding and engineering firms are said to be feeling the pinch severely. The shipyards are steadily paying off men, and matters are made worse by fact that several hundred Reservists have returned to find no work obtainable. The redeeming features of the situation are that large building operations and railway extensions are proceeding in and around Newcastle.

CONDITION OF ARTISANS

Artisans are declared to be in a worse position in Nottingham than at any time during the last five years. Many large contracts have recently been completed and the ranks of the unemployed have grown so considerably that bricklayers masons and plasters are leaving the district in search of work. Very few of the 3,000 hands engaged in the cycle trade are making full time. The hosiery trade, once one of Nottingham's staple industries, is suffering from marked slackness. Norwich and the district has not a pleasant tale to tell. Large calls for out relief are expected, and the increase in the price of meat is also a factor to be considered.

Without taking into account the chances of a coal strike, the prospects in South Wales are far from bright.

Mr. Harpur, the borough engineer of Cardiff, states that already there are signs of coming distress which will tax the Unemployed committee of the corporation to the utmost. "From the number of applications already in my books," he says, "I can foresee hard times for many in South Wales."

Up to the present Glasgow does not anticipate exceptional poverty this winter.

The New York Press puts the situation thus: "In the United States there are 80,000,000 of people. The members of organized labor, as embraced in the American Federation, are 100,000. The numbers of organized capital are numbered by scant thousands. The public—the eighty millions—is carrying the load of organized labor and organized capital squarely and is paying all the bills." There is something in this view. In the coal strike the workers were quite as regardless of the public's interest as the "barons." If the 79,000,000 odd "scabs" take the regulation of trusts into their hands the labor bosses may get some attention along with the capitalists.

Seeking to Usurp the Sultan

Pretender Says He Is Turkish Monarch's Elder Brother

Premier Barton to Introduce a Bill at Next Session

London, Nov. 2.—A Melbourne correspondent reports that Premier Barton has promised to introduce in the Federal Parliament, at the next session of that body, a bill granting a customs preference to England. The South Australian House of Commons has passed a bill providing for the construction of a line from Adelaide to Port Darwin and completing the overland railway on land grant system.

London, Nov. 2.—A correspondent at Tangier, Morocco, reports that the Sultan's brother will leave the capital today with 3,000 troops to quell a local uprising that has broken out near Tesa, three day's march east of Fez, where the pretender has risen, claiming the throne as Sultan's elder brother. The Pretender, it is said, is an ordinary soldier, but the Berber mountaineers of the district apparently place a good deal of credit in his pretensions. The report says that the following of the Pretender is not large, but that, in their opinion, the authorities are afraid the affair might prove serious unless crushed quickly.

London, Nov. 2.—A Paris despatch says it is reported that Minister Combes has forbidden the priests in Brittany to catechise in Breton, but that Bishop Quimper ascertained that 110 parishes of his diocese do not contain a single child capable of receiving religious instruction in the French language and in one small town only 12 out of 150 of the inhabitants understood French.

Paris, Nov. 2.—The engineering work in connection with the Metropolitan Underground Railway is very interesting, especially at Place De L'opera, under which pass three strata of underground lines running to different parts of Paris. One station almost invisible from the surface of the street will serve all three lines with stairs, arranged to make egress and ingress easy.

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FOUR MORE RAILWAYS TO THE PACIFIC COAST

Western Farmers Must Build Barns for Storing Grain to Avoid Disaster

Montreal, Nov. 2.—"There is great disaster threatening the farmers of the West to-day, and they do not seem to realize it. They must change. At present they do not realize that what they ought to do is to build barns and store their grain. They all rush it right out to market. They do not realize that there will come a time when the market will be so flooded with grain that the price will fall so low that they will suffer a complete loss. The banks will not advance them any money under such conditions, and what they must learn to do is what the American farmer in the Western States has learned by bitter experience, store their grain and wait for the most favorable time to forward it to the market" Such was the exclusive statement given to a newspaper correspondent by Hon. A. G. Blair, Minister of Railways and Canals, in stating what had been the exact results of his trip through the West to the Pacific Coast.

"There cannot be any wonder," the Minister of Railways went on to say, "that the railways should find it impossible to rush the grain through and to avoid blockades. Even if there were four times as many railways as there are at present, it would be impossible to handle it at once, owing to the fact that farmers from all districts hustle all their grain right to the railway, and expect and want to get in on the market as rapidly as possible. They will have to build barns and hold on to their grain if good prices are to be maintained.

MORE RAILWAYS NEEDED.

"Then, as Minister of Railways, I was particularly interested in seeing for myself what could be done to solve the great problem of transportation. It was six years since I had been through the country, and I had never before been through in in the open season. What I was particularly anxious to find out was how do the present railways, the Canadian Pacific, the Canadian Northern, the Great Northern, and the Northern Pacific, answer to the needs of the country, and what are the chances for new railways. After looking into the question as carefully as I could, I have decided that while each one of the railways has made all the progress it could, the country has grown greatly beyond them. In fact, I am thoroughly convinced that there is room for at least four more railways right through the Northwest to the Pacific Coast today, but not only convinced of that, but even of the fact that it must have them.

"I traveled over portions of all the four present railways, and branched inland to see the condition of the country. Everywhere the soil is so rich, its possibilities so great, that I would not hesitate for a moment to say that twenty miles on either side would be amply sufficient for a railway to be run with satisfactory results.

"Then I went among the people and I found that there was a very general opinion in in favor of a Government railway right through to the coast. I had thought so for many years; I am more than ever convinced of the fact. As the farmers pointed out to me it would be the one great thing that would tend to equalize rates; the one thing that would prevent them continually being at the mercy of the railway. They have the right to such a railway, and there cannot be any doubt that such a line might be run with great profit to the country.

"But then the country has gone ahead so fast that more railways must be established or immigration will receive a severe setting back. Settlers are now obliged to go into outlying districts and and unless railway facilities are afforded them in order to get their produce to market they will become discontented and get anxious to leave the country. Everywhere you go the same cry is to be heard, more railways.

IMMIGRATION FROM STATES.

"Then I was specially interested in the big immigration from the United States. While in England last summer the objection was often made that so many Americans coming into the country would be sure to favor the cause of annexation. I wanted to go among them, and see if there was any desire for anything of the kind. I found that there was not. They are above all anxious to make Canada their home, and I am quite sure that in a generation it will be impossible to tell the American from the real Canadian. In order to see what the chances were of the movement from the Western States extending itself, I visited the chief centers. And now I am going to prophesy. From what I have seen and learned I will prophesy that next year at least 100,000 Americans will find their way into Canada to settle down. The movement has only started, and the coming of so many Americans into the country will tend to offset the disaster that now threatens the West, for they will by example show the Canadian farmer the benefits to be derived from holding on to his grain.

"Then naturally I was interested in seeing what progress had been made by the Doukhobors and the Galicians. For the most part I found that the Doukhobors had shown themselves to be good settlers. The present trouble among them is not likely to spread very much. The Galicians have certainly gone ahead very rapidly. They have adapted themselves admirably to the conditions of the country, and are very anxious to learn English.

"It is wonderful how that country has gone ahead in the past six years, and there cannot be any greater truth than that the greatness of Canada lies in the West."

GUATEMALO VOLCANO IN STATE OF ERUPTION

Natives Fleeing in Great Terror to the Interior of the Country

Managua, Nicaragua, Oct. 31. — Since Saturday morning the volcano of Santa Maria, in the departmen tof Quezaltenango, in the northwestern part of Guatemala, has been in eruption. The eruption is attended with a terrifying roar and shocks are felt all over Nicaragua, Salvador and Cost Rica. No damage has been done here, but there if great alarm.

Santa Maria has not been considered an active volcano. There are several towns and villages near it. It is ten miles from the recently ruined town of Quezaltenango and five miles from Mez-Qatenango, which has 6,000 residents. The height of the volcano is 12,467 feet, or three times as hight as Mont Pelee in Martinicue.

Guatemala suffered severely from earthquakes several days last April who nmany towns and villages along the Cordillera were either damaged or reduced to ruins. The towns of Quezaltenango and Amitetlan, capitals respectively of the departments bearing the same names, were destroyed

SHOWER OF ASHES IN MEXICO.

Mexico City, Oct. 31.—There is no little consternation felt by the inhabitants of the remote south country on account of the showers of ashes falling in the extensive region from San Juan Bautista, capital of the state of Tabasco as far north as Salina Cruz. It is believed that a hill near Palenque, where there is a great prehistoric cityin ruins has suddenly been transformed into an active volcano.

The ashes falling at Palenque have hidden the sun and also at Comitan, and a great fear has come on the people. Palenque is the center of the disturbance, as the burning mountain is said to be near there. There is some anxiety felt for the Chapas.

Indians arriving at San Christobal Las Casas say a hill in the Guadaloupe Sierra is vomiting fire and smoke. People in many towns have been running about in terror and offering prayers publicly for the safety of their wives and children. Scientific opinion is that all of this is part of the general awakening of volcanic forces in the West Indies and Central America.

Bloodhound Used to Run Down Burglar

Syracuse, Nov. 2.—In the effort to run down the trouser-pocket burglar that has been terrifying Syracusans for the past six months, detectives to-day used a blood-hound. The animal was set on the trail of a burglar who broke into the residence of F. W. Hawkinson, 108 Harrison street, early this morning, but the effort was a failure. Two or three burglaries are reported every night.

Longshoremen Win Strike

Montreal, Nov. 1.—The longshoremen who struck yesterday for an increase in wages went back to work to-day, all the steamship companies conceding the demands.

Clyde Shipyards Busy

London, Nov. 3.—During the past month twenty-four vessels, aggregating 40,000 tons, were launched on the Clyde, and orders were placed for new boats of a total tonnage of 42,000. The work on hand amounts to 400,000 tons.

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A VALUABLE PRECEDENT

In his decision to visit South Africa and examine on the spot the many problems that the war has left for solution, Colonial Secretary Chamberlain has established a valuable precedent. Most of the mistakes that have been made in the past in at least the self-governing colonies have been the result of ignorance on the part of successive British ministers of local conditions and feelings. Familiarity with at least the self-governing colonies would seem to be the first duty of an imperial minister, and yet it may be doubted whether more than one or two of them could pass a satisfactory examination in colonial history and geography. The United States generals who returned from England the other day were struck with the fact that few prominent Englishmen had visited the American continent. Only two members of the present government have ever done so, and of the great generals, Roberts, Kitchener, Sir John French, Kelly-Kenny and Ian Hamilton, not one. Yet a real and close understanding of America is now more important to English public men than any other part of the world, and perhaps when Lord Roberts comes next September, his example will do something to make such visits more general. Once upon a time the Grand Tour of Europe was considered necessary to every gentleman's education but it is much more necessary that at this time the leaders of English thought and action should be able to view modern progress as a whole, and this they will not be able to do until they throw off their hereditary habits of insularity and acquaint themselves by actual travel with their kindred beyond the seas.

KRUGER'S POCKET PIECE

The queer story comes from South Africa that President Kruger has been carrying around with him a 300-karat diamond as a kind of pocket piece, or lucky penny. This recalls the stories of Oriental potentates, who put their wealth in the light and portable form of precious stones, that they might carry it into exile in their pockets. Mr. Kruger did not put the Boer revenues into his diamond. That might have been difficult, even with his autocratic power. It is said to have come into his possession as a gift, and the story is romantic enough to furnish Rider Haggard with a plot for a novel.

The stone first appears to tradition in the hands of a Basuto chief, from whom it passed by force to a Zulu king, and from him to a series of chiefs, each of whom committed assassination to get it. The native custodians of the legend say that sixteen successive owners of the stone were assassinated or exiled on account of it. Finally the whites heard of it, and an attack on the village where it was resulted in the death of 300 on both sides. The chief who had the stone buried it in a flesh wound and let the wound heal over it. In the vicissitudes of native history, this chief became a captive and slave of the Boers. He got Kruger's ear, told him his story, received his liberty, and gave him the stone.

Nearly all these incidents might be borrowed from fiction and legend of South Africa, but that does not exclude the possibility of their truth. The superstitious may be convinced by the fact that the stone brought upon Kruger the same doom it attracted to former possessors. He escaped death but was deposed and exiled. This should make buyers cautious, but the general belief of those who credit the story is that he has disposed of it, either to the vatican or to the Emperor of Austria. Probably the vatican feels that it is proof against black magic, and the Emperor of Austria has had so much bad luck in his life that he may well be reckless about inviting more.

HOPE IN SUNBEAMS

Experts, or alleged experts, tell us that the coal in the anthracite mines of the United States will not last a hundred years longer, that England's coal supply will not last so long as that, and that natural gas and fuel oil will be exhausted even sooner. The duration of the soft coal supply is a more uncertain proposition, since the field of production of the bituminous varieties is so much larger. But it is safe to conclude that at some period in the future the world will be practically destitute of fuel.

What will the world do then? This query inspires Prof R. H. Thurston, of Cornell, to contribute a magazine article on possible substitutes for power and heat. He sees a recourse in the utilization of solar heat. The sun wastes heat and power enough to run a good many worlds like ours. The problem is to catch it during the hours of sunshine and store it up, and then to distribute it when and where needed. The inventive genius of man, which has accomplished so many wonderful things, ought to be adequate to this task. Prof. Thurston says that at Pasadena, Cal., there is an immense concave mirror, moved by clockwork, the reflected heat from which is utilized to run a ten-horse power engine. Whether there is any economy in this, as compared with the use of coal, oil or wood for making steam is not stated. But if there was no coal, oil or wood, and the sunbeams could be harnessed and brought into service, they would have to be utilized, no matter how much it might cost to collect them.

Each age is confronted with its own problems, and we may safely leave to the future fuelless age the problem of perfect substitutes. In the meantime invention is constantly at work to cheapen power by harnessing the natural forces in the service of man. The waterfalls and the winds are extensively used—but when a way is found of harnessing the direct rays of the sun, all the secondary forces that derive their power from the sun can be dropped.

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TO COMPEL THEM TO RETURN

Major Strickland Says Force May Be Used on Doukhobors — They Gave up Their Money — Over $17,000 of Savings in Hands of Government Agent

Winnipeg, Oct. 31.—The Mounted Police have about given up the task of compelling the Doukhobors to return to their farms as a hopeless job. The futility of the efforts of the police were duly appreciated by the fanatics themselves, and, despite the roughness, and in some cases, brutal measures of the cowboys employed by the Government officials, to Doukhobors refused to be moved.

"The Russian Government could not drive us with its thousands of Cossacks and their knouts, and this government cannot drive us with a few boys on horseback," said an English-speaking Doukhobor yesterday.

A second body numbering 800 has left Yorkton for Winnipeg, and have already reached Salt Coats. They are living on apples and their destination and purpose is indefinite.

Major Strickland, N.W.M.P., passed through Winnipeg to-day for Yorkton. He will endeavor to turn back the Doukhobors now at Salt Coats and intimated that force would be used in case they refused to return to their homes. He will superintend military operations in case the Doukhobors cause trouble.

It was feared last night that an attempt might be made to liberate the women and children, but nothing of this kind was attempted nor do they seem anxious to have them along. Many Doukhobors who are not converts to the new fanaticism followed them to-day and attempted to assuade their countrymen from their intention, but it seemed of little use.

Nearly every man is carrying either a bundle or a roll of blankets, and as long as the weather holds as it is they will not suffer. The only harm these people will do is to themselves. They are looked upon at Yorkton as a lot of harmless religious fanatics. The women are showing strong signs of wavering, and fully three-fourths of them are anxious to go back to their villages if the men will accompany them.

The Doukhobors at Yorkton have asked for a special train to take them to a warmer climate. All their funds have been given to Mr. Crerer, the local immigration agent, who has now upwards of $17,000, made up of their savings and the proceeds of the sale of their stock. One man, who had a good position in Yorkton, drew his monthly salary of $40 and immediately deposited it with Mr. Crerer and refused to work any more, saying he was going to work for Jesus. A few weeks ago letters were sent to all the States in South America by the Doukhobors asking if they could form a colony. It was stated that they would lead good lives, although they would not agree to conform strictly with the laws of the Government or with the religion of the country. Rubbers are now at a premium in Yorkton, as the Doukhobors have purchased all the supply, many of them refusing to wear leather in any form.

Commissioner Moffat does not think the Doukhobors threw the dead bodies of children into bushes without burial.

THE MOONSTONE SPHINX

By Mrs C N Williamson

Author of The Barn Stormers Fortune's Spor, Miss Nobody, Her Royal Highness Lady Mary of the Dark House, etc.

have gone to see her act if she'd been playing in 'Mazeppa.'"

"So would I. But as a well-wisher of the family—I can't say a friend, as I hardly know the Grays personally—I can't help thinking it's just as well she didn't—whatever was the reason that caused her to back out apparently at the last minute. One never knows the rights of these theatrical quarrels. 'Mazeppa,' as it was to have been played, judging from the posters, wasn't a piece I should have cared for a daughter or sister of mine to appear in."

"No," said Newcome, calmly. But there was a spark in his eye at the thought of those posters.

"A man was telling me a day or two ago that the family are in financial straits," continued Macaire. "The mother's ill, and there's a ne'er-do-well young brother who failed in Ireland with a paper he'd taken shares in." (Macaire had not needed his detective to tell him this; he had had a hand in that little transaction himself, having been a power behind the editorial throne which had toppled.) "I don't want to appear in the transaction at all; but if you come out ahead in this fight with the Kid, and make your bow in society as a young man of fashion, you might be able to help me do the trick and others of the same sort. Between us we might get young Gray a berth that would prop up the family fortunes, eh?"

"If I can help, you may count on me for all I'm worth," responded Newcome, this time not attempting to cool down the growing warmth in his breast. He liked Lionel Macaire; and now no warning thrill bade him look before he leaped—to conclusions.

CHAPTER XXVI.

The Lion's Den.

Lionel Macaire was giving a dinner to a few friends at his huge palace of a house in Park lane.

Only a dozen men were asked, and there were no women save those engaged to sing and dance strange new dances in diaphanous rainbow draperies while the guests sat over their wine and cigars. But the principal guest was a royal personage, and a rumor had gone round among those present that after dinner was over the millionaire had a surprise up his sleeve for his friends.

He was celebrated for his surprises of one kind or another. Sometimes they were of a kind to be mentioned afterwards only in whispers by those let into the secret; but they were always notable, not to be forgotten. And perhaps there was not another man in England who entertained with such eccentric magnificence as Lionel Macaire. It was because of this—and because, too, of a certain room in his town house, or under it—that he had got his nickname of Nero the Second. And the room which, though few people had actually seen it, had helped to swell his peculiar fame was called the "Lion's Den." Strange scenes were said to be enacted there sometimes.

His dining-room was built like a banqueting-hall in an ancient Roman palace. The floor was of white marble, and the domed ceiling was of blue and gold mosaic, the pillars supporting its arches were of pink granite, and there were wonderful curtains of Syrian-dyed purple silk, bordered with scroll patterns in gold. Against this purple background statues of beautiful nude figures stood out in gleaming white, for Macaire was a patron of the arts, and his tastes were distinctly French.

Under the open-work embroidery and lace insertion of the table-cover was cloth-of-gold; and the plate was gold also, glittering under the electric lights that starred the blue vault of the ceiling. In such a room, and at such a table, the men in their modern evening dress looked oddly out of keeping; but none so incongruous as the host himself.

With the cigars came a gold cigarette-case for each guest, with his own monogram in diamonds; and when the last pretty dancer had bowed her lightly-draped figure away behind one of the purple curtains and no man cared for more wine—even Lionel Macaire's wine—the host suggested to his most honored guest an adjournment to the "cellar" (as he called it), where something amusing might be expected.

A quiet smile went round the cirle at Nero's way of referring to the "Lion's Den." Every man knew that he was in for some good sport.

They left the dining-room, coming out into an immense hall, then through several passages, which led them at last to a fine billiard-room. In one wall was a great cupboard, which held all sorts of odds and ends; and at the back of this was a concealed door which opened with a spring. It's existence would have been difficult for anyone save an expert in such matters to discover unassisted; and only two of the millionaire's most trusted employees were in the secret, though there were whispers in the servants' hall concerning a mystery in the house. The architect and the builder had kept their own counsel, as had Macaire's favored guests, and if the millionaire sometimes provided illegal diversions for his friends there was little danger of an interruption from rudely raiding police.

When the concealed door had retired into the wall as magician fingers touched the hidden spring, a flight of marble stairs could be seen, illuminated by electric lights set on either side. At the bottom of the steps was an open space floored and walled with marble. Here were two closed doors of oak. One of these Lionel Macaire opened, and his guests, led by Royalty, filed into a curious room.

It was, as he had said, in the cellar, but it had no connection with the other cellars under the huge house. It could be entered by two doors only; one, through which the party had just come, and another opening into an adjoining apartment.

The room was thirty feet square at least, and as plain as the rest of the house was elaborate. Round the walls were rows of cushioned seats of walnut wood, sloping upward in tiers. They would have accommodated a hundred people, instead of the dozen here to-night. These seats walled in a conventional roped "ring"—a square about twenty feet in dimension. At each corner of this square was a big silver punch-bowl, in lieu of a basin, a silver jug filled with scented water, and a great bloated-looking sponge.

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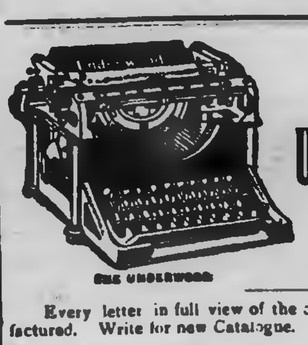

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Summary—To-day's trading showed a disposition to await the bank statement. The bulk of the trading was concentrated in Manhattan, Baltimore & Ohio, Union Pacific, and Reading common. Manhattan looks as if it were going higher; we believe it will come pretty close to reaching 146 on this movement. Good buying was discernible the past two days in Metropolitan also. The bank statement was a favorable one, showing about three and one half millions increase in reserves and eleven million increase in deposits. While specie increased over five million, circulation increased two millions. It was without material effect on prices. Manhattan, Baltimore & Ohio, Louisville & Nashville, and Union Pacific shaded off somewhat in price just before closing. Money closed at 4 per cent. Sales 161,-100.

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There were two cases before the police court Saturday morning. A man charged with being drunk was discharged with a warning.

A man charged with driving on the sidewalk with fuel was fined $1.00. This is the first offence of the kind and any more will be dealt with more severely.

The American Gent

Put on at the Opera House on Saturday night by the Marks Bros.' Comedy Company, was played to a crowded house. This play was written expressly for Mr. Ernie Marks, who took the part of the "Irish" American Gent, with market ability, in fact all performed their parts well, and the play throughout was devoid of vulgarity.

Obituary

Mr. George Britton, aged 42 years, passed away on Saturday morning at the residence of his father, Mr. John Britton, No. 13 Harvey street, after a brief illness. The deceased has been a resident of Peterborough all his life, and was known to a wide circle of friends. He was unmarried. The funeral will leave his father's residence this afternoon. Interment in Little Lake cemetery.

Peterborough Wins the Round

The game at Ottawa on Saturday afternoon between the Ottawa Rough Riders and our local fifteen, resulted in a tie at half time, neither side having made a point. Peterborough was aggressive throughout the game. The score at the finish was 4—4. O'Meara, of Ottawa, was referee, and Brennan, of the same place, umpire. Peterborough wins the round by 32—4.

Saturday's Market

Saturday's market was fairly attended. The following prices prevailed: Potatoes per peck, 25 cents; onions per basket, 30 cents; apples per bag, 40 to 50 cents; lamb per lb., 6 and 7 cents; pork per lb., 8 and 9 cents; eggs per dozen, 20 cents; butter per lb., 22 cents; chickens per pair, 50 to 60 cents; ducks per pair, 70 to 85 cents; geese each, 75 cents to $1.00; turkeys each, 75 cents to $1.00.

A Sunday Night Burglary

On Saturday, Mrs. Syer, who lives at 212 Barnardo avenue, reported the robbery of her home while the family were at church. Entrance was obtained through the hall window by ladder, and the thieves, who are thought to be boys, ransacked everything in the search of valuables. The pockets of Mr. Syers' clothing were turned out, and in a drawer was found Mrs. Syers' purse, containing $7, and her daughter's with some small change in it. There is yet no clue to the culprits.

To Prepare for the Fight

The Ministerial Association of the town has invited the ministers of the whole country to a conference this afternoon, to be held in the Y.M.C.A. Hall at three o'clock, to discuss the line of action to be taken in the forthcoming temperance campaign during the month of November. Rev. Dr. S. D. Chown, of Toronto, will be present and address the conference.

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On Saturday morning last Mr. Joseph Sproule passed away, at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. John Haggart, Brock street, aged 85 years.

The deceased had been in poor health for some time, and his demise was not unexpected. Mr. Sproule was a native of Tyrone, Ireland, and came to Canada 45 years ago, settling in North Monaghan. For 25 years he was a resident of this town. He was a staunch Presbyterian, and was held in high esteem by all who knew him. The late Mr. Sproule's wife predeceased him last April, and there still survive him two sons and a daughter. The sons are Messrs. A. H. B., of Tyrone, Ireland; and G. B., of Montana. The daughter is Mrs. John Haggart, of town.

The funeral will take place from the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. John Haggart, Brock street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock, to the Little Lake cemetery.

SUNDAY IN TOWN

Principal Events Connected with the Church Services Yesterday

—In St. Luke's church, yesterday morning, the Rector, Rev. Mr. Langfeldt, preached a powerful sermon on "The Re-union of the Saints," to a large congregation. In the evening Rev. Mr. Toney, of Omemee, occupied the pulpit.

—In St. Andrew's church yesterday morning, Rev. Dr. Chowen, of Toronto, delivered a sermon on temperance, referring to the approaching referendum. He preached in George street church in the evening, dealing with the question of prohibition.

—At St. John's church yesterday dedication Festival Services were held, when music of an appropriate nature was rendered.

—The gospel meeting yesterday afternoon in the Y.W.C.A., was led by Miss Code, of London, England, a former worker in the Association.

—The anniversary services were held yesterday in the Park street church, when Rev. P. K. Dayfoot, of Port Hope, occupied the pulpit.

—A temperance mass meeting was held in the Murray street church yesterday afternoon, which was addressed by Rev. Dr. Chowen and others.

Recovered His Gun

The two guns, which were lost out of the canoe last Saturday, on Rice Lake, when Mr. Sam Currier lost his life, were recovered and brought to town on Saturday, as was also the canoe. The barrels contained empty shells. The hole made by the gun in the canoe was about two inches wide and five inches long and located immediately under the front seat.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. Tom Harris, of Toronto, is the guest of his brother, Jim.

—Mr. Joe. Moffatt, of the Traders' Bank staff, Port Hope, has been transferred to the Lakefield branch.

—Miss Nettie Shearer, Indian River, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Harding McDonel street, returned home on Saturday.

—Messrs. H. R. H. Kenner and Arthur McClelland, accompanied the Rugby team to Ottawa on Friday night.

—Mrs. John R. Jeffrey (nee Kate Ferguson) will be at home to her friends on Tuesday afternoon and evening, November fourth, at her father's residence, 254 Stewart street, before leaving for Cincinnati, her future home.

—Saturday Night: Mrs. J. R. Stratton spent a few days in town this week, purchasing fittings for her new home in Peterborough. The Provincial Secretary has recently bought a very fine place, which has been enlarged and improved.

—Mr. D. Corkery, proprietor of Lakeview Hotel, Harwood, was in town Saturday. Mr. Corkery says duck shooting is extra good this season around Harwood. Mr. Dan McAlister bagged 62 the other morning about 100 yards from the hotel.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The young people of St. John's church hold a social this evening.

—A $175 organ, with eleven stops—as good as new—will be sold for $37.50. This is a snap.

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—This is All Souls' Day in the Catholic church, and mass will be celebrated at nine and ten o'clock.

—A couple of second hand coal stoves for sale cheap. Apply at The Times Bookstore.

—October receipts at the Custom House exceeded October of last year by over 15,000, the receipts this year being $16,796.62.

—The steamers Water Lily, Rainbow and North Star were up from Rice Lake ports Saturday with passengers and freight.

Three good boys wanted at The Times office—one to learn bookbinding, one to learn press work and one as messenger in the bookstore.

—The large gate in the rear entrance to the Methodist church, was found in front of Dr. George Burnham's residence on Saturday morning, the result of Hallowe'en frolic.

—The ministers of the county will meet in the Y.M.C.A. at 2 o'clock this afternoon to confer on the work of the month and to arrange for representation throughout the county.

—Rev. P. K. Dayfoot, of Port Hope, will deliver a lecture this evening, in the Park street Baptist church, on "Happy, Though Married." A tea will be served at 6 o'clock, and the lecture will be punctured by vocal and instrumental music.

—Thomas Brewer, a fireman, was sentenced on Saturday last, in Toronto, to one month with hard labor for committing common assault on Lem Felcher. In passing sentence the judge remarked that the jury took a very lenient view of the case, but his Honor thought this crime altogether too common. Brewer, it will be remembered, was formerly a resident of Peterborough.

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Notice is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in sections 8 and 9 of The Ontario Voters' Lists Act, the copies required by said sections to be so transmitted or delivered of the list, made pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the last Assessment Roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at Elections for Members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal Elections; and that the said List was first posted up at my office, at Peterborough, on the first day of November, 1902, and remains there for inspection.

Electors are called upon to examine the said list, and, if any omissions or any other errors are found therein, to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

Dated at Peterborough the 1st day of November, 1902.

S. R. ARMSTRONG,
Clerk of Peterborough.

—This evening there will be a meeting in George street church at eight o'clock, which will be addressed by Rev. Dr. Chown, on prohibition. Mr. G. W. Mulligan has kindly taken charge of the training of a special male choir for the evening.

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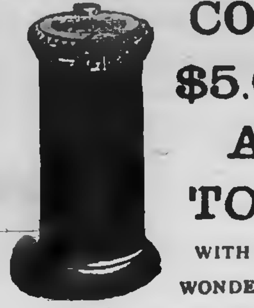

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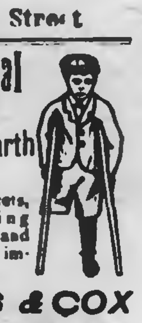

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FIGHT FOR INDEPENDENCE WILL GO ON SAYS REITZ

The Late Secretary of the Transvaal Believes the Boers will Yet be Free

Philadelphia, Pa., November 4. — It was a trifle hard to determine which carried off the honors the Five O'Clock Club's first dinner of the season at the Bellevue last night—the bench of Pennsylvania and also of the city of Pennsylvania or sympathisers of the Boers. Both had able and earnest champions, the former in the persons of Judges W. W. Porter, Norris S. Barrett, Isaac Johnson, and Henry J. McCarthy; the latter in Francis W. Reitz, late Secretary of State of the Transvaal Republic, and the host of brilliant orators that his speech brought to the floor.

It was an unconscious struggle in many respects, for speech upon South Africa was followed by eulogy of the bench, and both were sandwiched between song and story of the topsy-turvy characteristic of the Five O'Clock Club which allows not a single dull moment at any of its gatherings. Nevertheless, both furnished the lines upon which the dinner progressed, and each speaker chose the one of the two that best suited his fancy.

Mr. Reitz Speaks.

At the conclusion of the menu Judge McCarthy introduced Mr. Reitz who gave an account of the struggle of the Boers that was all the more interesting for being delivered by an eye-witness.

"Many have said to me," he declared "that the cause of the Boers is defunct —that it is a dead issue, and that I waste time to talk about it. I do not think so. The war is over, but the struggle for independence is not. I am not going to stir up strife, but it will come. When it does, although I am an old man, God helping me, I and my sons will be right there.

Much applause greeted Mr. Reitz and three hearty cheers were given for the South African republic.

Liberty Needed in America.

Colonel A. Loudon Snowden created somewhat of a stir among the Five o'Clockers by his remarks. When called upon by the chair he began by saying that all were in sympathy with the many efforts of the Boers to achieve independence. "There are many of us here," he declared, "who would be glad of liberty. When in our country men are burned at the stake and are lynched, when railroad trains run over citizens and other atrocities are committed, and yet the perpetrators go unpunished, there is need for liberty. The common things of life are denied us in Pennsylvania You call it government. I call it anarchy.

"We are a great people and we are also great frauds. We talk of the suffering Hebrews in Roumania and allow atrocities to go unpunished in our own country. Let the Nation awake, and not be so blind and besotted as not to see the things that bring disrespect to the flag."

"The Boers have lost their fight, but they may remember with satisfaction that they are under the flag of England, and wherever that flag floats, it guarantees respect and protection to its subjects.

RUSSIA'S NEW MOVE IN THE MEDITERRANEAN

A New War Cloud Once More Looming Up in the East with Turkey

London, Nov 4—It has been evident for some time back that the Russian Government was preparing to take fresh steps to emancipate itself from the clauses of the Treaty of Paris in 1856, which prohibited the maintenance of a Russian war navy in the Black Sea. The bases of the new move were undoubtedly laid of the conference held during the past spring and summer between the Emperor Nicholas and the French President the King of Italy and the German Emperor, and the details are still unknown. The events of the past few weeks, however, throw some light on the situation and the reports just published of the propositions said to have been made to the Sultan by the Grand Duke Nicholas, during his recent visit to Constantinople seem to bring things to a focus.

The gist of the matter appears to be that the Sultan will sooner or later have the option presented to him of becoming a mediatized sovereign under the joint protection of certain of the European Powers, or under that of Russia alone. The statement of the Austrian Prime Minister regarding the settlement of the Dardanelles question by arbitration points to the first. Meanwhile the course of the trouble in Macedonia will afford some indication of the direction events are likely to take.

The restoration of order there and the cooperation of the Bulgarian Government with the Porte in preventing further agitation will point to the ascendency of Russia at Yildiz Kiosk; and this is all the more likely, because the Sultan cannot fail to remember his abandonment by England, France and Austria in 1877, although these powers were bound by a tripartite engagement to maintain the integrity and independence of the Ottoman Empire. Another point in Russia's favor is that though she exacted a heavy indemnity from Turkey after the war of 1877-78, which was recognized by the Berlin Congress, the Russian Government has exercised no undue pressure for its payment; and, following the policy enunciated by Prince Gortschakoff at that congress in regard to the general debt of Turkey, has taken no part in what he described as the exploitation of the Turkish people.

The situation in the Near East is becoming more interesting than that in the Far East. All eyes are turned to the Mediterranean, particularly to the shores of the Levant.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Nov. 1.—Lawrence Fisher, George Rhodes Hugo Swanson and William Bradish, of Tonawanda, were killed last night in a gas explosion at the head of a big tunnel trunk sewer. R. Kovich, Sam Finch and M. Mulroy were seriously injured.

London, Nov. 3.—A despatch to the Express from St. Petersburg says that Doctor Mertsulewski, the foremost alienist in Russia, has been summoned to Livadia to attend the Czar, who is suffering from a nervous complaint.

If the conditions are made to suit him he will attempt the trip, taking another man with him. He will use motors of 45 horse power each, which will enable him to make ninety miles an hour.

Guelph, Nov. 3.—Mr. Robert McConachie, watchman at the Gordon street crossing, is the proud possessor of many letters from Lord Strathcona. In Scotland in their boyhood days they were schoolmates and the intimacy then formed has been maintained through all the years. Every three months Mr. McConachie receives a letter and a check for fifty dollars from his wealthy friend.

Recently a publisher in Toronto wrote would take for Strathcona's letters. If he had objections to selling them, the writer asked, would Mr. McConachie loan them for a week or two for publication purposes? Mr. McConachie answered that he would neither sell nor loan the letters; they were private.

A worthy old gentleman is Mr. McConachie. He had been thirty-four years in the service of the G.T.R., and has never lost a day. Though long past the allotted span of life he is still hale and hearty. He has twenty-one children living—eleven boys and ten girls—and nine are dead. A father of thirty children in these days of anxiety at the low birth rate is surely not the least worthy subject for the munificence of a public spirited man like Lord Strathcona.

Toledo, Nov. 3.—With the death at Detroit yesterday of Marshall O. Waggoner, there terminates a life in which some very strange events have figured. This is the man, who after a successful business career, after a life of research and study that had made him one of the best informed men in America, after years devoted to combating the Christian religion, became a convert to it through the instrumentality of a gramophone. The conversion was one of the most sensational things that came under the notice of the clergy for many years, and Mr. Waggoner was for months overwhelmed with letters from the most prominent ministers of the day asking information as to his conversion.

Mr. Waggoner was a scientist, and, as such, took a great interest in the gramophone. He purchased one of the first that was brought to this city, and one evening seated alone in his library surrounded by his parrot, his books and a fine collection of curios, he was listening to the music of the gramophone when first it gave forth "Nearer, My God, to Thee," then "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," and as the notes fell clearly, sweetly on the ears of the atheist, the man who for years had combated and reviled the Christian faith, he felt the tears roll down his cheeks and, moved by some unknown impulse, he knelt for the first time in many years. He remained on his knees until day was breaking and rose from them as strong an advocate of Christianity as he had previously been its adversary. So complete was his conversion that he publicly burned in a bonfire at the steps of the United Brethren church his library, one of the most complete collections of atheistic writings in the world.

Sunderland, England, Nov. 2—About 2,000 shipjoiners on the northeast coast have struck against a reduction of eighteen pence a week in their wages.

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RUSSIAN NOBLES IN DIRE FINANCIAL STRAITS

The Czar Trying to Devise Means for Their Relief

St. Petersburg, Nov. 3—The Czar is deeply exercised over the condition of his nobles.

Before Finance Minister de Witte left St. Petersburg for Siberia and Manchuria he consented to his imperial master's wish to found a bank from which impecunious nobles could get loans at easy rates on the security of their lands. It now appears that of the land nominally owned by the Russian nobility more than nine-tenths is mortgaged as deeply as it will bear.

Sinking into Poverty.

The poor nobles—of whom there are more than half a million—are gradually sinking into abject poverty and merging with the proletariat in the big towns. The wealthier nobles are also gravitating to the cities, especially St. Petersburg, where they live in splendor and extravagance until ruin comes. The Czar has given instructions that pressure is being put on these to reside on their estates rather than in the capital.

Czar Aids Peasant.

A peasant complained at the palace that Prince Davidoff was oppressing and driving him hard for taxes. The Czar received the peasant, listened to his story and gave orders to pay him $50. He then sent for Prince Davidoff, ordered him to retire to his estate treat his people as they ought to be treated, and read him a long lecture about Count Tolstoi, whose example he bade the Prince to imitate.

"Look at Leo Tolstoi," said his imperial majesty. "See how kind he is to the poor people committed to his charge, and shares their burden with them. Go and do likewise, and when I hear that your estates are flourishing and your peasants happy I will send for you again."

Prince Davidoff had been cutting a tremendous dash in St. Petersburg.

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"I was a sufferer from rheumatism for a long time and endured great pain. The cords in the palms of my hands were drawn up and I despaired of getting relief. After using Paine's Celery Compound, I have banished all my pains and troubles, and find myself strengthened in every way. I think Paine's Celery Compound is the best medicine in the world for rheumatism and all nervous complaints.

RUSSIA, JAPAN, ENGLAND

Reported Effort to Bring About More Friendly Relations

Paris, Nov. 3—A despatch from Tokio says that serious efforts are being made to effect an entente between Russia and Japan. The object is to pave the way for a rapprochement between Russia and England.

GERMAN TARIFF VOTE

Reichstag Rejects the Government Proposals on Minimum Duties

Berlin, Nov. 3.—The Reichstag today adopted by considerable majorities the recommendations of the Tariff Commission in regard to the minimum duties to be imposed under the new tariff on cattle, sheep and swine. By this action the House again rejected the Government proposals on the subject.

MAD MULLAH FRIEND OF ITALY

So says Karl Inger Who is Acting as His Chief Lieutenant

Rome, Nov. 3— Karl Inger, the former Austrian officer, who is said to have acted as chief Lieutenant of the Mad Mullah in Somaliland, in a letter to the Corriere Della Sera accuses the British of endeavoring to prevent the Somalis from establishing commercial relations with Europe.

He expresses the hope that Italy will not aid England in any campaign against the Mullah, but will establish commercial relations with the rich region controlled by the Mullah, who, he says, is a friend of Italy

KING OF BELGIUM

May Visit United States and Canada Next Year

London, Oct. 31.—A despatch to the Times from Brussels says that King Leopold has accepted the invitation to attend the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis, in the spring of 1904. This means that he will also see Niagara Falls, and possibly go to see the Governor-General at Ottawa.

CHINA ASKS AID

Desires The Hague Tribunal to Settle the Question of Payment of Indemnity

Washington, Oct 31—Minister Wo Ting-fang is urging the State Department to assist China in inducing the Powers to have the Hague Arbitration Tribunal settle the question of whether China will be compelled to pay the Boxer indemnity in gold instead of silver. The State Department has promised to help. The first payment of the indemnity interest was made in silver, under the condition that the Powers should reserve the right to determine later whether the difference in the value of silver and gold should not be paid. Another payment will be due on Jan. 1, and the Powers, including the United States, are discussing the question of whether it shall be made in gold or silver. Most of the Powers insist on gold payments. The United States takes the side of China in declaring that the indemnity treaty was made in the understanding that silver payments would be required. Very little hope is felt here that the effort to have the treaty placed before the Hague tribunal for arbitration will be successful. China insists that she is unable to pay gold.

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CANADIAN TRADE WITH THE WEST INDIES

A Halifax Man Urges Our People to Exert Themselves

Halifax, N. S., November 4 — Canadians are slow about following up trade with the West Indies. This is the testimony of Mr. J. R. Wood, of Halifax, who lately returned from a business trip to Trinidad. "Since the visit of the President of the Manufacturer's Association last spring not a single Canadian traveller has set foot upon the island. A few Canadian samples have been shown by men who handle American goods, but in Mr. Wood's opinion, if Canada is to get the trade she must send down good men and keep them there all the year round. During his stay at Port of Spain he made the acquaintance of all the business men on the island, and he says they are disposed to give Canada a good deal of the trade. The reason so many orders go to New York is because the American drummer is constantly on the ground. He never gives the merchant a chance to get out of anything or send a letter offer if he can help it. Mr. Wood thinks that even though the Canadian traveller didn't pay expenses the first year, if he kept constantly on the ground, talking to the people and studying general conditions, the experiment would pay in the end. He thinks also that our manufacturers might assist travellers by advertising in the Trinidad daily papers which are largely patronized by the business houses of Port of Spain and seem to have a fair circulation throughout the island. He is very hopeful of the future of Trinidad even though the sugar market continues to prove unprofitable. The resources of the island are varied and but few of them have as yet been developed.

Clyde Shipyards Busy

London, Nov. 3.—During the past month twenty-four vessels, aggregating 40,000 tons, were launched on the Clyde, and orders were placed for new boats of a total tonnage of 42,000. The work on hand amounts to 400,000 tons.

CABED FOR MOTHER IN AGONY

Boy Run Over by Train Said: "Don't Tell Mamma How Badly I'm Hurt"

New York, Nov. 3—James Randazzo, a bright lad of 7 years, of 1037 Pacific street, Brooklyn, was run over and so badly injured that he died, by a Long Island railroad train at Atlantic and Clason avenues yesterday morning on his way to school. Train 226 from Flatbush avenue ran over both his legs. When he was picked up his first words were a warning not to alarm his mother.

"Don't tell mamma how badly I am hurt," he said.

He was removed to St. Mary's Hospital where he died shortly before noon

TO ORGANIZE NEGROES

Movement to Prevent Lawlessness by Members of the Race

New Orleans, Nov. 3—The Executive Committee of the Southern Negro Congress in session here has elected a general and assistant general organizer, who are authorized to appoint organizers at large in every State and Territory comprising the congress. It was resolved to establish headquarters in each of the Southern States where advice will be given to all negroes desiring it, and information will be furnished to the world of illegal acts perpetrated against negroes and all unjust discriminations practised against them.

The officers at these headquarters will also investigate all reports of atrocities charged to negroes and give the facts, the congress taking the position that many persons are deceived and prejudiced by false reports o crimes said to be perpetrated by negroes. In all cases where the negroes are found to be in the wrong, the congress will express its disapproval of their acts and assist in bringing the negro criminals to justice.

It will also endeavor to induce the negro to ostracise socially and in every other way those of their race who are directly or indirectly connected with lawlessness.

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PEAT AT OTTAWA.

Finished Article From the Bogs at Newington A Great Demand

The Ottawa Free Press says:

It is reported that some peat will arrive in the city from Newington inside of a week. The Company had arranged to have large quantities of the fuel ready for shipment by November 1st, but were delayed for want of machinery.

It was learned at the city office on Wellington street that three cars of this machinery has just been delivered at the peat bogs. Carbonizers boilers and engines are on hand. When the complete equipment for making the peat is put in operation bricks will be turned out in 24 hours.

The Ottawa and New York railway runs through the bog which is only 40 miles from Ottawa so that there will be no delay in bringing abundance of peat in the city. Low rates have been secured from the railway company and it is the intention to supply the capital with a cheap fuel.

The representatives of the peat company in the city will not yet say what the price will be; until the many incidental expenses are estimated it will be difficult to place the price at a definite figure. Two kinds of fuel—one for stoves and one for furnaces will be produced.

Many enquiries have been made at the local office by citizens who are anxious to try the new fuel. Many also have made propositions to handle the peat. It is likely it will be sold by nearly all the coal and wood merchants in the city.

Y.M.C.A. BASKET BALL LEAGUE.

A League Composed of Six Teams Organized Schedule Drafted

There is every indication that basketball will be very popular at the Y.M.C.A. this coming winter. On Saturday evening there were six organized teams of the senior class represented at a meeting called to organize and draft a schedule for the two months, which will end at New Years, when a new schedule will be drafted with new teams if they wish to enter. The teams comprise the Lilies, Pastimes, Maple Leafs, Harriers, Athletics and Colts.

The games will be held in the gymnasium every Saturday evening, starting at eight o'clock with a second game at nine. Members of teams are reminded that the games start sharp on time Leafs.

not; as the public do not appreciate long waits.

The Physical committee of the Y.M.C.A. are offering a handsome trophy for the team winning the largest number of games, and this should be an impetus to work with a will. The games on first Saturday will be between the Lilies and Pastimes at eight and Harriers and Colts at nine. The schedule as drawn, is as follows: the first teams mentioned on each date to play at eight o'clock:

November 8th—Lilies vs. Pastimes, Harriers vs. Colts.

November 15th—Lilies vs. Maple Leafs, Athletics vs. Harriers.

November 22nd—Maple Leafs vs. Pastimes, Athletics vs. Colts.

November 29th—Colts vs. Pastimes, Lilies vs. Harriers.

December 6th—Lilies vs. Athletics, Harriers vs. Maple Leafs.

December 13th—Colts vs. Maple Leafs, Pastimes vs. Athletics.

December 20th—Colts vs. Lilies, Harriers vs. Pastimes.

December 27th—Athletics vs. Maple Leafs.

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THE TOWN COUNCIL IN REGULAR SESSION

Ald. McGregor Asks That the Assessment Roll be Printed in Book Form.--To Compel Bicyclists to Carry Lamps at Night

The Town Council met in regular session last night, when there were present, Mayor T. H. G. Denne, presiding, and Aldermen Best, Rush, Clinkscale, Turner, McGregor, Batten, Corkery and Shortly.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were adopted as type-written.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The Otonabee Power Company applied for permission to construct poles on the east side of Water street, and on King street south to Sherbrooke street, thence along the river bank to the Geo. Matthews Company's works, for the purpose of supplying them with power.—Granted.

From the Northern Electrical Manufacturing Company, of Madison, Wis., asking if it would be possible to interest the town in the matter of lighting the corporation's plant by electricity, and operating a part or all of their machines with electric motors.—Received.

From H. P. Timmerman, General Superintendent of the C.P.R., saying that he has given instructions for the crossings to be provided by flag men when trains are in sight, until such time as arrangements for gates can receive full consideration.

From J. Foster, notifying Council that on Friday, October 28th, his horse broke through the bridge at the corner of Aylmer and Brock streets, and broke a shaft of the buggy and a strap. The horse is yet lame as a result of the accident. Mr. Foster asked the town to pay for the damage caused.—The question of putting the bridge in a safe condition was referred to the Board of Works with power to act

From C. W. Stringer, local manager of the Bell Telephone Company, requesting that permission be granted to open for the erection of poles, portions of the following street: Smith street, between Bethune and Aylmer, two poles on the south and one on the north side. —Granted, subject to the approval of the Town Engineer.

EDINBURGH STREET CROSSING.

Mr. McWilliams, who lives on Edinburgh street, addressed Council and asked that the culvert on Edinburgh street, where it is crossed by the Grand Trunk Railway, be opened up to prevent the water from backing up and flooding the adjoining property.

Ald. Clinkscale moved, seconded by Ald. Batten, that the Engineer be instructed to look into this matter and have the culvert cleaned out at once.—Carried.

ACCOUNTS.

The following accounts were referred to the Finance committee:

Times Printing Co	$ 21 74
Wm. Hetherington	2 50
John Nugent	2 00
R. M. Roy	2 00
Duncan and Doupe	4 22
J. B. A. Fitzgerald	54 06
Salisbury and Co	5 20
The McClellan Co	5 50
J. H. Savigny	5 10
T. Williams	2 00
Peterboro Examiner	154 26

ASSESSMENT BY-LAWS.

Ald. Shortly submitted the following report:

Gentlemen,—Your Committee of the Whole Council beg leave to report as follows:

1. We recommend that all applications from local manufacturers for exemption or fixed assessment be submitted to the electors at the time of the annual election in January if this is approved of by the manufacturers so applying.

2. We recommend that Ald. Rush be appointed acting Chairman of the Finance committee during the absence of Ald. Roger.

3. We recommend that the Town Solicitor be instructed to notify the contractors to remedy the defect in the granolithic sidewalk on the south side of Charlotte street, near J. Dunn's grocery.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The report was adopted as read.

FINANCE REPORT.

Ald. Roger submitted the following report:

Gentlemen,—Your Finance committee beg leave to report as follows:

1. We recommend that the agreement requiring the Little Lake Cemetery Company to pay $5 a year towards a hydrant on Crescent street be cancelled and that the Treasurer write the charge off.

2. We received a report from the Town Solicitor that an item of arrears of taxes against A. R. Williams, Toronto, for 1901, could not be collected, and we therefore recommend the this item be written off.

3. A letter was received from Dr. T. J. Moher, stating that a cheque issued on Feb. 8th, 1902, for $2.50, in favor of himself and Dr. Bradd had been lost, and asking for a duplicate. We recommend that the Treasurer issue a duplicate cheque, on Dr. Moher giving an agreement to protect the town in the matter, approved of by the Town Solicitor.

4. In regard to the application from volunteers who had gone to South Africa, our decision is that when the men who have asked for the grant, or others, produce certificates from Col. Miller that they went to South Africa with the volunteers from Peterborough and that they were citizens of the town, and also a certificate from the County Clerk or Treasurer that they had not received a grant from the County, they be paid $25 each, provided they have not previously received a grant from the Town.

5. We recommend that the selectors of Jurors be paid $30 in accordance with the certificate of the Clerk of Peace.

6. That the account from the Times for $5 for posters for the Board of Registration of Manhood Sufferage Voters and from Walter Stocker for $4 for posting them to be paid if the Town Solicitor reports that the town should pay them.

7. That the following accounts be paid:

The Akin Ice Co	$ 25 00
The Kingan Hardware Co	9 00
The Bell Telephone Co	4 00
St. John's Industrial school	24 00
R. Gibbs	13 50
W. H. Hamilton	2 05
C. N. Brown	5 25
A. Kingscote	1 20
Wm. Hetherington	2 70
C.P.R. Co.'s Telegraph	40
Davis, Thompson Co	5 00
Robert Howland	10 00
A. McDonald	107 20
Victoria Industrial school	26 00
J. & W. Metherall	9 50
R. H. Leary	7 00
Frank Smith	1 00
Peter Hamilton Co	4 45
W. E. McCall	84 50
A. H. Stratton & Co	1 00
F. R. J. Macpherson	5 00
Alexander & Miller	4 75
A. McDonald	112 07

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The report was adopted as read.

SUITS FOR THE POLICE

Ald. Corkery submitted the following report:

Gentlemen,—Your Committee on Appointments beg leave to report that they authorized the Chairman to purchase suits for the members of the Police force and to order an extra pair of trousers with each suit.

All of which is respectfully submitted

The report was adopted as read.

ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Ald. Clinkscale submitted the following report:

Gentlemen,—Your Fire, Water and Light committee beg leave to report and recommend that the Peterborough Light and Power Company be instructed to place an electric light on Hunter street, between George and Aylmer streets.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The report was adopted as read.

DAN SPENCE AMBULANCE.

A by-law to authorize the purchase of an ambulance at a cost of $500, in memorial of the late Daniel M. Spence, passed its several readings. $425 has been subscribed by citizens for this purpose

ASSESSMENT ROLL.

Ald. McGregor moved, seconded by Ald. Turner, that the assessment roll be published in pamphlet form similar to the voters' list.

Ald. Shortly thought this matter should be referred to a Committee of the Whole Council for further consideration.

Ald. McGregor did not think the question required much consideration. Every citizen should know exactly how the properties are assessed.

Ald. Best did not think it at all necessary to to go such expense. Every citizen has a right to examine the Roll, in which he would be cheerfully assisted by the Town Clerk if necessary.

Ald. McGregor replied that many citizens could not find time to come to the office and examine the roll. It should be printed so as to facilitate an easy examination in their own homes.

Ald. Clinkscale moved, in amendment, seconded by Ald. Batten, that the matter be referred to the Finance committee.—Carried.

BICYCLE LAMPS.

Ald. Turner gave notice of motion that at the next meeting he would introduce a by-law to compel bicyclists to carry lamps at night, and also to regulate the speed at which bicycles are to be ridden in the town.

Ald. Best moved, seconded by Ald. Rush, that notice be given of the intention of the Council to construct a sewer, as a local improvement, on Rubidge street, from Rink street to Charlotte street.—Carried.

Council then adjourned.

Valuable Advice to Mothers

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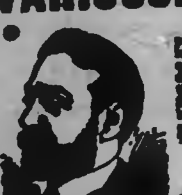

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, N.V. 4, 1902.

CANADA'S DESTINY

The New York Sun seems bound to have Canada annexed to the United States. One day the Sun intimates that Canada is to be gobbled up, on the first half-decent pretext; the next it discovers that we are ready to throw ourselves into the arms of the republic. Now it has come to the conclusion that though annexation may be delayed, annexation is Canada's manifest destiny. The Sun was started off this time by an article in the London Economist, drawing attention to the "Americanizing of the Canadian Northwest."

After admitting that a tide of emigration from the United States to Canada has set in the Sun goes on to say:

"This loss to us at the present is looked on in Canada, it seems, as possibly a future gain. 'Some Canadians' says the Economist's correspondent, 'fear that these new arrivals may some day bring about the secession of the Canadian Northwest from the rest of the Dominion.' That is the fear that the newcomers will Americanize the region in which they settle; nor is it an unreasonable conclusion. Already the new settlers are grumbling about the Canadian tariff, by reason of which they have to pay more for 'nearly all factory goods, including farm implements, than they paid in the United States.' 'so that, though they may have been protectionists at home, they are tariff reformers in Canada, in the interests of their own pockets.' Yet 'meanwhile the manufacturers of the older provinces have begun a campaign for higher duties.'

"The remedy is very simple, however, and Canadians have good reason to feel thankful that the accession of Americans to the Northwest has brought it to their attention so convincingly. Of course, it is annexation. The futility of attempting to compete with the United States, 'soon to embrace two hundred millions of the English-speaking race and capable of supplying most of the world's wants,' as Mr. Carnegie said in St. Andrew's University on Wednesday, will be made more apparent every day to the relatively feeble Canada, and it will discover and acknowledge that its own destiny is to become part of the great Americal political and economical system whose supremacy is already established.' 'America,' as Mr. Carnegie proved to his Scotch audience by abundant and undisputable statistics,' now makes more steel than all the rest of the world. In iron and coal her production is greatest and it is also so in textiles. She produces three-quarters of the world's cotton. The value of her manufactures is about triple that of your own. Her exports are greater and the Clearing House exchanges at New York are almost double those of London.'

"The mere instinct of self-preservation will lead Canada to become an integral part of this dominant world power."

Possibly, but it might be well for the Sun to know that we expect to be something of a people ourselves before long, says the Ottawa Journal, and that we hope also to be able to supply most of the things the world needs. It might be well for the Sun to know that the day is not very far distant when the United States will be dependent on Canada for iron, that when the United States supply is depleted, we will only be opening our vast deposits, that today the United States is practically dependent upon Canada for pulpwood and nickel; that the day is coming when Canada will be the granary of the empire; that the day is coming when Canada will be the only half of the continent with any timber on it; that the day is coming when the climate of Canada will be so changed that many things now ungrowable will be grown; that the day is coming when by virtue of a Hudson Bay railway, Canada will have the shortest route to Europe, with all that such an advantage will mean.

These things and many others may not be seen by the present generation, but the good day when Canada will teem with thirty millions and her merchant vessels will be on every sea is not far away.

Annexation! Well rather not. Purely from a business point of view even annexation would be a poor speculation for Canada. And besides there is a little matter of sentiment which might be mentioned.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

An important change in Roman Catholic circles in the United States is the transferring of Archbishop Ireland from St. Paul, Minnesota, to become the head of the archdiocese in Chicago. Archbishop Ireland is one of the great Catholic prelates on this continent. He has done more to soften down the asperities that, unfortunately, too often exist between Protestants and Catholics, than any other churchman in the United States. While he is an earnest and enthusiastic believer in the doctrines and polity of his own church, he has that large catholicity of heart and mind that concedes to others the liberty of conscience to guide their own beliefs. Archbishop Ireland served as a soldier during the civil war in the United States, being chaplain of a Minnesota regiment, and was one of the Catholic priests to unite with the Grand Army of the Republic. Other priests who served both as privates in the ranks or as chaplains during the war have since organized a post of the G.A.R. at the Catholic University in South Bend, Indiana.

THE ARIZONA SMELTING AND REDUCTION COMPANY

(From The Yuma Sun, Oct. 10, 1902.)

The Arizona Smelting and Reduction Company will within a short time begin the erection of a ninety-ton custom smelter in Yuma. James Rice, president, and Frank N. Rust, secretary of the company, spent the first part of the week here making preliminary arrangements for launching the enterprise. They met with satisfactory encouragement from our business men, and returned to Los Angeles yesterday morning well pleased with the outlook. While the enterprise is largely backed by Eastern capital, it has the moral and financial support of a large number of local business men, which insures its success. It is the intention of the company to first erect a fifty-ton gold and copper furnace and a forty-ton lead furnace, but the plant will be increased to meet the demands as the mines of this section are developed. This is the most important enterprise that has ever been inaugurated in Yuma, as it means the immediate development of every mining district tributary to transportation facilities in the county. There are hundreds of good prospects and small mines within a few miles of the Colorado river between here and Bill Williams Fork which at present cannot be worked profitably, owing to the prohibitive transportation rates to distant reduction works. But with facilities for reducing refractory ores in Yuma, coupled with cheap transportation on the river, these mines will at once become producers of wealth, in a small way of course at first, but with extensive development some of them will become bonanzas. The lack of transportation facilities, and reduction works have long retarded the growth of Yuma county's mining interests, but a new era is now at hand, and the toiling miners of this section will soon be in a position to reap the reward they so richly deserve.

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THE MOONSTONE SPHINX

By Mrs C N Williamson

Author of The Barn Stormers, Fortune's Sport, Miss Nobody, Her Royal Highness Lady Mary of the Dark House, etc.

moment, for the only permanent furnishings in the place consisted of the rows of seats along the wall. Everything else could be changed according to necessity.

Close to the ring were two chairs, and as Macaire and his friends entered two men rose from these, bowing slightly. Their faces were known to several of the guests. One was a well-known referee, the other a man appointed to act as time-keeper in the anticipated sport. The former had just come in from the next room, where the principals in the scene about to be enacted had stripped for weighing, and might soon be expected to appear.

When one of the front rows of seats had been sparsely occupied, all eyes turned towards the closed door of that next room.

Presently it opened, and three men came slouching in. One was of middle age, or near it, with closely-cropped, carrot-red hair, thick and bristly, a straight line of auburn eyebrow meeting across a pugnacious nose; fierce, deep-set little eyes, like those of an angry pig; a protruding chin that locked the lips above it tightly together when they were shut; and the chest and arms of a giant. He wore loose white drawers, canvas shoes that made no noise when he moved; and as he came forward he grinned at the audience, suggestingly clenching his hammer-like fists and swelling out his biceps so that the muscles rose like springs of iron under the dark, hairy skin.

This was Joey the Kid, and the two with him would see him through the fight.

The trio took their places at one corner of the ring, and a moment later another three came in at the door they had left open.

A tall, slim young fellow, dressed as the Kid was dressed, entered with his second and a trusted servant of Macaire's, who had performed many a queer office in this room. The newcomer looked, compared with Joey the Kid, like Antinous beside Hercules, or David with Goliath. Stripped to the waist, his face and throat bronze, his body marble, he seemed hardly more than a youth; but the eyes eagerly criticizing his form could find no fault with it. A Greek sculptor of old, in search of a model for a young athlete, would have seen in him perfection. Yet, beautiful as his body was to the eye, it appeared a monstrous injustice to match his youthful strength against the brawny bulk of the big professional prize-fighter.

Macaire himself made the necessary announcement. He told his guests that the match was to be under eleven stone ten pounds, and was between Joe Nash, whom they knew as Joey the Kid, and an amateur, who, having no name in English sporting circles, claimed the right to remain anonymous until after the fight. He (Macaire) vouched for him, and guaranteed that his record was no more than it professed to be. Nash had just now been weighed at eleven stone nine pounds in the weighing-chair in the next room, his opponent touching ten stone eight pounds. The conditions of the fight were the best of twenty three-minute rounds with two-ounce gloves. If it ran to the full length it would be decided by points.

Having given this information, he put in a flattering word for the referee, who looked pleased, and the prologue to the play was over; the act about to begin.

The slim young man and the hairy giant came forth from their respective corners and grasped each other's hands, the former's second (who had been his sparring partner) eyeing the pair furtively, his face eager.

By this time each man in the audience had his favorite. Notebooks were out, and bets had been recorded. Few believed that the unknown amateur had a chance against the Kid, and Hope Newcome felt adverse opinions hanging heavy in the air, oppressing his chest.

He was half ashamed of himself for what he was about to do, yet nothing on earth would now have induced him to draw back. It was all for Winifred. Already he had been able to help her. If he could win this fight, and winning it, step into the place which Lionel Macaire had promised him, he would tell Winifred the truth about the mission which had brought him to England, and ask her if, in spite of all it entailed upon him, she would promise to be his wife. He dared not think that she loved him, but she had been heavenly sweet, and it might be that she had learnt to care, just a little, during the days that they had been "partners." With money he could at least try his luck. For, if he got it, it would be his money, honestly though strangely earned. He was going to do all he knew to earn it now.

Newcome and Joey the Kid had never seen each other until they had walked out half stripped from the partitioned spaces which they had used as dressing-closets in the next room.

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4. ASPHALTUM—2,000 lbs. of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce ¼ ton of asphaltum, value $25 to $35 per ton. 25 gal. of lubricating oil, value 50c. per gal. and upward. 40 gal. illuminating oil, value 10c per gal. and up. 60 gal. of distilled oil, value 5c. per gal. and upward. (Estimated value $64.50.)
5. SOAP—2000 lbs. (1 ton) of crude oil and filling will produce over 2,000 lbs. of soap, value 3c. per lb. and upward. (Estimated value $60.00.)

Id my opiniou many other valuable products can be obtained from the oil of that famous field.

Respectfully, DR. R. J. SCHIMPER, Chemist Expert."

THIS goes to show the immense profits that will accrue from our products when refined. We expect to commence **Building Our Refinery** in the very near future. The sale of the next allotment of stock will be made for that purpose. **The largest flowing wells in California** were brought in adjoining our property and their stock was taken off the market. **We employ the best drillers** who report rapid progress on our wells and we expect to bring in gushers equal, if not to excel any in the Sunset field. ***Our General Manager, Superintendent and Drillers, all*** are experienced oil men. The officers of our company are all thorough, competent and efficient men who have always made a success of their undertaking in life and who will see that the welfare of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company is furthered, portected and promoted to the most advantageous extent possible.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS should be paid to the stockholders of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company when their property is fully developed, their refinery equipped and in full operation. ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS was paid by Kern County Oil Companies during the month of August alone.

SIX MILLION BARRELS is the consuming capacity of the Southern Pacific Railway engines, which are now equipped for burning oil. Outside of this consider other railway lines, smelters, factories, steamships, stationery engines, which are all heavy consumers of fuel oil and last but not least, hotels and private dwellings are falling in line with the procession in the use of fuel oil.

A GOOD REASON WHY YOU Should Invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. *More fortunes have* been made in oil than any other business. Consider the immense amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for its fortunate stockholders, and the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard *Oil Company. Here is what $100 has* accomplished for those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:

Home Whittier $1,000 on an investment of $100.
Kern returned $2,200 on an investment of $100.
Peerless returned $1,800 on an investment of $100.
Dillon returned $2,500 on an investment of $100.
New York returned $30,000 on an investment of $100.
Union returned $150,000 on an investment of $100.
Home returned $50,000 on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Company's oil holdings and property, when developed and handled, should not bring like returns.

CONTRARY to the general supposition the earth is the repository of all mineral wealth. When it is known and demonstrated beyond a question of a doubt where its wealth reposes and you put your money up to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people but creates new wealth. It is therefore an investment.

Wonderful Increase in Value of Oil Stocks.

The rapid rise in the value of shares in some oil companies will be seen from the following table:

	Original price per share	Present Market price
Black Mountain Oil Co	$ .05	$ 1.50
Central Oil Co	.30	1.50
Home Oil Co. Whittier	.25	2.50
Monte Cristo Co	.10	2.50
West Shore Co	.50	4.50
Twenty-eighth Oil Co	[illegible]	2.50
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	[illegible]	1.50
Sterling Oil & Development Company	.50	2.25
Dillon Oil Co	.25	3.50
Peerless Co	.20	2.62
San Joaquin Oil Co	[illegible]	16.00
Kern Oil Co	.25	20.00
Thirty-three Oil Co	.25	11.50
Kern River Oil Co	.50	24.00
New York Oil Co	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oil City Petroleum Co	2.50	34.00
Hanford Oil Co	2.00	120.00
Kreyenhagen Oil Co	.10	[illegible]
Columbia Oil Co	100.00	[illegible]
Union Oil Co	1.00	[illegible]
Home Oil co	100.00	[illegible]

The time will come in the near future when stock in St. Paul and Sunset Oil Co., should bring prices equal to the last.

☞ WE CLAIM NOTHING WE CANNOT PROVE TO BE TRUE ☜

BRIEFLY, OUR PROPOSITION IS THIS: THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY

owns its immense tract of proven Oil Land—without a penny of incumbrance. The property is located in the most *wonderful and richest oil producing section in the world*, in the famous Sunset District of Kern County, California. Other Oil Companies in Kern county have paid hundreds of thousands of dollars in dividends—and today their stock cannot be bought at any price. These companies in many instances have less property, and in some cases are only lessors, not owning refinery, tanks, lines, etc.

A LIMITED AMOUNT OF THIS STOCK WILL BE SOLD AT 35c. PER SHARE, PAR VALUE $1.00.

BUY NOW. THIS STOCK WILL BE ADVANCED TO 50c WITHIN THE NEXT 30 DAYS

THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY will erect their own refinery, etc., are now owners of the property they are developing, employ the best drillers in the whole State of California. The manager is an old and experienced oil man who has been connected with large California companies. The officers are all successful and reliable business men, who are investors—the same as every other stockholder. And the company, with plenty of ready capital, proposes to make the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Co. a leader in the field and to develop their property to the fullest extent that money and brains will permit.

The first orders received will be the first ones to be filled. In case we are unable to fill your orders at 35c. your money will be refunded. ☞ Send Orders and Remittances to

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, NOV. 3, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Wanted

Good Cook and Dining Room Girl, good wages. Apply at Munro House.

Anniversary Tea

Yesterday evening the anniversary tea and entertainment in connection with the Park street Baptist church took place. Tea was served from 6 o'clock until 7.30. In addition to a select program of vocal and instrumental music, a very interesting lecture by Rev. P. K. Dayfoot, on "Happy, Though Married," was delivered.

Nicholls Hospital Report

The report of Nicholls' Hospital for the past month is as follows: Number remaining in hospital, 23; number treated, 40; number of pay patients, 34; number of free patients, 15; patients from town, 35; patients from other places, 14; number cured, 19; number improved, 7; number died, 0; Dr. Eastwood is now in attendance. Doctors Halliday, Boucher, Pigeon, Greer, Carmichael, Scott, McCullough, Young, Bradd, McClellan, attended the other patients.

The Direct Line

From Peterborough to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and the South is via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley Railroad. Route of the "Black Diamond Express." Pullman sleepers and dining car service from Toronto. Everything first class. Scenery and service unsurpassed. Call at W. Bunton's ticket office Peterborough, for tickets, Pullmans and further particulars.

Cement Industries

Toronto News: The increased demand for Portland cement in Ontario will likely result in the establishment of several cement industries in the province. A gentleman called on the Bureau of Mines on Saturday morning and made enquiries about securing a lake in Peterborough County, which contains a great quantity of marl. He desires to drain the lake, in order to take out the marl. He claims that there is plenty of splendid clay in the vicinity and a good water power near which he could locate his industry.

Christian Science and Disease

The people of Port Hope have been having trouble with a family named Long, who follow Christian Science principles. It seems that diphtheria attacked one of the children, a boy of about seven years, and instead of notifying the Board of Health or calling in a local physician the parents summoned the local leader of their sect, who wrestled with the "claim" for a few days the result being that the child died of the disease. An inquest was held, the people being mightily indignant, and the following verdict was returned: The teaching of the sect known as Christian Science and as brought out in the evidence, is a danger to the public generally, and this jury would strongly urge that the Legislature enact a law which would make it a criminal offence for the demonstrator of this belief to attend or treat a case which is not being attended to by a duly qualified medical practitioner."

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Board of Education will meet this evening.

—A $175 organ, with eleven stops—as good as new—will be sold for $37.50. This is a snap.

—Hon Senator Cox, of Toronto, has given 1500 to the building fund of St. Michael's college.

—The way to build up Peterborough is to put your shoulder under the hod.

—Court of Revision meets this evening.

Three good boys wanted at The Times office—one to learn bookbinding, one to learn press work and one as messenger in the bookstore.

—Lindsay Post: A gang of shantymen, numbering about a dozen, passed through to-day from Peterborough and eastern points to Gooderham, en route to Boyd's camps in Glamorgan township. The party is in charge of Foreman Wm. Cresswell.

—Mr. B. H. Maybee, who has been principal of the Fenelon Falls schools for the past ten years, died at the Cataract village on Thursday night from an attack of pneumonia. Mr. Maybee was one of the best known and most popular citizens of the Falls, and his early demise at the age of 40 years will be regretted by his many friends.

—The Lindsay Post states than an old landmark in Lindsay was destroyed by fire a few days ago, being the residence of the late Dr. Fiddler. Some of the readers of The Times in Lindsay and North Victoria may not know that Dr. Fiddler was drowned in 1864, by being swept over Fenelon Falls, while attempting to cross the river in a canoe, which upset when in mid-stream. The doctor built a hunting lodge on the hill in the village, that still bears his name.

The Latest Style

In At Home cards and wedding stationery at The Times Bookstore. The newest and most up-to-date stationery for up-to-date people.

FACTORY FOR PETERBOROUGH

A Local Sugar Company with $250,000 Capital Has Been Gazetted

The Peterborough Sugar Company, Limited, with a share capital of $250,000 and head offices at Peterborough, has been gazetted. Thos. E. Bradburn, James Kendry, M.P., Arthur Stevenson, of Peterborough, Thomas M. Hunter, of North Monaghan, and John Garvin, of Ashburnham, are named as directors.

A SPLENDID INVESTMENT

The Empire Mica Company a Sure Dividend Payer

We direct the special attention of Canadian investors to the advertisement of the Empire Mica Company, which will be found elsewhere in to-day's issue.

The supply of mica is insufficient for the needs of the people, 80 per cent. of the mica consumed in the United States having to be imported from India, on which a tariff of 150 per cent. is paid. Therefore, every pound that is produced in America has the advantage of 150 per cent added profit.

So far does the demand for mica exceed the supply that there is an immediate market for every ounce that can be produced. The price of sheet mica ranges from 85 cents to $13 a pound, according to size and purity. The mica wasted in trimming the sheets is ground and sold at from $20 to $50 a ton, while powdered mica brings from $80 to $120 per ton. These are the prices fixed on a basis so solid that no power on earth can reduce them.

Mica is a staple commercial commodity—a public necessity for which there is a greater demand every day. When the Creator made mica he made nothing else that can ever take its place. It has no rival.

The stock now being offered should be rapidly taken up. It is well worth the attention of investors.

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Malt Breakfast Food is a true health food. No other cereal food gives a scientific concentration of life giving nutriment. It is the most delicious and appetizing food ever given to the public and being partially predigested, the weakest stomach easily completes the process and appropriates every particle. Malt Breakfast Food is the only breakfast cereal that has received the approval of the best physicians and the most noted food specialists. Its delicate flavor and its great nutritive properties make it a food of wonderful value for invalids and convalescents. Once used it becomes a necessity in the home. All GGrocers sell it.

PROHIBITION MEETING

In George Street Church — Address by Rev Dr. Chown

A meeting was held last night in the George street church for the purpose of discussing the liquor traffic.

The meeting was opened with prayer and hymns, after which the Rev. Dr. Chowan gave a very interesting address on the liquor question.

On taking the platform Dr. Chowan said that he was greatly encouraged by the sentiment and movement of the Temperance people in Peterborough, he is of the opinion that the public has the right to protect itself against this kind of trade.

He explained that the former obstacles to prohibition were removed and that the anti-temperance people were ashamed to appear on the public platform and defend the liquor trade.

The state of affairs in Canada is coming to a most disgraceful issue, which was well proven by several instances that were quoted by him.

Mr. Chowan compares the liquor traffic to the Tammany Institute, which is despised by all temperance and respectable people. He says that after twenty elections in Toronto only two drunks resulted on election day.

In conclusion of his address, Mr. Chowan said that even if the vote failed to carry he would again enter the contest with the firm belief that right would conquer and he has the firmest hopes the saloon will be abolished at the coming election on December 4th.

It was then moved by the Rev. Dr. Torrance, seconded by Rev. Mr. Bastow, that a vote of thanks be extended to Rev. Dr. Chowan for his interesting address.—Carried.

SUGGESTIONS FOR FUEL

The Junior Reporter Gets His Work in on New Ideas

The Junior reporter on the staff of this great family journal, evidently has been doing some hard thinking, no doubt being driven to it by the sight of a coalless stove in his domicile. The following suggestions for fuel were found on his desk yesterday morning:

Storing the heat from warm debates in the Town Council." "The seasoned timber from which cabinets are selected." "Planks from political platforms;" "Some of the dried old fossils in the senate;" "Logs which are rolled by aldermen." "The protected cradles of our infant industries;" and the "Steps which are always taken to remedy all matters."

SCIENTIFIC FOOD

That Cures Patients Quickly

"My experience with food has been considerable.

For 20 years I suffered with chronic indigestion and bowel complaint which brought on general debility," says a gentleman of Danville, Ills. "I was poor in flesh and everyone thought I had consumption. I was treated by the best doctors of several cities but to no benefit.

At last I went to a hospital and while there began using Grape-Nuts, the physician giving me permission, and from that day I commenced to gain. By careful diet, and using judgement, I gained in flesh and strength, my lungs got better, and today I consider myself as well as men in general at my age of 60 years.

The other patients noticed that I gained faster under the same treatment and care and I told them to add GGrape-Nuts to their diet and be careful not to eat meat, nor warm bread, and starchy food. I can now eat anything in reason; I sleep well; bowels are regular and I have gained 22 pounds of flesh. Grape-Nuts food saved my life.

It adds to the health and comfortable living; makes the mind clear and prolongs life." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

THE REFERENDUM

THE TEMPERANCE PARTY MEET AND ORGRNIZE FOR THE CAMPAIGN

List of Committees and Officers Appointed—Meetings to be Held in Every Part of the County—Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A. Elected President of the County Association

A meeting was held yesterday afternoon in the Y.M.C.A. hall, for the purpose of organizing for the prohibition campaign, which is now on. There was a large attendance, about twenty ministers being present, besides many others.

The Rev. J. P. Wilson presided, and Rev. J. A. Wilson acted as secretary. The chairman explained the object of the meeting. After devotional exercises, the following resolution was unanimously passed: "That an association be formed, known as the Peterborough Prohibition Association."

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The following officers were elected:
President—Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A.
Vice Presidents—Rev. Robt. Taylor, Norwood; M. W. Matchett, Ashburnham.
Secretary—S. G. Cowan, Peterborough.
Treasurer—Wm. Faint, Peterborough.

The above are the general officers. The following are the officers in the rural districts:

East Riding.

Belmont—Rev. Wm. Johnston, Havelock, chairman; Mr. A. C. Denike, secretary.

Norwood and Asphodel—Rev. J. F. Somerville, chairman; Rev. Mr. Hawkins, secretary.

Chandos, Anstruther, Burleigh and Methuen—Rev. Mr. Reddick, Apsley, chairman; Mr. W. Gallon, Apsley, secretary.

Douro—Wm. Leeson, chairman; G. W. Powell, secretary.

Dummer—Rev. Mr. McQuade, Warsaw, chairman; W. F. Payne, Hall's Glen, secretary.

West Riding.

(Including Ashburnham, and Otonabee Township.)

Otonabee—Rev. D. D. McDonald, Keene, chairman; Dr. Harrison, Keene, secretary.

Ashburnham—Rev. C. L. Thompson, chairman; Geo. Stewart, secretary.

Town of Peterborough—Rev. J. G. Potter, chairman; Rev. J. A. Wilson, secretary.

Smith—Rev. Mr. Gunton, chairman; Mr. A. Northey, secretary.

North and South Monaghan—Joseph Madill, Frazerville, chairman; Rev. Mr. Drew, Frazerville, secretary.

Harvey—Rev. Dr. Metzler, Selwyn, chairman; David Weir, Lakehurst, secretary.

Lakefield—Mr. Wm. Harper, chairman, Mr. Sherin, jr., secretary.

The secretary was instructed to notify the chairman and secretary of the various municipalities of their appointment, and ask them to arrange for local meetings and complete organization.

Ennismore, Cavendish and Galway—Left in hands of central executive.

This concluded the business, and the meeting closed with prayer.

ASHBURNHAM COUNCIL

A Short but Busy Session of the Village Councillors Last Night

Ashburnham Council met last night at eight o'clock, with all the members present as follows: Reeve Smith and Councillors Sheridan, Pollock, Adams and Johnston.

At the opening of the meeting the minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Accounts.

Moved by Mr. Johnston, seconded by Mr. Sheridan that the following accounts be paid:

Dickson Co.	$172 55
Peterboro Examiner	60
Peterboro Examiner	8 30
J. B. Manicce	7 00
House of Providence	12 50
Wm. R. S. Huggins	2 80
Pay sheet No. 20	30 00
Pay Sheet No. 21	32 30

—Carried.

Communications.

A communication was read from the Mother Superior of the House of Providence asking that the fuel which had been granted to Mrs. McAulife before the latter went to that institution should be taken to the place.—Laid over until next meeting.

Another communication was received from Mrs. Newel complaining of annoyance from young boys, who were in the habit of breaking the windows of her house and making a disturbance in the neighborhood.

An effort will be made by Mr. Fitzgerald, to whom the matter was referred to put a stop to this kind of thing in the village.

Councillor Sheridan brought up the question of renting the store occupied by Mr. King as a picture store to Mr. Wheeler, for use as a butcher shop, on the latter agreeing to rent the same for a period of five years at a rental of $6 per month.

The offer of Mr. Wheeler was accepted and Mr. Peck was instructed to notify the present occupants of the action taken by the Council.

A by-law was laid before the Council to exempt the Canadian Ultimator Co., from taxes for ten years on the approval of the same by the legislature. This company is manufacturing milling machinery in their premises on Elizabeth street, and are at present employing about ten men. As full information had not been obtained the bylaw was laid over till the next regular meeting.

Councillor Sheridan next brought before the Council the matter of tenders for snowploughing for the coming winter and as it was thought it was time now to make arrangements for this, and the following motion was passed:

Moved by Councillor Johnston and seconded by Councillor Sheridan that the clerk be authorized to advertise for tenders for snowploughing all sidewalks and walkways in the village. Tenders to be received up to the 27th of November.—Carried.

Reeve Smith reported that as the dredge was operating very close to the water mains in the river he had written to the authorities regarding the same.

The Reeve also reported that he had attended the joint meeting of the Town Council and that of Ashburnham with regard to the Dan Spence Memorial Fund. It had been decided to purchase an ambulance at a cost of $800, $437 of which had been already subscribed and it would cost about $150 per year for maintenance. Of this it was expected that the village would pay a proportionate amount. As no definite proposition was before the Council regarding the matter, it was laid over for future consideration.

The Council adjourned about 9.15, to meet again in two weeks' time for the purpose of opening the tenders for snowploughing.

Fortune Telling

does not take into consideration the one essential to woman's happiness—womanly health. There is many a woman whose future seems absolutely unclouded who is marked by her own condition for future disappointment and distress.

The woman who neglects her health is neglecting the very foundation of all good fortune. For without health love loses its lustre and gold is but dross.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. and Mrs. Kearney, of Young's Point, were in town yesterday.

—Mr. J. M. Brooks left on Sunday for Ketchecum Lake hunting grounds.

—Mrs. John Crane has returned from a visit to friends in Toronto.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Madill, of Toronto, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Madill.

—Mr. R. H. Jackson, Mr. Fred Clarke, and a party from Toronto, left for the north yesterday upon a hunting expedition.

—Rev. W. L. Armitage and Mr. E. R. Stone will leave this week upon their annual hunt in the vicinity of Coe Hill.

—The White Rose Club propose holding another dance on November 14th. An orchestra from the 57th Band will furnish music.

—Mr. A. R. J. Hall, who has been out at the North Shore for two months, returned to town Saturday. He expects to return in a few days.

—Mrs. Angus J. McPherson will receive on Wednesday and Thursday and Wednesday evening this week at her residence, 79 Patterson street.

—Miss Patten, who resides on Water street, was taken ill on Saturday with appendicitis, and removed to Nicholls' Hospital on Sunday. Her many friends will hope for her speedy recovery.

—Mr. Max Giroux received word last night that his father was dangerously ill at his home in Montreal. Mr. Giroux left for home on the 12.34 train.

—Miss S. Pilling, who, for the past five or six weeks has been visiting with relatives and friends in Port Hope and Dundas, returned to her home in Peterborough Friday, having had a most pleasant time.—Port Hope Guide.

—Mrs. Kerr, of San Francisco, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Robert Reid. It is eleven years since Mrs. Kerr was here. The climate of San Francisco rather takes the nerve out of one for facing the more bracing atmosphere of this region, when a nor-west breeze insinuates itself through your clothes, and at such times she is inclined to think somewhat favorably of 'Frisco. She will probably spend some little time in Peterborough, before returning to the Coast.

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GRANITE MOUNTAIN	176,000

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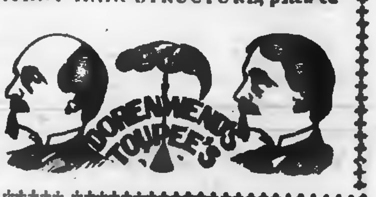

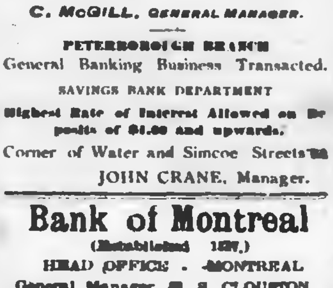

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Bavarian	Nov 29	Dec 1, 10 p.m
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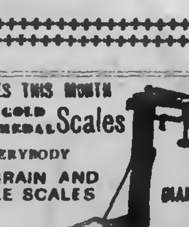

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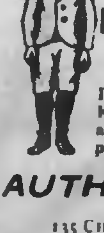

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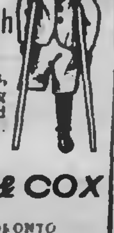

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MORGAN'S GREATEST MONEY-MAKING PROJECT

Cannot Compare With The Profit-making Possibilities of the "Keyless Clock"

So said a well informed banker a few days ago. This remark made in the hearing of a special correspondent of Banker and Investor, caused an investigation of which the following is the result and report:

"This wonderful invention bids sure to revolutionize timekeeping. In the last 100 years few great improvements have been made in Clock building. The clock on your parlor mantel or your office wall is the same today as it was a century ago. It has been improved in appearance and automatic machinery enabling its production at a greatly reduced price. But the old time, time worn, key-wound clock is unreliable and as liable to stop as to go. Inventive ingenuity to improve it seemed almost at a standstill, until the world was electrified by the reports of a new clock. A complete departure from the old method of clock building. This mechanical wonder was most appropriately named the "KEYLESS CLOCK."

The builders should add the designation, the automatic clock and the perpetual clock. The simplicity of this clock is truly wonderful. Experienced clock experts call it the acme of perfection.

The inventors of this clock worked patiently for many years and in the face of great discouragement labored successfully to overcome one difficulty after another. Special machinery was constructed to make the delicate parts. The clock trust—the $40,000,000 octupus, said to control clock making in the United States, making millions upon millions yearly, producing clocks, two out of every five of which the public know are little more than worthless, attempted all kinds of intimidating methods to discourage the inventors and the company of New York business men who had the foresight and courage to supply the capital to perfect this marvelous timepiece.

Gradually, one difficulty after another was overcome. Each part was simplified and reconstructed to impart lightness, strength, durability and easy running. Then this improved, completed success was placed on trial for one year One hundred clocks of different sizes were placed under all possible conditions daily a record of their work was taken and the average deflections of these 100 clocks was less than was ever made by any other clock, a result hardly believable—and up to the time of the advent of

THE "KEYLESS CLOCK."

a record hardly possible. After producing the clock fully up to the wishes of the inventors and the directors of the company, a corps of the greatest experts and attorneys were instructed to examine and strengthen the patents of the "Keyless Clock."

Thus a clock that is mechanically perfect, machinery to produce it economically, patents almost incontestible, was the result. With this property, successful in every way, the directors were ready to start public operations, to manufacture the clock, offer it for sale, and to invite the investing public to subscribe for the capital stock of.

"THE UNITED STATES CLOCK COMPANY OF NEW YORK."

Conservatism, care and caution is the keystone of the company's successful management. No stock was sold until the company was in successful operation "The Keyless Clock" caught public favor —orders came pouring in. The first factory department was at No. 407 Broome street. It was soon too small. A second and third at No. 230 Center street, were added to fill the demand.

Add factory space and machinery to increase the production of "Keyless Clocks" as they would, the company could not increase fast enough, and now the directors contemplate the erection of a large, perfectly equipped factory, probably in the Bronx or Long Island City, where they will make every part from the tiny screw to the artistic case for the daintiest "Keyless' parlor clock, to the massive "Keyless" tower clock.

With such a record it is easy to understand why the "United States Clock Company," has been a phenomenal success. The stock was subscribed for rapidly. The original price of $6 per share par value $10, was raised to $7.50, and probably will soon be increased to par. The company does not issue certificates for less than 10 shares. The treasurer of the company reports only 4,000 shares unsold. Thereafter no further stock offerings will be made.

Seldom has so safe and so profitable a proposition been offered for public consideration, and while the editor of the Banker and Investor is loth to advise or even to suggest any investment, he would not fail to counsel the readers of these columns to investigate the "Keyless Clock," as a clock, and the shares of the "United States Clock Company" as an investment which seems to be absolutely safe and promises to pay hundreds of dividends.

The company now reports orders on hand sufficient to make good profits, What will it be with largely increased manufacturing facilities?

"Keyless Clocks" are not sold by the trade, but by agencies of the "United States Clock Company," which are being started in all large cities. Amount of capital can find a business chance second to none.

"THE KEYLESS CLOCK."

will duplicate the telephone record, and investment in

THE UNITED STATES CLOCK COMPANY.

be as fortunate as shareholders in the Bell monopoly, which stock ran from nothing to 4,000.

A BRILLIANT ? POEM

Where the Summer Girl Goes in the Fall

The following lines were sent to The Times for publication and go for what they are worth

The summer girls are back in town
From Bobcaygeon to Oshkosh:
Fair Kathryne's dainty arms so brown
Are helping mother wash,
And debonlar Lucille, who wore
Some stones as big as panels,
Is back at work in dry goods store
Dispensing Canton flannels.

And gentle Jane and Claribel,
Teresa and Irene,
Nina, Ethel and Estelle,—
All girls of gracious mein,
Who turned down foreign noblemen (?)
And titled royal fighters,—
Are getting each four dollars per
For pounding on typewriters.

And Tessie Penhyn-Astor-Brooks,
Who was of royal stock,
Is canvassing subscription books
On "How to Darn a Sock."
And paste-bejewled Genevieve,
Who said she snubbed a rich lord,
No longer hears the billows heave—
She's working at her switch-board!

They are now having a good many "dull" days in the New York stock market. It is usually dull when the time comes to settle.

Jim Dumps invited friends to dine;
He gave them salad, birds and wine;
And for dessert, a novel course,
He gave them ice cream served with "Force."
"Delicious," cried his guests to him;
"This dish is perfect, 'Sunny Jim.'"
"FORCE"
The Ready-to-Serve Cereal
rounds out the dinner—
rounds up the diner.
Sweet, crisp flakes of wheat and malt.
Overjoyed at His Cure.
"Tuesday evening I sat down to a wedding feast. Next morning I felt wretched beyond description. Ate 'Force' for breakfast, lunch and dinner. This morning had 'Force' again for breakfast. Now, after my usual and hearty lunch, I feel as fine as usual. Am overjoyed at this cure.
"JULIUS FULD."
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SHANGHAI NOW TO BE EVACUATED BY THE ALLIED FORCE OF EUROPE

Agreement Proposed Between England France and Germany

To Withdraw Their Forces From The Chinese Territory

London, November 4.—It has been announced that France, Great Britain and Germany have come to an agreement with regard to the withdrawal from Shanghai of the troops which those countries are still maintaining there but that the precise conditions upon which the withdrawal is to be consummated are still under consideration. It was France which made the first move the government of that country wishing to be freed from the expense of maintaining at Shanghai a military establishment for which there was no longer any need.

After the negotiations had been instituted an agreement was quickly reached upon two points. The first was that the evacuation take place. The second was that if any power sent back its troops the other powers should be entitled to do the same. Then Germany proposed that China be requested to pledge itself not to grant to one power any preferential advantages over another in the region effected by the evacuation, that is in the Yangtse Valley and right here there has occurred a hitch. The British Government in not willing that China should give any pledges of this description which exclusively apply to the Yangtse Valley, which, it may be remembered, is the region which was at one time set apart as being within the British sphere of influence.

England contends that the pledge against the grant of preferential advantages should be made of general application instead of being restricted to a particular region, whereas Germany for some reason wishes the pledge to stand as it has been given. It is likely that the dispute will be settled shortly and it ought to be settled by the acceptance of the British position, which is unquestionably the right and reasonable one. It may be remarked that in whatever concession is finally secured the United States will be a sharer.

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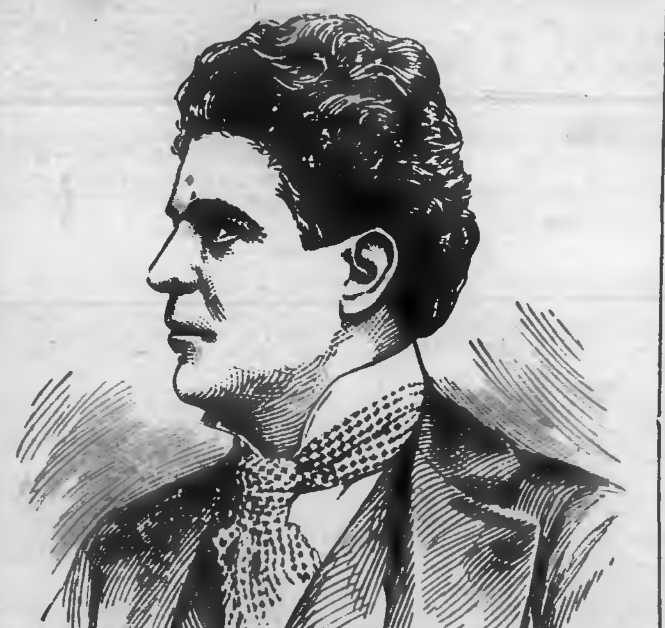

PIETRO MASCAGNI.
The Great Italian Composer Who Recently Visited Toronto and Montreal.

CHINESE SMUGGLER IS FIRST MANDARIN

Special to The Times.

London, Nov. 4—The following, says the Pekin correspondent, is an instance of the Chinese way of fulfilling treaty obligations. An Imperial edict of August, 1901, issued in obedience to the terms of settlement of the protocol, ordered all the exalted provincial officials to forbid the importation of arms and war material and their manufacture for a period of two years. Far from the prohibition having been effective, nearly every arsenal in the Chinese Empire has since been working at full pressure in the manufacture of arms of all kinds, and now China openly repudiates the prohibition. In a memorial published in the Pekin Gazette (the official journal,) the Governor of Kwang Si brings to the favorable notice of the throne a certain fourth grade official "who is showing," says the memorial, "a true spirit of patriotism." This official recently successfully transported in Kwang-Si thousands of Mauser rifles and 300,000 cartridges, which were placed at the service of the Governor to aid him in suppressing the rebels in the province. The memorialist says the difficulty is greater than it used to be, because of Imperial prohibition. He therefore, requests that the services of the new official in question be rewarded by his elevation to rank of mandarin of the first grade. An Imperial rescript grants this honor to the successful smuggler.

DECRESS ISSUED AT PARIS.

London, Nov. 4—A decree has been gazetted, says a Paris correspondent, creating in each French colony a Council of Defence, which will advise the Governor and Home Government on military exigencies. Another decree creates at the Colonial Office a consultative body on colonial defences

BROUGHT THE PORTE TO TIME.

London, Nov. 4.—The French Government, says a Constantinople correspondent, threatened to stop the quotation of the Turkish loan of 1896 on the Paris Bourse, unless the Porte gave to M. Lorando and Tubini a written engagement to pay them out of the proceeds of the Turkish debt conversion. The Porte hesitated, but the matter was settled yesterday.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

MET IN REGULAR MONTHLY SESSION LAST NIGHT

The Fences Surrounding the Central School and Collegiate Institute Buildings Need Repairing — Attendance for October—Accounts—Monies Received

The Board of Education met in regular monthy session last night, when there were present Messrs. F. J. Jameson, J. J. McBain, Dr. Caldwell, Wm. Langford, Jas. Stevenson, J. J. Hartley, Peter Hamilton and Dr. Burnham.

In the absence of Mr. W. H. Hill, Dr. Burnham officiated as chairman.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From a number of ratepayers, complaining of the dipilidated condition of the fences surrounding the Central school and Collegiate Institute. The fence on College street is almost half gone with age and decay, and the board fence around the rest of the grounds is not in keeping with the trim appearance of the front lawn of the school, or of the lawns and fences of other property in the neighborhood. The communication also drew attention to the wretched appearance of the old closet buildings in the rear of the lot, and suggested that the Board might easily take into consideration their removal altogether. This matter was referred to the Property committee to report at the next meeting.

MONIES RECEIVED.

Fees, Departmental Exams...	$3 00
Govt. Grant (Cadet Corps)...	50 00
Govt. Grant (Kindergarten)...	37 70
Town Treasurer...	2500 00
Fees, Public Schools	4 50
	2594 20

ATTENDANCE FOR OCTOBER.

Collegiate Institute—

	Roll	Aver.
Form IV	13	13
Form III	44	41
Form II	50	47
Form Upper I	47	46
Form Lower I	46	44
Commercial	36	34
Total	236	224

Average attendance, 95 per cent.

Public Schools—

	Roll.	Aver.	P.C.
Central school	395	380	96.0
South Central school	415	389	93.9
Bernardo ave. school	135	129	95.5
Park street school	150	137	91.4
George street school	161	148	92.1
Kindergartens	117	79	67.5
Total	1373	1286	87.8

ACCOUNTS.

The following accounts were referred to the Finance committee:

Kingan Hardware Co.	$11 43
Adam Hall	20 19
C. S. McClelland	1 20
R. Hicks & Co.	7 91
Bacon Bros.	26 20
McClelland Coal Co.	475 94

Dr. Caldwell submitted the following report:

Gentlemen,—Your Finance committee beg leave to report and recommended payment of the followng accounts:

Sternberger Hendry Co.	$1300 45
Kingan Hardware Co.	5 92
Duncan & Deupe	1 60
Peterboro Light and Power Co.	17 10
Peterboro Light and Power Co.	11 35
Peterboro Canoe Co.	25 00
R. Gibbs	5 00
Peterboro Examiner	72 60
A. H. Stratton & Co.	101 50
Toronto Globe	2 14
Toronto Mail and Empire	7 00
Mrs. M. Lewis	1 25
Miss A. Patterson	6 25
Miss A. Cameron	6 25
Mr. S. G. Cowan	6 75

The report was adopted as read.

ACCOUNTS PAID.

The payment of the following accounts was confirmed:

M. O'Donnell, (sand)	$1 20
Edward Green	7 62
M. A. McNamara	25 00
T. H. Sheppard (rent)	100 00
C. Fessenden (re Entrance exams).	42 50
C. Gumpricht	3 70
Ald. Kingscote	3 60
Peterboro Water Commissioners	25 41

The Board then adjourned.

THE NEW LIFE BOAT CANNOT BE CAPSIZED

Latest Form Given to a Device for Saving Shipwrecked Persons

NOW NO FEAR OF SHIPWRECK

Supplies of Food and Water Can Be Carried And Fresh Air Obtained

London, Nov. 2—Captain Doenvig, the Norwegian inventor of the new spherical life-saving boat gave a demonstration of his globe's capabilities off Dover harbor today before the British board of trade officials and representatives of shipping companies, who expressed themselves highly satisfied with the results.

The apparatus is made of light steel plates, is globular in shape, and is surrounded by a cork fender. It has a double bottom, containing cork banks which can be filled with fresh water to be used as a ballast, and as this is consumed salt water can be pumped to keep the balance of the craft. There are also compartments for preserved stores et cetera.

The globe is entered through three water-tight manholes. It has a ventilating shaft, and a sail can be set upon it. It is only eight feet in diameter, and would occupy 64 square feet of deck space, compared with 143 feet necessary for the ordinary ship's lifeboat. Owing to the construction it is impossible to capsize it. It can comfortably hold sixteen persons.

Doenvig said: "To show my faith in my life-saving globe a friend and myself were put adrift in it off Havre last Tuesday, when a heavy sea was running. We drifted about 24 hours. Then we were picked up four miles off Folkestone and towed into Dover on Wednesday. We suffered no inconvenience, and could have remained out a week or a fortnight just as well. This was not my first experience. Under the auspices of the Norwegian Life-Saving Society I gave a similar experiment off the Norwegian coast. These experiments have simply shown the entire seaworthiness of the little craft, and have justified everything I claim for it.

"Next time there is a big storm here I will have the globe taken out to Goodwin Sands and have it put overboard with myself and any friends who care to go with me. I would trust myself anywhere in it. Nothing could capsize or sink it unless it were battered to pieces, and, owing to its shape the waves have be force against it.

The only thing against it is its shape, which some sailors don't like because they never went to sea in a ball. But it will live down that prejudice. I was shipwrecked once off the American coast and understand what it means."

A Sure Cure For Constipation

Some remedies cure this distressing complaint in a day, some in a month, but Nerviline never fails to cure in a few minutes. Just ten drops of Nerviline in sweetened water—that's enough, and away goes the dysentery, cured to stay cured. Nerviline also cures Cramps, Colic, Pain in the Stomach and Sick Head ache. It has five times the strength and curative properties of ordinary remedies and should be in every household. Better buy a 25c bottle and try it. Nerviline is all right.

Hamilton's Pills for the Liver.

There are probably not less than fifty statesmen each of whom before long will be claiming the credit of the settlement which President Roosevelt effected in the coal strike.

King Edward is plainly imbued with the correct idea that to be a popular monarch he must keep close to the people.

The tenor of the official dispatches in Somaliland is that the British forces came, saw, and found themselves up against it.

RECULT OF UNITED STATES CONGRESSIONAL ELECTIONS

Gov. Odell, Democrat, Elected in City of Greater New York by a Large Majority

New York, N.Y., Nov. 4.—The city of Greater New York, which last year elected a Fusionist to the Mayority, returned to the Democracy to-day by reelecting a majority of the nomineen of that party, and giving Governor Odell a large majority.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 4.—The entire Democratic ticket was elected.

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 4.—The full Democratic state ticket is elected by a large majority.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 4.—The entire Democratic state ticket headed by James G. Frasier for Governor has been elected.

New Orleans, Lo., Nov. 4.—The Democratic nominees for Congress in Louisiana are elected.

Jacksonville, Fl., Nov. 4.—There was no opposition to the Democratic state ticket or Congressional.

Trenton, N.J. Nov. 4.—The Republicans will again control both houses of New Jersey state Legislature by heavy majorities.

Concord, N.J. Nov. 4.—Batchelder, Republican is elected.

New York, Nov., 4.—Figures from the Congressional districts in the State give the delegation as 20 Republicans to 17 Democrats. The present state representation is 22 Republicans to 12 Democrats.

Seattle, Wn., Nov. 4.—Indications are the State will go Republican.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Nov. 4.—Meagre returns from the State indicate that the entire Republican ticket is elected.

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 4.—Chairman Dick of the Republican State Committee claims a large plurality on the state ticket and 17 of the 21 Congressmen.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 4.—Chairman Jameson of the Republican Committee claims the election of Van Sant for Governor and substantial gains all along the line.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 4.—Estimates from more than half of the counties in Pennsylvania outside of Philadelphia and Alleghony counties, show gains for the Democratic state ticket. These gains are offset by heavy Republican gains in Philadelphia and Pittsburg. The returns indicate a large Republican plurality in the State. The Republican loss in the anthracite coal regions was not as heavy as anticipated.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 4.—The Republicans after a vigorous campaign carried Massachusetts to-day for the entire state ticket.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 4.—Governor Lafollette has been re-elected and the indications are that the Legislature will be Republican.

New York, N.Y., Nov. 4.—At midnight Chairman Babcock of the Republican Congressional Committee, sent the following telegram to Senator Hanna, chairman of the National Republican Committee: "Returns coming in slowly, very satisfactory outside New York City. Think an estimate of 204 Republican members is safe. Have elected four of the six Congressmen from Maryland.

Idaho, Nov. 4.—Returns received show Morrison, Republican, for Governor, ahead.

Washington, Nov. 4.—At midnight Chairman Griggs made a statement claiming the house would be Democratic from 10 to 12 votes.

Denver, Col., Nov. 4.—Returns are meagre, but indicate that the Republicans have made heavy gains throughout the State.

Raleigh, N.C., Nov. 4.—There is no appreciable change in the Democratic state majority.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 4.—The Legislature will be safely Republican, though the majority will be smaller.

DROPPED OUT OF SCHEME

Canadians Quit When They Found Out the Sort of Game It Was

London, Nov. 4.—The Pall Mall Gazette, in a column article criticising the exposure of Promoter Hooley's Sapphire Corundum Company, points out that there are one or two names in the prospectus, the owners of which may be glad of an opportunity of explaining how they got there. Some of the names are Hon. J. R. Stratton, Provincial Secretary of Ontario, Canada; Hon. Mr. Brodeur, Speaker of the House, Ottawa; Mr. C. D. Warren, the president of the Traders' Bank of Canada; and Mr. Justice Garrow of Ontario. The paper adds that it has reason to believe that when the real position was explained to Mr. Stratton, he declared his intention of severing his connection with the concern

When seen by a reporter this morning Mr. Warren did not wish to make any statement without at first consulting Mr. Stratton. But finally he went to the safe, and producing documents bearing on the question, said: "The fact of the matter is, some time ago I was approached by certain parties interested in the formation of the company, and asked if I would allow my name to be on the Canadian Board of Directors. I was informed that I was wanted on this board with a view to looking after the expenditure of the money in the development of the property. I replied that under these circumstances I would allow my name to appear, providing that the directorate was entirely satisfactory to me, and if not I reserved the right to withdraw.

"For some time I heard nothing from the company, and fancied the project had fallen through. Later I received notice to attend a meeting of the Board of Directors in Ottawa, which I did, and I immediately became satisfied that things were not just as they should be, and I sent in my resignation."

Here Mr. Warren handed out the letter of resignation, which was dated October 2nd, and addressed to Wansley Thompson, secretary of the Sapphire Corundum Company, a copy of which was also sent to the London office. In his letter Mr. Warren expresses regret that he was ever induced to allow his name on the board.

This morning the acknowledgment of the resignation was received from Ottawa.

Mr. Warren states that the Hon. Mr. Stratton took the same action as himself in the matter. Mr. Stratton is out of the city to-day.

Mr. Justice Garrow, when shown the cable from London, expressed surprise and wonder how such a report could have gained publicity.

"I knew nothing whatever about the matter, he said, "I was never connected with the company in any shape or form."

Stomach and Bowel Trouble

A promptly satisfactory cure for Cramps, Colic, Indigestion, Heartburn, Billiousness, Sick Stomach and Summer Complaint, is a few drops of Nerviline in sweetened water. Nerviline at once relieves pain and suffering, erradicates the cause of the trouble and cures permanently. Polson's Nerviline is the best general purpose remedy for internal pains known; it acts so quickly that no household should be without it. Buy a 25c. bottle of Nerviline to-day, it's all right.

STRICTURE

I guarantee my Latest Method Treatment to be a permanent and positive cure for Varicocele and Stricture, without cutting, stretching or loss of time. In Varicocele it absorbs the bagging, or wormy condition, equalizes circulation, stops pains in the groins, also all drains, thereby giving the organs their proper nutrition, vitalizes the parts and restores lost powers; in Stricture it absorbs the Stricture tissue, stops smarting sensation, nervousness, weakness, backache, etc., while in all prostatic troubles it is the treatment par excellence. So positive am I that my treatment will cure you, you can

PAY WHEN CURED

You need pay nothing until you are convinced that a thorough and complete cure has been established. This should convince you that I have confidence in my Latest Method Treatment, otherwise I could not make you this proposition. It makes no difference who has failed to cure you, call or write me.

Each Time You Call You See Me Personally,

Or each time you write it receives my personal attention. The number of years I am established in Detroit, and the cures I accomplished after given up by other doctors, has placed me as the foremost specialist of the country. CONSULTATION FREE. Call or write for blank for blank for home treatment. Perfect system of home treatment for those who cannot call. BOOK FREE. All medicines for Canadian patients shipped from Windsor, Can. All duty and express charges prepaid. Nothing sent C. O. D.

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THE AFTERMATH OF MASCAGNI'S VISIT

The visit of Pietro Mascagni to Toronto and Montreal is recognized as the most significant musical event of passing years, and it goes down into history as an epoch in the world of music which will be remembered by the peoples of the American continent in the cycles of time to come. Mascagni proves as he moves from place to place, not only the great gift of his genius, but genius backed by the vim of a determinate active nature, together with the attribute of a physique uniquely commanding in itself alone. Nobody can challenge Mascagni's position as the father of the modern school of opera. He holds this distinction easily, because he has always breathed forth the native atmosphere of Italian music, which is melody first and above everything, while he has always been for progress.

It would be impossible in a brief article such as this to try and embody the various criticisms pro and con which always greet a star of magnitude in no matter what realm it first appears; suffice it to say, that no human being, is perfect, no human presentation altogether without hitch or flaw. The results are only truly judged according to the vivid impression made and the direct warmth and depth of emotions aroused upon humanity. Mascagni is master of his art in these respects and minute critiques are unnecessary save as they may influence this wonderful leader into recognizing all those conventional perfections, which because he is for progress always, he will be willing to adopt and adapt. Though it is a moot point whether one would exchange rigid perfection for the naive irregularities, although coupled with technical minorities, which give an amusing zest by reason of the delight which often accompanies the unsuspected and brings into view the sweetness and vivacity of the children of sunny Italy.

Mascagni has gathered his complement together with tact, perspicacity and liberality. It would be impossible to notice severally the many principals who contribute to his success but each and every one plays a selected role with grace and thoroughness that speaks well for the individual and the director too. The soul of each artist is thrown into his presentment and the audience appreciates and recognizes this fact. To see is to remember—from general reminiscence first one and then another gem of actor and voice, and number brings with it its peculiar aftermath of sweet aroma.

The immense hall was admirably adapted to the necessities required; the stage was large, well-lighted, draped effectively and with a handsome flanking of palms on either side; the scenery which Mascagni brings with him, gave emphasis by its appropriateness and execution to the tout ensemble of the opera. Acclamations of universal enjoyment were afforded with hearty vigor from time to time by the audience. A most gratifying incident was the presentation of a magnificent trophy of flowers by the Italian Workingman's Association to Mascagni. This was unique in beauty of blossom and design and was decorated with the Italian tri-color. Mascagni received for a few moments also the representatives of the society with mutual pleasure.

Mascagni may well be proud of his achievements as he surveys his immense audiences of which Toronto's was only one unit out of hundreds at home and abroad, and one can well understand that other emotions than pride must swell his heart, as he looks backward from the coign of success, himself comtless and moneyless, to an ill-appointed garret where the voices of wife and child sank into his soul, plaintive with the needs of life, which he knew so well and could not supply, because in his obscurity fame had not reached him nor vox populi hailed him. May Mascagni return to us with fresh attainments and his laurels never grow sere and brown.

QUEBEC AND MR. TARTE

Considerable speculation has been indulged in as to the political effect of Mr. Tarte's retirement from the cabinet by those who think that Mr. Tarte is certain, by the logic of circumstances, to find himself sooner or later in the Conservative party. Mr. Tarte shows no desire to hastily join the Conservatives. He has stated his wish to remain if possible in the Liberal ranks while advocating a higher tariff. But unless the Liberals do make a plain move in the direction of higher tariff, which looks very unlikely, Mr. Tarte's convictions in favor of that policy seem inevitably bound to drive him over to the Conservatives. The tariff is really the only issue between the parties. That a sincere and ardent protectionist who is also a keen politician should remain opposed to a political party whose main plank is protection and in whose other principles there is nothing he need object to, seems hardly possible.

Unless, therefore, in the remote contingency of a direct protectionist bid, by the Liberal leaders, Mr. Tarte is tolerably sure to find himself, despite his own feelings at present, fighting before long a Conservative battle, says the Ottawa Journal. What will be the effect? Some think that the effect will be very serious to the Liberals. They say that Mr. Tarte will produce a strong revolt in Quebec, where the Liberals have been strongest. His energy, his ability and above all his notable organizing powers will, they say, give to the Conservatives a Quebec leader who at last will do something to offset Laurier. And if Laurier's big majority in Quebec can be split, the argument runs, the Conservatives can beat him elsewhere.

A main factor in the logic of the argument is whether Mr. Tarte could, if he wished, break up the Laurier majority in Quebec. In support of the theory that he can, the assertion is made that to Mr. Tarte and his splendid organizing powers was due the overwhelming victory of the Liberals in the Montreal district in the last general election, the district that was directly under Mr. Tarte's direction. Very true; but it is remembered that the victory of the Liberals was overwhelming everywhere in the province of Quebec. The Montreal district was no different from others. In the whole province of Quebec only seven Conservatives were elected, out of sixty-five constituencies. One of these was in Montreal, and another next to Montreal (Jacques Cartier), where the largest Conservative majority in the province was recorded, barring one other. The greatest majority given in the Dominion was to Laurier in Quebec East. Under the circumstances it looks as though precious little depended in Quebec province on who was organizing the Liberals anywhere in particular in 1900. The view is reasonable that the trouble for the Conservatives in Quebec was not that Mr. Tarte was behind Sir Wilfrid Laurier but that Sir Wilfrid Laurier was behind Mr. Tarte and all the rest of the Liberal organizers. Organization is an extremely useful thing in politics, but organization does not win fifty-eight seats out of sixty-five under any possible circumstances short of a strong cause and a great chief. If Mr. Tarte were to be gained by the Conservatives and provided with these factors, an arduous struggle would be ahead of the Liberals in Quebec; but the only cause the Conservatives can give Mr. Tarte is the one that was beaten in Quebec and the Dominion in 1896 and 1900 by the aid of Mr. Tarte himself, and while Mr. Borden, the Conservative leader, is a man of ability, integrity and high character, he has yet to win his spurs as a great leader. Mr. Tarte therefore, if he is to conjure for the Conservatives at all, must do so with a beaten cause, and an almost untried and unknown leader. The hopeful feature would be that the manufacturers would provide plenty of money.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

London, Oct. 31.—A despatch to the Times from Brussels says that King Leopold has accepted the invitation to attend the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis, in the spring of 1904. This means that he will also see Niagara Falls, and possibly go to see the Governor-General at Ottawa.

New York, Nov. 3—James Randazzo, a bright lad of 7 years, of 1037 Pacific street, Brooklyn, was run over and so badly injured that he died, by a Long Island railroad train at Atlantic and Clason avenues yesterday morning on his way to school. Train 226 from Flatbush avenue ran over both his legs. When he was picked up his first words were a warning not to alarm his mother.

"Don't tell mamma how badly I am hurt," he said.

He was removed to St. Mary's Hospital where he died shortly before noon

Rome, Nov. 3— Karl Inger, the former Austrian officer, who is said to have acted as chief Lieutenant of the Mad Mullah in Somaliland, in a letter to the Corriere Della Sera accuses the British of endeavoring to prevent the Somalis from establishing commercial relations with Europe.

He expresses the hope that Italy will not aid England in any campaign against the Mullah, but will establish commercial relations with the rich region controlled by the Mullah, who, he says, is a friend of Italy

Peterborough Wins the Round

The game at Ottawa on Saturday afternoon between the Ottawa Rough Riders and our local fifteen, resulted in a tie at half time, neither side having made a point. Peterborough was aggressive throughout the game. The score at the finish was 4—4. O'Meara, of Ottawa, was referee, and Brennan, of the same place, umpire. Peterborough wins the round by 23—4.

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of. So he stood at first mainly on the defensive, letting Newcome begin the attack; then suddenly made one of the rushes that had often brought disaster to his antagonist. The young man saw his danger; dodged like lightning, ducking quickly under the other's arm, breaking to the left, breaking to the right; then, just as time was called, he got in a smacking blow on the Kid's low forehead, which made him shake his head like an angry bull. It was a case of honors divided, but the dashing round of three minutes was enough to prove to Newcome that he must call on all his science, all his strength, if he were to even hold his own with this formidable antagonist.

The next few rounds were keenly, warily fought. There was a quick pattering of feet on the sawdust, an occasional vicious grunt from the Kid as he struck a heavier blow than usual, the sullen thud of the gloves.

CHAPTER XXVII.

Baron Von Zellheim.

So far Newcome had been successful in the game of strategy he had set himself to play. He began to think that his task might be easier than he had supposed it. He had broken with his guard, or avoided by his quickness the most dangerous blows that had been aimed at him, and he had got home several slapping knocks on Joey's face. For an instant he lost his head and, enticed by his opponent's apparent listlessness, he rushed in recklessly.

Next moment he repented, for he received a terrific uppercut that jarred his spine, and sent him reeling across the ring. Joey was after him in a flash, trying to pin him in a corner and settle him; but Newcome had still strength to dodge this way and that, escaping with another sounding blow upon the ribs. It was almost a disaster, and when time was called he could barely stagger to his stool, gasping like a newly-landed fish.

The flood of cold, pungently-scented water squeezed over his head from the great sponge brought his faculties more under control. He took a sip of brandy; his legs lost their numbness. As he rose for the next round, game still, though tottering a little, there was a murmur of encouragement from the spectators, hushed to breathlessness as Joey rushed joyously in to finish his victim.

But Newcome was not to be easily caught again. He dodged and ducked, dexterously avoiding the dangerous corners into which his antagonist would have driven him, and came scatheless but dizzy through the round. Another minute's rest, another sponging of the head and sip of brandy, and he was able to face his man again. But he was weak from the tremendous battering he had received, and the prize-fighter seemed determined to finish the fight there and then. The pace was getting too hot; the Kid's breaths came and went in hissing gasps. He wanted to knock out his man before the latter's youth, better condition, and extreme quickness could turn the scale against his own greater strength. Grinning viciously, he rushed on his haggard opponent, and Newcome needed all his agility to save himself from the mad fury of the attack. Just at the end of the round the prize-fighter landed a straight right-hander on Newcome's throat, and the young man, lifted from his feet and hurled across the ring, seemed to the excited spectators to have received the knock-out blow which they all had feared must come sooner or later.

Actually the impact of the blow was less severe than it seemed, and Newcome, while appearing to fall like a log, had really practised something like a stage fall. He let it seem that he was badly hurt, allowed his seconds to support him to his chair, and lay back panting, with his eyes closed. No one who looked at him believed that he could go through another round. Macaire, was sulkily disappointed, and Macaire's guests considered the fight practically over.

Newcome was thinking to himself much the same. He knew that he was over-matched in strength, in mere brute hitting power, if not in skill and science; and he bitterly realized that at any instant the end might come. One device only was left to him, and that he resolved to put into practice at once. When time was called he rose languidly, and staggered towards the center of the ring. A pang of pity for a victim pluckily determined to fight it out to the last against desperate odds softened the eyes of the spectators. The Kid's attack seemed irresistible. Exasperated at the long resistance, furious that so many rounds had been fought without victory declaring herself in his favor, he rushed at his young antagonist like an angry bull. But in the passion of the assault the prize-fighter, counting now on certain triumph, relaxed his caution. It was the chance for which Newcome had watched and waited and schemed. Calling on his final reserve of energy, summoning his last ounce of strength, he shot out a clean, tremendous blow, the full weight of the body behind it, and it caught the giant full on the point of his square, resolute jaw. The Kid's hands whirled up helplessly, he fell crashing down, full on his back, his limbs twitching, a low moaning coming from his parted lips. Newcome stood over him, wondering at what he had done, fearing that the giant would rise again to renew the fight, but the time-keeper's monotonous voice crying the seconds from one to ten, while still the prize-fighter lay helpless and unconscious, told his benumbed brain that the victory was his—a victory jealously snatched from the jaws of defeat.

He hardly saw the limp body of his unconscious opponent carried away to the next room. Voices drummed in his ears like the buzzing of bees. Half-dazed still, he realized that Macaire was shaking his hand, that others were crowding near.

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CHAPTER XXVIII.

Hope Newcome's Luck.

The bad news which had prostrated Mrs. Gray just as she had been pronounced out of danger was from Dick. In a reckless moment he had staked most of the money sent by Winifred to buy himself out of the army on a horse concerning which he had had a "sure tip." The horse had disappointed expectations—Dick swore he had been drugged—the money was lost; and Dick was still a wearer of His Majesty's livery instead of being the happy possessor of ten times the original sum sent him as he had hoped.

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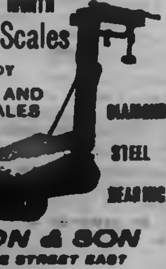

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"Stand right there," said the photographer. "That's it. Now hold still a minute. There you are. Now wait till I finish 'em up."

In a few minutes he handed them each a tintype in a pink paper frame. They looked at the pictures curiously. Then the young woman blushed and her companion grinned and tittered.

"Like 'em?" asked the photographer, briskly, thinking of possible customers in the crowd outside.

"Waal," said the man, slowly, "it looks like her, and I guess it looks like me, but ye see, I didn't know and I guess she didn't know we was goin' to be in the same picture."

"Thought you'd like 'em that way," answered the photographer. "Pleasant souvenir of your visit to the fair together."

"Waal, yes, but you see we didn't come together. I never seen her before."

Then the two snickered, and the photographer bowed them out as quickly as he could.

That year he did a good business, and at the next fair he set up his booth again. One day a young couple came in and greeted him with smiles of doubtful recognition. It was the young man and woman of the year before.

"How do you do?" cried the photographer. "I—I see you know each other now."

"Yes," answered the man, looking sheepishly at the girl. "My folks know some folks of hers over to Hopkins, and when they seen her picture they reco'nised it. An' that's how we got acquainted."

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The Writs Issued

The returning officers for East and West Peterborough, Messrs. B. Morrow and Sheriff Hall, have received writs for the prohibition referendum. They are now busy securing deputy returning officers.

Obituary

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. McCall, of 31 Walnut street, will sympathize with them in the death of their darling daughter, Lottie, who passed away on Monday afternoon, in the 11th year of her age. Interment took place yesterday afternoon in the Little Lake cemetery.

At the Opera House Last Night

Marks' Bros. gave another good entertainment last night. "A Woman's Revenge," is a very interesting society drama, and Marks' Brothers gave a splendid presentation of it. "Larry Brogan's Promotion," for to-night, which was composed expressly for Mr. Ernie Marks, the versatile young comedian.

The Largest Cheque

Yesterday Messrs. J. J. Turner & Son issued a cheque to the Dominion Express Company for 1968.16, in payment of money orders for the month of October. This is the largest payment of the kind that has ever been made to the Express Company in Peterborough, and shows that the Turner establishment is not standing still.

Two Deer Arrive

Mr. H. P. Kennedy, butcher, yesterday received two deers from the north country to be dressed and made into venison. They were sent home by Mr. Thos. Brightman, who, accompanied by his brothers, Messrs. William, Fred and John, is chasing the fleet footed deer near Bobcaygeon.

Cab Smashed

Yesterday about noon Mr. Robert Gibbs' spirited cab team ran away, starting at the corner near Hon. J. R. Stratton's residence and dashing up the street to the corner of George, where one of the horses fell. The front part of the cab was badly wrecked. Mr. Wm. Martin was driving the team when one of the lines broke and he fell over on the tongs and was thrown underneath the cab. Fortunately, he escaped uninjured.

Head Cut

Miss Oliver, whose home is in Northern Ontario, but who is at present visiting her uncle near Springville, was knocked down by a big dog at the corner of George and Charlotte streets yesterday afternoon. The lady received a nasty cut on the head and was badly shaken up. She was helped into Mr. John Giles' store, where, after some little time, she revived and was able to return to her uncle's in the evening.

BIRTHS

RYE—At Toronto, on October 3rd, 1902, the wife of Harold Brooke Rye, Esq., of a son.

COMING TO PETERBOROUGH

Dr. Morgan of Bridgenorth to Become a Resident

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A Jolly Party

A jolly party, composed of Mr. Jack Rose, of the Passenger Department C.P.R., Mr. H. F. Carter, Travelling Passenger Agent Union Pacific, and Mr. John Wright, of the Walker House, Toronto, came down yesterday, and went out to the woods under the chaperonage of Mr. Herb. Snowden, in quest of black squirrels, partridge, wild ducks, tame ducks, wild cats, tame cats, etc. The party spent a pleasant day, and will return to the city this morning.

Another Veteran Laid to Rest

Mr. Jonathan Salisbury, an old and highly esteemed citizen of Cobourg, was consigned to the tomb in that town Monday on the arrival of the train from Toronto. He died in the General Hospital on Friday, and a funeral service was conducted by Rev. M. L. Pearson, on Sunday night, at the residence of deceased's son-in-law, Mr. Churchill Thompson, 37 Bright street. Mr. Salisbury was for many years a prominent business man of Cobourg, and he was also an ardent admirer and supporter of the Cricket and Curling Clubs of that town. He was 73 years of age at time of death. Mr. W. Salisbury, of this town, is a son of the departed, and to him we extend our sympathy.

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Editor of The Times:

Dear Sir.—"Where an author has many beauties consistent with virtue, piety and truth, let not little critics exalt themselves."—Watts.

The fledgeling of the Toronto Evening News with the hermaphrodic name of Frank Lillie Pollock undertakes in that sheet to criticise "Flower legends and other poems" by Miss Alma Frances McCollum, of this town, which have been so favorably commented upon by Dr. Drummond and other famous poets. I do not know whether I should refer to the News caviller as he, she or it, owing to the uncertainty implied by the name, but for the sake of convenience I shall assume that he belongs to the masculine gender, although, no doubt, he thinks he is "it." He certainly is no gentleman, nor does he betray the instincts of a lady in his savage and brutal attack upon the refined and talented author. Once upon a time there lived in this town a colored gentleman who was known as "Black Frank." When he got into a spat with his wife which was of daily occurrence, he would say to her "You're a h—ll of a feller." Does not this would be critic of the News reveal the shadowy form of the late lamented Mrs. "Black Frank?" He is what Artemus Ward called of largebore but of small calibre. His genius takes on the form of an untabulated nervous disease—not exactly hydrophobia—and perhaps after all, he is only a victim of indigestion or some other malady, and is a fair subject for charitable consideration. His murmurs are fitly described by Lord Beaconsfield, when he said, "Tis with feelings as with waters, the shallow murmurs while the deep are dumb." The vaporings of this disgruntled he, she or it, when contrasted with the favorable comments of the best critics, can only serve to accentuate the worth of the poems and to enhance the sale of the book, for no one with any literary taste can fail to detect in these beautiful poems a delicacy of sentiment and beauty of diction unsurpassed in the whole range of Canadian poetry.

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The wife of a groceryman living in Siloam, Mo., says, "I was born with a nervous temperament, and this was increased by my parents giving me coffee when a child, unconscious of its bad effect on my nervous system. In time, a cup of coffee in the morning invariably soured on my stomach, and a single cup at night would make me nervous and wakeful and often cause a distressing heart-burn. Last year I laid in bed all summer with nervous prostration, a complete wreck from coffee drinking. I craved a good, nourishing, hot drink and commenced to use Postum Coffee.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Miss M. Harper, of Norwood, is the guest of her brother, Mr. Jos. B. Harper, Stewart street.

—Rev. W. L. Armitage has gone to his parental home, having received news of the illness of his father.

—Messrs. H. F. Carter, John Wright and Jack Rose, Toronto, are in town, and gave The Times a call. They are registered at the Snowden House.

—Mr. James B. Allen, lately a member of the Princess Theatre orchestra, Toronto, has come to town to reside. He will be a member of the 57th Band, and will add very materially to the strength of that organization.

—The many friends in town of Mr. Arthur Robinson are pleased to see him amongst us again. Mr. Robinson has been pursuing his professional occupation in Berlin for some months. He will remain in town, the guest of his mother, for a few weeks.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The bricklayers have commenced work on the new hockey rink.

—The painting of the two railway gates has been finished.

—Workmen are busily engaged repairing the old bridge at the corner of Aylmer and Brock streets.

—The Congressional elections were held in the United States yesterday, owing to which the stock markets were all closed.

—Mr. Robt. Neill has placed a new granolithic pavement in the rear of his store on the market square.

—A drunk at the police court yesterday contributed $5 to the town's exchequer.

—R. Neill, our enterprising shoe dealer, received fourteen large cases of new boots and shoes yesterday.

—A $175 organ, with eleven stops—as good as new—will be sold for $37.50. This is a snap.

—The Central Milling Company are receiving large quantities of grain via steamers from the vicinity of Bensfort Bridge.

—This is Guy Fawkes' day, and will be remembered in town by a concert in the Foresters hall under the auspices of L.O.L., No. 10.

—The Women's Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A. will meet in the parlors of the association hall this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. All ladies are invited.

Three good boys wanted at The Times office—one to learn bookbinding, one to learn press work and one as messenger in the bookstore.

—A correspondent from Fort William to the Winnipeg Telegram says:—Bishop O'Connor who is on his annual trip of visitation, paid the Catholic bazaar a visit last night, and assisted to make it pleasanter for those who were present.

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CORPSE IN CARD GAME

Gruesome Guest Present For Two Hours While Game Goes on

Quincy Ill., Nov. 3—Wednesday night a dead man sat in a game of cards for two hours in the saloon of James F. Hedrich, at Eighth and Locust streets.

He had taken a seat as a spectator between two of the players, and while the cards were circling about the table he was dealt the cold hand of death. His head sunk forward on his chest and he seemed to be dozing. Once the corpse swayed against one of the players, who pushed it back to an upright posture, with the remark:

"'Brace up, comrade, and have a look at the game."

The man was Fred. W. Reinke, aged 64, a veteran of the civil war, and a resident of the Soldiers' home. As he sat at the table with his white head bowed, his companions thought that he was sleeping.

Two hours after he had taken a seat at the table one of the card players attempted to arouse him to show him an unusually good hand of cards.

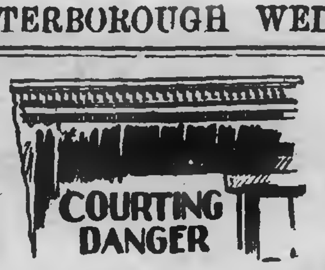
"Wake up! Look at this!" exclaimed the card player.

The player pushed back Reinke's head and held the cards before his face. The open, vacant, staring eyes of a corpse were revealed to the men about the table. They pushed back their chairs horrified.

"Great God!" exclaimed the man with the good hand. "He's dead!"

Chairs were overturned. The cards were scattered upon the floor, and the corpse sank forward against the table.

When Reinke walked into the resort about 5.30 o'clock he told the proprietor's wife that he was sick, and asked her to make him a cup of coffee, and then sat down at a table where a number of men were playing cards. It was his last request on this earth. Mrs. Hedrich told him she would have to boil the coffee first. About a half hour later she sent her 15-year-old daughter Florence, into the room with the coffee. The young woman noticed that his head had dropped to one side, and he had assumed an attitude of one fallen asleep. His comrades brushed against him, and now and then one of them asked him not to crowd. Reinke made no reply. The game went on until 7.30 when Joseph R. Barnaby, one of the men who had been sitting beside him at the table and engaged in cards, attempted to awaken him.



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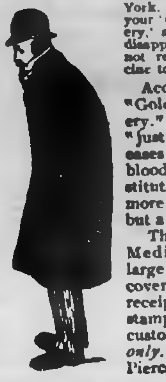

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PAUL KRUGER A PATHETIC FIGURE IN EUROPE

The Old Man Yearns to Return to His Native Country

He Will be Obliged to Take the Oath of Allegiance

Before he is Permitted to Enter South Africa

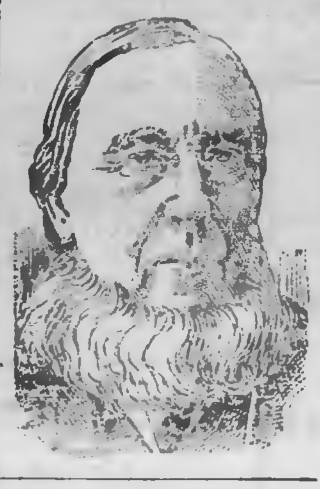
London, Nov. 4—The Post says that Paul Kruger has decided to return to South Africa.

It has been well said that Paul Kruger today presents the most pathetic picture in world politics. Even though he may have been ignorant and avaricious, and untruthful, he had courage, and what no man can deny to have been patriotism. He was badly advised when he left Africa for Europe. But it is hard to advise a man of strong will, who is nearly, if not quite, illiterate.

It is said that the old man is going back to South Africa, and that he will take the oath of allegiance. That he will ever be anything again but a splendid ruin is impossible. He is too old.

But when Kruger accuses Mr. Chamberlain of having been the accomplice of Cecil Rhodes and Jamieson in the raid he is allowing antipathy to darken judgement. A Select Committee of the House of Commons composed of Unionists and Liberals examined into this allegation when it was first made and reported that Mr. Chamberlain—to use the exact words of the committee's report—"had done nothing injurious to his personal honor."

But Paul Kruger will not be blamed for his anger. The friends of lost causes are never especially tolerant of former enemies. It is to be hoped that in South Africa the former President will pass the evening of his days in comfort as a citizen of a prosperous and happy British country.



JAIL FOR W. K. VANDERBILT

Was Sentenced by Paris Court But Isn't There

Paris, Nov. 6—William K. Vanderbilt has been sentenced in default to two days' imprisonment and a fine of 16 francs for recklessly driving his automobile on the Champs Elysees on Sept. 13. Mr. Vanderbilt was informed on that day that he would be prosecuted, but he returned to the United States without noticing the warning, and he was not represented at the trial.

It is stated that his solicitor, who vainly tried to get the case postponed, to enable him to consult with his client will appeal with the view to obtaining the suppression of the imprisonment part of the sentence. If he does not succeed, Mr. Vanderbilt will be liable to arrest on his first appearance in France.

GERMANY'S WAR FLEET AND ITS PURPOSES

To Break Down the Sea Panic of Great Britain the Object

THE UNITED STATES AND ENGLAND ARE ONE

And Will Resent the Efforts of Germany to Control the Seas—Dr Schiemann's Views

New York Nov. 5— The Sun says: A good deal of light on the ultimate aim of the immense additions now making to the German Navy is derivable from a lately published book Deutschland und die Grosse Politik (Germany and International Policy). The author, Prof. Theodor Schiemann is the writer of the articles on foreign politics which distinguish the Kreuz Zeitung, well known as the organ of military and bureaucratic opinion in the German Empire. His articles are not only invested with authority, as representing the beliefs entertained in the most influential German circles, but they are commended by exceptional sobriety and moderation. He commands, therefore, attention and respect when he says frankly that the expansion of the German war fleet which will reach great proportions in 1906, and will have been completed in 1917, is directed, not against the Dual Alliance, much less against the United States, but primarily and mainly against Great Britain.

Before marking what Dr. Schelmann says let us recall the German programme of naval expansion relying for our facts on the Navy Act approved by the Reichstag in 1900 and on statistics subsequently published. It appears from these date that in 1906 Germany will have eighteen battleships of over 10,000 tons apiece, as against fifty-two credited to England, and forty-two belonging at the same date to the Dual Alliance. In 1917, Germany will have in her home fleet, thirty four battleships, all within twenty-five years of age, and eight large cruisers as to which the age limit will be twenty years. She will also have three large cruisers for foreign service, besides four battleships and three large cruisers in reserve We pass over the small cruisers and torpedo boats. We note further, that the Reichstag cut out six large cruisers from the original programme but that it is believed to be the intention of the Imperial Government to demand a reinsertion of these vessels in the programme at an early date. The significance of these figures is that Germany four years hence will be able to hold the balance of naval power between Great Britain and the Dual Alliance and that by 1917 she will have attained a far more formidible position as a sea power.

Now, the official explanation of the the German Navy is that it is needed to the German Navy is that it is needed in order to protect Germany's colonial possessions. Let us see whether the value of these possessions justifies the vast expenditure contemplated. According to official statistics published in 1902, the total number of Germans residing in German transmarine possessions is 4,068 out of a total white population of 6,067. The total exports to Germany from German East Africa, German Southwest Africa, the Cameroons and Togoland in 1900 were about $380,000 and their imports from Germany were less than $1,400,000. The estimated cost of administration in these dependencies in 1902 exceeded $6,250,000. The imports from New Guinea, the Carolines, the Marianne, Marshall and Pelew Islands are computed at less than $670,000 and the exports at less than $400,000. For Samoa the imports are $536,500 and the exports $324,500. The trade figures for Kiao-Chou are not before us, but the expenditure on the harbor and other works for 1902 is computed at upward of $2,000,000. The insignificance of these colonial possessions from a commercial viewpoint is so obvious that the creation of an enormous navy for their defence will be at once recognised as ridiculous.

Dr Schiemann wastes no time on the official explanation of the purpose of Germany's new navy. In an article published in 1899 when the Kaiser's naval programme was under discussion, an article now reprinted, he took the same ground which was occupied by Dr. Lieber, the leader of the Centrist party who advocated the new naval programme in the cause of a "solid continent" (Feste Europa) against the Anglo-Saxon race. After pointing out that England has driven the Spaniards and the French out of America, the French, the Portugese and the Dutch out of India and the Dutch out of South Africa and Australia, Dr. Schiemann insisted that she obstructs the colonial designs of Germany in Afrika and Asia. For this reason he held that the German Government had only discharged its imperative duty in bringing forward a naval programme which should "make it possible in the future for Germany to protect her national honor against the ill will of her neighbors, whether by thrust or parry." The context shows that by "neighbors" the writer means England alone, and the phrase "thrust or parry" manifestly suggests offensive, as well as defensive, operations.

The whole purport of the book 'Deutschland und die Grosse Politik,' is that just as Germany joined hands with Russia and France to rob Japan of the Liao Tung peninsula so she is likely to join the Dual Alliance whenever she sees a fair chance of breaking down the sea power of Great Britain. What Dr. Schiemann does not perceive, however, is the effect of the disclosure of Germany's intentions on the United States. He should have foreseen that the revelation must tend powerfully to impel it toward a friendly understanding with Great Britain. Now, let us admit, for the sake of argument, that the primary purpose of Emperor William's naval programme is to overthrow England's preponderance at sea, and that Germany, by a combination with France and Russia, might carry that purpose to fulfillment It is patent that, in such an event, we should be powerless to avert the conquest of South America by the Powers of Continental Europe, even if we could manage to protect our own seaports from attack.

Forewarned is forearmed. It would be folly for us to remain impassive spectators of an attempt on hte part of Continental Europe to annihilate England's naval preponderance, since such annihilation would be quickly followed by a refusal to recognize the Munro Doctrine as a shield of South American independence. The formulation of that doctrine was due almost as much to George Canning as to James Monroe, and, alone of the European Powers, Great Britain has never opposed the enforcement of the principle of the policy; nay, has submitted to it when her own interests seemed threatened in the Venezuela boundary dispute.

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LIVING IN SOUTH AFRICA

Rents and Food Have Steadily Increased In Last Twenty Years

London, Nov. 4.—The high cost of living in South Africa, and more particularly at the Cape, is a much discussed question at the present moment. During the last twenty years rents and the price of all necessities of life in Cape Colony have steadily increased, and the same may be said, mutatis mutandis of every other part of South Africa According to some authorities the change is chiefly due to the operation of an unscientific tariff, and the proof of this statement is found in the fact that the cost of living in Durban, which was comparatively small before Natal entered the Customs Union, is now nearly as high as in Cape Town. Others believe that the high prices are due to the fact the meat trade is a monopoly (a monopoly only partially broken down by the efforts of the late Mr. Rhodes to bring about free competition), and, by way of providing truth of their assertion, point out that the suspension of the meat duty did not lower the prices either of the imported or the home-grawn commodity. Others, again, refuse to accept either of these explanations, seeing that the prices of local products, such as Cape wine and Table Bay or Kalk Bay fish, have steadily advanced since the diamonds of Kimberley and the gold of the Rand were discovered. Time was when snoek (the standby of the poor Cape Colonist, who was known generally as a "snoek eater" by the meat-eating Natalian) were sold for a penny apiece; now two or three shillings is not an uncommon price for a specimen of these fish. Cape wines which cost sixpence a bottle now cost eighteenpence, and all sorts of farm and garden produce have gone up in price to a still greater extent. When it is considered that the development of South Africa's mineral resources has proceeded more rapidly than that of her agricultural possibilities the solution of the general economic problem is evident. But it is not easy to say how it comes about that prices in the Cape peninsula are as high as they were in 1901, despite the return of thousands of refugees to the Rand and of thousands of British and Colonial soldiers to their homes.

GENERAL TORAL INSANE

Surrendered Santiago de Cuba to the American Forces

Madrid, Nov. 6.—General Toral has become insane at Murica. It will be remembered that General Toral surrendered Santiage de Cuba to the American forces in July 1898.

NOT AFTER LORENZO MARQUIS

Rumor of British Negotiations Is Officially Denied

London, Nov. 6.—Replying to a question in the House of Commons to-day Viscount Cranborne, Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, said no negotiations were proceeding for securing British management of the harbor of Delagoa Bay, Portuguese East Africa, and the railway from Lorenzo Marques to the Transvaal.

CHINA SATIFIES BRITAIN

Missionaries' Murderers Punished and Naval Demonstration is Abandoned

Shanghai, Nov. 6.—Owing to the fact that the Chinese Government has finaly acceded to the demands of Great Britain for the punishment of the officials of Chenchoufour, Province of Honan, who were concerned in the murder last August of Missionaries Bruce and Lewis, the threatened British naval demonstration on the Yangtse Kiang has been abandoned.

COMBINES NEW SHIPS

Conference of Managers to be Held In London This Week

Belfast, Nov. 6.—A conference will be held in London this week by the managers of the American shipping combine. Mr. Carlisle, the manager of Harland & Wolff's shipyard, has been summoned to attend the conference.

It is understood the discussions will be in relation to the construction of big ocean liners for the International Mercantile Marine Company.

POWER FROM NIAGARA FALLS

Western Towns to be Supplied With Electric Power

Woodstock, Nov. 5.—The Reformer says that Galt manufacturers have organized themselves into an Electric Power committee for means of securing this power from Nigara Falls. An effort will be made to place 50,000 horse power in the district comprising Brantford, Paris, Galt, Preston, Hespeler, Berlin, Guelph, Waterloo, Baden, Ingersoll, New Hamburg, Stratford London, and Woodstock. The approximate rate is placed at $15 a horse power.

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The Douks in a Blizzard

Cold Win and Fall of Snow Catches the Pilgrims on Their March

Winnipeg, Nov. 4.—The Free Press has the following this morning from its special correspondent with the Doukhobors:

Fort Warren, Man., Nov. 4.—A new factor has entered into the Doukhobor problem. Nature, which since the commencement of the pilgrimage has smiled on the fanatics, has now changed its mood. Many times the searchers for the Son of God have asserted that He would give them sunny skies under which to travel during their quest. There would be no winter, they said, while they were on the march. The superb weather of the past two months, during which the preliminary visits were made from one Doukhobor community to another, and for the past week, during which they have commenced their lifelong journey, has certainly seemed to bear out their prediction. Last night nature executed a volte-face. After a perfect morning heavy clouds banked up from the west. The wind grew hourly more bitter and keen, and by five o'clock was a nipping north-easter. A little before six snow began to fall, and by nine o'clock the earth lay white under three inches of snow. It is falling more heavily than ever as I send this despatch, and gives every indication of continuing all night. This sudden contradiction of all their predictions and the acute discomfort which the pilgrims must be enduring, may do what reason and persuasion have failed to accomplish.

The pilgrims' condition, lying unprotected on the snowy waste, exposed to all the inclemency of a November storm in Manitoba, would move the pity of the most [illegible]. The main body, some 460 strong, are huddled in a willow scrub at the bottom of Stony Creek. Fires have been lighted. The steep sides of the deep gulch can be dimly seen through driving snow mist. The mourning chanting of their marching song rises weakly from one little group. Away towards Snake Creek can be heard the long drawn yelp of the coyote. The wailing of the storm, and the thin rustling of the drifting snow, are the only other sounds heard. One shudders to think of the consequences to the eleven hundred women and children to-night warmly sheltered in Yorkton, if exposed to the same rigors as are being endured by their fathers, husbands and brothers.

One of the most picturesque spectacles to be seen along the line of march is the meals of the pilgrims. Today I watched them as they took their midday meal at Binscarth. They unpacked their blankets and spread them on the ground in three continuous and parallel lines. The donations of food made by the Binscarth citizens were given to several men to distribute. The whole concourse stood reverently bareheaded and bowed while a prayer was recited and a short chant sung. Then the companies sat on the prarie. The meal would not have tempted the appetite of an epicurean. Dry oatmeal was the staple article of diet. It was poured by the attendant pilgrims in little heaps about four feet apart on the blankets that served as tablecloths. Salt, also given by the citizens, was sprinkled on the heaps of oatmeal, and the pilgrims helped themselves therefrom.

A few carried little cloths of the size of handkerchiefs, which they had filled when en route with prarie rosebuds. There were passed around and partaken of by all. The meal lasted about an hour, and the amount of oatmeal had to be twice replenished by the generosity of the Binscarth merchants. When hunger had been satisfied, the whole concourse repaired to the back-yards of the residences, and the pumps were kept busy for fifteen minutes quenching the thirst of the throng.

Half a mile east of Binscarth is Silver Creek, a wide and deep valley trenching through the prarie. It is one of the most beautiful spots in the Province, and the view of the advancing host winding its slow way down its steep tree-clad side was a spectacle worth going far to see. At the little stream the pilgrims halted. Many bathed their faces. Then the party divided itself in two nearly equal portions, about fifteen feet apart. One of them started a psalm, in which all joined fervently. Then another stepped forward and commenced the chanting of a creed, or some verse from Scripture, all, as before, repeating them with the leader. Then the party bowed three times, the foreheads touching the dust with each salutation, the other party doing likewise. This concluded their mid-day devotions.

Marks Bros. At the Opera House

Marks' Bros. No. A 1 Company presented the sensational comedy drama, "Larry Brogan's Promotion," to standing room only at opera house last night, when the clever young comedian, Ernie Marks, in the title role, sustained his character in a creditable manner. Miss Katherine Standish, the new leading lady of Marks' Bros. Company, appeared to good advantage in the part of Grace Dinsmore, while the balance of the cast were all good.

THE DRYING OF PEAT FUEL

Some Processes Which are Employed in Germany

Mr Frank H Mason, Consul-General of the United States at Berlin, Germany, has recently made a report on the manufacture of briquettes from brown coal, carbonized peat, coal dust, etc., used as domestic and steam fuel in Berlin and other German cities. The following from the report in reference to the drying of peat will be of interest here, that being one of the chief difficulties encountered in the manufacture of that substance into fuel:

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STATEMENT PRESENTED

The Linton Bank Financiers Explained

No Audit Made but the Representatives of the Cheese Factories Report the Result of their Examinations

The representatives of the different cheese factories interested in the Linton Bank failure, have presented the following report.

Everything done has been entirely without prejudice to the claims of any creditor and with a view to obtain for the creditors, all available assets without law costs.

No audit of the books has been made, but from verified and accepted balances of accounts we find the liabilities of the Lakefield branch are $24,334.31, while the assets are $1,224.63 cash and about $12,833.20 in notes, of which about $5,000.00 are said to be utterly worthless.

In addition to this it is said that about $5,000 worth of notes which had been held by the Traders' Bank in Port Hope, as collateral security, was withdrawn from said bank by Mr. Benson, the late manager, a few days before he left and no trace of them has been found.

The books of the Orono branch are not presented, but a statement submitted by Mr. Linton, showed the liabilities at Orono, to be $3,730, while the assets are $4,300 cash and $6,151.90 in notes said to be good.

The total liabilities are therefore $28,061.31, while the total assets supposed to be good are $16,500.13.

Mr Linton deposited assets in the Traders' Bank, Lakefield, in trust for his creditors. The creditors receive at once 30 per cent. of their claims, and it is expected that in about three weeks they will receive a further dividend of 20 per cent. or such sum as may then be available, and the balance of assets as soon as they can be realized upon.

It will then be in order for Mr. Linton and his creditors to arrange for the balance of their claims.

We think it but fair to say that while we feel that Mr. Linton seriously erred in exposing his creditors to such serious loss, by not verifying his late manager's bank statement by proper monthly audits of his books, we have neither seen nor found anything, so far, which would in the least degree reflect upon Mr. Linton's honor or honesty, and he seems to be doing all in his power to satisfy his creditors. We beg to express the hope that they continue to exercise patience until something may be ascertained re those missing notes or until Mr. Linton is able to make a statement regarding his ability to meet the balance of their claims.

We desire also to say that we feel the thanks and the gratitude of the creditors are due to Messrs. W. H. Casement and J. M. Kilbourn, whose assistance has been of great value in the settlement of this matter, but who certainly receive neither more nor less out of the concern than the rest of us.

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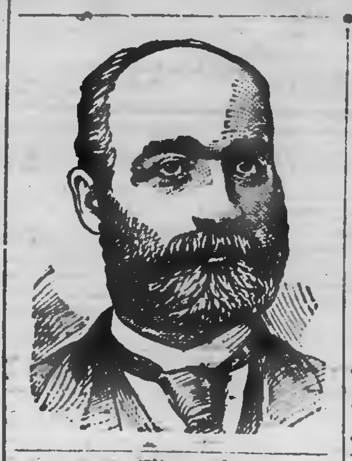

The Popular Ontario Minister gets the Vacant Portfolio

While Mr. Prefontaine is to Become Minister of Marine and Fisheries

Ottawa, Nov. 5.—Hon. James Sutherland, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, is to succeed the Hon. Mr. Tarte as Minister of Public Works, his present portfolio going to Mr. Prefontaine, of Montreal. Mr. Sutherland is now regarded as one of the strong men of the Cabinet, and no more popular appointment was ever made by the Government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Mr. Sutherland is no stranger to the Public Works Department, having been acting Minister while Mr. Tarte was in Europe.

Mr. Sutherland is a man of the people, understanding their wants and wishes thoroughly, and having a splendid grasp of the public affairs. His whole official life and his private one as well, has been characterized by stability, honor and hard work

Ontario, and the whole Dominion, we believe, will hail with delight the appointment of Hon. James Sutherland as Minister of Public Works.

THE MINE WORKERS AND THE COMMISSION

Investigation as to the Conditions Going Steadily on

MITCHELL MAKES A STATEMENT

And Turns Over the Miners' Side of the Strike to the Commissioners

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Nov. 6— President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers delivered his report to the Strike Arbitration Commissioners at 6 o'clock this evening. It was taken to Scranton by Walter E. Weyl, acting as special messenger for Mr. Mitchell. Mr. Weyl aided in compiling the report on which he and Mr. Mitchell have been working for some days. Mr. Mitchell was asked what the nature of the report is,

"I cannot say that," he answered. "It is now the property of the commission and if the gentlemen desire to make it public they may do so."

The commission will hold a meeting to-morrow in Hazelton to decide whether the report shall be published. Mr. Mitchell said he would be present when the commission meets in Scranton on Nov. 14, to take testimony. With him will be associated Mr. Weyl's attorney Clarence Darrow, of Chicago. He will be present at each session of the commission thereafter where testimony is heard or argument made.

The commission will reach Hazelton this morning early, going there during the night in sleeping cars. They will be met by President Duffy, of the Mine Workers and by the operators of the regions and will be escorted to the various mines and strippings which are selected by the operators and Mine Workers as representative of the region. Owing to the fact that 9,000 of the Mine Workers of that region are still on strike the commission will investigate closely the conditions and causes of the strike. The Mine Workers' officials are very hopeful that with the new evidence they have to present the commissioners will be impressed with the belief that the operators are blacklisting the men who are prominent during the strike and refusing to take them to work, although they need hands.

One of the locals attached to the Hazel No. 40 colliery will ask for a special ruling in the case of sixty members of the local whom the operators have refused to reinstate. The commissioners have not yet passed upon the questions of what they will do. It is the intention this week to follow the same line of investigation as last week, spending two days in the Hazleton region and two days in the southern region, this time being considered enough to warrant an examination of those mines which are typical of the region.

The 2,000 Mine Workers employed by the Kingston Coal Company are awaiting anxiously the action of the company regarding the two check-weighmen who were discharged yesterday and for whose re-instatement to-morrow they have asked. Unless they are taken back the local will meet to consider the advisability of striking.

CHEERED THE SOLDIERS.

Mount Carmel, Pa., Nov. 5.—A big crowd collected at the Northern Central station to-night and gave the Sixteenth Regiment a cordial good-by. There are now no troops on guard in any part of this region, and the authorities feel there will be no collisions between union and non-union men.

REPUBLICANS VICTORIOUS

Democrats Made Large Gains—Slumps in New York City

New York, Nov. 5.—The result of the elections held yesterday in forty-two States of the Union assure the Republicans of a majority of from ten to sixteen in the House of Representatives being somewhat of a gain for the Democrats. The Democrats made tremendous gains in Greater New York, carrying the city by 119,000, but Odell (Republican), increased his majority above the the Bronx sufficient to allow him to carry the State.

The Republicans have carried Ohio, Pennsylvania, Michigan, Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Jersey, Washington and Wisconsin. In the South the Democrats have made their usual run, electing their entire ticket in practically over state below the Mason and Dixon line. Kentucky and Missouri also going Democrat. Bryan's State, Nebraska, is still uncertain, with the chances of a Democratic Governor being elected.

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DEFEATED FOUR TIMES BUT NOT DISMAYED

Sir J. Gordon Spigg's Colonial Defence Scheme Rejected

London, Nov. 5.—A correspondent at Cape Town telegraphs that Sir Gordon Sprigg, Premier, made a pitiful but futile appeal for the passage of his scheme for colonial defence. His defeat, the fourth and most serious this session, would under ordinary circumstances, mean the resignation of the Government. Sir John, however, says the correspondent, is too fond of office to take this step, though even his supporters think it shameful that he should not resign after this last vote.

London, Nov. 5.—It is understood says a Paris correspondent, that the French Government will deal with religious orders by separate bills for each order, but there will be a general introduction for each class, such as teaching, preaching, and other orders, so as to enable the Chamber of Deputies to group classes in debate. The correspondent adds that the Bishop of Autun has gratefully declined the offer of his priests to pay out of their own pockets his stipend which has been suspended by the Government. He says he is unwilling to draw on their scanty resources, and trusts that Providence will not allow him to lack the necessaries of life.

London, Nov. 5.—A Rome correspondent says that the Vatican has instituted a commission of cardinals as expert advisers for the promotion of Biblical studies in a manner free from error and rashness. The commission must be guided by the church, which alone is declared competent to deal with such questions, and must examine all available ancient texts.

WEATHER NOTES

Thursday—Stormy.

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GERMANY AT SEA

Some of the comments in the German press upon the Anglo-American shipping combine and the British Government's subsidy to the Cunard Line are both instructive and interesting. Thus the Kreuz Zeitung, of Berlin, points out that Germany is in no financial position to pursue a policy of rival subsidies. "We have more immediate and more pressing obligations," it says, "that the maintenance for the North Atlantic, of a standard of freights which secures for shareholders a dividend of from 6 to 8 per cent." The Kolnische Volkszeitung also discusses the difficulties of the situation. It maintains, indeed, that the subventions which the Hamburg-American Line receives are not for the North Atlantic traffic, but for carrying the German mails, and for the support of its steamship services to South Africa, and East Asia, which do not pay Nevertheless, it remarks, the German Atlantic Company would gladly accept Government subsidies if they could get them. But a generous policy of subsidies is quite out of the question. The Kolnische Volkszeitung then proceeds to say:—"The question arises whether we have not too loudly and too pompously proclaimed the objects of our ambition. Many publications of the German Navy League and of the Pan-Germans, and, in fact, declarations which have been made in authoritative quarters, have led the English and the Americans to believe, or have, at least, given them occasion to assert, that it is our ambition to achieve naval supremacy on the Atlantic Ocean. In our opinion it would be very desirable that we should act prudently when we have to do with such rich rivals as John Bull and Uncle Sam.

INVESTIGATING THE COAL PROBLEM

The Anthracite Coal Commission—that is the official title of the investigating and arbitrating committee appointed by the President—is going to begin operations on Thursday by going through the the mines and understanding the conditions as they prevail there.

This is a very sensible thing to do. Before intricate questions are raised—and they will be raised on both sides—it is positively necessary that the investigators should have an intimate knowledge of their ground. They can get it only by personal and painstaking inquiries.

The general public knows very little about the merits of the controversy, which resulted in the long strike. They have read that the men want more wages shorter hours, a change in the method of weighing coal for the mining of which they are paid, and so on. On the other hand, the companies have given out elaborate statements to show that the companies cannot afford to raise the rates; that the corporatons are not making large profits—indeed, that some are making little or nothing, and that various operators have been forced into bankruptcy in the recent past.

What the public does know is that coal is a commodity which it must have; that strikes are disastrous. And what it wants is that there shall be such a community of interests between employer and employe as will make those too-frequently recurring disagreements impossible in the future.

The commission is giving evidence at the outset of an intention to go into the whole coal problem in a thorough manner. That is well. It is also gratifying that there no longer exists any misunderstanding between the miners and the operators as to the course of procedure of the commission. The operators will testify and Mr. Mitchell will plead the cause of the men. But beyond the arguments, facts must be obtained from original sources. These the commission will procure in its own way we have no doubt, nor do we doubt that the arbitrators will settle the great question before them according to strict justice to all, as they see it. Meanwhile the people, through the daily reports of the proceedings will be able to study the coal problem for themselves.

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DISTRICT NEWS

APSLEY.

The hunting season is on and we know it back here. Parties commenced coming in last Wednesday, 29th Oct., and up to date they are still coming, bound for their different camping grounds with innumerable hounds, rifles and shot guns, of every description; also the regulation buttermilk tank, without which no camping outfit is considered complete. The Beaver Lodge go into camp Monday, 3rd inst. General Don Clinton had the misfortune while repairing a crossway on the road leading to their camp to get a very severe cut on his foot, which will make it awkward for him to get around, but says he will go even if both feet were off. Spike got the hunting fever Saturday, 1st inst., that he could not resist trying his luck south of the village and succeeded in capturing a fine doe after firing ten shots, 6 of which took effect in its neck and shoulder. He drove it into a thick cedar swamp and despatched it with a club.

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KEENE.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Soucie, of St. Ignace, Mich., and Miss Kate Soucie, of Geneseo, N.Y., are visiting Mrs. Soucie at present.

—Messrs. Bert McIntyre and Bert Howson arrived home from Manitoba on Friday last.

—Hallowe'en passed off without much damage being done.

—Mr. Thomas Laing, has sold out his blacksmith business to Mr. John Bennett of Mather's Corners.

—Dr. Harrison was in Cobourg on Monday attending the funeral of his uncle.

—Several cattle buyers have been through this section lately, buying up all the young cattle.

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This disaster had been kept from Winifred, "lest it should worry her;" and because the poor little invalid had had to worry all alone she had slipped back almost to death's door. Had she dreamt of her daughter's new trouble in Brighton she would probably have died outright; but she had not been well enough even to read the cautious letter sent by the girl from Mrs. Purdy's. And meanwhile things had mended with Dick, though exactly why a certain piece of luck had come his way remained a mystery.

A lieutenant in his regiment, indifferent, even overbearing, before, had suddenly appeared to take a fancy to him; and on learning through questions that Dick was the brother of Miss Gray, the actress, invited further confidences, and finally lent the young private the money necessary to procure his freedom.

All this had happened before Winifred ventured out of her hiding-place to boldly return home, where she found Dick already established, and very little ashamed to tell the tale of his folly, his misfortune, and his rescue.

The end of the story alarmed Winifred. Not only was her pride hurt that the brother for whom she had worked so hard in vain should be under obligations to a stranger impossible at present to repay, but she was pricked with fear lest Macaire's hand had been in the business. For the officer who had come to Dick's aid was said not to be rich; indeed, Dick informed her as part of the mystery that the young man was supposed to be deeply in debt.

The girl could do nothing, however, towards repaying the loan. The money she had left from her anonymous present must be used for her mother and for current expenses, which were increased by Dick's presence at home. Again the weary struggle to find an engagement began; but, though the law suit she feared was not begun, the affair in Brighton, from the enemy's point of view, was known far and wide in theatrical circles, and the few managers wishing to engage actresses did not want Miss Winifred Gray.

She had been exactly a fortnight in London when a new blow fell. The officer who had lent Dick the money for his discharge wrote that he must ask for immediate repayment, as he found himself in unexpected difficulties. Previously he had assured the young fellow that he might pay when he liked, or not at all—it mattered nothing to him.

Winifred, to whom Dick instantly came with the letter, was at her wits' end. There was no one whose advice or help she could ask. Her mother must not be told, and Dick had shown himself worse than a child in business affairs. She thought of Hope Newcome, as she had thought many times during the past two weeks, with a grieved pang because, though in London, he had never called or even written. She did not want material help from him, but poor and shabby and down on his luck as he was, her feeling for him was such as a damsel of old might have cherished for a knight who has ridden up and rescued her from murderous thieves in the forest. He had none of this world's goods; but of courage, and strength, and chivalry he had more than any man she had ever known; and just to talk with him of her troubles as they had talked when they were "partners," under their masks, would have been like having a strong staff to lean upon in her weariness.

It was late one afternoon that she sat thinking of Hope Newcome, wondering why he had kept away, and whether he had already forgotten. She had Dick's letter from the officer in her hand, and had been trying to concoct an answer, until the image of Hope Newcome had beckoned her thoughts to a distance. Darkness was falling, but gas cost money, which Winifred had not to spend. When Dick came in they would have a lamp; but Dick had gone down to Fleet street directly after their luncheon of bread and milk, hoping to place a story he had written and had not yet come home.

Suddenly the sound of the door-bell broke into her thoughts. It did not ring very often now, for the girl who had been billed so brazenly for Mazeppa was in disgrace with her friends. Since she had returned from Brighton no one had called to see her.

Winifred's nerves were now in such a state that when anything unexpected happened she was frightened, and her heart beat fast. Suppose a man with a "summons" against her for breach of contract had come at last? Suppose Dick had got himself into some new dilemma, and she were to hear of it now? She had been with her mother in Welbeck street that morning, staying as long as the nurse allowed; but supposing word had come of another relapse?

There was no servant in the little flat in these days. Winifred did all the work herself; and it was part of her work to answer the bell. She went to the door now, in the half-darkness, quivering and throbbing with vague terrors of what she might have to see or hear.

But there on the threshold stood Hope Newcome, and her relief was so intense that she gave a little cry of joy and held out both hands.

"Oh, partner, it's you!" she exclaimed. "I'm so glad!"

He caught her hands and gripped them tightly—so tightly that it hurt; but Winifred was in a mood to be glad of such a hurt as this.

"You've been a long time in remembering your promise," she said, suddenly, feeling confused, and thankful for the darkness that hid her eyes and cheeks. "But come in. I'm sorry my brother's out. Perhaps, though, he will be here presently."

With such conventional words she led him into the drawing-room—a very different room from that in which they had had their talks at Mrs. Purdy's, yet only a mockery in its dainty grace to the emptiness of the family purse.

"Did you really believe I hadn't remembered?" Newcome asked, in an odd, tense voice, as if he were keeping back an army of words eager to press forward.

"What else could I believe? Unless that you were too busy." She had her back to him, and was busily lighting a lamp on the table. It was so dark that they had hardly seen each other yet; still, she did not appear to be hurrying over her task.

"Busy! As if being busy would have kept me away from you, after you had said I might come. No, it wasn't that. Mayn't I light the lamp for you?"

In a moment the room was full of light. She must look at him now, and meet his eyes; which she turned to do, with the begining of a smile; but the smile changed to surprise before it had reached perfection.

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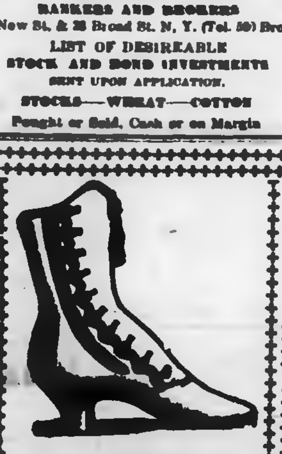

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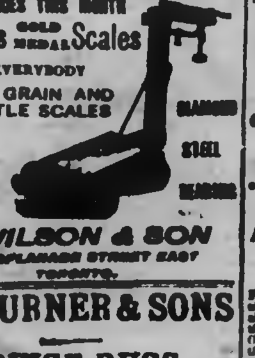

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More About Earnings

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Bakersfield, Cal., Sept. 27.—J. Pierpont Morgan is about to identify himself with the oil business in California. On October 12, or a few days later, surveyors will be put into the field, and will run lines to the ocean from Sunset, Coaling, McKittrick, Midway and Kern River fields to determine by which route it is most feasible to transport oil to tide water. The surveys will run over the coast range at a number of points, and also will go down the San Joaquin valley parallel with the line of the Standard.

A company having a capitalization of $5,000,000 has been organized for the construction of lines, pumping stations, storage tanks, and the like. *Mr. Morgan and his associates have also* formed a separate company, capitalized at $20,000,000, half of which will be invested in proven ground and the other half turned into a reserve fund.

It is stated that the Morgan syndicate will be prepared to handle 2,000,000 barrels the first year, and will increase that amount at the rate of 1,000,000 a year until the whole demand of the market is met.

THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY own and control a large tract of absolutely oil proven asphalt land in the very heart of the best oil producing land of **Kern County, California**, the district where flowing wells are situated. We have a **bed of Liquid Asphalt** underlying a portion of our lands. Our property is situated right at Sunset Station. A new line of railway is surveyed and will be constructed in a very short time, putting us not only in touch with Eastern cities, but in touch with tide-water. This, in addition to the railroad facilities we now have. Remember that we own our land—it is paid for and entirely free from debt.

ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL CO.'S GIGANTIC TRACT

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"This is to certify that the undersigned, Dr. Rudolph J. Schimper, Chemist expert, member of Parisian Academy, according to analysis made from the crude oil furnished me by the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company, I find the following valuable products and with each beg to submit my estimate of its value:

1. LIQUID RUBBER—2000 lbs of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 1,200 lbs. of liquid rubber, value of which is from 25c. per lb. and up. (Estimated value $450.00.)
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3. FUEL BRIQUETTES—2000 lbs. of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 2,000 lbs. (1 ton) of fuel briquettes, which, according to government tests made, is equivalent to two tons of best anthracite coal. (Estimated value $22.00)
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5. SOAP—2000 lbs. (1 ton) of crude oil and filling will produce over 2,000 lbs. of soap, value 3c. per lb. and upward. (Estimated value $60.00.)

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MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS should be paid to the stockholders of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company when their property is fully developed, their refinery equipped and in full operation. ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS was paid by Kern County Oil Companies during the month of August alone.

SIX MILLION BARRELS is the consuming capacity of the Southern Pacific Railway engines, which are now equipped for burning oil. Outside of this consider other railway lines, smelters, factories, steamships, stationery engines, which are all heavy consumers of fuel oil and last but not least, hotels and private dwellings are falling in line with the procession in the use of fuel oil.

A GOOD REASON WHY YOU Should Invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. More fortunes have been made in oil than any other business. Consider the immense amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for its fortunate stockholders, and the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard Oil Company. Here is what $100 has accomplished for those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:

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Dillon returned $2,500 on an investment of $100.
New York returned $30,000 on an investMent of $100.
Union returned $150,000 on an investment of $100.
Home returned $60,000 on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Company's oil holdings and property, when developed and handled, should not bring like returns

CONTRARY to the general supposition the earth is the repository of all mineral wealth. When it is known and demonstrated beyond a question of a doubt where its wealth reposes and you put your money up to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people but creates new wealth. It is therefore an investment.

Wonderful Increase in Value of Oil Stocks.

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Central Oil Co.	.30	1.50
Home Oil Co. Whittier	.25	2.50
Monte Cristo Co.	.30	2.50
West Shore Co.	.30	4.50
Twenty-eighth Oil Co.	.30	2.50
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	.30	1.90
Sterling Oil & Development Company	.30	2.25
Dillon Oil Co.	.25	[illegible]
Peerless Co.	.30	[illegible]
San Joaquin Oil Co.	.30	16.00
Kern Oil Co	.25	10.00
Thirty-three Oil Co.	.25	12.50
Kern River Oil Co.	.30	[illegible]
New York Oil Co.	.30	30.00
Oil City Petroleum Co.	2.50	[illegible]
Hanford Oil Co	2.00	120.00
Kreyenhagen Oil Co.	.10	[illegible]
Columbia Oil Co.	100.00	[illegible]
Union Oil Co.	1.00	[illegible]
Home Oil Co.	100.00	[illegible]

The time will come in the near future when stock in St. Paul and Sunset Oil Co., should bring prices equal to the last.

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Guy Fawkes Celebration

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Sprained His Ankle

Yesterda a man named Ryan, employed on the dam that is being built for the Cereal Works, missed his footing, and fell a distance of twenty-five feet into the mould. Luckily he alighted on his feet and escaped with a sprained ankle.

Hunters Return

Messrs. Clem. Gordon and R. M. Roy returned from a few days' hunting in the vicinity of Jack's Lake. Mr. Roy brought home a number of wild duck. The others who went with the two gentlemen named above will remain a few days longer in the north, and no doubt will come home loaded with game.

Cheese Shipment

Two heavily loaded cars of cheese were shipped from this point via G.T.R. yesterday. There were 61 boxes in all, which were the product of the Bensfort, Mt. Pleasant, Central Smith, Missing Link and East Emily factories. Mr. J. S. Kerr was the buyer for Mr. Alexander, of Montreal. The sum of $510,000 has already been paid out for cheese to factories surrounding Peterborough, and there is still large quantities to be sold.

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Persons desiring to petition the said Council against undertaking the said proposed work must do so on or before the 8th day of December, 1902.

Dated the 5th day of November, 1902.

S. R. ARMSTRONG,
Town Clerk.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature either by phone or in writing.—(Ed. Times.)

—His Honor Judge Edmison is home from a visit to Toronto

—Mr. E. W. Squires, of Wordstock, was noticed in town yesterday.

—Mr. Wm. Bradburn is home from the North-West. He enjoyed his trip very much.

—Mr and Mrs Jaffries (nee Miss Katie Ferguson) left yesterday for Cincinnati, where they will reside in future.

—Rev. Father Fitzpatrick, of Ennismore, was in town yesterday and called on friends who were all pleased to greet the genial priest.

—Mayor Denne and Mrs. Denne went to Toronto yesterday, combining business with pleasure. We hope they will enjoy themselves.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jeffrey, who recently returned from their wedding tour, received their numerous friends at the lady's father's residence on Tuesday. A delightful time is reported.

—Rev. Father Coty, of St. Mary's church, Hamilton, and Rev. Father Hueson, of the Oblat Order, in the North-West, were guests at the Rectory on Tuesday.

—Dr. Robinson, V.S., who was tossed out of a buggy sometime ago, and who has been confined to his house ever since from the injuries received, was out for the first time yesterday.

—Miss Agnes Dickson, secretary of the Y.W.C.A., left yesterday on a few days' visit to her parents, at Fenelon Falls. Mrs. Lewis, the late secretary, will take charge of the work during Miss Dickson's absence.

—Miss Thompson, who came here from Orillia, has severed her connection with the Peterborough Business College, and gone to Brockville to assume a position as teacher in the College of that town. She made many friends while in Peterborough.

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Matthews Company are putting in electric power.

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—Prof. Robertson is expected to deliver an address at the next meeting of the South Monaghan Cheese Board, which is to be held on Nov. 11th.

—Eight carloads of marl taken from Lily Lake, passed through on the G.T.R. yesterday, consigned to the Lakefield Cement Company.

—The Peterborough Bible Society's annual meeting will be held in George street Methodist church on Wednesday evening, Nov. 12th, at 8 p.m.

Three good boys wanted at The Times office—one to learn bookbinding, one to learn press work and one as messenger in the bookstore.

—Pedestrians found it difficult to wade through the numerous baby carriages and dogs on George street yesterday afternoon, and many accidents were narrowly averted.

—St. Paul's church Young Men's Guild will meet on Friday evening, Nov. 14th, when Mr. A. C. McCallum will read a very interesting essay on "How to draw a straight line."

—Mr. E. M. Best, who came to town from Brantford about six months ago, has a large range of stoves and tinware in his store on Hunter street. Although only a young man, he appears to be business from the word go.

The Peterborough Rugby Club will hold a ball in the Opera House on Tuesday evening, December 2nd. Of course it is sure to be a grand success, as everything else is that the Club takes in hand.

—A number of large trees in the Court house park are being cut down, as they have become too numerous and interfere with the growth of the grass in springtime.

—Mrs. Lang, an elderly resident of Water street, received a severe blow on the side of the head yesterday from a football kicked by a young lad. The same day a gentleman on the same street had his nice lawn all tramped up by boys playing football. Surely there are enough public places for amusement without trespassing on private property.

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"I have a large amount of laborious brain-fatiguing work to do," writes a young lady from Richmond, Va. "After returning from the office, I have found myself so completely exhausted that I was unable to engage in any recreation or amusement.

"I tried several expensive tonics without effect and finally noticing an advertisement of Grape-Nuts as a food recommended to brain workers, I purchased a package and tried it. I found it extremely palatable and after a week's use (two meals of it a day,) I noticed a general improvement in my condition, the feeling of extreme exhaustion was growing less, and strength visibly increased.

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ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

It is evident that part of the population of the earth survived before anthracite coal was known or used at all, and possibly in this fact there is some suggestion of a way to get even with the monopoly of that article.

Dublin, Nov. 4.—Wm. Redmond was arrested on his arrival at Kingstown to-day, and was taken to Kilmainham jail. Mr. Redmond several months ago made a speech at Wexford, which was said to be incendiary. He was ordered by the Court of the King's Bench to give bail for $1,000 for his good behavior. This he refused to do, and the court sentenced him to six month's imprisonment.

Aden, Arabia, Nov. 4.—It is rumored in native quarters that the Mullah has raided an advance British outpost in the vicinity of Bohotle, Somaliland, capuring a large camel transport.

Col. Swayne has been recalled to England temporarily, where he will act as adviser to the Foreign Office. Gen. Manning has assumed command of the British Somaliland expedition.

Three thousand men will begin to advance against the Mullah about November 27. This delay is due to the fact that Gen Manning is dispensing with the Indian troops, in the belief that the native levies are more effective.

Simcoe, Ont., Nov. 4.—Justice MacMachon declared the election of Dr Snider, Conservative candidate for North Norfold, void at 1.45 p.m. to-day, after the examination of one or two witnesses.

Mr. E. J. Jarvis swore that he paid for the tickets for four electors residing in Brantford out of his own pocket, and as the agency of Mr. Jarvis was admitted, the court was asked to declare the election void, without proceeding farther with investigations. The cost of continuing the investigation would be considerable, as there were a large number of cases in the bill of particulars. The petitioner agreed not to press for cost of trial.

Honorable fame may be won in many ways; and all sorts of feet may hobble up the stairs to the proud temple. The glory of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilson, of Rolling Prairie, Ind., is not the dimmest or the least among the constellations of renown. They have eaten pancakes for breakfast every day for twenty-five years. A Chicago statistician estimates that they have eaten 228,125 breakfast pancakes, and they are still in the prime of life and many years of happiness and pancakes lie before them. They may hope to reach the 500,000 mark, an event to celebrate grandly. If you have the constitution much may be done in the pancake punishing line; and it is rather more intellectual than most writing or reading.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 5.—Owing to the fifteen murderous assault cases which have occurred at Cambridge, Brookline, and Somerville, within the past few months, two of which have resulted fatally, the State Police to-day arrested Alan G Mason of Boston, a well-known and wealthy business man, member of the piano manufacturing firm of Mason & Hamlin, a prominent club man, and a Harvard graduate. The police suspect, from evidence in their hands, that Mason has been involved in nearly all the cases referred to, because the circumstances in each have been similar. Mr. Mason, who is a middle-aged man, has been the victim of mental trouble, for which he was treated at the McLean Asylum at Waverly. About a year ago he was permitted to leave the institution. Since that time, it is said, he has been permitted to go and come at will. The fact that he had been frequently seen about the localities in which the assaults occurred led to suspicion against him.

The peculiar assault cases which have terrorized Cambridge and vicinity, as well as other suburban sections, began last June. During the summer there were half a dozen victims of an unknown assailant, each of which was struck down and beaten with a blunt instrument. Early in October Miss Agnes McPhee was assailed in Somerville, and she dies from her injuries. During the month there were eight other cases. Last Saturday night Clara A. Morton, a laundress at the McLean Asylum, was accosted on the grounds of that institution and beaten with a blunt instrument. Miss Morton died Sunday night. She came from Nova Scotia.

Hazleton, Nov. 4—The statement of the anthracite mine worker's case filed with the Strike Commission on Sunday night was made public to-day:

It recites that a demand of 20 per cent. increase upon prices for 1901 is made by employes performing contract or piece work, shorter hours, a weighing system, and an agreement as to wages and conditions of work.

The reasons given are: Correspondingly higher wages in bituminous coal fields, and in occupations requiring equal skill, wage insufficient in view of dangerous nature of occupation and inadequate to keep up American standard of living, increased cost of living, low wages for children prematurely to work, wages unfair and unjust.

Ten-hour day detrimental to health and safety, shorter hours improve miners' physical, mental and moral condition and increase efficiency of labor, modern tendency in favor of a shorter hours, eight-hour day long enough for best interests of labor.

Measurement by legal ton the only honest and just method, operators sell on basis of legal ton of 2,240 pounds, new system would remove incentive to cheating and dishonesty on part of both operators and miners and allay jealousy, suspicion and discontent.

Miners should have right to organize and act collectively, agreement between employers and employes beneficial in bituminous fields and other industries, unionism tends to better discipline and amelioration of conditions of men and better relations with employers trade agreement only effective method of regulating questions in dispute and doing away with possibility of further troubles.

KEENE.

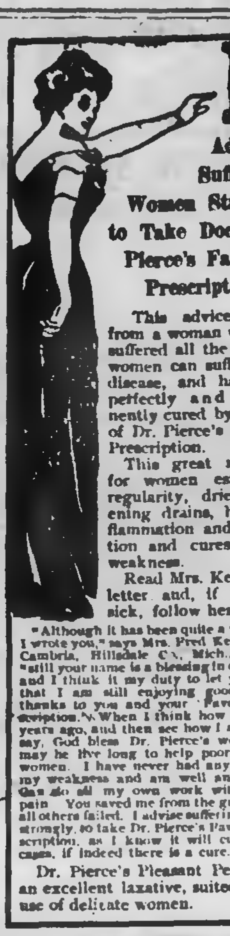
—Mr. and Mrs. John Soucie, of St. Ignace, Mich., and Miss Kate Soucie, of Geneseo, N.Y., are visiting Mrs. Soucie at present.

—Messrs. Bert McIntyre and Bert Howson arrived home from Manitoba on Friday last.

—Mr. Thomas Laing, has sold out his blacksmith business to Mr. John Bennett of Mather's Corners.

—Dr. Harrison was in Cobourg on Monday attending the funeral of his uncle.

—Several cattle buyers have been through this section lately, buying up all the young cattle.



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The total value of the mineral output of the Province of British Columbia during 1900 was $16,344,751. During 1901 it rose to $20,713,501, an increase last year of 25 per cent. It is estimated that the output for the present year will reach a total value of at least $50,000,000, and that within five years the production will equal that of any country in existance.

Our object in presenting these statements is to convince everyone of the high character of the country in which we are operating and at the same time, advertise our own business.

We are at present developing an extensive property in the Lardeau mining division of British Columbia. This property is owned by the "Lardeau Mines, Limited," a company having a total capital of $100,000.

The property owned by this Company consists of three full claims, embracing an extent of 156 acres—mineral claims in British Columbia are 1,500x1,500 feet—equal to 52 acres each in extent.

Three strong, parallel ore veins run through this property from end to end, a distance of 4,500 feet. If placed end to end this would give 13,500 feet equal to a continuous ore body over two and a half miles in length. The values are in gold, silver, copper and lead, and range from $25.00 to $150 per ton of 2,000 pounds. These results are from surface ore only, "grass root values," and are indications of permanent values of the most convincing kind.

We feel that such a proposition ought to recommend itself to any one who want to better their position and who may desire to invest with reliable people a small or large amount of money where it will earn permanent profits.

The gross value of shipments of ore aggregating 6,193,694 pounds from twelve mines in the Lardeau, all situated near the property owned by this Company was $453,410.51. Equal to a return per ton of over $146.00. The property owned by this Company shows up equally as well as any of these more fully developed mines, and will, we are convinced, shortly rank among the best in the Lardeau division.

In order to show why we are confident we are right, we will estimate our ore values at $50.00 per ton, a little over one-third of the average ore values of the entire Lardeau mining division. We will also base our calculations on a daily output of 30 tons—a small amount compared with the extent of our property and the size of its ore bodies. We will allow $10.00 per ton for mining, transportation (a few miles only) and smelting charges. The profits, after making a reasonable deduction for incidentals, and surplus work out as follows:

30 tons at $50.00 per ton		$1,500 00
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Net daily income		1,200 00
Say for 300 days per year		300
Total net yearly income		$360,000 00
Deduct for incidental expenses, 15 per ton	45,000	
Deduct for Company's surplus account, 15 per ton	$45,000	90,000 00
Total yearly net earnings		$270,000 00

which sum is equal to 270 per cent per annum on our capital stock of $100,000.

This estimate is made on the basis of a small output compared to the extent of our property, and the splendid facilities it affords for economical mining and on the operation of the mine for 300 days per year only, so that anyone can see at a glance that we are not over-estimating in any particular, especially when the output of mines similarly situated, and with ore bodies of less extent than ours, ship hundreds of tons a day. There is no good reason why our property, when fully developed—and that is what we are working for now—should not ship several hundred tons of ore per day, but we are basing our calculations on the immediate future in presenting the above estimate.

The property is now being developed by a cross-cut tunnel which is in nearly 100 feet and when driven a few feet further will intersect a large ore body in Vein No. 2 at a depth of 85 feet, when drifting on the lead and stoping ore will be commenced, and the price of shares advanced accordingly.

The capitalization of this company is low—only $100,000—so that the enterprise is free from all suspicion of stock jobbing which has too often ruined many otherwise honest companies.

In conclusion we wish to say that this is a good mining stock which you can buy low, and which you can either keep as an investment or re-sell when it advances in price, for it will be but a short time until this stock cannot be bought for less than many times its par value.

To persons of small means who cannot afford to purchase high priced shares this presents an opportunity that will enable them to get an interest in a business that has paid more clean profits, made more millionaires and is today paying greater dividends than any otherbusiness in existence.

Engineer's Report

THE DIRECTORS,
THE LARDEAU MINES, LIMITED, ROSSLAND, B. C.

Gentlemen:—I beg to hand you my report on the three claims in the Lardeau District, owned by your Company, on work done on the "Lardeau Queen" and on results attained during the past few months. This claim, with the "Lardeau King" and "Lardeau Prince," all abutting end on end, through which the hereinafter mentioned leads pass the entire length, from the Royal Group, situated at the head of Lexington Creek, in the Lardeau Mining Division of West Kootenay, British Columbia.

These three claims are located on the western slope of Goat Mountain, the lines being north-westerly and south-easterly, and form one complete portion of mineral land of about 154 acres. They lie east, less than four miles up, from Fish River (to where both the C.P.R. and K. & S. Railway are now in course of construction) and twelve miles by level road to Comaplix or Upper Arrow Lake deep water landing. A spur up Lexington Creek to the "Royal" and other numerous mining properties will no doubt afterwards be built.

In addition to the two separate and distinct parallel ledges, of which you are already aware, I recently discovered about 650 feet from No. 1 vein, another ledge within the southwest boundary of the "Lardeau Queen," which we will call No. 3 vein.

The Royal Group lies in the "Sitting Bull" and "Wide West" Belts, two of the strongest and best known leads in that district, and what work has already been done on adjacent extensions has given most satisfactory results as to the extent of ore bodies and increased values with depth. Several claims on this lead have already hundreds of tons of shipping ore ready for transportation to the smelter.

The formation is slate and schist, lying in an immense lime dyke and the croppings of the leads are generally topped with heavy iron capping and quartz, which gives assays of from $8.00 up on surface.

Buildings, Etc.

A good horse trail to the mines has been built and all necessary buildings for general mining purposes have been erected adjacent to the creek and workings.

Veins and Work Done

Exploitation of No. 1 vein consists of two open cuts along the surface for a distance of 40 feet, which exposed a body of argentiferous galena over 8 inches in width. The value of this ore body was $25.00 on the surface, but at a depth of less than three feet it had increased to $40.00. To tap this ore showing and the massive iron-capped ledge close to which it lies the present tunnel was commenced, and is now in a distance of 60 feet. Another 25 feet of cross-cutting should reach this ledge at a depth of about 85 feet. When 61 feet had been driven an almost solid body of iron ore 3 feet thick was encountered in the tunnel lying against a wall of slate. A sample at this point assayed $77.00 in gold, silver, copper and lead. Before opening out on this ore body it is, I think, advisable to drive a further 25 feet, when I believe the main lead will be reached.

No. 2 vein which occurs about 250 feet above No. 1 vein, is an iron-capped ledge about 8 feet wide, showing an occasional seam of mineralized quartz with galena. The surface assays gave $5 and $13 in gold, respectively. Although not so strongly defined as No. 1 vein, it is easily traceable at intervals, throughout the full length of the property, 4,500 feet.

No. 3 vein is in strong evidence about 650 feet below the centre line of the "Lardeau Queen," and appears to be directly within its area and dipping directly (north) into the hill towards this claim. The width is from 10 to 12 feet of very heavy iron capping and quartz with bunches of galena occurring under the surface in the talc at intervals of from 4 to 6 inches. The assay results of the quartz ($18) samples I brought you is decidedly encouraging, and I am satisfied that the clean ore will prove to be of a high grade.

Transportation Etc.

The certainty of an early advent of a railway into Fish River section is acting as an incentive to the numerous mining companies there, who are employing large gangs of men in development work more especially in the vicinity of Lexington Creek, where the "ore from the grass roots" proposition preponderates.

The property has an excellent surface showing. The average assays are most encouraging, considering the great width and continuancy of the leads across the country with such great width and prominence of the surface and judging from other properties in the near vicinity, some of which are on the same lead and have developed very rich ore bodies.

In conclusion I would like to say the Lardeau Mines are as good as any, if not the best in the vicinity, and I verily believe, with a nominal expenditure, they should be made dividend-paying in a short time, and I would strongly recommend extensive developments towards that end.

Signed,

J. O. McCLYMONT, *Mining Engineer.*

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They Think Messiah Will Appear when They Arrive at Winnipeg

HORRIBLE SCENES WITNESSED ON THE MARCH

Many Deaths Reported—The Crazy People are Still Undismayed and Hope for Divine Aid

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 6—A special despatch from Solsgirth, Manitoba, at which point the Doukhobor army was camped last night, states than three more pilgrims have gone insane. Many are exhausted and have to be carried on litters, but still the mad Russians continue their march in search of a Messiah and are even getting recruits.

They now expect to reach Winnipeg next Tuesday. The leaders say there will be a revelation for them here, and that Christ will appear to them and lead them into the country to the south—that is the United States.

Latest reports say that the army is marching over the snow-covered plains, making fair progress. The women to the number of 1,000 were sent back to the villages to-night.

The scenes along the route are horrible and increasingly so. So far several deaths have occurred, and many are sinking with weakness. To a press representative the crazy people said that there would be no cold weather this winter.

They have, as is often the case with extreme religionists, taken the exactly opposite view, and now rejoice in the very hardships they effected to believe non-existent a few days ago.

Expect to Die of Cold.

"Yes, very cold," said one of them today; "when very cold; no sleep for cold; but Jesus see us bear cold for Him. We His people."

"But it will keep getting colder all the time," I said, "and then how can you go on with your walk for Jesus?"

"Yes, yes; I see," he said. He thought a while, till a slow, sweet smile transformed his dull, slavonic face almost to beauty, and his eyes brightened as if he had seen a beatific vision.

"Yes, then we die. Yes, and we see Jesus and will live with Him."

Evidently the mortal life is by them regarded as a probationary chrysalis period, to be through with as soon as possible, to expand into a fuller, more perfect, happy existence above.

The inclemency of Monday night's storm has increased the number of sick. Three of the pilgrims had to be supported partially or wholly along the trail. Had not this been done they must have retired from the procession and fallen by the roadside. With rolling head and vacant eye, unsteady and weak they lagged behind their comrades, despite the friendly help continually given.

One was a man nearly sixty years of age, short of stature and steady of frame. Insufficient nourishment and constant exposure had done the work that years of healthy labor could not accomplish. The man was a physical wreck. I walked alongside of him for a quarter of a mile, and found that, weakened to the extreme limit of human endurance, as plainly he was, his determination to go on as long as he had the strength to crawl, was inflexible.

Were Photographed.

Wasyl Kinkof and Abratis Petroff promised me they would be photographed, and they twice reminded me of it before we arrived at Birtle. After dinner was over, therefore, I secured my tripod and camera, the pilgrims taking the keenest interest in my proceedings. The chorus as they looked at the view-finder and saw pictures of their comrades on the ground glass, can only be compared with a baby's delight when first it hears the ticking of a watch.

"John the Baptist" was at first unwilling to pose, but a little persuasion and representation that the publication of his picture might convince some Canadian people of their error, induced him for a short season to withdraw his mind from the contemplation of eternal verities to the more common things of earth. When the button had been pressed, and he was told that the operation was completed he asked me when the pictures would be finished. I told him on Friday. Wasyl Kinkof asked the same question concerning his. Then consulted among themselves for awhile and then said:

"'You send us pictures?"

I promised to do so. They consulted futher and then Kinkoff said:

"Send all the pictures to me. I see Petroff and all get them. Send them to Portage la Prarie. How far is that?"

Indicates Their Route.

I told him about sixty miles. He made a mental calculation. "when Sunday, Monday, perhaps," he said, "get them at post office," and it was arranged accordingly. This is important as indicating the route to be taken by the pilgrims. They will go on to Portage from Winnipeg, where they should arrive by the latter end of next week.

By some mysterious means they seemed to have acquired much knowledge of the plans of the department concerning them. For instance, I was greatly surprised to hear Kinkoff speak of the projected deportation of the Swan River women and children to their villages, three hours before the despatch containing the news was sent to the village. The plans of the department were known to but five. Yet these pilgrims seemed perfectly cognizant that a special train was to be sent up. The rapidity and secrecy of their means of communication, is one of the puzzles of this people.

Last night the air was mild, but snow was falling. The pilgrims put in another uncomfortable night.

A CALL TO ARMS LABOUR VS. CAPITAL

Labour Men Stirred by an Attack of American National Association

THE TWO GREAT FORCES MUST NOW SEPARATE

Says the Manufacturers Association of the United States—Conditions Very Serious

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 7—Organized labor has accepted the challenge of the National Association of Manufacturers which Association of Manufacturers has declared in a circular letter that union labor and capital have reached a parting of the ways.

The Association has urged the defeat of the so-called anti-conspiracy and eight hour bills, pending before congress, and organized labor proposes to exert every energy in behalf of these measures.

The fight is to be national in its scope, and is to be taken up by all organizations affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

The first labor organization to act is the National Building Trades council, which controls the unions engaged in structural work. This action was taken recently by H. W. Steinbiss, general secretary and treasurer, after a conference of members of the executive board. A "call to arms" was sent broadcast, urging immediate aggressiveness by organized labor.

"Wage earners of America, let not the more energetic employers catch you napping," is the warning of Mr. Steinbiss. "Take this matter up at once in your several meeting halls and adopt resolutions reaffirming your stand on the eight hour day.

"Write to the United States senators of your respective states, urging upon them the interest you take in the eight hour principle and write to the representatives-elect of all parties in your respective districts, asking them to pledge their support to the eight hour bill. There are senators to be elected also. Write to the avowed candidate of all parties to these offices and show them that your intention is to put them on record.

"Do this at once! Don't wait until these officers are elected; take up the question at once and pledge yourselves, your best efforts and your energies to defeat the aspirations of any candidate for congress or the senate who refuses to pledge his support to a bill making eight hours the maximum legal day on all government work of whatever kind or description."

The following resolution was prepared:

Whereas, An attempt is being made by associated employers in the United States to defeat the proposed law making the maximum legal day's work upon contracts in which the United States, any territory, or the District of Columbia is a party, and stipulating a $5 penalty for each infraction thereto; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the undersigned organization, do hereby emphatically declare our fealty to the eight hour principle and earnestly protest against any movement intended to abridge that principle in the slightest degree.

Resolved, That as the success of the nation depends upon the happiness and prosperity of its wealth producers, this attempt to defeat a measure calculated to reduce the burdens and increase the happiness and earning power of producers is a blow against the best interest of the whole people and a block in the way of national progress and welfare.

The movement for shorter hours has been taken up by two of the most powerful of the iron working trades within the last month. These organizations, the iron moulders and the machinists, have had little trouble in inducing their employers to grant the shorter day, yet most of these employers are members of the manufacturers' association.

When the Gould estate passed into the hands of the trustees named by Jay Gould, nearly eight years ago, it was valued at about $75,000,000. Now it is reckoned to be about $150,000,000. George Gould has thus duplicated the achievement of William H. Vanderbilt in doubling the estate left by his father in less than a decade. However, he has had remarkably flush times to help him do it.

THE BIGGEST MERGER IN THE UNITED STATES

The Billion Dollar Steel Trust will not be in for a Minute

Cincinnati, Nov. 7— A Philadelphia special to the Post states that there is more than common rumor to warrant this assertion that there are now being formulated plans for a trust of even greater magnitude than the billion dollar steel organization. The plan contemplates the consolidation of all traction electric lighting, elevated railway, underground railway and was franchises of the states of Pennsylvania, New York, and Ohio. The financiers ~~said to be~~ interested are P. A. B Widner, W L Elkins, John Mack of the newly-formed Philadelphia Rapid Transit company, the Whitney-Ryan syndicate, New York; Thomas Dolan, President of the United Improvement company, and Ohio and Minnesota capitalists interested in the North American Company and represented by Senator Foraker. It is claimed that the "omnibus charter" owned by the North American company, provides the necessary scope for the proposition.

COLOMBIAN REBELS RETREAT

Government Troops Now Trying to Clear the Isthmus

Colon, Nov. 16—The Government yesterday sent 2,700 men out alongg the line of the Panama Railroad to dislodge the insurgents. When they approached the rebel stronghold at San Pablo the insurgents retired.

No fighting has yet occurred. Twelve hundred more troops are expected today from Barranquilla.

London, Nov. 6.—A despatch to the Telegraph from Kingston, Jamaica, states that the steamer Trust which has arrived there, reports that the Colombian Government is massing troops at Colon for a general advance across the isthmus.

A fight occurred on Wednesday at Panama between American marines and some Colombian troops while the later were receiving ammunition that had been received from England. A Colombian officer was wounded. The troops were driven off. The Government will ask for the withdrawal of the American guard.

The rebels hold a number of the railway stations.

The Colombian steamer Presidente Marroquin, formerly the Han Righ, is going to Jamaica for repairs.

The British cruiser retribution, is now at Santa Marta.

The rate of exchange in some parts of Colombia is 1,200 por cent. Trade is crippled.

HIS MAJESTY, THE KING AND IRISH AFFAIRS

The King Has Complained to Ministers of Existing Conditions

London, November 7— The King has been generally credited with taking an active part in the negotiations for bringing the Boer war to an end, and it is now asserted that he has been complaining to the Ministers of the condition of Ireland, and that the appointment of a new permanent Secretary an official of unusual ability and experience in the Indian service, has been made in deference to his wishes.

The rumors are accompanied by forecasts of a complete revision of Mr. Wyndham's Land bill, and the semi-official announcement that the King will visit Ireland in semi-State during the spring. The King's activity in political affairs is a great surprise to the Ministers accustomed to the precedents and habits of Victorian reign. He takes the business of reigning as seriously as the German Emperor, scrutinises appointments in the Church, and Civil Service, and has definite ideas respecting the policies which the responsible ministers ought to adopt.

His review of a batallion of the Scots Guards, which returned last week from South Africa, was closed with a remarkably hearty speech of appreciation.

Dying By Slow Degrees

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ATTEMPTED MURDER

Michael Ryan Was Arrested at Ottawa Last Night on a Serious Charge

Ottawa, Nov. 6.—Michael Ryan, of Hull, attempted the murder of an aged man named J. B. Renault, and was arrested this afternoon. Ryan struck Renault a severe blow on the head, which caused concussion of the brain. Small hopes are entertained for his recovery.

SHOOTS WIFE AND SELF

Domestic Troubles Cause Wisconsin Man to Commit Crime

Coleman, Wis., Nov. 7. —Peter Grant, shot and killed his wife at Grover, six miles north of Coleman yesterday. Grant then went to his barn and fired two shots into his own body with fatal effect. It is believed the tragedy was the result of domestic troubles.

THE FIRST CANADIAN SUGAR

Was Made in Berlin Sugar Factory Yesterday

Berlin, Ont. Nov. 6.—For the first time in Canada sugar was manufactured from sugar beets today and the town of Berlin has the honor of being the first centre at which it was made. The first barrel represents the expenditure of a vast amount of money, energy, labor and anxious care and now that sugar has been made, the community and the company have cause of self-congratulation.

FIGHTING IN BULGARIA

Bulgaria Commander Wounded in Fight With Turkish Troops

London, Nov. 7.—A news agency despatch from Sofia says there was an encounter between a Bulgarian band under Gen. Zontcheff and a large Turkish force on Nov. 1. The fighting was resumed on Nov. 2 Gen. Zontcheff was wounded in the thigh and fled. He arrived at Sofia this afternoon.

ACCUSED OF BLACKMAIL

Baron Burchard Von Muenchhausens Relations with the So Called "Marriage Syndicate"

Berlin, Germany, Nov. 6.—The relations of Baron Von Muenchhausen, with the so-called "Marriage Syndicate" which financed his journey to the United States in 1898, to obtain a rich wife, has been made public through a prosecution for blackmail, brought by the Baron against Hermann Pincus, Moritz Mendelsohn, and Adolf Mendelsohn, three tradesmen who were members of the syndicate. The trial has just come to its close. Baron Von Muenchhausen is a member of the famous German family which dates from 1160.

The testimony showed that an ex-convict named Eissler, living in Stuttgart, telegraphed to Frau Von Quitzow, a noblewoman, residing in Berlin, who undertakes to obtain wealthy wives for army officers, saying that if she had a titled officer on active service for an American fortune of $7,500,000, to let him know. Frau Von Quitzow put Eissler in communication with Baron Von Menchhausen, who is a lieutenant in the Prussian artillery. The Baron made arrangements with Eissler to give him five percent. of the money of the heiress if he was fortunate in his suit, and also signed conditional bills for $375,000. On these bills Eissler raised a large amount of money in Berlin from a numerous group of persons, which included Picus and the two Mendelsohns, and Baron Von Muenchhausen was provided with which he had to pay the expenses of his journey to the United States. Eissler's partner in this venture, was a lady's maid, who had been formerly in the services of the rich American woman referred to by Eissler. She preceded the Baron to the United States to negotiate the marriage, but her efforts were not successful. The name of the heiress in question was not disclosed in court. Baron Von Muenchhausen did make the acquaintance when in the United States, of Martha Washington Becket, a widow of moderate fortune, who, according to all accounts, he married on Dec. 23, 1898. Since his marriage, the Baron has been living with his wife on his estate near Schwebler, Hanover. On his return to Germany, the Baron Von Muenchhausen had to arrange with the holders of his bills. A compromise was negotiated with Pincus and the Mendlesohns, who surrendered his paper on the payment of comparatively small sums. Baron Von Muenchhausen afterwards accused these men of blackmail, and the trial was thus brought into court. Mendelsohns and Pincus were acquitted on the charges.

YELOW YARN ABOUT BEEF

London Papers Dig Up an Ancient Lie and Serves It Up as News to Injure Canabian Produce

London, Nov. 6.—Lord Strathcona has quite recovered from the scraping of his foot when alighting from a cab, and is daily at his office.

The Daily Mail makes a great spread today, with scare headlines, of another war scandal in which a great Canadian beef consignment is wrongly condemned. The reference is to a large shipment of Canadian tinned beef, which was condemned as putrid at Cape Town, but was subsequently, at the instance of the Canadian Government, found quite good, and was re-issued to the troops.

Official enquiry by your correspondent to-day elicits this reply. The facts are highly colored by the Mail:

"If you ask my private advice," said the official, "I would say, tell Canadians to shut up if they want more orders. Canada has done, and will do, very well with army contracts."

Sir Alfred Jones, chairman of the Elder-Dempster Company, informed me that he did not think it worth while to contradict the report of the United States Treasury Inspector that the Beaver Line accepts for the States via Canada any passengers able to walk, regardless of mental, moral, physical, and financial disqualifications.

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RICH DISCOVERY OF GOLD

Men Flock to Black Hornet District Idaho

Boise, Idaho, Nov. 7—A rich discovery of gold in the Black Hornet district has caused a stampede comparable to the mining rushes of the early days.

Knowledge of the find got out Saturday evening and men started out at once to secure claims. They kept going all night and yesterday several hundred men rushed to the scene of the discovery.

At one point 600 feet from the original discovery, very rich ore was met with and in all the others good ore shows.

QUEEN WILL BE GODMOTHER

American Duchess of Manchester's Child to be Honored

London, Nov. 7—Queen Alexandra has consented to become the godmother of Viscount Mandeville, son of the Duke and Duchess of Manchester, who was born Oct. 2. Her Majesty has telegraphed to the Duchess—

"I will be delighted to be godmother to your little son."

The Duchess of Manchester was formerly Miss Helen Zimmerman, daughter of Eugene Zimmerman, of Cincinnati. She was married to the Duke on Nov. 14, 1902.

Sports and Pastimes

RUGBY.

The Rugby Club will meet at the Oriental hotel Saturday next at 7.30 p.m.

Toronto, Nov. 6.—At a meeting of the O.R.F.U. executive at the Rossin House last night, Bert Morrison of the Toronto Rugby Club was suspended on suspicion of professionalism, the charge being made by the London club in the shape of a protest.

Morrison's suspension is pending a satisfactory declaration stating that he did not receive money, and that he did not play hockey with or against Peel or Hern in Pittsburg, or did not play with or against any person, knowing such person to be receiving money for his services as a hockey player. The London-Toronto game stands until this declaration is made or refused to be made, and the matter will be further considered at a meeting of the executive to be held next Wednesday night.

Last night Morrison put in an affidavit denying charges of professionalism during his sojourn in Pittsburg. A declaration was produced by the London representatives purporting to be signed by Harry Peel, but which was not sworn to before a commissioner, and the signature was in lead pencil. The executive decided that the declaration was of no value as evidence on account of not being properly executed.

HOCKEY.

Paris, Nov. 6.—The Paris club, which decided to enter the O.H.A. intermediate series, will put the strongest team of "home-brews" on the ice that has ever played in Paris, or Western Ontario, for that matter. With Peebles and Fraser to look after the goal, Howell and Stewart on defence, and Brown, Taylor, Munn, and Cline on the forward line, the boys in green and black ought to bring the intermediate championship for 1902-3 to Paris.

There will be a second team, but it will not be entered in any series, but will depend on exhibition games. The teams will commence exercise at once by playing basketball in the rink.

A strong effort will be made to have T. Howell reinstated, as it is felt that four seasons' suspension is punishment enough for Howell's transgression of the laws of the O.H.A.

Aylmer, Nov. 6.—The meeting in the interest of a hockey team held at the Central Hotel last evening was well attended. The following officers were elected. Hon. president, W. White; president, K. A. Miller; vice-president, J. G. Helter; secretary, J. G. Johnston; Managing committee, Messrs. Moore, Hill and Peckman.

Ottawa, Nov. 9.—The hockeyists of Almonte are enthusiastic as to the prospects for the coming season and with the advantage of having a covered rink to practice on they hope to show that they can get together as fast a septette as any of the other towns in the Ottawa Valley. The new rink in Almonte will be completed before the snow flies, and the sport will receive an impetus as a result of its erection. The Almonte boys are anxious that if a hockey league if formed of the Ottawa Valley clubs they should be included, as they are confident of giving the other sevens a good run for championship honors. Perth and Smith's Falls will have speedy puck-chasers to uphold their athletic honor, and they with Almonte and a couple of other neighboring towns should form a league that would be a success financially and so far as the sport itself in concerned.

The Beavers of Ottawa would like to be included in the proposed league, and the latter, according to present plans, is to become connected with the Ontario Hockey Association. From present indications it would appear that hockey will boom during the coming winter as never before.

Stratford, Nov. 6.—The Beacon said last night: "Clifford of last year's junior Alliston team has secured a position in Stratford, and will be here this winter. He is a forward man, and is as speedy as reputed he will be readily given a place on the Indians' line-up. He will have to go a few to travel with Hern, Fraser and Edmunds."

Plattsville, Nov. 6.—Albert Grieve left for Woodstock on Monday morning where he has secured a situation, and also for the purpose of playing hockey. Ab. will be missed, as he is a good all-round athlete.

Port Hope, Nov. 6.—All doubts of Port Hope having a new covered rink are now swept away. Every day you pass down Queen street you can notice a difference in the building. The curling rink is now ready for the sheeting, and this will be started at once. Both sides of the skating rink are nearly completed, and five of the rafters are up. There are five more to be put up, and this will be done before the end of the week. It is stated that the whole thing will be completed by the first of December.

Markham, Nov. 6.—Once again Markham has a hockey club, composed of seasoned players, who should bring honor to themselves and to their supporters. From the following available men to pick from an extra fast team should be the result: Em. Maxwell, H. Gee, G. Sullivan, H. Robinson, Archer, La Bee, Whitoak, Stubbs, A. Maxwell, F. Gould, and Wm. Cowie. Everything is being done in a thorough manner this year, meetings being held on Wednesday evening of each week in the club rooms. Satisfactory arrangements have been made with the management for the use of the club this winter. Besides a senior club, an intermediate and junior team are a certainty. The aim of the senior team is to be associated with a city league and the intermediate with a district formed from Aurora, Richmond Hill, Claremont, and others, is desirable.

MR. WILLIAM H. HALL KILLED AT BUCKHORN

He was Accidently Shot While Out Duck Shooting Yesterday Afternoon

Body Brought to Town Last Night — The Deceased was a Well Known Citizen

Yesterday a very sad accident occurred at Buckhorn, which resulted in the death of Mr. William A. Hall, an old and highly esteemed gentleman of that place. Full particulars cannot be obtained, but we learn that he and his son had been out duck shooting in a canoe, and in the act of landing the son's gun caught in some way, one barrel discharging a charge of buckshot into the father's abdomen, causing death.

The remains were received at Comstock's undertaking establishment last night, and prepared for burial which will likely take place on Saturday. He was about 70 years of age.

Deceased lived many years in Buckhorn, and conducted a saw-mill. He was well known to the citizens of Peterborough. Sometime ago his family took up their residence here and the funeral will take place from their home, Reid street.

The late Mr. Hall was a man of upright character and enjoyed the confidence of all who knew him. He leaves a widow, three daughters and one son, to whom the sympathy of the entire community will be extended in their great affliction.

No less Than Eight Drowned

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 6.—No less than eight were drowned, three vessels driven ashore, and practically every lighter on the Nome beach was wrecked in a storm that commenced on Tuesday, October 14th, and continued throughout the day. The facts are supplied by Purser Robertson, of the Ohio, who arrived today. The known dead are: Frank Kelly, M. Robertson, Geo. Fletch and Samuel Josephson. A dozen or more people thrown into the surf, were rescued by the life saving crew. The schooner Louise, the steamer Elk, and the launch Fleetwing, were among the large craft that were left on the beach. In each instance the crews were rescued or managed to reach the shore. It caused the water to back up in the Snake River and every creek, and every creek bridge was washed away.

EUROPE FEARS CUSTOMS UNION BY GREAT BRITAIN

A Central European or Customs Union would Lead to Similar Action by England and Colonies

Comment on Colonial Conference—Great Britain is Able to Strike Back If She Is Attacked Commercially

London, Nov. 7— The Vienna correspondent of The Standard makes this comment on the colonial conference: "The people realize the fact that if England is attacked she is fully able to strike back. Political economists who, like the German Professor, Herr Wolf, of the University of Breslau, have been advocating a Central European or Continental Customs union against England, may find that their efforts merely lay a further steppingstone towards a Customs union within the British Empire, of which the colonial conference may have laid the foundation."

German papers say Canada's example where by the preferential treatment England costs Canada the forfeiture of the most favored nation treatment in the German market, will likely warn other colonies and England herself against a preferential policy. All the same, the Continental press find in the proceedings of the conference fresh cause to watch anxiously Chamberlain's next move.

Fought a Duel Over Election

Grandin, Miss., Nov. 6.—Joseph Farrow and Marcon Dunn, engaged in a duel with pistols on the street here today, as the result of which, both men were killed. Eleven shots were exchanged at short range, eight taking effect, each man being hit four times. The immediate cause of the duel was the difference over election matters, but there had been bad blood between the men for several years.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

Winnipeg, Nov. 6.—Rev. C. N. F. Jeffery, secretary of Synod and of Home Missions of the Church of England, has returned from Binscarth. He was a witness of the spectacle of six hundred Doukhobors marching to death. Many of them were becoming weak for lack of nourishment, though the settlers were giving them food to prevent speedy starvation. One man collapsed from hunger. Mr. Jeffery says he had no illness, but was simply famished.

ARGUMENT WASTED.

Mr. Jeffery tried to reason with them, and to show them that it was their duty to return home and care for their wives and children, but his words had absolutely no effect. They insisted that they were following Jesus, and following His commandment by forsaking all that they had. They believed that Jesus would take care of them, but said if they died it would be all right; they were ready to die for him. They had no complaint to make against anybody, expressed no dissatisfaction with the country, but said that the Government had been good to them, and the people had been kind.

Mr. Jeffrey saw no way of doing anything with them, but thought they would have to be let alone to suffer the consequences of their infatuation until some influence should bring them back to sanity.

SUFFERING IN THE COLD.

The special correspondent of the Free Press wires from Fox warren, Man.; The Doukhobor's camp was a scene of activity yesterday morning. The shivering pilgrims were blue with cold. Hundreds had lain on the snowy gound all night. The appearance of the pilgrims before the morning sun shed its warmth was pitiful in the extreme. Many could not articulate, they were so cold. At a little before 8 o'clock the procession was formed, and the march resumed. At Fox Warren they stayed for nearly half an hour singing chants and talking to the few residents who went out in the cold. They told the resident minister that he did not love Jesus or he would march to find Him, saying it more in sorrow than in anger.

A STRAGGLING PROCESSION.

At about 9 o'clock they marched away. Two of them are barefoot; several of them have not sufficient head covering one man having only a cotton handkerchief. Their heads were mostly wrapped in long wollen scarfs. They marched away in a straggling procession, nearly two miles long, some of them, however, remaining to beg food. The Fox Warren people have been most generous in their gifts, one Doukhobor, Pete Peteroff with whom I talked yesterday afternoon, telling me that he thought they must be getting nearer Jesus—"People so much more good more." In almost every kitchen in this little hamlet could be seen a party of Doukhobors using the housewives' domestic utensils to boil their potatoes. Many bags of oatmeal, potatoes, and carrots have been given.

London, Nov. 6.—Referring to Emperor William's approaching visit to England, the Berlin correspondent of the Times says certain German journals which chronicle with manifest satisfaction any evidence of friction between Great Britain and France or Russia, speak as if Germany were the only power which must not be criticized by the British press, and as if Germany's policy must never be considered at all in the light of its present and future bearings on British interests. These papers, says the correspondent, would apparently like to see in England a spirit of jovial good fellowship and compliance towards all things German more characteristic of after-dinner conversation than the business portion of the day. If there were any possibility of the realization of this idea, and foreign politics could once more be treated by Englishmen in the easy-going way which facilitated many of Bismarck's plans, this complaisance would not be reciprocated by Germany, where public opinion, like the Government, is "toujours en vedette."

—Several cattle buyers have been through this section lately, buying up all the young cattle.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, NOV. 7, 1902.

SOME SIGNS OF FAILURE

The London Times has had an expert studying the municipal ownership question in Glasgow and he has reached the conclusion that the tram-way system does not pay. This is the more surprising because the traffic of the city is very great, and there should be money in it, a profit that is growing from year to year. It is a revelation now that failure has marked the enterprise, as the information which has been handed out heretofore has been of a very different kind.

Following the shock about the tramway comes the announcement that the municipal telephone system in the same city has not been satisfactory, that it does not really pay, that there is not in the receipts and expenditure a sum sufficient to meet the depreciation, wear and tear, and the cost of repairs and improvements. The rate for telephone service was originally made too low. The benefits of ordinary connections are not only secured, and certain trunk facilities added at the city's expense, but the telephone subscribers are benefitted largely by trunk facilities at the public expense. There must, of necessity, be an increase of rates, and that without delay.

Municipal ownership involves considerations of the highest import. Behind every venture there must be the managerial ability and constructive genius, the care and economy which are not sometimes to be found in the public service. Perhaps Glasgow has in its employ the experts who can direct its public affairs as skilfully as the employees of the private syndicate corporation, but it is very doubtful. Public bodies get hold of good officials at times, but this is not the general experience. The complaint has been that capital, so aggressive in recent years, has been monopolistic of the talent as well as treasure of the people.

MAY A STARVING MAN STEAL?

An interesting discussion has been raised by the proposition of Dr. Parkhurst, of New York, that it is right for a starving man to steal bread to keep him alive. Dr. Dana, of this city, objects to this theory, says it is never right to steal, and that if it is right for a starving man to steal there is no right to any kind of personal property. It is quite likely that Dr. Parkhurst will have something to say in reply, and the subject is certain to give rise to much discussion.

It seems to us that the question is so purely academic that it is hardly worth the while. It depends a good deal on what is meant by stealing. It is evidently taking that which belongs to another maliciously and without consent. There is a moral element in stealing just as there is in murder. The man who accidentally is not guilty of murder any more than the one who accidentally takes what belongs to another man is guilty of theft. The case of the starving man in question seems hardly to be a practical one. It is almost unthinkable that a man actually starving should need to steal. There is none so base or so heartless as to refuse the loaf that is needful to sustain life.

But if it be insisted on that there is or may be an instance where the life of a man actually depended on a loaf of bread not his own and which he must either take or die, it still remains a question of ethics and morals whether such act is theft. If so, it puts property on a higher moral plain than the life of a human being. There is no man probably who would not take the loaf rather than die, and it is difficult to believe that such universal appreciation of a condition is based on wrong considerations. The law of the State will take from a man the property he does not want to part with if it benefits the general good. Will not the moral law permit the taking of a loaf of bread to sustain life if there be no direct monetary compensation?

As before remarked, the question is not a practical one, since there is no absolute necessity to starve. It would seem that the two reverend gentlemen have been discussing it from different standpoints, so that their apparent contradiction is not a real one. It revives the memory of those debates so common during the Civil War as to whether it was permissible to lie to the enemy. That discussion wandered off into many side issues and perhaps was not profitable in the end. The loaf of bread controversy should be confined to the exact point in question and not to a thousand side issues or hypotheses that are usually introduced to befog such a question.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

A Russo-Japanese Society is in course of formation in Moscow with the object of facilitating the development of commercial relations between Russia and Japan. The society will begin its work by establishing in the market town of Slonim, in the province of Minsk, a mill for weaving and finishing Japanese raw silk.

It is now said that the last batch of boundary monuments which the Americans have found on the Alaskan boundary are ruined Indian huts. It is exposures like these which render our neighbors reluctant to submit the case to arbitration. They are always buoyed up by some new evidence that they are all right in their contention, when along comes a telegram which knocks the discovered proof to pieces, and that is the end of it. This makes them naturally suspicious of the soundness of the balance of their case; so they do not want to go into court. It is much easier to presume on John Bull's patient good will and bully little Canada. But they may find one of these days that they have carefully sown and cultivated a spirit of hostility toward their big aggregation in this Dominion which will prove mighty inconvenient to them at a critical moment.

DISTRICT NEWS

KEENE.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Soucie, of St. Ignace Mich. and Miss Kate Soucie, of Genesee, are visiting at Mrs. Soucie's for a couple of weeks.

—Mr. Thos. Walsh arrived home on Wednesday. If all reports are true he will not go back to the West alone.

—Mr. W. S. Jones, night operator at the station, spends all his spare moments in the village, and is getting quite well acquainted.

—Mr. John Aikens, of Peterborough, has been through this section for the past week buying up all the young cattle for the Toronto market.

—Mr. John McFee sold his farm stock and implements by auction on Tuesday. He has leased his farm to Mr. Milton Hasson.

—Mr. S. J. Miller is going to Strathcona, N.W.T. and sold out his stock on Thursday.

—Mr. Joseph Quinn has arrived home from Manitoba, where he has been for some time.

—Mr. Michael Kenneally is at present engaged in painting the Foresters' Temple in Keene.

—The fowl supper held by the Sons of Rest on Hallowe'en was a grand success in every way. Mr. Kirby's commodious tailor shop was rented for the occasion, and made an ideal dining hall. The rear end was curtained off, and the cooking operations went on behind the scenes. Buck Saw Carter did the cooking and served up an elegant repast—considering the limited supply of fowl provided. Each member was supposed to bring as many fowl as possible. Pouty marched bravely in with the three decrepit chickens he very bravely captured on the wharf. They were received with very doubtful thanks by the cook. Pony Moore brought a large, fat goose. As Pony does not raise geese it caused quite an excitement. Faidy Wedlock brought six wild ducks. Of course it well known at once that Faidy paid the market price for them. Other members brought various other necessaries, and before long the table groaned beneath the load of good things dished up by the waiters Ripper McCamus and Hoosier and Mac. Twenty members sat around the festive board. There was very little heard but the rattle of knives and forks and the champ of teeth as every man wanted to make up for lost time, as some had starved themselves for 24 hours before hand. It was reported that President Jonas Nelson hadn't eaten anything for two days, but of course that wasn't believed. The toast list was started by Broncho Pete proposing "The Ladies," which was answered by Babe Kenneally who of course is well posted on this subject. Cod Soucie, who was sitting in his tricycle accidentally run over Mafraw Elmhirst's sore foot, which was resented. Several members then got scrapping. Wazy McFarlane jumped up and said he had licked the best man in Lanark County and he could wipe the floor with any man in the room. Pouty was doubtful about this, but before he had time to say anything Lanky Howson had bluffed Wazy and Pouty took his seat in disgust and tusseled with his lean chicken instead. Then Kringer English made a rush at Scrapping Tully who knocked him up against Singer McIntyre, who, thinking it was Fenty, spoiled Kringer's fun for the rest of the night. Then Fighting Archie said that he must have order and used his club freely. When order was restored inquisitive Davidson wanted to know what started the row. Mr. Kirby said the crowd was too disorderly and must get another meeting place. Howden said he had a shop that would do nicely, but Bushy Wallace objected on behalf of the law abiding citizens. They decided to use the Strathcona for the future. Sloppy McCarthy, the tenant, gave it to the society on condition that they pay the rent and also his arrears for the past six months. Mafraw Elmhirst's hired boy finished the beer, and the rest thought it was time to break up the show.

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Hope Newcome laughed out boyishly. "You mean that from a 'busker' I've turned into a 'swell.' Please don't think you oughtn't to have shown that you were astonished. I should have been disappointed if you hadn't. Is it an improvement?"

It certainly was. A Bond street tailor had done his best for the splendid, youthful figure. What Newcome had lost in picturesqueness by his transformation he had more than gained in distinction. But, remembering him so vividly as he had been at Brighton, it was certainly a shock to behold him in the smartest of frock coats, with a tall, shining hat in his hand.

"I—hardly know yet," stammered Winifred. "You're quite like the prince in a fairy story——"

"If I'm not a prince, at least I pass as a baron," he answered, still laughing. "May I introduce Baron von Zellheim, at your service? I don't hold out this hat for silver. Luckily, there's no need. I'm a sort of male Cinderella; only my clock won't strike the fatal hour of midnight, for—well, I hope for some time to come. But, dear Miss Gray—dear 'partner,' if you'll let me call you that still—joking apart, I've been waiting until I knew whether I was going to be a poor, seedy beggar such as I was when I knew you first or—almost a rich man before I would permit myself to come and see you. The reason of that was, I wanted so very much to say certain things to you which I had no business to say if I were to be unfortunate, that I dared not trust myself near you till my affairs were more settled. But, oh! the struggle it's been to keep away."

Winifred did not answer. She could not if she would. A flame seemed to run through her veins. She knew what were the things that he wanted so much to say to her—she thought that she knew. And she was sure—suddenly very, very sure—that she knew what she would wish to say in return.

They had been standing, but the girl sank down on the sofa which had been sacred to her mother.

"May I sit by you and tell you all about everything that I can tell?" he said.

A look answered him, and he took the vacant place on the sofa.

"I've come into some money," he began to explain, hesitating a little. "Perhaps, if you knew how I'd got it, you wouldn't approve. It isn't—well, it isn't quite ideal, certainly. But I don't think it's dishonorable."

"Of course not, or you wouldn't have taken the money," said Winifred.

"Do you trust me for that—not knowing?"

"Yes, absolutely, partner."

"Thank you, a thousand times. I should like you to know the whole story, but I'm bound for a time not to tell that to anybody. Still, there's the money; it's mine to do what I like with. If I keep my head I need never be poor again, and I mean to keep it. Just at present I'm being rather extravagant, but that's part of the plan. I only knew that everything was going to be all right for me a few days ago; and already I've taken rooms at Walsingham House, and have bought a horse, and done all sorts of things that would have seemed as far out of reach as the moon a few weeks ago. You remember I told you that I'd come to England a few months ago on a mission? Well, now I'm in a fair way to accomplish it—if it's to be done at all."

CHAPTER XXIX.

The Burden of Revenge.

Winifred listened with excitement and deep interest; yet there was a queer little pain in her heart. He had said nothing yet of what she had guessed that he meant to say. Perhaps she had been mistaken. Perhaps he had intended something quite different.

"Before I can talk of what is nearest my heart, far nearer now than the mission for which I was brought up," he went on, "I must confess to you what the work is I came here to do. It was to bring a murderer to justice—to revenge the ruin he wrought in two lives. It is that for which I have lived, until lately. But now another interest has pushed it aside—perhaps it's a sin to let it do that—but I can't help it. The new interest is too strong for me—stronger than my soul. Has a man a right to love a woman and tell her so while there is such a burden on his life?"

"A burden of revenge?" Winifred asked, slowly. "Must the man bear it? Can revenge ever be ennobled?"

"Yes a thousand times, yes!" he cried, almost fiercely. "Even for love it couldn't be given up, for that would be a wrong to the dead."

"It isn't revenge for the man's own wrongs, then?"

"For those who gave him his life—his father and his mother. Do you say that he must not tell a woman of his love while he has such a mission to work out? If you do say so I shall know that you are right."

"No—I don't say that; I can't say it," whispered Winifred.

"Then—you know, don't you, what I long to ask? You're all the world to me, and heaven, too. Is it possible that you could learn to care for me a little, that you could forgive me the dark things I must keep in my mind——"

"I have learnt already," the girl broke in, "to care—not a little, but more than I can tell. I learnt when we were partners. Since we first saw each other you have been my knight. Even at the very first I thought differently of you from any other man."

"It seems impossible," cried Newcome. "That you—such a girl as you—should even think of a shabby beggar——"

"You were a gentleman. What can a man be more? Oh, I wish you'd told me that—you liked me in Brighton."

"What a brute I should have been if I had! It's bad enough now. You ought to marry a millionaire."

Winifred shuddered, and drew away a little from the arms that held her tight. "Oh—don't speak to me of millionaires!"

Newcome was quite willing not to. There were only two persons in the world worth talking of at that moment—herself and himself—and they talked of those two unceasingly, until Dick was heard at the door, and they began hastily to speak of the weather, or the first subject that came into their heads.

Newcome and Dick were somehow introduced to each other, though it was clear that Dick did not at all understand who Baron von Zellheim was. They had not had many words together when Winifred's lover turned to her with a look that only she could read. "There was so much to talk of at first," he said, "that I forgot something important. But as it concerns your brother, perhaps it's just as well I waited till he came. Now he can answer for himself. Mr. Gray, I've heard from your sister that you write.

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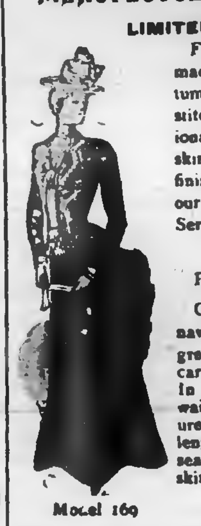

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New York, Oct. 6th—The election and its uncertainties are now out of the way. The party of business has held its own, electing the major Governors, and what is more to the point, controlling Congress which will insure harmonious action there and proper legislation for the further facilitation of business. No "hold up" fencing for position in 1904 can now take place. Interests will again revert to business and Wall street will come in for its share. The removal of uncertainty is alot indeed; uncertainty is usually worse than actual adverse reality. It won't be sixty days before the facilities of the railways will be taxed to their utmost capacity to handle the moving crops together with the general regular business that is offering. The reports for September, as we have shown in these letters the past week, are most glowing. They are yet to be greatly exceeded, and it will be strange indeed, if they do not have an important and bullish bearing upon the share markets. The cotton situation is most bullish also. Owing to the low price level, we are strongly of the opinion that before Christmas cotton will be selling by many points higher than it is at present. It is in our opinion one of the very best purchases in Wall street at present. It costs no interest for carrying, being dealt in the future options For the benefit of those of our readers and those who are unfamiliar with the fluctations of cotton, we will briefly explain it. Cotton can be purchased upon margin speculation in 100 bale lots. A proper and acceptable margin upon one hundred bales is $100, larger amount in proportion. The recorded prices of cotton quote the cent price per pound and the decimal thereof. These decimals are termed points. A point on 100 bales of cotton amounts to $5, consequently $100 as margin upon 100 bales amounts to 20 points margin. Cotton is say 8.50; if you bought 100 bales at that price with $100 points margin thereon, you would have 20 pts. margin less your commission of one point each way for buying and selling, leaving you a net margin of 18 points which would mark your cotton down to 8.33. Each point advance means five dollars profit upon each 100 bales you are carrying. It always has an excellent market and is exceedingly active making it attractive to speculators. If you become interested in cotton it would be advisable to send for our weekly letter which is devoted to that staple exclusively. It is ably edited by an expert cotton man and will keep you posted as to the trend of the cotton market.

Summary—Failure to shake out any great quantity of stock, yesterday's decline caused the bearish fraternity today to cease their vigorous pounding of values; stocks generally improved save sugar, which was heavy upon the announcement of a cut in sugar prices. Good support was forthcoming in the railway list, though the buying at no time during the day assumed aggressiveness. Stocks however, that were purchased today went largely into hands where they will stay unless they are again brought into the the market by sharp bidding. The standard issues all ought to buy moderately, if they go off a point to a point and one half we suggest doubling your holdings. Money closed last loan 5 per cent.

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AISLEY.

—Benny has another dog, or what looks like one, but the boys were doubtful. Benny to settle the matter had the word "dorg" painted on each side of it so that Alfred would not mistake it for a wolf.

—Bears are quite plentiful this fall and come quite close to the settlements in search of food, as beech and oak nuts are a very poor crop. Walter Wigg trapped a fine large one at Jack's Lake lately.

—Mr. and Mrs. McIlvena were visiting friends in Clydesdale Sunday.

—Our village is steadily improving. Tommy has his house nearly completed. Simon Windsor has got into his new store. T. W. Eastland is putting in a very large stock this fall, and customers will find everything they want from a top buggy to a plow point.

—The O.M.L. Club has called a meeting to arrange for regular meetings after the hunt is over, as some exciting adventures are expected from the woods. So all members take notice to meet around the corkscrew drum about the 15th and swap lies.

—Spike was presented with a cant hook stock this morning, just as he was starting for the Beaver Lodge. Sandy said it would be just the thing to club the deer with—— More next time.

The hunting season is on and we know it back here. Parties commenced coming in last Wednesday, 29th Oct., and up to date they are still coming, bound for their different camping grounds with innumerable hounds, rifles and shot guns, of every description; also the regulation buttermilk tank, without which no camping outfit is considered complete. The Beaver Lodge go into camp Monday, 3rd inst. General Don Clinton had the misfortune while repairing a crossway on the road leading to their camp to get a very severe cut on his foot, which will make it awkward for him to get around, but says he will go even if both feet were off. Spike got the hunting fever Saturday, 1st inst., that he could not resist trying his luck south of the village and succeeded in capturing a fine doe after firing ten shots, 6 of which took effect in its neck and shoulder. He drove it into a thick cedar swamp and despatched it with a club.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Ancient Egypt at Y. A. S.

The lecture on "Ancient Egypt," to be delivered by Mr. Burnham, on Monday evening next, will begin at 8 o'clock sharp.

"The Parson's Nephew"

"The Parson's Nephew" was the play placed on the boards at the Opera House last night by the Marks' Brothers, and it was well enjoyed by those present. All the characters in the cast were well sustained. Several new and very pleasing specialties were introduced.

Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary

The following are the officers of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A. for the ensuing term: Hon. president, Mrs. Sheriff Hall; president, Mrs. (Dr.) Hunter; 1st vice-president, Mrs. F. Mason; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Wm. Davidson; secretary, Mrs. Frost; assistant secretary, Mrs. G. Whiten; convenors of committees, social, Mrs. W. H. Hamilton; membership, Mrs. W. H. Hill; rooms, Mrs. J. Nugent.

Commendable Energy

After the rain yesterday morning, Mr. Henry Best, chairman of the Street and Bridge committee, lost no time in putting civic laborers to work to clean the crossings, and he also had the holes where water had lodged filled in with crushed stones. This promptness of action on Mr. Best's part will be appreciated by citizens and visitors to our town.

Potatoes High

Yesterday Messrs. Mason & Co. received a large consignment of potatoes bought at Rimouski, Quebec. They are an excellent sample and free from rot. Potatoes are now retailing at $1.25 per bag, rather a high price, but the crop has been almost a complete failure in the greater part of Ontario, and merchants are obliged to go outside the province to secure a sufficient supply for their customers.

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Annual Military Camps

It is said that the experiment tried this year of concentrating in annual camp only the officers and non-coms. of the rural corps, instead of calling out the full regimental strength of the various units, has worked well. It is reported that the new G. O. C., Lord Dundonald, approves the skeleton camp idea, after seeing how it works, and that the same arrangements will be followed a year hence.

Property Improvements

Mr. Geo. Schneider, watchmaker and jeweller, has a large number of men employed in making improvements to his vacant store, No. 466, George street. It is the intention of Mr. Schneider to repair, renovate, embellish and fit the interior in such a manner as to make it one of the most desirable business stands in town. When the improvements contemplated are completed, Mr. Schneider should have no trouble in securing a very desirable lessee.

Accident at the Opera

During the last act in the play at the Opera House last night an accident occurred. In the fire scene three of the actors disappeared through a trapdoor, and the hole being too small, Mr. Joe Marks was crowded into the fire, burning his hand and the side of his face also singing his hair and mustache. The audience knew nothing about the affair and the play went on to a finish. It is hoped Mr. Marks will not be incapacitated from taking part in the play to-night.

—St. Luke's Sabbath school teachers meet to-night at the Rectory, at eight o'clock.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. Jos. Halpany sings at a concert in Norwood to-night.

—Hastings Star: Mrs. T. A. Fraser is visiting friends in Peterborough.

—Mr. Harry Milvan, of Toronto, is a guest of Mr. R. Hamilton, Aylmer street.

—Mrs. Frank Jones, of Kingston, is in town spending a short time with her sister, Mrs. D. W. Little.

—Miss Maud Billings, of Harwood, is a visitor at the home of Mrs. Sorsoleil, Bolivar street.

—Mr. L. Wakis, G.T.R. operator here, is in Toronto attending the funeral of his aunt.

—Mail and Empire: Judge Weller, of Peterborough, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Weller, of Beverley street.

—Mr. John Mochie, of the Soo, and Mrs. John Liggatt, of Lindsay, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. McElroy, Bethune street.

—Miss Sheppard is in Toronto making purchases for the millinery show rooms of Hall & Son.

—Mr. D. Macnair is registered at the Munro House. He represents the Caxton School Supply Company.

—Mr. John Rose, of the C.P.R. Passenger Department, is relieving Mr. T. H. Boddy here, while the latter is away deer hunting.

Miss Deannard has resigned her position on the teaching staff of St. Peter's school. The Separate School Board met Wednesday, but did not select a successor to Miss Deannard.

—Hastings Star: Mrs. Jas. E. Spellman, of Peterborough, is in Cleveland, Ohio, having been sent for on account of the serious illness of her mother. Mr. Spelman is managing the Clarendon House here for two weeks, during the absence of the proprietor.

The Baer

By our Junior Reporter.

The Baer went over the mountain,
The Baer went over the mountain,
The Baer went over the mountain,
His hard coal mines to see.

He found them full of water,
He found them full of water,
He found them full of water,
And leaking awfullee.

The Baer went over the mountain,
The Baer went over the mountain,
The Baer went over the mountain,
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Timber License Law

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THE REFERENDUM

The Probabilities are That a Large Vote will be Polled

It looks as though a very large vote in connection with the referendum will be polled on the 14th of December. The Globe says it will be larger than that cast at the Provincial elections.

In Peterborough the executive of the Prohibition party are putting in overtime in getting the country organized.

Yesterday the formal proclamations of the returning officers for East and West Peterborough were given to the printer, and will be issued early in the week. The polling places are all designated. The ballots are being printed in Toronto and will be distributed amongst the returning officers this week.

AN EXPENSIVE TRIP

And the Air of Old England Failed Him

The brain is composed of thousands of little cells and these contain a vital substance which is used up during active work and can only be replaced by the right kind of food and drink.

With many people, coffee drinking excites the brain and prevents it from getting the necessary rest, and breaks down and destroys the cells, and the soft, gray matter therein, nor does coffee supply the food to replace these cells and this naturally leads to mental exhaustion, and nervous prostration.

"Some two years ago, I was laid low with a very severe attack of nervous prostration, and had to resign my position with a large mercantile house of this city," writes a gentleman from Brooklyn.

"The doctors said my complaint was due to over-work, long hours and insufficient exercise, and recommended a trip to Europe. More dead than alive, I followed their advice and went to England for a short visit but came back very little improved, and unable to work, sick and disheartened.

On my return my wife and I went to boarding and a gentleman living in the house told me of the beneficial results he had experienced by leaving off coffee and using Postum Food Coffee.

I at once stopped drinking tea or coffee, and used Postum drinking it three times a day, and in a short time found a decided improvement in my condition, and now, I am glad to say, am following my profession again. I do not feel the slightest effects of my old complaint, and I am confident that I owe my present good health to the use of Postum.

We have two children and our little girl who is now two years of age, has been brought up on Postum and Grape-Nuts, and today weighs 40 pounds. Pretty good for a child only two years of age." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

THE MAN IN ARMOR

Was no match for the microbe. Giants he might slay but this microscopic organism defied him, and in many a campaign more men were destroyed by camp diseases than by the enemy's sword.

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

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—Dr. Woods has placed two very handsome illuminated signs in front of his dental office on George street.

—About twenty-five stalwart young men left town yesterday afternoon to spend the winter in the shanties.

—The item in yesterday morning's daily about the cheese shipment should have read 679 boxes instead of 67.

—Tuesday's mail from the east was not thrown off at the station, and therefore did not arrive here till yesterday morning.

Three good boys wanted at The Times office—one to learn bookbinding, one to learn press work and one as messenger in the bookstore.

—The non-com. officers of the 57th Regiment were instructed in the new skirmishing drill by Sergeant-Major Brittain on Wednesday evening.

—Fruit Inspector Lick has decided that the wet season is the cause of the scab on the apples this season. The worms have not been so troublesome as other years.

—Mr. R. Neil has treated his handsome shoe store on George street to a fresh coat of paint, inside and outside, thus giving the establishment even a brighter appearance than ever.

—Mr. R. Rex left yesterday afternoon for Lakefield to look after some painting contracts. Mr. Rex has done a lot of painting in that section as well as in Peterborough, and his work gives good satisfaction.

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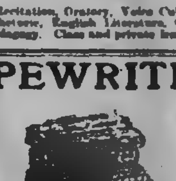

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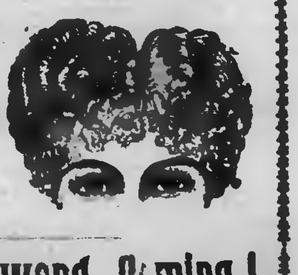

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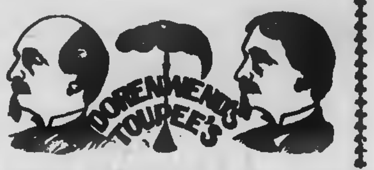

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THE YOUNG GIANT OF THE NORTH AN AMERICAN OPINION OF CANADA

Remarkable Expansion in all Departments of Canadian Trade

THE LARGE INFLUX OF SETTLERS TO THE NORTHWEST

A Country Whose Future is Rosy And Hopeful

New York, Nov. 7—Bradstreets, of New York, has the following:

Canada has made giant strides of late years. This fact has been apparent to the most casual observer, while to the student taking an interest in the economic development of a people there is abundant evidence of material progress which augurs well for the immediate future of the country. Comparatively young business men in Canada have a recollection of geography lessons at school in which it was set forth that the two chief items of export in Canadian trade were fish and lumber. It is interesting now to note that in the list of exports for the first quarter of the present fiscal year fish stood sixth and lumber seventh, animals and their produce and products of the mines in first and second places respectively, replacing fish and lumber, which were formerly the only two really important staple exports of the Dominion.

Although there has been a remarkable expansion in nearly all departments of Canadian trade the past year or two, the greatest development has been in connection with the iron and steel industries and in agriculture. When the end of the current half year is reached it will be found that the results of the operations in these branches of industry have caused very substantial additions to the domestic trade of the country.

In agriculture Canadians have been far from idle. There has been a large increase this year in the cereal production. In Manitoba and the Northwest, which are inclined to claim to be "the future granary of the Empire," the production of all grains this year exceeded for the first time the 100,000,000 bushel mark. Of this 60,000,000 bushels was spring wheat of a higher average grade than the country ever yielded before.

The large influx of settlers to the west the past ten months, has with the increased production of grain this year, greatly stimulated the demands of the west for staple goods from eastern Canadian centres of manufacture. Supply has in many cases failed to keep pace with the increased demand, and factories and mills are now being taxed to their fullest capacity, in meeting the requirements of the mercantile trade. The settlers who went into the west the past ten months did not break ground for crops this year, and they, with the many others now going into the country, will cause a still further increase in the grain production next year. It is believed that Western Canada, with favorable conditions, will in 1903 produce 100,000,000 bushels of spring wheat. There were in the west this year less than 3,000,000 acres of land under wheat. There are in that part of the country 40,000,000 to 50,000,000 acres of land, as good for the production of wheat as those already under cultivation. This gives some idea of the possibilities offered by the west for the growing of wheat.

The future of the west is full of promise. Leading business houses in Canada are establishing branches in anticipation of the large business that will accrue there a year or two hence manufacturers are raising capital to invest in industrial enterprises, and the chartered banks have been steadily increasing their capital to provide for the extension of business in that part of the Dominion by the opening of branches. Two years ago the total paid-up capital of the Canadian chartered banks was $364,246,9[illegible]7; now it is $70,270,408, and arrangements are being made for a still further expansion in the banking capital of the country.

In Ontario there has also been a marked expansion in industrial operations this year. The increase in agricultural operations of this province the present crop year has been large. The total crops of wheat, barley, rye. This, with the increased activity in buckwheat, oats, peas and corn amount to 100,000,000 bushels, which is the largest production of grain in Ontario so far recorded for one harvest lumbering operations, mineral lands, and manufactures, will cause a further expansion in mercantile trade, and insure another year of prosperity There never was a time in the history of Canada, when labor was so fully employed and so well paid as at the present time. In a good many lines of manufacture the demand for skilled labor cannot be supplied, and the output is limited only by this difficulty.

—Bears are quite plentiful this fall and come quite close to the settlements in search of food, as beech and oak nuts are a very poor crop. Walter Wigg trapped a fine large one at Jack's Lake lately.

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PROBABLY FATALLY INJURED

Rev. I. W. Puffer, Formerly of Peterborough Accidentally Injured

Word was received that Rev. Isaac W. Puffer was run down by an engine at Decatur, Ill., on Friday last and was so severely injured that he will probably die

Mr. Puffer, before his entrance into the ministry, lived in Peterborough, where he attended school. His many friends in this locality will regret to hear of his accident.

COL. SAM HUGHES

Returned from the Northwest and Likes the Country

Ottawa, Ont., November, 7.—Col. Sam Hughes, of Lindsay, reached the city last night. He has just returned from an extended visit to Edmonton, where he has large interests.

Col. Hughes is a believer in the Canadian Northwest, and speaks in glowing terms of the country.

"A phase of affairs that is particularly pleasing to Canadians," he said "is the enormous extent of immigration from the western states. I have been all around the Edmonton district and was greatly impressed with the number of American settlers. They are coming in in thousands and are one of the very finest classes of citizens."

A VALUABLE MINERAL

A Rich Find in the Country North of Peterborough

The mineral riches stored in the rocks of Ontario are becoming better known every day as a result of the impetus which has been imparted to prospecting and development in every part of the Province. The latest discovery reported the Crown Lands Department is of great value from an economic standpoint. It is a deposit of molybdenite, which occurs in the northeast corner of Haliburton, and which, from all the information that could be obtained by sinking a few test pits, is quite extensive. The veins are several feet wide in some places and are very rich in large crystals of the precious article, some of which are from three to four inches across and one inch in thickness. Molybdenite, producing from 50 to 55 per cent. of molybdenum is worth about $400 per ton and the product is worth $1.55 to $2.0,0 per pound. Molybdenum is used mainly as an alloy of the finer qualities of steel, to which it imparts an especial hardness, thereby considerably improving its quality and value.

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Rochester, N.Y. Nov. 7 — Twenty years ago to a day the residence of Mrs. Cora M. Elliott, in Ogdensburg, was robbed of jewels worth $1,000. No trace of the missing jewels was found, and a few years later Mr. Elliott moved to Rochester. Yesterday the postman delivered to Mrs. Elliott, a little oblong box made up of cardboard, patched together roughly, and when it was opened, she found, carefully rolled up in cotton, the missing jewels. The box bore the postmark of Prescott, Ont. Among the jewels returned was a unique long heavy gold chain, made by Mrs. Elliott's husband who took the gold from a mine himself. Each link had a gold dollar attached.

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OUR TOWN COUNCIL.

The Times Invites Votes for the Best Man

WHO WILL BE OUR MAYOR?

The People are Now Interested in the Matter

The Morning Times Makes the Start—The Plan Likely to Awaken the Interest—Some Really Good Men are Talked of—Send your Votes in at Once by Letter or Leave Them at Our Office

In order to induce people to take a greater interest in municipal matters The Times has decided to adopt a plan which has become so popular with many of the leading newspapers in United States and Canada.

Who will be our next Mayor?

Who is to represent us in the Town Council?

Probably never before has Peterborough been in greater need of careful, prudent legislation than at present. She has arrived at the period in her history when the movement will be either forward or backward; when retrenchments and a careful overhauling of our civic expenditure is an absolute necessity with a view to greater economy. The ratepayers must be made to realize that if Peterborough is ever to amount to anything our taxes must be reduced. Half-way measures are utterly useless. The evil must be met in a careful, thorough, practical manner, and this can only be done by the selection of men who sit at our council board who will be pledged to cut down our civic expenditure to the lowest possible amount consistent with the dignity of the town, and a proper administration of our civic affairs.

The Times speaks its mind freely on all matters that concern the people, we should be sorry to offend anyone, and our purpose is not do so. If however, we have to speak plainly to accomplish the end we have in view and our language is not what some think it should be, we hope that they will appreciate our position, and give us credit for what we try to do fearlessly in advocating what we believe is for the best interests of the people. The result of each day's voting will appear in The Times from time to time.

As before indicated, the object of the whole thing is to excite interest in municipal matters. Everyone will have a chance to name the men they think best fitted for a position at the council board

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5 Votes

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Prof. J. H. De Silberg, the celebrated eye specialist from Germany will be in Hastings on Wednesday, Nov. 19th until Thursday, Nov. 20th, at the Coughlin House Parlors; in Norwood on Friday, Nov. 21st until Nov. 24th, at Dr. Moffatt's Drug Store; in Keene, on Tuesday, Nov. 25th, until Wednesday, Nov. 26th, at Dr. Harrison's Office; in Lakefield, on Thursday, Nov. 27th, until Saturday, Nov. 29th, 1902, at Dr. Burgess Drug Store. Those having weak or imperfect eyes should not fail to consult him.

THE SHAH OF PERSIA ANGRY WITH ENGLAND

And Is Preparing to Make Serious Trouble in the Far East

The Object Which Russia has Aimed at for Years May Now Probably Be Attained

London, November 8 — The Shah of Persia, it is said by cable left England after his visit in a pet because of some supposed slight put upon him; and his Imperial Majesty's resentment is believed to be about to find expression in a way that he expects will make Great Britain wish that he had been used with greater distinction. There are various matters afoot in Persia and on its frontiers in which Britain has a leading interest, which is they cannot be acommodated by joint and equitable agreement on business and political grounds, will not be set aside arbitrarily at the Shah's whim — we may be sure of that. The Quetta-Nushki Railway is one of these interests now well on its way, or so far advanced at least that Russian aims and aspirations to which it has stood somewhat in the path, cannot be used by the Shah to prevent its accomplishment. This is the commencement of the all-rail route from the Persian Gulf to the Yangtze River in China. The Novoe Vremya lately took alarm at this bold project, and predicted that the railway will be continued to Seistan, the border Province of the Persian Empire, and thus hurl the English on the flank of "the probable path of Russian advance in India. To avert these dangers it called upon Russia to "paralyze her rivals" by building railways of her own in Persia towards the Indian Ocean, and it declared that Persia "was the only position which Russia could occupy peacefully, and whose possession will bring it on the flank of the Germans in Mesopotamia and the British in Baluchistan and India."

In the House of Commons debates regarding this question the real nature of the British policy in Persia was explained. Sir Edward Grey and Lord Cranborne spoke firmly and clearly as to the duty of maintaining the British position and promoting its trade in South Persia. "We ought," said the former, "to consolidate our influence by the extension of our trade interests; and these, after all, become a great vested right," and he warned against the danger of allowing "our trade in Southern Persia to dwindle and of taking no practical steps to acquire new political rights." The Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs declared that our interests in Persia "are of the highest political order— vast commercial interests which it is our wish and our duty to maintain." Neither Sir Edward Grey nor Lord Cranborne saw any reason why the policy thus indicated should lead unto unfriendly relations with Russia; but Lord Cranborne expressly laid down that friendly relations in this matter "are not to be sought at the cost of any treaty rights we possess." British policy, he affirmed, is the integrity of Persia—a policy to which England and Russia mutually pledged themselves pin 1888. "But," he significantly added, "there are limits to that policy. That policy cannot be pursued independently of the action of other powers. We are anxious for the integrity of Persia, but we are anxious far more for the balance of power." After stating that this is "especially true of the Persian Gulf," he continued to point out that it is not less true "of the southern provinces on Persia and those provinces which border on our Indian Empire. Our rights there and our position of ascendancy we cannot abandon." That policy has the thorough support of the British nation. Whatever else she may do, Great Britain cannot afford to trifle with her interests in regions which adjoin her Indian possessions or flank her highway to the Far East.

The Political Outlook

The Government Has Now a Majority of Three Which is a Gain of Two

If the Government can elect three supporters for the three vacant seats it will have a majority of six. As it now stands Mr. Ross has three to the good.

The coming contest between the parties in the bye-elections, is is said be fought in North Perth, North Norfolk, now open, and in East Middlesex, North Grey, and Lennox which will be opened.

More evidence and the argument is yet to be heard in South Oxford but only the argument is yet to be heard in the East Middlesex case against Dr. Routledge, the Liberal M.P.P.

North Grey, against A. G. McKay, Liberal, the Tories say of a certainty will be opened.

In Lennox against T. G. Carscallen, Conservative. There is a motion pending to set aside the petition. It will be heard in Toronto this week.

Four of the remaining election protests, two against Liberals and two against Conservatives, have been practically dropped by the transfer of their "trials" to Toronto.

The four are—Hon. J. M. Gibson, in East Wellington; John R. Barber, in Halton, and these Conservatives—Dr. Lackner, in North Waterloo, and W. D. McLeod in Glengarry.

Marconi Soon Ready to Talk

The Inventor is Satisfied with the Progress of His Wireless Telegraphy Experiments in Cape Breton

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 7.—A despatch from Glace Bay says: A number of workmen are busily engaged at Table Head station, completing the installation of the machinery and apparatus. On two of the towers have been placed poles about thirty feet in length, inclining slightly towards the east. Wires connect these with the wire which enters the receiving room. These are used in conductile service of the important experiments in which Marconi is now engaged. Marconi, when asked, stated that thus far the experiments are giving complete satisfaction. He would neither deny nor affirm that a message had been received from Poldhu by the Carlo Alberta, but stated that an important announcement would be made in a few days. Admiral Douglas, R.N., was here yesterday for some time to view progress of the experiments.

WIRELESS MESSAGE OVER SEA

Marconi Said to Have Got One At Sydney From England

Sydney, N.S., Nove. 7—The success of wireless telegraphy as a means for trans-Atlantic communication is now practically assured according to the statement on Commander Martin of the Italian cruiser Carlo Alberto, which Marconi is using in his experiments. Commander Martin stated in an interview this morning that a wireless message was received off Sydney Harbor on Saturday on board the warship from the station at Cornwall, England.

This message is by far the longest yet transmitted by wireless telegraphy. The distance from the Harbor to Cornwall is greater than that from Table Head to Cornwall, where the station is being built.

On board the warship are several messages received from the Cornwall station, most of them being messages of congratulation to Marconi from the Czar of Russia and King Humbert. The Carlo Alberto can send messages only 150 miles, but she receives any distance. The messages were all received in the Morse code and without exception were fully taken.

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A PROPOSAL TO PAY MEMBERS OF REICHSTAG

Method of Securing Constant Attendance of Majority in Parliament

Appeal May be Made to the Hague Arbitration Tribunal—Facts About the Pretender to the Moroccan Throne

London, Nov. 7.—It would appear, says a Berlin correspondent, that for the present all diplomatic negotiations between the Government and the Agrarian majority in the Reichstag to prevent the collapse of the tariff scheme have ended in smoke. There is, the correspondent says, a general feeling that the tariff scheme is doomed, but Agrarians are anxious to avoid the appearance of being blamable for the disaster, and are therefore making unprecedented efforts to secure a quorum in the Reichstag, so that the country may not be shocked by the repeated spectacle of a count out. Each day it is becoming more difficult to induce an adequate number of Agrarian Deputies from the provinces of Southern Germany to attend the Reichstag. Many members, particularly among the Clericals, cannot afford to reside in Berlin, and the only method of securing the constant attendance of a majority in Parliament would be to pass a measure providing for the payment of members. The Imperial Chancellor, Count Von Bulow, is said to favor such a measure, but apparently he has not the courage to propose it. Well-informed persons anticipate if the tariff bill ends in a fiasco that the Social Democrats will return to the Reichstag after the autumn elections, between 90 and 100 strong. Their number is now 58, but they expect large gains from the Moderates.

SMALL FOLLOWING.

London, Nov. 7.—A correspondent at Fez says the Pretender to the Moroccan throne, against whom an expedition has been sent, is a middle aged man. He began his mission among the most ignorant and superstitious of the Berber tribes. He at first confined himself to a few conjuring tricks, but his success encouraged him to attempt bigger things. The Pretender is proclaimed a brother of the Sultan. He is nicknamed "Bu Hamare," meaning "father of She-ass," because he never rides anything but a small donkey, carrying a prayer rug and a servant rides behind him on a horse. The correspondent says the Pretender does not appear to have a large following.

REBELS IN CUBA.

Havana, Nov. 7.—It is reported that a strong revolutionary party has been organized and that an appeal will be made to the Hague Arbitration Commission against the enforcement of the Platt amendment by the United States.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

London, Nov. 6.—A statement made by an Afghan merchant, who has just arrived in Calcutta from Kabul, is contained in a despatch to the Times from the former city. The merchant says a letter from the Russian Government asking for closer commercial relations with Afghanistan, was read by the Ameer in Durbar.

Opinions were called for, and one nobleman suggested that the bearer of the letter be beaten. The Ameer caused a reply to be written, in which it was stated that he was willing to discuss the matter, but it was impossible to change in a moment the whole tenor of Afghan policy. All future communications must be addressed through the Government of India, according to the precedent set by the late Ameer, Abdur Rahman.

Saltcoats, N.W.T., Nov. 6.—The Immigration Department's determination to convey to their former homes the women and children of the Doukhobor pilgrims who were detained at Yorkton was successfully carried out yesterday. Not the least difficulty was experienced The kindness and humanity with which the wanders had been treated by the officials and citizens convinced them fully that their best interests would be served by returning to theirs homes.

The train that left Yorkton had 200 women had 152 children between the ages of five and twelve years. The women seemed rather pleased with the change in the situation, and one or two of them expressed the hope that the "lords and masters" would soon return.

The male pilgrims continued the march through slush and snow in the vicinity of Shoal Lake yesterday. They expect to reach Winnipeg in about ten days. The main body entered Shoal Lake last night, four or five hundred in a compact square about twenty abreast, chanting a hymn. They were received in the middle of the town by the townspeople. The pilgrims stopped, and one of the leaders, who could speak fairly good English, turned to some wags who were poking fun at them, and, addressing everybody, said: "Brothers and sisters, we are traveling for Jesus. Jesus died for us all. Please accept Jesus. Our mission is peace.

A village wag was blaspheming Christianity, and several of the pilgrims noticing he was enjoying a cigar, told him that "Jesus no smoke, Jesus no drink wiskey, Jesus no kill, no steal."

All questions put to the pilgrims were similarly answered. The pilgrims are all fairly well clad, and most of them have rubbers. After their arrival they moved to a vacant piece of land near the skating rink at the east of the town, where all took a hearty supper of bread, oatmeal, apples, and onions. Although several of the pilgrims seemed hungry, no selfishness on the part of any of them was noticeable, each gladly sharing what he had with his neighbor.

During supper the special train of eight coaches came in, taking the women and children. Mr. C. W. Speers and other officials, accompanied by interpreters, came off the train and tried to persuade the pilgrims to go home. A heavy snow began to fall, but the weather prospects, the appeals and warnings of Mr. Speers and others, had no effect. They said they were bound to conquer the world for Jesus by peaceful methods. The immigration officials particularly urged and entreated the leaders and warned them of the folly of their movement, which was sure to bring disaster with the approaching weather, but all was of no avail.

Shoal Lake, Man., Nov. 7.—The Doukhobors left here yesterday morning on their march eastward. There were about fifteen deserters from their ranks besides a few who had to stay behind through sickness. They were all comfortably housed during the night by the residents of the village. The main portion of them still are firm in their craze, and seem perfectly satisfied with the progress they are making. Strathclair was reached at noon, and the pilgrims spend the night at Newdale.

Mr. C. W. Speers, colonization agent, who has been in charge of the Government arrangement for the care of the women and children of the Doukhobors, said: "The women at Yorkton are all anxious to go back to their homes, and it will not take long, I am convinced, for their influence to bring their husbands back to a proper way of thinking."

Niagara Falls, Nov. 7.—A most peculiar fire is in progress in the Grand Trunk Railway yards. It is in the coal piles of 10,000 tons, and has been burning for two weeks, but the men who are fighting it are beginning now to get the upper hand.

For some cause, probably spontaneous combustion from excessive rain, one of these piles took fire. The fire ate steadily into the pile, and clouds of gas and smoke began to drift through the yards and over the town. Pipe lines were laid, and vast quantities of water were poured into the burning mass, with little effect.

The fight to save the coal is now being carried on by a big gang of Italians and white navvies, under the superintendency of several foremen. Several streams of water are kept playing on the fire, and the men stand in clouds of steam shoveling the wet coal into cars, which are drawn away as fast as filled.

A cut was made through the pile to cut off the burning end, but the fire got across, and is again eating into the main pile.

Sports and Pastimes

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 7.—Tony Moran, of Philadelphia, knocked out Jimmy Farren, of this city, to-night in the fourth round of the twenty round bout before the Athletic Club. Farren seemed to be strong before the final blow reached him. He was carried from the ring by his seconds, but recovered in a few minutes.

HOCKEY.

Galt, Nov. 7.—Galt will have an intermediate team in the O.H.A. and possibly one in the W.O.H.A. All this was discussed and decided upon Wednesday at the meeting in the Hotel Grand. There are fully 25 first-class hockeyists in Galt and this old town is going to hum this winter. The following officers were elected: Hon. President, J. C. Dietrick; Hon. Vice-President, A. R. Goldie; President, Dr. Mackendrick; First Vice-President, Ferg. MacGregor; Second Vice-President, Fred Taylor, Secretary, L. D. Duff; Treasurer, George Hancock, Jr.; Executive, Fred Shurly, T. T. Aitkin, and A. M. Edwards; Manager, John Fraser; Trainer, J. D. Eagan.

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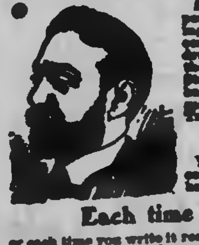

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THE STUDENT RIOTS IN TORONTO

Toronto is greatly disturbed over the occurrence on Hallowe'en of a clash between the students and the police in which the students got the worst of it.

President Loudon thinks the police are wrong, because, apparently, a few innocent students were hit in the melee. From what we know, however, of the history of the actions of students and boys generally on Hallowe'en in these modern times, we have to say that till the contrary is shown, we believe the police are in the right. There is no wit in wanton destruction of property, and students ought to understand by this time that they will be judged by the company they keep. In Peterborough active measures are being taken to discover those who have exceeded the bounds of decency in their misconduct wrongly called "pranks" and we trust that gradually this system of modern hoodlumism will be done away with thoroughly.

AN AFFAIR OF THE EYES

Comes a medical man discoursing on the pathology of sea sickness. Against the generally accepted theory that the cause is elsewhere, he declares that it is "all in your eye." In the current issue of the Medical Record Dr. A. L. Ranney goes over the whole subject, and says:—"The eyes first give information to the sufferer of the changing of horizons produced by the movement of the vessel. The sufferer immediately begins unconsciously to adjust both his eyes and his body to varying planes to which he is being subjected. He struggles, in consequence, to adapt himself to conditions which he cannot anticipate and prepare for, until at last he loses the normal control over his nervous mechanism, and experiences the reflex nervous conditions manifested by dizziness and nausea. Even when lying down with closed eyes, the effort at adjustment goes on until the victim becomes too weak to make it or the motions of the vessel cease. Then the nervous equilibrium is gradually reestablished. For the prevention of sea sickness Dr. Ranney suggests not dieting or drugs, but a careful examination of the eyes for errors of refraction and muscular unbalance, and the correction of these errors. "Patients who are particularly susceptible," he adds, "to sea sickness or car sickness should be instructed to make no efforts of visual adjustment or of a body adjustment that they can possibly avoid for the first part of their trip. They should not look out of windows or portholes. They should school themselves to assume the condition as closely as possible of absolute passiveness to all surroundings. This applies to the body as well as to efforts of vision.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

In 1888 Sir Richard Cartwright explained the Liberal doctrine of Canada for the Canadians," as follows:—

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Is this where they are to-day?

In the railroad world the great trouble at present is the lack of locomotives. There are, it is said, freight cars enough or nearly enough; motive power is what is wanted. What to do when the big corn crop begins to move is bothering the railroad men of the south west, as the moving of the wheat crop bothers the northwest.

A Kansas political manager is of the opinion that the rural mail delivery system with its daily newspaper, is largely responsible for the political apathy in that State. He points out that the political rally has heretofore given the farmer an opportunity to drive to town and meet his neighbors; it has been one of the remedies for the loneliness of farm life, but the daily newspaper now delivered at his door removes this feeling of loneliness and serves to occupy agreeably his leisure hour. If this convenience can be given to 'the lonely farmer in Kansas, why not to the less lonely farmer of Ontario? Is not this country also ripe for rural free delivery?

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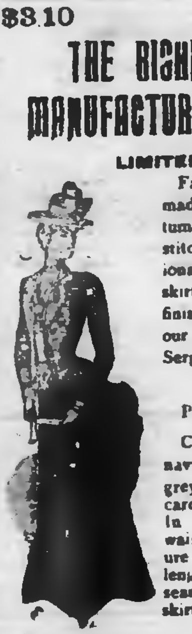

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"By Jove, that is good of you!" exclaimed Dick, who had a hearty and pleasant manner, which endeared him to strangers. "I'll be only too thankful to make it 'in my line,' and do the very best I can, for I've had beastly luck lately, as maybe Winnie has told you. Is it you who offer me the position?"

"No," said Newcome, flushing a little, as Winifred remembered afterwards. "It's a friend of mine, a richer man than I am—a very good fellow, not young. He's engaged to-night," continued Newcome. "But will you dine with me tomorrow evening at the Savoy Hotel at eight, and go round with me to my rooms afterwards to meet him?"

"Delighted!" cried Dick, thankful that he had not pawned his evening clothes, as he had been tempted to do lately.

"And I wonder if you would both dine with me somewhere to-night," went on Newcome, "just we three alone? Do say 'yes,' Miss Gray."

Winifred did say 'yes' with joy. It was so wonderful, so almost unnatural to feel joy. She basked in it, she revelled in it, thrusting all the old troubles aside as if they had ceased to exist. Presently Dick left them alone together, and Newcome ventured to say something which had stuck in his throat before. Wouldn't Winifred let him lend her money—heaps of money? It was for that he had rejoiced in his luck. If she would not take it what he had would be worthless to him. She had given herself to him now, and surely he had some rights over her. Besides, she must remember their compact. He had borrowed from her because she had promised to do the same from him when he should be in a position to lend. That time had come now; he had thousands, and he would claim her promise.

Of course Winifred said no; but Newcome would not accept her refusal. He was urging his point when Dick came back, and had succeeded so far as to make the girl consent to think it over.

They dined together at a quiet place, and even the presence of a third person could not damp their hapiness. They looked into each other's eyes while Dick ate the first good dinner which, he announced, he had tasted for an age.

Next morning came flowers for Winifred. She had never loved flowers so well before. Some she took to her mother, kissing their sweet faces before she parted with them; but others she wore when Hope Newcome came to her again in the afternoon. She was alone, as on the day before, and her lover helped cut bread and butter for tea; and they called each other "partner," as they had in the strange days at Brighton.

That night Winifred sat up to wait for Dick when he should come home from his dinner at the Savoy and the engagement at Newcome's rooms afterwards. She longed to hear all about what had happened, and what sort of man her brother's employer had turned out to be.

CHAPTER XXX.

Macaire's Secretary.

Half-past eleven came and still no Dick. But just as the clock of St. Mary's Church struck twelve the door was flung open, and Dick entered, whistling the latest music-hall air. Winifred ran to meet him.

"Oh, Dick, you'll wake everybody in the house," she said warningly.

"Well," he echoed. "My appointment's all right. And I'm to live in the handsomest house in this old village."

"What—you won't be at home? Oh, mother will be disappointed. Still, it can't be helped. Anyhow, you'll be in London."

"For a while. And then I'm going abroad with—him. Guess who. You've heard his name a thousand times. Think of one of the most important men in England. By Jove! von Zellheim has some swell friends."

"No; financier; sporting-man — all round good fellow, I'll bet. And by Jove, he may do something for you. Seems he's interested in theaters. Got so much money he doesn't know where to put it all. But guess, Winnie."

The girl had grown suddenly pale. "I—can't" she faltered. "For Heaven's sake, tell me—quickly."

"Well, I'm private secretary, if you please, to nobody less than Mr. Lionel Macaire."

With a cry Winifred sprang to her feet. "No, Dick—no!" she gasped. "Say you're only joking."

"Then I should tell a lie. I'm in dead earnest. What makes you look so queer?"

The girl stood still, pressing a hand against each temple, her bright hair pushed back.

"Did you say that—Lionel Macaire was Hope Newcome's—Baron von Zellheim's friend?" she asked.

"Rather. They're no end of chums. Macaire calls Von Zellheim 'my dear boy,' and pats him on the shoulder. He thanked Von Zellheim for bringing us together, which it seems had all been arranged between them for some time before it came off. And I can tell you I have to thank young Zellheim, too. This will be the making of me, Win."

"It will be the undoing of us all," she moaned. "Oh, Heavens to think that he should be false, too."

Dick stopped in his walk and stared at her. "I don't know what you're driving at, Sis," he said.

She seemed to be looking at him, though her eyes, dark with pain, saw nothing save Hope Newcome's face, which rose before them as if to mock her with its sham nobility, its sham truth, its sham love. But it was not for Dick to know the bitter anguish, the shame that made her writhe.

"It doesn't matter," she answered him dully, almost sullenly. "You can't possibly be Mr. Macaire's secretary, Dick—that's all."

"Can't!" he repeated. "My dear girl, you must be mad. The thing's settled. I go to work early to-morrow morning. Some time this winter he and I are off to the Riviera and Monte Carlo together; think of that!"

"I can't think of it. It won't bear thinking of. For Heaven's sake sit down and write a letter saying that—that you accepted the offer under a misapprehension—anything—only make it dignified and firm. Oh, Dick, listen to me! The worst trouble I have ever known has come from this man. He has persecuted me. You weren't told because, though you're older than I am, you're very young in many ways, and it seemed best not. Even mother doesn't know nearly all. Because I wouldn't listen to his hateful love-making——"

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STOCK MARKETS

Trend of After-Election Market

New York, Oct 7—Surprising inertia and indefiniteness of purpose appears to remain as the characteristic feature of the stock market. Wednesday following election day concentrated and energetic efforts were brought to bear against quotations under leadership of the Waldorf Astoria clique, followed by the stock exchange floor trading fraternity. Stocks were sold merrily and indiscriminately, while the selling was accompanied by all kinds of direful stories. Houses with western connections were given selling orders also. On Thursday it looked as if the market had been sold to a standstill and stocks began to recuperate. Great stress was laid upon the uncertain positions of the Empire State for 1904, demonstrated by Coler's large vote, while ultra bears even had him elected on Wednesday. Little, if any, attention is being given to the numerous facts favorable to the markets. Future Southern Railway has reported an increase for the third week in October amounting to $69,986. Louisville for the same week improved $92,000. Penna and M. K. & T. also made extremely favorable showings for the same period. Too much company upon either side of an extremely dull market in danger. There is rapidly becoming too much company on the bear side at present. The little bears and traders as well as sold our shareholders, will probably in a few days awaken to the fact that they have supplied the stocks with which the larger fellows covered their present short commitments. Timely warning is therefore advisable. A dull period cannot be pushed in either direction. The preponderance of factors upon either side will eventually govern prices. They always do, and at present writing the preponderance leans strongly to the bull side of the account. Stocks are now at a low level compared to very recent prices. Consequently with no impairment of earnings, a large crop ahead to be marketed, with good prices ruling for same it would appear extremely injudicious to sell anything at present. The change from inactivity and indecisiveness of market movement to activity will more than likely be as sudden as marked. Put yourself speculatively in shape therefore for the impending change.

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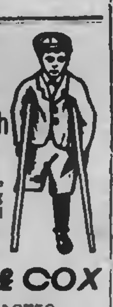

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PETERBOROUGH, NOV. 8, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Coffee Stock Canes

Professor W. G. Fleming, the baloonist, returned to town yesterday. He brought two unique canes from Houston, Texas, and presented one to Mr. D. McCabe and the other to Mr. Chris. Graham. The canes are coffee stocks, nicely painted and embellished, and highly prized by the two gentlemen to whom they were presented by the Professor.

East Lynne

This old, but ever popular English drama, by special request, was presented to a very large audience in the Opera House last night by the Marks' Brothers. It is a story full of touching incidents, and many tears were shed as the misled and cruelly wronged Lady Isabel knelt by the cot of her dying child. It is a drama that will never grow old, and Marks' Brothers gave it such a realistic effect that the audience seemed to feel that the real characters of the novel were before them.

Beet Sugar Factories

Mr. W. B. Bamford, Travelling Freight Agent for the C.P.R., and a former resident of Peterborough, was renewing acquaintances in town yesterday. Mr. Bamford is a great enthusiast in beet sugar factories. Having visited some of those already in operation in Ontario, he is very pronounced in his opinion that the proposed factory in Peterborough will prove to be a source of much revenue to the farmers of the surrounding country, as well as a great industrial concern for the town.

Cramps are Like Burglars

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Going to Toronto Junction

Dr. Jeffs, who represents the Fourth Division, comprising the Townships of Asphodel, Belmont and Methuen, with the villages of Norwood and Havelock, for the County Council of the County of Peterborough, has, we understand, bought a practice at Toronto Junction and will present his resignation to the County Council at its next meeting on Nov. 19th. Dr. Jeffs made an energetic and hard-working County Councillor, and his removal from the County will be generally regretted.

Need not Go to the Klondyke

The Marks' Brothers, who are occupying the Opera House this week, received a letter yesterday from an absent brother, who has staked a claim in the Klondike. He says that he has a log cabin and a dog for a companion, and although he has only been there for a few years he has already been offered $5,000 for his possessions, but he is holding them at $15,000. The Marks' Brothers who are here need not go to the Klondyke to make their fortunes, so long as they can put up such good shows and draw the crowds they are doing in Peterborough.

Was Not Re-Elected

We notice from the returns as published of the United States elections that Dr. Pendry's name does not appear in the list of successful candidates for the State Legislature. Dr. Pendry is an old Peterborough boy, and has been a leading member of the assembly at Albany, having been elected by a district in Brooklyn city, where he resides. When he lived in Peterborough he was on the Times staff. His defeat at the polls will be regretted by his many Peterborough friends. But it will be impossible to keep a good man down, and Dr. Pendry is sure to bob up somewhere very soon.

The proposal to have the assessment roll published is regarded by many as a good idea. On all sides one hears of assessment inequalities, and this, it is asserted, would be an excellent way to dispose of the grumbling, and also rectify any evils that exist.

—The Archdeaconry of Peterborough will meet in Port Hope on Nov. 18th and 19th.

FOOD CHANGES PEOPLE

Both Adult, and Babies

Babies can eat and thrive on the same kind of food that their elders do, when that food happens to be Grape-Nuts.

"Our little baby girl had spasms," writes Mrs. Geo. B Noble, of West Union, Ia., "caused, the physician said, by improper food. He advised a diet of milk but she did not gain in either health weight or brightness, and we had to continually use physic.

We were simply wild, hopeless and miserable over our little one. For a long time I had been reading of Grape-Nuts, and perhaps by inspiration I bought a package and began feeding them to her After the second meal we used no more physic, and have never used any since. It was wonderful to see her improve. Her weight was 17 1-2 pounds at 2 years; now it is 27 pounds at two years and four months. The doctor had fear for her brain, the spasms having come from her spine but the continued use of Grape-Nuts, has made her perfectly well and there is not a brighter child in the State today than our little girl.

Everybody remarks about her beautiful complexion, and her bright, witty speeches. We are never now without Grape-Nuts and often think of the awful period when we were in such desperate straits. If I can in any way interest others I am more than willing to tell them all I can about Grape-Nuts.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and Social nature either by phone in writing—[Ed. Times]

—Postmaster Vance, of Millbrook, was in town yesterday.

—Miss Ada Summerville, of London, is visiting Miss Pearl Lundy.

—Rev. H. B. Kenny, of Millbrook, was renewing acquaintances in town yesterday.

—Mrs. Brandon, Fenelon Falls, is the guest of her daughter Mrs. W. H. Robertson.

—Mr. J. A. Moffatt, of Port Hope, has been appointed accountant of the Traders' Bank at Lakefield.

—Messrs. Wm. E. Roseburgh and J. L. Squire, of Norwood, were registered at the Munro House yesterday morning.

—Miss E. M. Maguire has gone to Jersey City to resume her occupation as a professional nurse. She is a graduat of St. Luke's Hospital, Ottawa.

—Miss Flora Collins is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Collins, McDonnell street. Miss Collins is a nurse in the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto.

—Mr. G. W. Hatton left yesterday morning to inspect the oil fields of Arizona, New Mexico and California, in which some of our citizens are interested.

—Mr. S. S. Edsall, of Bowmanville, traveling representative of the Durham Rubber Company, was in town yesterday morning. Mr. Edsall has many friends in Peterborough who were pleased to greet him once more.

—We congratulate Mr. Maitland G. Boswell, of this town, on his appointment as assistant lecturer in Chemistry at Toronto University. His success is creditable to his scholarly attainments and brings honor to the town as well.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—There are $18,000 of taxes still unpaid in town.

—To-morrow will be the anniversary of the King's birthday.

—The Victoria County Hospital will be opened on Thursday, November 20th.

—George street church intends to form a Young men's Guild.

—The National Hotel managers are putting on their double windows and storm doors, so as not to be caught "napping" when the blizzards come.

—Workmen employed on the Cereal Company dam now commence at 6.45 a.m. At noon they are only allowed 45 minutes for dinner, and quit work in the evening at 5.30.

—The old roughcast house on the corner of Charlotte and Reid streets is being removed, and will be replaced by a brick structure.

—The ballots and other papers for taking the vote on Dec. 4th, have arrived and are in the hands of the returning officers.

—The editor of the Watch-man Warder of Lindsay, was recently presented with a turnip that weighed 19 pounds. In Peterborough they feed the editors on Quaker Oats.

—Lindsay Post: —Mr. G. M. Furby, Manager of the Midland Loan & Savings Co., Mr. L. McNall, Mr. W. T. Sleeman and Mr. W. L. Glidden of Port Hope, who had been hunting in the vicinity of Haliburton, passed through today. They

—In Lindsay an expert cook is said to knead bread with gloves on; in Peterborough we knead bread without gloves on, and if our thousands of delinquent subscribers don't hurry up and settle, this great family journal will need bread without anything on.

—The Norwood Register says: —Mr. William Pringle, principal of the Peterboro Business College, was in town on Monday. In conversation with the Register, Mr. Pringle said that the school was progressing very satisfactorily, the attendance being fully up to his expectations. Large as it was, however, Mr. Pringle said, it was not sufficient for all the applications that come to him from large business houses manufacturing concerns and offices for bookkeepers and stenographers. Messrs. Edwin Searight and Ira Moore, of this place, who have been attending this school have each obtained positions, the former in the offices of the Canadian General Electric Company and the latter in the office of W. H. Hill, insurance

ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS

Wm. H. Hall Lived Three or Four Hours After Being Shot

It is now known that death did not immediately follow to Wm. H. Hall after the gunshot, but that he lived for three or four hours. His son Wesley, paddled his canoe seven miles to Lakefield and summoned a physician, but the father had expired before Dr. Fraser arrived on the scene. Deceased was a son of the late Dr. Wm. Hall, who met his death by drowning some years ago. Wm. H. Hall came to Peterborough about the year 1846. He was married to his cousin, sister of the late Judge Hall, and his widow is now an invalid, and the sad affliction brought home to her has increased her sufferings very much. The funeral will leave the family residence, No. 227 Reid street, at 3 o'clock this afternoon for Little Lake cemetery.

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A Live Raccoon

While Mr. Fred A. Clarke was hunting in the North, he captured a live Raccoon, and yesterday he placed it in the front window of his hat and fur store on George street. It attracted considerable attention, especially of children. The animal is a fine specimen of its class, possessing a beautiful fur, and a few more like it would make a splendid overcoat. Mr. Clarke also brought back a deer, so did Mr. N. R. Jackson, who accompanied Mr. Clarke on the hunt.

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A. M. Ikerd, an employee of the C. B. & Q. R. R., West Burlington, Ia., writes:

"I had catarrh of the stomach and small intestines for a number of years. I went to a number of doctors and got no relief. Finally one of my doctors sent me to Chicago and I met the same fate. They said they could do nothing for me, that I had cancer of the stomach and there was no cure. I almost thought the same, for my breath was something awful. I could hardly stand it, it was so offensive. I could not eat anything without great misery, and I gradually grew worse.

"Finally I got one of your books, and concluded I would try Peruna, and thank God, I found a relief and a cure for that dreadful disease. I took five bottles of Peruna and two of Manalin, and I now feel like a new man. There is nothing better than Peruna, and I keep a bottle in my house all the time."—A. M. Ikerd.

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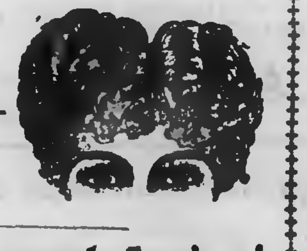

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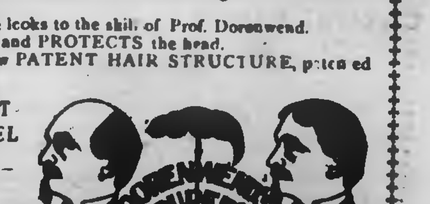

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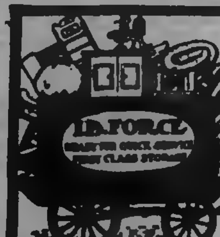

Jim Dumps moved on the first of May.
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"Why, 'Force,' of course," cried "Sunny Jim."

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A DEFENCE FUND FOR CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Will be Raised to Defend Parents Accused of Causing Child's Death

White Plains, N.Y., Nov. 9.—"Not guilty" was the plea of Mr. and Mrs. John Quimbly, Christian Scientists, and John Carroll Lathrop, a so-called "healer," when they were called to answer to the charge of manslaughter in the second degree, in connection with the death of little Esther Quimbly, before Judge Platt, in the Westchester County Court yesterday.

They were represented by Samuel M. Gardenshire, a lawyer of New York, who entered objections. This is taken as an indication that the Scientists intend to make a fight against their persecution in Westchester County. The accused were accompanied to court by their sureties, John C. Rockwell, a grocer, of Mount Vernon; Charles W. Hartmann, and Mrs. Joanna Williamson, who are on their respective bonds for $2,000 each. Mr. Lathrop, before pleading, said to the reporters:

"We shall stand by our principle. We believe we are right, and have done nothing illegal. I don't know what more I can say that would be interesting to the public."

"Have you heard from Mrs. Eddy expressing her views about your case?" Mr. Lathrop was asked.

"Really I cannot tell you that; I do not know, however, what her views are."

District Attorney Young then turned to the three prisoners arraigned before the court, and, looking at Mrs. Quimbly, said:

"You have been indicted for manslaughter in the second degree for being responsible for the death of Esther Quimbly on October 30. How do you plea?"

The mother of the child, who was attired in deep mourning, said, with a quiver of her lower lip: "Not guilty." Her husband and Mr. Lathrop made the same response.

It is said that Mary Baker G. Eddy, "Mother of the Christian Science Church," is taking a great interest in the Westchester proceedings, and has engaged a firm of lawyers to look after the interest of the Church. It is also reported that a fund of $10,000 has been raised for its mutual protection and legal services.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

London, Nov. 10—Ex-President Kruger's ox-wagon, the gift of Lord Kitchener to the city of London, has arrived at the City green ward, Whitecross street. The interior of the wagon which is stored in a spare stable, is much as it was when it was captured. The roof is lined with a light, soft-colored kind of felt, and across part of it an ordinary cross-ironed folding-up arrangement for a mattress. The ex-president's chair has disappeared, but there are various small empty barrels about, in which he was wont to carry things.

Sydney, N.S., Nov. 10.—There is a great danger of a strike at the mines of the Nova Scotia Steel and Iron company. The miners gave the company notice a short time ago that unless the demand for an average increase of 10 per cent was acceded to they would go out on the 15th. Thomas Brown, general superintendent of the company, has been at Sydney mines during the past two days trying to arrange a settlement, but so far the company and the men have come to no arrangemnt.

Boston, Nov. 8.—A very small market was noted in copper to-day, and if anything, the prices had a downward tendency. Copper Range was 61 1-2, United States mining 20 1-4, and Centennial 19 1-4, these being the only stocks handled.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 8.—The gold watch of Clara Mrton, the McLean Hospital domestic who was killed Saturday evening, and with whose murder A. G. Mason of Boston is charged, has been found in a Boston pawn shop, and the Boston police are searching for a negro, who is said to have sold the article. The man wanted is described as a negro about 21 years old. Chief Watts of Boston does not conceal his belief that the negro murdered Miss Mason and that Mason, who is now held in Middlesex County jail without bail, is innocent.

Ottawa, Nov. 10.—The Department of Justice have under consideration the report in the trial of the British Columbian murderer, Ross, who is under sentence of death for the 21st inst. Ross and his victims were both miners, and in company with other miners were indulging in a debauch when the crime was committed. From British Columbia it is learned that representations will be made by the man's friends asking for a new trial on the ground that the trial judge interfered in the trial proceedings unduly

Victoria, B.C., Nov. 8.—The brigadine Blakely, which was used in the recent treasure hunt to Cocos Islands, was sold to-day by the Marshall of the Admiralty Court to satisfy claims made by the crew for wages. E. W. MacLean, of Vancouver, purchased the vessel for $1,500. She will be dispatched to the Behring Sea to fish for cod.

London, November 10.—The statement made by an Afghan merchant who has just arrived in Calcutta from Kabul is contained in a despatch to The Times from the former city. The merchant says a letter from the Russian Government, asking for closer commercial relations with Afghanistan was read by the Ameer in Durbar. Opinions were called for and one nobleman suggested that the bearer of the letter be beaten.

The Ameer caused a reply to be written in which it was stated he was willing to discuss the matter, but it was impossible to change in a moment the whole tenor of Afghan policy. All future communications must be sent addressed through the Government of India, according to the precedent set by the late Ameer.

London Nov. 10—A despatch to the Exchange Telegram Company from Paris says that reports have been received from Odessa that the Czarina is suffering from profound melancholia.

Paris, Nov. 10—The Venezuelan agent in Paris has received the following cable despatch from the secretary of President Castro:

"Caracas, Nov. 6—Victory complete. Matos is a fugitive. Army closely pursuing him."

Ithaca, N.Y., Nov. 10—David Thompson, a wealthy farmer of Perry City, near Ithaca, died today of pneumonia, without having called in a physician. He relied entirely on the exhortations of a sect called the "Church of the Living God," or "The Holy Ghost and Us Society." His son, also, is a believer in the doctrines of the "Holy Ghost and Us Society."

He was treated by healers from Ithaca who refused his wife admittance to his room. His daughter and sister were shut out, too.

Coroner Terry of Trumansburg, will investigate the case.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 7.—During the day the attention of Chief Wade was called to a hurried interview between Nemser and a reporter, in which Nemser said he was paid to stick to his story that a Mulatto sold the watch. The chief said, "It is perfectly outrageous, the story is all bosh." Nemser was told that he would be paid for closing his shop and for going about with the officers to help the chase along. He will be reimbursed also for what he gave on the watches. He is a poor Jew and very much excited. He told me he was besieged by so many reporters that he did not know what he was saying or what he had said.

Cape Town, Nov. 10—Since the campaign of Spion Kop a beautiful spring of water has been discovered lying within the sphere of the historic operations. Had its existence been known at the time of the campaign an entirely different story might have come to be written about the relief of Ladysmith.

At the summit of Spion Kop there is a vast trench, in which lie the remains of the British soldiers killed in the action, but this is beautifully kept by a league of ladies residing in the various neighboring farms. The bits of cover constructed of stones and clay, by our men are also to be seen.

Eyes Tested Free

Prof. J. H. De Silberg, the celebrated eye specialist from Germany will be in Hastings on Wednesday, Nov. 19th until Thursday, Nov. 20th, at the Coughlin House Parlors; in Norwood on Friday, Nov. 21st until Nov. 24th, at Dr. Moffatt's Drug Store; in Keene, on Tuesday, Nov. 25th, until Wednesday, Nov. 26th, at Dr. Harrison's Office; in Lakefield, on Thursday, Nov. 27th, until Saturday, Nov. 29th, 1902, at Dr. Burgess' Drug Store. Those having weak or imperfect eyes should not fail to consult him.

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Men with capital, and men of moderate circumstances of a speculative mind even, who desire to invest their money in mining operations cannot do better than read the advertisement of the "Cecil R" Gold Mining and Milling Company in our advertising columns. The company is organized under the laws of Arizona with a paid up capital stock of 1,000,000 shares which are non-assessable. The officers and directors are all men well known as successful promoters of mines, and there can be no risk in purchasing the stock of the "Cecil R," as the company guarantees to pay a dividend of one per cent. on the first of every month, per share, to shareholders and this dividend will be increased as soon as increased facilities are secured for milling a greater amount of ore. The evidence of the wealth of this mine are such that experts believe the mine equal to the Great Yellow Astor, so says the editor of the Oil, Mining and Finance, a journal published at Los Angeles, California. Of the 1,000,000 shares, 250,000 shares are set aside for treasury stock which affords an additional guarantee that the company will pay the dividend as promised. As dividend-paying stock is aways in demand investors should lose no time in purchasing a block of stock in "Cecil R." Mr. C. H. J. Mitchell is the fiscal agent at Peterborough, and will be pleased to furnish information to intending investors.

THE TRENT VALLEY CANAL

Report Presented at the Meeting of Orillia Board of Trade

The following report was presented at a meeting of the Orillia Board of Trade by J. P. Secord, chairman of the Trent Canal Committee:—

"Your Committee on Trent Valley Canal beg to report that the work on the various sections under contract, and in course of construction is progressing in a moderately satisfactory manner, and it is expected that their contract will be completed in about three years. This will open the canal between Lake Simcoe and Healey Falls, about 160 miles. There are 45 steamers already plying the now navigable portions of the route. The Dominion Government is also doing some dredging at the Narrows between Lakes Simcoe and Couchiching, which may be said to form a part of the canal besides being a work highly appreciated by the navigators of the lakes. When those sections under contract, are completed there will only remain a couple of short sections at the extreme east end to be undertaken in order to open up communication between our town and Lake Ontario. We regret to inform you that a controversy has arisen on the part of the people of Port Hope, Cobourg and Trenton, as to where the canal will enter Lake Ontario, each of these towns having set up claims thereto. The town of Orillia is not specially interested in the controversy except that we hope it will not be allowed to delay the work of the canal, and we suggest that the Government be urged to select the terminal and push the work with all possible vigor."

Revolution in Newfoundland

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A TITLED PAUPER

Sir William Gordon Macgregor Accepts Charity

London, Nov. 10.—A striking illustration of the vicissitudes which sometimes attend the bearers of well known names is to be found in the statement that a few days since the list of those accepting hospitality from the Guardians of the West Ham Union included the name of Sir William Gordon Macgregor, Bart.

For some time past Sir William has been a familiar figure in Leyton and Walthamstow. He was especially fond of cricket, and was a regular attendant at the county ground in Leyton, taking a keen interest in the national game. He suffers from partial paralysis which affects his speech as well as his hands.

Sir William Gordon Macgregor is the fourth baronet. He is the son of the late Reverend Sir Charles Macgregor, and was born at Bothamsall, Notts, in 1846. He was educated in Haileybury College and succeeded his father in 1879, the baronetcy dating from 1828.

Sir William has a younger brother, Colonel Charles Reginald Macgregor who distinguished himself in the army and took part in the famous march from Cabul to Candahar.

Milo Aliger Dead

Port Arthur, Nov. 8.—Milo Aliger, the brakeman who was injured here a day or so ago, died this morning. It appears that while assisting in making up a train on the Canadian Northern Railway, he was seated on the draw-head of a car while making a flying shunt, when he slipped and fell under the moving car. His legs and hip were terribly mangled, and he was immediately removed to the general hospital. Notwithstanding the fact that hopes were entertained for his recovery, he gradually sank till death released him. His body will be sent to Aylmer, Que., where his parents reside.

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A WASHINGTON HOME IS SOLD

An English Member of Parliament Buys the Danbury Place

Manchester, November 10—The Dispatch today announces that Samuel Scott M.P., has purchased the ancestral home of George Washington, near Danbury. It was recently stated that the home had been purchased by Americans and would be taken to St. Louis.

LOVES THE KING'S DAUGHTER

Austin Chamberlain Would Marry the Princess Victoria

London, Nov. 10—The clubs today are discussing a story to the effect that Austin Chamberlain, the newly appointed postmaster general, is in love with Princess Victoria, King Edward's second daughter. The princess, it is said, returns the affection and the engagement of the two is possible. Their difference in social position is probably insurmountable but it is pointed out that the king's well known democratic ideas might lead him to obviate this difficulty. Princess Victoria is the only unmarried child of the king and was born in 1868.

MICHAEL RYAN REMANDED

Charged with the Brutal Assault of J. B. Renaud

Ottawa, Nov. 8.—J. B. Renaud, the victim of the assault in Hull yesterday, is a very critical condition. He is suffering from severe hemmorhage of the brain, and has not recovered consciousness since he received the blow. The doctors in attendance state that his case is so desperate that it will be miraculous if he recovers.

Michael Ryan, who is charged with the cowardly assault, was arranged before the district magistrate yesterday and was remanded for a week. It is said things will go hard with Ryan in the event of Renaud dying.

IRISH APPEAL FOR MONEY

It Will Be Used to Drive Mr. Balfour From Power

Boston, Mass. Nov. 10— An appeal to the Irish people of America asking for money for a new fund to "destroy Balfour politically," has been issued here by the National Committee of the United Irish League. It says: "The English minister in the plenitude of his power and the cruelty of his arrogance has put an insult unparalleled even in the annals of the Anglo-Irish relations upon Ireland. He must be hurled from his political power as Parnell alternately hurled both Lord Salisbury and Mr. Gladstone. Mr. Balfour has gone much further in official brutality than any of his predecessors in refusing to give to Ireland even one day during the present parliamentary session for the discussion of exclusively Irish affairs. This privilege was never denied to other parts of the alleged United Kingdom. We can destroy Balfour politically, if we unite against the English ruling classes as they have united against Ireland."

DO NOT LIKE CRITICISM

Germans Think John Bull Should be Good Natured

London, November, 10— Referring to Emperor William's approaching visit to England, the Berlin correspondent of the Times says that certain German journals which chronicle with manifest satisfaction any evidence of friction between Great Britain and France or Russia, speak as if Germany were the only power which must not be criticized by the British press, and as if Germany's policy must never be considered at all in the light of its present and future bearings on the British interests.

These papers, says the correspondent, would apparently like to see England in a spirit of jovial good fellowship and complaisance towards all things German, more characteristic of after dinner conversation than the business portion of the day. If there were any possibility of a realization of this idea, if foreign politics could once more be treated by Englishmen in the easy-going way which facilitated many of Bismarck's plans, this complaisance would not be reciprocated by Germany, where public opinion, like Government, is "tour jours en vedette."

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BIG MANDARIN STRANGLED

An Elephant of the Barnum and Bailey Show Executed

New York, Nov. 8.—Big Mandarin, an elephant of the Barnum and Bailey show, was executed by strangulation to-night in his cage on the main deck of the steamship Minneapolis, of the Atlantic Transport Line. A two inch hawser was placed in a loop around Mandarin's neck, and the other end of the hawser was fastened to the drum of a "wench" engine, which started at the same time and ran slowly at first until the hawser was taut, when the speed was increased and the hawser quickly tightened around the animal's neck. In a minute and a half, the hind legs sank to the floor of the cage, and he was unconscious. Just eighteen minutes after the engine had been started Mandarin was pronounced dead. The cage containing the body was then hoisted from the ship, by a crane, and loaded in a barge, which was towed about twenty miles to sea and sunk, the cage being weighted with about 5,000 pounds of old railroad iron.

Mandarin was the largest elephant in captivity at the time of his death, and has been with the Barnum and Bailey Circus for twenty-four years. He weighed five tons and stood nine feet ten inches high.

The elephant had become unmanageable, rendering his destruction necessary.

C. P. R. CHANGES

The Local Agent Goes to Pontypool and Havelock Agent Comes Here

Mr. Harrison, the local agent of the C. P. R., has been transferred to Pontypool and will be succeeded by Mr. Wesley Dodds, agent at Havelock. Mr. Harrison, during his residence in Peterborough has made many friends, who will regret his departure.

Mr. Dodds, who succeeds Mr. Harrison, has for many years been the agent at Havelock, and is therefore well known to many of our citizens. Courteous and obliging he will make an excellent agent for Peterborough.

A BAD WRECK

A Runaway Which Did Considerable Damage at Lakefield

Yesterday morning four young men employed on the new dam, hired Mr. R. H. Leary's fine team of chesnuts and rubber tired carriage and rode to Lakefield. They drove into the shed in the rear of the Craig House, and got out, all alighting on the left hand side of the rig. The young men were no sooner on the terra firma, than the horses, without a moment's warning, skewed around to the right and ran out of the shed, tearing a wheel off against a post. The rig was overturned, and broke almost into splinters. Every spoke was taken out of two of the wheels, and the seats and box was also badly broken up. The horses were caught in a couple of minutes, after tearing furiously around the yard.

The young men hired a rig in the village and drove to town. They disclaim any carelessness, and say it was purely an accident. They told Mr. Leary, however, they would pay for having the rig repaired.

COAL STILL HIGH

The Fuel Situation is Still Unsettled in Peterborough

Coal still keeps at $15 a ton in Peterborough, although almost every other town sells it for less money. Toronto has had its first consignment of coal, as also has nearly all the larger cities of Canada. Peterborough will likely be getting some in soon.

Here are a few points about economizing in the burning of coal that may be worthy of note.

When it is understood that the same amount of fuel is consumed in producing either gas or heat it is readily seen why one person will use four times as much coal as another without producing any more heat, if as much. When feeding coal, after the fire is made only a small quantity should be fed at a time and that spread evenly over the surface of the fire, for when fresh coal is added it for a time lowers the temperature of the fire box—just as pouring cold water into a pot of boiling water stops the boiling by lowering the temperature—until the added coal is heated up to the igniting point, when it first begins to burn and adds its heat to the mass. When but little coal is added this lowering of the temperature will be hardly noticed, but add a large quantity and it can be plainly seen.

CHILDREN'S HOME

A Well Run Place

At a children's home in Fort Wayne, Ind. they have entirely abandoned coffee because of the bad effect of it.

Mrs. M. B. Gorsline, who is the matron, is meeting with grand success. She was compelled four years ago to discontinue the use of coffee and after making several experiments concluded that Postum filled the bill and has used it ever since.

She has charge of a family of children numbering from 23 to 30 and writes us, "I give Postum Coffee freely, using no coffee at all. The children are always well; we have had no sickness for two years, except such as they contract at school like whooping cough, measles, etc. No bilious attacks, no fevers, no skin diseases. The children are all plump and in good condition. Clear complexions, no sallow or muddy looking faces, such as result from the use of coffee. We always make Postum strictly according to directions, and it gives pleasure and health to all."

THREE TRICKY SHANTYMEN

They Secured Advances on Unearned Wages and Then Skipped Out

A few days ago, Mr. Wm. Cresswell, representing the Mossom Boyd, Co., of Bobcaygeon, took a gang of men numbering about fifteen, whom he had picked up in Toronto and points west, to the firm's camps, about five miles from Irondale, says the Lindsay Post. The party were in town a few hours, and three of them, after hard coaxing, secured advances on their wages from Mr. Cresswell. They were landed at the camps Saturday and on the following Sunday took their departure and have not been seen or heard of since. A warrant for their arrest has been issued, and Chief Nevison has been on the lookout, but has been unable to locate them so far.

"Men who are experienced in the lumber camps are hard to get nowadays, at one time we could get any number of them, but there is such a demand for laboring men at the present time that it is difficult to get them at any price," remarked Mr. Cresswell to our representive today. "Another trouble we have is that when hiring men some recommend themselves to be first-class axemen and of course are hired at good wages, but when they get to work they turn out to be no good. Then there is always trouble because the skilled axeman will be sure to complain about doing his own work and the work of the unskilled man also. If lumber firms would agree to pay men according to their merits, we would have no trouble of that kind. The North Shore Companies have an advantage over the local firms because they can hire men at Lindsay at a certain wage, and when they get them to the limits, hundreds of miles from a railway, can pay them a much lower wage.

The Direct Line

From Peterborough to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and the South is via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley Railroad. Route of the "Black Diamond Express." Pullman sleepers and dining car service from Toronto. Everything first class. Scenery and service unsurpassed. Call at W. Bunton's ticket office Peterborough, for tickets, Pullmans and further particulars.

BRITAIN WARNED TO BE ON GUARD AGAINST KAISER

The London Times Urges the English Government to Beware of Any Alliance with the German Nation

London, Nov. 8.—The Times, discussing the visit of the German Emperor to King Edward, says: "He may be our good friend, as we are his, but no complaisance can describe Germany's attitude as friendly, and Englishmen can hardly be expected to forget the German press' campaign of scurrility, which the Government did not attempt to check."

The editorial concludes as follows: "No sense of courteous greetings due an imperial visitor, and no admiration of his vigorous and attractive personality, must be allowed to lead us into paths wherein the true interests of the nation forbid us to go. Of the past we shall remember such lessons as for prudential reasons it is well to remember.'

London, Nov. 8.—The German yacht Hohenzollern, with Emperor William on board, accompanied by the escorting German cruisers and a flotilla of British torpedo boats, reached Port Victoria at 8 o'clock this morning.

The arrival of King Edward's nephew was made to occasion of an imposing naval display. All the warships at Sheerness were dressed, their crews manned the decks, and the usual salutes welcomed the Imperial visitor, who was perambulating the promenade deck of the Hohenzollern.

The Emperor wore the undress uniform of a British admiral. The German Ambassador, Count Wolff-Metternich, soon joined his Majesty, who subsequently received the British court officials sent to attend him and the other members of the German Embassy.

After breakfast Emperor William landed. The crew of the Hohenzollern manned ship and cheered lustily, and the British warships fired another salute as the Emperor boarded a train for Dover, on the way to Shorncliffe Camp, where he will review the First Royal Dragoons, of which regiment he is honorary colonel-in-chief.

Unusual precautions were taken by the railroad officials. All traffic was stopped along the route to Dover half an hour before the Imperial special train was due, large British and German detective staffs were on duty, and the junctions and the approaches to the stations were closely watched and cleared of spectators during the passage of the train.

It was raining heavily when Emperor William left the train at Dover, whence, mounted on one of his own chargers, he rode to Shorncliffe Camp, accompanied by Lord Roberts and a brilliant staff.

Vienna, Nov. 8.—Herr Karl Inger, or the Emir Soliman Ibn Inger Abdullah, the European who was a leader with the Mad Mullah's forces, has allowed himself to be interviewed by the Buda-Pesth correspondent of the Neues Wiener Tagblatt, to whom he made the following statement:

"The Mahdi, anxious to make the Soudan accessible to civilization, and being cut off from the coast to the north and south, whilst a vast desert lay to the west, found no other outlet for a connection with Europe than over the Somali coast. He, therefore, commissioned me to go there to collect the scattered independent Somali tribes and to establish the desired connection with Europe. I am a convinced Mohammedan, but, when I started on this mission, I considered myself only a pioneer of civilization. As a European, it was in my favor that I could take my stand on the provisions of the Berlin Treaty and of the Brussels Convention, which secure the possession of any part of uncivilized Africa to the country to which the European belongs who first sets foot on such territory.

"I established union among the various tribes, and then concluded a treaty with an Italian society, which is in occupation of the east coast of Somaliland, in order to gain access to the coast. As an Austro-Hungarian subject, I naturally felt bound to secure the economic advantages which were awaiting my colonizing efforts for country alone. To this end I returned home to organize an expedition; but the promises made me were only partially kept. The inadequacy of my means compelled me to land at English ports in the Red Sea against my will.

UNION OF THE TRIBES.

"I was denounced to the British Government as a Turkish secret emissary. The expedition came to grief. I went alone and disguised into Somaliland, where I completed the organization of the tribal union, and, true to my principles, I gave the order that the Somalis should restrict themselves to the defensive against England. You see my orders were obeyed.

"As all support from Austria-Hungary was denied me, I went to London to further my intentions by direct intercourse with persons in authority at the Foreign Office; but all my attempts to come to a friendly agreement with the Foreign Office were frustrated by the prejudice that existed against me. My great idea is to win the uncivilized tribes of Africa for civilization, and this can only be done if the State which undertakes the noble mission grants full internal autonomy to the tribes and merely act as a representative of the interests of its protegés in international affairs. The war with the Somali tribes may last very long; longer, perhaps, than the Boer war."

There is also a letter from Emir Soliman Inger in to-day's Pester Lloyd, which begins; "Greetings and the blessing of God to you and to all my English friends, and to the Somalis now in the field." These letters and interviews may be regarded, perhaps, more as a practical joke than anything else. The "Emir's" statements, however, show that he is not merely a harmless political adventurer. He is prepared, given an opportunity, to do all the mischief he can.

Rome, Nov. 8.—Commenting on the alarm felt in some quarters at the threatened inundation of Italy by American goods, the Tribuna today points out that the trade returns for September show that Italy's exports to the United States have exceeded the imports therefrom by $800,000, and concludes that Italy has less to fear from the competition of the United States than other countries in Europe.

The Tribuna considers that even Italian wines can "find promising markets in America, notwithstanding the California vineyards."

Berlin, Nov. 8.—An international musical festival will be ehld in Berlin from October 1 to October 7, 1903, accompanying the dedication of the Richard Wagner monument. One day will be devoted to American and English music.

The committee expects Mmes. Emma Eames and Nordica and Walter Damrosch, Sousa, and perhaps Dudley Buck to take part in it.

All the great military bands of the world are expected here for the occasion, and among them the Turkish Janissaries' music corps. An auditorium seating 7,000 persons will be erected on Government grounds. Emperor William has been invited to become protector of the festival. Prince Henry will probably be honorary president.

Winnipeg, Nov. 9.—A Newdale despatch says: The Doukhobor pilgrims arrived here Thursday night about eight o'clock. Some of them were weary and footsore, while others were looking fresh and in good spirits. At about 7.30 Friday morning they started their march again, but the weather being cold and snow falling fast from 7.30 until 9 o'clock, four or five of their number expressed themselves as being hungry and cold, and started homeward at about 9 o'clock. They were all comfortably housed here last night, and were very orderly, praying and singing as they started out of town this morning. They expect to reach Minnedosa to-night. The weather has now cleared and is fine.

Berbera, East Africa, Nov. 9.—General Manning is pushing the preparations for an advance against the Mad Mullah, but he is hampered in his efforts by the fact that the country has so few resources, and the necessity of waiting for supplies.

The Mullah is profiting by the delay in the start of the British expedition. He has advanced to within a few miles of Bothom. He is known to have 2,000 rifles, one Maxim gun, with ammunition, 15,000 spearmen, and immense reserves of camel and sheep at his command.

Bothole is well garrisoned and has ample defences. It is impossible to prevent the running of guns to the Mullah through French territory, which is in constant progress.

WILL SEARCH TIBER

Professor Expects to Recover Many Rare Articles

Rome Nov. 10. Professor Ciro Nispiandi has obtained leave from the authorities thoroughly to search the bed of the Tiber River. He is confident that the mud over which the sluggish stream flows contains objects which, on account of their artistic and intrinsic value, are almost priceless, because for ages the Romans cast their most valuable possessions into the bosom of Father Tiber, as offerings to the god. Beside these, the professor expects to find an extraordinary variety of curious things in the way of armor worn by many soldiers who at different times were killed in battles on the banks and bridges of the Tiber.

The professor also hopes to find valuables cast into the stream by early Christian fanatics who considered it good work to destroy the symbols of heathen idolatry. The professor's views are strengthened by the fact that whenever bridges have been built and the banks of the Tiber strengthened treasures, often of great value have been discovered.

Sports and Pastimes

New York, Nov. 8.—The Inter-Collegiate Association of Amateur Gymnastics of America, held a meeting to-day at the Murray Hill Hotel, and re-organized for the coming season. C. B. Benny, of Princeton, was elected president, Carlos DeBrafra, of New York University, secretary, and O. B. Duerr, of Haverford, treasurer. It was decided to hold the annual inter-collegiate contest in the gymnasium of the New York University on March 27th, 1903.

RUGBY.

London, Nov. 7.—It is expected here that Bart Morrison of Toronto will be unable to make the declaration as to his amateur standing, as required by the O.R.F.U.

As to the affidavit submitted by the London representative, Mr. Gordon Crawford stated that it had been placed before the Executive under a misunderstanding. Mr. Crawford says that the affidavit was drawn up by Mr. O'Neil, lawyer, of this city, to be submitted to Mr. Peel for his signature. The pencilled signature was placed in by the lawyer himself as a guide where Peel should place his name. When the affidavit was presented to Mr. Peel it is claimed that he was not going to throw Morrison down. Hearn, also, to whom an affidavit was sent, is alleged to have refused to sign the document, he making a similar excuse. It is further alleged by the locals that Morrison was in communication with Peel and Hearn over the telephone, and by this means made himself solid in these quarters. The affidavit was submitted to the meeting purely in an error. Mr. Crawford notified the secretary of the O.R.F.U. to that effect to-day.

Shooting Accident

Ottawa, Nov. 8.—Alphonse Cusson, who keeps a hotel at Hurdman's Bridge, was the victim of a shooting accident to-day. Cusson traded a dog for a gun and was examining the latter, not knowing it was loaded. It suddenly exploded, a portion of the charge going through his hand, while the rest of it grazed his forehead. There has been an unusual number of such accidents around here this fall.

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THE POLAR SEARCH

Millionaire Ziegler, who sent E. B. Baldwin to find the North Pole, is disappointed that he did not succeed. He will not send Baldwin again, but is resolved to find an explorer who will reach the Pole if it takes him ten years to do it. The new man is not to return without it. Baldwin's failure is ascribed to various causes, the death of his dogs, the scarcity of coal, the lack of sufficient provisions, and the mutiny of his crew; all of which every polar explorer has more or less to contend with. Peary's last voyage ended in a quarrel, and the desertion of of the ship's doctor. The fact is, human nature, born of the temperate zone, is unfitted to cope with the rigors of the long Arctic nights for more than two years at a stretch. Nerves get on the rack, tempers are soured, discontent breaks out on short notice, and all on board get tired and homesick. A grand "dash for the pole" appeals to the imagination, and many a rich man would be gratified to be associated with the feat by paying the bill. But the grand dash means a sledging party over the icy waste for some hundreds of miles. For years at a time there is open water. The explorer must wait indefinitely for the ice to form, and then in starting out he cannot be sure that it has formed all the way. If the pole were reached the party must return, which depends on the dogs' fitness. The dash back would be more desperate than the dash forward, both amid furious gales, biting blizzards and blinding snows. If the pole marked a gold mine, the quest would have more significance for the adventurer than the alleged claims of science. But about this there is too much uncertainty.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Magician Francis Clergue off the Soo says there will be 50,000 population there inside of three years, drawn by the wonderful water power which he has developed and hitched to the whiffletree of the car of western progress.

Americans are pouring into our North-West. They have already poured into British Columbia. Both these regions are in a fair way to become American, as might without the gift of prophecy have been foreseen. We are now told that an American syndicate is going to buy up New Ontario and turn it into an American settlement, Americans are investing largely in Canada and getting our commerce and industry into their hands. All this, but especially the influx into the North-West is received with satisfaction. British statesmanship is assiduously cultivating American friendship and even throwing out hints of a more intimate alliance. Meantime, Canadian protectionists are appealing to our patriotism for the adoption of an anti-American tariff, and the Public schools of Toronto are ordered to revive anti-American feeling in the breasts of children by hoisting their flags on the anniversary of the battle of Chateauguay. It is a curious study in the cross-currents of policy and sentiment.

Was Not Re-elected

We notice from the returns as published of the United States elections that Dr. Pendry's name does not appear in the list of successful candidates for the State Legislature. Dr. Pendry is an old Peterborough boy, and has been a leading member of the assembly at Albany, having been elected by a district in Brooklyn city, where he resides. When he lived in Peterborough he was on the Times staff. His defeat at the polls will be regretted by his many Peterborough friends. But it will be impossible to keep a good man down, and Dr. Pendry is sure to bob up somewhere very soon.

The proposal to have the assessment roll published is regarded by many as a good idea. On all sides one hears of assessment inequalities, and this, it is asserted, would be an excellent way to dispose of the grumbling, and also rectify any evils that exist.

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London, Nov. 3—Captain Doenvig, the Norwegian inventor of the new spherical life-saving boat gave a demonstration of his globe's capabilities off Dover harbor today before the British board of trade officials and representatives of shipping companies, who expressed themselves highly satisfied with the results.

The apparatus is made of light steel plates, is globular in shape, and is surrounded by a cork fender. It has a double bottom, containing cork banks which can be filled with fresh water to be used as a ballast, and as this is consumed salt water can be pumped to keep the balance of the craft. There are also compartments for preserved stores et cetera.

The globe is entered through three water-tight manholes. It has a ventilating shaft, and a sail can be set upon it. It is only eight feet in diameter, and would occupy 64 square feet of deck space, compared with 143 feet necessary for the ordinary ship's lifeboat. Owing to the construction it is impossible to capsize it. It can comfortably hold sixteen persons.

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met him. For goodness' sake, why couldn't you take him? He's no beauty, but, by Jove! I shouldn't have thought there was a girl in England who wouldn't have snapped at the chance of being Mrs. Lionel Macaire."

"I would not have taken that chance," said Winifred. "He is a horrible man. But it was not offered to me. Rumor says there is a Mrs. Macaire—a woman he married long ago for her money, and perhaps drove mad, for she's said to be in an asylum."

"You mean, then——"

"Oh, Dick, don't ask me what I mean!"

Dick began walking up and down again, but his face was very grave, even sulky. He looked as he felt, personally injured by his sister's explosion.

"I'll bet anything you were mistaken," he said. "Girls are so morbid, they're always imagining queer things—especially girls on the stage. They're always thinking men want to insult them. I don't believe poor old Macaire meant anything of the sort. He's old—must be nearly sixty—not a bit of that kind. And why should he pick you out, anyhow, when there are such a lot of girls in the world?"

"Why, indeed!" echoed Winifred. "But whether you defend him or not, you certainly won't put me and yourself into his power by ——"

"Now you're talking like the heroine of a melodrama," exclaimed Dick, flushed with vexation, and looking very boyish, very handsome. "Tell me straight out how he injured you."

"He was furious because I spoke my mind to him, if you must know. I told him I loathed him—that he was horrible. He induced Mr. Anderson to discharge me——"

"How do you know that? Did Mr. Anderson or anyone else tell you so?"

"No. But I'm sure——"

"Ah, there it is. Just as I thought. What's the next indictment?"

"He—I believe now that he tried to kidnap me by hiring a man to bribe the driver of my cab one night, and——"

Dick burst into scornful laughter. "That's good enough for the Surrey side, but it won't do for West End drama!" he sneered. "Next, please."

"What is the good of telling you things if you won't believe me? Oh, Dick, I swear to you I'm not mistaken. Lionel Macaire is cruel as the grave. If he ever cared for me he hates me now, and he will never rest till he has had revenge. He said he would 'bring me to my knees.' For weeks he has been plotting against me. That company I joined in Brighton—so pleased because I was to have such a splendid salary and a lot in advance—was really his——"

"How did you know that? Did he tell you so?"

"No. But the manager did. He told me that Mr. Macaire was the backer. And it was all got up on purpose to humiliate me. If you were anyone but my brother you would have heard the gossip, you would have known about the wicked posters pretending to be pictures of me. It would have killed mother if she had seen them. I ran away because I would not play the part—and now that way has failed Lionel Macaire is trying another. Just what he means I can't see yet, but somehow he expects to hurt through you."

"You seem to think yourself a young person of some importance, my dear," retorted Dick, "that one of the biggest millionaires in the country should be fretting himself sick to get you 'in his power,' as you call it. If this is all a plot against you, and I'm a mere figurehead, why, your Hope Newcome Von Zellheim is in it pretty thick, too."

The taunt was a sword in Winifred's heart. With a moan, like a dove wounded to the death, she covered her face with her hands and sobbed.

CHAPTER XXXI.

Dick Gray in Clover.

Dick honestly believed that his sister was making a tremendous fuss about nothing; and, being a young man with a very good opinion of himself, he was nettled that she should put him aside as a mere dummy, a cat's-paw by which a chestnut was to be dragged out of the fire. Besides, he had been half frantic with delight at the thought of so splendid an engagement, and he simply could not give up the radiant prospect which for the last few hours had dazzled his youthful eyes.

He thought Winifred a pretty girl, and clever enough, but, being her brother, he was unable to realize the fascination she might possess for other men, and he was sure that she flattered herself far too much in fancy that a man like Lionel Macaire should be at such desperate pains either to win or punish her.

"I'll ask von Zellheim to come here, and you can talk to him," he said when Winifred continued to cry.

"No!" she ejaculated quickly. "He must not come here. I never wish to see him again. I shall write to him myself to-night and—tell him so."

"And the reason, too?"

"He will understand that well enough, without explanation. Dick, you will write to Mr. Macaire, won't you? Even if you think I'm mistaken, do this for love of me. Oh, you could not go to him—you could not shame me by living in his house, taking his money!"

"By Jove, what it is to talk business with a girl!" groaned Dick. "They fly into hysterics. I've given my word to Macaire to begin his work to-morrow. He's written to lots of chaps who were dying for it to say the matter's settled. I must have money somehow, for mother's sake and yours, as well as my own ——"

"Do you think I'd touch what you had from that man, or let mother touch it?" the girl flung at him.

Dick let the question pass. "I've debts to pay—more than you know of. I shall never get such another chance. Macaire hinted that if I did well he might think of me as editor of one of the papers he owns——"

"The one that told lies about your sister, perhaps!" cried Winifred, desperately. Never had she been really angry with Dick before through all the trying episodes of their youth together, but she was trembling and white with anger now.

"Maybe, if there were lies, that's the reason he'll get rid of the present editor, retorted Dick. "Anyway, my whole career's at stake, and I'd be a fool to give it up for a girl's morbid prejudice. I don't believe——"

"Don't repeat that again," she commanded, her eyes blazing. "I have told you the truth. You do not believe me. You do believe my worst enemy. I can say no more as to that. But I do say, Dick, that if you go to his house you must not come back here—not while you are in his pay. And you may tell him

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The total value of the mineral output of the Province of British Columbia during 1900 was $16,344,751. During 1901 it rose to $20,713,501, an increase last year of 25 per cent. It is estimated that the output for the present year will reach a total value of at least $30,000,000, and that within five years the production will equal that of any country in existance.

Our object in presenting these statements is to convince everyone of the high character of the country in which we are operating and at the same time, advertise our own business.

We are at present developing an extensive property in the Lardeau mining division of British Columbia. This property is owned by the "Lardeau Mines, Limited," a company having a total capital of $100,000.

The property owned by this Company consists of three full claims, embracing an extent of 156 acres—mineral claims in British Columbia are 1,500x1,500 feet—equal to 52 acres each in extent.

Three strong, parallel ore veins run through this property from end to end, a distance of 4,500 feet. If placed end to end this would give 13,500 feet equal to a continuous ore body over two and a half miles in length. The values are in gold, silver, copper and lead, and run from $25.00 to 77.00 per ton of 2,000 pounds. These results are from surface ore only, "grass root values," and are indications of permanent values of the most convincing kind.

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The gross value of shipments of ore aggregating 6,193,094 pounds from twelve mines in the Lardeau, all situated near the property owned by this Company was $453,410.81. Equal to a return per ton of over $146.00. The property owned by this Company shows up equally as well as any of these more fully developed mines, and will, we are convinced, shortly rank among the best in the Lardeau division.

In order to show why we are confident we are right, we will estimate our ore values at $50.00 per ton, a little over one-third of the average ore values of the entire Lardeau mining division. We will also base our calculations on a daily output of 30 tons—a small amount compared with the extent of our property and the size of its ore bodies. We will allow $10.00 per ton for mining, transportation (a few miles only) and smelting charges. The profits, after making a reasonable deduction for incidentals, and surplus work out as follows:

30 tons at $50.00 per ton		$1,500 00
Less $10.00 per ton mining, transportation and reduc. chgs		300 00
Net daily income		1,200 00
Say for 300 days per year		300
Total net yearly income		$360,000 00
Deduct for incidental expenses, 15 per ton	45,000	
Deduct for Company's surplus account, 15 per ton	45,000	90,000 00
Total yearly net earnings		$270,000 00

which sum is equal to 270 per cent per annum on our capital stock of $100,000.

This estimate is made on the basis of a small output compared to the extent of our property and the splendid facilities it affords for economical mining and on the operation of the mine for 300 days per year only, so that anyone can see at a glance that we are not over-estimating in any particular, especially when the output of mines similarly situated, and with ore bodies of less extent than ours, ship hundreds of tons a day. There is no good reason why our property, when fully developed—and that is what we are working for now—should not ship several hundred tons of ore per day, but we are basing our calculations on the immediate future in presenting the above estimate.

The property is now being developed by a cross-cut tunnel which is in nearly 100 feet and when driven a few feet further will intersect a large ore body in Vein No. 2 at a depth of 85 feet, when drifting on the lead and stoping ore will be commenced, and the price of shares advanced accordingly.

The capitalization of this company is low—only $100,000—so that the enterprise is free from all suspicion of stock jobbing which has too often ruined many otherwise honest companies.

In conclusion we wish to say that this is a good mining stock which you can buy low, and which you can either keep as an investment or re-sell when it advances in price, for it will be but a short time until this stock cannot be bought for less than many times its par value.

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Engineer's Report

THE DIRECTORS,
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Gentlemen:—I beg to hand you my report on the three claims in the Lardeau District, owned by your Company, on work done on the "Lardeau Queen" and on results attained during the past few months. This claim, with the "Lardeau King" and "Lardeau Prince," all abutting end on end, through which the hereinafter mentioned leads pass the entire length, from the Royal Group, situated at the head of Lexington Creek, in the Lardeau Mining Division of West Kootenay, British Columbia.

These three claims are located on the western slope of Goat Mountain, the lines being north-westerly and south-easterly, and form one complete portion of mineral land of about 156 acres. They lie east, less than four miles up, from Fish River (to where both the C.P.R. and K. & S. Railway are now in course of construction) and twelve miles by level road to Comaplix or Upper Arrow Lake deep water landing. A spur up Lexington Creek to the "Royal" and other numerous mining properties will no doubt afterwards be built.

In addition to the two separate and distinct parallel ledges, of which you are already aware, I recently discovered about 650 feet from No. 1 vein, another ledge within the southwest boundary of the "Lardeau Queen," which we will call No. 3 vein.

The Royal Group lies in the "Sitting Bull" and "Wide West" Belts, two of the strongest and best known leads in that district, and what work has already been done on adjacent extensions has given most satisfactory results as to the extent of ore bodies and increased values with depth. Several claims on this lead have already hundreds of tons of shipping ore ready for transportation to the smelter.

The formation is slate and schist, lying in an immense lime dyke and the croppings of the leads are generally topped with heavy iron capping and quartz, which gives assays of from $8.00 up on surface.

Buildings, Etc.

A good horse trail to the mines has been built and all necessary buildings for general mining purposes have been erected adjacent to the creek and workings.

Veins and Work Done

Exploitation of No. 1 vein consists of two open cuts along the surface for a distance of 30 feet, which exposed a body of argentiferous galena over 8 inches in width. The value of this ore body was $35.00 on the surface, but at a depth of less than three feet it had increased to $40.00. To tap this ore showing and the massive iron-capped ledge close to which it lies the present tunnel was commenced, and is now in a distance of 60 feet. Another 25 feet of cross-cutting should reach this ledge at a depth of about 85 feet. When 48 feet had been driven an almost solid body of iron ore 3 feet thick was encountered in the tunnel lying against a wall of slate. A sample at this point assayed $77.00 in gold, silver, copper and lead. Before opening out on this ore body it is, I think, advisable to drive a further 25 feet, when I believe the main lead will be reached.

No. 2 vein which occurs about 250 feet above No. 1 vein, is an iron-capped ledge about 8 feet wide, showing an occasional seam of mineralized quartz with galena. The surface assays gave $3 and $18 in gold, respectively. Although not so strongly defined as No. 1 vein, it is easily traceable at intervals, throughout the full length of the property, 4,500 feet.

No. 3 vein is in strong evidence about 650 feet below the centre line of the "Lardeau Queen," and appears to be directly within its area and dipping directly (north) into the hill towards this claim. The width is from 10 to 12 feet of very heavy iron capping and quartz with bunches of galena occurring under the surface in the talc at intervals of from 3 to 4 inches. The assay results of the quartz (148) samples I brought you is decidedly encouraging, and I am satisfied that the clean ore will prove to be of a high grade.

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The property has an excellent surface showing. The average assays are most encouraging, considering the great width and continuancy of the leads across the country with such great width and prominence of the surface and judging from other properties in the near vicinity, some of which are on the same lead and have developed very rich ore bodies.

In conclusion I would like to say the Lardeau Mines are as good as any, if not the best in the vicinity, and I verily believe, with a nominal expenditure, they should be made dividend-paying in a short time, and I would strongly recommend extensive developments towards that end.

Signed,

H. O. McCLYMONT, *Mining Engineer.*

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Now Time to Reassume Bullish Position

New York, Nov. 8.—Prices are down considerably down. The Republicans control Congress while mercantile business keeps remarkably active, therefore railway earnings are well maintained, while the country has a record crop yet to haul to tide water and to dispose of while ruling prices for same are above the average, consequently stocks at the present time are logically a most excellent purchase. Apathy and apparent general indifferentness as to market values are at present hand in hand holding the market down. Prices consequently drift at the lower level, alternately weak, then strong, practically the play things of the larger floor traders. Exactly how long this condition of affairs will last no man can well determine. From looking over the situation carefully, however, weighing all factors having a bearing look on prices, it narrows down to the logical deduction that the next market movement should be in the direction of better prices. We fail to see how purchases made at the present time can show any material immediate loss, while indications appear most strongly that they will shortly show good profits. When an uncertainty reigns as to the possibility, when a dull market will break away from its lethargy and a strong indication can be determined as to in which direction the values will swing, once the dullness of a market rut is broken the proper thing to do is to immediately place your speculative or investment account in conformity with the conclusions to be drawn. If you do this now you will immediately purchase some stocks with the intention of hanging on to them until they show at least fully 5 points profit. Don't vacillate in a vacillating market. Many people who believe prices to be low at present will lose the buying opportunity by overstaying their market awaiting more decisive market indications.

Summary—The market declined directly after the opening until about eleven o'clock, when it steadied, falling again after bank statement. The statement showed decrease in both loans and reserve, bears apparently completely dominated the market, even selling the steel stock heavily; transactions at each eighth decline in these shares were extremely heavy. Bears gained additional courage as prices receded, while the bull element appeared to be disheartened In the last half hour there was an effort on the part of the bear traders to cover some of their sales. The smaller bears provided the shares thus absorbed by the larger, so the short interest instead of diminished while the number of proper short of the market was larger than for some time past. Money offered 5 per cent. Last loan 4 1-2. Sales — 642,300.

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Quincy Ill., Nov. 8.—Wednesday night a dead man sat in a game of cards for two hours in the saloon of James F. Hedrich, at Eighth and Locust streets.

He had taken a seat as a spectator between two of the players, and while the cards were circling about the table he was dealt the cold hand of death. His head sunk forward on his chest and he seemed to be dozing. Once the corpse swayed against one of the players, who pushed it back to an upright posture, with the remark:

"Brace up, comrade, and have a look at the game."

The man was Fred. W. Reinke, aged 64, a veteran of the civil war, and a resident of the Soldiers' home. As he sat at the table with his white head bowed, his companions thought that he was sleeping.

Two hours after he had taken a seat at the table one of the card players attempted to arouse him to show him an unusually good hand of cards.

"Wake up! Look at this!" exclaimed the card player.

The player pushed back Reinke's head and held the cards before his face The open, vacant, staring eyes of a corpse were revealed to the men about the table. They pushed back their chairs horrified.

"Great God!" exclaimed the man with the good hand. "He's dead!"

Chairs were overturned. The cards were scattered upon the floor, and the corpse sank forward against the table.

When Reinke walked into the resort about 5.30 o'clock he told the proprietor's wife that he was sick, and asked her to make him a cup of coffee, and then sat down at a table where a number of men were playing cards. It was his last request on this earth. Mrs. Hedrich told him she would have to boil the coffee first. About a half hour later she sent her 15-year-old daughter Florence, into the room with the coffee. The young woman noticed that his head had dropped to one side, and he had assumed an attitude of one fallen asleep. His comrades brushed against him, and now and then one of them asked him not to crowd. Reinke made no reply. The game went on until 7.30 when Joseph R. Barnaby, one of the men who had been sitting beside him at the table and engaged in cards, attempted to awaken him.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Not to Leave Town

There is no truth in the report that has been put in circulation that the firm of Sutcliffe & Son intend to leave town. The firm is looking after a bankrupt stock in Oshawa, but that will in no way interfere with the continuance of their business in Peterborough. We are pleased to know this fact, as Sutcliffe & Son are enterprising business men.

George Street Church Guild

The young men of George street Methodist church, have organized a Guild and elected the following officers: Hon. president, J. P. Wilson; hon. vice-presidents, Messrs. D. W. Dumble and T. W. Robinson; president, W. B. Warne; vice-president, F. Skitch; secretary, E. Dodge; treasurer, F. Turner; reporter, W. Wood. The Guild will meet on the last Tuesday of every month, at 8 o'clock p.m.

Judge McDougall Fainted

His honor Judge McDougall Toronto, and father of Mrs. Dr. Young, town, was seized with a fainting fit while sitting at his desk in his chambers in the city hall on Wednesday last. He lay for 20 minutes quite unconscious. Dr. McFaul, of Carlton street, was called in, and had his honor removed from his chair to a couch, and after a rest he was able to talk quite freely and go home without assistance. The cause of the sudden disorder is attributed to overwork.

The Judge has many warm friends in Peterborough and immediate vicinity.

Ribs Broken

James Jennings, of Auburn, a five-year-old boy, while crossing the road to meet his mother at Black Bridge crossing, on Saturday, when he was run over by a horse and rig driven by a man whose name we were unable to ascertain. No blame can be attached to the driver, who immediately pulled up and brouhgt the little fellow to the office of Dr. Carmichael. Upon examination it was found that three ribs, and possibly four, were broken in two places, and the doctor had the child sent to St. Joseph's Hospital, Ashburnham, for treatment.

Railway Notes

—The gates at the Grand Trunk crossing on Charlotte and Simcoe streets are working nicely.

—Yesterday's traffic over the C.P.R. was larger than usual.

—The Canadian Pacific Railway's net profits for September were $1,410,764, against $1,352,121, for the same month last year. For three months ending with September 30th, 1902, they were $3,940,367, compared with $3,754,300. Here are increases of $58,662 and $186,136, respectively. Gross earnings were considerably in excess of last year, but operating expenses also increased very materially.

Their Last Night

The Marks' Brothers closed their engagement here on Saturday night by presenting "The Deacon's Daughter" to a full house. The play is a tale of mining life, and illustrates the devilishness and craftiness of the Mexican, the wily twisting of the Chinaman and the honor and forgiving spirit of the Irishman. Some people thought the Irishman and the Chinaman were too much in evidence during the affecting scenes of the drama, but on the whole, the play was well rendered. Mrs. T. T. Emmerson was the lucky holder of the ticket that secured the handsome set of dishes. The Marks' Brothers were high in their praises of the way they had been received and patronized in Peterborough, and as they are gentlemen and good entertainers, they may be sure of a hearty welcome whenever they return to our town.

The Mantle of Death

Mrs. Wm. Laing is no more. Her spirit took its flight from the residence of her son, Robert, Water street, early on Saturday morning. Her life was as full of good deeds as it was of years, and her memory will ever be kept fresh and green by her children and immediate friends and acquaintances. She was born in Scotland, but came to this country when eight years old, settling with her parents, whose name was Savigny, in North Monaghan. About sixty years ago she was married to Mr. William Laing, who died some seven or eight years ago, after which event Mrs. Laing removed to Peterborough and resided here up to the time of her death. She leaves a family of fourteen to mourn the loss of a loving mother. Deceased retired Friday evening about 9 o'clock, apparently in her usual state of health, but in an hour afterwards she became seriously ill, and despite all that medical aid could do death came about midnight. The funeral takes place to-day from the residence of her son, Robert, 566 Water street, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Saturday's Market

There was a large crowd and a splendid offering of produce of all kinds at the market on Saturday, in fact it is admitted that it was the best market day in Peterborough for some time. The upper hall in the market building was jammed full of buyers and sellers. Fowl were very much in evidence, and the prices asked were very high. Twenty cents was demanded for eggs, but they did not find ready sale at price, and some had to take 18c. Outside, the square was surrounded by meat and vegetable wagons, and the buyers had plenty of choice. The quotations were as follows: Chickens, 40 to 60c. per pair; ducks, 90c.; geese, 75 to 90c. each; turkeys, $1 to $1.50, butter, 20 to 22c. per lb.; eggs, 18 to 20c.; potatoes, $1.10 to $1.25 per bag; parsnips, 10c. a peck; celery, 5c. a bunch; turnips, 25c. a bag; onions, 25c. a peck; apples, 40 to 60c. a bag; cabbages, 2 heads, 10c.; pears, 25c. a basket; tomatoes, green, 10 and 15c. a basket, tomatoes, ripe, 30c. a basket; cauliflowers, 5c. each; carrots, 10c. a peck; pumkins, 10 and 15c. each; beets, 10c. a peck; honey, 10c. a lb.; peas, $1 to $1c. bushel; hay, $10 a ton; pork, dressed, 8 to 9c. a lb.; beef, 6c. a lb.; lamb, 7c.; pigs, live (6 weeks old) $5 a pair.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Saturday's traffic over the C. P. R. was larger than usual.

—The Coronation Choir sing in the Methodist church to-night.

—Marks Bros. have three dramatic companies on the road.

—The gates at the Grand Trunk crossing on Charlotte and Simcoe streets are working nicely.

—A large quantity of live chickens were shipped here on Saturday last for the Old Country Market.

—The Peterborough Music Company received a large consignment of the New Williams sewing machines on Saturday.

—Venison may now be procured at many of the butcher shops in town. It is not regarded as much of a delicacy, however.

—Mr. Gilbert Kincaid, the well known drover, brought two car loads of hogs last week to the Matthews Co., from points west.

—The Girls' Guild of George street Metodist church are arranging for the holding of a bazaar in the Y.M.C.A. rooms on the 4th and 5th December.

—Flags were flying from the post-office and a number of other public places yesterday in honor of the King's birthday. "God Bless and Save Our King."

—The junior football club went to Lakefield on Saturday and had a friendly game with the boys of that village. The result was a score of 18 to 0 in favor of the Peterborough kickers.

—Mr. R. J. Colville, of Toronto, addressed a gathering of men at the Y.M.C.A. hall on Sunday on the subject, "How all the Mighty Have Fallen." The address was very interesting and instructive.

—A Turkish social will be held in St. John's church school house on Tuesday night. A Turkish lecture, Turkish program Turkish costumes and Turkish refreshments will be the features of the evening.

—Belleville Ontario :—It appears that Hamilton's experience with the noward system in municipal affairs has been unsatisfactory. We don't think many of our citizens would go back to the ward system.

—We learn that the License Victuallers held a meeting in town on Friday for the purpose of organizing for the referendum campaign, but we have not been furnished with a report of the proceedings.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Chief Justice Armour was in town Saturday.

—Lieut.-Col. Sam Hughes was in town over Friday night.

—Mr. F. Pascoe, of Lindsay, was in town on Saturday.

—Mr. Thos. Blezard, ex-M.P.P., was in town on Saturday.

—Hon. J. R. Stratton came home from Toronto on Saturday.

—Mr. Wm. Milburn, of Trinity College, spent yesterday with friends here.

—His Lordship Bishop O'Connor conducted services at Grafton yesterday.

—Miss Edna Ackerman has returned from a week's visit with Toronto friends.

—Miss Foster, of Guelph, is visiting her cousin, Miss Florence Bell, Aylmer street.

OUR TOWN COUNCIL

The Times Invites Votes for the Best Man

WHO WILL BE OUR MAYOR?

The People are Now Interested in the Matter

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In oder to induce people to take a greater interest in municipal matters The Times has decided to adopt a plan which has become so popular with many of the leading newspapers in United States and Canada.

Who will be our next Mayor?

Who is to represent us in the Town Council?

Probably never before has Peterborough been in greater need of careful, prudent legislation than at present. She has arrived at the period in her history when the movement will be either forward or backward; when retrenchments and a carefull overhauling of our civic expenditure is an absolute necessity with a view to greater economy. The ratepayers must be made to realize that if Peterborough is ever to amount to anything our taxes must be reduced. Half-way measures are utterly useless. The evil must be met in a careful, thorough, practical manner, and this can only be done by the selection of men who sit at our council board who will be pledged to cut down our civic expenditure to the lowest possible amount consistent with the dignity of the town, and a proper administration of our civic affairs.

The Times speaks its mind freely on all matters that concern the people, we should be sorry to offend anyone, and our purpose is not do so. If however, we have to speak plainly to accomplish the end we have in view and our language is not what some think it should be, we hope that they will appreciate our position, and give us credit for what we try to do fearless in advocating what we believe is for the best interests of the people. The result of each day's voting will appear in The Times from time to time.

As before indicated, the object of the whole thing is to excite interest in municipal matters. Everyone will have a chance to name the men they think best fitted for a position at the council board

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—Mr. G. B. Hilliard, of Lakefield, was in town on Saturday, and dropped in to see The Times.

—Miss Ferguson, of Millbrook, is the guest of the Misses Stuart, Stewart street.

—Mrs. John Holmes, of Orchard Park Cottage, has returned from a visit to friends in Buffalo.

—Mr. Geo. Revel, C.E., has returned from Severn Island, where he has been engineering a large contract, and will spend the winter in town.

—Miss Mae Bennett returned to her home in Arnprior on Saturday after a pleasant visit of several weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Loch.

This is Toronto the Good

Mr. Percy Coward, of the Westminster Abbey Choir, had a thrilling experience and one which he will remember for some time to come when in Toronto last June. Mr. Coward had occasion to be passing up Yonge street late one evening, and when at the corner of Richmond street he noticed a man acting strangely across the street. Just then, to Mr. Coward's surprise, another man stepped out of a doorway and dashed a revolver in his face at the same time demanding money. Mr. Coward indignantly struck out and sent the highwayman to the pavement and then took to his heels. He ran into the arms of a policeman, but after explaining the circumstances was let go. He says he never had another such a scare in his life.

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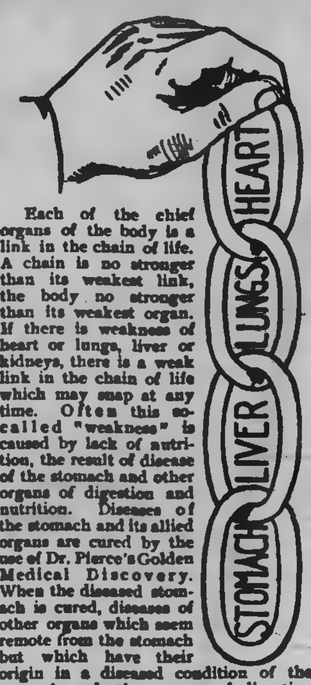

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INDIA'S MANY MILLIONS UNDER BRITISH RULE

The Census Shows Over Seven Millions Increase During Last Decade

Decrease in Native States Was Due to Plague and Famine—Thousands Die From Snake Bites

London, Nov. 11—The total population of British India, according to a statistical abstract issued by the India Office recently is 294,360,356. This is an increase of 7,136,836 on the census of 1891. Unfortunately, the increase is only to be found in the British territory, for in the native states there is a decline of 2,565,922. This is undoubtedly due to the plague and famine, says the London Chronicle. For instance, in Baroda the population last year was 944,045, whereas in 1891 it was 2,415,396. Equally startling are the figures in the Rajputana agency, namely, 9,619,965, as against 12,016,102, and in the Bombay States 6,908,-648 against 8,059,298. Indeed the difference per cent. in the native States between the two periods shows a decline of 5.43, the population of 1891 being 66,-047,487, while in 1901 it is recorded as 62,461,549. In British territory the increase is 4.85 per cent. The largest towns are Calcutta, with a population of 1,006,307; Bombay, 776,006 (a decline of 45,758 on the register of 1891, due mainly to plague), and Madras, 509,-346.

The religions of India also supply striking figures. There are 207,146,422 Hindoos, 62,458,061 Mohammedans, 9,476,-750 Buddhists, 2,923,241 Christians, and 18,228 Jews. Of the Christians 453,462 describe themselves as members of the Church of England, 221,846 as Baptists, 76,907 as Methodists, 53,861 as Presbyterians, 37,874 as Congregationalists, and 1,202,169 as Roman Catholics.

Millions Illiterate.

There is no return for 1901 of those unable to read and write, but the figures for 1891, which are given, are interesting. No fewer than 113,000,000 males and 127,000,000 females ten years age were unable to read a newspaper or write a letter, and it is hardly possible to imagine that these figures have been very materially reduced.

The expenditure last year on famine relief was £4,125,230 an amount nearly double that spent in 1899-00 when of course the suffering was not so great. In 1897-8 the period of the previous memorable outbreak, £3,560,405 was spent in relief, a third of which sum was given away in gratituous relief. Last year £1,430,712 was granted as gartituous relief. The revenue provided by the "famine grant," established in 1877-8, now amounts to a total of £25,000,000, and of this sum £23,568,209 has been spent, leaving a balance of £1,431,611.

The total number of letters and postcards posted in India last year was 400,-369,482, an increase of 40,000,000 over those despatched in 1899-00. In the Post Office Savings Bank there was deposited at the end of the year a total of 29,-090,476 rpuees, an increase of 1,073,409 on the figures for the previous year. In 1892-3, 1893-4, 1895-6 and 1896-7 the sums deposited were considerably larger but the last year's total was bigger than that recorded since 1897.

In the agricultural statistics of British India it is shown that 30,056,002 acres are now irrigated, whereas in 1891-2 the figures were 27,232,430. The area under food grains last year was 182,825,146 acres, which is nearly 10,000,000 acres more than in 1891-2. The total area cropped last year was 236,162,539 acres (the Punjab claiming 23,870,190), and the total area irrigated was 30,056,002 acres, of which the Punjab owned 8,446,506 acres. This shows the extent to which irrigation has been carried in the northern province.

Extension in Railways.

Railways have been considerably extended during the past few years, the mileage in 1892 being 17,894, whereas last year the total was 25,373. In 1901 there were 613 miles added to those existing in 1900. The gross earnings under this head last year totalled £22,432,806, while the working expenses amounted to £10,-605,501.

Tea to the value of £5,708,534 was exported to the United Kingdom last year, the amount exported in 1899-1900 being £5,527,462. The total amount exported was valued at £6,267,287.

The British army in India last year numbered 3,317 officers and 72,326 non-commissioned officers and men. In the native army, there were 1,578 British officers, 2,761 native officers and 137,320 native non-commissioned officers and men and there were 30,846 efficient volunteers.

The number of persons killed in 1900 by tigers was 943 and those bitten by snakes was 22,301 but the latter figure cannot be relied upon for the reason that relatives frequently poison an undesirable member of the family and register the death as due to "snake bite." The number of wild beasts destroyed was 17,250 and the slayers received rewards amounting to 1,004,007 rupees. No fewer that 97,910 snakes were killed, the financial recognition totalling 2,218 rupees. In this case also, however, the rewards were found to give rise to a flourishing and profitable industry in snake rearing.

Seeking to Obstruct Britain

Keeping Germany Quiet While Delagoa Negotiations are Pending

Higher Wages for Native Miners—Average Fixed at $12.50 Per Month—Heavy Blow to Principle of Arbitration

London, Nov. 10.—A special correspondent of the Times says in a despatch from Mohammerah, Persia, that the recent developments in connection with the reorganization of the Persian customs service by Belgian officials in the Karun district compel him to modify a previous statement. In spite of occasional complaints, says the correspondent, there at first seemed no reason to believe that the new administration was inimical to British commercial interests, but high handed measures taken at Mohammerah without warning, which measures are a violation of specific engagements entered into by the Persian Government, augur a settled purpose to obstruct the expansion of British trade by the Karun route, the moment it promises to acquire increased importance by the development of means of communication in Central and Northen Persia. Urgent representations in regard to this matter, adds the correspondent, have been addressed to the British Legation at Teheran. The correspondent concludes by stating that this incident, coupled with the establishment of a Russian Consular agency at Ahwaz, where there are no tangible Russian interests, is regarded as preliminary to an organized attack on Great Britain's commercial, if not her political position, in Southern Persia.

BETTER PAY FOR MINERS.

London, Nov. 10.—A despatch from Johannesburg says the Chamber of Mines has agreed to the proposal that higher wages be paid to natives employed in mines, the average being fixed at $12.50 per month. This will probably improve the chances of recruiting native labor, but it is feared that the scarcity will not be entirely overcome by raising the men's pay.

TO CONTINUE STRIKE.

London, Nov. 10.—"You have dealt a heavy blow to the principle of arbitration." This message, says a Paris correspondent, was telegraphed by M. Basly the coal miners' parliamentary champion, to the delegates of Nord and Pas De Calais miners, who resolved on Saturday to continue the strike. The correspondent says the delegates' meeting is said to have been a stormy one, but that the decision to continue the struggle was nearly unanimous. The miners talk of asking the companies to arrange a fresh conference and a new form of arbitration, but, says the correspondent, the companies are sure to decline to engage in further parley with delegates capable of such a breach of faith. It is calculated that the strike in Nord and Pas De Calais departments has caused a loss of about $6,500,000. The negotiations with Loire miners have been broken off.

ORDERS DISCUSSION TO CEASE.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 10.—The Minister of the Interior, M. Dr Plehve, has made a fresh attempt to stop the discussion of local questions by local committees appointed to investigate the conditions of agricuture. Circulars have been sent to the Governors of all Provinces in which committees are sitting, saying that the discussion of "general questions must cease." The Marshal of the Nobidity of Orel Province has announced that M. De Plehve's interference is irregular, and should be disregarded by the committees.

Eyes Tested Free

Prof. J. H. De Silberg, the celebrated eye specialist from Germany will be in Hastings on Wednesday, Nov. 19th until Thursday, Nov. 20th, at the Coughlin House Parlors; in Norwood on Friday, Nov. 21st until Nov. 24th, at Dr. Moffatt's Drug Store; in Keene, on Tuesday, Nov. 25th, until Wednesday, Nov. 26th, at Dr. Harrison's Office; in Lakefield, on Thursday, Nov. 27th, until Saturday, Nov. 29th, 1902, at Dr. Burgess Drug Store. Those having weak or imperfect eyes should not fail to consult him.

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BRITISH COLLIERIES SCHEME

A Pooling Arrangement to Resist Encroachment of American Trusts

Birmingham Nov. 10—The latest version of the syndicating of the collieries of the United Kingdom, represents the scheme as formulating a combination similar to the German coal ring, with the view to regulating prices and wages and resisting the encroachment of American trusts.

It will be a pooling arrangement, under which, in the event of part of the collieries closing owing to strikes or over-production, the owners will be compensated from a national reserve fund.

It is expected that as the movement is patriotic, aiming to keep the trade in British hands, the miners will cooperate.

MOLYBDENUM IN METHUEN

Rich Vein of This Precious Mineral Near Sandy Lake

About two years ago while Mr. Cowan of Marmora was picking huckleberries at Sandy Lake he discovered a mineral, samples of which he sent to the assay office at Kingston. The mineral proved to be Molybdenum. He purchased the lot on which the mineral occurred and it has since been secured by the International Mining Co., of Buffalo, who have men engaged in prospecting the find now.

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A New Machine Invented for Manufacturing Peat for Use

Stratford. Nov. 10—Mr. W. J Henry, formerly of Woodstock, who now lives in Stratford, has filed an application for a machine which he has invented for cutting and pressing peat. He believes it is emminently superior to any machine now in use and he proposes to turn it to the fullest advantage by engaging in the peat manufacture himself. Mr. Henry is at present looking for a suitable location. He has spoken with some of the Stratford G.T.R. officials in regard to a switch and if he selects property close to the railroad one will probably be put in. According to present calculations Mr. Henry is confident that he can manufacture 20 tons of peat per day at such a cost that he will be able to sell it at $2.25 per ton on cars at Stratford station.

THE DRIVING PARK

Turf Club Decide to Fix It Up for All Kinds of Sports

At a meeting of the Peterborough Turf Club, held yesterday, it was decided to have the grounds completely overhauled. The oval, inside the track will be levelled and put in shape for lacrosse, football and other games. The grand stand will also be overhauled.

It is the intention of the Club to make the Driving Park the headquarters of all kinds of athletic sports., Mr. Arthur Rountree, the popular and energetic Secretary of the Club, has charge of the renting of the grounds for matches, etc.

The Club are also preparing for the big winter meet which is to take place in January. It is expected that some of the best horses in the country will compete, as the purses are to be sufficiently large to attract them.

MR. BUNTON'S PARTY

The Popular Grand Trunk Ticket Agent as an Entertainer

Mr. "Billy" Bunton, the popular local ticket agent of the Grand Trunk Railway, has been selected to take charge of a party of 25 capitalists now on their way to Arizona, California and Nevada.

The party are going out to inspect mining properties of the Douglas Lacey Co., and the enterprising Toronto manager, Mr. W. E. Watson, will be the host. Mr. William Bunton, passenger agent of the G.T.R., Peterborough, is in charge charge of the party and will see that they lack no attention on their three weeks' trip. The route selected after leaving the Grand Trunk at Chicago is via the Santa Fe System to Prescott, Arizona, where two days are spent, thence to Los Angeles and San Francisco, returning via the Southern Pacific, Union Pacific and Chicago and Northwestern roads, stopping at Ogden, Salt Lake, Denver and Chicago, then to Toronto over the Grand Trunk.

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BERLIN BEET FIELDS CLAIM CITY CHINAMEN

Montreal Celestials Will Assist in Saving Crop From Loss

THE NEGOTIATIONS ARE NOW ON

Mr. Lee Chee Says 150 Will Go—Wages to be $1.00 Per Day

Montreal, Nov. 10—There is a scarcity of labour in the beet fields in the neighborhood of Berlin, Ontario, and the Ontario Sugar Company has undertaken to solve the problem by engaging a number of Chinamen from Montreal.

The negotiations with the Celestials have been confided to Mr. Lee Chee, who is now engaged in trying to persuade three or four hundred of his countrymen to go to Berlin and work for one dollar per day.

Up to the present, not very many of the Chinamen have been induced to regard the suggestion favorably. They have become imbued with western ideas and think that the wages should be higher.

Mr. James Fowler, the secretary of the company, will be here on Monday, and all the Chinamen who have by that time been gathered together, will be taken to Berlin at once. Mr. Lee Chee expects to be untimately able to get at least 150 men and perhaps more. It is understood that the engagement of those men has been done entirely on the initiative of the Ontario Sugar Company, who know they will be needed, and have resolved to supply them in order to save the crop from any loss. From Berlin the men will be sent in groups wherever they may be needed.

MUNICIPAL LIGHTING PLANT

Peterborough has Facilities for Doing its Own Lighting

It might be worth while for Peterborough to consider the advisability of putting in a light plant at water works dam, which is the property of the town The town of Nelson in British Columbia has not been afraid to venture into the field of municipal ownership, and the first results are of a most encouraging nature. According to one of the local papers, the town—or, as they prefer to call it, the city—paid $5,000 for the waterworks system in 1897, spent $101,580 on improvements, collected $44,-839 in water rates, at an operating expense of $9,072. After providing for all charges, the people of Nelson are $18,-900 in pocket, through owning their waterworks service, and $23,676 ahead through owning their electric light service, since 1897. The town was incorporated in that year, and the electric light and waterworks taken over by the municipalities and these two services since then have profited the municipality to the aggregate of $42,648.

The rates have not been raised to the public, the services have been good, and the town has received the profits that would have gone into private pockets.

ANCIENT EGYPT

Lecture by Mr. Hampden Burnham at the T. A. S. Hall

Mr. Hampden Burnham, who has many times previously shown himself to be an accomplished and eloquent speaker, delivered a most comprehensive lecture last night on the physical conditions of Ancient Egypt and the advanced civilization, the political history and the daily life of its inhabitants. As the time at the disposal of the lecturer was very limited, it was impossible to go over the subject in detail, but a distinct and vivid picture of the period in question was presented to the audience.

It is expected that Mr. Burnham will in the early future give a lecture, or series of lectures, in the T.A.S. hall, and this will be lookedforward to with interest and pleasure by those at least who had the good fortune to be present last evening

A vote of thanks to the speaker was moved by Mr. F. McAuliffe, seconded by Mr. Jas. Hickey, the audience responding in a hearty manner on request of the chairman.

The musical part of the program consisted of a charmingly rendered instrumental duet by the Misses McCabe and Doherty, and vocal solos by Mr. Jas. Brown, Mr. John King and Miss May Callaghan, the accompanist for the latter being Miss Bessie Weir. Miss Denard also contributed towards the greater enjoyment of the evening by a most expressive reading.

At the conclusion of the entertainment Rev. Father O'Brien spoke a few words in praise of the pleasant evenings afforded the members through the efforts of the literary section, and hoped they would always be as well patronized.

Mr. R. Begley, the chairman, announced that a social evening will be given at the rooms on Thursday evening, to which all members are invited. There will be a debate in two week's time on the subject, "Resolved: That Trial by Jury Should be Abolished."

The evening was brought to an early conclusion with the singing of "God Save the King."

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S WOOING

Invited to Take "Pot Luck" And Finds a Wife

New York, Nov. 10—Here is how the British colonial secretary, the Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain met his wife in America. One day he called on a lady who happened to be giving a girl's luncheon. She went out at once to greet him, and said laughingly that, if he did not object to being the only man present, she would be delighted for him to come into the dining room and take "pot luck" in the vacant place of one of her girls guests who had not turned up. Timidity has never been a weakness of Mr. Chamberlain—even in the presence of the fair sex—and he accepted the invitation gaily By the chances of war he found that the absent girl's seat, which he occupied, was that of Miss Endicott, daughter of the secretary of war, and, as American newspaper men would say, "one of the greatest belles of the day." The outcome of this was the marriage between the English politician and the "Puritan maiden."

THE KAISER'S POWER ON ENGLAND'S SIDE

His Visit May Result in the Acquisition of Delgoa Bay

The Kaiser Does Not Hold the Constitution in a Very Great Reverence—The Kaiser's Personal Influence

London, Nov. 11.—On its face the visit of the German Kaiser William II. to King Edward is merely a courtesy of relationship on the King's birthday, Nov. 9th, but it has been accorded by some an important political significance because of the synchronous visit of the King of Portugal. The inference is drawn that the reunion of these royalties may be made use of for the partition of the Portuguese possessions in South Africa between Great Britain and Germany. Britain has been long in negotiation with Portugal for Delagoa Bay on the east coast, with the important strategic port of Lorenzo Marquez, but patriotic pride and the Portuguese capacity for surviving a depleted treasury have always combined to prevent the consummation of a bargain. If the former objections to parting with her colonial possession to overcome in Portugal, it would seem only natural that the present meeting of the chiefs of the nations mostly interested should bear fruit in that direction.

If the Kaiser's visit to England has the effect of modifying the feelings of antagonism that has arisen in consequence of the commercial encroachments of Germany and the supposed ambition for its dominance as a naval world power it may be well. Yet England would be better assured were the Emperor to assert some of the paramount personal influence which he possesses to curb the expression of ill will which at times is rancorous throughout the Empire and is unconcealed in the highest circles of the public press. Constitutionally Kaiser William is under the same restraints as to his official utterances as the King of England is, but the constitution counts for but little when the monarch chooses to assert his personal authority. As a German writer says: "He has declared himself in favor of projects or impending measures; he has proclaimed a new policy or an important alteration of an old one: he has launched the ship of state into the troubled waters of a dangerous adventure, without even first consulting with his chancellor. This he did throughout the Hohenlohe regime, and he has done it on several occasions since the present chancellor (Von Buelow) came into power. The seizure of Kiaochou was a step undertaken not alone without the knowledge of the chancellor, but directly against his will. If Germany at that time had become involved in war with China, that war would have been due to a flagrant violation of the constitution by the Kaiser. Public declarations have been made scores of times by the Kaiser, condemning or approving men and measures, without previous consultation with his chancellors. Yet while thus ignoring the constitution himself, the Kaiser has when such utterances of his were adversely criticised prosecuted such critics whom he advised to shake the dust of the fatherland off their shoes." The Kaiser has wheeled round on the agrarian agitation, which he declared in 1894 meant "bread usury." He now says, "agriculture is the back bone of the country, and it must be protected." As we know, the protective policy has taken form in a duty intended for the exclusion from the German Empire of Canadian wheat. He coined the phrase about the "greater Germany," and said, "Our future lies upon the water," and more strongly, "Without the consent of Germany's ruler, nothing must happen in any part of the world." Surely a monarch so powerful, having the loyal support of the German people, and compelling attention by his forceful personality, could do much to abate the tone of bitterness that has for years pervaded the press, yet it has continued, and even the chancellor, whose counsel the Kaiser disregards, has taken free rein to verbally chastise the most forceful character in British politics.

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BRITISH STEAMER WRECKED NINETY SIX DROWNED

A Serious Fire in New York Last, A Number of Lives Lost

Inhaled Illuminated Gas--Carry Nation Bobs Up Serenely, Cut a Man's Ear Off

Melbourne, Australia, Nov. 10. — The British steamer Elingamite bound from Sydney, N. S. W., for Auckland, has been wrecked on Three Kings Islands. Forty-one of those on board the steamer were saved, and ninety-six are missing.

New York, Nov. 10.—A serious fire broke out to-night in the wooden frame work on top of the 300 foot steel tower of the New Williamsburg bridge at the foot of Delancey street. The flames spread to the false work along the main cables of the bridge, causing showers of blazing timbers to fall in the river. Owing to the danger to passenger craft from small cables hanging down to the water, the police have stopped all traffic on the river. Four workmen are reported to have lost their lives.

New York, Nov. 10.—Sarah Frost, a widow, Henry Frost, her son, and Jas. Kiley, a boarder, were found dead from inhaling illuminating gas in their apartments in West 37th Street to-day. The rubber connection of a gas range had accidentaly become detached during the night.

Tacoma, Wash., Nov. 10.—Despatches from Skagway give brief details of a story of withchcraft and superstition in the Hoonah Indian village, forty miles from Juneau.

Although quiet and peaceable, the Hoonah Indians are superstitious, and nearly ever year one or more members suffer violent deaths.

Several days ago the Indians took a man who was believed to be possessed o fa devil, and made him the victim of frightful atrocities. His ears were cut off, and his body frightfully hacked in an unsuccessful effort to drive out the demon.

The victim was troubled with epileptic fits, which continued under the ill-treatment. He was buried alive in the earth and his scalp cut off. Officers have started to the scene from Juneau on a special steamer.

New York, Nov. 11.—The Black Diamond express, the Lehigh Valley Railroad's show train, jumped the tracks out on the Hackensack meadows in a manner which the management of the railroad say is inexplicable. Mrs. Carrie Nation, H.D., of Kansas, was one of the passengers. After the accident she jarred the officials of the railroad and the other passengers, who, like herself, had escaped serious injury, much more than the accident itself had disturbed them.

Fifteen or twenty persons were hurt by the accident. Some of them were knocked unconscious, and many were faint and in great pain. Some quick-witted person ran to the dining-car of the train, which had not left the rails, grabbed two bottles of whiskey and supplied the contents thereof liberally to the wounded and frightened. Mrs. Nation promptly threw a fit that for violence and general incoherrence was right up to the Home Defender standard. She bounced up and down the rows of helpless victims of the accident, begging them not to sell their immortal souls by tasting the vile poison, and threatening those who were administering the stimulant with present bodily chastisement and future damnation.

When the bruised were bandaged and the one or two who were hurt badly enough to be taken to the St. Francis Hospital in Jersey City had been cared for, a special train was sent out from Jersey City to take the Black Diamond's passengers through to their destinations. But Carrie wouldn't go. She wanted to see the officials of the railroad. Mauch Chunk could wait. The accident had shaken up the contents of Carrie's teeming brain and there was something doing.

She appeared not long after the accident in the office of the claim agent of the railroad in Jersey City. She said that everybody told her that he was the man she wanted to see.

"I was in that accident that happened to your traveling gin-mill out here," she began. I tell you it's a crime. The curse of rum, my borther, and of cigarettes——"

"Your name, madam?" said Mr. Solliday.

"Why, say young man," said his visitor, in unassumed astonishment, "don't you know me? I'm Carrie Nation, Home Defender. I'll give you my autograph. I find that it is considered an interesting souvenir. Now, as I was saying, the curse of rum ——"

"Were you hurt in the accident? madam?" asked the claim agent.

HEART WAS BRUISED.

"Why, of course I was. That's what I was going to talk to you about. My poor heart was bruised and almost broken by the way rum was poured out on that train. The Devil could not have done his work better if he had been on earth to attend to it himself."

"Did you receive any direct injuries to your person, madam?" inquired Mr. Solliday, eying a long list of callers waiting in line in his outer office.

"I suppose," said Mrs. Nation, with an expression of slighted dignity, "that a man who will let his assistants sell rum to the innocent thinks it is right to insult innocent ladies when they come to him to save his soul from hell and rum, but——"

"How much money do you claim for your damages, madam?" said Mr. Solliday.

"I don't want a cent," she said, all good humor and pleading smiles again. "I've got a little cut here on the back ofmy head, and another off my shoulder. They don't count. I won't charge you a cent for the hurt you did my body. I won't lose a cent. I can get to Mauch Chunk in plenty of time to keep all my engagements, and that is all right. In consideration of my not suing you anything, and you know I could if I wanted to, I ant you to make me just one little promise."

"Surely, madam," said Mr. Solliday.

Mrs. Nation continued:

"It has always hurt my feelings to have dining-cars made into traveling gin mills, the way all railways do. I want you to smash every bottle of rum on your trains. Now, you will, won't you? Do it for my sake."

"But our passengers ask for it," protested Mr. Solliday.

"That's the Devil asking for them. You oughtn't to let them have everything they ask for. Now, please, won't you smash your rum bottles? Let me do it," she added hastily, as Mr. Solliday searched for a reply.

"Rum is a curse," she began, again. "It brings all kinds of trouble."

"It does, madam, it does," murmured Mr. Solliday. His visitor looked at his countenance and sniffed in scorn.

"I've got to go now," she said. "But I think there is some good in you. You may be saved yet, and your railroad with you. Just think what an advertisement it would be for your railroad. 'No selling gin mills on this line.' Good-bye."

AMERICAN INVASION OF BRITAIN CONTINUES

Immense Docks and Warehouses to be Erected in Manchester England

A Scheme to Facilitate the Handling of American Goods—It Will Greatly Develop Trade

Manchester, Nov. 10—The Guardian this morning makes an announcement of a new American enterprise which it says is more important to this city than the establishment of the International Mercantile Marine Company of a direct steamship service between Boston and Manchester.

The Guardian says the new venture has been planned and in all likelihood will shortly be executed by a syndicate of New York capitalists. Arrangements have already been completed for the purchase of eighty acres of land on the south bank of the Manchester ship canal on which it is proposed to construct wharves for ocean steamships, and a large docks and warehouses for the storage of cotton and other produce.

The promoting company will also furnish the necessary machinery and the money to enable American producers to sell direct from the warehouse to English spinners and merchants and also to give the latter an opportunity of purchasing cotton in America on c.i.f. terms with ample security. The scheme will allow the merchants to hold the cotton until it is required for consumption without locking up its equivalent in capital.

The Guardian says the enterprise, which will greatly develop the trade of Manchester, is part of a scheme to extend the American system of marketing produce, particularly cotton, to England, and the continent. It is also proposed to erect similar warehouses at Havre, Bremen and several other European ports.

The promoters of the scheme will hold a meeting in a few days and will explain the plan to the Manchester cotton and industrial interests in order to obtain the cooperation of these concerns.

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TUBERCULOSIS AND ITS CURE

Of vast importance to humanity is the congress which assembled in Berlin recently to discuss the great problems connected with the disease of tuberculosis. Delegates were present from all the countries of Europe, and the United States. All medical authorities agree that consumption is the greatest scourge that afflicts humanity, some going so far as to assert that its victims outnumber those of all other diseases combined. The great object of the Berlin Congress is to find the best means of prevention. Its conclusions with regard to the housing of the working classes, the sanitation of factories, the establishment of sanitorii, hospitals and homes for consumptives, and also concerning the various systems of treatment followed in different countries, will be submitted for the approval of the several governments of the countries represented by the delegates. It having been ascertained the consumption is contagious under certain conditions, it has been suggested by an English delegate that measures for proper treatment and isolation, if necessary, might be taken. Opinion appeared unanimous in the congress against expectoration in public places. When this subject was discussed in this city among aldermen recently it was thought that this dirty habit could not be suppressed. But it has been pretty well overcome in several European cities, and it is wonderful how soon people learn to abandon a habit when they discover that it entails discomfort and punishment on themselves. In waging war against this terrible destroyer every means possible should be taken to educate the public, for every home is interested, and every man, woman and child should be made conscious of his and her responsibility to aid by personal conduct in preventing the spread of this disease.

THE DOUKHOBOR MUDDLE

One would think, from reading our newspapers, that whether a thing was a fact or not a fact depended on the party one belonged to. According to the Conservative press the Doukhobors are all Crazying, or, at least, the numbers of them that are doing so amount to a national migration. According to the Liberal papers the number affected by fanaticism is insignificant. One party sees nothing but folly and mischief in a people that came to Canada under the auspices of the other party. Such religious excitements as the recent access of vegetarian piety and more recent tendency to go on a pilgrimage to meet the returning Saviour are to be looked for among a people with no ideas that are not religious, cut off from the world's affairs and interests and carrying simplicity of living to the point of intolerable monotony. Our own condition of thronging interests and of so-called news tumbling in upon us to distraction, is productive of nervous exhaustion with many morbid consequences, but it is possible, on the other hand, to furnish the mind with too little to think of. Those who are always on the rush lose the highest things of life; those who have neither by reading nor intercourse any world to live in and work for lose the balance afforded by earnest endeavor towards adequate ends.

NEWFOUNDLAND AND CANADA

The question of confederation with Newfoundland and Jamaica which was before the Toronto Board of Trade a day or two ago, is made up of two very different propositions. Newfoundland is naturally a part of Canada. Its solidarity with Canada is a matter of first-class importance. Its separation is a menace to Canada. Should it fall into the hands of a foreign power it would render Canada's position very uncomfortable, and there is a foreign power which has taken just such advantage of us at the other end of the country. Newfoundland is not diverse in character and interest from Canada. Before confederation its people shared with those of the other maritime provinces the name of Blue Noses, and the group, including Newfoundland, were commonly spoken of as one in character and interest. There were at that time less than a hundred thousand people in Newfoundland, but this handful, having self-government, was able to decline to enter the union with the rest. We should lose no opportunity to get them to change their mind. The very opposite in some respects, is the Jamaica proposition. Instead of being a guarantee against another power getting its arms around us, it would be putting our arms around the United States in a way that would make that country feel disagreeable. It would be importing into our affairs other problems of a most distressful sort. Jamaica has on its hands the sugar question, just now at a crisis, and what is far more serious, the color question, which can, we think be far better solved on the spot than in parliament at Ottawa. There would not be enough of black men at Ottawa to form there anything like the celebrated Irish brigade at Westminster, but whatever there was in the color question would be distressful, and it is a problem which, unlike the French shore question, we have no call to adopt.

DISTRICT NEWS

SLOPEVILLE, DOURO.

—The weather is very fine for this time of the year.

—Mr. R. H. Cavanaugh, has bought Mr. L. Sullivan's colt, the "Mermaid." Dick says there is money in her for the race course.

—Mr. Brigan Helps has moved back to his farm, from Warsaw, again. Mr. Helps says he does not like the city. His health is much better and he has a better appetite on the farm.

—Mr. Jas. Condon had a large raising at his new barn on Wednesday. He had over 75 men and had a good day's work. The bee was made much more pleasant by the appearance of Mr. Louis Sullivan, "the Flynville Piper." He played several fine old Irish tunes on the bag-pipes and also played and danced "The Rocky Roads to Dublin," which Mr. Martin Guerin says was the best he has seen in 60 years since he left the county Clare.

—The Times is known in this neighborhood as the farmer's favorite. Alderman Sullivan says that no intelligent farmer can be without it.

LOVES THE KING'S DAUGHTER

Austin Chamberlain Would Marry the Princess Victoria

London, Nov. 10—The clubs today are discussing a story to the effect that Austin Chamberlain, the newly appointed postmaster general, is in love with Princess Victoria, King Edward's second daughter. The princess, it is said, returns the affection and the engagement of the two is possible. Their difference in social position is probably insurmountable but it is pointed out that the king's well known democratic ideas might lead him to obviate this difficulty. Princess Victoria is the only unmarrried child of the king and was born in 1868.

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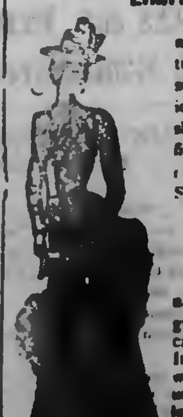

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Here are a few points about economizing in the burning of coal that may be worthy of note.

When it is understood that the same amount of fuel is consumed in producing either gas or heat it is readily seen why one person will use four times as much coal as another without producing any more heat, if as much. When feeding coal, after the fire is made only a small quantity should be fed at a time and that spread evenly over the surface of the fire, for when fresh coal is added it for a time lowers the temperature of the fire box—just as pouring cold water into a pot of boiling water stops the boiling by lowering the temperature—until the added coal is heated up to the igniting point, when it first begins to burn and adds its heat to the mass. When but little coal is added this lowering of the temperature will be hardly noticed, but add a large quantity and it can be plainly seen.

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MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS should be paid to the stockholders of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company when their property is fully developed, their refinery equipped and in full operation. ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS was paid by Kern County Oil Companies during the month of August alone.

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Kern Oil Co	.10	20.00
Thirty-three Oil Co.	.25	11.00
Kern River Oil Co.	.50	25.00
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Oil City Petroleum Co.	2.50	34.00
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STOCK MARKETS

Bearishness Becoming Prevalent Among Active Speculators

New York, Nov. 10—Among the class that are active daily in the market it is becoming extremely fashionable to work upon the bear side of the market. These daily scalpers are taking their cues and views from the Waldorf Astoria party and the extreme indifference at present to market conditions and offerings in making the present downward drift. All kinds of stories are put in circulation about a certain coterie of western speculators being left long of the market to quite an appreciable extent, while the vague suggestions are being made that their long holdings are gunnes, for it produces as a result an extremely treacherous market—one that when the turn does come will be clean cut and decided. Sugar has been singled out and specially attacked, being selected as the bear target by the leaders. Among the better class of railway shares excellent buying is discernable at every eighth decline, but the buyers show no aggressiveness or tendency to bid against the bear operators, merely a willingness to buy their offerings as made. The western party stoutly maintain their faith on the bull side and claim the short interest to be at present time unusually large, stating that they base their opinions upon the immense line of stocks they are loaning in many instances privately at a rate considerably below the current price for money. It is their contention that the bears will over-do the matter, running themselves into a trap. The last sensational speculation upon the bear side of sugar occurred last December when the price rapidly dropped from 125 to 103 1-4. The inevitable rebound came, carrying the price to 135 1-8 the following March and the bears lost heavily. The remarkable excellent buying of Union Pacific is based upon the forthcoming annual report, which is expected to show nearly ten per cent. earned upon the common stock the past 12 months. One thing is certain that when the turn of the market does come it will likely prove a sharp one; meantime for day to day speculation it would be a falacy to combat the statement that one man's guess was not as good as another's.

Summary—The dealings at the opening today were on an immense scale; it was a genuine bear raid and this contingent had no hesitation in circulating the questionable rumours usually identified with their tactics. The rumor of the serious illness of J. P. Morgan was scattered broadcast, demoralizing the stocks and bringing about excessive liquidation. Bull interests saw the hopelessness of giving support under such circumstances, so the market was left to itself. It rallied around noon and especially in sugar, Mo. P., Union Pacific, and A. C. P., but reactions continued till near the close when a new rally set in and placed many stocks as high as they were at Saturday's close, St. Paul, Penna B.R.T. Sugar showing up splendidly. It shows that the buying power is always at hand at any low level, and that with railroad and industrial prosperity undimmed the bull side of the market can hold its own. Such reactions form an excellent foundation for a bull market, weak holdings having sold out and the best support in the world being near at hand, that in bear covering. Money closed at 3 per cent. Sales 1,298,100.

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Winifred slept not at all that night. She told herself that never before had she known what real unhappiness was. She could have borne to give up her lover, but to know him unworthy—to know him, to whom she had surrendered her whole confidence, her whole heart, in the plot against her, perhaps from the very first—seemed more than she could bear and live.

Early in the morning she heard Dick stirring in his room, which was next to hers. At first she hoped that he had risen betimes to come and tell her that he was sorry for last night, that he had made up his mind, if only for her sake, not to go to Lionel Macaire. But she soon found out her mistake. Dick was packing. He did not even come to her door before he went, though he passed it, dragging the box, which he would leave in the hall outside for the janitor of the flats to carry down.

"If only he tells Lionel Macaire why I have refused to see him—my own brother—while he lives under his roof!" she thought. At least she would like to feel that Macaire had little upon which to congratulate himself.

But Dick had no intention of telling his new employer anything of the kind. If, as he argued, he "went blabbing" to Macaire all Winnie's silly fancies, probably he should soon find himself out in the cold. Naturally, Macaire would not wish to keep for his secretary a young man whose sister imagined that he entertained a wild passion for her and plotted for her undoing. He had decided not to say anything to young Baron von Zellheim either, for what von Zellheim heard Macaire would hear also, as they appeared to be such intimate friends. Winnie had said that she would not explain; von Zellheim "would understand" why he was forbidden to see her, without that; and whether he did understand or no was not Dick's business. Winnie and von Zellheim could fight their quarrel out between them.

Dick was rather unhappy for a few hours, for he was fond of Winifred in his way, and was sorry to have gone against her, though he did not for a moment really regret what he had done. But, established in his new quarters at Macaire's beautiful house, far more magnificent than anything he had ever seen, his spirits bounded up again. Macaire treated him right royally, and Dick was more indignant than ever that Winnie should cherish such unjust suspicions of so good a fellow.

He found that he was not Macaire's only secretary. There was another, an elderly man of a retiring disposition, who apparently loved work for its own sake; but he was on a very different footing in the big household from that on which Dick was at once placed. Either from his own choice or because Macaire preferred it, this person had his meals served in the room where he attended to his correspondence, and was seldom seen outside it, except when taking instructions from the millionaire; while, on the contrary, Dick was constantly in request. His daily task, apparently, was to do nothing more arduous than sending out or answering notes of invitation to entertainments, though even that bade fair to occupy him for a couple of hours each morning.

The first day in his new berth he lunched with Macaire and half a dozen rich city men, who had been asked to the house. He drank a great deal of champagne, smoked several cigars, which he thought fit for Olympus, and was excited and happy, contrasting the present with the past in scorn of the latter. The man who sat next him at the table took him quite seriously, despite his youth, and talked so alluringly of the stock market that Dick resolved as soon as he could scrape enough sovereigns together to go in for a little plunge of his own.

That afternoon he went with Macaire to the Park to try a pair of two thousand-guinea horses. Not a word was said about Winifred, who seemed to vanish into the background, appearing of less and less importance among so many really big interests in her brother's eyes.

Macaire was dining out in the evening, but a dinner was served for Dick such as could have been prepared at only a very few of the best London hotels; and that the millionaire's famous chef, whose salary was one thousand five hundred pounds a year, should exert himself for the insignificant second secretary, was flattering.

Dick was just finishing a bottle of Nuits St. George, which filled his veins with a tingle as of electricity, when a footman of whom he still stood in awe informed him that Baron von Zellheim was anxious to see him. "Ask him to come here and have a coffee and liqueur with me," commanded the young man with his lordliest air; and two minutes later Newcome, still in morning dress, was shown into the dining-room, looking pale, even haggard.

"Nothing at all for me, thanks," he said, impatiently brushing Dick's hospitality away with a gesture. "Do you mind having in what you want and sending the servants away?"

Dick did mind the strain of dismissing such stately beings, but he managed it with the best grace he could, and he and his guest were left alone.

"I don't know that I ought to have come to you," said Newcome, "but I couldn't resist. If you think I have done you a good turn in introducing you to Macaire, for Heaven's sake be frank with me, and tell me if you know what I have done to offend Miss Gray."

This was exactly what Dick did not wish to do. He would have given a good deal if Newcome had begun the attack in a less straightforward way, but he determined to hedge.

"Is she offended?" he enquired. "I haven't seen her to-day. I—er—left home before she was up."

"I had a letter from her this morning forbidding me to attempt to see her again or to write, and offering not a word of explanation. Of course, I could not sit still under that. I did go to see her—immediately. But the door was not opened."

"Perhaps she was out," suggested Dick. "There's no servant in the house; though of course that and many things will be different now that I'm making money."

"She was at home. The janitor told me that before I went upstairs. She must have been firm in her resolve not to see me. I then sent her a letter by messenger, imploring her to tell me what I had done, to give me a chance at least of defending myself. The letter was returned to me unopened in an envelope addressed by her. I am absolutely at a loss to understand it. The only thing left was to come to you. For Heaven's

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

An Indian Fined

Wm. Morgan, an Indian was fined $3.00 and costs or thirty days in jail at the police court yesterday morning for being drunk on Saturday. He refused to tell who supplied him with the liquor.

The Locks Dam

Work on the new dam below the Little Lake is seriously impeded by high water. Mr. Burnell, the contractor, told The Times yesterday that the water was 2 1-2 feet higher now than it was this time last year.

A Slow Town

Lindsay Post:—Peterboro's tax roll calls for the collection of about $84,000 and only some $16,000 remains unpaid. The last day for the payment of the balance has been fixed for Nov. 15th. The Lindsay tax rolls calls for about $64,000, but our collector is only now delivering his notices. So far about $10,000 has been paid to Treasurer Knowles.

Coronation Choir

The concert given in George street Methodist church last night by the Westminster Abbey Coronation Choir was a rare musical treat. The program gave general satisfaction, and there was a good attendance. The celebrated band of singers appeared under the auspices of the Choir and Mission Band.

Six Fine Deer

Yesterday Mr. R. A. Dutton, George street, had delivered at his store six fine deer, which weighed, respectively, 145, 131, 129, 134, 146 and 129 pounds. They were a portion of the produce of the Payne hunting party, of Warsaw, and were shot at Long Lake, near Atherley. Mr. Dutton shipped five of the deer last evening to G. Simpson & Co., of Toronto, retaining one for his own use.

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Back from Japan

Mr. R. J. Stewart, who went from Norwood some months ago to Japan in the interest of the Sun Life Assurance Company, has returned home. From Japan, Mr. Stewart went to China and decided to settle in the latter country, but met with an accident that necessitated his coming back to Canada. He was thrown from a rig in China and had his back badly injured, and the doctors advised him to take several months rest.

Peterborough Protestant Home

The Committee of Management of the P.P. Home gratefully acknowledge the following donations for the month of October: Mark Street Church, vegetables; Mrs. Durnham, Toronto papers; Mr. Salisbury, reading matter, a bag of apples, "a friend"; Mr. A. Dean, reading matter; Mrs. J. B. McWilliams, clothing; Mrs. Brown, reading matter; Mrs. Ragg, apples and citron. The annual meeting on the P. P. Board will be held Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 11th at half-past three. All interested in the work are cordially invited to be present.

What Peterborough Lost

A railway to Bobcaygeon from Peterborough would be a good thing for both our back country friends and ourselves. For about seven months out of twelve Bobcaygeon and the country north is shut out from civilization except by the primitive stage lines. The following from the Lindsay Post will tell its own story:—"The extent of trade between Lindsay and Bobcaygeon is well exemplified these days in the immense quantities of freight taken away daily by the steamer Manita. In addition the Trent Valley Navigation Co's tug Ajax takes away a scowload of coal oil, salt, flour and feed, etc. every couple of days. Bobcaygeon is the winter supply points of a very extensive territory in which much lumbering is yet done, and the merchants have to lay in large stocks to tide them over till navigation opens again."

MARRIAGES

SMITH—CASTLE.—At St. Luke's Rectory, Ashburnham, by the Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, M.A., on Saturday, November 8, 1902, George James Smith to Nancy Amanda Castle, both of Ashburnham.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The County Council meet on Friday next.

—Grain is beginning to move quite freely.

—Shipments of hard coal have reached Cobourg.

—Mr. R. Neill received thirty cases of new shoes yesterday.

—The Peterborough Cheese Board meets on Wednesday.

—The Mission Band of St. Paul's will meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—The Marks' Brothers Comedy Company left for Lindsay yesterday morning.

—Kingston sets a good example to Peterborough by assessing transient traders $250 license.

—The annual meeting of the Peterborough Protestant Home will be held at 3.30 this afternoon.

—All the male members of the Murray street Baptist church are requested to meet at the church to-night.

—There will be a Turkish social in St. John's church to-night. Turkish refreshments, costumes and program will be the features of the evening.

—Mr. M. Connor received a carload of fine potatoes yesterday from Trout Creek, which will be sold at a reasonable price.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. Wm. Laing took place yesterday afternoon to the Little Lake cemetery and was largely attended.

—The local bank managers report that none of the counterfeit bills said to be in circulation in Toronto have yet found their way to Peterborough.

—Mr. Little, agent for the Singer sewing machines, got in about twenty new machines on Monday. Evidently he is pushing the Singer business.

—Cobourg Post: A Lindsay dealer was in town on Monday and tried to purchase a quantity of coal to ship to that town, but was unsuccessful. There is no coal in the northern town.

—The second meeting of the week of prayer will be held to-night, at 8 o'clock, when Rev. Mr. Jolliffee will give an address on, "Filled with the Fruits of Righteousness."

—The ladies of the different church congregations will meet in the Y.M.C.A. rooms on Friday afternoon to offer up united prayer for success for the temperance cause in the referendum campaign.

—Mr. and Mrs. Olver are mourning the death of their seven-year-old son, Stanley, which sad event occurred on Sunday at the family home, 644 Donegal street. The funeral takes place at 1 p.m. to-day to Ida cemetery.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature either by phone in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. E. Benson, of Lindsay, was in town yesterday.

—Miss Pearl Faint was home from Victoria College for Sunday.

—Mr. E. A. Tanner, of Lakefield, was transacting business in town yesterday.

—Mr. Ernie Wasson, of Warsaw, was visiting friends in town on Sunday.

—Miss Amy Hutchinson, of Millbrook, is visiting her Peterborough friends.

—Madame LaZella and her manager, Mr. E. E. Shortell, left for the East yesterday.

—Venerable Archdeacon Casey, of Lindsay, was calling on friends in town yesterday.

—Rev. Dr. Sanderson, of Campbellford, was in town calling on friends yesterday.

—Mrs. (Dr.) Cameron, of Omemee, is the guest of Mrs. Langfeldt, at St. Luke's Rectory.

—Mrs. W. E. Matthews, of Ottawa, is spending a few days in town with Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Matthews.

—Mr. D. Cahill, of Grafton & Co.'s dry good store, has taken a situation in Dundas. We wish him success.

—Mr. Harry Millan, who has been the guest of Mr. R. Hamilton for the past few days, left for his home in Toronto last night.

—Mr. B. V. Court, of Lockport, N.Y., passed through town on his way home yesterday morning, having in his possession three year-old deer, which he shot in the north.

—Mr. W. A. Simpson, Secretary to the Vice-President of the Grand Trunk Railway, Montreal, was in town over Sunday, the guest of his aunt, Mrs. E. Anderson, 213 London street.

—The Times had a pleasant call yesterday from Mr. E. W. Loscomb, Toronto, a representative of Bradstreet's. Mr. Loscomb will remain a day or two longer, before taking his departure for points eastward.

Another Fast C. P. R. Run

On Wednesday last owing to a delay at Smith's Falls, the C.P.R. train for Toronto made a specially quick run to make up time, and when it reached the Union Station had made up one hour and nine minutes of the time lost. Deducting stops, the running time shows that the average rate of speed between Smith's Falls and Toronto was 47 miles per hour; this includes the slow-downs necessary to pass through the yards at Toronto and at the larger towns en route. This speed made with a train of seven heavy coaches shows the character of the motive power and rolling stock of the Canadian Pacific, and also the high state of the roadbed between Montreal and Toronto.

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Events Transpiring in Our Pretty Northern Village

—The Times is the people's popular paper here.

—Mr. Craig, of the Craig House, has still a number of summer guests, who "linger on the lap of summer."

—The creditors of the defunct bank would like to know how it was that the bundle of notes valued at $3,000 came to be in the Traders Bank at Port Hope, and if they were hypothecated as stated by Mr. Linton, how the late manager came to get possession of them. This should be cleared up at once.

—Now that the saw mills of the Dickson Company have shut down for the season, the village is a trifle on the quiet side. Mr. Thompson, the popular superintendent, has a gang of men at work making a lot of improvements. Mr. Thompson believes in keeping everything in first class shape.

—The new mills of the Lillicrap and Tate Lumber Company are now ready to begin cutting. Steam was got up yesterday (Monday) for the first time, and everything found to be in tip top shape.

—The absence of so many of our villagers who are away on the hunt is quite noticeable.

—The steamer Alert is kept busy bringing in wood, which is being shipped to Toronto and other places.

—The steamer Majestic is kept at work towing and has more than she can do.

—The work on Dam. No. 3 is progressing under the management of Mr. Ed. Wade.

—Mrs. J. M. Kilbourn, of Owen Sound, has been staying in the village for some time with Mr. Kilbourn. She proposes to return home in a few days. During Mrs. Kilbourn's sojourn here she has made many warm friends who will regret her departure.

—The congregation of the Presbyterian church will hold a bazaar in the town hall, on Thursday, Dec. 4th. Something special may be looked for.

—Mrs. Whaley, of Toronto, was in the village last week visiting friends.

—Mrs. J. Blewett left last week for Carberry, Man., where she will join her husband.

—Mrs. P. Daptie and Miss Maud, who have been visiting friends in Orillia and Norwich, have returned home.

—Mrs. S. Lauder, of Bridgenorth, was in the village last week, visiting friends, the guest of Mrs. G. Fitzgerald.

—Mr. Jas. Jory has returned home after spending a few months in Manitoba and British Columbia.

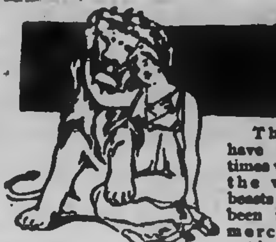
—Mr. H. H. Bingham, third year under-graduate of McMaster University, Toronto, preached in the Baptist Church last Sunday morning and evening.

—The many friends of Mr. Clarence Belt will be pleased to learn that he has been transferred from his post as clerk in the central office to that of assistant clerk in Chambers, Osgoode Hall, Toronto.

—Miss Armstrong, of Smith and Miss C. Trenwith of Port Hope, were the guests of Miss Sherin last week.

—A bad smash-up occurred here on Sunday. A team of horses, belonging to Mr. Leary, of Peterborough, ran away while in the yard of the Craig House and smashed the rig all to pieces.

—The Lakefield Cement Company are increasing their storage capacity by the erection of an addition to their present buildings, which is now well under construction. They will also erect a new building 30 x 120 feet, which will contain a six hundred horse power motor for grinding. The power to drive this motor will come from No. 3 dam, which is owned by the Company. The capacity of the works will be doubled.



There have been times when the wild beasts have been more merciful than human beings, and spared the woman cast to them in the arena. It is astonishing how little sympathy women have for women. In the home the mistress sees the maid with the signs of suffering she recognizes so well, but she does not lighten the sick girl's load by a touch of her finger. In the store the forewoman sees the pallor and exhaustion which mark womanly weakness, but allows nothing for them. It is work or quit.

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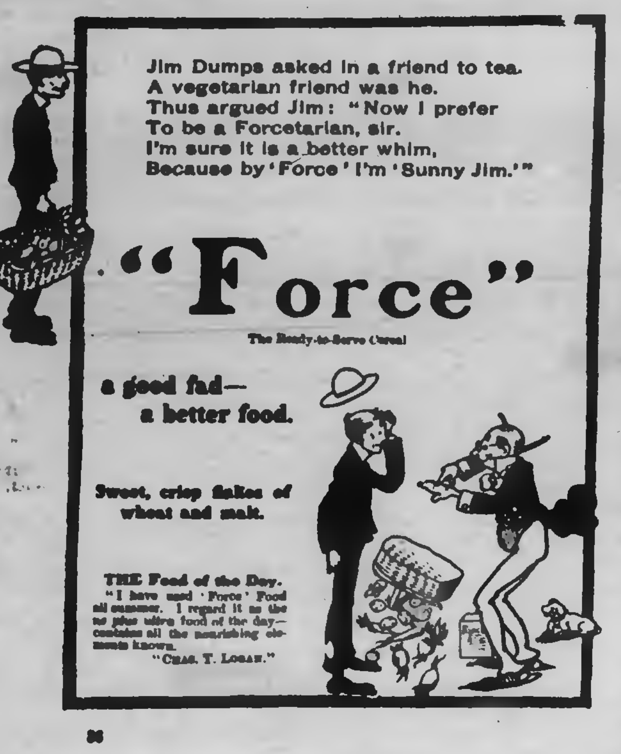

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THE TERRIBLE RUIN CAUSED BY VOLCANO

Further Particulars of the Eruption of Soufriere on October 15th

New York, Oct. 11—An account of the latest eruption of La Soufriere, St. Vincent, on Oct. 15, more disastrous in its effect on the vegetation of the island than any since May 7, and entailing greater money losses, has been received by a woman in this city from Miss Newsam, daughter of ex-Colonial Surgeon Newsam of Kingston. She says:

"Again I am writing to tell you of an awful eruption of La Soufriere which took place on Oct. 15. Happily there has been no loss of life, but the damage to property is far greater than in any eruption since May 7, owing to the immense fall of "sand" and stones. In Kingston we saw nothing of the eruption until about 8 p.m., when (as on May 18) we noticed a puff of white steam a little to the left of Mount St. Andrew's with the lightning running up it. It was a bright moonlight night and the effect of this silvery white cloud was lovely. This lasted for about an hour, accompanied by intermittent roars like thunder.

"By 9 p.m., all was quiet and the cloud which had increased in size and grown a dull gray gradually dispersed. Every one hoped the danger was over, at any rate for that night, but by midnight we were again made aware by the sudden bright flashes and distant roaring that the terrible forces of nature were at their deadly work.

"By 1 a.m., the sky was an appalling sight, from St. Andrew's right over to Cane Garden. One mass of black and gray cloud with that terrible lightning which we have so learned to dread, all through it. No one could ever describe that lightning nor could one imagine it. How can one describe it when one sees fifty different kinds of flashes in one second. Ribbons of red and yellow flame with balls of fire strung through them, things that looked like long skeleton fingers darting at you, branches of trees, long snakes of living fire, and, quite apart from the flashes, four purple and crimson flames glowing at the same time in different parts of the cloud.

"By 2 a.m., it was at its height, and the roar from the crater was perfectly deafening, it being about three times as loud as on the 3rd of September. This was supposed to be entirely the new crater, and so was far more east than the previous ones; the windward side of the island getting a double share of hot sand and stones, and leeward getting comparatively little.

At Kingstown the sand commenced falling about 2 o'clock. It is quite different to the dust which fell on May 7, being just like river sand, black and heavy, and the same as the stuff which fell at leeward on Sept. 3. It sounded like a very heavy shower of rain and we were relieved that no stones came, but rather feared for the roofs of small houses as this sand is so heavy. It is less unpleasant than the former "dust" as it falls off the plants &c., from its own weight, but is is just everywhere and terrible was the sweeping of roofs and clearing out of gutters the next day.

"It seems to have a particular fancy for getting into one's hair, which, is I think, the most unpleasant of all. In town is half an inch deep and weighs one pound to the square foot. In Georgetown it is nine inches deep and at "Grand Sable" an estate belonging to the H—'s, it is seven inches deep, and the estate buildings are riddled with stones, and not a blade of grass is left for the stock to eat. At Mesopotamia it is supposed to be twelve inches deep. At Mount William estate everyting is in a terrible way, for even the young cocoa pods were knocked off the trees.

"There is hardly a soul left in Georgetown. All the people who owned shops and stores there are bringing their goods into Kingstown. Altogether the outlook for St. Vincent is terrible. This eruption lasted all night, and all next day you could see the columns of smoke curling up into the sky. Since then (the 15th) both craters remain active, and though not visible from Kingstown are sending up thick black smoke and flame. Several shocks of earthquake were felt in the places nearer the Soufriere, but in town only some slight earth tremors were noticeable.

It is an anxious time, and apart from the depression everywhere one wonders how it will end.

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Will Always Remain an Enigma to the Boer Generals—Interesting Reading for British

London, Eng. November, 11—When Gen. Ben Viljoen, of the late Boer army, delivered his opening lecture at the Queen's Hall there was not a large attendance, the stalls, for which half a guinea and 5s were charged, being almost empty.

With a smile the General said that he had been surrounded by the British force and had been in some tight corners before, but he had never felt so uncertain about his future as he did then. He had inspected all the exits carefully with a view to retreat. Sketching rapidly the history of the Boer nation, he said his own ancestors were Huguenots, who emigrated to South Africa at the time of their persecutions. Germans and Dutch also emigrated, and the Boers were a conglomeration of the three nations. Further, numbers of English, Irish and Scotch settled in the Transvaal, and they had people fighting on their side who knew not a word of English, and yet bore such names as Macdonald, Kelly, Brown and Jones.

"I hope," he said, slyly, "you will not be shocked if I say we might be distantly related to you."

The Boers, he went on, traced the war back to the "deplorable Jameson raid, coupled with the hasty manner in which the diplomatic gentlemen on both sides broke off correspondence. "If they had taken a little more time and used a little more common sense and considered humanity a little more this war might have been prevented." Then there was Majuba. The English thought they had an old score to wipe out; the Boer was rather inclined "to have another go" because of Majuba. Further there were the dissatisfied mining magnates, who had more money than they knew what to do with, and wanted more power.

"NEWSPAPER HEROES."

He lightly pictured the Boer generheroes. "We had generals," he said, "who would have been better as parsons, and others who could earn money as clowns. I don't know whether I am justified in saying that perhaps you would find some of those in your own army." Gen. Philip Botha, was the bravest man they ever had; Louis Botha was responsible for Colenso and Spion Kop and Delarey was able to entertain Lord Methuen for over two years. De Wet was one of the newspaper generals, but not by his own choice. The correspondents represented him as surrounded and on the eve of capture, and London was breathlessly awaiting his capture many times when he was perhaps a hundred miles away.

"When a drive failed," said Viljoen, naively, "the generals had to make a report in such a way as would satisfy you, or a question might be asked in Parliament."

Paying a tribute to the self-reliance of the Boer in the field, he said he also lacked discipline, which was remedied by the free use of the sjambok. In the later stages of the war they were badly fed, unless they could borrow some food from the British army. They had also to borrow clothes from Tommy. The British officers were very unwilling to part with their uniforms, especially the puttees. "In the exchange," he added, "sometimes an eyeglass got lost, and the officers got very indignant, and it was a source of great trouble with us."

THE SEVEREST FIGHT.

Spion Kop was without exception the most severe fight the Boers took part in, said the general. Whatever possessed the British officers to abandon the position the Boers could never make out. It was a Chinese puzzle to them to this day.

The audience laughed at this and took some criticisms of our generals with tolerance. Gen. French was lucky that he never had a mishap. Lord Kitchener they respected as a fine soldier who always keeps his word. The Boers would give to Gen. Buller a part of the grant made to Lord Roberts. Generals Warren and Carrington were old officers, who were 'left' right from the fall of the flag." Tommy Atkins was over-disciplined. The infantry fought hardest and well. Some of the cavalrymen did not seem too comfortable on the top of their big horses, and wanted more hands to look after their helmets and guns and keep themselves from falling off. The willingness and patriotism of the British soldiers were the foundation of the army.

Gen. Viljoen gave an interesting account of the battles he took part in, and of his life at St. Helena after his capture. His prediction that British and Boer will settle down peacefully together was well received.

Pope Meets Cuban Students

Rome, Nov. 11—Mgr. Chapelle, Apostolic Delegate to Cuba and Porto Rico today presented to the Pope a number of young Cubans, who intend to become students at the Latin-American College.

Lord Tennyson Has Appendicitis

Melbourne, Nov. 11—Lord Tennyson, the acting Governor General of the Commonwealth of Australia, is ill of a slight attack of appendicitis.

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DOUKS QUIET ON TRAIN

Stories of Their Fight with the Police Were Exaggerated

Minnedosa, Man., Nov. 10.—Another chapter in the history of the Doukhobor pilgrimage was completed Saturday night with their forcible deportation from Minnedosa to Yorkton.

The special train, which had been expected early in the afternoon, had been delayed, and did not reach Minnedosa until nearly 5 o'clock. Meanwhile a solitary member of the Mounted Police, stationed at the door of the rink, was sufficient to restrain any attempt of the new missionaries to continue their wanderings. However, trouble began when the Doukhobors were informed they must entrain for home.

Mr. Speers called upon them to follow him, which they did, out of the rink until they reached Main street, when they indicated their intention of continuing their pilgrimage to Winnipeg. Many of them, when seized by the arm, walked quietly to the cars, and were there received by the policemen in charge and placed in the cars. Others required a vigorous application of Manitoba muscle in the form of shoves and pushes to make them at all inclined to obey the voice of authority. Others, resisting stubbornly all attempts to guide them in the desired direction, were unceremoniously downed by the more athletic of the spectators and bodily carried to the train.

QUIET ON THE TRAIN.

Yorkton, Assa., Nov. 10.—The special train containing the Doukhobor pilgrims, their Mounted Police guards, and the Government agents arrived here at noon today. The journey was without incident, and the entire party are quiet and appear to be resigned or contented. The Doukhobors remained in the cars all night, and in the morning it is the intention to escort them to their villages.

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A BUFFALO TRAGEDY MURDER AND SUICIDE

Jealous Normal Student Kills His Sweetheart and Himself

PARTICULARS OF THE CRIME

The Young Man Quite Well Off, But Became Insanely Jealous

Buffalo, Nov. 11—Christopher P. Willis, of Bath, a student in the State Normal School at Geneseo, who loved and was jealous of Mary Catherine Ferguson, a seventeen-year-old girl of his own village, killed Miss Ferguson and himself in front of the lodging house at 138 Swan street this afternoon. He had known her about eighteen months and they had come to Buffalo to visit the girl's brothers at the Swan street house.

This afternoon Miss Ferguson was in her brothers' room talking with them and Finch Humiston, another young man from Bath, when Willis called her to the door. They had a quarrel in the hall and later Willis had words with Humiston. Miss Ferguson, who had promised to return to Bath with Willis, told her brothers that she was afraid of him, but Willis assured the Ferguson boys that he had no intention of harming the girl.

All four went to the Lackawanna station to take the 2.30 p.m. train for Bath, but missed it and returned to the Swan street house, Willis and Miss Ferguson walking in advance. The couple mounted the high stone steps and Miss Ferguson paused to wait for her brothers, as she had no key for the door.

Without a word Willis drew a revolver clapped it to the girl's head and fired. She tumbled off the steps to the lawn, and he fired at her again, but missed. Then Willis turned the revolver to his own breast and fired three times, staggering after the third shot. There was one bullet left and he fired it into his brain and fell dead beside the dying girl. Miss Ferguson died at the hospital half an hour later.

In Willis's pocket was found a letter from Miss Ferguson in which she reproached him for expressing jealousy of her. Willis, who was only 21 years old, taught school near Bath until a few months ago. Money was left to him by relatives, and he was no longer obliged to work. He drank little, but was an excessive smoker of cigarettes.

NORTH GREY DECLARED OPEN

MacKay, the Liberal, Unseated—Agent Hired Rigs for [illegible]

Owen Sound, Ont., Nov. 11.—The election of Alexander MacKay was voided this afternoon after the hearing of one charge, No. 40, which established a technical breach of the Election Act.

The sitting of the court opened at 2 o'clock before Justices MacMahon and MacLennan. The court room was crowded to the doors with witnesses and spectators of both parties. Nearly five hundred witnesses were present, and Mr. McKay, the Liberal candidate, was represented by George Watson, K.C., of Toronto, while Mr. Boyd, the Conservative claimant for the seat, was supported by W. D. McPherson, K.C., of Toronto, and supporting local attorneys.

HIRED A CONVEYANCE.

The first charge taken up was, as stated, No. 40. Wm. J. Robinson of Meaford, was called. He admitted that on the night of May 28th, the night before the election, he had hired a conveyance to take several voters over to Owen Sound, some of whom had voted.

The matter of agency was admitted by Mr. Watson, counsel for Mr. MacKay, who said that he recognized a technical breach of the Election Act, although Mr. Robinson was not aware that he was doing anything illegal.

Mr. W. J. Hutton, financial agent for Mr. MacKay, admitted having paid the livery account, though he believed at the time that the item was the legitimate expenditure of the Meaford Association. He knew of no other irregularity in the election.

Mr. A. G. MacKay gave evidence that he became aware of the irregularity about three weeks ago. He did not deny the agency of Mr. Robinson. Of ninety per cent. of the other charges he did not believe there was the slightest foundation.

Justice MacLennan then announced that since the majority was only five, the conveying of "several" voters might be of great importance as affecting the result. Therefore, he declared the election void, without costs, the other charges and countercharges being dismissed.

THE WOOD SUPPLY

Gradually Diminishing and Nothing to Take Its Place

A drive through this section of the country around Peterborough will convince the ordinary observer that in a very few years the farms will be cleared of all kinds of timber and farmers will be obliged to purchase some other kind of fuel instead of wood for heating purposes. This matter concerns the people of the towns even to a greater extent than the farmers and is important to every class. There is scarcely any effort on the part of land owners to plant trees and thus rear up wood and timber limits, and the consequence will be that in a very short time coal will be the only fuel we shall have. A great many people stick to the old saying, that "sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof," but if we do not make some preparation for fuel when there is no wood to be had we shall be at the mercy of the coal combines. For the past two years there has been lots of talk of peat for fuel; companies have been organized and a loud bluster has been made about using the earth on which we walk in the place of wood or coal, but comparatively little satisfactory result has been obtained.

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TO COLONIZE MANCHURIA

Russia Will Send Cossacks or Doukhobors There

St. Petersburg, Nov. 11—The military authorities have a plan in view by which they propose to utilize Cossacks for the colonization of Manchuria. Another scheme is to deport the Doukhobors to that country.

SAYS KOCH ADMITS ERROR

Bovine Tuberculosis May Be Communicated to Men

Paris, Nov. 11—Prof. Brouardel, who represented France at the tuberculosis congress in Berlin, returned to Paris today. He says Prof. Kock no longer denies the possibility of the communication of bovine tuberculosis to human beings. Kock also admitted, he says, that milk infected with the disease might be injurious.

FROGS AS BIG AS AN OX

Remarkable Bones Unearthed in Oklahoma by Mr. Menke of the Field

Norman, O.T. Nov. 11—H. W. Menke, of the Field Columbia Museum, Chicago, is in Oklahoma collecting fossils. Among the fossils bones he has found are back-bones, leg bones and a few skulls, and teeth.

Mr. Menke says the animals whose bones he has unearthed probably were members of the class known as amphibians. The amphibians constitute the class of creatures now represented by frogs, toads and salamanders. If one can imagine a frog as big as an ox it is said, an idea can be gained of the appearance of these prehistoric monsters that once flourished in Oklahoma.

ACTIVITY IN PEAT CIRCLES

New Plant Being Erected at Newington—Other Bogs

The fuel famine has caused quite a stir in the camps of peat manufacturing companies, according to Mr. W. E. H. Carter, Secretary of the Bureau of Mines, Toronto, who has returned from a trip through Eastern Ontario. He found a new plant in course of erection at Newington, where a German process will be tested. The bogs at Brockville and Perth were also inspected. Mr. Carter says the deposits at each of those three places are upwards of 1,000 acres in extent, and run from 10 to 25 feet deep on an average. The success of the plant at Beaverton has been a stimulus to the other companies experimenting in Ontario. The Times is informed that the Company in which several local capitalists are interested, will begin operations in the spring.

COLIMA VOLCANO THREATENS

Mexicans Fleeing From the Towns Near the Mountain

Guadalajara, Mex., Nov. 11—An eruption of the Colima volcano is threatened and the people living in the valleys at the base of the mountain are fleeing to Manzanillo and other points of safety.

A dense volume of smoke has been pouring from the crater for several days and during the past forty-eight hours deep rumblings and sharp reports have come from the interior of the volcano and at night the dark pall above the crater has reflected the brightness of the fire below.

It is reported that an order has been issued to suspend construction temporarily on the Colima extension of the Mexican Central Railway as the native laborers cannot be induced to go near the volcano to work.

JUDGE MARRIES A MILL GIRL

The Hon. A. J. Cornish of Nebraska Weds His Second Cousin of Rome N. Y.

Rome, Nov. 11—Mr. and Mrs. P. N. O'Donnell of this city, have received the announcement of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Alice O'Donnell, and the Hon. Albert J. Cornish, Judge of the Supreme Court of Nebraska, the bride and groom being second cousins. This announcement came as a surprise to the bride's parents. The marriage ceremony was performed on Oct. 28, in St. Theresa's Pro-Cathedral, Lincoln, Neb. After an elaborate lunch to a few intimate friends, Judge and Mrs. Cornish left on a wedding trip for Colorado and the Pacific coast.

Last summer Judge Cornish and his father spent several weeks in this vicinity, the Judge having been born in Camden, Oneida county. They returned home just before Labor Day and extended an invitation to Miss O'Donnell to accompany them and make them an extended visit which she accepted.

Miss O'Donnell is an attractive young woman and has a host of friends in Rome, who are pleased to extend congratulations and best wishes. For the past two or three years she and her sister Mame O'Donnell have been employed in a knitting mill in Utica, and where they also have made many friends. Judge Cornish is a wealthy man and stands high in Nebraska, both professionally and socially.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

Ottawa, Nov. 11.—Mr. J. A. Smart, Deputy Minister of the Interior, says that the expense of the Doukhobor expedition to the Government will be but little. The Doukhobors will themselves be saddled with the cost of their return to Yorkton, and the amount will be taken from a fund of about $20,000 belongs to these people which is now in the hands of the Government.

Mr. Smart says that it is absurd to condemn the whole of the North-West Doukhobors as fanatics because some 1,800 of them went off on a religious pilgrimage. The pilgrims do not form one-fifth of the Doukhobors in the North-West, and the most of them have proven themselves quiet, industrious citizens, and have prospered wonderfully. Their houses are as well built as any log houses in the West, and many are now erecting for themselves substantial houses of more modern materials.

"Reports I have from the West say that the most of the people were willing to return home," said Mr. Smart, "They were led astray by a few fanatical religious leaders."

New York, Nov. 11.—All of the men whom it was feared perished in the fire which swept the great tower portion of the new East River bridge last night have been accounted for.

Today careful estimates of the damage are being made. This is difficult to approximate from a monetary standpoint until experts have ascertained the condition of the great cables, at least three of which may have to be replaced. If this has to be done a loss of atleast $400,000 will fall upon the contractors, and there will be much delay in the completion of the bridge, which is one of the crying needs of the city.

The contractors who will be forced to meet the loss are John A. Roebling Sons Company, the Pennsylvania Steel Company of Scranton, Pa., the New Jersey Steel Company, and Terry & Trench. The proportion of each has not yet been figured out, but it is believed the Roeblings will suffer most.

Engineer Hildenbrand said today that he did not know how badly damaged the cables were as yet. All four were damaged, he said, but to what extent he could not say, except that they were certainly so much injured twenty feet each side of the New York tower that it will be necessary to have that much of them replaced.

"The footpaths were destroyed," Mr. Hildenbrand added. "The fire was caused by the carelessness of a workman. It was about the grinding time when the fire started. The men grind their tools on the New York tower, and one of them there carelessly threw a match into some oily rags. I don't know who that man is. Maybe we can find out. I don't know whether he will be arrested."

London, Nov. 10.—The Daily News says it has good reason for stating that the Kaiser's visit marks an important crisis in the foreign relations of Great Britain. It says "No official denials will alter the fact that the question at issue is what quid pro quo shall be granted Germany as a reward for her quiescence while we complete arrangements with Portugal in reference to Delagoa Bay." The News adds that Colonial Secretary Chamberlain is endeavoring to hasten the completion of the Delagoa Bay arrangement, and that it is impossible to disconnect this situation from the sudden refusal of Germany to evacuate Shanghai on the usual identical conditions.

French Brig Wrecked Seven Men Lost

Paris Nov. 11—The French brig Gabrielle, from Newfoundland to Granville with a cargo of codfish, sank on the Minquiers rocks this morning. Six of the crew were saved. Six others, including the captain, are missing.

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HUNDREDS OF BOXERS PUT TO DEATH IN CHINA

Hemmed in on All Sides by Imperial Troops, with no Chance of Escape

The Viceroy Says There is Not Much Now to be Feared from Boxers —200 of Them were Killed

Victoria, B. C. Nov. 11—Advices received from the Orient include official reports from Kuei Chun, ex-Viceroy of Sze Chuan, detailing the recent Boxer outbreak there. After relating the incidents leading up to the destruction of the churches in the two districts and the murder of many native converts, the report says:—"Several regiments of troops were sent to the disturbed places, and, beside slaying two or three hundred of the insurgents, succeeded in capturing several who were brought to Cheng Tu and decapitated. Between 5,000 and 6,000 Boxers assembled in Hwai Yang Hsien, Chin Tang Hsien, and Shir Chou, where they occupied the market town and killed as many captains of the train bands as they could got hold of. A small force was sent to the Boxers to exhort them to disperse. It did not take stringent measures on this occasion, because I feared that among the Boxers there might be many famine-stricken inhabitants, who were not disposed to do evil, but were simply misled by the Boxers. Two hundred Boxers were killed, and the others driven back. Many entrenched themselves, and the force sent was obliged to return."

The report continues, describing the disaffection throughout the province which prevented garrisons being transferred, and then tells of the attack on Cheng Tu, where three regiments and 600 banner men had been assembled for defence.

The Boxers attacked the Imperial troops in the outskirts of Cheng Tu and a hot battle followed, which lasted for a whole night with the result that between 400 and 500 rebels were slain, about 1000 were dispersed, and the rest retreated to Ching Tang Hsien, where they burned the churches and put many natives to death. When the Imperial troops were despatched to Ching Tang Hsien the Boxers proceeded to Hsuao Ching Ping where they joined forces with other insurgents. A battle was fought there and 300 Boxers were put to the sword. Defeated there, the Boxers fled to the hills at Suchiawan, where they found refuge for the time being, but reinforcements of Imperial troops arrived and marched against the rebels in Suchiawan from three different directions, slaying about 1,400 of them and captured 16 alive, who were beheaded on the spot, after undergoing a formal trial. Concluding, the report, which is a lengthy one, the Viceroy says:—"Although there still exists elements of disorder, there is not much to be feared from the Boxers, because all the rebel chiefs have been exterminated."

KILLED HER LOVER BEFORE HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE

Sensational Tragedy Outside the Lombard Street Post Office--Kitty Byron Used a Knife

London, Nov. 11.—A sensational love tragedy has been enacted in this city in full view of hundreds of people. A young woman named Kitty Byron stabbed to death her lover, Arthur Reginald Baker, a well known member of the Stock Exchange. The crime took place just outside the Lombard street post-office. Although the city was generally making merry over the Lord Mayor's procession, there was the usual press of business at this ever very busy office.

Shortly after two o'clock, a young woman of attractive appearance, with slight figure, dark eyebrows, black hair, and handsome features, went into the post-office and sent an express letter to the Stock Exchange. She waited a few minutes, when she was joined by Mr. Baker, to whom the letter had been addressed. For several minutes the couple engaged in conversation near the counter. Then their voices rose, and the clerks noticed they were quarreling.

Finally the man turned toward the street with a gesture, intimating that he wished to end the interview. He passed through the door, and the woman followed, nervously handling her muff. Suddenly she pulled a knife from the muff and dealt the man a terrible blow in the back.

As he half staggered and then partially turned around, with one foot on the lower step, the woman withdrew the weapon and struck again, this time plunging it into his left breast. The man gasped and fell heavily forward. Two clerks seized the woman, who was leaning over the prostrate form as though preparing to strike a third blow. Mr. Baker died on the way to the hospital.

The young woman was taken to the police court, where she gave her name as Kittie Byron, age 22, but refused to say anything further. Baker's wife lately introduced divorce proceedings.

THE TURKISH SOCIAL

At St. John's School House Last Night a Very Successful Affair

The Turkish lecture and social in St. John's school room last evening was very interesting and instructive, which accounts for the large attendance in spite of the threatening state of the weather.

The address by Rev. C. H. Brooks, who spent eighteen years in Turkey as a missionary, was listened to very attentively as he described the country, its customs, people, religion, and in fact all the points that could possibly enlighten the audience as to that distant land. Mr. Brooks is an excellent speaker and is sure whenever he comes to Peterborough of having a large crowd to hear him. His address was agreeably interspersed with vocal and instrumental selections, some new talent being introduced which was highly appreciated.

Perhaps the most unique part of the affair were the Turkish costumes which were worn by the gentlemen ushers and the lady waitresses, the former wearing the regulation Turkish male costume which was indeed worth attending to see. But for artistic dress the ladies excelled, as is usual in the country they represented. The only portion of them visible was their eyes, and as they were attired in variously colored robes, the effect as they moved around the room was indeed picturesque.

Turkish refreshments were served after the address which were enjoyed by all, and after a pleasant period of social intercourse the meeting was brought to a close.

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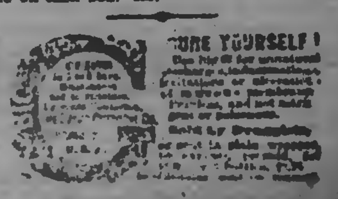

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HARD ON ONTARIO

The following opinion of "Bystander" in the St. Johns, Quebec, News, is worth reproducing:

It is possible that the population of a province should be indifferent to personal and political righteousness, but there is certainly in Ontario groups of men who are lost to every elementary notion of truth and decency. There are men in that province, whose business it is to buy votes; there are men who sell votes for ten dollars; for one dollar; for a drink of whiskey behind a shed. These are not isolated instances. There is something like an organized system by which the decent instincts of the people are beaten down. Men lie in Ontario and do not blush for it. Men admit acts of amazing turpitude and think it a part of the game. And this in a province which has always, professedly at least, stood the highest in the Dominion for rectitude. Ontario has churches and the best school system in the world; it has all sorts of bettering and ameliorating agencies; it has a strong prohibition sentiment; it is scrupulous in regard to the Sabbath; it has passed laws against if one regarded the statute book merely, gambling and horse racing; and indeed, he would conclude that we have reached the ideal state of living. And there are good people in Ontario—many of them. There are lofty ideals in the individual life and conduct; there are efforts which are sincere. There are lives which are beautiful. And there is hypocrisy, too, and smug self-righteous, and there are men who, though they make long prayers, are callous and corrupt, and it is a curious spectacle that the province which has been setting an example to the whole Dominion—which has thought so, or said so, at any rate, should fall behind, in moral act and tone, that other province where practical politics is, or seems to be, the pursuit of the whole people—to wit, Quebec. Ontario shocks Quebec. Quebec is not namby-pamby. Quebec drinks its whiskey, runs its street cars on Sunday, is frankly jovial and careless, but Quebec stands aghast at the political turpitude of Ontario. Quebec knows how to win an election. Quebec is pious, but it does not snivel. It believes in Providence; also in human methods. But Quebec is moral, is beautiful, is irreproachable, compared with Ontario. Which proves, perhaps, that preaching of itself is not enough. A great poet has said that the "'aids to noble life are within'" and what Ontario needs is not pious phrases, but acts of probity the cultivation of a good conscience, which may be possible without psalm-singing, though psalm-singing ought to produce better fruit than perjury and bribery.

THE SERVANT GIRL PROBLEM

In Chicago originated the first domestic servants' union to regulate wages and the relations between mistresses and servants. Now the conditions in that progressive city have evolved a Housewives' association to regulate matters from the other side. It proposes to grade servant girls according to their individual efficiency as "satisfactory," "good" and remarkably efficient," and, presumably, to pay them accordingly. The new association, says the Ottawa Citizen, is having a good deal of newspaper humor fired at it, but it is based on a sound business proposition. No doubt there are questions of wages and business relations which the Servants' union finds advantageous to have dealt with as an organization the same as most trades and professions, but there is one vital point that is apparently overlooked and which the counter organization has been brought into existence to reguade: Every trade or profession which unites for its protection assumes responsibilities commensurate with its rights. It can lay down a scale of wages or fees, but it also assumes a moral obligation to guarantee that employers who pay such rates or fees and submit to its regulations shall be furnished with the worth of their money. The trades unions and the members of professional associations undertake the responsibility of furnishing such safeguards in regard to the training of the individuals whom they authorize by card or parchment as members of their organizations to charge certain wages or fees as to enable employers to depend that they are capable of and efficient in the discharge of the duties for which such wages or fees are exacted. The servant girls' unions have not, so far as we have heard, shown any desire to assume this responsibility. All that was necessary to become entitled to the union scale of wages and secure the protection of the walking delegate was to join the union. This was manifestly unfair because nothing varies more than the standard of efficiency in domestic service, and it would be manifestly unjust to exact the same wages for a practically untrained domestic as for highly trained and efficient service. It is to deal with this phase of the problem that the Housewives' association has been formed, but it is undertaking work that should be done by the union.

As a matter of fact a Domestic Servants' union properly conducted should be an important factor in solving the servant girl problem. If the union would undertake that the union card should be a guarantee of efficient training to employers so that they would be assured of getting the service they paid for few people would object to submitting to reasonable conditions or paying reasonable wages. But the exaction of certain wages and conditions without undertaking a corresponding responsibility, is against all business principles and not in accordance with the principles of unionism.

VERY UNDESIRABLE EMIGRANTS

The more that is learned about the Doukhobors and the manner in which they have been handled since they came to Canada, the worse the scandal grows. It is now stated that the bulk of them have never paid any taxes since they have been in the country and that the interior department has even interfered with local authorities to prevent these freaks from being annoyed by the tax collector. It is noted that at one point, Devil's Lake district, where the authorities insisted in making them amenable to the law and exacted taxes from them the Douks are now settled down and taking no part in the present disturbance. Apparently the others have been pampered and allowed to do much as they liked. It will be remembered how reports as in order, if possible, to avert any demonstration, such as has now occurred, to the eccentricities of these people had been denied by the department even up to within a week or two of this final outburst of craziness, the object being to conceal the real state of affairs. They were even allowed to live tax free in addition to other privileges while the Canadian taxpayers paid their taxes for them. When the whole facts concerning this importation become known it bids fair to result in some remarkable revelations.

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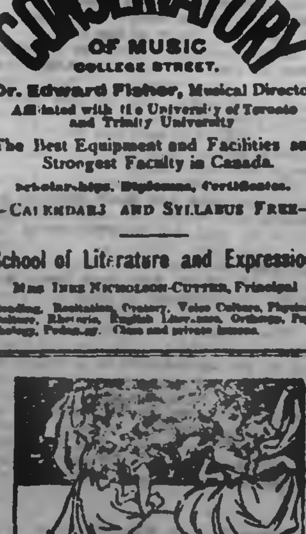

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make, don't keep anything back if you know what my offence is."

Dick reflected for a moment, and his forehead, under the boyish rings of hair, grew moist. He could not tell this man of the monstrous treachery of which Winifred accused him and Macaire together. No man would stand it. He (Dick) would only be breaking a wasps' nest about his own ears, without doing good to anybody, so far as he could see.

"Winnie doesn't often confide in me," he said at last. "She thinks I'm too young to be much good. I've been racking my brains as to what you can have done; but you know what girls are, especially actresses. They pride themselves on being whimsical and capricious; I believe they fancy it's fascinating. She's like all the rest. Perhaps by to-morrow she'll be sorry, and will write you a sweet little note, just as if nothing had happened——"

"She's not like that," said Newcome. "She must have heard something which has turned her against me, though I'm conscious of no sin which deserves such punishment."

"Maybe she's brooding over something you said to her," suggested Dick, "and feels differently about it from what she did at first."

A spark leaped up in Newcome's dark eyes. "Ah!" he exclaimed, and gave no hint to Dick of what was in his mind, though it was Dick who had struck out the spark. His thoughts had gone back to three nights ago, when he had told Winifred of his mission which was to wreak vengeance upon a murderer. That confession had made the one rift in the lute that had played the sweet music of love. Dick had inadvertently hit upon the explanation, perhaps. The rift had widened, and the music was to be for ever mute.

CHAPTER XXXII.

The Moonstone Sphinx.

Weeks went on, and life pressed heavily upon Winifred Gray. The one comfort she had was that her mother, though still frail and very, very weak, was no longer in danger, and that they were together again.

The flat was given up, for Winifred had had a chance to let it furnished, and, though the amount paid by the new tenants was ridiculously small, that, with Mrs. Gray's pension, was something to depend upon. When the invalid was strong enough they moved into cheap lodgings in Westminster, and Winifred tried again to find an engagement.

The girl was driven at last from the theatrical agents to those who made a specialty of engaging music-hall artistes, and strove to persuade her mother that she was delighted when she was given a chance to sing a ballad at a "hall" on the Surrey side.

For this she received two guineas every Saturday night; and as she did not know that she had been engaged on the strength of the "Mazeppa" reclame rather than for her charming young face, her reputation as an actress or her genuine talent as a singer, she made the best of the new life, never telling her mother of the coarse things she often had to see and hear behind the scenes at the hall.

Mrs. Gray had had to be told the truth about Dick, however, as soon as she was well enough to bear it, for her questions had called for answers which could not be denied. And after he had replied almost harshly to the one appealing letter she wrote him he had to be left to go his own way. Once he sent home money; but this was promptly posted back again, and his mother and sister heard from Lionel Macaire's secretary no more.

But Macaire was not in ignorance of Winifred's movements, and they all coincided well enough with his wishes. The only thing he did not know of her doings was the episode of the masked minstrels, and her brief "partnership" with Hope Newcome. He saw no reason to believe that her acquaintance with Newcome had been more than his new protege admitted—a few words of gratitude for championship of her cause near the stage-door of the Duke of Clarence's Theater, so long ago, and perhaps a meeting when Newcome had found his way to the flat to engage Dick Gray as his secretary.

This method of securing Dick had been carefully planned by Macaire, however, so that, in case Winifred had remembered handsome, picturesque Newcome with admiration, he would be stained black in her eyes for ever.

The millionaire knew her feelings towards himself well enough to be sure that if Newcome were associated with him in her mind he would at once become hateful to her. He had exacted Newcome's promise to preserve the secret of their bargain, so that their acquaintance should not be prematurely known; and then, Dick once engaged as his secretary, he had opened the bag with a malicious chuckle that the cat might spring out.

Once or twice, during the short interval that Winifred was left alone in the flat between her brother's going and her mother's homecoming, the desire for a desperate coup had haunted him, beating about in his head like a great moth round a flame; but he had put it away for three sufficient reasons. In the first place, Winifred would at such a time, after her late experiences, be on her guard; in the second, the failure of such a scheme would be fatal to others in the future; while in the third, and most important place of all, the purpose for which he had taken Dick to live in luxury in his house was in a fair way of being accomplished; and its successful accomplishment would surely give him Winifred, revenge and triumph, all in the grasp of one outstretched hand.

Meanwhile, he amused himself by throwing bait which Dick Gray was the unsuspecting fish to snap at, and in watching the Baron von Zellheim's success in society. He laughed in his sleeve to see how people took up the handsome young man whom he had introduced, and at the romantic stories regarding him. He laughed to see how well the new baron played his part, and, more than all, he laughed at the thought of the surprise he had in store for everybody, including his protege, at the end of the stipulated six months.

With all his wealth Macaire had not been able to gain an undisputed foothold in the most exclusive set, though he had lent money to lesser Royalties, and in consequence secured them for his dinner-parties. But Baron von Zellheim was more fortunate in this regard. In a few months he did what Macaire had not been able to do in years. A great lady who tolerated the millionaire took a fancy to the young Baron von Zellheim, and his way was made easy. His title, but an insignificant one, though the pride of an old German family, was not disputed, or, if disputed, only enough talked about to make him a piquant personality; and he was invited

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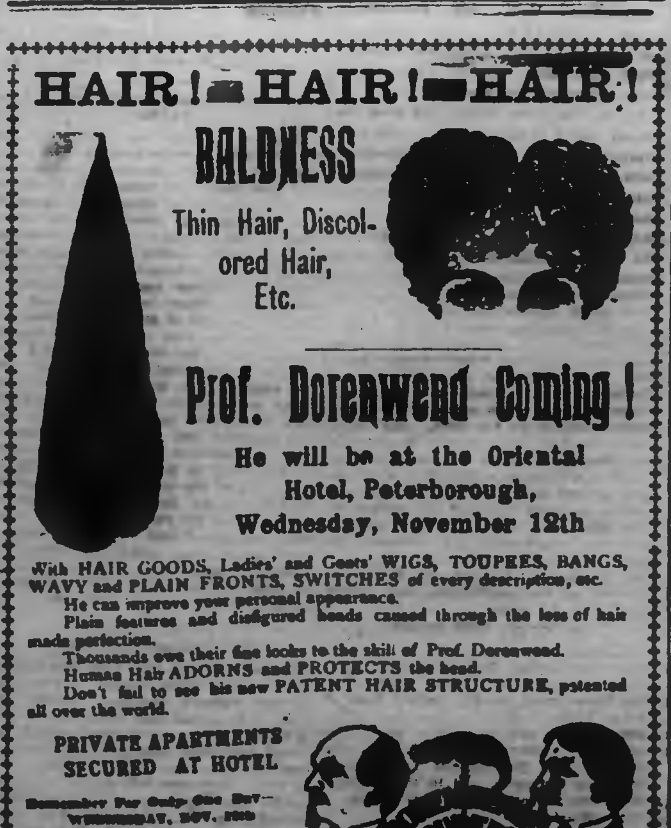

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Our object in presenting these statements is to convince everyone of the high character of the country in which we are operating and at the same time, advertise our own business.

We are at present developing an extensive property in the Lardeau mining division of British Columbia. This property is owned by the "Lardeau Mines, Limited," a company having a total capital of $100,000.

The property owned by this Company consists of three full claims, embracing an extent of 156 acres—mineral claims in British Columbia are 1,500x1,500 feet—equal to 52 acres each in extent.

Three strong, parallel ore veins run through this property from end to end, a distance of 4,500 feet. If placed end to end this would give 13,500 feet equal to a continuous ore body over two and a half miles in length. The values are in gold, silver, copper and lead, and run from $25.00 to $77.00 per ton of 2,000 pounds. These results are from surface ore only, "grass root values," and are indications of permanent values of the most convincing kind.

We feel that such a property ought to recommend itself to any one who want to better their position and who may desire to invest with reliable people a small or large amount of money where it will earn permanent profits.

The gross value of shipments of ore aggregating 6,192,004 pounds from twelve mines in the Lardeau, all situated near the property owned by this Company was $452,410.21. Equal to a return per ton of over $146.00. The property owned by this Company shows up equally as well as any of these more fully developed mines, and will, we are convinced, shortly rank among the best in the Lardeau division.

In order to show why we are confident we are right, we will estimate our ore values at $50.00 per ton, a little over one-third of the average ore values of the entire Lardeau mining division. We will also base our calculations on a daily output of 30 tons—a small amount compared with the extent of our property and the size of its ore bodies. We will allow $10.00 per ton for mining, transportation (a few miles only) and smelting charges. The profits, after making a reasonable deduction for incidentals, and surplus work out as follows:

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Less $10.00 per ton mining, transportation and reduc. chgs		300 00
Net daily income		1,200 00
Say for 300 days per year		300
Total net yearly income		$360,000 00
Deduct for incidental expenses, 15 per ton	45,000	
Deduct for Company's surplus account, 15 per ton	$45,000	90,000 00
Total yearly net earnings		$270,000 00

which sum is equal to 270 per cent per annum on our capital stock of $100,000.

This estimate is made on the basis of a small output compared to the extent of our property, and the splendid facilities it affords for economical mining and on the operation of the mine for 300 days per year only, so that anyone can see at a glance that we are not over-estimating in any particular, especially when the output of mines similarly situated, and with ore bodies of less extent than ours, ship hundreds of tons a day. There is no good reason why our property, when fully developed—and that is what we are working for now—should not ship several hundred tons of ore per day, but we are basing our calculations on the immediate future in presenting the above estimate.

The property is now being developed by a cross-cut tunnel which is in nearly 100 feet and when driven a few feet further will intersect a large ore body in Vein No. 2 at a depth of 85 feet, when drifting on the lead and stoping ore will be commenced, and the price of shares advanced accordingly.

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Engineer's Report

THE DIRECTORS,
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Gentlemen:—I beg to hand you my report on the three claims in the Lardeau District, owned by your Company, on work done on the "Lardeau Queen" and on results attained during the past few months. This claim, with the "Lardeau King" and "Lardeau Prince," all abutting end on end, through which the hereinafter mentioned leads pass the entire length, from the Royal Group, situated at the head of Lexington Creek, in the Lardeau Mining Division of West Kootenay, British Columbia.

These three claims are located on the western slope of Goat Mountain, the lines being north-westerly and south-easterly, and form one complete portion of mineral land of about 156 acres. They lie east, less than four miles up, from Fish River (to where both the C.P.R. and K. & S. Railway are now in course of construction) and twelve miles by level road to Comaplix or Upper Arrow Lake deep water landing. A spur up Lexington Creek to the "Royal" and other numerous mining properties will no doubt afterwards be built.

In addition to the two separate and distinct parallel ledges, of which you are already aware, I recently discovered about 600 feet from No. 1 vein, another ledge within the southwest boundary of the "Lardeau Queen," which we will call No. 3 vein.

The Royal Group lies in the "Sitting Bull" and "Wide West" Belts, two of the strongest and best known leads in that district, and what work has already been done on adjacent extensions has given most satisfactory results as to the extent of ore bodies and increased values with depth. Several claims on this lead have already hundreds of tons of shipping ore ready for transportation to the smelter.

The formation is slate and schist, lying in an immense lime dyke and the croppings of the leads are generally topped with heavy iron capping and quartz, which gives assays of from $4.00 up on surface.

Buildings Etc.

A good horse trail to the mines has been built and all necessary buildings for general mining purposes have been erected adjacent to the creek and workings.

Veins and Work Done

Exploitation of No. 1 vein consists of two open cuts along the surface for a distance of 30 feet, which exposed a body of argentiferous galena over 8 inches in width. The value of this ore body was $25.00 on the surface, but at a depth of less than three feet it had increased to $40.00. To tap this ore showing and the massive iron-capped ledge close to which it lies the present tunnel was commenced, and is now in a distance of 60 feet. Another 25 feet of cross-cutting should reach this ledge at a depth of about 85 feet. When 41 feet had been driven an almost solid body of iron ore 3 feet thick was encountered in the tunnel lying against a wall of slate. A sample at this point assayed $77.00 in gold, silver, copper and lead. Before opening out on this ore body it is, I think, advisable to drive a further 25 feet, when I believe the main lead will be reached.

No. 2 vein which occurs about 250 feet above No. 1 vein, is an iron-capped ledge about 6 feet wide, showing an occasional seam of mineralized quartz with galena. The surface assays gave $2 and $12 in gold, respectively. Although not so strongly defined as No. 1 vein, it is easily traceable at intervals, throughout the full length of the property, 4,500 feet.

No. 3 vein is in strong evidence about 600 feet below the centre line of the "Lardeau Queen," and appears to be directly within its area and dipping directly (north) into the hill towards this claim. The width is from 10 to 12 feet of very heavy iron capping and quartz with bunches of galena occurring under the surface in the talc at intervals of from 4 to 6 inches. The assay results of the quartz ($48) samples I brought you is decidedly encouraging, and I am satisfied that the clean ore will prove to be of a high grade.

Transportation Etc.

The certainty of an early advent of a railway into Fish River section is acting as an incentive to the numerous mining companies there, who are employing large gangs of men in development work, more especially in the vicinity of Lexington Creek, where the "ore from the grass roots" proposition preponderates.

The property has an excellent surface showing. The average assays are most encouraging, considering the great width and continuancy of the leads across the country with such great width and prominence of the surface and judging from other properties in the near vicinity, some of which are on the same lead and have developed very rich ore bodies.

In conclusion I would like to say the Lardeau Mines are as good as any, if not the best in the vicinity, and I verily believe, with a nominal expenditure, they should be made dividend-paying in a short time, and I would strongly recommend extensive developments towards that end.

Signed,
H. O. McCLYMONT, Mining Engineer.

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STOCK MARKETS

Reasons for Believing Market at Bottom.

New York, Nov. 11—After several days' decline there have been two very large days' business in succession, namely last Saturday and Monday, the latter day seeing transactions of nearly one and one-half million shares; yet yesterday the market closed on an average about equal to Saturday night's close prices. At yesterday approximate lowest prices fully a million shares of stock were liquidated. Some one held the bag and took them, while this morning London is all higher. As a rule, after a movement in either direction, the culmination in a day or so of large trading with prices active, but at about an average, then liquidation has usually run its course. If you will look the matter up you will find this rule to apply at almost the end of large movements in either direction up or down. The troubles of the trust companies have been relieved by the purchase from them by certain Wall St. interests of the securities which were embarassing them. They are therefore no longer a menace to the market. Some time ago a like trouble of a syndicate at Cleveland brought about a very similar state of affairs. After the syndicate was relieved of its burden the market righted and became normal again. To-day the episode is practically forgotten. So it will be with this latest financial trouble. It appears to be bankers against railway men in diagnosing the immediate future of the market. The bankers urge that loans are sufficiently expanded, so speculation should go slow. The railway men see the enormous business offering and the certainty of its continuance with the enormous earnings bound to be steadily made. These two classes of men are hard-headed business men, hence the more or less deadlock in the market. The latter have immense lines of stocks and will not liquidate them under the reigning conditions. The former will loan no money upon stocks that they possibly can help, and do all they can to discourage speculation. A held back speculation will, however, when it does break out go faster and more furious, owing to the fact of its having been smothered while favorable conditions were ruling.

Summary.—The market opened at an advance along the line, was inclined during the morning hours to be more firm with absence of liquidation. After one o'clock a heavy attack was directed against copper shares, carrying the stock down about four points in an hour. It unsettled the balance of the market causing after 1.30 p.m., a renewal of the selling movement throughout the entire list. The market was extremely weak. After 2 o'clock T.C.I. broke badly, aiding in the general demoralization of the list. Fears of the coming President's message are being discounted. More than likely it will not bring about as low prices when announced as are at present existing. A good rally at least is due if nothing more. Money closed 4 per cent. Sales 979,000.

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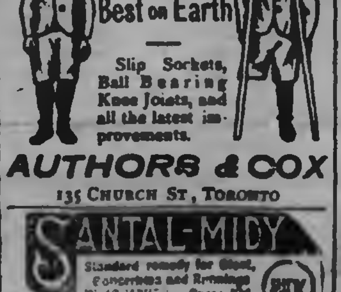

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Police Court

In the absence of Magistrate Dumble, Mr. Adam Hall presided at the police court yesterday morning. Two parties appeared before the Magistrate charged with being drunk and disorderly on Saturday night. One got a fine of $5 and costs, and the other $2 and costs.

Millinery Stock for Sale

Bankrupt Stock Store, 408 George street. Feathers, Tips, Flats, Wire, Canvas, Chiffon, Lace. All this stock will be cleared on Thursday, Nov. 13th. The prices are just half the wholesale price. Bankrupt Stock Store, 408 George street.

Big Pay for Shantymen

Provincial Engineer McCallum returned to Toronto from Northern Ontario, but has not yet reported on the Fort Frances water power. Labor in the country is scarce, he says, and shantymen are getting as high as $40 a month. At Fort William laborers in elevators are getting 22c. an hour and carpenters $3 a day, and hard to secure at that.

Shot in the Hand

David Quinlan, a young lad of fourteen years, of Ashburnham, was fooling with an old revolver on Sunday. He did not know it was loaded, but he realized the fact when the weapon went off and the bullet passed through his hand. A doctor was called from Peterborough and the wound was dressed, and is now healing nicely.

Wholesale Confectionery

Messrs. Poplan & Craft have leased 462 George street from ex-Mayor Yelland, and workmen are busily engaged putting in a new front on the lower story. As soon as the alterations to the buildings are completed, Messrs. Poplar & Craft intend to start a wholesale confectionery therein, and, as they are well-known residents of Peterborough, no doubt they will receive a large share of the public patronage.

Buying Horses

Mr. W. J. Pearson, the well known horse buyer has been in town since Monday at the White House, buying horses. He will remain to-day, and will also be here Saturday. Mr. Pearson told the Times yesterday that there is a fair demand just now for large horses, although good drivers are always ready sellers. Mr. Pearson secured a fine lot yesterday, which were shipped to his Montreal stables.

Port Hope Boy Hurt

A despatch from Cobourg says a young boy named John Milne, about twelve years of age, and hailing from Port Hope, fell between the cars on a west-bound freight train about 5 o'clock yesterday evening and was terribly mangled. He, in company with two other little boys, was bumping when the one fell and the other two boys went on to their homes in Port Hope.

Grain Coming to Peterboro

Large shipments of grain are being received in town from Rice Lake. The steamer "North Star" brought three loads in this week, averaging from 1,300 to 2,000 bushels each. The "Water Lily" is also bringing in large cargoes of grain and hogs. The grain shipments are consigned to W. H. Meldrum, the McAllister Milling Company, Central Milling Company, and the hogs to Mr. Matthews.

DOG AND GUNS STOLEN

A Party of Hunters Had an Annoying Experience Yesterday

A party of hunters returning to Haldimand township, had an annoying delay in town yesterday. They had been hunting in Harcourt township, and on the way home a valuable hound and eight guns were appropriated, at Lindsay, from the railroad company, in whose charge they were. The thief was caught at Lorneville Junction and the goods recovered.

Coal at $6.75

Prescott Messenger: "Two cars of coal arrived here on Monday, consigned to Mr. Geo. Heck. This is the first coal to reach Prescott since the big strike. Mr. Heck is quoting chestnut and stove coal at $6.75 and grate a little less. We understand that coal will arrive regularly after this date, so that the high price panic is over." In Ottawa coal sells for $3.50 per ton, and in Peterborough $15 is the price. The only solution for immediate application appears to be for the people of Petrborough to appeal to President Baer to make good his promise and permit citizens to import coal from the mines direct in car lots.

The Annual Thank Offering

St. Andrew's Mission Band held their annual Thank-Offering meeting last night in the lecture room of the church. Miss Edminson, President of the Mission Band, was in the chair. Mrs. (Rev.) W. M. Kannawin, President of the Peterborough Presbyterial, gave an address, which was very instructive and was listened to with much interest. The Pastor, Rev. Mr. Potter, also gave an address. A short program was rendered, after which refreshments were served. The Mission Band is to be congratulated upon its prosperity and the good work it is doing.

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Mr. F. W. Baillie was honored by his late associates of the Central Canada Loan & Savings Company, and the Dominion Securities Corporation at a dinner in Toronto on Monday evening. Hon. Geo. A. Cox was unavoidably absent, but the chair was ably filled by Mr. E. R. Wood, Vice-President and General Manager of the Central Canada Company, who, in proposing the toast of the evening, referred in glowing terms to Mr. Baillie's many good qualities, and his very great service to the companies he had just left to assume the General Managership of the Metropolitan Bank. On behalf of the officers and staffs of both companies Mr. Wood presented Mr. Baillie with a magnificent punch bowl. Mr. Baillie made a feeling reply, after which short speeches were made by Mr. G. A. Morrow, Assistant Manager of the Central Canada; Mr. G. H. Wood, Manager of the Dominion Securities Corporation, and several others.

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BATTERSBY—ORDE—At St. Mark's church, Otonabee, on Tuesday, Nov. 11th, 1902, by the Rev. C. H. Marsh, Rector of St. Paul's church, Lindsay, assisted by Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, M.A., Rector of Ashburnham, Francis H. Battersby to Agatha Orde.

CONROY—QUINLAN—At St. Peter's cathedral, on Tuesday, Nov. 11th, 1902, by Rev. Dr. O'Brien, Alex Conroy, son of Mr. John Conroy, of Otonabee, to Frances, daughter of the late David Quinlan, of Ashburnham.

MACDONALD—CORKERY—At St. Peter's cathedral, on Tuesday, Nov. 11th, 1902, by Rev. Father O'Brien, Henry Macdonald, foreman for Mr. Alfred Macdonald, to May, daughter of the late Jeremiah Corkery, all of Peterborough.

BIRTHS

FOLEY—At 251 Simcoe street, on 10th instant, the wife of Mr. Danie. Foley, of a son.

FANNING—On Saturday, Nov. 8th, 1902, the wife of J. S. Fanning, of Peterborough, of a son

COLMER—At 546 Park street, Peterborough, on Monday, Nov. 10th, the wife of H. Colmer, of a son.

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

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—The St. Andrew's Mission Band met last night and had a very enjoyable time.

—Mr. J. E. A. Fitzgerald received a carload of hard coal yesterday. It will be sold at $8 a ton.

—Mr. B. Shortly, harness-maker, received a carload of trunks yesterday morning.

—Mr. F. S. Goodman, of New York, delivered an interesting address at the Y.M.C.A. last night.

—News received yesterday from the Winch party states that eleven deer had been shot up to Saturday night.

—Mr. John Mervin, butcher, Hunter street, received a fine deer on Monday. It was shot by Mr. Wm. Gould.

—The annual meeting of the Protestant Home, which was to have taken place yesterday, was postponed for a week.

—Adam Hall, Peterborough's extensive dealer in stoves, furnaces, tinware, etc., makes his bow to the Times' readers in our advertising columns this morning. Mr. Hall carries a large stock, and his reputation for honest dealing is widespread. Read his ad, and then go and buy from him. He will use you right.

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NO COAL FOR A MONTH

Coal Men are Making Hay While Navigation Lasts—Navigation Closes December 5th

A coal dealer yesterday morning told the Times that he did not think there would be much coal delivered here until next month. Navigation closes December 5th on the lakes, and up to that time coal will be rushed from Buffalo to Duluth. The vessel freight is much lower than that of the railroads. An example may be taken in the case of Sault Ste. Marie. It costs $2.46 to carry a ton of coal from Buffalo to the Soo by rail, and only 50 cents a ton by water.

"After navigation closes there will be plenty of coal here," said the dealer, "but that will not be for another month." Most coal dealers in this city are still without coal and cannot supply their customers.

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—Mr. C. H. Kirk, of Norwood, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. W. S. Frost, of Orillia, was in town yesterday on business.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Madill, of Lakefield, were in town yesterday.

—Mr. Norman L. Playfair, of Midland, was transacting business in town yesterday.

—Mr. Smith Kelly and sister, Miss Beatrice, and Miss Pauline Udy, of Bridgenorth, attended the Coronation Choir concert in town Monday evening.

—Miss Meharry is visiting at Mr. J. Srovella, Bowmanville. She attended the Bachelors' ball, which was held in that place last night.

—Mr David Hall, of Peterborough, was in town to-day on business. He was accompanied by Mrs. Hall and two children, who are the guests of Mrs. Henry, Lindsay street.—Lindsay Post.

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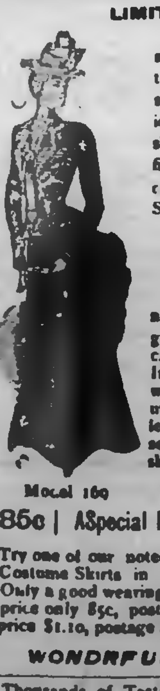

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DERVISHES RALLY TO HIS ASSISTANCE

A Formidable and Costly War on Britain's Hands

London, Nov. 12—The Mad Mullah has been largely reinforced from all points of the country. Dervishes, who escaped slaughter when Kitchener overthrew the Madhi at the battle of Omdurman, are rallying in thousands to fight the British.

Latest advices state that the British advance will not be made for some time, and will be done with the greatest caution. An army of 15,000 mounted men will constitute the advance guard, and 5,000 infantry and artillery will follow.

Arabs describe as "Bar-Agan," or the "Unknown Land" that particular horn of Africa's eastern coast which lies directly opposite Aden and which from time immemorial has enjoyed so evil a reputation that not only has it been avoided by the vast majority of explorers of the dark continent, but has likewise in the partition of the latter by the great powers of Europe been left untouched, save as regards the coast line, none of them caring to assume the responsibilities of the sovereignty of the Hinterland.

Strength is Underestimated.

As usual in cases where Asiatic and African campaigns are concerned, the British Government underestimated the strength of the "Mullah." Instead of that worthy being "smashed" it is he who has forced several expeditions sent against him to retire to the coast. In fact, to judge by the latest news from Berbera, he seems to have done some "smashing" on his own account, and the success which he has achieved in escaping destruction at the hands of the British forces sent against him, as well as the circumstance that he has compelled them on several occasions to retreat with heavy losses, has naturally served to enhance his prestige among the natives, and to bring to his standard Mahometan fanatics, not alone from Somaliland itself, but likewise from other portions of the dark province.

The sentiment to which he appeals is that of the most intolerant form of Islamism — that form indeed, taught by the late Shiek-el-Senoussi and by his father and predecessor — the so-called "Veiled Prophet" of Jerboub, a stronghold situated in one of the most remote oases of the desert lying south of Tripoli—and which not only forbids, under the most severe penalties, all intercourse with Christians, but actually goes to the length of teaching that the slaying of all unbelievers is an action most meritorious in the eyes of Allah and of Mohamet, insuring the Moslem paradise. It is by no means impossible that a connection may exist between the operations of the "Mad Mullah" in Somaliland and the Senoussi headquarters.

Has Evil Reputation.

The evil reputation which Somaliland has enjoyed for centuries and to which reference is made above, is as much due to the dangerous features of certain points of the coast as to the untamable fierceness of the people, who of Ethiopic or Hamatic origin, like their neighbors, the Abyssinians, show to a greater extent than the latter the admixture of Arab and of negro blood. I do not think that there is any part of the entire coast of the dark continent where so many vessels have come to grief in ancient and modern times as in the neighborhood of Cape Guardaful, which is the extreme eastern point of the continent. It is there that the ships which carried the gold from the mines of Ophir, south of the Zambesi river, for the building of the temple of King Soloman, at Jerusalem, came to grief, and many is the merchantman, and even passenger steamer, which in modern times has been driven by a combination of unknown currents and sudden storms to its doom on that dreaded portion of the coast.

Must Capture Mad Mullah.

It is owing to the existence of this belief that England refrained from seeking the co-operation of the Abyssinians in their war with the Mahdi, since it would have placed them in a bad light, not only in regard to the Egyptian army which played so large a share in the reconquest of the Soudan, but also in the eyes of the eighty million Mohammedans in India. It is this same consideration which restrains them from accepting assistance of the Abyssinians in "smashing" the "Mullah" in Somaliland. This of course, is a disadvantage, since it will make necessary the employment of a far larger body of British troops that would otherwise have been required.

It must be thoroughly understood that not merely the defeat of the "Mullah" but likewise his capture or death, is imperative upon the English, since their failure to suppress him for once, and all time, no matter at what cost, is certain to result in the development of his war against them into another dervish movement, as difficult to crush as that of the Mahdi. Great Britain cannot afford to leave him unconquered, virtually, abandoning Somaliland and its trade to his sway, without incalculable damage to her prestige and her power in all other Mahometan countries subject to her rule. For in the case of Islam, more than in that of any other creed, the authenticity of the mahdis and prophets is gauged by the degree of their success against the infidels, and the leaders of any armed religious movement are not relegated to the ranks of false prophets, until defeat, capture or death has convinced their co-religionists that they were frauds.

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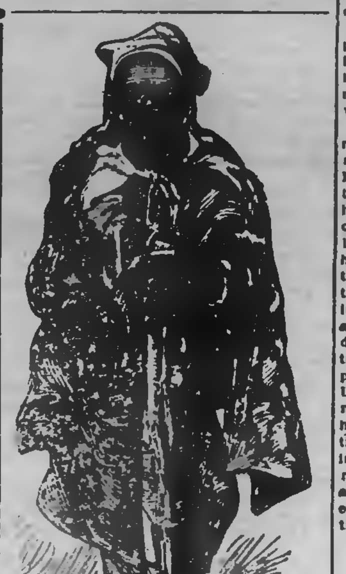

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BAER REPLIES TO MITCHELL

Says Conditions Since Union was Formed Have Been Intolerable

Washington, Nov. 11.—The reply of President George F. Baer, of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal Company to the charges of President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers makes no reference to Mr. Mitchell as the president of the miners' organization, but refers to him simply as an individual.

Taking up the specifications in Mr. Mitchell's charges seriatim, Mr. Baer first admits that his company owns thirty-seven collieries, and that before the strike it employed 26,329 people. Following is a brief summary of the response to Mr. Mitchell's other specifications:

Second, the demand for 20 per cent. increase in wages on piecework is denounced as "arbitrary, unreasonable and unjust." The company contends that after making all necessary allowance for different conditions, the rate of wages paid for the mining of anthracite coal is as high as that paid in the bituminous coal fields.

Third—The company denies that the present rate of wages is lower than is paid in other occupations in the same locality and controlled by like conditions.

Fourth and fifth—Mr. Baer denies that the earnings of the anthracite for other occupations requiring skill workers are less than average earnings and training, and also the charge that the earnings are insufficient because of the dangerous character of work in the anthracite mines.

Sixth—This specification made by Mr. Mitchell is referred to as too vague for specific answer, but in a general way it is stated that the anthracite regions are among the most prosperous in the United States.

Seventh—The company pronounces as unjust and inequitable the demand for a reduction of 20 per cent. in hours of labor without a reduction of earnings for time employees, and this demand is pronounced impracticable. In this connection the following statement is made:

"Because of the injury to the mines by the strike of the United Mine Workers the cost of producing coal has been greatly increased, and a temporary advance in price was made by this company, but it will be impracticable to continue such increase when mining operations become normal."

Eighth—Mr. Baer says that his company has no disagreements with any of its employes about the weighing of coal, because the quantity is usually determined by measurement and not by weight.

Ninth—Replying to the fourth demand made by Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Baer says since the advent of the United Mine Workers organization into the anthracite fields business conditions there have been intolerable; that the output of the mines has decreased; that discipline has been destroyed; that strikes have been of almost daily occurrence; that men have worked when and as they pleased, and that the cost of mining has been greatly increased. He also takes the position that the jurisdiction of the commission is limited to the conditions named by the coal company presidents, which excludes the United Mine Workers from any recognition in the proceedings. He says, however, that "when a labor organization limited to anthracite mine workers is created which shall obey the law, respect the right of every man to work, and honestly co-operate with employers, trade agreements may become practicable."

POVERTY TO MUCH WEALTH

Poor Woman near Woodstock was Left $35,000 in England

Woodstock, Nov. 11.—For years past a little Englishwoman, carrying a basket and sometimes accompanied by a child, might have been seen on Saturdays plodding into the city from the east. After visiting a little store in the east end, where she often spoke of the poverty which was pinching her and hers, she made small purchases, which she put into her basket and carried home. With these she supplied the needs of her little domestic circle, which for a time was located in a miserable hut in Waugh's woods near Eastwood. She has tramped the intervening five miles between Woodstock and Eastwood in all kinds of weather, sometimes getting a lift from some kind-hearted farmer, but usually trudging along, often tired and weary, but always bright and cheery to those who spoke to her. For years she had known little but the direst poverty. Her husband had been laid low with a bodily affliction and his position of bread-winner was bravely taken by the little woman, who toiled late and early to keep the wolf from the door. She served as a domestic, and was even seen following the plough, for she would do any work that would bring her in money to buy the necessaries of life. To-day that woman can afford to live in a mansion and journey to and from Eastwood in an automobile.

The woman who has thus been raised from poverty to affluence is Mrs. Smith. Years ago she left a comfortable home in England and came to this country, but her life here was not an easy one. Until her husband took sick they were able to get along fairly well, but one calamity followed another, until Mrs. Smith found herself occupying a little hut in Waugh's woods, battling with her adverse fate and rearing a family of small children on the little she could make hiring out and doing any odd jobs she couldget. For some time she was employed as a domestic at Mrs. T. C. Patterson's, at Eastwood, but that place was locked up and then she was forced to go along as best she could. The neighbors were kind to her, and often came to her rescue when the next meal was not in sight. But better times were in store for the brave little woman, and they came at last.

On Saturday Mrs. Smith received a letter from a law firm in England, informing her that by the death of an aunt she has been left seven thousand pounds, which is $35,000 in our money. The letter also requested her to go to England to be present at the distribution of the estate, and informed her that money would be sent to bring her over. Mrs. Smith is now getting a few things together preparatory to visiting the scene of her childhood days and to collect the fortune which has been left her at such an opportune moment.

MORGAN'S A SECOND HOOLEY

London Paper Thinks a Great Financial Smash is About to Come

London, Nov. 11.—The London Daily Mail, in an article entitled "The Consequences of Morganism," says that Morgan's operations have been carried out with such a degree of recklessness that they seem almost to have succeeded in achieving the impossible, and shaking the credit of the United States. The paper considers that the concerns floated by Morgan are inevitably bound sooner or later to end as Hooley's companies have ended, and a vast amount of money, most of which has been entrusted to the banks, and the trust companies by the American public, is locked up in them.

The effects of these unsound operations, it goes on, "are being felt throughout the whole civilized world, so that London is suffering as well as the United States. It is an unfortunate fact that though they excel in many things the Americans never seem to have grasped the principles of sound banking."

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IN DEFENCE OF BRETON TONGUE.

London, Nov. 12.—A Paris correspondent says the Breton Mayors have met and drafted a protest against the recent Government prohibition of preaching and catechising in the Breton tongue. Republicans as well as Royalists, the correspondent says, are joining in the movement in protest against this prohibition. It does not appear that Minister Combes had any legal authority for issuing such a prohibition.

THE DOUKHOBORS TO STAND ALL EXPENSES

Their Mad March May Cost Them Quite a Penny

THE GOVERNMENT HOLDS FUNDS

Out of Which They Will Pay Themselves Before Settling With the [illegible]

Ottawa, November 11— The expense incurred by the Government in providing for the Doukhobors who started out on a pilgrimage, but were returned to Yorkton, must, according to J. A. Smart, Deputy Minister of the Interior be borne by the Doukhobors themselves. There is an amount of upwards of $20,000 to the credit of these people now in the hands of the officers of the Department of the Interior, and any outlay to which the department has been put in connection with the recent movement will have to be paid out of these funds. Mr. Smart thinks that the pilgrimage, in which between 1,200 and 1,400 Doukhobors took part, was due to the teachings of a few so-called leaders among the Doukhobors. The majority had little or no interest in it, but were persuaded to join those who originated the idea.

"It is utterly absurd," said Mr. Smart, "to condemn the whole Duokhobor population of the West for the attitude of even those who were led into the pilgrimage, as they do not form one-fifth of the Doukhobors who have settled in the North-West Territories. From the reports in the department, as well as personal observation, I am of the opinion that these people have prospered beyond their own expectations or the expectations of others. It is simply marvelous the large tracts of land which they have brought under cultivation during the last two or three years. Their houses, too, are as good as possibly any log dwellings that have even been built in the West, and most of the people have been able to rebuild more substantial structures than those first erected by them on their arrival in the country. Any attempt to create the impression that these people were forced by the Government officers, or the police into returning to Yorkton, is, I am sure, entirely wrong, as the reports to me have shown that a good majority were not only willing, but anxious to return to homes. The journey may prove to have been rather an expensive journey for the Doukhobors, but the cost to the Government will amount to practically nothing."

The more that is learned about the Doukhobors and the manner in which they have been handled since they came to Canada, the worse the scandal grows. It is now stated that the bulk of them have never paid any taxes since they have been in the country and that the interior department has even interfered with local authorities to prevent these freaks from being annoyed by the tax collector. It is noted that at one point, Devil's Lake district, where the authorities insisted in making them amenable to the law and exacted taxes from them the Douks are now settled down and taking no part in the present disturbance. Apparently the others have been pampered and allowed to do much as they liked It will be remembered how reports as in order, if possible, to avert any demonstration, such as has now occurred, to the eccentricities of these people had been denied by the department even up to within a week or two of this final outburst of craziness, the object being to conceal the real state of affairs. They were even allowed to live tax free in addition to other privileges while the Canadian taxpayers paid their taxes for them. When the whole facts concerning this importation become known it bids fair to result in some remarkable revelations.

THE PETERBORO CHEESE BOARD

A Lot of Cheese Sold at Twelve Cents a Pound

The last meeting for the season of the Peterborough Cheese Board was held yesterday. The following buyers were present: Messrs. Fitzgerald, Cook, Kerr, Rollins, Whitton, Bailey and Brown for Mr. Whitton.

4,282 October cheese and 523 November cheese were boarded as follows:

Keene	200	40
Warminster	110	
Central Smith	100	
North Smith	140	40
Villiers	100	
Warsaw	135	
Westwood	140	
Oakdale	105	25
Missing Link	35	20
Daisy D.	90	12
Melrose Abbey	130	
Lakefield	165	50
Pine Grove	115	10
Peterborough	85	10
Otonabee Union	90	
Maple Leaf	115	8
Mystic	145	13
Young's Point	110	15
Lang	145	
Fraserville	170	10
Indian River	90	
North Dummer	63	
Bal'yduff	43	
East Emily	106	
Trewern	100	35
Benafort	151	25
Cedardale	65	20
Stoney Lake	60	15
Cavanville	240	65
Mount Pleasant	86	
Norwood	160	
Fleetwood	125	30
Oakleaf	40	
Buckhorn	120	15
South Burleigh	60	
Dartford	165	55
Apsley	35	
Percy	165	

Mr. Fitzgerald bought the October cheese at 12c. of Keene, Central Smith, Myrtle, Fraserville, Trewern, Buckhorn, and Lakefield factories.

Mr. Kerr at the same price purchased East Emily, Fleetwood, Cavanville, Benafort, Norwood, Melrose Abbey, Dartford, Percy, Otonabee Union, Peterborough, Ballyduff, Missing Link, Mount pleasant, Oak Leaf, Lang, Indian River, and North Smith.

Mr. Whitton bought Villiers and Westwood at 12c.

Mr. Rollins secured Warminster, Oakdale, Maple Leaf, Pine Grove, Daisy D., Cedardale South Burleigh and Apsley.

Mr. Brown secured Warsaw, North Dummer, Stoney Lake, and Young's Point.

Mr. Bailey was the highest bidder at 11 3-4 for November Cheese, and took Keene, and was refused by North Smith, Oakdale, Dartford, Lakefield, and Fleetwood. He secured Dartford at 11 3-4 without the pound shrinkage off.

Mr. J. A. Ruddick, of the Dairying Branch of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, addressed the Board in an able manner. He said a turning point had come in the making of cheese in Ontario, and pointed out the advantages of cold curing cheese. The plan adopted was to roll the cheese in parafine wax, which preserved the cheese and allowed it to be placed on the market in the very best condition. The cost for parafine was about two cents per cheese. The cost of the building would be considerable on the start, but several factories might unite and use the same building, thus minimizing the cost to each. In the long run the system would more than pay for itself.

A vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Ruddick for his address, and a similar vote was passed to the Council for the use of the hall

DEPRAVITY PERSONIFIED

How a Villian Planned to Have His Wife Murdered

Glasgow, Nov. 12—An extraordinary conspiracy by which a husband planned to have his wife murdered for a bribe of $100 has just been revealed in the Sheriff's Court. The person to whom the money was paid confessed and said that when about to commit the deed his heart failed him, and he handed over the bribe to another man, who also had compunctions at the last moment and turned back to him half the amount.

The most extraordinary feature of the case is the action of the murderous-minded husband in bringing suit for the amount off the bribe, claiming it was money loaned. All three conspirators were placed under arrest and their conflicting stories investigated.

SOUTH AFRICAN MINES

Increase of White Labour—The Output Becoming Greater Daily

London, Nov. 12—The latest in South South African statistics prove that there is a steady increase in the number of white men employed in the mines in the Rand. In 1899, the year before the war, 9,476 white men we employed in 73 mines, the highest number of stamps at work being 5,765. In August of this year 9,122 white men were at work with only 3,455 stamps in operation. In July and August the increase in the number of white men in the mines was 1,363, and of natives for the same period 1,330. The total number of natives working on the last day of August was 36,363, but the on the books of the contractors was 41,672, the difference of 5,309 implying a wastage of 12.7 per cent. While the value of unskilled white labor is still a matter of dispute, mine managers are using all available material and running a considerable number of stamps which otherwise would be idle.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

New York, Nov. 12.—One of the most sensational murder trials in modern criminal history was closed yesterday by the acquittal of Roland B. Molineux, who was charged with the murder of Mrs. K. J. Adams, after spending nearly four years in prison.

Two friends of Molineux, Henry C. Barnett and Harry Cornish, the former of whom was a rival in love, were acquainted with the past career of the woman whom Molineux married. Barnett died in November, 1898, shortly after receiving a powder, which he frequently used, and was supposed to be poisoned. Cornish, near Christmas, 1898, received a bottle labelled "bromo-seltzer." He gave some of the contents to his aunt Mrs. Adams, besides drinking some himself. Mrs. Adams died, but Cornish survived. The poison was recognized as cyanide of mercury.

As Molineux worked in a wholesale drug store, and had quarrelled with both men, he was arrested, and in 1899 was found guilty of murder by the Supreme Court of New York. His friends obtained a retrial.

New York, Nov. 12.—It has been estimated that the trial of Roland B. Molineux has cost more than any other for a capital offence in any country where the English system of jurisdiction is in vogue. The cost to the County of New York of the first trial approximated $250,000. This was expended in various directions, largely in fees for handwriting experts who were brought from distant States, and for detectives who endeavored to trace Molineux's movements from his fifteenth birthday to the time of his arrest. The defence expended about $75,000 in the first trial, and it is estimated that his total on both side for the two hearings will foot up nearly $500,000.

Barrie, Nov. 11.—Mr. and Mrs. Eber Graham, a bride and groom, of Guilford, were charivarid one night last week. Guns, pistols, and horse fiddles, with musical instruments, played an important part, and attracted neighbors from miles around.

Among the latter was Mr. John Harper of Stroud. Just as he arrived at a point on the road opposite Graham's house, he was shot down by George Mattenly, one of the wedding guests, who was trying to disperse the crowd which had gathered about the premises. The charge took effect in Harper's legs, and as blood poisoning is feared, bail has been refused for Mattenly, who has been lodged in the jail at Barrie. The charge laid against him is "shooting with intent to murder."

The prisoner has acknowledged firing the shot, but claims that he did not see the victim, and only fired the gun to alarm the crowd.

Fifteen of the young men who participated in the charivari were brought before Magistrate Ross but the charge against them was withdrawn on payment of the costs, amounting to about one hundred dollars.

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Boston, Nov. 12—The following address of the national officers and executive committee of the United Irish league of America has been issued to the American Irish:

Friends and Fellow Citizens—At its first national convention held in Faneuil hall, Boston, on Oct. 20 and 21, 1902, the United Irish League of America pledged itself to raise an Irish national defence fund of $100,000 for the maintenance of Ireland's struggle for land and liberty, within the period of six months.

The raising of the Irish national defence fund will be the most telling answer we can give to the brutal insolence of Balfour, and the wanton coercion of Wyndham.

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Money, more than any other weapon, makes England formidable to Ireland. Without it she would be powerless to enchain her victim, because she matches cupidity against courage and venality against virtue, just as she did in the days of Elizabeth, Stafford and George III.

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The name of Ireland stands for liberty. Her noble action in declaring by the votes of her members of parliament, contrary to her own political interests, against England's war upon the Boer Republics, has placed her in the forefront of European and American approval. Ireland has given the lie to the cynical aphorism that the age of chivalry has passed away.

Her attitude of calm, self-restraint under maddening oppression appeals to the sympathy of mankind, and the insults heaped upon her representatives by the English prime minister should kindle into generous flame in the hearts of the Irish race in every quarter of the globe.

TEST OF AMERICAN IRISH.

Shall it be said of us, the American Irish, in the pages of future history, that in the moment of supreme trial we proved false to our motherland? Are we not, at least, as content and self-respecting as our English opponents? What Englishman, however high or humble, would fail to respond to his mother country's appeal under similar circumstances? The Englishs have their faults, and Ireland and other countries know to their sorrow, but lack of patriotism is not one of them.

The English minister, in the plenitude of his power and the cruelty of his his arrogance, has put an insult, unparalled even in the annals of Anglo-Irish relations, upon Ireland; the insult of a coward, who is brave because he deems himself secure.

He must be hurled from his political power, as Parnell alternately hurled both Salisbury and Gladstone in 1885 and the succeeding year. Balfour has gone much further in official brutality than any of his predecessors in refusing to give Ireland even one day during the parliamentary session for the discussion of exclusively Irish affairs, —a privilege never denied to other parts of the alleged "United Kingdom."

We can destroy Balfour politically if we unite against the English ruling classes as they have united against Ireland.

In conclusion, we ask you to go into this work with zeal and energy. The example has been generously set by Boston, New York and Philadelphia, at the recent gatherings held in those cities, and their subscriptions are but a token of what they will give before the struggle is at an end and Ireland's independence and prosperity are secured. God save Ireland!

VERY COOL POLITENESS TOWARDS THE GERMANS

Germany More Accommodating when Given Cold Shoulders by Powers

Disloyal Dutch Retain Their Rifles—Loyalists Compelled to Give Theirs Up—Fate of German Tariff Scheme

London, Nov. 12.—A Vienna correspondent says that while the German-Austrians display disappointment at the attitude of the British public toward the visit of Emperor William, independent opinion inclines to the view that it will not do Germany any harm to be left out in the cold for a time, and that it will benefit those who have had dealings with her, since Germany is always more accomodating when she receives the cold shoulder from other powers. It is thought that nothing further than the cool politeness and keen business competitors is possible between England and Germany, and that even that is difficult in the face of outbursts of Anglophobia, such as those recently filling the pages of the German press, which were encouraged by the inconsiderate and far from friendly utterances of German statesmen. It is pointed out that any show of favor toward the Kaiser will be interpreted as an attempt to curry favor, resulting from a repetition of the old Bismarckian warnings of the pernicious influence of the English royal family in German affairs.

WANT MOUNTED TROOPS.

London, Nov. 12.—A Cape Town correspondent says that a motion by a progressive member of the Cape Town Parliament to provide for the continuance of the maintenance of district mounted troops for guarding the towns, raised in Cape Colony in 1901, has been shelved. The correspondent says there is considerable feeling caused by the disarming and disbanding of these forces, as it is notorious that in the vicinity of Kimberley the disloyal Dutch retain their rifles, while loyalists who served during the war are compelled to give theirs up. The Peace Preservation Act, which is a dead letter in many of the districts, prohibits all persons from bearing arms. The progressives want an act passed allowing all approved persons to keep their rifles on registration.

TARIFF SCHEME IS SEALED.

London, Nov. 12.—A Berlin correspondent says that among well informed friends of the Government it is regarded as practically certain that the fate of the tariff scheme is sealed. The Agrarian organs are abandoning the hope that a Parliamentary majority will be able to keep the House together in support of a measure wherein movement has ceased to exhibit any voice of lively interest. It is very generally believed, according to the correspondent, that the Government is entirely resigned to shipwreck the present scheme. The most competent observers, it is said, are of the opinion that the Government will endeavor to prolong the present commercial treaties for at least five years, which they will employ in remodelling the autonomous tariff. The idea of a further respite is also supported by the consideration that the future tariff policy toward certain foreign powers, particularly the United States, remains a great uncertainty. It remains to be seen whether the United States will treat Germany better or worse than she has recently done with regard to a customs policy.

ITALIAN FRIENDSHIP FOR ENGLAND

London, Nov. 12.—A Rome correspondent says that Italian comments on Premier Balfour's Guild Hall speech, referring to Somaliland operations, can scarcely be called enthusiastic, but the Tribune, the official organ, expresses satisfaction at what it considers the Premier's homage to Italian straightforwardness. The Tribune confirms the joint action of the British and Italian cruisers off the coast of Somaliland, remarking that Italy thus performed an act of friendship toward England, but has reserved all ulterior action. The correspondent says that noisy Ministerial Radicals imagine that England is about to entice Italy into a costly and dangerous adventure.

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COUNTRY SCHOOLS

The announcement that Prof. Robertson is interesting himself in the matter of the consolidation of rural schools is a welcome one to all who have even given the subject any thought, says the Ottawa Journal. There can be no question of the fact that country schools as they are conducted today do not fulfill the requirements of the farming communities. Owing to the manner in which the population in country districts is scattered it is an impossibility under existing conditions for any one school section to meet the expenses of constructing and equipping a school equal to what the residents of the city have come to consider a necessity for their children. Yet, however, no one will claim that it is not as essential that country children should be well educated as it is that city children shall.

This difficulty has led to the introduction in sections of the United States of a new system known as the consolidation of rural schools. Instead of having a large number of small and poorly equipped schools large central schools have been erected to and from which children are taken in vans. The increased attendance thus brought about makes it possible to grade the children into classes and to employ different teachers for each class. Where tried this system seems generally to have proved a success, and a marked improvement over previous conditions.

Unless country schools can be thus centralized then there is little possibility for their ever attaining the rank now enjoyed by town and city schools and country people can have no hope of ever being able to give their children the advantages in education to which they are entitled unless they remove them from the country and send them into the towns.

If, on the other hand, centralization is possible, then a new area is begun in country life, and the question of the proper education of country people is completely solved.

The requirements of country schools are even greater than are those of the city. Not only does a farmer's son require to be taught the things that other men and other citizens find it necessary to know, such as to read, to write and to compute, but as an agriculturalist he has special needs. He is dealing with the natural world, and must therefore know nature. The studies adapted to his needs in this respect can scarcely be said to be taught at all in the country school. Not only are they not taught now but there is reason to lead to the belief that they never will be as long as present conditions continue.

Three great disadvantages under which country schools labor at present makes it apparent that no great improvement can take place without a sweeping change in the present system.

It is a safe estimate that there is an average of at least thirty pupils in the ordinary country school. A teacher, even if very capable, can hardly, under the present system, properly instruct such a large number of pupils, of different ages, in the time at his disposal. And yet in the country districts teachers are compelled year after year to attempt this almost impossible task. If it is almost impossible under present conditions, with only the ordinary and limited number of studies at present prescribed, how will it be possible when such additional studies are introduced as are necessary, in order that the schools be brought to meet the requirements of the farmers' needs?

Proper training, suited to the farmer's requirements, cannot be given under existing methods, for another reason; lack of qualified teachers. Teachers qualified to give instruction in the branches needed in the country schools will not take a country school because of the meagre salary that these schools pay. They will go to the towns and cities where their attainments are appreciated and adequately paid.

It is impossible also for a third reason, lack of supply of proper apparatus of school apparatus necessary in order to give the kind of instruction the farmers need is much larger than the ordinary school can afford to procure.

The consolidation of rural schools would mean fewer but larger schools, properly graded classes with more scholars in each and consequently keener rivalry among the pupils, fewer but better paid and more competent teachers, and a complete supply of all necessary school equipment.

The announcement from Prof. Robertson as to what he proposes to inaugurate in this direction will be paratus in the country schools. The awaited with considerable interest.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

The Ontario authorities cannot be too vigilant in their efforts to keep out the smallpox plague which is reported at Port Huron. The people will support them in all proper measures for that purpose

Gerald Sifton has been found innocent of the murder of his father. Herbert, the hired man, who pleaded guilty to assisting in a murder that the jury say never took place, has yet to be dealt with As Inspector Murray declared, the jury system is guilty of some glaring blunders at times.

A Bloemfontein correspondent observes that South Africa is being flooded with polygot trade circulars issued from American and German commercial houses. None come from British firms. They appear to feel superior to such devices, or perhaps, have not thought of employing them. In this matter Canadians are not backward, but they might well be more forward.

The experience which some Canadian ridings had with the voting machine seems to have been improved upon in New York State. The Rochester Democrat speaks highly of it. It says—"The voter cannot beat them unless he has free license to disregard the case the inspectors could not conceal to states prison. No 'expert' once behind the properly drawn curtain, can make the machine lie."

The Governor of the State of California has protested vehemently against the recent edict of Imperial Washington, ordering the decapitation of the Chief of Police of San Francisco, who was responsible for not protecting the Confucian missionaries, Po-King and Fu-ni, who were killed on the sand-lots, August 15, by a San Francisco mob. President Roosevelt, Emperor of the Philippines, is opposed to the decapitation of the officials."

How would that strike the public as news? It is a precise parallel to a telegraphed information in a Montreal paper, in a despatch from Hunan, China, by way of London. To decapitate a Mandarin because a mob murders a missionary seems to be coming it rather un-Christianly strong.

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everywhere—to many houses, indeed, where Macaire had never been asked until the handsome young man in his gratitude obtained him a welcome.

Nobody, not even Macaire himself, dreamt of the true reason of the "Baron's" insatiable fondness for society, his eagerness to make new acquaintances among the mighty ones of the land. But there was such a reason beneath all the young man's actions, deep under the surface as some currents in the sea, and as darkly hidden. If it had not been so he would not have had heart or courage, after the loss of his love, for the life into whose vortex he had thrown himself.

He went wherever it was fashionable to go, wherever he was likely to meet people intent on the spending of much money for their own pleasure, and he stayed nowhere long; he seemed possessed by the spirit of restlessness. Sometimes he was in London; sometimes in Scotland; sometimes in Paris, in Rome, or in the Riviera; but his visits (save one to Germany, on private business) were only long enough to see for himself what personages of importance were amusing themselves in a place, and the personages in whom alone he appeared interested were English, or at least English-speaking.

Baron von Zellheim had the reputation of being a very rich young man, not because he had ever said that he was rich, but because he lived luxuriously and was a great friend of Macaire, who found the society of most poor men too dull, and because Macaire had hinted at his protege's wealth.

And this was another cause of laughter to Macaire; for he had the best of reasons for knowing exactly what the Baron's income was, on what it depended and how long it would last. He rather liked Hope Newcome, though he was jealous of his strength, his youth, and his good looks; nevertheless, he looked forward to the day which he had set for the great crash—the day on which society should see how it had been fooled; the day on which F. E. Z.'s "friend" would learn what the early folly of F. E. Z. had done for him.

Though the scheme in which Dick was the leading marionette worked well, it worked slowly, and to hurry it on Macaire at last decided that the long-talked-of trip to Monte Carlo should be undertaken.

The night before starting he invited a number of very young men in a fast set to dine with him, and he entertained them afterwards by what he called "slumming." Having plied his guests with so much wine of many kinds that the world floated before their eyes in a haze of rainbow colors, he took them to a box at Winifred's music-hall, where they behaved so uproariously that they would have been turned out by the police had they been persons of less importance.

When Winifred appeared, Macaire led the applause, which his friends kept up so stormily that the poor girl was obliged to stand silently waiting for it to cease, conscious that Macaire was staring at her and that all the audience saw him stare. If Dick had not been at home in Park lane getting ready for the journey next day, even his anger might have been excited against the man who could do no wrong.

The trip to Monte Carlo was to be made in Macaire's steam yacht, which was supposed to be the second largest, the second handsomest, and the first in speed, on the seas. The millionaire took with him a party of a dozen friends, besides his highly favored secretary, and among these were several women more conspicuous for beauty than dignity, and not too particular to flirt a little with Dick Gray when for the moment there was no better way of keeping their hands in.

Every night after dinner they played poker, or bridge, or ecarte, in the beautiful cabin of the yacht, and stakes were high. Dick was asked to join, and could not bear to refuse. Fortunately for him, Macaire had made him one or two presents, and, besides, luck was often with him; still, to play as the others played subjected him to a severe nervous strain.

Then came Monte Carlo, and—the beginning of the end. Life for Dick Gray began to be a brilliant dream, a delirium. Where everybody had plenty of money, he lost his head, and fancied that he had plenty, too. Macaire encouraged him in the fancy, and finding that the gambling-rooms fascinated his secretary, he told him to "go in and win, and be a good-plucked one." Beginners were always lucky. Who knew but Dick would break the bank, like that chap Wells, a few years ago? What was a sovereign here or there, when there was any fun to be had? He would see that Dick didn't come to grief.

Thus cheered into the thick of the fray, Dick let himself go, and ceased to resist the maddening excitement which sang in his veins a wonderful song.

Rouge et Noir was the game which held him its willing slave, for he had evolved a system which worked well for a time. He won two hundred pounds in a couple of days, and as Macaire seemed to have forgotten that Dick was merely his secretary and not a guest with the others, there was plenty of time to spend in testing the system. But one night it failed—failed unaccountably. The two hundred pounds melted away like gold in a furnace. Dick's small savings from what he had made on board the "Diavolo" followed, until, with his last three pounds, luck began again to change. He staked on red, and red won; on black, the same thing happened. He grew excited, and lost his all, but he was sure this was because in his confusion of mind he had forgotten the system. If he only had something to go on with!

Then he remembered that in his pocket was an uncommon trinket of Macaire's, which the millionaire had tossed to him that afternoon, carelessly asking if he would take it to be repaired. It was supposed, his employer had said, to bring luck to its possessor, and he was rather superstitious about the thing, having carried it with him in his pocket for years. Still, judging from Macaire's tone and indifferent way of handing it over to him for repairing, Dick did not believe that the millionaire really attached great importance to the fetich.

The young man searched in his pocket, and brought out in his hand a very curious jewel.

It was an exact representation of the Sphinx's head, exquisitely carved from a single large Egyptian moonstone, holding in its depths a marvelous blue light, radiant, elusive, like a soul imprisoned in the stone and striving to escape. Underneath was a small gold screw, by which the luck-giving talisman could be fastened into the coat or the pocket of the wearer for safety; and it was the screw which had been broken.

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CAPITAL.

50,000 shares Common Stock, par value $100 each, issued and fully paid	$5,000,000 00
10,000 shares 7 per cent. Cumulative Preference Stock, par value $100 each	$1,000,000 00
Total Capitalization	$6,000,000 00

PREFERENCE STOCK

This Stock is preferred both as to Capital and Dividends.

The shares are entitled to cumulative preferential dividends from the net earnings of the Company, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, payable half-yearly on the first days of April and October. They may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged for common shares. They are subject to be called in, in whole or in part, by the Company, at $115.00 per share, at any time on or after 1st January, 1909

The total issue of Preferred Stock is only $1,000,000.00, the whole of which is now offered.

Subscriptions for 10,000 shares of $100 each of the 7 per cent Preferred Stock of the CANADIAN STEEL AND COAL COMPANY will now be received at par, that is, $100 for each $100 share as follows:—

5 per cent on application.
20 per cent on allotment.
25 per cent each 30 days thereafter.

One share of common, par value $100.00, given with each share of preferred.

The whole of the instalments remaining unpaid at any time may be prepaid in full. A discount of one per cent will be allowed upon the par of each share if prepaid at time of allotment.

Notice of allotment will be sent promptly by ordinary letter.

It is intended to apply to the Stock Exchanges in New York, Boston, Montreal and Toronto for the listing of the stock of the company

The CANADIAN STEEL AND COAL COMPANY was organized to mine and manufacture iron and coal, coke and steel in Canada at Atlantic tidewater.

The raw materials for these manufactures are:—

1.—COAL. 2.—IRON. 3.—LIMESTONE.

All these materials we have at hand.

1.—COAL.

The Company controls 3,000 acres of excellent coal areas in the Province of Nova Scotia, and efforts are being made to increase this to 10,000 acres by the purchase of some very valuable additional coal fields.

The coal has been thoroughly tested and found to be suitable in every way for the manufacture of iron and steel, and the supply is practically inexhaustible. The following analysis was made by the Canadian Geological Survey:—

ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.00
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.77
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
	100 00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per 100 of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 tons of ore above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

3.—FLUX.

We are now negotiating for valuable deposits of dolomite and limestone of the most satisfactory quality, situated on the tide water, within 100 miles of the works.

MARKETS.

For six months in each year the Canadian markets can be reached by water at low freight rates, and at all times by rail. As Cape Breton is distant from Liverpool only about 2,300 miles; is nearer to Pernambuco, Brazil, than any point in the United States, and also nearer to Cape Town, South Africa, it has the advantage, in point of distance, for export business over any American steel-producing points, which, with scarcely any exceptions, are situated some distance from tide water. Under any conditions of the world's market, it is believed that the output of these works can be disposed of at satisfactory prices.

OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows:—

	ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

If the capitalization was increased to .... $20,000,000.00 this estimate would still show a dividend-earning capacity of 10 per cent. per annum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Coal Co. is .... $20,000,000.00 earning fully 12 per cent., and is paying 8 per cent. guaranteed dividends on this enormous sum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co. is ...... $[illegible],000,000.00 on which it is believed 6 per cent. dividends will be earned.

The capitalization of the Canadian Steel & Coal Company is only $6,000,000.00 controlling, it is believed, equally valuable properties, and it is reasonable to expect much larger dividends.

Within the last few months Dominion Coal shares common rose in market value from $40 to $144 per share, and Dominion Iron & Steel Company's shares common rose over $30 per share in market value.

With such low capitalization the Canadian Steel and Coal Co's shares should show tremendous profits, and it is confidently believed they will.

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STOCK MARKETS

More Reasons for Believing Market Storm Over

New York, Nov. 13—Tuesday's market has been better; there was also an absence of the urgent selling noticeable on Saturday and Monday last. Stocks sold on those two days evidently found safe lodging where they will be cared for. The market all along the line is at an extremely low level and while it is not possible to state that the low prices will not again be reached, or even in some instances to a slight degree more than equalled, it is possible to believe that the market should from this point be more likely to do better than to do worse. The parties who were so out-spokenly bullish about Sept first upon their return from Europe, are evidently repurchasing the stocks they sold under cover of their bullish utterances. The Waldorf—Astoria crowd who have been bearing the market since just prior to election day were free buyers on Monday afternoon, and on Tuesday were outspoken in their belief that the decline had gone about as far as they considered possible. The veteran operator, Mr. J. R. Keene, who has been silent for some time past, spoke yesterday as follows:—There has been so much writing about gold exports and expansion of loans, that an atmosphere of encircling gloom seems to have enveloped Wall Street until sensible men have lost their heads. So far as railroads are concerned there never was before them such a large volume of business, and the most influential and sagacious railway presidents unhesitatingly predict larger net earnings for a year to come than railroads have ever enjoyed before. The demands of wage-earners on the roads are being carefully considered; the exports of manufactures, wheat, cotton and other products, are on a scale, equalling, if not exceeding, those of last year. I have not changed my opinion one iota from that which I have entertained for six months past. There is no dispute that since Saturday last fully one million shares of stock have been liquidated by pools and public. It has found secure lodgement. Tuesday's market, with absence of liquidation, plainly emphasizes the fact. Even should the market be going to record still lower prices, we feel very confident that an average improvement of fully 5 per cent. will be witnessed first.

Summary—Today's market was apparently opened at as low prices as it was possible to make them. An effort was plainly made to buy as many stocks as possible, accompanied by the endeavor to hold down prices. After an early rally there was a nervous fitful decline followed by a renewal of the buying movement. Stocks generally sold higher than at last night's closing. Sales 1,193,600.

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REST	8,000,000
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MORGAN IN THE OIL INDUSTRY--NEW YORK FINANCIER AT THE HEAD OF A $20,000,000 COMPANY TO EXPLOIT CALIFORNIA FIELDS

Bakersfield, Cal., Sept. 27.—J. Pierpont Morgan is about to identify himself with the oil business in California. On October 12, or a few days later, surveyors will be put into the field, and will run lines to the ocean from Sunset, Coaling, McKittrick, Midway and Kern River fields to determine by which route it is most feasible to transport oil to tide water. The surveys will run over the coast range at a number of points, and also will go down the San Joaquin valley parallel with the line of the Standard.

A company having a capitalization of $5,000,000 has been organized for the construction of lines, pumping stations, storage tanks, and the like. Mr. Morgan and his associates have also formed a separate company, capitalized at $20,000,000, half of which will be invested in proven ground and the other half turned into a reserve fund.

It is stated that the Morgan syndicate will be prepared to handle 2,000,000 barrels the first year, and will increase that amount at the rate of 1,000,000 a year until the whole demand of the market is met.

THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY own and control a large tract of absolutely oil proven asphalt land in the very heart of the best oil producing land of **Kern County, California,** the district where flowing wells are situated. We have a **bed of Liquid Asphalt** underlying a portion of our lands. Our property is situated right at Sunset Station. A new line of railway is surveyed and will be constructed in a very short time, putting us not only in touch with Eastern cities, but in touch with tide-water. This, in addition to the railroad facilities we now have. Remember that we own our land—it is paid for and entirely free from debt.

ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL CO.'S GIGANTIC TRACT

will be developed and should prove a formidable rival for the new company.

PROFESSOR DR. RUD J. SCHIMPER, Analytical and Expert Chemist, of St. Paul, makes the following statement relative to the composition, what can be produced and the estimated profits of the Sunset Crude Oil. A copy of the original certificate can be seen at the office of the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Co., which is in substance as follows:

"This is to certify that the undersigned, Dr. Rudolph J. Schimper, Chemist expert, member of Parisian Academy, according to analysis made from the crude oil furnished me by the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company, I find the following valuable products and with each beg to submit my estimate of its value:

1. LIQUID RUBBER—2000 lbs of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 1,800 lbs. of liquid rubber, value of which is from 25c. per lb. and up. (Estimated value $450.00.)
2. SOLID RUBBER—2000 lbs of this crude oil (6 bbls) will produce 1,700 lbs. of solid rubber, value of which is from 30c. upwards. (Estimated value $450.00.)
3. *FUEL BRIQUETTES*—2000 lbs. of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 2,000 lbs. (1 ton) of fuel briquettes, which, according to government tests made, is equivalent to two tons of best anthracite coal. (Estimated value $21.00)
4. ASPHALTUM—2,000 lbs. of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce ½ ton of asphaltum, value $25 to $35 per ton. 25 gal. of lubricating oil, value 50c. per gal. and upward. 40 gal. illuminating oil, value 10c per gal. and up. 60 gal. of distilled oil, value 5c. per gal. and upward. (Estimated value $64.50.)
5. *SOAP*—2000 lbs. (1 ton) of crude oil and filling will produce over 2,000 lbs. of soap, value 3c. per lb. and upward. (Estimated value $60.00.)

Id my opinion many other valuable products can be obtained from the oil of that famous field.

Respectfully, DR. R. J. SCHIMPER, Chemist Expert."

THIS goes to show the immense profits that will accrue from our products when refined. We expect to commence **Building Our Refinery** in the very near future. The sale of the next allotment of stock will be made for that purpose. **The largest flowing wells in California** were brought in adjoining our property and their stock was taken off the market. We **employ the best drillers** who report rapid progress on our wells and we expect to bring in gushers equal, if not to excel any in the Sunset field. **Our General Manager, Superintendent and Drillers,** all are experienced oil men. The officers of our company are all thorough, competent and efficient men who have always made a success of their undertaking in life and who will see that the welfare of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company is furthered, portected and promoted to the most advantageous extent possible.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS should be paid to the stockholders of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company when their property is fully developed, their refinery equipped and in full operation. ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS was paid by Kern County Oil Companies during the month of August alone.

SIX MILLION BARRELS is the consuming capacity of the Southern Pacific Railway engines, which are now equipped for burning oil. Outside of this consider other railway lines, smelters, factories, steamships, stationery engines, which are all heavy consumers of fuel oil and last but not least, hotels and private dwellings are falling in line with the procession in the use of fuel oil.

A GOOD REASON WHY YOU Should Invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. More fortunes have been made in oil than any other business. Consider the immense amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for its fortunate stockholders, and the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard Oil Company. Here is what $100 has accomplished for those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:

Home Whittier $1,000 on an investment of $100.
Kern returned $2,200 on an investment of $100.
Peerless returned $1,800 on an investment of $100.
Dillon returned $2,500 on an investment of $100.
New York returned $30,000 on an investment of $100.
Union returned $150,000 on an investment of $100.
Home returned $60,000 on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Company's oil holdings and property, when developed and handled, should not bring like returns

CONTRARY to the general supposition the earth is the repository of all mineral wealth. When it is known and demonstrated beyond a question of a doubt where its wealth reposes and you put your money up to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people but creates new wealth. It is therefore an investment.

Wonderful Increase in Value of Oil Stocks.

The rapid rise in the value of shares in some oil companies will be seen from the following table:	Original price per share	Present Market price
Black Mountain Oil Co	$ .05	$ 1.50
Central Oil Co	.30	1.50
Home Oil Co, Whittier	.25	2.50
Monte Cristo Co	.10	2.50
West Shore Co	.50	4.50
Twenty-eighth Oil Co	.50	2.50
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	.50	1.50
Sterling Oil & Development Company	.50	2.25
Dillon Oil Co	.25	3.50
Peerless Co	.50	8.42
San Joaquin Oil Co	.50	16.00
Kern Oil Co	.15	10.00
Thirty-three Oil Co	.15	13.50
Kern River Oil Co	.50	25.00
New York Oil Co	.50	30.00
Oil City Petroleum Co	2.50	34.00
Hanford Oil Co	2.00	120.00
Kreyenhagen Oil Co	.10	200.00
Columbia Oil Co	100.00	600.00
Union Oil Co	1.00	1500.00
Home Oil co	100.00	2000.00

The time will come in the near future when stock in St. Paul and Sunset Oil Co., should bring prices equal to the last.

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Brought Back a Fine Buck

Mr. D. W. Dumble, Police Magistrate, who has been in the north country for the past two weeks hunting, returned home Monday evening, and as an evidence of his skill as a marksman, a fine buck deer came to his address yesterday. No doubt Mr. Dumble's immediate friends will fare bounteously on venison for the next few days.

A Great Sufferer Cured

Mr. Benjamin Dillon, of Leeds, Ont., was cured of Muscular Rheumatism by Polson's Nerviline and says: "I feel it my duty to proclaim Polson's Nerviline as an infallible cure for Rheumatism; it cured me after 30 years of suffering, and nothing I know of can equal its penetrating power. Nerviline simply has no equal in quickly relieving and curing Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica, and Lumbago. A trial will convince anyone. Price 25c.

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Bankrupt Stock Store, 466 George street. Feathers, Tips, Flats, Wire, Canvas, Chiffon, Lace. All this stock will be cleared on Thursday, Nov. 13th. The prices are just half the wholesale price. Bankrupt Stock Store, 466 George street.

Fire Insurance Inspection

Messrs. Payne & Bryers, inspectors of the Canadian Fire Underwriters Association, are in town engaged in examining the mercantile risks, so as to report on each one individually. Business men should do all in their power to facilitate their work, and in return the inspectors will be very glad to give any information that will tend to improve the risks and reduce the rates.

The Direct Line

From Peterborough to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and the South is via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley Railroad. Route of the "Black Diamond Express." Pullman sleepers and dining car service from Toronto. Everything first class. Scenery and service unsurpassed. Call at W. Bunton's ticket office Peterborough, for tickets, Pullmans and further particulars.

Police Court Notes

—A drunk was fined $2 and costs at the Police Court yesterday.

—W. J. McCartin, who belongs to St. Catharines, was arrested in Oshawa, charged with stealing a pair of forceps from Dr. Robinson, Veterinary Surgeon, town. McCartin, who had been using some of the Doctor's instruments in town, said that when leaving his wife accidentally packed the forceps along with other articles. He had been arrested in Oshawa, and brought back to Peterborough. His excuse did not go with the Magistrate, who fined him $1 and costs, amounting altogether to $20, to be paid in three weeks' time.

Wedding in Otonabee

St. Mark's church, Otonabee, was the day, when Miss Agatha, daughter of scene of a very pretty wedding on Monday. Mr. Robert Ords, was united in marriage to Mr. T. H. Battersby, by Rev. C. H. Marsh, Rector of St. Paul's church, Lindsay, assisted by Rev. R. A. Langfeldt, M.A., of St. Luke's church, Ashburnham. The bride was attired in a gown of blue travelling cloth and picture hat to match, and her sister, Miss Lillie Ords, acted as bridesmaid. For the groom Mr. William Buchan, of Cambray, performed the duties of best man. The wedding march was played by Miss Rose Coughtry. After the ceremony the entire company partook of a sumptuous wedding breakfast at the residence of Mr. Ords.

Advertise in The Times, the best local paper in the district.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The license committee will meet this evening.

—The George Matthews Company shipped five carload of bacon from this point on Monday. The bacon goes to the Old Country.

—Mr. R. H. Leary, liveryman, attended the horse sale at Grand's Repository, Toronto, this week, and purchased a fine team of cobs.

—St. Paul's church Guild meets on Friday evening at 8 o'clock, when Mr. A. C. McCallum will read a paper on "How to Draw a Straight Line." All persons are invited to attend.

—Lindsay Post: The crush of people at the Academy of Music ticket office last evening has seldom been equalled and offered convincing proof of the popularity of Marks' Bros. as entertainers.

—Mr. W. A. Chisholm, of town, has been appointed local agent of the Scranton Correspondence School. This is a good selection, as Mr. Chisholm is well known and very popular. Mr. G. W. Morgan goes to the Montreal office.

—A supply of the new coinage of coppers has been received at some of the banks. On one side there is no change, on the reverse the King's head is shown, facing in the opposite direction to what the head of Queen Victoria does on the old coins. The inscription is "Edward, V. R., Dei Gratia, Rex. Imperator." The first received is so bright it might be taken for a new sovereign.

—Daniel and John Brophy, who were killed in a fire which damaged the new East River bridge, New York, to the extent of half a million of dollars on Monday night, were at one time residents here, together with a brother, Andrew Brophy, who was drowned while coming from the Klondyke. The weight of a quantity of gold in his belt made it impossible for him to keep afloat.

Irritating Pimples and Disfiguring Blotches

They place many young girls at a great disadvantage in life. The only cure is a blood purifier like Ferrozone. The cleanses the crimson flow of poisons and impurities, renews and strengthens it, and makes lots of red corpuscles that manifest their presence by a ruddy, healthy glow in the cheeks and lips. Ferrozone quickly masters all skin eruptions, builds up broken down constitutions, and gives to weak, sickly women, an abundance of spirits, vitality energy and beauty. Try Ferrozone, it's all right. Price 50c. per box, or 6 boxes for $2.50 at druggists, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mrs. T. Mowat visited Toronto friends this week.

—Mr. E. V. Dyer, of Port Hope, was in town yesterday.

—Mrs. Dallee left yesterday to visit Toronto friends.

—Mr. E. H. D. Hall left for St. Catharines yesterday on business.

—Mr. G. Kincade, of Pontypool, was in town on business Tuesday.

—Mr. Wm. Gaken, of Apsley, is in town, and gave the Times a pleasant call.

—Mr. Wm. Coulter, of Pontypool, was calling on Peterborough friends yesterday.

—Miss Ada N. Stapler, of Campbellford, is spending a few days with friends in town.

—Mr. Chas. Stanley, Manager of the Stanley Piano Company, made a business trip to Toronto Monday evening.

—Messrs. George and E. Armstrong, of Port Hope, were renewing acquaintances in town yesterday.

—Mr. Chris, Graham and Miss Katie Graham went to Gananoque to visit friends yesterday.

—Miss Annie Cleland left for home in Montreal yesterday after a pleasant stay of a few months with her sister, Mrs. H. M. Lloyd, Hunter street.

—Mr. E. C. Jones is the latest addition to the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce. He only recently arrived in Canada from England.

Mr. David McDougall, an old Peterborough boy, whose home is now in Bowmanville, is in town on a visit. Mr. McDougall lived here about fifteen years ago. He notices many changes in that time.

Shot One Deer

Mr. E. F. Mason, Peterborough's enterprising wholesale and retail grocer, returned Sunday night from a two weeks' hunting expedition in the vicinity of Lake Katchecum. He reports a very enjoyable outing, and he shot one deer, which arrived last night.

A BULL DOG

Is Easier to Shake Off Than the Coffee Grip

A lady of St. Paul, Minn., never drank anything but cold water until she was married and then commenced to drink coffee.

She says, "About one year after our marriage, my husband began to complain of a distress in his stomach and I had such dizzy spells after each meal that we had to see a doctor. We drank coffee three times a day, but did not imagine that coffee was causing all this distress. The doctor said both our livers were out of order, gave us some medicine, and told us that we ought to break off drinking coffee. We stopped it for a while but missed the hot drink so much we went back to coffee. In five years' time I lost a complexion that was faultless and gained a very bad stomach and my husband's stomach was ruined. He thought he had cancer of the stomach, or something worse, but we had formed the habit of coffee drinking, and like drunkards, found it no easy matter to break off, although we knew it was killing both of us.

We kept a grocery store at the time, and a lady called one day and asked for Postum Food Coffee, saying,—'My children like it; will not drink anything else, and I know it is good for them because they never have trouble with their stomachs.' This interested me, and I told her about my bad stomach. She told me how to make Postum and we began its use ourselves.

After drinking it three times a day for a week, I felt much better and my husband declared that he felt like a new man. We have drank Postum for four years and have never had one particle of stomach trouble since, and I have lost that sallow, yellow color I so much disliked and the whites of my eyes are as clear as ever again. I know it is because we left off drinking coffee and drank Postum. I can eat everything and anything, and never knew I have a stomach. My husband used to say I would ruin our coffee trade because I told all my friends what Postum had done for us." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek Mich.

BIG HOPPER, SMALL SPOUT

Canada Developing the Interior But Neglecting Atlantic Outlet

Montreal, Nov. 12.—Sir William C. Van Horne, Chairman of the Canadian Pacific Railway, when in New York, was asked by a representative of the New York Post to explain the lack of elevator facilities and the difficulties which the Canadian farmers experience in getting their wheat out of the interior to the market, especially to the Montreal outlet:

"Canada," he said, "has been adding sides to her hopper for a long time, but has neglected to enlarge the spout. She has for years been spending millions generously in the development of the interior and her railways, but has neglected her outlet at the Atlantic. Her crops and industries have grown, and the hopper is simply full to overflowing, and the outlet at Montreal is not large enough. Her exports take the easy routes by the great lakes and the Erie Canal to Boston and New York, simply because Canada sits comfortably by and does not see what she is losing.

"Our folks have not come to the point yet of realization of the fact that 70 per cent. of the gross earnings of a people's railway or ship lines are paid back within a month as earned, for labor and materials, in the community in which they operate; or that the other 30 per cent. which goes for interest and dividends, establishes credit so that the company may borrow more money and establish great industries by branching out and enlarging. They do not realize that every dollar paid for transportation or elevator facilities in the States is that much taken from themselves, and their loss. In time the Montreal outlet will be developed, and while I don't know how much wheat and flour England uses, it seems very probable that Canada will supply her whole needs within a few years as has been suggested. Eventually, she may export wheat to the States, also, although that is a question which we need hardly consider now, as it will not have to be met for twenty-five years or more."

THE PROSPECTS.

"What are the prospects for the next year in Canada?" was asked.

"Canada never attains the exuberant heights of prosperity which are noted periodically in the States, nor does she sink so low in hard times. Canada has more of an even temper and prospers industriously all of the time. We are expecting a good year."

Sir William was asked what effect the building of the prospected trans-Canadian line would have upon his road. He replied:

"The position of the Canadian Pacific Railway is absolutely unassailable. For that reason it is our policy never to oppose anything. The trans-Canadian road has started with better prospects than the Canadian Pacific had once. When the Northern Pacific road was built, everybody thought it was way up north beyond nowhere. Then the Great Northern was built, and people promptly forgot thinking of the Northern Pacific as far north. Then came the Canadian Pacific, and that seemed to run through the Arctic regions. We would hail with delight a parallel route from the Atlantic to the Pacific to help us develop the country. There is enough of it up there for us all."

"Why did your road contract in Scotland for a large order of locomotives recently?" was asked.

"Because we must have them within three years. We could not get them here in America. We have bought all we could get here, and must have engines to provide for the traffic, which is growing with the development of our territory almost beyond comprehension. The original engines with which our road was equipped were made in Scotland. The last order is of American type, and we have decided to give them a trial over there."

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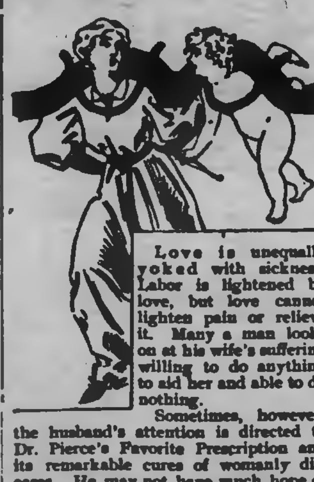
The Montreal Star says: This company has been formed by representative Canadian and American men to develop iron and coal deposits in Canada. The company has already secured by deed in fee simple about 4,000 acres of iron lands in the Province of Quebec and they are now negotiating for several thousand acres of coal lands in Nova Scotia. A prospectus accompanied by engineers' reports is being prepared, and is now in the printers' hands. The Directorate includes a number of prominent names already identified with coal, iron and financial interests in this and the adjoining country.

Fitzgerald v. Fitzgerald

Appeal by plaintiff from judgment of Falconbridge, C.J., at trial dismissing action without costs. The action was brought by the plaintiff, as widow of James W. Fitzgerald, against his son, and plaintiff's stepson, claiming dower out of certain lands conveyed by deceased husband to defendant, subject to existing mortgages, the grantor retaining a life estate and taking back a mortgage for an amount which, with the existing mortgages, made up the whole consideration. Plaintiff also asked to have this conveyance declared null and void, as against her right to dower. A. B. Aylesworth, K.C., and Dennet, Peterborough, for appellant. The plaintiff was induced to marry the deceased upon the faith of his promise to convey to her the lands in question. The conveyance to the son was therefore a fraud upon her. And even if there was no actual intention to defraud her, the conveyance nevertheless had that effect, and the secrecy of the transaction and the fact that the deceased, in spite of the conveyance, retained possession, mark it as fraudulent. G. H. Watson, K.C., and R. B. Edwards, K.C., for defendant. The plaintiff's claim upon a contract is a cause of action independent of her claim for dower. It is not set up in her statement of claim, and does not help her in this action. The conveyance was not secret. There was no fraud or wrongful intent. The son took the compensation due to him in the best form he could. In any event the lands in question were at the time of the marriage, subject to two mortgages, and the plaintiff therefore never acquired any inchoate right of dower. The husband might have conveyed his equity absolutely without her concurrence to bar dower. Judgment reserved.

Thursday: Still unsettled and cooler.



Love is unequally yoked with sickness. Labor is lightened by love, but love cannot lighten pain or relieve it. Many a man looks on at his wife's suffering willing to do anything to aid her and able to do nothing.

Sometimes, however, the husband's attention is directed to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and its remarkable cures of womanly diseases. He may not have much hope of a cure, but he is led to try the medicine, with the result that in almost every case there is a perfect and permanent cure.

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Persons desiring to petition the said Council against undertaking the said proposed work must do so on or before the 20th day of December, 1902.

Dated the 5th day of November, 1902.

S. R. ARMSTRONG,
Town Clerk.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES, 1903

The undersigned will receive tenders up to noon on MONDAY, 24TH. INST., for supplies of butchers' meat, creamery butter, flour oatmeal, potatoes, cordwood, etc., for the following institutions during the year 1903, viz:—

At the Asylums for the Insane in Toronto, London, Kingston, Hamilton, Mimico, Brockville, Cobourg and Orillia; the Central Prison and Mercer Reformatory Toronto; the Reformatory for Boys, Penetanguishene; the Institutions for Deaf and Dumb, Belleville, and the blind at Brantford.

Exception—Tenders are not required for the supply of meat to the asylums in Toronto, London, Kingston, Hamilton and Brockville, nor for the Central Prison and Mercer Reformatory, Toronto.

A marked cheque for five per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract, payable to the order of the Honourable the Provincial Secretary, must be furnished by each tenderer as a guarantee of his bond fides. Two sufficient sureties will be required for the due fulfillment of each contract, and should any tender be withdrawn before the contract is awarded, or should the tenderer fail to furnish such security, the amount of the deposit will be forfeited.

Specifications and forms of tender may be had on application to the Department of the Provincial Secretary, Toronto, or to the Bursars of the respective institutions.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it.

J. R. STRATTON,
Provincial Secretary.

Parliament Buildings, Toronto, November 10, 1902.

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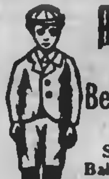

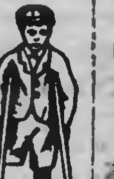

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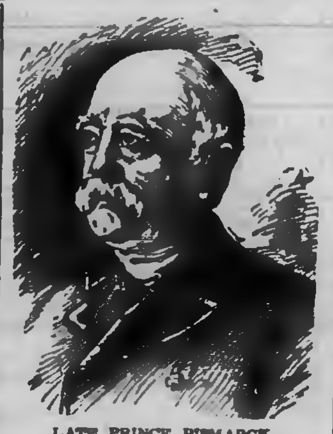
On the Division of the Dark Continent Between Them

London, Nov. 13.—The policy of the late Prince Bismarck "the father of the German Empire" was one of expansion. The Emperor is following up the policy of the dead statesman in a way that is setting the world thinking. His visit at this time to England was more than a family compliment, having partly to do with the partitioning of the Portugese possessions in South Africa. For this object an alleged secret treaty has existed between the two countries for some time past. A fortnight ago it was the subject of interrogation in Parliament, when the Under Secretary of State, Lord Cranbourne, replied that if there were such a treaty he was not at liberty to give its terms. These, however, were stated by a Berlin paper in December 1898, Germany, besides receiving Portugal's Asiatic possessions, would, in return for a payment to Portugal of 25,000,000 marks ($6,250,000), receive all the Portugese territory in South Africa north of Mozambique except a strip of land three miles wide for Mr. Rhodes' Transafrican Railway. England would, on her part, receive the remaining African possessions of Portugal, which contain two million square kilometres and thirteen million inhabitants. This includes Delagoa Bay and Lorenzo Marques, of which Britain had in 1891 secured the right of pre-emption in the event of Portugal's ever agreeing to dispose of her African colonies.

On the Emperor's arrival, the London Times uttered a warning against England's being drawn into any complications dangerous to her foreign relations, as a result of the royal visit. Though the wording of the Times article was obscure to the average reader, it was held to refer to a possible proposition from the Emperor looking to a subsidy to the German-Bagdad Railway, for the Indian mail service. The political value of this concession to Germany, it is explained, would be more than its economical worth, inasmuch as it could be used as an evidence of a close understanding between England and Germany, which would have the effect of arousing jealousy and suspicion of Great Britain on the part of Russia and France, and prevent Great Britain from making terms with the Dual Alliance, which is what the Germans fear more than anything else. If this took place Germany would be completely isolated in Europe. In order to extort the concession from Britain, it is said the German Emperor has remained passive, while the German press has reviled England mercilessly, in the hope that England would see the utility of granting it as the price of Germany's withdrawal from Shanghai in China.

This is the complication of higher politics, which intelligent onlookers have worked out in connection with the royal visit, and against which the London Times and other leading journals are emphatic.

Other observers have of late given out signals of the great trade activity of the Germans in the near East. It is complained that Austrian traders are being ousted from markets in the Balkans and the Levant, which they had long held. It is doubtless a case of antiquated methods and lack of push giving way before energy and originality, though there may also be something in the Viennese theory that Germany is using her military prestige to promote her commerce. Furnishing drill-masters to the Turk, she naturally provides him with military equipment, and other manufactures push in behind the Krupp guns. Emperor William's journey to the realms of the Sultan was conceived, it would appear, very much in the light of a commercial traveller's trip for orders. At any rate, the orders have certainly followed.



LATE PRINCE BISMARCK.
Who created the German Empire.

If the trip to England may be regarded in the same light, it will be met with disappointment, for Great Britain is in no mood for further concessions which do not bring reciprocal benefits. The Bagdad Railway will soon not be needed to expedite the Indian mail. The Kushni-Quetta road proceeding under English auspices, will suffice

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The state of the poll will be published occasionally, at the start, and later on, the result of each day's vote will be made known every morning.

TO SEW UP NEWFOUNDLAND

Uncle Sam Wants to Bind Island Against Preference to Britain

Washington, Nov. 13.—An important feature of the new treaty with Newfoundland is a clause preventing that British colony from following the example of Canada in granting a Customs preference of 33 per cent. to British goods. It is true that the differential has not yet been imposed by Newfoundland upon United States goods, but it is learned that it was the purpose to do so, and that the result would have been the loss of most of the trade with Newfoundland is not doubted here. The attitude of the New England senators to the new treaty is problematical; they have committed themselves to a treaty in theory, but it is not yet known whether they will accept the details of his new arrangement.

SIXTY MILLIONS

Is the Value of the German Estate Claimed by an American

Berlin, Nov. 13—The reported coming of W. R. Taylor from Indianapolis, accompanied by a lawyer, to claim the so-called Bradenburg inheritance, valued at $360,000,000 has caused a cold shiver in Berlin, as the property claimed is near the capital.

Bradenburg Castle was long ago transferred into a hospital and as Mr. Taylor's claim dates back to 1812, when the original possessor of the Bradenburgh inheritance fled to America, it will take some little litigation to secure its restoration, even if Taylor's title is good.

The claimant's agents here are engaged in locating the property.

DUMMER PROHIBITIONISTS

Thorough Organization for the Referendum Battle

On November 11th, the prohibitionists of the Township of Dummer met in the Methodist church at Warsaw. Rev. H. McQuade presided and addresses were delivered by Rev. Mr. Athinson, Dr. Meacham and Mr. S. R. Payne. It was decided to order 10,000 tracts for distribution. Committees were appointed as follows; the first named in each committee to be convenor:

For Warsaw—Dr. Meacham, S. R. Payne, Rev. Mr. Atkinson, Robert Mathews, Wm. Wasson and Edward Hawthorne.

For Bethel—F. W. Payne, J. Grant, N. Payne, L. Payne.

For Zion—Wm. Carveth, Alex. Darling, and D. Crowe.

For Carmel—John Robb, Joseph Grant and Wm. Puffer.

For Cottesloe—Mr. Anderson, Mr. Barr, Jas. Borland, S. S. Spence, A. D. Payne.

Ninth Line—Left to be worked from Norwood, if they consent to such arrangement.

The meeting was interspersed with music by the choir and closed with singing a stirring temperance hymn and the benediction.

Blooming in Open Air

Nelson, B. C., Nov. 13.—Wild roses blooming in November is something not unusual in November, and this year there are more than usually handsome specimens to be seen in many of the gardens of the city. G. Nunn, manager for A. Macdonald & Co., last week had on exhibition a bunch of roses and carnations picked from his gardens that would be "hard to beat" in the East in September.

THE PRESENTATION

Of the Medal Given by Royal Canadian Humane Society

To Miss Isabel Hay, at the Residence of Her Father, Mr. T. A. S. Hay

Our readers are all familiar with the facts in connection with the saving from drowning of Miss Maud Allen at Chemong Lake last August, by Miss Isabel Hay, and it will not be necessary to publish them here again. At that time the heroism of Miss Hay was deservedly eulogized and her brave deed will always be remembered. The matter was brought to the attention of the Royal Canadian Humane Society and they forwarded a medal to Mayor Denne, who called upon Miss Hay last night, at the residence of her father, Mr. T. A. S. Hay, Town Engineer, McDonald street, and in the presence of the family and a few intimate friends, made the presentation of the medal and an address to Miss Hay. Her father replied, expressing his most hearty thanks and also those of Miss Hay to the kind friends who had taken such an interest in having his daughter thus publicly honored by the Humane Society.

The following is the address read:

Peterborough, Nov. 13, 1902.

Miss Isabel Hay:

Dear Madam,—I have been requested by the Royal Canadian Humane Association to present you with this medal, and it is with pleasure that I have acceded to the request. The Association exists for the purpose of recognizing brave deeds done in order to rescue others from danger or death, and as in this country aquatic sports and pleasures are popular a large proportion of their awards are made to those who, like yourself, risked their lives to save others from death by drowning. I would have been glad if you had seen your way to accept the suggestion of the Association that this presentation should take place on some public occasion but as you are, as the President of the Association has said to me "like all true heroines, modest and retiring," it gives me pleasure to represent the donors of the medal here. I think you depreciate your own act, for to those who remember the circumstances of your rescue of Miss Maud Allen at Chemong Lake on August 8th last are delighted that the facts were brought to the notice of the Association and that you have been awarded their medal, which is only for acts of conspicuous courage. We remember that when you heard Miss Allen's call and saw that she had disappeared into the water of the lake, without taking any thought of the great risk to yourself, you hurried to the rescue, dove to the bottom of the deep waters and brought her to the surface. Nor was your dangerous task then accomplished, for we recollect that more than once your hold gave way and your friend sank into the waters to be again raised up by you, until, after a struggle that only the greatest courage and the most unselfish spirit could have continued so long, you brought Miss Allen to safety. It is right that such a spirit as you manifested on that occasion should be recognized. The medal is not in any sense a reward: that we know you would not accept. But the community, as well as your personal friends, is pleased to know there has been a suitable recognition of the daring and endaring courage you displayed on that occasion, and I am exceedingly pleased to act as the representative of the Association and to present you with this medal.

T. H. G. DENNE,
Mayor of the Town of Peterborough.

Control of the Coal Supply

Mine Operators Declare That Miners' Union Seeks to Secure Supremacy

Washington, Nov. 13.—The reply of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad Company to President Mitchell's statement to the anthracite coal strike commission was made public to-day. It is signed by W. H. Truesdale, president of the company, who says that the company owns 26 anthracite collieries and employs 12,000 workmen in this branch of the business. Mr. Truesdale, like Mr. Baer, objects to making the recognition of the union one of the issues to be considered by the commission, saying that in the proposition made by the company for arbitration one of the express conditions was that "the findings of the commission should govern the conditions of employment between it and its employees."

WILL NOT RECOGNIZ UNION.

He adds: "This company unequivocally asserts that it will under no condition recognize or enter into any agreement with the association known as the United Mine Workers of America or any branch thereof Nor will it permit said association or its officers to dictate the terms and conditions under which it shall conduct its business."

Referring to the recent strike, Mr. Truesdale says that he is reliably informed that eighty per cent. of its employes were opposed to the strike, but were forced to enter upon it by a majority vote of the mine workers in other fields.

Mr. Truesdale follows closely the lines of Mr. Baer's argument as to the dissimilarity between the work in the anthracite mines and that in bituminous mines. He declares that it is impossible to adopt a uniform rate to be paid to the miners for a unit of coal mined at all the mines. The declaration is made that the anthracite miners as a rule do not work as many hours a day as do the bituminous miners and the opinion is advanced that if the wages of the anthracite miners had been less than that of other workingmen they would have found employment elsewhere, which they did not do. On the point of general prosperity, he says that prior to the introduction of agitators and mischief-makers, the anthracite workers were on an average as prosperous, comfortable, and contented as any body of workers in similar employment in this country. The wages, it is added, are such that frequently frugal employes have saved a substantial amount every year.

OBJECTS TO A SHORT DAY.

Mr. Truesdale resists the demand for a reduction of twenty per cent. in hours of labor, saying that no branch of business employing thousands of men can hope to compete successfully in the markets of the world if its hours of labor are restricted. He declares that there is no unjust discrimination in the weighing of the coal, as it is measured rather than weighed, and he asserts that the demand is "out of all reason, and its effect, so far as his company is concerned, is a demand for an additional increase in the wages now paid miners of from 5 to 40 per cent." The present method of measurement is declared to be the result of long usage, and fair to all concerned.

WORK SIX HOURS A DAY.

President Olyphant, of the Delaware and Hudson Company, in his reply, declares that the wages paid by his company are just and adequate. He also says that "those of its employes who perform contract or piece-work, as a matter of their own volition work only about six hours a day, and take numerous holidays without the consent or approval of this respondent, and their earnings by hours of actual work are, therefore, much higher than those in any similar employment."

Denial is made of all the allegations relative to the demand for shorter hours, and it is contended that such a reduction necessarily would increase the price of coal. While admitting that the mine-owners sell their coal by the ton he says that the coal thus sold is a very different article from that taken out of the mine. Hence he argues against the change from the present system of payment to that of paying by the ton.

CONTROL SUPPLY.

President Olyphant also takes exception to the proposition to arbitrate the question of the recognition of the Miners' Union. This position is taken on the ground that the organization seeks to control the entire fuel supply of the county; and as the union is unincorporated, it is incapable of making a binding contract, and that the association has not shown its ability to control its own members. He says his company has no desire to discriminate against members of the union.

President T. P. Fowler speaks for the Scranton Coal Company and the Elkhill Coal and Iron Company. He says they own ten collieries and employ five thousand men. He asserts that if the average wage earned by the anthracite piece-workers is less than that paid to workers in other employment, it is because "they fix their own hours of labor and the amount of their earnings without any regard to the interests or wishes of their employers, and in total disregard of the earnings and welfare of every other class of employes."

He declares that the men in the mines do not work to exceed four or five hours a day. All other charges made by Mr. Mitchell are combatted, and on the question of miners' unions Mr. Fowler says:

"We deny that agreements between employer and employe through workingmen's organizations are beneficial and successful in the bituminous coal fields or elsewhere, and assert that any such agreement as a method of regulating production would be, and is, injurious to the best interests of the public."

COMPANIES TO FIGHT.

That the anthracite coal mine owners will resist to the utmost every effort to make the recognition of the United Mine Workers of America an issue in the arbitration which is now in progress is made evident by the replies to the statement of President John Mitchell of the miners' organization, which have been filed with the Strike Commission. There are five of these answers in addition to that of President Baer, which was made public yesterday, and all dwell with much emphasis and marked unanimity on this point. They also agree in contesting the demands of the miners for an increase of pay for time work, and the weighing rather than the measurement of coal.

A WIFE PROTECTS HERSELF

Enoch Hink Shot Dead by the Woman He Had Abandoned

Binghampton, N.Y. Nov. 13— Mrs. Enoch Hink shot and killed her husband yesterday at their home three miles above Port Dickinson. Hink was jealous of Frank Hink, a nephew, who boarded at the house. Hink drove his wife out of the house in her night dress He followed her, but she eluded him in the darkness. She returned to the house and barricaded the door. When Hink tried to open the door his wife killed him with a shotgun.

19-YEAR-OLD-GIRL MURDERED

Criminally Assaulted and Then Killed—Her Employers Hostler Arrested

Albany, Nov. 13.—A brutal murder of a nineteen-year-old girl was committed here last night. The victim, Anna Mitchell, was a domestic in the home of Mrs. Adrian O. Mather, in Londonville, a suburb of Albany. She was criminally assaulted late last night, her head was battered and her body left in a gully a few hundred feet from the Mather home, where it was found shortly afternoon to-day.

The victim left the Mather home early last evening to visit her widowed mother, who lived a mile away. The police have in custody Frederick W. Knapp, a hostler employed by Mrs. Mather. The girl never reached her mother's home. The mother's inquiries at the Mather home early this morning led to the search for the girl.

PHONOGRAPH RECORDS OF MONKEY SPEECH

Professor Garner Back From the African Jungle

Philadelphia, Nov. 13—Professor R. L. Garner is back from the wilds of Africa with the big iron cage, in which he lived while trying to learn the monkey language and thousands of phonograph records of his dialogues with the simian denizens of the jungle. Besides monkeys Prof Garner had an opportunity to study other wild animals in their native haunts and took hundreds of interesting phonographs. Speaking of his work he says:

"Monkeys are very interesting folk, but I must confess that after a time their society becomes monotonous, and I am very glad indeed to be again in America to mingle with the more exciting whirl here. I have no doubt now that the monkeys converse with each other in a language of their own. This language is difficult for man to learn, but I believe that I have mastered at least a considerable part of the vocabulary and I am now able to continue my studies at my leisure by the use of the phonographic records which I have brought with me."

MORGAN'S MANIPULATIONS MENACE AMERICAN CREDIT

London Mail Denounces Pierpont's Recklessness—His Scheme Must End

London, Nov. 13.—The London Daily Mail, in an article entitled "The Consequences of Morganism," says that Morgan's operations have been carried out with such a degree of recklessness that they seem almost to have succeeded in achieving the impossible, and shaking the credit of the United States. The paper considers that the concerns floated by Morgan are inevitably bound sooner or later to end as Hooley's companies have ended, and a vast amount of money, most of which has been entrusted to the banks, and the trust companies by the American public, is locked up in them.

The effects of these unsound operations, it goes on, "are being felt throughout the whole civilized world, so that London is suffering as well as the United States. It is an unfortunate fact that though they excel in many things the Americans never seem to have grasped the principles of sound banking."

ARE TRYING SPIRITUALISM

And Mesmerist Said to be Treating Russia's Royal Couple

Vienna, Nov. 13.—The Russian Liberal paper printed in Stuttgart states that the Czar is suffering from a nervous affection, and that the Czarina is ill of a nervous malady. The paper further alleges that the Czar has placed himself under the care of Dr. Phillips, a Spiritualist and mesmerist healer. Dr. Phillips has summoned the spirit of Alexander III. at the Czar's behest and receives messages foretelling imperial and domestic events. The doctor, it is alleged, treats the Czarina hypnotically, but reports from Livadia concerning the health of the imperial couple are carefully censored.

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PEAT FUEL ASSURED AS SUBSTITUTE FOR COAL

United States Consul at Toronto Says It will be Made for $1.50 per Ton

And is Said to be Almost as Good a Heat Producer as the Best Anthracite Coal

Washington, Nov. 13.—United States Consul Gunsaulus, in a report to the State Department from Toronto, says:

Recognizing that a good and cheap substitute for anthracite coal would prove a great boon to the people of many States of the Union, and having learned that the efforts in Canada to produce dense fuel blocks from peat have within the last few months been brought to a successful issue, I have made careful enquiry, with a view to reporting whatever has been definitely accomplished, and I feel that practical experiments, which have been perseveringly continued for some years, have now resulted in the economical production of a salable peat fuel, highly satisfactory for domestic purposes.

Manufacturing operations on a commercial scale have been reported upon by engineers of high standing, and all agree in the opinion that methods and appliances are now available whereby peat briquettes may be produced, ready for shipment, for a maximum manufacturing cost of $1.50 per ton, and probably for considerably less in plants of large capacity.

A number of experienced business men and Government officials concur in the engineers' conclusion, and I find that the large majority of customers are much pleased with the fuel, which, if burned with proper regard to the few simple precautions necessary to insure best results in combustion, cannot fail to meet the most exacting requirements heretofore expected of anthracite coal. There is, however, some difference of opinion as to the length of time a given weight of peat briquettes will burn, as compared with the same weight of anthracite. Theoretically the heat units in peat being fewer, it may be argued it must burn out faster, but with effective control of draughts, it is surprising how nearly its lasting quality approaches that of hard coal.

EMPTY OLD COAL SCUTTLE

How sadly we gaze at the coal bin that's empty
And think of the blizzards that soon will be due!
The poker is standing unused in a corner
The shovel is idle and rusted o'er too.
The furnace is empty; there's soot on the damper;
No ruddy beams dance through the cracks in the door;
The wild wind howls dismally up the dark chimney,
And the coal scuttle's lying unused on the floor.
The rusty coal scuttle, the useless coal scuttle
The empty coal scuttle that lies on the floor.

Oh, sadly we gaze on that vessel and wonder
How long it must lie there to rust and decay!
We think of the days when we used to go grumbling
To fill and carry its contents away.
How ardently now we would take up the shovel
And scoop up the lumps prized too lightly before,
But the bin where we once braced the sides up, is empty,
And the coal scuttle's lying unused on the floor—
The rusty coal scuttle, the useless coal scuttle,
The empty coal scuttle that lies on the floor.

Let us grind the old hatchet and chop up the boxes.
The babies are yelling; their noses are blue!
Ah, dear are the dreams of the days when we gladly
Sat hearing the flames as they roared up the flue,
And sweet was the sound of the coal as it rattled
Down through the long shoot where it rattles no more;
The lumps are all gone, and the ashes are scattered,
And the coal scuttle's lying unused on the floor—
The rusty coal scuttle, the useless coal scuttle,
The empty coal scuttle that lies on the floor.

APSLEY.

—Can you through the medium of the J. f. J. give a sure cure for tired feet? One of our citizens is troubled that way, and he has to sleep with his feet outside the window, which is not very agreeable these cold nights, so if you know anything to give him relief kindly publish it for the benefit of others who may be afflicted in like manner.

—Our hunters from Beaver Lodge came out for Sunday, and have had good luck, having captured 10 fine deer. One of the boys took out his bob-tailed collie thinking it would make a good deer dog but the first deer it saw frightened it so it climbed a tree and Rob had a time getting it down. Dr. Patterson went in to see the boys on Friday eve, and on Saturday took a snap shot of the camp and surroundings. The boys have another week and will surely get their complement of deer. Other parties are having good success and the weather is perfect.

—D. Brown and N. Wilson are having a busy time threshing and doing good work.

—J. C. Stone was up to Eels Lake Friday and Saturday looking over the creek to see what it required, as Messrs. Lillicrap & Tate intend taking out a large quantity of logs this winter.

—Will and Norman Leen and Bert McIlmoyle went out hunting Monday, and killed four deer and a bear. Not so bad for a start?

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

Slocan, B. C., Nov. 13.—The sawmill by-law was submitted for vote to the property owners of Slocan yesterday, and was carried by an overwhelming majority, the vote standing 41 for and 7 against. It is understood that the Slocan Ontario Lumber Co., of which Mr. J. H. Lavelle, of Orillia, and George Chew, of Midland, Ont., are the chief owners, will commence operations immediately and will eventually employ 100 men, in accordance with the agreement with the city. This industry will give new life to this locality, and will be an immense boon to the city.

Berlin, Nov. 13.—The Reichstag today adopted by 186 to 71 votes, the paragraph of the new tariff bill authorizing the Government to retaliate on any country discriminating against German goods. The agrarians openly affirmed that it was necessary to arm the Government with the weapons for reprisals, especially against the United States' practices.

Dr. Brumer, National Liberal, related an instance in which he said $300,000 worth of enameled goods were ordered in Germany for New York, but, the speaker asserted, the customs officials "changed the classification at the instance of the American trust, whereupon the New York importers cancelled the order." It was proven, the speaker continued, to the customs officials that the invoice was in exact accord with the German seller's books, and that instead of the goods being undervalued, the books showed that the shipments had been made to India at still lower prices. Dr. Brumer further asserted that the customs officials treatment was dictated by the interests of home manufacturers.

He continued: "It is said that we must not offend the United States, but they will respect us more and we shall gain more by showing our teeth than by always giving pleasant words."

Herr Gothein, Radical Liberal, replied that such words were no fitting epilogue to the sentiments expressed by Count Posadowsky, the Home Secretary, in the presence of the Foreign Secretary, Baron Von Richthoff, at Ambassador White's farewell dinner.

"They will make discord," he continued, "among the wishes spoken there for friendly relations with the United States. Why empower the Government to do something it does not want to do? Although the present Government would not apply the paragraph, some succeeding Government might commit such a folly. Retaliatory duties are the weapons of chauvinism, and not of patriotism."

Herr Fichback, Radical, said all the chambers of commerce were opposed to a tariff war with the United States.

Herr Broemel, Radical, remarked that if Germany adopted retaliatory measures against the United States on account of regulations which applied to the goods of all countries, it would be a serious breach of all existing treaties.

The Associated Press is authorized to announce that the Ministry has not decided to drop the tariff bill, as published in London, but is determined to persist until the dissolution of the Reichstag in June.

London, Nov. 13.—Referring to the "senseless speculations" of French journalists in regard to the visit of Emperor William and the King of Portugal at Sandringham, a Paris correspondent says there is a competition of imaginative invention in the French press. The papers have determined that such a journey as that of the Kaiser must have a political object, the only question being whether the Emperor will delude King Edward or King Edward delude the Emperor. It is suggested, moreover, that the two monarchs together have probably laid a trap for the King of Portugal, who will not escape until he has abandoned in favor of covetous Great Britain, Delagoa Bay, Lorenzo Marques, and perhaps Angola, Guinea and Mozambique. The fact is, the correspondent says, French newspapers are not expected to give sound judgement. Most Continental readers ask for spicy articles, not solid information, and the wild talk about Emperor William is due to the desire to satisfy the demand for sensational news.

KIDD'S TOUR.

London, Nov. 13.—A Cape Town correspondent says that Benjamin Kidd, author of "Social Evolution," has returned to Cape Colony capital from his tour of the Transvaal, Orange River Colony, Natal and Transkei. Mr. Kidd considers South Africa to be a richer country than the United States west of the Mississippi, and believes that its future is assured. He thinks that the leading questions in the future will be of an economic character, and describes the present as being "without cohesion." The principal problem before politicians in the opinion of Mr. Kidd, is the creation of a middle class in the shape of a consuming population settled on the land, and a class of well-paid White workers.

Leopold of Belgium, a widower of two months, is said to be about to marry again. The old rooster is said to have used his late wife rather shabbily, but there are many women who would endure shabby treatment and a passe husband for the sake of being a queen. If Leopold wants to try again at the matrimonial grab-bag by all means let him.

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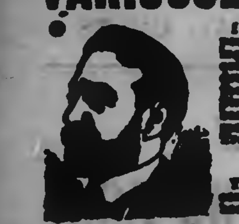

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REQUESTS FROM TEACHERS

A deputation of teachers waited upon the minister of education a few days ago and asked for the following things:

1. That the age limit for teachers be raised from eighteen to twenty-one.

2. That the training term in model schools be lengthened.

3. That the graduates of the Ontario Normal College, who are not also graduates of a model or normal school be not allowed to teach in a public school.

4. That Latin be not compulsory for either junior or senior leaving examinations.

5. That the basis of the apportionment of the legislative grant be changed, making it dependent on (a) average attendance (b) building and equipment, (c) salary paid, (d) qualification of the teacher employed.

6. That a system of teaching the metric system be adopted.

7. That the Bible be not introduced as a text-book.

8. That less time be spent on arithmetic.

9. That less literature be required of entrance candidates.

It will be observed that the tactics of the medical men have been adopted by the teachers. They want the standard of qualification raised as a means to an end and that end a reduction in the supply of teachers. Barring the way, making it hard and expensive, is one method of producing a result, but a method that ought to be sought only as a last resort.

The people generally will not endorse the recommendation of the teachers in regard to Bible teaching. Who authorized the deputation to present this request to the minister of education? The Ontario Educational Association? What right has it to be dictate as to what shall be done about the religious education? The masses are interested in this question, and the masses must be consulted about it. The minister of education could not, of course, do otherwise than receive the petition of the teachers, but so far as this matter of Bible study is concerned the paper deserves a place in the waste paper basket.

With almost as little patience do we read that the teachers want less time spent upon arithmetic and literature. Nay, these subjects must be well taught and to the exclusion, even, of other subjects. This proposal of the teachers should not be considered for one moment.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

The pupils in two Chicago schools went on strike last week. Their grievance was the transfer of former teachers. Pickets and union labels abounded. The principal of one school had to have police protection. The strikers amused themselves by breaking the school windows. Four hundred strikers followed and hooted an objectionable principal, who was "escorted" to a car by patrolmen and detectives. Ingenuous youth learns the complete art of striking fast. A delegation of strikers waited on Alderman John Powers, a celebrated Chicago statesman, but got cold comfort. "Go back to your studies," said the Alderman unfeelingly. But studying is such poor fun, compared to striking.

Kitchener's new post as commander-in-chief in India will bring him about [illegible] a year, and is tenable for seven years. He is 52, and is the youngest general given such a post in many years.

Leopold of Belgium, a widower of two months, is said to be about to marry again. The old rooster is said to have used his late wife rather shabbily, but there are many women who would endure shabby treatment and a passe husband for the sake of being a queen. If Leopold wants to try again at the matrimonial grab-bag by all means let him.

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The effects of these unsound operations, it goes on, "are being felt throughout the whole civilized world, so that London is suffering as well as the United States. It is an unfortunate fact that though they excel in many things the Americans never seem to have grasped the principles of sound banking."

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Glasgow, Nov. 12—An extraordinary conspiracy by which a husband planned to have his wife murdered for a bribe of $100 has just been revealed in the Sheriff's Court. The person to whom the money was paid confessed and said that when about to commit the deed his heart failed him, and he handed over the bribe to another man, who also had compunctions at the last moment and turned back to him half the amount.

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THE MOONSTONE SPHINX

By Mrs C N Williamson

Author of The Barn Stormers Fortune's Sport, Miss Nobody, Her Royal Highness Lady Mary of the Dark House, etc.

only had the chance. And supposing I should muff it, why, I need merely pretend that the jeweler hadn't finished his work till I could reclaim it. Macaire's such a good-natured fellow he wouldn't cut up rough at a little delay."

Dick regretted the roll of bank-notes with which Macaire had entrusted him the day before to buy various more or less useless odds and ends that the millionaire fancied he wanted. The secretary had had forty or fifty pounds of his employer's in his pockets when he walked into the Casino last time, and, indeed, now he thought of it, Macaire had often thrust money upon him since coming to Monte Carlo. He had always faithfully disposed of it by carrying out the commissions, and last night's care had been no exception to the rule, for he had expended the money, according to instructions, the first thing in the morning. But now he wished that he had not been in such a hurry.

Macaire had encouraged him to try his luck at the gaming tables, and had said that he wouldn't "see him come to grief." Very likely he had meant his secretary to have plenty in his pocket, in case of emergencies, and had been too tactful to speak out bluntly. At all events, Dick thought now, in his almost frenzied desire to go on, that he would have "chanced it," had the money still been in his possession. In all probability he would have been able to replace it at once with his own winnings, and if not, he could have gone frankly to Macaire, confessing that he had borrowed something which he would repay out of his salary.

With the moonstone Sphinx, of course, it was different. If he could pledge it and obtain a few pounds to go on with now, and should be so very unfortunate as not to be able to redeem it to-night, he would not care to confess what he had done to Macaire. He would get it back when he could, which would certainly be soon, at worst, for it did not seem to him a thing worth more than seven or eight sovereigns at most.

He was shy of doing what was in his mind to do, not knowing whether he might be rebuffed or not; but as he stood not far from the table where he wished to be, gazing doubtfully at the moonstone and calculating its value, a voice addressed him in French. Looking up with a start he saw that the speaker was an elderly Parisienne, with bistre under her sunken eyes, rouge on her haggard cheeks, and a handsome, poppy-red evening dress emphasizing the emaciation of her figure.

Dick was not a French scholar, but he had learned the language with Winifred when they had both been children, and he could understand enough to hold his own in an ordinary conversation.

"Pardon me, monsieur, but that is a very charming ornament you have there," the lady in poppy color was remarking. "Quite unique. Will you allow me to look at it more closely? My great fad is uncommon jewels of all sorts."

Dick held out his hand, and a dyed head, sparkling with diamond combs and pins, was bowed over it. The lady did not attempt to touch the moonstone, as he had feared she might, but peered at it through her lorgnettes as it lay in his palm, crying out at its beauty.

"It is for luck, madame," Dick informed her.

"I thought it must be a fetich," she responded. "Intrinsically, perhaps, the jewel may not be worth more than five hundred francs" (Dick was astonished at so high an estimate), "yet the workmanship is perfect, and the stone has a rare light. How I wish that your talisman were for sale, monsieur! I would give you—in reason—what you liked to ask, that I might add it to my collection and also use it as a rival to my lucky pig" (laughing, she held out a golden pig, with ruby eyes), "which has basely betrayed me to-night."

"I don't see how I could very well sell it," stammered Dick, "though I was just wondering if I could raise money on the thing."

Perhaps the lady's experienced eyes had read some such purpose in his before addressing him.

"That would, I fear, be impossible here," she said. "I know the rules well; I confess to being an old habituee. Monsieur, if you will sell me the moonstone (I do not care for the gold screw with the initials; you could keep that), I would give you, this minute, one thousand francs. It is far more than you could get from a jeweler."

Dick's face flushed and he bit his lip, his eyes traveling wistfully to the pocket-book studded with gold and French notes which the lady in red was producing from a brocaded silk bag that hung at her waist.

Suppose he did sell the moonstone? He could tell Macaire that he had lost it, and Macaire would believe him, especially if he kept the screw, which would be good evidence that the sphinx's head had come off. Macaire would not mind much; he would be sure to forgive, and say: "It doesn't matter."

With a thousand francs to stake all the bad luck of this evening could be retrieved. Something told him that it would be so.

"All right, you can have the Sphinx," he said, abruptly.

And the deal was closed. The lady had the jewel; Dick had the money; and the "something" which whispered hopefully of luck to come did not add that with the changing hands of the moonstone his future, his sister's future, and the future of two others would be changed as well.

CHAPTER XXXIII.

What the Light Showed.

Dick's spirit of prophecy had been a deceiving spirit. He lost his thousand francs.

Next morning Macaire said: "By the way, that moonstone Sphinx's-head I gave you to have repaired. When will it be ready?"

The question came so abruptly, and the millionaire's look, to his secretary's stricken conscience, seemed so keen, that Dick grew confused, and instead of saying that he had lost the moonstone, and apologizing as he had intended, he stammered that the jeweler could not do the work for a day or two.

"Next time you're out just step in and tell him it will be a favor to me if he can let me have the thing to-morrow. The fact is, I feel quite lost without it," said Macaire; and Dick felt a sensation of coldness and weight in his breast.

Last night nothing had seemed of importance, except to get money; and his employer had appeared to care little more for the moonstone than for fifty other valuable odds and ends which he flung recklessly about, or even gave to Dick or his valet, if the mood seized him. Dick was very much frightened, and could settle himself to nothing all day.

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Market Naturally Feverish

New York, Nov. 13—Wednesday's market was still a backer and a filler. Every effort was made by the bears to create distrust, while the story of a fight between giants of the market was given wide circulation with the view of still further adding to the general scare. Most operators were more or less panic-stricken and at a time when they should keep cool. To become demoralized in one's trading at such a time is to make it almost certain that you will lose money. One should keep one's head buying and selling, as the market suggests, with coolness and calculation. Stocks are at present ludicrously cheap; how much cheaper they may be if at all no man can honestly predict, owing to demoralization of the average stock buyer. One thing is certain, such demoralization and fright is most widespread when stocks are at bottom prices. Facts and figures cut no immediate figure in current market at such times. Ordinarily the wondrous Union Pacific Statement just issued would have affected the stock materially and favorably—at present it has no influence. Before long however it will have an important influence upon the value of the stock Southern Pacific, Manhattan, Ill. C., Mo. P. and N.Y.C. and stocks of similar calibre are more than cheap at present and if bought and protected will be sure to show good profits. It is not a market at present to trade in upon small margins. The trader should be well fortified upon his commitments at present. Those who buy stocks right have an unprecedented opportunity to do so now. To such we unhesitatingly advise risking purchases immediately. Those who buy upon margin if they can command good margins should commence to buy right now. The small margin men should either not trade at all, at present, or accompany every new commitment with a close to market stop order. The larger speculators of Wall street seem to be fighting out old differences upon the floor of the Exchanges. It will be most natural to anticipate for a few days an extremely feverish market, extremely vacillating, and more or less uncertain, its movements being absolutely unexplainable. It will recover greatly, however, before winter is over and will afford opportunwinter is over and will afford opportunity to sell most stocks at better prices than those now prevailing.

Summary—The market opened today up smartly, recording good advances over night on top of the rally of yesterday afternoon. Gains were made in the morning hours which were more than lost later on through a heavy selling movement in B.R.T., which carried this stock down sharply to the lowest prices registered in some time, the stock breaking 56.. Compared to Union Pacific selling at about twice the price and earning ten per cent., B.R.T. is relatively, when you consider the latter for its fiscal year according to its annual statement only earned four-tenths of one per cent. upon its capitalization, for this reason it may possible sell somewhat lower; the market immediately becomes feverish and erratic whenever any stock develops special weakness. This is to be expected for some little time to come. Money 4 and 4 1-2. Sales, 710,900.

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We do not hesitate to say that in our judgment stock in the LARDEAU MINES LIMITED, offers a most magnificent opportunity for investment.

There is every reason to believe that the LARDEAU MINES will pay a profit of 270 per cent. PER YEAR, within a short time, and will continue to yield such profits for more than a lifetime.

These are stupendous figures, but we believe them to be absolutely conservative. Our reasons are based on these facts:

PROOF OF NO STOCK JOBBING

In the first place the capitalization is only $100,000. This low capitalization shows upon the face of it that the company is honestly organized—that there is no suspicion of stock-jobbing, which has too often ruined many otherwise honest companies.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

The property is located in the celebrated Lardeau mining division of West Kootenay, British Columbia. The property owned by this company consists of three full claims, embracing an extent of 154 acres—mineral claims in British Columbia are 1,500x1,500 feet—equal to 51 acres in each extent. Three strong parallel ore veins run through the property from end to end, a distance of of 4,500 feet. If placed end to end this would give us 13,500 feet, equal to a continuous ore body over two and a half miles in length. The values are in gold, silver, copper and lead, and run from $25.00 to $77.00 per ton of 2,000 pounds. These results show indications of permanent values of the most convincing kind.

GROSS VALUE OF SHIPMENTS.

The gross value of shipments of ore aggregating 6,192,604 pounds from twelve mines in the Lardeau, all situated near the property owned by this company, was $453,410.81, equal to a return per ton of over $146.00. The property owned by this company shows up equally as well as any of these more fully developed mines, and will, we are convinced, shortly rank among the best in the Lardeau division.

READ THESE FIGURES CAREFULLY

In a very conservative statement issued by the officers of the company, appears the following:

"'In order to show why we are confident we are right, we will estimate our ore values at $50.00 per ton, a little over one-third of the average ore values of the entire Lardeau mining division. We will also base our calculations on a daily output of 30 tons—a small amount compared with the extent of our property and the size of its ore bodies. We will allow $10.00 per ton for mining, transportation (a few miles only) and smelting charges. The profits after making a reasonable reduction for incidentals and surplus, work out as follows:

30 tons at $50.00 per ton...		$1,500
Less $10.00 per ton mining, transportation, and reduction charges		300
Net daily income......		1,200
Say for 300 days per year...... ...		300
Total net yearly income...		$360,000
Deduct for incidental expenses, $5 per ton...	$45,000	
Deduct for company's surplus account $5 per ton.	$45,000	$90,000
Total yearly net earnings......		$270,000

which sum is equal to 270 per cent. per annum on our capital stock of $100,000.

"This estimate is made on the basis of a small output compared to the extent of our property and the splendid facilities it affords for economical mining and on the operation of the mine for 300 days per year only, so that anyone can see at a glance that we are not overestimating in any particular, especially when the output of mines similarly situated, and with ore bodies of less extent than ours, ship hundreds of tons each day. There is no good reason why our property, when fully developed—which will be within six months to a year—should not ship several hundreds of tons of ore per year, but we are basing our calculations on the immediate future in presenting the above estimate.

"We are now within seventy to eighty feet of the main ore veins, and assays show values as high as $77.00 per ton. The average returns from twelve mines in our district, according to Government records, which are always conservative, run as high as $146.40 a ton in gold, silver, copper and lead.

HONEST, LEGITIMATE MANAGEMENT

We know the men connected with the management of the LARDEAU MINES, and have known them for years. We know that they never were and never will be connected with any but honest and legitimately conducted enterprises.

REPORT OF MINING ENGINEER.

The property has been thoroughly examined by well known mining engineers and their reports have borne out every statement that has been made by the company. Mr. H. O. McClymont, one of the last engineers to make a report says in conclusion:

The average assays are most encouraging, considering the great width and continuancy of the leads across the country with such great width and prominence of the surface, and judging from other properties in the near vicinity, some of which are on the same level and have developed very rich ore bodies The LARDEAU MINES are as good as any, if not the best, in the vicinity, and I verily believe with a nominal expenditure, they should be made dividend-paying in a short time, and I would strongly recommend extensive developments towards that end. Signed, H. O. McClymont, Mining Engineer."

SMALL AMOUNT OF MONEY NEEDED.

As Mr. McClymont says in his report, only a small sum of money is needed to complete the development work and put these mines on a dividend paying basis.

We want to raise about $10,000 from the sale of shares, this money to be used to complete the work just specified.

A very short time will be required to raise this amount of money for this magnificent property, and then the sale of stock will be discontinued.

READ THIS CAREFULLY.

The present price of the stock is 10 cents per share.

The price will be advanced to 15 cents per share very soon, and then 20 cents per share.

The company reserves the right to withdraw the stock from the market without notice.

TWO YEARS AGO—AND NOW.

We believe that there are 80 chances in 100 of the LARDEAU MINES proving a BONANZA. One property in the vicinity of the Lardeau was recently sold for $400,000 cash, and stock in addition. Two years ago it was not nearly as good a prospect as the Lardeau is today.

The LARDEAU MINES, LIMITED, is a small, close corporation and the profits will consequently be large to each stockholder.

Those who are fortunate enough to buy stock at the low price of 10 cents can calculate on an annual income of $135.10 from an investment of $100.00 in other words, you would get your principal back and $35.00 besides every year.

YOU CAN PAY IN INSTALMENTS.

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We will allow you to purchase a block of stock and pay for in in monthly instalments. Before your stock is paid for you will see it double in value—perhaps more.

We urge prompt action, because of the approaching increase of 15 cents per share, which may occur any day. The easiest thing to do is to send us $30, which will reserve the stock you desire at 10 cents per share. Then you can investigate the matter carefully and fully and if you are not completely satisfied we will return your money.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Police Court

The Police Magistrate imposed a fine of $2 and costs or fifteen days in jail on Thos. McCarthy yesterday morning for being drunk and boisterous. McCarthy had no money and went to jail.

Taken to the Hospital

A patient was brought here from Campbellford on yesterday morning's train. He was removed from the baggage car on a stretcher, and was conveyed to Nicholls Hospital in the ambulance. He is a sufferer from typhoid fever, we understand.

Fortnightly Club

The members of the above organization met at Sheriff Hall's office last night and listened to a very instructive and entertaining address from Mr. J. H. Burnham, on "The Laboring Man." There was a very good attendance.

A Peterborough Wedding

At the residence of Mr. D. Belleghem, Hunter street, on Monday, Annie M., daughter of Francis Gosella, was united in marriage to Mr. Howard F. Kidd, both of Peterborough, by Rev. William Saunders. Mr. and Mrs. Kidd will reside at 776 George street. We hope their married life may be all sunshine.

The Light Turned On

The people of Lakefield have been without light for some time past, and as the residents of that burg prefer light to darkness at all times, it was with a feeling of exultation that they again saw the light turned on on Tuesday evening. The Farrer Bros., installed the new plant and they have, it is reported, made a very excellent job. The light produced is very clear and bright.

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and if not checked becomes a chronic condition. No remedy compares with Nerviline which is prepared specially for stomach and bowel troubles. As a radical cure for Cramps, Colic, Gas in the Stomach, Summer Complaint, Nerviline excels everything in the medical line, is an indispensible household staple and costs only 25c. Buy a bottle today. Try Dr. Hamilton's Mandrake Pills.

For County Commissioner

At the October meeting of the Asphodel Council, Mr. Jas. Andrews announced that he would tender his resignation as Reeve at the last meeting of the Council. He intends at the request of a large number of ratepayers in that and other municipalities to be a candidate for the County Commissionership.—Havelock Standard.

Coming to Peterboro

Two railway men are to be transferred from Havelock to Peterborough, Mr. Wm. Nichol and Mr. W. S. Dodds. The former has sold his property in Havelock and will remove his family to town. He will have charge of the yard engine at the C.P.R. station. Mr. W. S. Dodds, who was C.P.R. agent at Havelock, is succeeded by Mr. Anderson, formerly of Pontypool.

A Generous Settlement

With characteristic liberality the Canadian Pacific Railway has settled the action for damages brought against it by Mrs. Katherine Ross, of Havelock, for the death of her husband, Wellington Ross. The latter was a fireman in the employ of the Canadian Pacific, and died from injuries received while on duty. Mrs. Ross receives $2,100 from the railway company.

THE CURLERS ORGANIZE

A Well Attended Meeting Held at the Rink Last Night

A well attended meeting of curlers took place last night at the rink, for the purpose of organizing for the coming winter. Mr. George Morrow was elected chairman, and Mr. C. N. Brown acted as secretary.

Mr. Robert Neil submitted estimates for putting the rink in first class shape for curling. It is proposed to take out the floor of the skating rink, and remove the partitions, creating six curling rinks.

Committees were appointed to canvas for members and finance.

It looks as though curling was likely to boom this winter in Peterborough.

The Latest Styles

In At Home cards and wedding stationery at The Times Bookstore. The newest and most up-to-date stationery, for up-to-date people.

PETERBORO' TO PLAY ARGONAUT II. HERE

On Saturday Afternoon on the Nicholls Oval

TORONTOS GO TO LONDON.

The Winners to Play off for the Championship

A meeting of the Ontario Rugby Union Executive committee was held in Toronto yesterday afternoon to straighten out the tangle in the intermediate series.

President A. W. Ballantyne, who was unable to be present at Wednesday night's meeting on account of a bad cold, stated that in his opinion the executive had acted unwisely in throwing out all the games in the Western district. The London protest against Toronto having been sustained, that game only should have been ordered to be replayed. Instead the executive had ordered a new series, Toronto to go to London, and the winner to play Argonauts II. for the championship of the district.

On hearing of the decision arrived at Mr. McPherson telephoned to Toronto at the close of the meeting Wednesday night and suggested that two games be played off on Saturday, and the winners play off at some point decided by the executive. This proposition seemed to meet with general favor with the clubs and a meeting was called for Thursday afternoon, when it was practically agreed that two games should be played off on Saturday, as follows:

Toronto at London.

Argonaut II. at Peterborough.

The winners to paly off for the championship at some point to be decided by the executive the following Saturday.

At a meeting of the Executive committee of the Ontario Rugby Union Executive Wednesday night, at which Messrs. G. S. Gibbons, Fred Thompson, S. S. DuMoulin, George Ballard, and F. D. Woodworth were present, the protest off the London Club against Bert Morrison of the Torontos was considered.

The Executive, at a former meeting, had requested a declaration from Morrison in regard to his amateur status while playing hockey in Pittsburg. Morrison failed to make the necessary declaration, and the meeting declared him a professional.

George Black of London was present at the meeting and asked for a reconsideration of his application to play in the O.R.F.U. The secretary was instructed to write Mr. Black informing him that he was considered a professional baseball player, and advising him to apply for reinstatement to the C.A.A.U.

An application for reinstatement was received from Chaucer Elliott, but the Executive decided not to open up his case again.

LAKEFIELD MAN INJURED

John McCormack Had a Close Call for His Life Wednesday

On Wednesday afternoon, John McCormack, an aged employe of the Lakefield Cement Company, was seriously injured by an engine used for hauling the company's cars. McCormack was attending to the switch, and in attempting to get on the cowcatcher to ride a short distance he slipped and fell in front of the engine. The cowcatcher pushed him along the track, and had it not been that the engineer promptly reversed the engine he would have been killed. The unfortunate man was carried to the office of Dr. D. Fraser, where his injuries were found to be very serious, and he was immediately conveyed to his home about a mile from the village. It was found that the fibula, or small bone, of the right foot, was badly shattered, and it is feared that serious internal injuries may complicate the case, as the lower portion of the abdomen was badly bruised.

Mr. McCormack is about 60 years of age, and is an industrious and well-respected citizen. He is a widower and lives with his daughters, whose main support he has been.

RITCHIE—SCOTT

On Tuesday, Nov. 11th, a pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. Thos. Croly, Auburn, when his niece, Miss Armine Adelaide Scott, of Peterborough, and Mr. John S. Ritchie, of Lakefield, were married, Rev. J. Bastow officiating. The bride was assisted by Miss Mary E. Ritchie, of Peterborough, sister of the groom, while the brother of the bride, Mr. Stewart Scott, of Toronto, was best man. After the ceremony a few relatives and friends sat down to a sumptuous dinner. They, with many others, wish the new couple a happy and prosperous career.

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Advice That was Worth It

"I was once a slave to the coffee habit, and became almost a confirmed invalid by drinking it," says Mr. C. H. Aitken of Whiting, N.J.

"I tried to break away from coffee but every time I stopped I suffered from severe sick headaches and for relief went back to coffee again, only in the end to suffer from extreme nervousness and severe bilious attacks.

I became so irritable that I made life miserable for my family and myself. Finally I went to New York to consult a specialist. After thoroughly questioning and examining me, he said I must give up drinking coffee as it had greatly undermined my health and he further said that coffee killed more people than rum. I laughed at him, but he said it was the truth and that in his practice he had seen many evil effects from coffee drinking.

He said it was of no use to prescribe for me, unless I gave up coffee, and recommended that I use Postum Food Coffee, which he highly recommended. He charged me $12 for his advice, which I thought rather high priced at the time, but today I think it very cheap. I bought several packages of Postum from the grocer and it was the best day's work I ever did for myself.

I had a pot of Postum made for my supper that night; that was in the spring of 1900 and I have drank it ever since with the best of results to my health. The sick headache and nervousness I suffered from drinking coffee have entirely gone; I am never bilious, and have increased in weight; I have a happy disposition and am much more agreeable company to my family and friends."

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Division Court will be held to-day.

—St. Paul's church Guild meets to-night.

—Deer hunting season will close to-morrow.

—A special meeting of the County Council will be held on Wednesday next.

—A black bear was shipped by some of the north country hunters to Mr. John Mervin yesterday.

—Men for the lumber camps in the Rainy River District are getting $40 per month.

—Mr. Wm. Pearson will ship another carload of horses to Montreal on Saturday next.

—Mr. J. A. Porter has received the appointment of clerk of the township of South Monaghan.

—Just think of what Peterborough missed: The Deering works at Hamilton will employ 5,000 men.

—Several of the Pontypool Oddfellows attended the local lodge meeting here last night and had the higher degrees conferred upon them.

—Rev. James G. Potter, B.A., of St. Andrew's church, Peterborough, will preach in Campbellford next Sunday morning and evening.

—Mr. Rollie Johnston's new store in Lakefield was opened for the first time on Wednesday. There was a large crowd present and the purchasers were numerous.

—Mr. J. T. Wright, tax collector, of Ashburnham, has given notice that all taxes due that municipality must be paid on or before Dec. 14th, or costs will be added.

The 57th Regiment Band are preparing to give a grand concert in the Opera House on Friday evening, Nov. 21st. The band will be assisted by Miss E. T. Irons, elocutionist of Toronto, and Mr. Bert Harvey, comedian.

—The experiments made recently by the Grand Trunk Railway in wireless telegraphy from a moving train met with enough success to warrant officials here in believing that the company will make further experiments with a view to the adoption of such a method of communication while moving at a great speed.

—Hastings Star: On Wednesday afternoon of last week a fine large buck was seen by Mr. John Noonan while ploughing in one of the back fields of Mr. John Coughlan's farm. It came within about forty feet of him and then turned and ran away into the woods. He reports it as being a splendid specimen.

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Dr. Titus is Associate Dean of the International College of Scientific Massage, and desires one or more pupils to learn the principles and practice of Scientific Massage for this locality.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. G. R. Armstrong, of Campbellford, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. Wm. Ainsworth, of Cannington, was in town yesterday.

—Mrs. Wm. Pierce, of Campbellford, visited friends at the Oriental yesterday.

—Mr. Joe Halpany sang at a concert in Kirkfield last night. Miss Meharry acted as accompanist for Mr. Halpeny.

—Mr. Geo. Black, of Lindsay, was calling on acquaintances in town yesterday.

—Messrs. H. E. Bradley & Co., have engaged Mr. Daniels, of Stratford, as a salesman in their store.

—Mr. Edison A. Titus, M.D., and Mrs. Titus, of Boston, Mass., were registered at the National Hotel yesterday.

—Mr. Amos Leggett and bride, of Garden Hill, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Symons, Reid street.

—Mr. Hogg, manager of the Bank of Montreal, and his brother are enjoying a few days duck shooting at Rice Lake.

—Mr. R. N. Bradburn, manager of the Peterborough Opera House, was in Toronto this week, and attended the Ben Hur play at the Princess Theatre.

—Mr. Fred W. J. McKibbon has abandoned his intention of locating in Peterborough and accepted a situation in one of Uncle Sam's cities.

—Mr. Harry Clark, who has been travelling with the 48th Highlanders' Band, has returned to town, and will take a situation in Mr. Thos. Barrie's store.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Nugent are home from a visit to Toronto friends. Mrs. Nugent also spent some time in Niagara Falls, New York, and Mr. Nugent's sister, Mrs. Phillips, accompanied her home to Peterborough.

—Hastings Star: Mr. John Welsh left on Monday evening via C.P.R. for Bancroft, Coe Hill and other points north, accompanied by Mr. T. Brightman, of Peterborough, on a tour of inspection of their timber limits in that country.

—Mrs. Fairweather and the Misses Fairweather left yesterday afternoon to spend a few weeks in Toronto, after which they will go south and spend the winter months at their Southern residence in Jacksonville, Florida.

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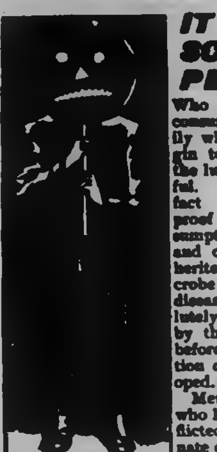

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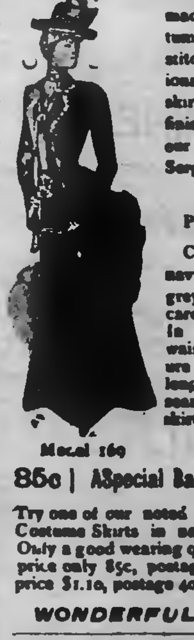

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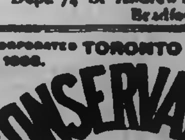

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The Great Northern Power Intended Military Occupation of Afghanistan

END OF SOUTH AFRICAN WAR STOPPED IT

Checked by News of Victories in South Africa and Great Britain's Firm Attitude

London, Nov. 14—The Daily Graphic says:—Among the questions and answers recently printed and circulated with the votes in the House of Commons, is an inquiry by Mr. Moon as to the date of the communication from the Russian Government in regard to the appointment of a Russian agent at Cabul. To this Viscount Cranborne replied:—

The date of the communication from the Russian Government is February 6th, 1900.

The significance of this reply is dealt with in the following note we have received from a well informed correspondent:—"Now that Lord Cranborne has revealed the date of the proposal of the Russian Government to establish diplomatic relations with Afghanistan, there can be no harm in pointing out that this demarche was the abortive culmination of a very serious military enterprise on the part of the Government of the Czar, which caused our own Government no small amount of anxiety in the early days of the South African war. It has long been known that the only foreign power whose attitude towards Great Britain at this time was at all menacing was Russia. The story of Count Muravieff's attempt to organize a European coalition against this country has already been told, but it is less generally known that the attempts of Russia to involve us in complications did not stop with the breakdown of that scheme. The idea was to seize the opportunity in our South African embarrassments in order to realize certain Russian aspirations in Afghanistan. The forward party in the Russian Ministry favored a march to Herat; others were content to force Great Britain to acquiesce in the establishment of diplomatic relations between the Czar and the Ameer under cover of an imposing military demonstration. The mot d'ordre was given to the press and in November, 1899, the Russian newspapers were without exception clamoring for an active policy in Afghanistan. At the same time troops were concentrated in the trans-Caspian provinces, and over 30,000 men with 150 guns, were sent from Tiflis, via Askabad, to Kushk, on the Afghan frontier, where strong fortifications were constructed and an immense amount of railway material was accumulated. Towards the end of January four army corps, of 44,000 men each, with proportionate artillery, were gathered together in trans-Caspia, and it had been ascertained by experiment that each army corps could be transported to Kushk in eight days. Throughout India, Persia and Central Asia war was regarded as imminent. Already, in the middle of January, it was rumored in Teheran and Meshed that the Russian Government had formally proposed to Great Britain the despatch of a Russian fully credited that it caused a slump in Government paper in the Bombay Bazaar (see Times, January 19th, 1900, and Bombay Gazette, January 27th.) It was not, however, until three weeks later that the proposal was actually made.

There can be no question that it was the intention of Russia to repudiate her engagements of 1873-1885 not to interfere with Afghanistan in the same way that she had denounced the Black Sea clauses of the Treaty of Paris, in 1870. The reason that this step was not taken is said to be that the Czar vetoed further action and strongly reprimanded the Minister of War who, it is alleged, ordered the concentration of troops in Trans-Caspia and at Kushk without his Majesty's knowledge. It is more probable that the scheme was rendered abortive by the firm attitude of the British Government, and also by the dramatic change in the situation in South Africa and the sudden development of the Boxer crisis in China. On the very day that the Russian Government despatched its proposal to London—February 6th—Lord Roberts left Cape Town for the Modder River, and when the British reply reached St. Petersburg, Kimberley had been relieved and Cronje had surrendered. A fortnight later the dowager Empress of China, threw down her gauntlet to all the European powers, and Russia could no longer afford to risk a war with Great Britain in Afghanistan. Thus the crisis passed away."

THE MONROE DOCTRINE AND SOUTH AMERICA

The Action of the United States Means a Protectorate Over Republics

The Nations on the Southern Continent are Not Pleased With Their Position

New York, November 14—What the end of the Monroe doctrine will be as regards the South American States, it is difficult at this moment to forsee. What seems to be plain is that important countries like Brazil, Argentina and Chili chafe under the idea that they are virtually subject to a protectorate. Even the smaller states, Venezuela, Colombia and the rest are not enamoured of the situation. A Washington correspondent of the New York Evening Post says that the early policy of the United States towards these countries was not of a nature to conciliate their respect of affection. "We never lost," he goes on to say, "an opportunity of reminding them that, worthy and unworthy alike, they were only 'dagoes.' We planted at their capitals, as the diplomatic representatives of our government a job lot or worn out or morally discredited politicians, the theory seeming to be that men whose appointment to anything at home would raise a stench would answer well enough to fill a South American mission." The declaration that the Monroe doctrine applies to the Southern no less than to the northern half of the continent may have given the South American government a certain feeling of security, but it has not enhanced their sense of dignity. They are so "fixed" now that they could not, even if they wished to do so, cede any portion of their territory to a European power. It is questionable even whether one of them could, without the consent of Uncle Sam, obtain any increase of territory at the expense of another. Germany has been casting longing looks at Brazil, and Argentina, where so much rich territory is going to waste, and thinking how much better situated a German colony would be there than in East Africa, but she cannot make the least move towards realizing her desires without arousing the wrath of the American eagle, who is ostentatiously spending a great deal of time these days sharpening his talons. It is doubtful whether the Monroe doctrine is doing much for the progress of the world.

BOY TO WEAR AUSTRIAN CROWN

Possibility of the First and Second Heirs Stepping Aside

Dresden, Saxony, Nov. 13.—A letter received here from Vienna gives some interesting gossip about the Austrian succession. In spite of official denials, it is not impossible that there is some truth in the story recently published by the Neue Budapester Abendblatt of the alleged intended abdication of the heir presumptive to the Austrian throne, the Archduke Francis Ferdinand, in favor of his nephew, the 15-year-old Archduke Charles Francis.

There is no question that the young Prince has for a couple of years past attracted a greatly enhanced interest in Austria-Hungary, and the unusual care is now being bestowed upon his education, in view of his proximity to the throne. A few years ago, when Francis Ferdinand's health was very indifferent, his younger brother, Otto, the father of Charles Francis, was for a time informally put forward as the immediate successor of Emperor Francis Joseph. Subsequently it was rumored that Otto had expressed his readiness to surrender his rights in favor of his son, an exceptionally handsome boy, whose bright, intelligent looks and self-confident, good humored expression have already done much to endear him to the Viennese.

In matters directly affecting the interests of the dynasty, not only the reigning Sovereign, but other members of the Imperial house, exercise a considerable influence on such important decisions as those concerning the succession to the throne, and it is only a man of very strong will who can resist the urgent representations of a family council of the Imperial house.

At present the succession to the throne is provided for with perfect clearness. Archduke Francis Ferdinand, a nephew of the Emperor, stands next in order, and as he has formally renounced all claims to the succession on behalf of the issue of his morganic marriage with the Countess Sophie Chotek, now Princess Hohenberg, he would be succeeded by his brother, Otto, unless the latter should abdicate in favor of his son.

The strong attitude taken by Francis Ferdinand on certain political and national questions has, it is feared, placed him in conflict with important elements o fthe population of the monarchy. His clerical and anti-German tendencies do not please the bulk of the Germans in Austria, and his clerical views are equally distasteful to the liberal Magyars in Hungary. In these circumstances, and remembering that the Emperor still enjoys robust health, and may be expected to live several years, it is conceivable that an effort may be made to induce the heir presumptive to surrender his rights to his nephew.

The present Emperor ascended the throne at the age of 18, in virtue of the abdication of his uncle, Emperor Ferdinand, and similar renunciation on the part of his own father, Archduke Francis Charles. The Imperial family was convinced then that an energetic ruler was essential, and that the inexperience of the youth of 18 was a smaller disadvantage than the less vigorous initiative of a man advanced in years. While Francis Ferdinand is still in the prime of life, there is some apprehension that the position he had adopted may seriously increase the difficulties of a sufficently embarrassing situation. Furthermore, the want of confidence felt in his clerical advisers is calculated to excite suspicion as to the possibility of his being induced by powerful factors to embark on courses which might imperil the stability of the monarchy.

While these considerations might lead the members of the Imperial family to wish for another successor to the throne, less compromised by his public expression of views and more popular with all his future subjects, it does not at all follow that their counsels would prevail with the Archduke. He is a man of quite exceptional independence of character, whose iron determination has before now broken down very powerful opposition to his own views. The ambition attributed to his clever wife, who is enthusiastically devoted to the clerical cause, would seem to confirm rather than weaken his resistance to any such proposition.

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San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 14—Dr. Adolph Lorenz, of Vienna, who operated on Miss Lolita Armour, and who arrived in this city last Sunday evening, has already performed several successful bloodless surgical operations in the presence of a large number of California physicians and surgeons.

He treated free of charge yesterday a case of double club feet on a five-months-old baby, Rose Jackson, of Santa Rosa. This infant's feet were so badly disarranged that they were bent inward and upward until the soles faced each other and left as the only possible walking surface the outer rear edges of the feet.

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DR. LORENZ EXPLAINS.

In speaking of his method, Dr. Lorenz said that there was no difficulty in treating very young children, but that there was much more trouble with older children, because of the hardening of the bony cavity. The successful age limit, he explained, was up to seven or eight years.

He had performed on children ten years old, and in one instance he operated on a patient twenty-three years old, but that was a very singular case.

The surgeon had three patients today at the Cooper Medical College, the most interesting of which was Viola, the five-year-old daughter of Dr. F. F. Lord, of this city. Viola was suffering from a congenital dislocation of a hip joint.

Dr. Lord never left his baby daughter's side. When Dr. Lorenz finished the operation and declared that in less than a year little Viola would walk, Dr. Lord grasped the surgeon by the hand and thanked him. Dr. Lorenz said nothing. A mere smile conveyed his appreciation of the father's feelings.

The Vienna specialist performed two operations on Tuesday at the Children's Hospital, his subjects being Harold Kuckheim, six years old, and Adele Steinberg, eight. Both children suffered from congenital dislocation, the girl from dislocation of the left hip joint, and the boy from double dislocation.

Dr. Lorenz was assisted in both cases by his colleague, Dr. Frederick Mueller, also of Vienna, and Dr. James Watkins, of this city, who once studied under Dr. Lorenz.

The operations were pronounced a success. After the operation the hip of little Adele was placed in a plaster of paris cast, in which it will be encased for six months.

Both hips of the boy were also placed in plaster of paris casts and they will remain in them for six months. Adele will be able to move around in several weeks, while the boy, owing to both hips being in the cast, will not be able to walk for six months.

Two boys were operated upon at the Affiliated Colleges yesterday. They were Philip O'Neil, the four-year-old son of William O'Neil, a farmer of Mendocino county, and Donald Lum, four-year-old son of Dr. W. T. Lum, of Alameda. In both cases the doctor exercised his method of treatment for congenital dislocation of the left hips. The children are doing splendidly.

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NOT BOUNDARY MONUMENTS

Jack Dalton Says Alaskan Mounds Are Over Indian Graves

Vancouver, B.C., Nov 15—Jack Dalton, the Klondike mine owner has arrived from Dawson. He says he accompanied Lieut. Emmens, who was sent to find Russian boundary monuments in Alaska. He went over the very line of stone monuments spoken of by De Blondeau, as the boundary monuments. Dalton says they are not boundary monuments but stones placed to mark Indian graves.

A well known Vancouver citizen has complained to the authorities that the United States Government has erected a number of Houses of Refuge on the North shore of Portland Canal in territory in dispute between the United States and Canada. Great Britain asserts that the Iehm Canal is the boundary, while the United States say the Portland Canal is the dividing line.

These houses of refuge are of stone and each has a tablet stating that it is United States Government property. The traveller, who has brought the news to the Board of Trade here, has caused some excitement and the case will certainly be investigated.

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Total Revenue......	$21,427 36
No. of money orders issued...	3,001
Amount money orders.......	$46,413 00
Com. received from public...	275 00
No. money orders paid... ...	5,748
Amount money orders paid ...	121,321 10
Amount postal notes paid ...	7,540 50
Salaries	4,630 00

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TORONTO SPECULATORS VERY BADLY HIT

It Is Said That Several Millions of Dollars Has Been Dropped in Stocks

Wall Street Men Picked Them Out for Raids on Stocks Which They Wanted at Low Price

Toronto, Nov. 15.—Toronto speculators, who have for some weeks been plunging heavily in Wall Street, have been hard hit lately, and they attribute their ill luck partly to a trick played on them by the Waldorf contingent, who, they declare, sent one of their crowd to Toronto a couple of weeks ago and again a few days ago to discover what stocks the local speculators were dealing in, with a view of breaking the price of those particular stocks in New York and shaking them out.

Toronto traders for the most part largely follow three or four stocks on the long side and the plan of the Waldorf speculators, so it is charged, was to ascertain just what stocks they were long of and when a favorably opportunity occurred to break the price. The Toronto crowd was long of Canadian Pacific and "Soo" common, among others, and these stocks finding little support in New York at the moment it was an easy matter to carry the prices of them that the Canadians decided that valor's best part was discretion, and threw over their stocks. This was just what the Wall Street men wanted and they succeeded in picking up the stocks at low prices.

This week a tip was given by local brokers that one of the Waldorf crowd was again in this city looking after similar information and that it would be prudent to keep quiet. The result was that little information was obtainable.

Claimed Damages from Pincess, Active Tobacco War

Three-Sided Contest in Which American Tobacco Company is Foremost

Berlin, Nov. 14.—An active tobacco war is in progress in Germany. It is a three-sided contest. The most formidable adversary is the American Tobacco Company, which has bought up the Jasmatzi factories at Dresden, and several days ago set the domestic tobacco interests agog by purchasing all the Turkish leaf tobacco in storage at Dresden in order to secure a monopoly of the supply. The German tobacco dealers are clamoring for protective measures, and a counter tobacco movement to throw off the grip which the Duke tobacco interests have already obtained upon the German market. To complicate matters, Mr. Rothschild, of Rothschild, Brother & Company, New York, one of the most powerful rivals of the American Tobacco Company, has opened headquarters in this city. Inasmuch as the German tobacco market and its supply is not a monopoly as in France, Russia and other countries, the fight for control promises to be a keen one. Mr. Edward Kraemer, who has opened an office in this city, and is beginning to fight against the tobacco trust by selling a popular brand of American cigarettes, said: "There is no doubt that matters will be warm here. In England the tobacco trust failed to make a successful fight, and now they have transferred their efforts to Germany, which is not yet subject to a Government monopoly. In a few days Mr. Rothschild, one of the members of our firm, is coming over here from New York, and we propose to compete with the tobacco combination."

London, Nov. 14.—Captain Ladislaus de Porkony appeared before Justice Willis yesterday, claiming damages against Princess Lowenstein Werthein. When the court opened, the captain's wife stood up and announced: "I appear on behalf of my husband, Captain de Porkony, who is a Hungarian and cannot speak English." This, however, the court would not allow, and the fair would-be barrister, was told she could not act as counsel. The Captain must state his own case. She could act as his interpreter. Captain de Porkony, then through his wife, stated that in 1896, the late Prince Lowenstein retained his services, but did not carry out his bargain as to payment. After Prince Lowenstein's death Porkony endeavored to secure payment from the Princess, but was unsuccessful. He said the Princess had often remarked in the presence of other princesses and baronesses of high rank that Porkony was a dangerous man, a blackmailer, and that he had blackmailed both the Prince and herself. These alleged remarks of the Princess Lowenstein were the basis of a suit for libel. Mrs. de Porkony said that the defendant had declined to apologize for what she had said. Her husband, she added, had no local witness. His only witness was in America. The counsel for the Princess said that as Prince Lowenstein was dead, the plaintiff Porkony was not entitled to enter into anything that had occurred between the Prince and himself. As to the alleged slander, the Princess absolutely denied having spoken the words complained of. In view of there being no witness to give evidence for the plaintiff, Justice Willis decided that Captain de Porkony was non-suited, and judgment for the defendant.

London, Nov. 14.—A Berlin correspondent of the Times says that the memorial in regard to the tariff question, presented to Count Von Buelow, Imperial Chancellor, by the Commercial Treaties Association, was published last evening. The Association now numbers 17,000 members. The memorial says that for two and a half years the whole economic life of Germany has been in a condition approaching a crisis. The uncertainty in regard to the commercial policy of the country has contributed to intensify and prolong this. It adds: A satisfactory state of things will not be restored until stability and security have been introduced in our commercial relations with foreign countries. German industry is the most productive branches is suffering from want of employment, and the spirit of enterprise is practically extinct, new plants hardly anywhere being acquired. The memorialists urgently request that with a view to aiding the present altogether intolerable situation existing, commercial treaties be prolonged for ten or at least five years, instead of waiting until the present unprofitable tariff discussion in the Reichstag has yielded some further result."

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Discussing the question of food stuffs the other day a gentleman conversant with the situation stated that the Ontario inspection laws should be more rigidly enforced in order to give the consumers a fair measure of protection. Adulteration, he said, is becoming quite common. So called 'strawberry jam is being turned out by Quebec factories which, he claimed, is made of glucose and clover seeds, the whole flavored to taste, the presence of the clover seeds giving the jam the "seedy" appearance common to the genuine article. This product of a fertile brain and foreign substances undersells the real thing and is obtaining a good foothold in Ontario.

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Head Shot Off

Elyria, Ohio, Nov. 14.—Marshal Henry Krohm was seriously shot and an unknown burglar had his head blown off in a battle here early to-day. The shooting occurred during a fight with four robbers, who completely terrorized the town, stole horses and rigs, entered several houses, and shot recklessly in a wild charge down the main street of the town. J. B. Baird was awakened by burglars in his house. He got up, and saw two masked men standing on either side of his bed. Drawn revolvers were pointed at his head, but, in spite of this, he jumped from bed and grappled with the intruders. In the darkness they broke away and fled from the house.

The burglars then entered the home of Town Marshal Krohm, who opened fire on them. When he had fired three times, one of the robbers who had jumped into a buggy got out, and began firing at the marshal. At the third shot the latter fell with a bullet through his hips.

Baird, who had meantime arrived at the scene, picked up the officer's gun and continued the firing. The robbers, however, drove rapidly away. Baird followed them to the home of the superintendent, W. J. Hitler, of the Cleveland, Elyria, and Western Railway. Even when Baird again opened fire on the robbers they burst into the Hitler's home, after smashing in the door.

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A GREAT WORK FINISHED

The dedication of the Nile dam at Assouan, which will occur on Dec. 10, is regarded as an event of such importance that the duke and Duchess of Connaught will be present to represent the royalty of England on the occasion. It is said that this dam is the greatest work of the kind ever attempted, and that as a triumph of engineering skill it stands at the head of human achievement. It cost some $25,000,000, and is capable of storing a billion cubic feet of water. As the United States Government under the act of the last session of congress, is going to engage in irrigation work upon an extensive scale, it might be well for their government to send some expert engineers to get pointers from the great Nile irrigation dam.

MOLYBDENUM

At Sandy Lake, near Havelock, a farmer was picking huckleberries a couple of years ago when he discovered a mineral that was new to him. He sent samples to the assay office at Kingston, and it proved to be molybdenum, a very valuable mineral that is utilized in the manufacture of a special brand of steel. The farmer quietly bought the land in which the mineral was found and sold it to the International Mining Company, of Buffalo, at a big price. Molybdenum is worth about $400 per ton in the ore and is a rare element of the chromium group, occurring in soft, lead-gray, foliated masses or scales, resembling graphite, and when reduced obtained is a hard silver-white fusible metal. This valuable find will start the prospectors, and unless the Buffalo company has pre-empted all the land at Sandy Lake there are a few fortunes in store for enterprising Canadians.

DISAPPEARING EMPIRES

The division of the Portuguese possessions in South Africa between Germany and Great Britain is an incident in the progressive partition of that continent among the great and vital powers of Europe. The deal for this division has been in progress for some time. The financial position of Portugal made it necessary, and the great powers had only to wait patiently for her surrender to internal compulsion. Probably the arrangement would have been made long ago but for the South African war.

Portuguese East Africa extends north and south along about fifteen hundred miles of coast, on both sides of the Zambesi river with a hinterland of 150 to 600 miles. Should the division be made on the river, Germany would get the city of Mozambique, opposite Madagascar, with valuable ports and mines. Great Britain would get the useful ports of Lorenzo Marques and Beira which are terminals of railroads from the Transvaal and Rhodesia, and would give all her new Boer territory a coast line.

This arrangement will mark the almost complete disappearance of an Empire even mightier than that of Spain three centuries ago. Before the voyages of Columbus, bold Portugese navigators had extended the dominion of that little kingdom over all that was known of Africa, south of the Mediterranean. In the division of the papal bull, Portugal was given everything east, and Spain everything west of a line which cut off part of South America and gave Portugal title to the great colony of Brazil.

These two mighty empires have slipped away from nations that had lost the power to hold them. Four years ago we took the last of Spain colonies, after the whole American continent, south of the gulf of Mexico had broken away from her. Now Great Britain and Germany take the last of Portugal's empire except West Africa, which probably will be divided later and some pitiful islands. Nations are like individuals. Permanent possession is only to those who have strength to hold and skill to use.

—Rev. James G. Potter, B.A., of St. Andrew's church, Peterborough, will preach in Campbellford next Sunday morning and evening.

FROGS AS BIG AS AN OX

Remarkable Bones Unearthed in Oklahoma by Mr. Menke of the Field

Norman, O.T. Nov. 11—H. W. Menke, of the Field Columbia Museum, Chicago, is in Oklahoma collecting fossils. Among the fossil bones he has found are back-bones, leg bones and a few skulls, and teeth.

Mr. Menke says the animals whose bones he has unearthed probably were members of the class known as amphibians. The amphibians constitute the class of creatures now represented by frogs, toads and salamanders. If one can imagine a frog as big as an ox it is said, an idea can be gained of the appearance of these prehistoric monsters that once flourished in Oklahoma.

NO COAL FOR A MONTH

Coal Men are Making Hay While Navigation —Navigation Closes December 5th

A coal dealer yesterday morning told the Times that he did not think there would be much coal delivered here until next month. Navigation closes December 5th on the lakes, and up to that time coal will be rushed from Buffalo to Duluth. The vessel freight is much lower than that of the railroads. An example may be taken in the case of Sault Ste. Marie. It costs $4.46 to carry a ton of coal from Buffalo to the Soo by rail, and only 50 cents a ton by water.

"After navigation closes there will be plenty of coal here," said the dealer, "but that will not be for another month." Most coal dealers in this city are still without coal and cannot supply their customers.

19-YEAR-OLD-GIRL MURDERED

Criminally Assaulted and Then Killed—Her Employer's Hostler Arrested

Albany, Nov. 13.—A brutal murder of a nineteen-year-old girl was committed here last night. The victim, Anna Mitchell, was a domestic in the home of Mrs. Adrian O. Mather, in Londonville, a suburb of Albany. She was criminally assaulted late last night, her head was battered and her body left in a gully a few hundred feet from the Mather home, where it was found shortly afternoon to-day.

The victim left the Mather home early last evening to visit her widowed mother, who lived a mile away. The police have in custody Frederick W. Knapp, a hostler employed by Mrs. Mather. The girl never reached her mother's home. The mother's inquiries at the Mather home early this morning led to the search for the girl.

ARE TRYING SPIRITUALISM

Vienna, Nov. 13.—The Russian Liberal paper printed in Stuttgart states that the Czar is suffering from a nervous affection, and that the Czarina is ill of a nervous malady. The paper further alleges that the Czar has placed himself under the care of Dr. Phillips, a Spiritualist and mesmerist healer. Dr. Phillips has summoned the spirit of Alexander III. at the Czar's behest and receives messages foretelling imperial and domestic events. The doctor, it is alleged, treats the Czarina hypnotically, but reports from Livadia concerning the health of the imperial couple are carefully censored.

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THE MOONSTONE SPHINX

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In the afternoon Macaire asked him if he had been to the jeweler's yet.

"No," faltered Dick. "The fact is, I ——" He was on the point of beginning his made-up tale concerning the loss of the jewel when the millionaire broke in, for the first time in his secretary's experience of him showing anger.

"By Heaven!" he exclaimed. "I can't get anybody to remember my wishes. What jeweler has the stone? I'll go to him myself."

Dick grew hot and cold. "No, no, Mr. Macaire," he implored. "I haven't forgotten, really. I was busy. I will go at once."

He went out into the street, not knowing what he should do. He had cut the ground away from under his own feet now, committing himself to the statement that he had made. Next time they met, if he could not satisfy Macaire that he had been to the jeweler's, the millionaire would insist upon having the man's name, and Dick would stand discredited. Something must be done at once, but what—what?

Suddenly he thought of the woman who had bought the jewel. If he could offer her the thousand francs she had paid, and at the same time throw himself upon her compassion, she might be induced to sell the moonstone back again. But first he must get the thousand francs, and then he must find the lady.

Having accomplished no more than evolving this plan, he returned to the hotel, where Macaire had taken several of the best suites for himself and his friends, since it had not been considered convenient to spend the nights on board his yacht.

"Well, have you been to the jeweler?" Macaire called from his private sitting-room as Dick would have passed the door.

"Yes," answered the young man desperately. "He will try to have the Sphinx's-head ready by to-morrow night."

Ten minutes later Macaire went out, having shouted a request that Dick would write three or four letters for him while he was away.

Dick knew what his employer wished him to write, and sat down at his desk in the sitting-room, which Macaire had left open. The millionaire was noted for his careless ways, and to-day he had left lying on the desk a roll of English bank-notes.

Dick looked at them, fascinated, then drew the roll towards him and began counting it over.

There were twenty ten-pound, six five-pound notes—two hundred and thirty pounds in all. Macaire was certain not to have taken the numbers, he had never been known to do such a thing, and money flowed like water through his hands. In all probability he was not aware how much this fat roll contained. If several notes were abstracted he would not be the wiser; or even if he did discover his loss, after leaving the money lying out on his desk, he would not know whom to blame. One of the hotel servants would be suspected; but it would be unfair, in such circumstances to make an accusation.

Feeling faint and sick, Dick selected five ten-pound notes, huddled them away in his pocket, and pushed the roll back into the place where it had lain. Luckily he had finished the letters first, for it would now have been impossible for him to have concentrated his mind upon writing a single line.

He had taken the first step; now for the second. And, hurrying out, he went to the Casino, hoping to find there the purchaser of the jewel, who had seemed to be a keen gambler, and had said that she was an "old habituee of Monte Carlo."

To his joy he presently spied her, absorbed in the game. His heart leaped up as he saw on the table beside her winnings the sphinx's head, evidently in use as a fetich.

He tried to speak, but she motioned him away; she was not to be interrupted. Again and again he implored her attention for a moment, but she flashed out at him in angry French that she would complain; she would have him removed if he disturbed her.

She was quite capable of keeping her word, and, fearing a scene, Dick was forced to wait upon her convenience. Time dragged on while he despaired; but at last madame was satisfied, and thought, perhaps, of her dinner. Gathering up her winnings, which were considerable, she turned from the table and to Dick. She was a different woman now—soft and agreeable in manner as if she had never threatened vengeance. What was it that monsieur wanted? Had he another jewel to sell?

Dick explained that his desire was to the contrary effect. But at the first words the hard, painted face grew harder. The lady was sorry that monsieur regretted disposing of the fetich, but she could not think of giving it up. Already it had brought her great luck. No, there was no price he could name for which she would change her mind.

The unhappy young man poured arguments upon her; he had reason to believe the jewel had been stolen by the person who gave it to him; there would be trouble for madame. But Madame would risk it, so she replied with a smile, and the glint in her eyes caused Dick to regret this last suggestion. He feared that she might leave Monte Carlo.

Nothing that he could say would move her, and she airily remarked that if monsieur persecuted her by following to her hotel she would certainly appeal to the police.

Dick was in a worse plight than before, for now he was doubly a thief and a failure. He determined that he would replace the money he had taken, since it had not availed his purpose, and would concoct the best story he could about the loss of the moonstone, saying that he had not confessed at first, hoping to find it.

By this time Macaire and his guests would be dining, for Dick was very late. Feeling certain of this, he went straight to the millionaire's sitting-room, which was apparently deserted and in semi-darkness. It was now the last of April, but as it was past eight o'clock the night was falling in deep blue dusk.

Dick stepped softly into the room, and groping his way to the desk which was near the window, felt for the roll of bank-notes, upon which—if it was in the place he had first seen and left it—he knew exactly where to put his hand. But suddenly the room was flooded with electric light; and, dazzled and blinking, Dick saw Macaire standing with a finger and thumb still on the electric button which he had just turned.

On the man's hideous face was a look which Dick had never seen before—a look that was fiendish.

"I was right, then; you are a thief," he said. "You whom I have made my friend. You have stolen my money."

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$1,000,000 7% Preferred Stock in 10,000 Shares of $100 each at par.

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CAPITAL.

50,000 shares Common Stock, par value $100 each, issued and fully paid	$5,000,000 00
10,000 shares 7 per cent. Cumulative Preference Stock, par value $100 each	$1,000,000 00
Total Capitalization	$6,000,000 00

PREFERENCE STOCK

This Stock is preferred both as to Capital and Dividends.

The shares are entitled to cumulative preferential dividends from the net earnings of the Company, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, payable half-yearly on the first days of April and October. They may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged for common shares. They are subject to be called in, in whole or in part, by the Company, at $115.00 per share, at any time on or after 1st January, 1909.

The total issue of Preferred Stock is only $1,000,000.00, the whole of which is now offered.

Subscriptions for 10,000 shares of $100 each of the 7 per cent Preferred Stock of the CANADIAN STEEL AND COAL COMPANY will now be received at par, that is, $100 for each $100 share as follows :—

5 per cent on application.
20 per cent on allotment.
25 per cent each 30 days thereafter.

One share of common, par value $100.00, given with each share of preferred.

The whole of the instalments remaining unpaid at any time may be prepaid in full. A discount of one per cent will be allowed upon the par of each share if prepaid at time of allotment.

Notice of allotment will be sent promptly by ordinary letter.

It is intended to apply to the Stock Exchanges in New York, Boston, Montreal and Toronto for the listing of the stock of the company.

The CANADIAN STEEL AND COAL COMPANY was organized to mine and manufacture iron and coal, coke and steel in Canada at Atlantic tidewater.

The raw materials for these manufactures are :—

1.—COAL. 2.—IRON. 3.—LIMESTONE.

All these materials we have at hand.

1.—COAL.

The Company controls 3,000 acres of excellent coal areas in the Province of Nova Scotia, and efforts are being made to increase this to 10,000 acres by the purchase of some very valuable additional coal fields.

The coal has been thoroughly tested and found to be suitable in every way for the manufacture of iron and steel, and the supply is practically inexhaustible. The following analysis was made by the Canadian Geological Survey :—

ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
	100 00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 tons of ore above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

3.—FLUX.

We are now negotiating for valuable deposits of dolomite and limestone of the most satisfactory quality, situated on the tide water, within 100 miles of the works.

MARKETS.

For six months in each year the Canadian markets can be reached by water at low freight rates, and at all times by rail. As Cape Breton is distant from Liverpool only about 2,300 miles ; is nearer to Pernambuco, Brazil, than any point in the United States, and also nearer to Cape Town, South Africa, it has the advantage, in point of distance, for export business over any American steel-producing points, which, with scarcely any exceptions, are situated some distance from tide water. Under any conditions of the world's market, it is believed that the output of these works can be disposed of at satisfactory prices.

OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows :—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows :—

	ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows :—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

If the capitalization was increased to .... $20,000,000.00 this estimate would still show a dividend-earning capacity of 10 per cent. per annum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Coal Co. is .... $20,000,000.00 earning fully 12 per cent., and is paying 8 per cent. guaranteed dividends on this enormous sum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co. is...... $28,000,000.00 on which it is believed 6 per cent. dividends will be earned.

The capitalization of the Canadian Steel & Coal Company is only $6,000,000.00 controlling, it is believed, equally valuable properties, and it is reasonable to expect much larger dividends.

Within the last few months Dominion Coal shares common rose in market value from $40 to $144 per share, and Dominion Iron & Steel Company's shares common rose over $30 per share in market value.

With such low capitalization the Canadian Steel and Coal Co's shares should show tremendous profits, and it is confidently believed they will.

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PROCLAMATION

Electoral District of EAST PETERBOROUGH, in the Province of Ontario, Dominion of Canada

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Electoral District aforesaid that in pursuance to Part 1, of the Liquor Act, poll will be opened at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, on the

4th Day of the Month of December,

IN THE YEAR 1902,

And close on the same day at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, in each of the Townships, Wards or Polling Subdivisions in which a Polling Place is to be opened and kept according to law, viz.:

BURLEIGH & ANSTRUTHER.

Polling Division No. 1—Consisting of the Southern Division of Burleigh, at Stone's School House.

Polling Division No. 2—Consisting of the Northern Division of Burleigh and the Townships of Anstruther, at Town Hall, Apsley.

CHANDOS.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising that part of Chandos, from and including the 9th, Concession to the Northern and Eastern boundaries at Caldwell's School House.

Polling Division No. 2.—Comprising that part of Chandos, including Concessions 2 and 3, Concessions 4, 5, and 6 from Lot 1 to 19, Concession 7 from Lot 1 to 19, at Hales' School House.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising that part of Chandos, including Concessions 4 and 5 from Lot 17 to 32, Concessions 6, 10 and 11 from Lot 23 to 32, Concessions 7, 8, 9 and 12 from Lots 26 to 32 at Post's School House.

BELMONT AND METHUEN.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising the 9th, 10th 11th, 12th, Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from the South Boundary to the line between Lots 10 and 11 except the east 1/4 of Lots 7 and 8 in the 10th Concession, and the Northeast 1/4 of Lots 6 and 7, and the West 3/4 of Lot 8, in the 9th Concession, at School House Old Havelock.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Concessions of the Township of Belmont from the South Boundary to the line between Lots 8 and 9, the 6th, 7th and 8th Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from the South Boundary to the line between Lots 13 and 14, at Town Hall, Belmont.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising the 1st 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from Lot 8 to the North Boundary, the 1st and 2nd Concessions of the Township of Methuen, from the South Boundary to Lot 10, at Mount Zion School House.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising the 6th, 7th and 8th Concessions of the Township of Belmont from Lot 13 to North Boundary, except 31 & 32 in the 6th Concession, and the 9th, 10th, 11th and 12 Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from Lot 10 to North Boundary, and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, in the 11th and 12th Concessions of the Township of Methuen, at Rush Point School House.

Polling Division No. 5—Comprising all the Township of Methuen, except the 1st, and 2nd Concessions from the South Boundary to Lot 10 and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, in the 11th and 12th Concessions, and to include Lots 31 and 32 in the 6th Concession of the Township of Belmont, at Oak Lake School House.

HAVELOCK.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising the Village of Havelock, at Town Hall, Havelock.

ASPHODEL.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising the 1, 2, 3, and 4th Concessions on the River Trent, to the line between Lots 12 and 13 and Lots 10, 11 and 12 in the 5th Concession, at Town Hall, Westwood

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and the West Half of Concession 6, from Lot 12 to the Northern Boundary of the Township, at English's House, Lot 16, Concession 4.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising the East Half Concession 6 and Concessions 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12, from Lot 11 to the Northern Boundary of the Township, at Geo. Patterson's House.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising all the Lots South of Lot 10 in the 6th Concession, and all Lots South of Lot 12 in the 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th Concessions and the West 1/2 of Lot 12 in the 6th Concession, at Valleau's Cheese Factory.

DUMMER.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising Lots 1 to 10, inclusive, in the 7th Concession, and Lots 1 to 22 inclusive in the 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th Concessions, and parts of shore along Stoney Lake (Summer Resort) 8th, 9th, and 10th Concession, at School House No. 2.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising Lots 1 to 5, inclusive and the East 1/2 of Lot 6 in the 2nd, Concession, Lots 1 to 9 in the 3rd Concession, and Lots 1 to 10 in 4th, 5th and 6th Concessions, at Cottesloe Post Office.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising inclusive, all the Lots in the 1st Concession, West Half of 6, from 7 to 19 and West Half of 20 in the 2nd Concession, Lots 10 to 19 in the 3rd Concession and Lots 11 to 19 in the 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th Concession, at Town Hall, Warsaw.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising inclusive East Halves of Lots 20 & 21 to Stoney Lake, in the 2nd Concession, Lots 20 to Stoney Lake, in the 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th Concessions and Lots 24 to Stoney Lake, in the 8th, 9th, islands on Stoney Lake in Dummer, at 10th, 11th, and 12th Concessions, and all 6th Line Orange Hall, Hall's Glen.

OTONABEE.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising that part of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Concessions South of Lot 23, at Villiers Post Office.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising that part of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, and East 1/2 of the 7th Concession North of Lot 21, at School House, Section 3.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising that part of the 6th, 7th and 8th Concessions South of Lot 22 and also Sugar and Harris Islands, at Forester's Hall, Keene.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising that part of the West 1/2 of the 7th Concession, and all 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th Concessions North of Lot 21, at Wm. Girvig's House, Lot 26, Concession 10.

Polling Division No. 5—Comprising that part of the 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th Concessions South of Lot 22, at Union Hall, Mather's Corners.

Polling Division No. 6—Comprising the 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th Concessions, at Union Hall, Stewart's.

DOURO.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising all Lots North of Lots 13 in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th Concessions, at R. H. Little's House, Lot 20, Concession 5.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising all Lots South of Lot 14, in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Concessions, at John Torpey's House, Lot 10, Concession 2.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising all Lots South of Lot 14, in the 5th, 6th and 7th Concessions and the East halves of all Lots in Concession 8, at Town Hall, Douro.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising the West halves of all Lots in Concession 8, and all Lots in the 9th, 10th 11th and 12th Concessions, at Thomas Tobin's House.

NORWOOD.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising all Village West of Victoria street, at Town Hall.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising all Village East of Victoria street, at Agricultural Office.

ASHBURNHAM.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising all that portion of said Village South of Elizabeth street and South of the line between the Lots Nos. 29 and 30 in the 12th Concession of Otonabee, at Council Chamber.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising all that portion of said Village North of Elizabeth street and North of the line between Lots 29 and 30 in the 12th concession of Otonabee, at Mrs. Swanson's House, Lot 14, North Elizabeth street.

All of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Peterborough, this tenth day of the month of November, in the year 1902.

BERNARD MORROW,
RETURNING OFFICER.

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Interesting Items.

A young swell wore a new style evening coat at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York the other night. It was a swallow-tail, with velvet collar and a pocket for a handkerchief in the left breast. A tiny lace handkerchief peeped from the pocket.

A man advertises in a Syracuse paper for a job as general housework servant. He is a widower, familiar with all phases of housekeeping, and says that he can pickle, wash, and iron, enact the parts of the cook and the waitress, mind the baby, dust, and take care of the furnace.

It is a good advertisement for vegetarianism that a pedestrian who doesn't eat meat came in first in the international walking-match between Berlin and Dresden. The winner made the one hundred and twenty-five miles in the record-breaking time of twenty-seven hours, thirteen minutes, and fourteen and one-half seconds.

The New York "Commercial Advertiser" estimates that Andrew Carnegie's benefactions, up to date, amount to $68,000,000, distributed in the following order: United States, $55,261,673; Scotland, $13,073,750; Canada, $876,500; Cuba, $262,000; Ireland, $65,500. And yet, Mr. Carnegie's wealth is said to be increasing more rapidly than he can give it away, owing to the enormous earnings of the properties whose securities he holds.

In his book on "The Private Life of the Sultan," Mr. Georges Dorys says that during the Armenian massacres it cost the Turkish treasury the equivalent of about $1,000,000 for hush money, or "allocations," to certain European newspapers, besides the distribution of six hundred and forty costly decorations placed where they would do the most good. Abdul Hamid seemed to believe firmly in the cynical saying of Walpole that every man has his price.

Miss Azalene Earle, formerly of Portland, Oregon, but latterly a "hello girl" in San Francisco, is now Mrs. William Halleck Deming, and will travel in Europe with her husband this summer. Says the Portland "Oregonian:" "Mr. Deming, who is a man of wealth, was attracted by her soft and gentle voice in calling 'Number?' through the telephone, and acquaintance and marriage followed. If the voices of the telephone girls in this city have lately become indistinct through muffled sweetness, the above announcement accounts for it."

Thomas A. Edison thinks that in six or seven years horses will have disappeared from the streets as beasts of burden, and automobiles will be made so cheap as to be within the reach of all who wish or need vehicles. He declares this revolution will be brought about by a storage electric battery which he has invented. "The man that cannot quite afford to keep a horse and carriage is the man that I am trying to provide for," he said the other day; "the automobile will be the thing for him. Its first cost will not be great, it will not require care, and the cost of maintenance will come far below the cost of keeping a horse."

An interesting series of experiments has been tried by the school authorities in South Germany to test the faculty of observation as it is exercised by boys and girls. A man dressed as an ordinary workman and with ordinary features was placed in a room by himself. Classes of girls of different ages were sent through the room. All that the teachers told them was that they were to go into the room through one door and out through another. When they returned to their classrooms they were asked to describe the man in the room. Nearly eighty per cent. of the girls confined their attention to the man's clothes; the others described both clothes and features. The same experiments when tried with boys revealed the fact that nearly seventy per cent. of them confined their attention to the man's features, the remainder to both features and clothes.

The Stupidity of Instinct.

Are insects, bees for instance, so very intelligent after all, or does their instinct resemble automatism instead of reason? Mr. J. Carter Beard has assembled a number of interesting instances in the "Scientific American" which lead to the conclusion that the wonderful results often accomplished by insects are due, not to intelligence, but to automatic obedience to external or internal stimuli. We might as well, he thinks, call a watch intelligent as an insect.

In one instance it appears that house-flies exhibit more appearance of real intelligence than do honey-bees. Take a large glass jar with a wide mouth, says Mr. Beard, and imprison in it a bee and some flies. Put the bottom of the jar against a window-pane, draw the curtains around the jar and then uncork the mouth. The flies will quickly find their way out of the open mouth into the room, but the bee will stupidly continue to try to get through the glass where it sees the light and will never think of exploring in the other direction. But perhaps this shows, not superior intelligence on the part of the flies, but less attraction to the light or a greater variety of stimuli to motion.

The bee's whole existence seems to depend upon routine. She always does the same things in the same way and exhibits no capacity to profit by, or repair the effects of, accident. Mason-bees, for instance, build little thimble-shaped structures of mud, half fill them with honey and pollen, then lay their eggs therein and top off the construction with a roof. If a hole is made in the bottom of one of these thimbles while the building is going on, and the honey is allowed to run out, the stupid bee, even after discovering the hole, makes no attempt to stop it up, but continues to pour in the honey at the top, allowing it to run away at the bottom, until the proper amount required by instinct having been put in, she lays her eggs and seals up the top, content with her vain labor.

Many other instances can be cited which tend to show that the instinct of insects does not resemble human reason.

On the other hand, insects sometimes do things which do not seem to be the result of pure automatism. Darwin found that even earthworms exhibit more adaptability to circumstances than was shown by Mr. Beard's imprisoned bee in the glass jar.

A Generous Settlement

With characteristic liberality the Canadian Pacific Railway has settled the action for damages brought against it by Mrs. Katherine Rose, of Havelock, for the death of her husband, Wellington Rose. The latter was a fireman in the employ of the Canadian Pacific, and died from injuries received while on duty. Mrs. Rose receives $2,100 from the railway company.

BIRTHS

FOLEY—At 251 Simcoe street, on 10th instant, the wife of Mr. Daniel Foley, of a son.

FANNING—On Saturday, Nov. 8th, 1902, the wife of J. S. Fanning, of Peterborough, of a son

COLMER—At 516 Park street, Peterborough, on Monday, Nov. 10th, the wife of R. Colmer, of a son.

MARRIED

SMITH—CASTLE.—At St. Luke's Rectory, Ashburnham, by the Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, M.A., on Saturday, November 8, 1902, George James Smith to Nancy Anneta Castle, both of Ashburnham.

BATTERSBY—ORDE—At St. Mark's church, Otonabee, on Tuesday, Nov. 11th, 1902, by the Rev. C. H. Marsh, Rector of St. Paul's church, Lindsay, assisted by Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, M.A., Rector of Ashburnham, Francis H. Battersby to Agatha Orde.

CONROY—QUINLAN—At St. Peter's cathedral, on Tuesday, Nov. 11th, 1902, by Rev. Dr. O'Brien, Alex Conroy, son of Mr. John Conroy, of Otonabee, to Frances, daughter of the late David Quinlan, of Ashburnham.

MACDONALD—CORKERY—At St. Peter's cathedral, on Tuesday, Nov. 11th, 1902, by Rev. Father O'Brien, Henry Macdonald, foreman for Mr. Alfred Macdonald, to May, daughter of the late Jeremiah Corkery, all of Peterborough.

DIED

OLVER.—At Peterborough, on Sunday, November 9, 1902, Stanley Mark, only son of Mr. Andrew Olver, aged 7 years and 3 months.

LAKEFIELD MAN INJURED

John McCormack Had a Close Call for His Life Wednesday

On Wednesday afternoon, John McCormack, an aged employe of the Lakefield Cement Company, was seriously injured by an engine used for hauling the company's cars. McCormack was attending to the switch, and in attempting to get on the cowcatcher to ride a short distance he slipped and fell in front of the engine. The cowcatcher pushed him along the track, and had it not been that the engineer promptly reversed the engine he would have been killed. The unfortunate man was carried to the office of Dr. D. Fraser, where his injuries were found to be very serious, and he was immediately conveyed to his home about a mile from the village. It was found that the fibula, or small bone, of the right foot, was badly shattered, and it is feared that serious internal injuries may complicate the case, as the lower portion of the abdomen was badly bruised.

Mr. McCormack is about 80 years of age, and is an industrious and well-respected citizen. He is a widower and lives with his daughters, whose main support he has been.

Grain Coming to Peterboro

Large shipments of grain are being received in town from Rice Lake. The steamer "North Star" brought three loads in this week, averaging from 1,200 to 2,000 bushels each. The "Water Lily" is also bringing in large cargoes of grain and hogs. The grain shipments are consigned to W. H. Meldrum, the McAllister Milling Company, Central Milling Company, and the hogs to Mr. Matthews.

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Interesting Items.

A salmon weighing 200 pounds is not to be found every day. It is therefore interesting to learn that such a huge fish was caught with hook and line off Gabarus Harbour, near Sydney, Nova Scotia, a short time ago. Being too large to be taken into the boat, it was towed from the fishing ground to the harbor. The men were codfishing at the time.

The State Legislature of New York has authorised the authorities of New York City to plant trees in the tenement districts. In this connection it is pointed out that it is not shade alone that makes it cooler under a tree in summer. The coolness of the tree itself helps, for its temperature is about forty-five degrees, Fahrenheit, at all times, as that of the human body is a fraction more than ninety-eight degrees. So a clump of trees cools the air as a piece of ice cools the water in a pitcher.

"Don't spit on the sidewalks!" is the new command of the New York Board of Health. Three years ago the board began its anti-spitting crusade by forbidding expectoration upon ferry-boats, trolley and elevated cars, and in car stations; and now the side walks are to be protected. The justification of these measures is the statement that twenty years ago almost six deaths in every hundred in New York City were caused by tuberculosis, whereas last year the deaths from this cause numbered only about two and a half in the hundred.

According to the statistics gathered by the United States Weather Bureau, 713 persons in the United States were killed or fatally injured by lightning during the year 1900. Of these 291 were struck under the open sky, 158 in houses, 57 under trees and 56 in barns. The circumstances attending the death of the remaining 151 victims were not ascertained. During the same year 973 persons were injured by lightning, but survived. The Bureau, upon statistics extending over 10 years ending with 1900, estimates the average annual number of deaths from lightning at from 700 to 800.

An engineer of Zurich, L. Thormann, reports, after a careful examination, that sufficient electric power could be developed from the waterfalls of the Alps to run all the railways of Switzerland. There would be little or no reduction of cost, he says, but the time may come when the change from steam to electricity may be desirable, because Switzerland has to import all the coal she uses. From 21 waterfalls, some of which are already partially utilized for industrial purposes, 86,000 horse-power could be developed, but only 60,000 horse-power would be required to replace the steam-power now used on the railroads.

Ruined by a Pig.

Fiction narrates many incidents wherein animal pets figure as causes of the ruin or salvation of their owners. In real life such instances are by no means rare. Not long ago there died in an English workhouse a man named John Evans, who, ten years ago, was a prosperous farmer, but who was brought to poverty by a pig. One day John discovered that his pigsty needed patching up, so he transferred his pigs to a hastily constructed enclosure under an old shed. The mother pig began rooting around and turned up some ancient gold pieces. There was a legend that the farm had once been the site of an old monastery, and that in the troublous times of the eighth Henry the monks had hidden their treasure in the garden. What more natural than that John should think his pig had discovered the hiding place of the monkish gold? He gave up working his farm and devoted all his time to digging about the barnyard, pulling down old walls and generally taking up the profession of a treasure-seeker. His spare time was spent in looking over old manuscripts, trying to find some records of the former owners of the place. His business went to pieces, his men robbed him and he was eventually a pauper and went to die in the poorhouse—all on account of that pig who turned up the gold pieces.

Kitchener's Aversion For Monocles.

Monocles are plentiful in Cape Town, but in Johannesburg and Pretoria they are conspicuous only by their absence. "K" does not like them. Captain —— of a famous cavalry regiment, out of all the swell officers, alone refused to give up his monocle for anybody. It was the current report in the regiment that he wore it in bed and also when he took his bath.

One day Lord Kitchener met the single pane officer outside the Transvaal Hotel in Pretoria. "One minute, captain," said the commander, "may I ask if it is absolutely necessary for you to wear that glass in your right eye?"

"Yaas, certainly, Lord Kitchener—er—er—I could not see without it."

"I am sorry to hear that, Captain ——, as I intended to give you a staff appointment, but I must have men around me who can see well. Kindly report yourself for duty to the officer commanding the lines of communication."

The discomfited cavalry officer obeyed the instructions. Three months afterwards he was taken prisoner by the Boers, who stripped him of his clothing and sent him back to camp, still attired in his eye-glass, but in nothing else.

Could Not Speak English.

One of the most common faults among those who speak incorrectly is the misuse of English prepositions. "Different from" becomes "different to" in the popular speech of England, and, too often, "different than" in America. The New York "Times" mentions a queer juggling of prepositions, the achievement of two small boys.

"William," asked the teacher, "why were you absent from school this morning?"

"Oh, some'un stole me coat on me."

"What's that? Stole your coat 'on you'?"

"Aw, he can't talk English," said William's brother James. "He means some'un stole his coat off 'im."

"It says here, Samanthy, that Reverend Toogood was a saloon passenger on the 'Majestic.' Beats all how them preachers do cut up when they git away from hum."—"Judge."

Eyes Tested Free

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Invaders of the Sanctum.

A united states newspaper once announced that a notorious thief, well known locally, had been lynched for horse-stealing. The man called at the office, sound in wind and limb, and demanded a withdrawal of the unfounded statement. "We cannot retract," said the editor; "we never do." "But the 'Mail,' which published a similar report, has withdrawn it," said the man. "That may be," replied the editor. "The report appearing in the 'Mail' was no doubt without foundation; but our news is always true. However, we don't mind saying in the next issue that the rope broke, and that you escaped with a slight contusion."

If a story told in journalistic circles be well founded, a somewhat similar incident occurred in London. One day a gentleman called at the office of a well-known newspaper and said to the editor, a famous man in his time: "Sir, it is announced in your paper that I am dead." "Well," replied the editor, "if it is in our paper it is correct." "It is not correct, for here I am alive," rejoined the other. "Well, it can't be helped," said the editor. "But I expect you to contradict it," said the gentleman. "No, I cannot do that," said the editor, "as we never contradict anything that appears in our paper. I will do the only thing I can do to bring you to life again. To-morrow I will put you in the list of births."

Sometimes the editor gets the better of these unpleasant intruders into his sanctum. A friend of ours was seated in his editorial chair in a Yorkshire town, quietly snipping paragraphs from contemporary journals, when in walked, unannounced, a big, ferocious-looking man with a heavy stick in his hand. "Is the editor in?" he asked. The menacing tone in which the question was put showed that he had not come to make a friendly call, to insert an advertisement, or to pay a subscription to the journal. "No, sir," replied the editor, with admirable presence of mind—"he has just gone out. Take a seat and read the paper; he will return in a minute." Down sat the indignant visitor, crossing his legs, with his club between them, and commenced reading a paper. In the meantime the editor quietly vanished downstairs, and at the landing he met another excited man, with a cudgel in his hand, who also asked if the editor was in. "Yes, sir," was the prompt response, "you will find him seated upstairs, reading a newspaper." The second visitor, on entering the room, commenced a violent assault upon the first, which was resisted with equal ferocity. The fight was continued till they both rolled to the foot of the stairs and had cudgelled each other to their hearts' content.

New Round Dances.

Three new round dances have just been approved and adopted by the Normal Association of Masters of Dancing of the United States and Canada, which recently met in New York. They are the Military Dip Waltz, the Olympia Schottische, and the Antler's Gavotte. The Military Dip Waltz is said to be the simplest and most graceful of the three. It has been predicted that this dance will sweep the country, and may take the place of the two-step in the matter of popularity. The movements are thus described: Take a position facing your partner, as if for waltzing. The left foot of both lady and gentleman should be in the fourth position, front; that is, about the length of one step in front of the right foot. At the beginning of the strain the gentleman dips forward upon his left and the lady backward upon her right; then both reverse the movement. The gentleman next makes a quick change, stepping forward on the left and then on the right. The balance is repeated in this position, the two dip movements having occupied just four measures in all. From this point glide into the waltz, waltzing four measures; then repeat the balance movement again, and so on ad libitum. The dance is simple, easy, and fascinating. The Olympia Schottische is designed for the more agile and spirited dancers. It is begun in the open position assumed for any schottische, the gentleman holding the lady's left hand with his right, the two facing one another. The lady starts with the right foot, the gentleman with the left. Dip backward with a graceful bend of knee, then bring the rear foot forward and rise on the toes. Repeat the movement with the other foot; glide four times to the right, repeat both movements, face forward and hop on left foot, kicking right with toe touching the floor; then hop on right, kicking left. Next assume the closed position and take four glides, a half turn, finishing with four more glides in the same direction. The Antler's Gavotte is made up entirely of familiar steps. This is begun in the closed position. March two measures, two-step four, take three glides to the left, finishing on the right foot, and waltz to the close of the strain. This is a new combination of the two old favorites, two-step and waltz, with the march step for variety.

A Valuable Clue.

"Please, sergeant," exclaimed a lady, as she rushed into the police station, half out of breath. Then she hesitated.

"What is it, ma'am?"

"I don't like to tell you."

"Proceed. Have you been robbed, or ——?"

"Robbed, sir; cruelly robbed. Last night someone stole a lot of clothes from off my line."

"Just give me a list of the articles stolen."

"I couldn't do that, for they took two pairs of ——"

"What?"

"Oh, no; I really couldn't say; but, Mr. Policeman, if you see anybody wearing them, arrest them."

With this brief explanation she departed, and now she is telling all the neighbors that the police force of this country are too stupid to detect crime, even when they get a clue at first hand.

Verestchagin, the artist who is painting a large picture of the Battle of San Juan Hill, with President Roosevelt as the central figure, was very much depressed over New York's sky-line, when he visited the metropolis fifteen years ago. He said that the occasional skyscraper was a painful blot on the landscape; that it made the sky-line one terrible thing to behold. The other day, after long contemplation of it and the scores of big buildings which lead down the Island of Manhattan, he is said to have turned to a friend and remarked: "Really" (a pause), "it begins to be grand."

Coming to Peterboro

Two railway men are to be transferred from Havelock to Peterborough, Mr. Wm. Nichol and Mr. W. S. Dodds. The former has sold his property in Havelock and will remove his family to town. He will have charge of the yard engine at the C.P.R. station. Mr. W. S. Dodds, who was C.P.R. agent at Havelock, is succeeded by Mr. Anderson, formerly of Pontypool.

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A company having a capitalization of $5,000,000 has been organized for the construction of lines, pumping stations, storage tanks, and the like. Mr. Morgan and his associates have also formed a separate company, capitalized at $30,000,000, half of which will be invested in proven ground and the other half turned into a reserve fund.

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West Shore Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Twenty-eighth Oil Co	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sterling Oil & Development Company	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dillon Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Peerless Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
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Hanford Oil Co	2.00	[illegible]
Kreyenhagen Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
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STOCK MARKETS

Intimations the Worst Over

New York, Nov. 14—Wednesday's market displayed marked strength after a weak opening. Apparently made as low prices as possible. Thursday witnessed still further strength, showing prices of from three to eight points higher for the average list than the low prices of the week, all of which was in direct conformity with these market letters. Should the market, as it probably will, enjoy a still further rally, it will be more than likely that it will be followed up by another set back, which will offer fresh opportunities for fresh purchases of stocks, consequently it will be likely advisable on the rally to dispose for the time being of such stocks as were purchased at lower figures, taking the chance of re-securing them at concessions. It looks as if one of the larger bull interests in the market had within a week past been compelled to do some tall liquidating. If this be correct it will prove immensely to the interest of the market, as it was more or less of a menace, one interest being so largely and heavily extended. The larger pools and combinations have added enormously to their stock holdings, and when the financial ship straightens up will be greatly interested in aiding any advance movement. One must expect more or less feverishness in the market after the recent turbulence; as well expect a man recovering from fever to go out and do as hitherto accustomed as to expect the market to have a long and immediate sustained advance; time, and not so much of it at that, will straighten matters out however.

Looking over the list, everything at present is low, though some things are probably better to buy than others. Any stocks upon the list if bought at present and held ought to afford a splendid profit-making opportunity. Personally, we prefer the standard shares to the lower-priced stocks. When the upward movement again starts, they will make the best record advances. The great crops garnered this year are yet ours for disposal and have to be hauled. The prices for them will be good. They are worth over five hundred millions more than the same crops were the previous year. This fact should not be lost sight of.

Summary—After a feverish and vacillating opening the rumor-mongers got to work and the bears attacked the market all along the line. Hardly any stock was overlooked. Prices fell rapidly, accelerated by stop orders and people sold indiscriminately. Values cut no figure whatsoever. Declines cut into many margins compelling sales. The field for the bargain-hunter and investor is a large and magnificent one at present. Stocks are now selling well below their intrinsic values. How much lower prices may be recorded, no man can positively determine. The western element, recently bullish upon the stock market, appears to be the objective point of the bear campaign in the market. Money closed 6 per cent. Sales 1,333,500.

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There is every reason to believe that the LARDEAU MINES will pay a profit of 270 per cent. PER YEAR, within a short time, and will continue to yield such profits for more than a lifetime.

These are stupendous figures, but we believe them to be absolutely conservative. Our reasons are based on these facts:

PROOF OF NO STOCK JOBBINC

In the first place the capitalization is only $100,000. This low capitalization shows upon the face of it that the company is honestly organized—that there is no suspicion of stock-jobbing, which has too often ruined many otherwise honest companies.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

The property is located in the celebrated Lardeau mining division of West Kootenay, British Columbia. The property owned by this company consists of three full claims, embracing an extent of 156 acres—mineral claims in British Columbia are 1,500x1,500 feet—equal to 51 acres in each extent. Three strong parallel ore veins run through the property from end to end, a distance of of 4,500 feet. If placed end to end this would give us 12,500 feet, equal to a continuous ore body over two and a half miles in length. The values are in gold, silver, copper and lead, and run from $25.00 to $77.00 per ton of 2,000 pounds. These results show indications of permanent values of the most convincing kind.

GROSS VALUE OF SHIPMENTS..

The gross value of shipments of ore aggregating 6,151,601 pounds from twelve mines in the Lardeau, all situated near the property owned by this company, was $461,410.81, equal to a return per ton of over $146.00. The property owned by this company shows up equally as well as any of these more fully developed mines, and will, we are convinced, shortly rank among the best in the Lardeau division.

READ THESE FIGURES CAREFULLY

In a very conservative statement issued by the officers of the company, appears the following:

"In order to show why we are confident we are right, we will estimate our ore values at $50.00 per ton, a little over one-third of the average ore values of the entire Lardeau mining division. We will also base our calculations on a daily output of 30 tons—a small amount compared with the extent of our property and the size of its ore bodies. We will allow $10.00 per ton for mining, transportation (a few miles only) and smelting charges. The profits after making a reasonable reduction for incidentals and surplus, work out as follows:

30 tons at $50.00 per ton...		$1,500
Less $10.00 per ton mining, transportation, and reduction charges		300
Net daily income......		1,200
Say for 300 days per year...... ...		300
Total net yearly income...		360,000
Deduct for incidental expenses, $3 per ton...	45,000	
Deduct for company's surplus account $3 per ton.	45,000	90,000
Total yearly net earnings......		$270,000

which sum is equal to 270 per cent. per annum on our capital stock of $100,000.

"This estimate is made on the basis of a small output compared to the extent of our property and the splendid facilities it affords for economical mining and on the operation of the mine for 300 days per year only, so that anyone can see at a glance that we are not overestimating in any particular, especially when the output of mines similiarly situated, and with ore bodies of less extent than ours, ship hundreds of tons each day. There is no good reason why our property, when fully developed—which will be within six months to a year—should not ship several hundreds of tons of ore per year, but we are basing our calculations on the immediate future in presenting the above estimate.

"We are now within seventy to eighty feet of the main ore veins, and assays show values as high as $77.00 per ton. The average returns from twelve mines in our district, according to Government records, which are always conservative, run as high as $146.40 a ton in gold, silver, copper and lead.

HONEST, LEGITIMATE MANAGEMENT

We know the men connected with the management of the LARDEAU MINES, and have known them for years. We know that they never were and never will be connected with any but honest and legitimately conducted enterprises.

REPORT OF MINING ENGINEER.

The property has been thoroughly examined by well known mining engineers and their reports have borne out every statement that has been made by the company. Mr. H. O. McClymont, one of the last engineers to make a report says in conclusion:

The average assays are most encouraging, considering the great width and continuancy of the leads across the country with such great width and prominence of the surface, and judging from other properties in the near vicinity, some of which are on the same level and have developed very rich ore bodies The LARDEAU MINES are as good as any, if not the best, in the vicinity, and I verily believe with a nominal expenditure, they should be made dividend-paying in a short time, and I would strongly recommend extensive developments towards that end. Signed, H. O. McClymont, Mining Engineer."

SMALL AMOUNT OF MONEY NEEDED.

As Mr. McClymont says in his report, only a small sum of money is needed to complete the development work and put these mines on a dividend paying basis.

We want to raise about $10,000 from the sale of shares, this money to be used to complete the work just specified.

A very short time will be required to raise this amount of money for this magnificent property, and then the sale of stock will be discontinued.

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The present price of the stock is 10 cents per share.

The price will be advanced to 15 cents per share very soon, and then 20 cents per share.

The company reserves the right to withdraw the stock from the market without notice.

TWO YEARS AGO—AND NOW.

We believe that there are 90 chances in 100 of the LARDEAU MINES proving a BONANZA. One property in the vicinity of the Lardeau was recently sold for $600,000 cash, and stock in addition. Two years ago it was not nearly as good a prospect as the Lardeau is today.

The LARDEAU MINES, LIMITED, is a small, close corporation and the profits will consequently be large to each stockholder.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

A Bazaar

The Faithful Workers' Mission Band of St. Paul's church intend holding a bazaar on Nov. 28th, in the school room. Refreshments will be served during the afternoon and evening.

A Clever Hen

Mr. James Dolan has a hen that has been working overtime during the present year, and has just brought out a third batch of chickens, having hatched them under the verandah. Mr. Dolan says that his hen is of Irish descent, and believes in raising large families.

Died from His Injuries

Mr. W. J. McCallum received a letter yesterday from Cordova mines stating that John Henderson, who met with an accident there on Monday, died on Thursday. A sister of deceased was formerly employed in Mr. McCallum's restaurant here. No particulars are to hand further than stated above.

An Open Switch

The yard engine of the C.P.R. ran off the track near Hunter street bridge yesterday. It is thought that some young lads had opened the swith thoughtlessly. The switch is on the small trestle near Hunter street, and had the engine not been running light and therefore slowly it would have pitched off into the Dawson property, and a bad smash up would have resulted. If such should have occurred it would have resulted in the severe punishment of the young culprits. Better not meddle with railway property, boys.

SCHOOL TEACHERS LEARN

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It was with difficulty that a neighbor induced me to try Grape-Nuts and I liked it from the first with thick cream and sugar. I lived on it exclusively with Postum Food Coffee until my digestion was so much improved I could eat other foods. My friends soon noticed the improvement in my looks, and I am now healthy, strong and happy. I attribute the change in my health solely to the change of diet.

Husband and I both like Grape-Nuts and Postum I think they are the most healthful and strengthening of all foods and drinks and suitable for the weak as well as for the strong.

A Close Call

Messrs. Smith and Stanton, of town, were in Lindsay on Thursday. On their return journey both jumped off the train while in motion at Omemee, and Joe Smith had a very narrow escape from being crippled for life. He struck the bank and was thrown down in such a shape that both his feet lay on the track. A wheel of one of the cars brushed Smith's feet from the track, and he miraculously escaped injury.

Shot 24 Deer

The Westlake and Brooke party of hunters, who have been popping their rifles at the deer in the neighborhood of Buckhorn for the past two weeks, returned to town last evening. The Westlake party shot eleven deer, while the Brooks party went them two better, killing thirteen deer. It is asserted that the Brooks party used something stronger than Brook water to draw the deer within range, and thus gained an advantage over the Westlake party of hunters.

As Popular as Ever

. Bengough, the great cartoonist, appeared in the opera house last night, under the auspices of the Charlotte street Methodist church. He was greeted with a full house, and his excellent portrayal of local characters were highly appreciated. Others may imitate Bengough and make some happy hits at times, but in his line he has no equal as a cartoonist and entertainer.

Promoted

We congratulate Mr. Charles Stringer, town, on his promotion to the position of district manager of the Bell Telephone Company. Mr. Stringer has been local manager here for some time past, and is deservedly popular with Peterborough patrons of the 'phone. Mr. Noecker, who has been assistant manager here, has gone to British Columbia. Mr. Stringer's successor in Peterborough, we understand, will be a Mr. Boon, from Orangeville.

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Subscribers to the Daily and also to the Weekly Times who will pay up arrears and also pay a year in advance, will be presented with a magnificent picture of the Coronation of Their Majesties, King Edward VII. and Queen Alexandra—(size 22x28, printed in 14 colors). They are splendid prints, and will serve as momentos of that great historical event. The picture is now to be seen at the Times Bookstore.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The second payment from subscribers to the new rink is now due.

—Temperance sermons will be preached in the Methodist, Baptist and Presbyterian churches on Sunday, Nov. 26th.

—The union barber shops have decided to close at 8 p.m. each evening, except Saturday, after Dec. 1st.

—A man was charged at the police court yesterday with pocket picking. He was remanded until to-day.

—Mr. Chris Graham mourns the loss of a splendid terrier pup. Poison was administered to the pup by some unknown parties without even a doctor's permit

—The Lakefield cheese factory has closed for the season. 2,200 cheese, weighing a total of 196,000, were manufactured during the year, and as a result about $20,000 found its way into the pockets of the patrons.

—Messrs. R. H. Kells and J. D. Pentland, two of the members of the Snowden hunting party, returned home from the Parry Sound district yesterday. The other members of the party are expected to return with the deer on Monday.

—The death occurred on November 10 at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, of Anne Elizabeth Haviland, widow of the late Hon. Thos. Heath Haviland, ex-Lieut.-Governor of Prince Edward Island. The maiden name of the deceased who was in her 88th year, was Grubbe. She was an aunt of Mr. R. W. Grubbe, town

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DEATHS

GRUBBE—At Charlottetown, P.E.I., Anne Elizabeth Grubbe, in her 88th year, widow of the late Hon. Heath Haviland, ex-Lieut.-Governor of Prince Edward Island.

Deceased was an aunt of Mr. R. W. Grubbe, late of the local staff of Toronto Bank.

Merry Sons of England

Notwithstanding the counter attraction at the opera house, the Sons of England had a delightful concert at their hall on Hunter street last night. The members with their wives and families and many outsiders were present, and the gathering was thoroughly representative of Old Merry England's home circles. The program provided was an excellent one, and as the majority present were either English or of English descent, the good things provided for the supper previous to the concert were not allowed to spoil

—The Marmora Herald, in referring to the program at a concert at Cordova, says: Miss DeReghem, of Peterborough, is a cultured singer and touched a tender responsive chord in the listeners. The banjo and guitar duets by Miss Dobbin and Mr. Henderson were good and the recitations by Miss White, of Peterborough, caused a good deal of amusement. Master Reggie Deacon was also appreciated in several high class selections. This was the foreign element in the programme.

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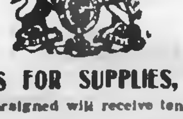

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. A. J. Gough, of Toronto, was in town yesterday.

—Miss Gladys Roy is visiting friends in Hamilton.

—Rev. Mr. Elliott, of Belleville, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. W. S. Sherin, of Lakefield, was in town Thursday evening.

—Mrs. Brandon, of Fenelon Falls, who has been visiting in town, has returned home.

—Mr. T. W. Suggett, of Lakefield, was registered at the Snowden House yesterday.

—Mr. John A. Sullivan, of Campbellford, was transacting business in town yesterday.

—Mr. Wm. Routley, of Toronto, is spending a few days in town with friends.

—J. W. Bengough, Toronto's cleverest cartoonist, gave the Times a fraternal visit yesterday afternoon.

—Mr. J. M. Hurley, ex-M.P., of Belleville, Overseer of Fisheries, was in town Thursday.

—Rev. J. A. Wilson, of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, preached preparatory sermons in Gardon Hill and Millbrook yesterday.

—Mr. Thomas Kelly, who accepted a position with a large power company at Niagara Falls, a short time ago, has returned to town, where he will remain.

—Marmora Herald: Messrs. Alphonse Shannon and Will Bateman left on Tuesday to seek their fortunes in Peterborough.

—Mrs. Bronson, the lady in charge of the dress-making establishment of Turnbull & Co., who has been a sufferer from quinsy for sometime past, has recovered and is again able to resume her duties.

—The following is taken from the social column of the Globe: Mr. T. Marshall Ostrom has removed with his family from Peterborough, and has taken up his residence at 36 Macdonald avenue, where Mrs. Ostrom will receive on every Thursday, except the first of each month

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A letter recently received by Dr. Hartman from Sister Beatrix B. Callam, 410 W. Thirtieth street, New York, reads as follows:

"I cannot say too much in praise of Peruna. Eight bottles of it cured me of catarrh of the lungs of four years' standing, and I would not have been without it for anything. It helped several Sisters of coughs and colds and I have yet to find one case of catarrh that it does not cure."—Sister Beatrix.

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"A number of years ago our attention was called to Dr. Hartman's Peruna, and since then we have used it with wonderful results for grip, coughs, colds and catarrhal diseases of the head and stomach.

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These are samples of letters received by Dr. Hartman from the various orders of Catholic Sisters throughout the United States.

The names and addresses to these letters have been withheld from respect to the Sisters but will be furnished upon request.

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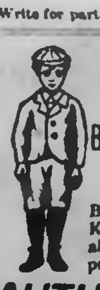

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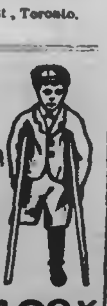

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THE GREAT AMERICAN INVASION OF CANADA

The Wonderful Influx of American Farmers Into the Canadian Northwest.

What an American Newspaper says About the Immigrating—Great Future for Canada.

Ottawa, Nov. 15—According to the official returns dealing with the subject of immigration it appears that during the fiscal year which ended on June 30 last, no less than 22,000 residents of the United States abandoned their native or adopted country, and with bag and baggage, and with about $2,000,000 marched across the border into Canada, to take up their abode and become permanent settlers there. A later official report announced the fact that this immigration is increasing at the rate of 12,000 ofr the last four months, and on the authority of the various agents it is reasonably estimated that in the course of the next year this number will at least be doubled, says the New York Times.

The majority of these migrators are agriculturalists from the north western states. Many of them are citizens of the United States by birth, excellent farmers of good and thrifty habits — others are grown up members of these and other families, young married couples, and a sprinkling of tradespeople. To these may be added a large number of farm and other laborers, and domestic servants, and in the trail of all follows a motley crowd of nomadic foreigners, mostly recent arrivals in America, including Swedes, Finns, Austrians, Poles, some Italians and Germans, and fewer Irish and Hungarians.

CANADA'S NORTHWEST.

The vast tracts of very productive grain growing, cattle raising, butter and cheese making lands comprised within the Northwest Territories of Canada have not long since been really discovered, and it is only within recent years that the Dominion and Provincial Governments in conjunction with local public companies and their respective agents have been enabled to publish the fact broadcast that there are such numberless unoccupied holdings obtainable in that district for merely nominal sums. The various agents located in the west especially have been most active lately in publishing and distributing the many alluring advantages existing for the agriculturist in the newly discovered expanse, and as the farmers from the United States are not altogether unacquainted with the neighboring land, and climatic conditions, these agents experience little difficulty in convincing them of the exceptional prospects and opportunities for the expeditious accumulation of a fortune This is amply evidenced by the present extraordinary migration. Moreover they know that, with a little difference in the nature of the climate, both countries are pretty much the same, and are only divided by an imaginary national line — the inhabitants on both sides are to all intents and purposes, one people, most speaking the same language — accustomed to the same habits and mode of life and enjoying virtually similar political freedom.

HOW CANADIANS VIEW IT.

The great majority of Canadians are unquestionably very favorably disposed toward the new-comers. They admire their energy, perseverance, and assurance, their good nature and liberality. This admiration is ostensibly exhibited by the average Canadian's proneness to imitate his neighbor in manner, speech and dress.

For many obvious reasons the Canadians would be more pleased to have a greater influx of British immigrants, and no effort has been spared or is being spared to induce a larger importation of new settlers from the old country. But unfortunately agriculture in Britain is on the wane, and the ancient British tiller of the soil is a man of the past. The old-fashioned farmer of the old country who was wont to stay at home personally and assiduously to farm his own little homestead, and be satisfied with a plain and frugal living and modest attire, has given way to the would-be "gentleman farmer."

What Canada wants is a hardy tiller of the soil, who can live and lead a simple, rural life, economically and modestly, and one who can adopt himself to the climatic conditions of the country as well as put up with the many inconveniences and necessary hardships connected with the development of virgin land. One also who will bring up and train his child to be a "chip of the old block."

SIGNIFICANCE OF THE EXODUS.

The affect of this great human transportation of United States citizens across the border has a more far-reaching significance than appears on the surface. The majority of the Canadian population at present is to be found in the eastern provinces, and they together practically govern the Dominion for the nonce. Ontario as yet counts for little, and the western states so far count for less. The result of a large and continuous immigration of United States citizens into the Northwest Territories of Canada must very materially affect the political balance of power in the Dominion within the next few years—in what way remains to be seen. Meanwhile there is no doubt that it must inevitably create a more cordial international relationship.

THREE SHOTS FIRED AT BELGIAN KING

Attempt on His Majesty's Life as He was Going to the Cathedral

Brussels, Nov. 15—Three shots were fired at the King of the Belgians this morning as his Majesty was proceeding to the Cathedral to attend a Te Deum in memory of the late Queen Marie Henriette. No one was hurt.

The man who fired the shots is an Italian. He stood in front of the Bank of Brussels on the Rue Royal. The other cartridges in his revolver proved to be blank, so it is presumed that those fired were equally harmless. The man was immediately arrested and the police had some difficulty in rescuing him from the hands of the crowd. He gave the name of Robini.

The Royal cortege consisted of several carriages, besides that of the King, containing the Count and Countess of Flanders, Prince and Princess Albert of Flanders, the Princess Clementine and aide de camp and ladies of honor.

STATEMENT OF MR. MITCHELL

To the Commission Sent Out by President Roosevelt

Scranton, Pa., Nov. 15.—The commission appointed by President Roosevelt to arbitrate the differences between the anthracite mine workers and their employers began the hearing of the miners' side of the case to-day. When the commission opened its session to-day the only evidence before it was the preliminary statement of Mr. Mitchell, in which he said:

"Of the 147,000 men and boys employed in the anthracite coal fields, 64,072 or 43 per cent., are employed on contract, or piece work; the remaining 82,-000, or 57 per cent., are employed by the hour, day, week or month. Of the 64,072 contract men, 37,804 are miners and 26,268 are miners' laborers.

DANGEROUS WORK.

"The work of a miner and a miners' laborer is extremely hazardous; in fact, it is more dangerous than employment in any other important industry in the world. The number of persons killed and injured is greater than in any other industry. Each day the anthracite coal mines are in operation 1 6-10 persons lose their lives, and three times as many are maimed, and yet these men receive less wages annually than are received by men performing precisely similar work in other fields, under more favorable and less hazardous conditions.

"The number of years a man can retain his health and strength in this occupation is limited. If he escapes death or injury by falls of rock or coal, he cannot escape attacks of miners' asthma. There is scarcely a mine worker who has not contracted this malady. The miners are compelled to work in powder smoke, in foul air, many of them in water, and their work is difficult and exhausting. Reputable insurance companies will not issue policies to this class of workmen. The risks are so great that the premiums would be prohibitive to men whose earnings are so low. The entire 20 per cent. which they demand as an increase in their wages would not suffice to carry an insurance of one thousand dollars.

"It seems but fair and just that wages paid these classes of workmen should be as high, if not higher, than wages paid to skilled artisans in other industries. It is certainly not unjust to ask that these miners should receive as high wages as are paid to miners in the bituminous coalfields, in the silver and gold mines, or in the iron ore and copper mines, all of which work is less hazardous, freer from liability to disease, requiring less experience and less skill, and is better paid than labor in the anthracite coalfields."

AN EIGHT-HOUR DAY.

In supporting the demand for the reduction of the hours of day laborers, Mr. Mitchell showed that it amounted practically to a demand for 20 per cent. increase of compensation for 83,000 men or 57 per cent. of all mine employes. He said further that the eight-hour day is the standard working day in the mining industry. Eight hours constitute a day's work in the coal mines of Great Britain; in all the silver, gold, and copper mines, and in the bituminous coal mines in the different States of this country.

FAIR SYSTEM OF WEIGHING.

Defending the third demand, that coal shall be weighed, and paid for by weight and that 2,240 pounds shall constitute a ton, Mr. Mitchell declared that the present method of measuring the coal produced by the miners in the Lackawanna, Wyoming and Lehigh regions has been the source of more discontent than any other of the many injustices imposed upon the miners, and there can be no contentment among these workers until an honest system has been adopted. Paying for coal by the car or by a ton weighing from 2,740 to 3,150 pounds is a flagrant injustice, he declared.

Mr. Mitchell continued: "The anthracite companies, not satisfied with an extra legal ton of from 2,740 to 3,150 pounds, have a system of docking, through which they appropriate additional part of the miners' earnings. A miner is docked all the way from 500 to 1,000 pounds upon a car, as a penalty for loading impurities, for which he has already been penalized to the extent of from 700 to 900 pounds in excess of impure weight. In other words, he is punished twice for the same offence."

SETTLE DISPUTES.

Mr. Mitchell then took up the fourth demand of the miners, for a trade agreement, with the necessary machinery for the adjustment of local grievances. He outlined the history and policy of the United Mine Workers of America, and explained that by its constitution the anthracite and bituminous mine workers had some rule for the local government of local affairs.

"The only manner," he said, "in which the national organization is permitted to interfere is that before a strike is inaugurated by the district organization the approval of the president of the National Union must be obtained; but the president of the national organization has no authority to inaugurate a strike. Thus the coal mine operators are afforded a greater measure of protection against a strike than they would have under a separate and independent organization."

THE UNION'S RESPONSIBILITY.

As to the responsibility of the mine workers' organization Mr. Mitchell said: "At the present time the United Mine Workers of America has contracts with the operators of fourteen States and district, fixing the amount the miners shall receive per ton, the amount the various classes of labor shall receive per day, the number of hours which shall constitute a day's work and the methods and machinery for the adjustment of local grievances by joint conference with the mine owners. These are mutual contracts, which are advantageous to both miner and operator, and protect the public against the effects of strikes or lockouts. The reports of the United States Government on strikes in the mining industry show that the number and duration of strikes has been materially reduced each year since the system of joint conference and mutual agreement has been introduced.

"The trade agreement has proved effective in restraining workmen from engaging in local or general strikes. There have been no strikes of any magnitude in any of the coal mining States in which trade agreements exist. We seek to establish the same method of adjusting wage differences in the anthracite field."

PLEA FOR CHILDREN.

Mr. Mitchell concludes with a plea for the children. He said: "Our little boys should not be forced into the mines and breakers so early in life; our little girls should not be compelled to work in the mills and factories at an age when they should be in school. These children are the future citizens of our nation; their parents should be enabled to earn wages sufficiently high to give them at least a common school education, so as to equip them better for the grave responsibilities which will ultimately devolve upon them."

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Sports and Pastimes

St. John's Choir Boys won their fourth consecutive victory on Saturday, defeating the Rough Riders by 11 points to 8. The game was a splendid exhibition of rugby, although a little rough at some times.

The following were the teams:

St. John's		Rough Riders
	—Back—	
B. Weller,		Lang
	—Halves—	
A. Boucher		B. Macfarlane
A. Mulhern		R. Hall
A. Hodgson		F Craig
	—Quarter—	
Jack Seymour		Carmichael
	—Scrimmage—	
Yelcome		Shook
A. Wood		Winch
G. Cumming		Brown
	—Wings—	
F. Shalpany		Burgitt
C. Ray		Gray
H. Smith		Daly
H. Sawers		Sheffield
H. Walkey		Ackerman
F. Sawers		O'Brien
G. Campbell		Giroux

Referee—R. F. McWilliams.

The choir boys have had a splendid season, winning all their games, and scoring 65 points to their opponents 13.

—They have a rugby player in Syracuse with a wooden leg. We have plenty of players in Ontario with wooden heads.

—New York is looking for new Canadian faces on the teams there. Up till today no Berlin or London players have been accepted.—Woodstock Times.

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL.

Rusults of the Vote for Mayor and Alderman.

MAYOR HARRY DENNE LEADS

With Alderman George A Roger a Very Close Second.

A Batch of New Men for the Council—The Trend of Public Opinion Being Reflected by the Vote.

The leading candidates for the Mayoralty up to yesterday evening at 6 o'clock were:

Mayor Denne	15
R. F. McWilliams	10
Ald. Roger	10
Ald. Best	10
Ald. Shortly	10
Harry Le Brun	5

The leading candidates for Aldermen were:

Ald. Best	15
Ald. Rush	15
Ald. Shortly	15
Ald. Edgecumbe	15
Ald. Batten	15
A. E. Dixon	10
Ald. Morrison	10
A. W. Cressman	10
Ald. Roger	10
Ald. Clinkscale	5
G. W. Morrow	5
F. H. Dobbin	5
Ald. Corkery	5
W. Sallsbury	5
Dickson Davidson	5
Macfarlane Wilson	5
E. F. Mason	5
J. J. Howden	5
R. E. Layfield	5
Robt. Fair	5
Kelsey Hall	5
H. Le Brun	5
Geo. Elliott	5

We all know what nomination meetings amount to. As a general rule they are poorly attended, and it is only after the duly elected mayor and aldermen have been in control of civic affairs for some months that we hear the kicks coming. For this reason we believe the free and independent taxpayers appreciate the efforts of The Times in giving them a chance to privately express their opinions as to who shall be the man to govern our civic affairs for the year 1903. The positions should seek the men, and not the men the positions. Every man chosen should be the people's choice and not the nominee or choice of any "clique." There are no great issues yet in view in the coming municipal contest, and all that appears to be necessary is to choose men of administrative ability; economical men; men who will guard the corporation interests as carefully as if the shillings and dollars were coming out of their own pockets, and at the same time, be always ready to consider and weigh carefully every proposition for the town's welfare and advancement.

It is for the people to choose such men, and The Times invites all electors to record their opinions through this journal as to the men whom they believe will faithfully and well manage the affairs of this town next year. We would also like your letters on the subject.

OUR TOWN COUNCIL.

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The state of the poll will be published occasionally, at the start, and later on, the result of each day's vote will be made known every morning.

The Latest Styles

In At Home cards and wedding stationery at The Times Bookstore. The newest and most up-to-date stationery, for up-to-date people.

REVENGE OF UNION MINERS

Gates of Non-Union Men Painted White as a Brand for All to see.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Nov. 15—The union mine workers in the town of Lattimer, have distinguished themselves from the men who worked during the strike by painting the gates in front of the non-union men's houses white. As none of the fences and few of the houses of Lattimer are painted, the distinguishing mark cannot be avoided. Attempts to paint it out only make matters worse.

MANY KILLED IN GUATEMALA

Volcanic Eruption Wiped Out Villages and Destroyed Coffee Plantations.

San Francisco, Nov. 15—News received today to the Pacific mail steamer Newport confirms the report received last Sunday of much damage done in Guatemala, on the morning of Oct. 25 as the result of a violent eruption of the volcano of Santa Maria in Quezaltenango district, on the seaward slope of a small range of mountains seperating Quezaltenango from the port of Champerico.

Details are being suppressed by the Government, but it is said that many lives were lost as the result of the fall of ashes; thousands of horses, cattle and other animals were killed and rich coffee plantations ruined. The loss of the new crop of coffee will amount to 15,000 tons.

Americans in Champerico said the towns of Palmar, San Felipe, Colombia and Coatepec had been destroyed with probably great loss of life.

The ashes thrown from the volcano still lay over the plantations to a depth of six or seven feet, and the houses had been crushed by the weight of mud and stones.

Falling ashes and floating pumice stone were encountered by the Newport at sea 130 miles away from the volcano.

PLAIN MAN FOR HUSBAND

Matrimonially Speaking This is Heyday of His Popularity

London, Nov. 15—As the result of examining a very extensive collection of portraits of the newly-married obtained from the illustrated papers, the present writer has come to the conclusion that the plain man is just now in the heyday of his popularity, matrimonially speaking.

It would seem that while the handsome man is charming to dally with, some one whose features are homely indeed even ugly, is regarded as the wiser matrimonial venture.

The wives of the modern Adonis appear to have discovered, in fact, that by her own act she created a problem that brings to her many hours of uneasiness, if not of actual pain.

Her husband lives upon the approbation of others. Her own worship of him may for a while suffice to satisfy him; but later on he will assuredly heed that of the outside world. And the outside world is only too pleased to grant him all the admiration he requires. Teas, dinner parties, picnics, skating meetings demand his presence constantly, but make no point of his being there at all, a fact she quickly discerns, and proportionately resents. Should she absent herself from such gaities, she imagines her husband making himself too agreeable to this pretty woman or that, and should she become a hanger-on of his popularity she is all the while seething with hatred for her equivocal position.

Much of the vanity of the handsome man arises from the indiscreet adoration showered upon him in childhood. As he grows up he is made much of outside the family circle because it is pleasant to have in a room full of guests as many handsome men as possible. And the sequel? Is it not obvious? When he fell in love, it was not altogether because his choice was fair and sweet, but because, she, too, paid him the tribute of admiration.

WANTS GOOD MEN

Now, it is all very well to put a man on a pedestal and wreathe him with bays before marriage; but what a woman wants after marriage is a good and serviceable article in the way of a husband.

It is excessively annoying to a woman always to have to play second fiddle pianissimo when the beauty question is uppermost. Breathes there the wife in any household who dislikes some little passing mention made from time to time about her good looks and charming individuality? But the wife of an Adonis obtains little of this sweet incense.

Sweep away this picture and contemplate the companion one of the plain husband. His object is to make life a bed of roses for his wife and family. Unselfishly the plain man toils.

The plain husband "puts up" with things. Did ever a handsome one brook the domestic trials he cheerfully endures? Somehow the handsome man is expected to regard calamities from quite a different standpoint. Nay, more, the ugly, good humored head of a household is expected to be the handy man of the family. If a chimney smokes, his plain features must be begrimed in at attempt to get at the root of the mischief; if a pipe leaks, his red and uncultured paws are quite good enough to probe the defect to its very depths. What handsome curled darling could possibly be expected to risk his good looks by performing such nasty tasks as these?

AMERICAN CAR SHORTAGE WORSE THAN CANADIAN

Present Famine in Rolling Stock to be Discussed

Montreal, Nov. 15—Mr. W. H. Rosevear, general car accountant of the Grand Trunk Railway System, has gone to New York to attend a meeting of the car service officials of the Eastern trunk lines. The Canadian Pacific would have been represented had it not been for the press of business and the number of officials out on special service.

The principal business to be discussed at the meeting will be the present car famine, which is daily becoming worse all over the continent. The Canadian roads do not appear to be so helplessly congested as some of their neighbors to the south.

Taking the Canadian Pacific as an example, today they are only short 2,000 cars, while at this time, last year, the number they lacked went up to over double this figure.

"We could very well do with 2,000 more cars," said a Canadian Pacific car service official today, "but we would also at the same time require additional motive power to handle them. It is not only a shortage of cars, all the roads are suffering from, they are equally short of locomotives, and it is for this reason that so many orders for locomotives are being placed in Scotland.

SITUATION OF G.T.R.

The Grand Trunk people say that while the shortage is not as acute as last year, they could do with five thousand additional cars. The Intercolonial is said to be worse off than any Canadian road; it has always been short of freight rolling stock, and this year is unable to furnish cars to exchanging systems. Taken as a whole, the situation, it is claimed, is 50 per cent. easier than it was a year ago in Canada, thirty-three per cent. of which is represented by new stock The Canada Atlantic is reported to be about normal in its car supply.

The Canadian Pacific is turning out about 25 cars a day and when the new shops are completed, this number will be triplicated. Another material reason for the delay in returning cars has been the lack of local labor to handle the freight, and on account of the industrial boom, the want of terminal and siding facilities.

It is understood that the present tour of inspection of Mr. C. M. Hays, general manager of the Grand Trunk, and the executive, is for the purpose of ascertaining what improvements are necessary in Toronto, Georgian Bay, and midland division terminals, in order to secure the more rapid handling of freight.

WHY PAUL KRUGER FLED FROM SOUTH AFRICA

Ex-President Says His Age Prevented Him from Keeping the Field

Next Governor of Australia Duke of Somerset or Lord Windsor—Huge Sums of English Money Spent in France

London, Nov. 15—The Times publishes further extracts from ex-President Kruger's memoirs, dealing with the Sand River convention, the War of Independence of 1880-81, and Mr. Kruger's four Presidencies. Referring to his flight from Pretoria after the relief of Mafeking, when Great Britain's troops began to stream into the South African republic. The ex-President says:—

"It became daily clearer that in my old age I should have to leave wife, home and all that was dear to me in order to seek refuge in the ast ofthe republic, and there commence the struggle anew. The thought of departure lay heavy on my heart, the more so as my wife was so old and weak that I could not think of taking her. On my last day in Pretoria, May 21, 1900, I received an American lad, Jimmy Smith, bringing an address in which thousands of Philadelphia school boys sent a message of sympathy to a leader of people engaged in defending their independence. I was obliged to desert Pretoria or allow myself to be taken prisoner. Age prevented me from riding; it was therefore impossible for me to accompany the commandos further." Mr. Kruger then describes his "long pilgrimmage" to Europe, via Lorenzo Marquez, and his reception in France.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF AUSTRALIA

Melbourne, Nov. 15—It is unofficially reported that either the Duke of Somerset or Lord Windsor, will possibly be appointed Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia.

CHRISTIAN WORK IN SOUTH AFRICA.

London, Nov. 15—The Scottish Presbyters of Cape Town, says a correspondent in that city, have passed a resolution, assuring their brethren of the Dutch Reformed Church of their sympathy. While regretting the temporary estrangement, due to the war, they hope it will be possible to co-operate in Christian work in the future.

ENGLISH MONEY SPENT IN FRANCE

London, Nov. 15—Jean Finot, editor of Revue des Revues, publishes an article quoted by a Paris correspondent on British-French relations. M. Finot points out that the amount of English purchases in France is constantly growing, showing an increase of $116,000,000 in the last five years. England last year took 30 per cent. of all the French exports. M. Finot adds:—The money left in our country is commonly estimated at $250,000,000, making $800,000,000 as the formidable total yearly paid to France by England.

MANY REFORMS ARE SUGGESTED

London, Nov. 15—Baron Sonnino's scheme for reforms in the southern provinces, says a Rome correspondent, seems to have induced the Government to formulate a social programme which Premier Zanardelli has been compiling for several months. The programme includes a reduction of the cost of salt, partial abolition of the land tax on small holdings, etc., and exemption from income tax for grazing farms and workmen's wages, together with a divorce and affiliation bill. The cost of the programme, which will probably be $7,-500,000, is to be covered by a special fund formed out of budget surpluses.

MAD MULLAH SEEKS AN ALLIANCE.

London, Nov. 15—With reference to Somaliland, a Rome correspondent says that more than one proposal for an alliance has been received by Italy from the Mad Mullah and his agents. However, says the correspondent, there is reason to believe that these proposals have been treated in a manner consistent with a straightforward understanding between Italy and Great Britain. It may be confidentially asserted, the correspondent adds, that there is every disposition to afford to Great Britain such moral assistance as is compatible with the interests, which Italy is justified in considering.

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DISTRICT NEWS

KEENE.

(Too late for last issue of Weekly Times)

—Mrs. T. Campbell, of Peterborough, was visiting at Dr. Harrison's for a few days this week.

—Robt. McCamus, Amos Shearer, Dr. Stoddard, F. McMillan and H. Taylor, arrived from the north on Monday after spending a week deer hunting. They brought home five deer.

—Mr. Ed. Howson is giving up farming and is moving to Peterborough. He sold his stock and implements by auction on Thursday.

Mr. Scott Robinson is confined to the house with an attack of quinsy.

—Mr. J. H. Cruikshank, of Toronto, is at present visiting his mother, who is dangerously ill.

—Mr. Jas. Hagan, of Port Hope, shipper a carload of cattle from here last Tuesday for the Toronto market.

—The farmers around here have sold all their surplus fowl to Mr. Silverwood, buyer for Dundas & Flavelle, Lindsay. He shipped a carload of chickens on Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Soucie left for their home in St. Ignace, Mich., on Thursday.

—Mr. Harry Newton has leased a farm at Young's Point and will move there soon.

—Ms. Edward Doris arrived home from Albion, N.Y., on Saturday where she had been visiting her daughter who was seriously ill.

—Miss Kate Soucie, who has been spending a couple of weeks with her mother, left for her home in Geneseo, N.Y., on Thursday.

—The boys are all getting back to the village again, after spending six months of hard labor on the farm. They are all ready for a good winter's fun. The hockey team will no doubt soon be organized.

—Master Harold Robinson is at present seriously ill.

RITCHIE'S HEAD CRUSHED

Through Inch Planking—Marvelous Escape of Two Men

Orillia, Nov. 15— Few persons have gone through such a terrible experience as befell Mr. Frank McPherson and Mr. Wm. Ritchie. They were engaged in loading machinery on the hoist in the implement establishment of Chas. McPherson & Son, and had got about a ton weight of disc harrows ready to be lowered into the cellar, when the wheel which operates the elevator gave way, and the whole affair fell with a crash. The lower hoist, which was the one Messrs. McPherson and Ritchie were loading from a dray, was about three feet shorter than the upper hoist, and anyone working at the side of the former would be standing upon the latter, consequently when the wheel which operated both hoists gave way, the upper one fell on the two men, who were under it. When the falling hoist struck Mr. Ritchie, his head went through the inch planking of the upper hoist, as though it had been pasteboard, and he was left standing amidst the wreck. Mr. McPherson was not so fortunate. He was struck on the shoulders by a two-inch plank which formed one of the cross-pieces of the upper hoist, and was borne to the ground with his face jammed against his boots, and the weight of a ton of machinery bearing upon him. Mr. Ritchie ran down stairs under the impression that he would be able to lift the hoist there, but found the apparatus broken. He then raised the alarm, and a crowd of men gathered, who, after strenuous exertions, succeeded in raising the hoist sufficiently to remove the unfortunate young man who was pinned beneath it; his face crushed between his legs, and his knee thrust into his ribs, but the rescuers were relieved, albeit somewhat surprised, to find that he was still living. He was got out, taken home, and medical aid summoned as soon as possible. He may recover.

The Day of Miracles Not Past

A Toronto "Star" reporter investigated the case of Mr. Geo. Warner, and found that after thirteen years of almost total deafness, he had been cured by inhaling Catarrhozone. This proves that where Catarrhozone treatment is employed, impaired hearing and deafness can be cured. Catarrhozone always brings quick relief and is warranted to give lasting satisfaction. All suffering from Impaired Hearing, Deafness, Head Noises and Ringing in the Ears are advised to inhale Catarrhozone and derive the great benefit it is capable of affording. Price $1.00, small size, 25c. Druggists or N.C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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Have you pain in the back, a dull feeling in the region of the kidneys? At times your water comes freely, a large quantity light in color, while at other times you do not make it quite so freely, it is dark in color, you make a small quantity, or you may have a mucous deposit or brick dust colored sediment; give your condition immediate attention or more serious complications will set in. My treatment guaranteed as a positive cure for such conditions, and remember you **PAY WHEN CURED.**

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, NOV. 17, 1902.

A SENSIBLE VIEW

The annexation proposition in reference to other British possessions in this hemisphere is now, and will likely remain for years, quiescent. If the complete union of the English speaking portions of the Northern continent is ever realized, it will be accomplished without bloodshed and under an agreement satisfactory to the three great parties to the bargain. No permanent union other than a mutually voluntary one is ever possible between this country and Canada, and those who maintain otherwise are either hopelessly ignorant of public sentiment on the other side of the line or shamelessly demagogic in catering to certain elements on this.—Brooklyn Eagle.

It is refreshing, says the Ottawa Citizen, to read in an American paper such commonsense views on the annexation question. If the advocates of annexation only realized the fact, they are doing everything that is possible to prevent the possibility of the realization of their object by the course they pursue in misrepresenting Canada and Canadian sentiment. The ill-considered booming of annexation is one of the greatest obstacles to harmonious intercourse between Canadians and Americans. No self-respecting Canadian or body of Canadians likes to make any move in the direction of cultivating pleasant relations between the two peoples from the very fact that their action is likely to be misconstrued and misrepresented by the blatant organs of annexation on the other side who seize on every possible incident, in and out of season, to parade as evidence of the existance of annexation sentiment in Canada. Instead of doing the cause they advocate any good, they are the strongest factor in making it an impossibility. Perhaps, for that reason, they are not an unmixed evil, but Canadians as a people have a kindly feeling towards their cousins across the line and would cultivate intercourse with them more were it not for the apprehension that it would be misunderstood and misrepresented.

THE YOUNG MEN OF CANADA

Sir Wilfrid Laurier gave good advice to the young men at the Laval banquet. He asked them to study the political questions of the day—questions which vitally affected the whole country. He deplored the indifference which existed in France, and indifference which made it possible for a small minority to rule the country. He asked for an ardent interest in this splendid young country, just on the way to glorious nationhood; he asked that the young men of the country, without respect to politics, should, while not neglecting those studies by which they hoped to mount to eminence, or at least to respectability, make it their business to understand the motives and genius of the political parties, the subjects which affected large masses of the people, and with which the prosperity of the country was bound up. This is the great misfortune of this country, that for the most part our young men are indifferent to the questions which affect vital interests in which they have, if they could only realize it, the deepest concern. We have certain small noisy groups in every centre which constitute themselves leaders and which seek, at election times, to dominate the situation. As a matter of fact, the best element of the population hang back from participation in political matters, and the result is that it is easy for the professional politician to work his will. But let the bright young men of the country take an interest in public questions, let them band themselves together, let them debate living subjects of interest and not themes as dead as Julius Caesar, which is too frequently the case, and it will be a step, and a decisive step towards a reform in our political state. That is to say, if you have in every centre large bodies of the ardent young men of the country taking a lively interest in the questions of the day, then insensibly but surely public men would take a higher moral stand, public righteousness would not be sneered at as an impossibility, and you would have a sane, high tone which would be of incalculable service to this country.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

In Ontario it is a toss up where the prohibitionists or the wine clerks come under the head of spirit-wrestlers.

The name of Tarte was cheered at the banquet given to Prefontaine. Which indicates that Tarte is popular with all classes in Quebec, even in the camp of his reputed political foe.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE DEFENDED

To the Editor of the Times:

In reference to the recent report in your paper, re the White Plains, N. Y., case, where little Esther Quimby passed away while under Christian Science treatment, allow me to make the following statement, after having thoroughly investigated the circumstances.

The child's parents and Mr. Lathrop, the Christian Scientist in charge of the case, broke no law, as the child was kept home from school as soon as she felt in the least unwell, and the health officer notified, that he might take what action he saw fit if the disease proved to be contagious. In spite of the agitation raised by the enemies of Christian Science, no contagion whatever has resulted from this case, though it has been shown that there were several cases of diphtheria in White Plains before the Quimby child was taken ill. This same child had previously been raised from invalidism to health and strength through Christian Science. It is a noteworthy fact that Mr. Lathrop, while under arrest, and out on bail, continued to treat the remaining members of the family, who had contracted the disease; and that while the health's officer's sworn testimony was that he found the usual signs of diphtheria on Oct. 22, he lifted the quarantine on Oct. 27th, as no traces of the disease were left. Thus every vestige of diphtheria was removed through Christian Science alone, and without any drugs or disinfectants, in less than 5 days. Does this show that this science is a danger to the public health?

While the coroner is denouncing Christian Scientists for losing one case, it would be interesting to hear his explanation of the loss, under medical treatment, of the 12,329 cases of diphtheria and croup in Greater New York alone during 1901.

After reviewing this case, the editor of the Albany "Press Knickerbocker" says:

"Already public opinion has undergone such a change that the attempt to persecute these believers in Christian Science will probably fail through.

"That the present outcry against Christian Scientists is due to narrow-mindedness is plainly evident. In her statement to the coroner Mrs. Quimby said that she had lost four children before she had accepted Christian Science; that she had been cured of valvular heart trouble by a Faith practitioner; that she had withdrawn her daughter from school as soon as she learned that her child was ill with diphtheria; that her two remaining children had recovered after being treated by Mr. Lathrop. Under the circumstances we should say that the Christian Science attendant was more successful than the medical practitioners who lost the four Quimby children before the parents accepted their present faith.

"The attacks upon a Christian belief are in fact driving thousands of intelligent, influential people into the Church of Christ, Scientist. If there is anything false or harmful in the cult the public will soon turn from it. But Christian Science appears to be above the methods of charlatans. The constant accessions which it is receiving annually and the substantial churches which are being erected in all parts of the country, bear witness to the hold it has taken upon many sound minds."

Commenting on the same case in a lengthy article in the Montreal Star, the editor says:

"If therefore the state today, in conducting such a prosecution as the one referred to, cannot take its stand on any particular system of medicine, and affirm that treatment under that system would certainly have saved life, neither can it safely take the ground that the measures resorted to by the Christian Scientists were absolutely in their nature destitute of any curative power......The Christian Scientists of today may be condemned, but we do not think the condemnation will long hold good. The principle of liberty must prevail in the end."

Such statements coming from such influential sources and uttered by men who are not Christian Scientists indicate the attitude of the more thoughtful classes in every community. Christian Scientists are quite willing to await the issue of this case without fear as to the result knowing that such persecution will cease when their faith is better understood.

Thanking you for your courtesy in this matter, I am

Yours respectfully,
G. R. MUNRO.

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THE MOONSTONE SPHINX

By Mrs C N Williamson

Author of The Barn Stormers
Fortune's Spor, Miss Nobody,
Her Royal Highness Lady
Mary of the Dark
House, etc.

Dick could not speak. His lips fell apart, his eyes stared.

"When I went out this afternoon I left on this desk a roll of bank-notes which I intended to devote to a certain purpose," Macaire went on. "There were two hundred and thirty pounds exactly. I had not been gone an hour when I remembered the money, and where I had put it. I should have thought it was safe, as I knew you would be writing letters at the desk, had I not heard while I was out a thing which gave me a shock and opened my eyes. You told me that you had taken my moonstone to a jeweler's, but a friend of mine who knew what it was like saw it at the Casino in the hands of a Frenchwoman, who was using it for luck. Knowing that I valued the thing, he asked the woman where she got it, and was informed that she had bought it last night of a young Englishman who wanted money for the game. Now, Gray, what have you to say to that?"

"I—I—" stammered Dick, like a schoolboy arraigned by the master, "I meant to tell you. It was done in a moment of impulse."

"A moment of impulse!" sneered Macaire. "And it was in a moment of impulse that you took fifty pounds from the roll of money on my desk, relying on my carelessness, or meaning perhaps to put the theft on a servant."

"Who—who dared to say that?"

"No one has said so. But you should have thought of your mother and sister."

"I must have been mad. For Heaven's sake, have mercy."

"None of that conventional cant, if you please. But you speak of your mother and sister. On one condition, and one only, will I spare you the punishment you deserve."

Dick's eyes, strained and bloodshot in his agony, grew bright.

"Tell me what it is and I'll do it—I'll do anything."

"It's not for you to do. I'll give you time to write home and get an answer by telegraph. If Winifred Gray cares enough for her brother to save him, she can."

"You want her to intercede for me?"

"I want her to buy you off."

Dick grew pale. "You mean——"

"I mean this. Two weeks from to-day I intend to be in London. I give a dinner on that night at nine o'clock to friends at my house. If she telegraphs you that she consents to come to that dinner you can go to England with me a free man. No one but ourselves need know what has happened. If she refuses you go to jail, and I stay on only long enough to see you through the court, and make sure you get the sentence you merit. Then I go and leave you to think over your ingratitude in prison."

"Oh, if that is all," cried Dick, "she would do that, and more, for me, I know—for mother's sake, if not mine. But it is so strange that you should wish——"

"That's my affair and hers," broke in Macaire. "Write now; tell her what you have done, and what I mean to do. Tell her I will only wait to act until she wires her answer. Whether you are disgraced for life, as you richly deserve to be, or whether you are spared, depends entirely upon her decision. Sit down now and write. Make this clear to her. And when you have written your letter I will read it."

Dick half fell into the chair at the desk to which Macaire pointed, and taking up a pen with fingers that shook almost too much to hold it, he began to write. As he wrote, bowing his face over his task, a tear or two fell on the letter raising round blisters on the thick creamy paper. He had always had the gift of writing, and now, after the first effort of beginning, he became eloquent, impassioned, in his appeal. He painted a terrible picture of his future as it would be if Winifred failed him, and he strove to show what a small thing, after all, was exacted of her by the eccentric whim of Lionel Macaire.

When he had signed himself her repentant and distracted brother, loving her, hoping alone in her, while on the verge of madness, he gave the letter to Macaire, who read it slowly.

"That will do," the latter pronounced at last. "She will get this the day after to-morrow. The same day you ought to receive her telegram. Meantime, I advise you to have an illness and keep to your room."

"You will allow me to do that?" Dick stammered.

"Till the wire comes; then we shall see. But I warn you, there is no use thinking of giving me the slip. The 'invalid' will be watched too carefully for that. And an attempt would only make matters worse for you in the end."

"There will be no such attempt," said Dick. "I promise."

Macaire sneered at him. "As though I'd take your word after what's happened! I shall have more than your promise to depend on. I'll post this letter. Now go to your kennel, like the whipped dog you are."

All Dick's blood seemed tingling in his face. His impulse was to strike and avenge this last insult; but his hand fell even as it clenched for lifting. The awful look in Macaire's marred face cowed him as if, indeed, he had been a whipped dog.

Turning without another word, he went to his room, Macaire following as far as the first threshold to watch him down the passage.

In quietness and darkness, with his door locked, he walked to the window that looked out upon the garish brightness of the rock-set town, blazing like a triple necklace of jewels against the blue velvet and gauze of sea and sky. If he chose—and dared—he might throw himself headlong out, and all would be ended. But no, he would not do that. He did not wish to die, leaving such a legacy of shame to his mother, for whom he longed now with a boy's homesick longing. She loved him dearly still, in spite of all, and there was nothing she could not forgive. That was the way with mothers. And Winifred would rescue him—Winifred, who had been partly right about Macaire, after all.

As he stood gazing miserably out upon the crowds of light-hearted people, whose merriment mocked him, there came a quick knock at the door. Dick went to it and listened for a few seconds, expecting he scarcely knew what; then in a low voice he demanded who was there.

"It's I—von Zellheim," came the answer; and with a hopeful leap of the heart Dick unlocked the door.

"Thank Heaven you're here!" he exclaimed when Hope Newcome was with him and the key turned again.

It was dark in the room, but Dick turned on the light, and Newcome uttered an ejaculation at sight of the younger man's face.

"Why, what's the matter?" he asked.

"Haven't you heard anything from Macaire?"

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NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
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New York, Nov. 15—The New York Sun an evening or so ago in speaking of the affairs of the United States Steel Corporation, remarked as follows:— Concerning the prophecies made so freely a few weeks ago that the beginning of the end of the great prosperity in the steel trade was at hand, it is rather amusing to read in despatches from the great steel centres that the United States Steel Corporation has decided to ignore all orders for material coming from brokers and speculators, because of the tremendous demand at this time. The orders on the books of the Corporation cannot be supplied for months; they are coming in constantly, and all previous records have been broken. The action of the Steel Corporation is to prevent any possible corner of the available supply. Those who need material will be supplied, but orders will be scrutinized carefully. Any mills that make it a point to hold back material will have to reckon with the United States Steel Corporation. Staple prices that will insure a steady demand is the policy that will be insisted upon at all times. This state of affairs does not foreshadow any let up in the phenomenal business of the Company. It shows them to be going ahead at their customary gait, in fact breaking all past records. The stocks have been most determinedly attacked, owing to the fact that the public were heavy holders of them. Those who were hurt in the balance of the market were compelled to liquidate much steel for additional protection of their accounts. Considering the viciousness of the attacks upon the property and the many malicious rumours put in circulation, the stock has held remarkably well. The Evening Sun states that, while it cannot be confirmed, the Stock Exchange authorities have, or will, take action to find out just who has been circulating rumours that are absolutely unfounded. There is a feeling in Wall Street that, though honest rumours are a good thing, the circulation of malicious rumours has gone too far. The bears have not had such a revel in the share markets for a very long time. However, the old adage, "All's fair in love and war," may be prostituted. Many people are strongly of the idea that some of the modern Ananias' of Wall Street have been overzealous.

Summary—The market opened this morning ,at from parity with last night's close quotations to one and one-half per cent. higher, then displayed more or less hesitation, receding from 1/2 per cent. to a point, after which it gathered more strength advancing smartly. Before 11.30 quotations generally exceeded the advance prices of the opening. Shorts covered freely while excellent buying was developed in the leading issues. Stocks are remarkably cheap at present. Reserves showed an increase of about $800,000, while loans decreased $6,000,000. Loans would have decreased materially had yesterday's liquidation sales been deliverable then instead of Monday as is the case. Loans have decreased more materially than shown in the statement. Prices shaded somewhat after publication of the bank statement. Even if lowest prices have not been made, which we very much doubt, prices should advance 5 to 10 points from today's quotations before receding materially. Monday's letter—Those Rock Island issues. Money closed 4 per cent. Sales 620,300.

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ALL STOCKHOLDERS

will also reap the benefit. Subscribe early and while the stock is selling at $1.00 per share, its par value. Only a few more shares left at this price.

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We are investigating these propositions now and if it is decided to make the purchase the stock will immediately advance to $1.50 per share at least in the open market.

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The LARDEAU Mines, Capitalized at Only $100,000.00, Should Produce $270,000.00 Net Revenue Per Year—These Figures are Based on the Reports of Well-Known Mining Engineers—Present Price of the Stock Only 10 Cents a Share, but Subscriptions Will Have to be Made Promptly, as the Price Will Soon Advance to Very Much Higher Figures.

We do not hesitate to say that in our judgment stock in the LARDEAU MINES LIMITED, offers a most magnificent opportunity for investment.

There is every reason to believe that the LARDEAU MINES will pay a profit of 270 per cent. PER YEAR, within a short time, and will continue to yield such profits for more than a lifetime.

These are stupendous figures, but we believe them to be absolutely conservative. Our reasons are based on these facts:

PROOF OF NO STOCK JOBBING

In the first place the capitalization is only $100,000. This low capitalization shows upon the face of it that the company is honestly organized—that there is no suspicion of stock-jobbing, which has too often ruined many otherwise honest companies.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

The property is located in the celebrated Lardeau mining division of West Kootenay, British Columbia. The property owned by this company consists of three full claims, embracing an extent of 156 acres—mineral claims in British Columbia are 1,500x1,500 feet— equal to 52 acres in each extent. Three strong parallel ore veins run through the property from end to end, a distance of of 4,500 feet. If placed end to end this would give us 13,500 feet, equal to a continuous ore body over two and a half miles in length. The values are in gold, silver, copper and lead, and run from $35.00 to $77.00 per ton of 2,000 pounds. These results show indications of permanent values of the most convincing kind.

GROSS VALUE OF SHIPMENTS.

The gross value of shipments of ore aggregating 6,134,604 pounds from twelve mines in the Lardeau, all situated near the property owned by this company, was $464,410.81, equal to a return per ton of over $146.00. The property owned by this company shows up equally as well as any of these more fully developed mines, and will, we are convinced, shortly rank among the best in the Lardeau division.

READ THESE FIGURES CAREFULLY

In a very conservative statement issued by the officers of the company, appears the following:

"In order to show why we are confident we are right, we will estimate our ore values at $50.00 per ton, a little over one-third of the average ore values of the entire Lardeau mining division. We will also base our calculations on a daily output of 30 tons—a small amount compared with the extent of our property and the size of its ore bodies. We will allow $10.00 per ton for mining, transportation (a few miles only) and smelting charges. The profits after making a reasonable reduction for incidentals and surplus, work out as follows:

30 tons at $50.00 per ton……		$1,500
Less $10.00 per ton mining, transportation, and reduction charges ………		300
Net daily income……		1,200
Say for 300 days per year……		300
Total net yearly income……		360,000
Deduct for incidental expenses, $5 per ton……	$45,000	
Deduct for company's surplus account $5 per ton.	45,000	90,000
Total yearly net earnings……		$270,000

which sum is equal to 270 per cent. per annum on our capital stock of $100,000.

"This estimate is made on the basis of a small output compared to the extent of our property and the splendid facilities it affords for economical mining and on the operation of the mine for 300 days per year only, so that anyone can see at a glance that we are not overestimating in any particular, especially when the output of mines similarly situated, and with ore bodies of less extent than ours, ship hundreds of tons each day. There is no good reason why our property, when fully developed — which will be within six months to a year—should not ship several hundreds of tons of ore per year, but we are basing our calculations on the immediate future in presenting the above estimate.

"We are now within seventy to eighty feet of the main ore veins, and assays show values as high as $71.00 per ton. The average returns from twelve mines in our district, according to Government records, which are always conservative, run as high as $146.40 a ton in gold, silver, copper and lead.

HONEST, LEGITIMATE MANAGEMENT.

We know the men connected with the management of the LARDEAU MINES and have known them for years. We know that they never were and never will be connected with any but honest and legitimately conducted enterprises.

REPORT OF MINING ENGINEER.

The property has been thoroughly examined by well known mining engineers and their reports have borne out every statement that has been made by the company. Mr. H. O. McClymont, one of the last engineers to make a report says in conclusion:

The average assays are most encouraging, considering the great width and continuancy of the leads across the country with such great width and prominence of the surface, and judging from other properties in the near vicinity, some of which are on the same level and have developed very rich ore bodies The LARDEAU MINES are as good as any, if not the best, in the vicinity, and I verily believe with a nominal expenditure, they should be made dividend-paying in a short time, and I would strongly recommend extensive developments towards that end. Signed, H. O. McClymont, Mining Engineer."

SMALL AMOUNT OF MONEY NEEDED.

As Mr. McClymont says in his report, only a small sum of money is needed to complete the development work and put these mines on a dividend paying basis.

We want to raise about $10,000 from the sale of shares, this money to be used to complete the work just specified.

A very short time will be required to raise this amount of money for this magnificent property, and then the sale of stock will be discontinued.

READ THIS CAREFULLY.

The present price of the stock is 10 cents per share.

The price will be advanced to 15 cents per share very soon, and then 20 cents per share.

The company reserves the right to withdraw the stock from the market without notice.

TWO YEARS AGO—AND NOW.

We believe that there are 90 chances in 100 of the LARDEAU MINES proving a BONANZA. One property in the vicinity of the Lardeau was recently sold for $600,000 cash, and stock in addition. Two years ago it was not nearly as good a prospect as the Lardeau is today.

The LARDEAU MINES, LIMITED, is a small, close corporation and the profits will consequently be large to each stockholder.

Those who are fortunate enough to buy stock at the low price of 10 cents can calculate on an annual income of $135.10 from an investment of $100.00 In other words, you would get your principal back and $35.00 besides every year.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

A Bazaar

The Faithful Workers' Mission Band of St. Paul's church intend holding a bazaar on Nov. 28th, in the school room. Refreshments will be served during the afternoon and evening.

A Criminal Act

Some one who has not the fear of the law before him, and whose identity is strongly suspected, caused to be inserted in our personal columns on Tuesday last an item that was as false as it was malicious. It referred to a well known and esteemed citizen as having been engaged as manager for a lady psalmist. The penalty provided by law for an offense of this kind is very severe, and maybe invoked in this case.

How to Beautify the Complexion

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Dr. Titus is Associate Dean of the International College of Scientific Massage, and desires one or more pupils to learn the principles and practice of Scientific Massage for this locality.

A Pointer to Barbers

Barbers talk too much. When a man gets into the chair for a shave or hair cut, etc., all kinds of questions are put to him, and if he gets out alive without telling his business, what church he belongs to, if he has anything bet on the latest sporting event, or pretend to know what Ross, Laurier or Tarte are going to do, he must be either deaf, dumb, or blind if he does not express an opinion that "Silence is not golden" in a barber shop, and it does not matter how many customers are waiting, the man who shaves must know all about your business.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—There will be a special meeting of the council of Ashburnham this evening.

—The "Never Learn" Club will give a dance in the Forester's Hall on Tuesday night.

—Mr. Charlie Stone, who returned from the hunt on Friday night had the misfortune to lose a valuable gun. It was lost out of the rig along the road somewhere.

Guns Not Stolen

In our issue of Wednesday last appeared the following:—A party of hunters returning to Haldimand township, had an annoying delay in town yesterday. They had been hunting in Harcourt township, and on the way home a valuable hound and eight guns were appropriated at Lindsay from the railroad company, in whose charge they were. The thief was caught at Lorneville Junction and the goods recovered." The Lindsay Post adds:—The Times is astray in charging theft. The guns and hound were shipped out on the Coboconk train, the baggage man thinking they belonged to a hunting party going north.

Mail Bag Robbed

The Times on Saturday received the following from the Post Office Inspector, Toronto, enclosing a letter which had been mailed by this office to our agent in London, England:—The enclosed was found in a mail made up and despatched by the Port Hope & Midland Mail Clerks for the Grand Trunk East on the night of the 5th inst., which was lost or stolen in transit between the Port Hope Post Office and Railway Station, and was not recovered until yesterday morning. An examination of the bag after being found revealed the fact that a number of ordinary letters had been mutilated, or otherwise tampered with, amongst which was the enclosure now sent you back.

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Police Court

There was a large attendance at the Police Court Saturday forenoon. James Watson., a man who gave his home as Cannington, appeared with the decoration of a shanty over his eye, as the complainant against a certain young man, whom he charged with stealing his money. The evidence proved that Watson had been on a drunk and used very abusive language. In connection with the matter Patrick Cunnan was charged with selling liquor after hours and allowing gambling on his premises.

Both cases were dismissed and the Magistrate gave Watson some good advice which, if followed, will save him a good deal of money in the future.

Samuel Kennedy was charged with truancy, but his case was enlarged until today.

Saturday's Market

The market on Saturday was attended by a big crowd. In the hall fowl, eggs, butter &c., were in large supply, but outside on the square the offerings of roots, vegetables, etc. were not up to the previous Saturday, although the supply was equal to the demand. Prices ruled high and buyers were slow in making purchases. The following were the prevailing quotations:—Geese, 60 to 80c. each; turkeys, 75c. to $1.00 each; chickens, 40 to 60c. a pair; ducks, 75 to 90c. a pair; butter, 20c lb; eggs, 20c doz; pork, 8 to 9c; beef, 4 to 6c; potatoes, $1.00, to $1.15 bag; apples, 60c to 1.00 bag; onions, 30c peck; carrots, 10c peck; cabbages, 30 to 50c doz; celery, 5 and 10 per bunch; turnips, 35c bag; pumpkins, 10 to 15c each; tomatoes, ripe, 25c basket; spinach, 5c each; pears 30c peck; beets, 10c. peck; parsnips, 10c peck; honey, 10c lb; hay $8.50 to $10.00 per ton.

Wireless Telegraphy

The wonderful experiments in wireless telegraphy as demonstrated for the first time by exchanging signals from a railway station to a train running at a rate of sixty miles an hour, made on the Grand Trunk special train, October 12th, 1902, carrying the members of the American Association of General Passenger and Ticket Agents to their forty-seventh annual convention held at Portland, Maine, Oct. 14th and 15th, 1902, has prompted the Passenger Department of the Grand Trunk Railway System to issue a publication giving a description of the experiments, together with concise popular treatise on the principal of wireless telegraphy, dealing with the subject also from an historical point of view and including a chapter on the recent developments of this branch of physical science. This article is from Howard T. Barnes, D.Sc., F.R.S.S.C. of the Macdonald Physical Laboratory of McGill University, Montreal, and is most opportune in view of the great interest occasioned by the recent arrival at Glace Bay, Cape Breton., of Signor Marconi, on an Italian warship, with the object of perfecting his plans for wireless telegraphy across the Atlantic Ocean. In addition to the article on this subject, a description of the luxurious Grand Trunk special train on which the experiments were made, and a short resume of the trip from Chicago to Portland, Maine, is given in an interesting manner. Copies of this valuable publication have been mailed to the principal officials of the great railway systems of the world, and anyone desiring a copy can secure one by sending a two cent stamp to G. T. Bell, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Grand Trunk Railway System, Montreal.

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A New Branch

All the chartered banks of Canada are extending their branches. New banking corporations are springing into existence all over Ontario, and the older organizations are getting a hustle on The consequence will be that in a few years almost every small centre in this province will have a chartered bank, and depositors will not have to travel many miles in order to deposit their surplus cash. The Bank of Toronto has lately opened branches at Thorndale, Creemore Elmvale and Millbrook, and on Saturday morning Mr. S. A. Smith, of the Peterborough branch of this bank received notice that he had been appointed manager of the Millbrook branch.

Mr. Smith is the oldest in service of the active staffs of the local banks. He came here from Quebec as accountant, in 1881, since when he has held this respectable position continuously, and has contributed by his energy and ability towards building up the business which the Bank of Toronto has secured in our community. While acquiring this good repute in his business capacity, Mr. Smith, in the social sphere, has secured a host of friends, who will be filled with regret at his sudden departure, while congratulating him on his promotion. He has been an active member and Past Master of Peterborough Lodge, A.F. & A.M., and a Past Z of Corinthian Royal Arch Chapter and has also held important office in the Grand Priory. He was an adept in various athletic sports.

Mr. A. St. A. Smith married a daughter of the late Henry Dennoe, a sister of our Mayor, and she also will be sadly missed by her many friends.

CHURCH NOTES

—Rev. J. W. Hannah gave an interesting address at the Y.W.C.A. hall yesterday afternoon on "Favored Men," which was much appreciated by those present.

—Rev. J. Bastow, M.A., pastor of Murray street church delivered a very excellent sermon yesterday morning on "The Spheres of Christian Service," and in the evening he gave a very clever exposition of "Joshua's Character and Influence," and urged young men, young women and all others to follow in Joshua's footsteps.

—At the evening service in George street Methodist church yesterday the pastor, Rev. J. P. Wilson, B.A., gave a very interesting discourse on "The King who sat Behind the Gates."

—Holy Communion was administered at All Saint's church on Sunday morning and the pastor, Rev. W. L. Armitage, discoursed on "Prisoners and Prison Reform." In the evening he gave an interesting address on "Our Duty in the Referendum Vote." A special collection was taken in behalf of the Prisoner's Aid Association.

—At the Charlotte Street Methodist church in the morning Rev. Mr. Secombe talked on "Anger" and in the evening, Rev. Mr. Joliffe choose for his subject, "An Increase of Faith."

—The usual services were held at the other churches which were well attended.

—The Salvation Army had a parade in the evening, and a service afterwards in their hall which was well attended, and one or two converts were made.

RIVER NOTES

—Our little fleet of steamers is hard at work, hauling grain to town, and will be so engaged until the close of navigation. The steamers Water Lily, North Star, and Rainbow were in port on Friday with a full complement, and left in the afternoon for the Lake to bring up Saturday passengers, with the exception of the Water Lily whose Saturday trips have been discontinued. The Star and Lily both had a large number aboard, the Water Lily making the trip from Robbin's Landing and arriving on time. Capt. Fred. Copperthwaite of the steamer Rainbow reports an unusually good season, both in passenger trade and excursions. His boat will be employed towing until the Lake freezes up.

—Mr. Chas. Munroe, of the H. P. Kennedy Co., has pulled out his trim little yacht the Water Lilley for the season and will have a fine, new engine installed during the winter months. Mr. Geo. Johnston, the genial engineer of the North Star, being in charge of the work.

—Our genial Lockmaster, Mr. Wm. Collins should have an unusually good report to make for the season of 1902.

—The new concrete wharf immediately below the locks has been completed and is a splendid improvement on the old wooden one, and is greatly appreciated by the steamboat men. The government is also replacing the old wharf between the lock's bridge and the lock with concrete, about half of which is already under way, and when completed will be a great improvement.

—The contractors for the two new dams are having a lot of trouble with the very high water prevailing, besides being put to extra expense, but notwithstanding are making good headway.

—The work of the Government dredge "Trent" in charge of Mr. Frank Farrin is progressing favorably.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—(Ed. Times)

—Mr. W. T. Fleming, called on friends in town Saturday

—Mr. Louis Brooks is in Toronto for a few days.

—Mr. W. Vance of Millbrook, was in town on Saturday.

—Mr. C. A. Ghent, of Norwood, was in town Saturday.

—Messrs. E. Beauchamp, J. Storey and Richard Lightle, of Port Hope, were in town Saturday doing business.

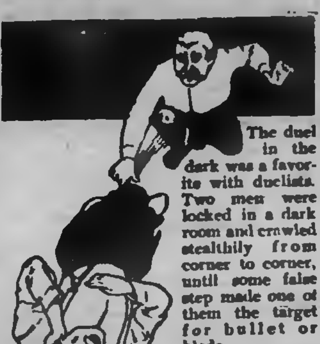
—Mr. Geo. Black, of Lindsay, was among the visitors to town on Saturday.

—Mrs. Powell and child, of Victoria, B.C., were registered at the Munro House on Saturday.

—Sergt. M. J. Murphy arrived home on Friday, after a very pleasant visit with friends in Hastings and vicinity.

—Miss Mary Overend has returned from an enjoyable visit with Orillia and Barrie friends.

—Mr. John Strickland, of Lakefield, has gone to Lakefield to assume the duties of teller in the Trader's Bank. Mr. Strickland will find the people of Reston a very sociable lot, and they will soon recognize Mr. Strickland's many social and business traits



The duel in the dark was a favorite with duelists. Two men were locked in a dark room and crawled stealthily from corner to corner, until some false step made one of them the target for bullet or blade.

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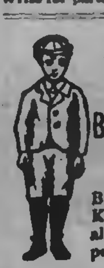

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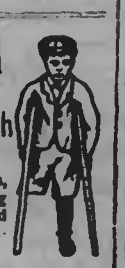

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PECULIAR CONDUCT OF THESE QUEER PEOPLE

Their Arrival at Their Homes and Their Present Troubles—They Never Will Assimilate With Our People

Winnipeg, Nov. 17.—The Doukhobors have once more been settled in their homes after their recent pilgrimage, and are now not giving any trouble. A man who spent five months amongst them last summer, partaking of their food and making himself acquainted with their everyday life, says that they are a sect of recent birth, which broke off from the Greek church, and for this reason they have suffered the most bitter persecution, as is the case with all proselytes in Russia. Many of their religious meetings were broken up by the Cossacks, who would cut right and left with their hatchets, inflicting terrible injuries. Many were sent to Siberia because they refused to serve in the army. The English Quakers first took an interest in them because upon one occasion when a few Cossacks were coming to attack them, instead of attempting to repel them, they simply cooked a good meal and left it for the Cossacks, going away themselves. On another occasion force was tried upon them in order to compel them to abide by the conditions of the country, and they replied by putting up their hands and saying, "Kill if you desire."

In the Northwest they are settled in four different districts, at Good Spirit Lake, Swan River, White Sun River, and on the Assiniboia River near Indian Head.

A VILLAGE DESCRIBED.

A Doukhobor village or community contains from 100 to 300 people. Their houses are situated on a street about twenty yards from one another. The occupied territory of the community is fenced in, but there are no partitions between the land of each family, which consists of a garden of about ten acres, situated at the rear of the dwelling place.

The homes are plain wooden buildings, with a thick clay roof. They have simply one room, which serves as kitchen, parlor diningroom and bedroom. Screens are placed around the bed if any stranger is a guest of their house. A regular Russian over made of bricks is built in the interior of the house, and built in the interior of the horse, and is used for cooking and heating. They do not use chairs, but have long seats attached to the walls, which they make themselves. Their meals are very simple, only one cooking a day taking place. Their food consists of a kind of soup and vegetables, which are kept warm in the oven for the different meals. Only one dish is used by the family and each one has a spoon, no other utensil being employed to eat with. All meals are alike, there being no special meal on Sundays or feast days. They are very generous to strangers, supplying them with the best food, which consists of half cooked black bread, onions and radishes, and a hard board is provided to sleep upon at night.

The younger men for the most part work for English-speaking settlers during the summer time, returning to their villages during the winter months. The women and children do the cooking and sewing. All their sewing is done by hand, and they weave their own goods for the most part. The women are very fond of bright colors, particularly red, and this color is used even in their towels and aprons, samples of which they presented to Mr. Hellyer. The older men go into the fields and do the ploughing and general farming. The women yoke themselves as oxen on their own account, and Mr. Hellyer states that he has seen women shoving a waggon which was being pulled by a horse, in order to help the beast of burden. The most of them cannot conceive of using animals for work, and they assert that wild animals have been rendered ferocious by reason of the sins of the world.

NOT CHRIST'S TEACHINGS

They consider that our modern Christianity is contrary to Christ's teachings. They believe in simplicity of dress, and would not use factory made clothes, because they consider that people must slave to produce them. They believe that churches are unnecessary, and that the people should simply gather together in their own houses for religious worship. Music is considered an invention of the devil, and an organ would not be tolerated. The minister or missionary should go about like St. Paul; he should not receive a salary, and food and clothes should be provided for him.

The literal ordinance of baptism and the sacrament are not observed by the Doukhobors, they are simply practiced in the spirit. If the atonement of Christ is generally held among them, and the resurrection believed in.

In a general sense they do not believe in the Bible, as they abhor all books. Certain passages of Scripture which support their belief are considered inspired, and others are considered to be merely the products of man. Some say that Christ is the Son of God, and others say that he is a perfect man, and that they only follow him spiritually. Some of the people hold that he was imperfect in eating fish and meat, and others that as the Creator he had a right to do so. Some go further and claim that they are better than Christ, and members of the sect will claim that the Bible writers who speak of the eating of meat lie, stating that if God made the little lambs to be eaten then he must have been a devil. Many contend that unless a man is a Doukhobor, that he is a devil. Christ's second coming is eargerly waited for, their belief being that he will come bodily. Then there are some who believe that Christ has already come, and that we cannot see him by reason of our sins.

Poverty is rejoiced in, and wealth is not considered desirable, many rejoicing that they possess no money. Fasting as long as 40 days has been indulged in by some members of the sect. For their worship they gather together in private houses every day. The people in the house commence to sing, and as the others come in they greet one another with salutations. A psalm of a hymn is then sung and a set prayer for the day is recited. The men and women who are on opposite sides of the house then shake hands twice, and the men kiss one another, the women doing the same. After one person has kissed another he makes a deep curtesy and takes his position. They leave the house singing another psalm, and go to their own homes singing.

DOWN ON THE GOVERNMENT.

The Doukhobors assert that they do not believe in any form of Government, and will never submit to it. They regard Jesus as their only King, and do not consider King Edward VII. their ruler. Concerning the statement of "Render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's," many say that if nothing is rendered that Caesar will not exist. They claim that they are Anarchists in the true sense of the word, and that Anarchists should not kill.

Regarding municipal government, they hold it to be a ridiculous thing that a community should be ruled by one man or any set of men, and that a man should rule himself according to the spirit of God. They would not go into court for any consideration, if exasperated they would use their fists, which is considered a heathen custom, a hundred times sooner than go into court. They would not arrest a murderer, they would leave his punishment to God.

While not totally believing in education, they would not send their children to the public schools, lest they should be contaminated with others, and fall from their religion. They would not be unwilling to have schools of their own, taught by Doukhobors. At present the parents educate their own children.

Mr. Hellyer said in conclusion that he could not conceive what the future of such a people would be. They are possessed with such a determination that no law could coerce them, and still they were a most inoffensive people. It seemed a pity that they had come to Canada, as a country which was rich in fruits, and whose climate was warmer would have suited them better. He believed that the best thing to do at present was to send missionaries among them who spoke their own language, and to impress upon them the truths of the Bible which would enlighten their minds; he, however, recognized that this would be a very difficult task. He thought that they might exist on vegetables themselves, but that climate it was impossible to bring up children upon them. The present outlook was a gloomy one, indeed.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

Emporia, Kas., Nov. 17—Judge Madden, in the District Court last night decided that a man had the right to bury his wife alive. The city asked for and was refused an injunction to prohibit a professor giving an exhibition of hypnotism by burying his wife for six days.

New York, Nov. 17 — Two election workers in the Ninth District are under arrest on a charge of election frauds which were exposed by six collegians, one a young millionaire, another a young physician, and the others medical students.

Disguised as tramps, they were accosted by election workers, who, after becoming acquainted, disposed of them in various rooms. On election day they say they were provided with slips bearing the names of men who had registered in good faith, but who had been called away. In this manner they say they voted many times apiece, and for each ballot alleged they received $2.

The exposure has caused a sensation.

Montreal, Nov. 17—Considerable discussion in all quarters has been caused by the announcement made by Hon. Raymond Prefontaine that he would favor the establishment of a school of navigation. It is understood that his plan is the subsidizing of the existing institutions of education, in order that they may add navigation experts and professors of kindred subjects to their staffs. Thus one of the Toronto universities would have a chair of navigation; McGill and Laval here would also found chairs, while some college in the Maritime Provinces, probably Dalhousie University at Halifax, would receive the students from that section of the country. These places would form the bases for the education of sailors, just as the military colleges train soldiers.

Ottawa, Nov. 15—It was suggested by Mr. Brodrick, Secretary of State for War, in his address at the Colonial Conference that the colonies should train 20,000 men, who would be liable to be called upon for service overseas in case of an Imperial emergency. He did not go into details, but Lieut.-Col. E. A. Althan, Assistant Quartermaster-General at Headquarters, has issued a memorandum which embodies the views of the militia advisers as to what should be the action of the colonies. This proposes the organization of the following troops for imperial service:

Austria—Two mounted bridages, one infantry brigade; approximate strength, 9,000.

New Zealand—One mounted brigade, two infantry batalions; approximate strength, 3,000.

Canada—One brigade division field artillery, one infantry brigade, approximate strength, 3,000.

Total, 15,500 men.

Col. Althan quotes from the report of the general officer commanding in Canada the statement that the city corps have no training in field duties, and that the rural corps will never be made fairly fit to take the field with the limited period of training they annually receive at present. In the event of war with the United States the safety of Canada, he says, must depend on the militia until reinforcements arrive from England, and consequently the best way in which Canada would co-operate in imperial defence would be by making her militia an efficient force.

CANADIANS GOOD FIGHTERS.

"'It is more important,'' he continues, "that the Canadian Ministry should be urgently pressed to take this reasonable precaution than that they should maintain contingents for general Imperial service. Nevertheless the services rendered by Canadians in South Africa, as well as the history of the last Anglo-American war show that the Canadians are excellent fighters, and would be a valuable addition to the imperial forces. It is reasonable to assume that Canada will desire to co-operate with Australia in any steps that may be taken for creating a permanent organization of colonial Imperial forces, and if such a desire be felt there are strong political reasons for encouraging it. Moreover, it is possible that, by the example of a Canadian Imperial force the militia in general might be worked up to a higher standard of efficiency. The strategical position of Canada makes it, however, unwise that any large contingent should be drawn from her defence force unless the strength of that force should in the future be increased. It is suggested, therefore, that if a Canadian Imperial force be organized it should be limited, for the present, to a brigade division of field artillery and a brigade of infantry."

Sports and Pastimes

RUGBY.

Mr. McPherson is attending the meeting of the O.R.F.U. Executive held in Toronto last night.

Swearing at the referee in Ottawa on Saturday had no effect. Mr. Lash was too deaf to hear any comment on his work.

The presidents of the rival clubs at Ottawa had a scrap in front of the grand stand while their players hammered each other on the field.

The Intercollegiate senior and intermediate championships resulted as expected, in favor of McGill and Queen's, respectively. The Montreal seniors were easily superior to the Kingston men.

The Rugby game between Hamilton Juniors II and Upper Canada College II on the Upper Canada campus Saturday afternoon was an exciting and hard-fought contest between two very evenly matched teams. Both teams worked hard, but neither scored a point during the two halves. It was decided to play five minutes each way, and about ten minutes later Evel succeeded in scoring a try for the Hamilton Juniors, which they were, however, unable to convert leaving the score 4 to 0 in favor of the dwellers in the shadow of the mountain.

The Toronto Star comments on the Burnside rules used in the game on Saturday between Varsity and the Argonauts as follows:

The Burnside rules were put to the test at Varsity Field on Saturday afternoon in the first of the annual games between Varsity and Argonauts for the city Rugby championship. This was the first occasion in which the snap-back system had been used in Canada in a senior game and the result was most gratifying to those who had been instrumental in having the exhibition brought off before a critical Toronto gathering.

Everybody votes the new rules an unqualified success:

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BECAUSE the ball was in view all the time.

BECAUSE there were no scrambling scrimmages.

BECAUSE speed, and not weight, gained the advantage.

BECAUSE there were countless opportunities for fine tackling.

BECAUSE the officials worked under rules they could enforce.

BECAUSE there was none of the tiresome throwing-in from the touch-line.

BECAUSE of the many beautiful runs by the players who carried the ball.

BECAUSE the play was always clean and the work of each individual player could be noted.

BECAUSE of the splendid long-distance punting and kicking and the brilliant returns.

BECAUSE the players were constantly on edge and compelled to play their hardest at all stages of the game.

BECAUSE there was continuous life and action on the field, and not a sprawling mass of humanity, obscuring the ball.

BECAUSE there was more open play than in all the senior games played in Toronto in the last three years put together.

BECAUSE of the utter futility of the mass plays, or "the juggernaut," as the Argonaut admirers termed their attempts at line-bucking.

BECAUSE the game, as a whole, was so much superior to the old style of play as to admit of no line of comparison whatever.

HOCKEY.

The Lornes of Mount Forest will have a team in the O.H.A. They have organized for the season.

The annual meeting of the Peterboro Hockey Club will be held to-morrow evening in the Council Chamber.

Stouffville will have intermediate and junior teams in the O.H.A. Mr. W. J Stark has been elected president, Wm. Scott, secretary-treasurer and T. E. Trull manager.

It is a well-known fact that Brantford will figure somewhat prominently in hockey circles this year. It is rumored that the management of the team will be left to a great extent in the hands of the players.—Brantford Courier.

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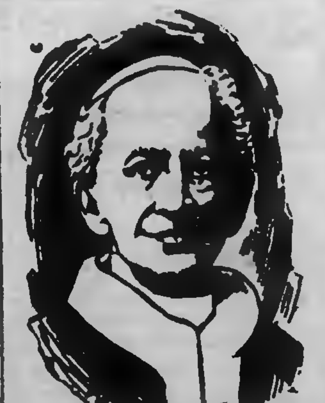
And New York Clergy Want It in That City for Removal of the Holy See

New York, Nov. 18—Several Catholic clergymen in Greater New York are advocating the building in this city of the largest and most magnificent worship in the world. As yet the scheme is in embyro. Plans, however, have been drawn, and are to be placed on exhibition. There are priests prominent in the Catholic churches of this country who believe that within the next few years the sovereign pontiff will remove the Holy See from Rome to New York. The possibility of such a change is entered as an argument in favor of the building of a great church.

The plans for the church were drawn by the Reverend Father Bouillon, canon of the Catholic Cathedral at Ottawa, Ont. He has recently been a guest of the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, in Brooklyn. He said:

"It remains to be seen whether or not this great church will be built. The first step is the display of the drawings to the public to learn the sentiment. Next it would be necessary to secure the consent of the archbishop. After that would come the raising of the money—probably $5,000,000. If by chance the Pope should decide within the next few years to leave Rome it would be a grand thing for the city of New York to be prepared to receive him in a church more magnificent even than Saint Peter's."

The style of architecture is to be modern Roman with all the substantial effect possible, but in the rise to the dome the light and airy appearance of Byzantine is secured. In shape the plans provide for a cruciform structure 650 feet long and 450 across the transepts. The height is 450 feet from the pavement to the tip of the cross surmounting the ball on the dome.



Pope Leo XIII.

HEAVY LUMBER CUT

The Lumbermen Promise to Break the Record for this Winter

The greatest activity prevails in the lumber camps this season as the high prices of timber of all kinds is giving life to the industry. The Dickson Company have about the same force of men in the bush as they had last year. Mr. Alf. McDonald is putting in more men than ever before and so it goes.

Reports to the Crown Lands Department indicate that the present is the busiest season in the history of the Ontario lumber woods. An official who has just returned from the north says there are 10,000 men in the woods between Mattawa and Sault Ste Marie, 2,500 of whom are in the vicinity of Sudbury alone, while the limits east and west of that territory were equally crowded. Many limits on which no cutting has taken place for years are now yielding their portion, owing to the strong demand for lumber in connection with the building operations throughout Canada. All this is not being done without feeling the pinch of the scarcity of labor. In far Western Ontario it has been found necessary to import hundreds of French-Canadians from as far east as Gaspe. Wages are from $25 to $35 a month and board, and many who are mere lads are taken for $20 to $22 a month. One camp foreman, on catching sight of a new lot of workmen, asked if the public schools had received their vacation.

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ASHBURNHAM COUNCIL

Special Meeting Last Night—Tenders for Snowplowing – Other Business

A special meeting of the Ashburnham Council was held last night for the purpose of opening the tenders for snowplowing for the coming winter. Councillor Johnson was the only absentee.

Tenders were received from Messrs. Revoy and Smith for the north end at $49.00 and $40.00 respectively, and from Albert Valois for the south end, at $48. The amounts paid for this work last year were for the north end $36.00 and for the south end $39.00.

It was moved by Councillor Adams, seconded by Councillor Sheridan that the tender of Albert Valois for the south end and W. Frith for the north end, for the season 1902-03 be accepted. Tenders to give security for the proper performance of the work.—Carried.

Councillor Pollock remarked that it was scarcely right to pay $9 more for the plowing for the south end than for the north end when there was more work for the latter, but as the tenders could not be altered the work was allowed to stand.

A communication was received from Mr. Geo. F. King, taking exception to the action of the council in renting his shop to Mr. Wheeler and giving him notice to remove at the termination of a month's time. Mr. King was present at the meeting and personally stated to the council that he expected to retain the shop for another year at least and had been greatly surprised to receive the notice of the council. Besides the difficulty in securing other quarters, it placed him in a most awkward position as he had now made preparations for a continuation in business there.

It was explained that the Council had received the information in good faith that Mr. King intended to remove. With this in view, the next business of the Council was to secure a new tenant, and as Mr. Wheeler agreed to lease the place for a long term, and to pay higher rent that the present occupant, his offer was accepted. The council could not see its way clear to alter its position in the matter, and the motion as passed at the last meeting was allowed to remain.

Mr. Moore spoke for some time before the council, objecting in strong terms to the latter's action in accepting Mr. Wheeler as a tenant for the store while the present occupant was willing to remain, and particularly to the low rents which were being accepted at the present time. In the latter question, of course, nothing could be done at present and the matter was allowed to drop.

A communication was received from Alfred J. Cameron regarding improvements to be made to the Beaver Creek ditch under the Drainage Act. A plan had been sent by the parties interested and the matter will be carefully looked into during the next two weeks and brought up before the next regular meeting of the council.

Mr. Boiler appeared before the council to ask for the completion of the drainage of his property to the creek. His request was granted and the work will be concluded at once.

A by-law exempting the Canadian Ultimator Company from taxes from the 1st of May to the 31st December, 1902, with the exception of school rates, was read a first time and passed.

Arrangements were made for the outlay of $75 in the improvements of the main roads, the money being a grant from the county for that purpose.

An order was drawn on the Treasurer for the account for insurance on the Village Hall received from Mr. W. H. Hill.

The Council adjourned to meet in regular session in two weeks time.

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Sensational Affidavits Show That a Deadly Feud is now Raging

Over a Score of Men Fall Victims in One Year in Breathitt County—Terrible Condition of Affairs

Lexington, Ky, Nov. 17—Two of the most sensational affidavits ever filed in a Kentucky court [illegible] just been filed at Jackson, Bre[illegible] county.

That county is the scene of the Hargis-Cockrill feud and within its borders thirty men have been killed this year.

A number of the deaths are credited to one or another of the factions, while several men are exiles from the county because of their fear of assassination.

The affidavits are by attorney J. M. Marcum, and Moses Feltner, his client, accused of the killing of Jesse Fields. The purpose of the affidavits is to secure a continuance of the case of Feltner. They follow on the heels of sensational statements contained in a letter written to circuit Judge Redwin, of Breathitt, by John Patrick, an exile living in this city, in which he said he knew who killed James Cockrill, having been an eye-witness but declines to return to Jackson to testify unless the governor will send a company of militia to protect him and declares that persons who desire his death will kill him if he returns without the protection of troops.

In his affidavit Moses Feltner tells in detail of the alleged plot to kill Attorney J. B. Marcum.

In several he was to do the work, he says, and fearing to refuse, pretended to acquiesce, but warned Marcum each time so that the plans failed.

He says he fears to appear on the streets at Jackson; that such a state of lawlessness exists that there is no protection to any citizen, especially to any who are not in sympathy with the county judge and Sheriff.

He says he has been informed and believes it to be true that those officers have made efforts to have him assassinated. As for Marcum, he says that in last May he was invited to Judge Hargis' office where he met John Smith and John Abner, friends of Sheriff Ed Callaghan and County Judge James Hargis.

He relates that they told him, J. B. Marcum must be killed and he was the man to do it. He continues that he was afraid to refuse and by appointment he met Hargis, Callaghan, Abner and Smith that night.

A Shot in the Back.

He says the plan unfolded at the meeting was for him to go to Marcum's house, get him to come to his law office at night and after starting with him on the return trip at a place where a shotgun was to be concealed, he would shoot Marcum in the back.

He says Hargis gave him $35 to pay Marcum on account, and handed him a shot gun and shells loaded with with buck shot. He says he went to Marcum's house, warned him, and told "them" that Marcum would not come out after dark.

He says that the plan was for him John Smith, and Tom White to hide near Marcum's house and shoot him when he left it on a morning to go to a neighboring town.

Again he says he warned Marcum, and, though they lay in ambush, Marcum did not appear.

He says the next plan was for Tom White to shoot Marcum from Hargis' brother's store, but that Marcum carried his four-months-old baby in his arms and White would not fire.

Prisoners in Homes.

He says that suspicion finally fell upon him as warning Marcum, and, on getting a continuance of his case in court, he followed Marcum in flight. He says he has returned to Jackson but fears to leave his room; that his attorney, Marcum, is also a prisoner in his own house through fear of assassination. He asks for a continuance.

In his affidavit Attorney J. B. Marcum says that he fears to appear at the court house or on the streets of Jackson, near the court house; that he has been in his office but once since the 15th of July.

He says that he has been outspoken against the parties who are accused of assassinating or having assinated Dr. Cox and James Cockrill, upon the streets of Jackson, and that by reason thereof, and by reason of his attorneyship in certain other cases pending in this court, he has incurred the enmity of certain dangerous and lawless men, and is afraid they will carry out their threats to assassinate him which he believes they have made.

He says the sheriff and his deputies are in attendance at this term of the court, and this affiant is afraid to risk himself in their hands after receiving the information he has, all of which he believes to be true. He asks that the case of Felton and all others in which he is attorney will be continued.

Wounded Vanity was Motive

Rubino in Attacking King Leopold Wished to Prove Himself an Anarchist

London, Nov. 17—Wounded vanity, says a Rome correspondent, is considered to have been the chief motive for Rubino's attempt to kill the King of the Belgians. Rubino was denounced last May by the international anarchist press as a spy and expelled from the party. Evidently his attack on King Leopold was due to a desire to prove himself an anarchist without fear or reproach. The correspondent adds that Rubino has long been known to the police of various nations as a dangerous anarchist. He was watched by Italian agents in London until the end of last month. Then he disappeared, only reappearing when his criminal purpose was all but effected.

London, Nov. 17—Government negotiations with the leaders of the Agrarian majority in the Reichstag in regard to the tariff bill, have been resumed behind the scenes, says a Berlin correspondent; The correspondent says that in view of the German national custom of talking politics after dinner, it is very generally assumed that a private meeting of the more conciliatory of the Agrarian leaders with the Imperial Chancellor, Count Von Buelow, at the official residence of the President of the Reichstag, on Saturday evening was intended to promote prospects of an understanding. It is pointed out that the conservative and clerical agrian majority have now a greater interest in securing a compromise than has the Government. It would be easier for Count Von Buelow to renew existing commercial treaties or to negotiate on the basis of the old autonomous tariff for new ones, than to conduct negotiations with his hands bound by the minimum duties provided for in his own bill. Agrarians, on the other hand, will lose the benefits they might receive from the minimum duties if they persist in asking for more. Their great difficulty appears to be the humiliating spectacle they would present to their constituents and to the country at large if they suddenly yielded.

Paris, Nov. 17—M. Capus is bent upon justifying by his activity his nomination to the Presidency of the Society of Dramatic Authors. He is occupied with the greatest vigor in trying to carry out certain urgent reforms, such as enforcing authors' right in America and Russia. He has made up his mind to attack the great dramatic trust abroad. He is full of hope of success. All presidents of the society when elected are inspired by the same zeal. It is as inevitable as measles, but the reforms referred to above still await their solution. The French press has been very ready to recognize the genius of Tolstoi apropos of the production of the "Resurrection" at the Odeon Theatre. He is admitted to have much talent and skill. The "Resurrection" was a triumph over dramatic criticism. Pity, generosity, religion and suffering humanity have an irresistible power over spectators. For the first time critics declare themselves satisfied with the mounting of the piece at the Odeon, and M. Ginesty is not a victim of those delicate pleasantries, which have up to the present been tradition. All journals admit the excellent reception by public and the great success of Mme Dumeny and Mme. Bady in the principal roles.

London, Nov. 17—Affairs in Macedonia are steadily quieting down, says a Constantinople correspondent. The incidents recently reported from that region are without importance, although during the past few weeks representatives of the Macedonian Committee in Bulgaria have been busily gathering subscriptions for the spring campaign. The conviction prevails in diplomatic circles that the attempt will prove abortive in view of the fact that it will be discountenanced by all the powers, and will receive no support, moral or material, from Bulgaria.

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—Mr. Thomas Trotter and Mr. John Mahoney were the guests of Mr. James Scott on Sunday evening.

—Mr Fred Hobbins was the guest of Mr. Stephen Scott on Sunday evening.

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SUCCESSFUL MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP

Instances in the New World of successful operation of municipal ownership of public utilities are not sufficiently numerous — probably owing to attempts having been so few—that one can afford to pass over the recent report of the town of Santa Clara, Cal. The town has a population of 3,650 persons. While it will be noticed that the experiment is not exactly a huge one, perhaps it is harder to handle such things in small towns than in big cities. Its tax rate is only $3.50 on the thousand dollars. Last year the receipts from the taxes were a little less than $5,900 and those from licenses were $1,000 or about $6,900 in all. Yet the town expended $10,850 and has to its credit over $5,100 as a result of the last year. That is to say, the expenses and the balance are $7,-850 more than the receipts from taxes and licenses. This amount was earned by the public utilities of the town operated by the municipality. Under the old way of letting a few people enjoy these profits accruing from the great natural monopolies, the taxes would have been almost double what they are.

AMERICANS WATCHING DEVELOPMENTS

The Burlington Free Press has discovered a mare's nest. It fancies it perceives signs of restiveness on the part of Canadian public men because of the position which this country occupies as a dependency of Great Britain. Our esteemed contemporary attributes this restiveness to the want of success of the pan-Anglican Conference in London last summer as revealed by the recent partial disclosure of the proceedings. As practically nothing was accomplished at the meetings of the imperial and colonial ministers, and as there was evidently a pretty wide margin between the views held by the Colonial Secretary and the Premier of Canada, it is assumed by the Free Press that the relations between parent and daughter are becoming strained, and that the day when the daughter will set up housekeeping for herself is within measurable distance.

We have great respect for the opinion of the Free Press when it is treating of matters with which it is familiar; but in the present instance we fear it has got out of its depth. It is certainly counting without its host. If our contemporary had followed the trend of events in Canada for some little time anterior to Confederation, it would have discovered that there never was a period when there was not some new champion of independence and occasionally an advocate for annexation; but it would also have discovered that as the years rolled around, and as business and prosperity increased, the advocates for a change in our constitution have steadily grown weaker in numbers and influence. To-day the word annexation is scarcely ever heard even in a whisper; and as for so-called independence—that is severing the ties that binds Canada to Great Britain—that is only spoken of when some disappointed politician or newspaper is in a pet, and has no other balm to apply to his wounded feelings.

It would be folly for Canada to talk seriously about independence in the sense implied by the Burlington Free Press. As a matter of fact there is no more independent country on the face of the earth than Canada is to-day. We have all the benefits of complete independence while sharing very few of its burdens. We make our own laws, regulate our tariff, impose what duties we like, even against Great Britain. We can always get the assistance of the king's government to endorse a commercial tariff with a foreign state, as it is we take complete charge of the administration of the northern half of this great continent, at a nominal expense to us of $50,000 per annum to pay the salary of a Governor-General who rules but does not govern. It would cost us at least one hundred this sum if we attempted to set up shop for ourselves, to say nothing of the lamentably weak and perilous position we should occupy among the nations of the world. Leaving sentiment aside altogether, and as a mere business proposition, the independence of Canada, for many years to come, is not to be thought of for a moment.

The failure of the recent pan-Anglican Conference in London has no effect upon the situation whatever. Few people in Canada expected that it would amount to anything. So, therefore, few people are disappointed. On the whole we think that the Americans who are naturally "watching the developments with interest" will have to strain their eyes for a long time before they see the cat jump.

CANADA AND THE MOTHER COUNTRY

The consultation between the Colonial Premiers and the Colonial Secretary, generally known as the Coronation Conference, had certainly been long enough an Unknown Quantity when an official document issued last week made clear what the whole thing had amounted to. In Canadian circles at least there had been many waggings of the wise-heads and enquiries as to what had been done. With a restraint unusual in newspaper business, enquiries had not been pushed to a sensational issue. Now we know that practically nothing was accomplished, for Mr. Chamberlain, opposed as he was by his colleagues in the British Parliament, felt unable to give to Canada and the other colonies any preferences in cereals which are now dutiable in the Motherland. That this was refused churlishly or at the instigation of Mr. Chamberlain, nobody, in the opinion of the Toronto Saturday Night, can truthfully allege. That it was done in the face of preference given to British goods, which to the extent of 33 1-3 per cent. is offered by Canada, is nevertheless, in the opinion of our contemporary, a slap in the face of those colonial statesmen who believed they could lead up to a preferential tariff by giving concessions. It must be plain to us all that Great Britain neither desires nor is willing to reciprocate favors of this sort. This being the case, it is a matter of policy which should be gravely considered, should Great Britain receive favors which she is not prepared to recognize as being of sufficient value to demand perhaps unusual amenities in return. Notoriously Great Britain is slow to act and takes years to make up its political mind. It is not so in Canada, where we are quick to act, our conditions make long deliberations not only unnecessary, but impossible. Under the circumstances it would possibly be well for Canada to either withdraw the preferential tariff or, as we have before urged in these columns, make it dependent upon the landing of the preferred goods in Canadian ports on either Canadians or British bottoms.

That Premier Laurier and his colleagues did the best they could for us and got nothing in return, adds Saturday Night, not even the privilege of landing our cattle on British soil without being affected by the embargo placed on the cattle of other countries, it is evident that we have nothing to thank Great Britain for, except that she defends our commerce, and we should at once prepare to do our share in the raising of a defence fund and leave her come to a tariff understanding with the world on the basis she thinks wise, though we may think it frightfully dull, slow and foolish.

In this connection there is one fact which the Saturday Night fails to point out. It is that Sir Wilfrid Laurier spontaneously and of his own free will gave the preference tariff to England as a gift, as an acknowledgement of the many and great advantages Canada has received from the parent staff, in a magnificently eloquent, if not a strictly business-like speech, he declared that he should scorn to accept anything in return, adding that Canada wanted no preference in English markets. This was on the occasion of the late Queen's diamond jubilee when the classic head of Canada's premier was slightly turned by the multiplicity of honors conferred upon him in London; but since then Sir Wilfrid's ardor has cooled somewhat; party exigencies have compelled him to become more practical and to-day he asks for concessions that he spurned five years ago. If Mr. Chamberlain now refuses what he was previously disposed to grant, his decision is no doubt largely influenced by the action of the leader himself.

The Late Mrs Haviland

The Patriot, of Charlottetown, P.E.I., thus refers to the demise of Mrs. Haviland:

The Patriot regrets to learn of the death in this city to-day, of Annie Elizabeth Haviland, aged 84 years, relict of the late Hon. Thomas Heath Haviland. Deceased was the daughter of the late John Grubbe, Esq., of Buckinghamshire, England, a member of a distinguished English family. In 1841 Mr. Grubbe came to the Island with his wife and family. He purchased from the Braddocks, Holland Grove and Falconwood, and engaged in agricultural pursuits until his death in 1846. In 1847, his daughter, Annie Elizabeth, became the wife of Mr. Haviland. Her mother and two sisters returned to England in 1854. The late Hon. Mr. Haviland was Lieutenant-Governor from 1879 to 1884, and his wife as lady of Government House, filled her position with tact, grace and dignity, proving a charming hostess and a worthy partner of her esteemed husband, whose death in 1895 was sincerely regretted throughout this Province. The late Mrs. Haviland leaves to mourn two sons and two daughters. The sons are Eustace H., barrister-at-law, of this city, and Edward, of Montreal. The daughters are Mrs. James Peake and Miss Blanche Haviland.

R. W. Grubbe, Esq., late of the Bank of Toronto, Peterborough, is a nephew, and Eustace H. Grubbe, of the Bank of Montreal, Vancouver, and Harry H. Grubbe, of the Bank of Toronto, Toronto, are grand nephews of the deceased.

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"No. I haven't seen him yet. I'm just from the train—straight from London. I asked for the number of your room, for I wanted a talk with you before I saw anybody else. You look rather queer. I hope you aren't ill, or have had bad news from home."

There was something so strong and dependable in the personality of this tall, dark young man in travelling dress, that Dick's miserable, homesick heart went out to him. The need of confession, the desperate longing for someone to stand his friend, broke down the barriers of shamed vanity which would have hedged round the secret of his guilt; he blurted out the story of his own folly, leaving nothing untold save only the condition that Macaire had made. Instinctively he knew what Newcome's feelings would be at having a girl like Winifred dragged in. He was afraid that Newcome might even try to prevent Winifred from accepting Macaire's terms.

"Macaire threatens to call in the police and charge me as a common thief," he said, "and all for sheer spite. He's got his money, and as for that wretched bauble, who would have dreamed, with all the jewelry which he throws about, that he cared a rap for it? But oh, von Zallheim, if there was any way of getting the thing again. You used to be friendly with Winnie. You'd take some trouble for her sake still, perhaps, though she's treated you so badly, if only to show that you don't bear malice. You're such a good-looking chap, and have such a way with you, that you can do anything with women. For Heaven's sake try to see this old hag who made a fool of me, and get the moonstone Sphinx's head——"

"What!" exclaimed Newcome, with a sudden start. "Macaire's jewel—that you sold—is it a blue moonstone carved into a Sphinx's head, with a gold screw underneath, engraved with the initials 'F.E.Z.'?"

"You've seen it, then?" cried Dick.

"No; but I'd give much to see it. Have I described it rightly?"

"It's exact. The screw with the initials in little letters at the top is in my pocket. The she-fiend didn't care for it."

"Let me look," said Newcome. "And I'll promise you to get that Sphinx's head if I move Heaven and earth to do it."

"Heaven bless you!" ejaculated Dick.

"I hope it will. But it's a selfish wish. I came to England to find the man who had that Sphinx's head. I came from England to Monte Carlo to see if Lionel Macaire was that man."

CHAPTER XXXIV.

The Quest of the Moonstone.

Half an hour after knocking at the door of Dick Gray's room, Hope Newcome went out again. Dick had been instructed not to mention his arrival. Downstairs the name of the gentleman who had enquired for Mr. Richard Gray of Macaire's party was not known.

Those few words of Dick's—the allusion to the Sphinx's head—had sent flashes of lightning through Newcome's veins. The mission which had brought him through strange vicissitudes and over many thousands of miles had seemed no further advanced, though for months his whole life had been given to it. Then, one day, a man had begged of him in Park lane near Lionel Macaire's house, and Newcome had given the man half a sovereign because he was an American, speaking with a strong Western accent. And the beggar, who was grateful and loquacious, began telling him a queer, rambling story.

For very few ears would it have struck a keynote; the narrator himself knew not the value of his utterances, still less of his silence, or he would not have been begging in the street, because the person from whom he had expected a gift was absent. But Fate had ordained that his tongue should make music in the ear which could understand.

Newcome took the man to a restaurant and gave him a meal, much as Macaire had done with him nearly five months ago in Brighton. Indeed, the thought of that occasion was printed in strong black and white upon his mind. In the midst of the wild elation, for which he could have shouted aloud, there was loathing of the memory that he had broken bread with Macaire not once, but many times. He was living on money which came to him from Macaire, also; and if it had not been for the secret which had darkened his life since boyhood, this reflection would have half-maddened him—believing what he had begun to believe of the millionaire.

But with the knowledge of that secret before him, the money became far more than ever his own. It never had been Macaire's. He now had a right to it, every penny—and more, which he might, but did not mean to claim.

Without letting the loquacious beggar guess that he was a person of importance, Newcome offered to support his countryman until he could get work. The shabby American was to be paid a pound at the end of every week—this, of course, rendering it necessary that "Baron von Zallheim" should be kept in touch with him and in possession of his address.

When this matter was satisfactorily settled Newcome made certain enquiries about Macaire which he had never had the curiosity to make before. He ascertained, apparently in a casual way, when the millionaire had first become known as a millionaire, and traced back his career to a time before he had settled in England.

All this would have been nothing without the clue which a beggar in the street had supplied; and the clue itself was only a broken thread. To find the other end and match both together Newcome had traveled to Monte Carlo.

There again Fate had played into his hands through the ingenious plot of Macaire himself (for even the most astute of men make mistakes sometimes) and the folly of Dick Gray.

The clue was supplied—yet at the same time it was missing; and Newcome made up his mind that since the work he had to do must be done without bungling, what he had waited for so long he must wait for still. After all these years, what was a day—a week—a month?

From Dick he had the description of the woman who had bought the moonstone, but he was not as fortunate as Dick had been in his quest for her. He could not find her at the Casino.

He did not wish, as things had turned out, that Macaire should know of his presence in Monte Carlo; yet he haunted the gaming rooms for hours that night, running the risk that Macaire himself, or one of Macaire's friends, might stroll in and see him.

When it was close upon eleven o'clock, however, and Newcome had seen no one resembling the picture which Dick had graphically sketched for him, he paused

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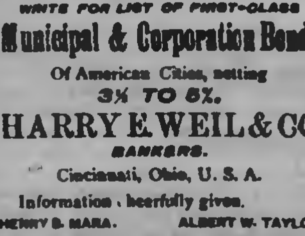

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Apl. 21st, 1902,	to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903,	" " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904,	" " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905,	" " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906,	" " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

If the capitalization was increased to $20,000,000.00 this estimate would still show a dividend-earning capacity of 10 per cent. per annum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Coal Co. is $20,000,000.00 earning fully 12 per cent., and is paying 8 per cent. guaranteed dividends on this enormous sum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co. is $28,000,000.00 on which it is believed 6 per cent. dividends will be earned.

The capitalization of the Canadian Steel & Coal Company is only $6,000,000.00 controlling, it is believed, equally valuable properties, and it is reasonable to expect much larger dividends.

Within the last few months Dominion Coal shares common rose in market value from $40 to $144 per share, and Dominion Iron & Steel Company's shares common rose over $30 per share in market value.

With such low capitalization the Canadian Steel and Coal Co's shares should show tremendous profits, and it is confidently believed they will.

Address all communications originating in United States to the

CANADIAN STEEL AND COAL COMPANY,
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BAD PRINT

Influence of Names.

"We're going to name our newly arrived boy Reginald," remarked Phillips at the [illegible] the other evening.

"Do you want him to be that kind of person?" asked Jones, in a tone that he hoped would create discussion.

"What are you springing on us now?" asked several of the group, a little wearily.

"It is a great truth, my boy," continued Jones, aiming his remarks at Phillips, who looked a trifle worried about Jones' question. "The relation of name to character is an unexplored but most fertile region. Look up your fiction, and you will find that every great novelist has unconsciously obeyed the law. A man and his name gradually grow toward each other. He may fight his name for a long time, but by some long road at last he must bend to the significance of what he is called. I consider that parents have a sacred duty upon them in choosing out of all the names of history that name which they elect their child shall be. The name which he receives at baptism is the character part, up to which he must always live."

"Really, I don't [illegible]," interposed [illegible] of [illegible] with [illegible] drawl.

"Then look over your reading," went on Jones. "When Sheridan named a character Lady Sneerwell, it is obvious that his conception is of a [illegible] proud and cynical. Such a [illegible] of dubbing limits the character [illegible] to a [illegible] bold strokes. A frank [illegible] of love from her lips, a free-handed generosity, would not be tolerated. She must remain [illegible] and hard till the play ends. Bunyan was fond of [illegible] [illegible] for the [illegible] It survives [illegible] their '[illegible]' like.'

"But [illegible] of name [illegible] the big [illegible] novelist [illegible] certain name [illegible] connotation [illegible] a good [illegible] is pretty [illegible] woman [illegible] Ad[illegible] social [illegible] most of the vices [illegible] friends are forced to admit that he drinks, but his severest critics will concede his generosity. Such is Tom Jones. Tom Jones, [illegible] not cast in [illegible] mould, but yet is justified of his name. [illegible] [illegible] and a deservedly high reputation for chastity, and the implication of the name has been remembered. Joseph Andrews is [illegible] name for Fielding's hero. Jack is a [illegible] blade. Dorothy is sprightly, but warmhearted. Dick is merry and [illegible] heels.

"Authors [illegible] Scott [illegible] with hopeless love. Thackeray gives us an adventuress, heartless, brilliant, and detestable. A character of history often [illegible] Charlie is [illegible] for a [illegible] of [illegible] who is permitted to bear no other name.

"You see that the novelists, who have looked truth in the face, have always done their [illegible] in line with law. Is it any wonder, when once you realize the [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible] that savages, ignorant persons, and children have felt that one who knew [illegible] had power over them? Religion and chivalry have been in the right of [illegible] the act of naming [illegible] in a man's life. [illegible] they felt that baptism and [illegible] [illegible] the direction of [illegible] and [illegible]"

"Book Boosting" in France.

The art of book advertising is thought to have made some progress of late both in England and in this country, but they do these things if not better, at least more energetically in France. A Paris newspaper has begun the publication of a romance which has eight leading personages, and the most interesting guesses of the [illegible] of each is to have a four-seated [illegible] as a prize. Portraits of the characters in the novel are carried about the streets, with such questions as [illegible] Catharine: "[illegible] Catharine marry? If so, whom will she marry?" Again: "Lianne: Will he [illegible] Marquis be successful? [illegible]" Next comes: "Germaine: Will she deceive her husband?" Then [illegible] Will she marry or die before the end of the romance?" Lastly, "[illegible] how many men will she attract? [illegible] by her first love?" These [illegible] are followed by a [illegible] of general problems for solution: "Which of these five women will die by poison? Which of them will administer poison? To whom?" If these methods were to be generally followed by publishers' press agents the reign of the historical romance would take on new terrors.

A Victim.

"Where are you going this summer?"

"I'm going to a stretch of [illegible] sand, where I can be surrounded by the [illegible] of the beaches."

"By yourself?"

"No. Whole family, wife and children, servants, nurses, etc."

"Cottage?"

"Yes. Has eight rooms for sixteen people. Each room will hold comfortably about one-half of a human being."

"Cottage alone?"

"Oh, no. We shall be next to a lot of others. Each with an assortment of children."

"Nice people?"

"Well, they're people I wouldn't think of associating with on ordinary occasions, but of course—"

"[illegible]"

"[illegible]"

"[illegible] your water?"

"From the nearest well."

"Typhoid?"

"Probably."

"Flies?"

"Heaps."

"[illegible]"

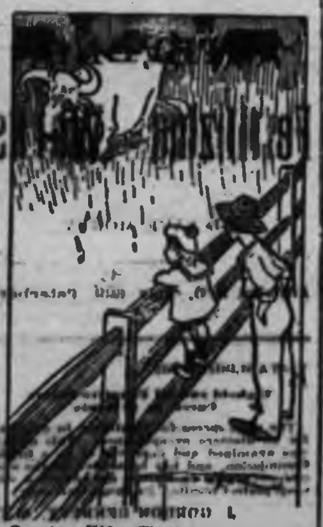
A Pointer to Barbers.

Barbers [illegible] When a man gets into the chair for a shave or hair cut, etc., all kinds of questions are put to him, and if he gets out alive without [illegible] [illegible] latest sporting event, or pretend to know what Hon. Laurier or Tarte are going to do, he must be either deaf, dumb [illegible] [illegible] that "silence is not golden" in a barber shop, and it does not matter how many [illegible] [illegible] man who shaves must know all about [illegible]

Running a Great Rapids.

"At the head of one of the great rapids a bowman, seeing that I seated well with a light-weight of this crew, invited me to take a paddle and help them through," writes Arthur Heming in the July "Scribner" in describing the Abitibi fur brigade. "While the brigade are shooting rapids light-weights are at a premium. Tossing in an extra set of paddles we stepped aboard, and with a gentle shove the current caught us and carried us out to mid-stream. Long before we sighted white water the roar of the cataract was humming in our ears. We two midmen sat upon dunnage sacks and braced our moccasined feet against the ribbing. Presently the bowman stood up and scanned the river. Dark, ominous water sped ahead for a hundred yards, then disappeared, leaving nothing but a great, surging mass of white that leaped high and dropped out of sight in the apparently forsaken river-bed. Then the steersman stood up, too, and Indian words passed between them. Every moment we were gaining impetus, and always heading for the highest crest of foam. Waiting for the word to paddle was [illegible] worse than waiting for the [illegible] At last [illegible] twenty-five yards from [illegible] water. With a [illegible] from the bowman, we drove our paddles home. The great canoe trembled a little at first as our work was somewhat ragged, but a moment later we settled into an even stroke and [illegible] buoyantly among the tossing billows. Now before us ran a strange, wild [illegible] of seething white [illegible] among gray-capped, dark granite boulders that blocked the way. High, rocky banks standing close together [illegible] the mighty river into a [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] above [illegible] barely [illegible] is dangerous work. We midmen paddle hard to keep the canoe ahead of the current. The steersmen in bow and stern ply and [illegible] their great [illegible] paddles. The bowman with eyes [illegible] watches the [illegible] and signs of hidden [illegible]. The roar of seething water drowns the bowman's orders. The [illegible] follow [illegible] his companion makes. Down [illegible] upon the very back of the [illegible] where the water forms a great [illegible] above the [illegible] With [illegible] the [illegible] then dip [illegible] and [illegible] more [illegible] than [illegible] the angry stream is waging battle with a hoary [illegible] With [illegible] river kisses and roars and lashes it. Yet it [illegible] only frowns destruction [illegible] How the bowman is working! See his paddle bend! With lightning movement he [illegible] his great paddle deep into the [illegible] under the left side of the bow, then with a mighty [illegible] he lifts her bow around. The great canoe swings as though upon a pivot; for I see the steersman doing exactly the very [illegible] at the [illegible] moment? W[illegible] But the next instant the paddles are working on the opposite sides, for the bowman sees signs of a water-covered rock not three yards from [illegible] [illegible] the paddle snaps like a rotten twig. Instantly he grabs for another, and a great [illegible] the length of the [illegible] bottom. The next moment he is working the new paddle. A little water is coming in, but she is running true. The rocks now grow fewer, but still there is another pitch ahead. Again the bow dips as we rush down the incline. Spray rises in clouds that drench us to the skin, as we plunge through the "great swell" and then shoot out among a multitude of tumbling billows that threaten to [illegible] us. The canoe rides [illegible] white [illegible] beneath us. At last we leave their wild arena, and entering calmer water, paddle away to the end of the portage trail."

A City Study.



Country Kid—That's the best cow we've got.

City Kid—Why don't you get his handle-bars straightened?—Drawn by D. M. [illegible] for the [illegible] Bulletin.

An Oriental Inquest.

[illegible] little [illegible] the body of a [illegible] man from Astrachan. [illegible] (dictating to his clerk)—[illegible] was found a bottle [illegible] empty, [illegible] its contents [illegible] coroner, [illegible] contained English gin. [illegible] not, I am not sure. Taste it yourself. [illegible] believe it is simply strong vodka.

The coroner (tasting of another glass)—No, really, it tastes like gin.

[illegible]

The [illegible] become empty [illegible] in [illegible] to ascertain [illegible]

[illegible] From Peterborough to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and the South via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley Railroad. Route of the "Black Diamond Express." Pullman sleeping and dining car service from Toronto. Everything first class [illegible] [illegible] Grand Trunk ticket office Peterborough [illegible] [illegible]

Now is the Last Chance to Buy the St. Paul & Sunset Oil COMPANY'S STOCK AT 35 CENTS

California Oil Stocks Have Paid Millions in Dividends

KERN COUNTY (SUNSET DISTRICT) OIL COMPANIES PAID ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS IN AUGUST ALONE

MORGAN IN THE OIL INDUSTRY—NEW YORK FINANCIER AT THE HEAD OF A $20,000,000 COMPANY TO EXPLOIT CALIFORNIA FIELDS

Bakersfield, Cal., Sept. [illegible] [illegible] Morgan [illegible] will run lines to the coast from [illegible] coast range at a [illegible] [illegible] also will go down the San Joaquin valley [illegible] [illegible] $5,000,000 [illegible] [illegible] half [illegible] [illegible] parallel with the line of the Standard [illegible] A company, having a capital [illegible] formed a separate company, capitalized [illegible] It is stated that the Morgan syndicate will be prepared to [illegible] 2,000,000 barrels the first year, and will increase that amount at the rate of 1,000,000 a year until the whole demand of the market is met. On October 12, or a few days later, surveyors will be put into the field, and it is most feasible to transport oil to tide water. The surveys will run over the [illegible] stations, storage tanks, and the like. Mr. Morgan and his associates have also [illegible] turned into a reserve fund.

ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL CO.'S GIGANTIC TRACT

[illegible] will be developed and should prove a formidable rival to the new company.

THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY own and control a large tract of absolutely oil-proven asphalt land in the very heart of the best oil producing field of Kern County, California, the district where flowing wells are situated. We have a bed of Liquid Asphalt underlying a portion of our lands. Our property is situated right at Sunset Station. A new line of railway is surveyed and will be constructed in a very short time, putting us not only in touch with Eastern cities, but in touch with tide water. This in addition to the railroad facilities we now have. Remember that we own our land—it is paid for and entirely free from debt.

PROFESSOR DR. [illegible] SCHIMPER, Analytical and Expert Chemist, of St. Paul, makes the following statement relative to the [illegible] which can be produced, and the estimated profit of the Sunset Crude Oil. A copy of the original certificate can be seen at the office of the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Co., which is in substance as follows:

[illegible] Sunset Oil Company, I find the [illegible] 1,000 lbs. of this crude oil [illegible] of asphaltum, value $25 to $35 [illegible] of lubricating oil, value 50c. per gal. [illegible] gal. of distilled oil, value [illegible] (Estimated value $54.00.) [illegible] value $22.00 [illegible] [illegible] value $60.00.)

In my opinion many other valuable products can be obtained from the oil of that famous field.

Respectfully,

DR. F. J. SCHIMPER, Chemical Expert.

THE figures to show the immense profits that will accrue from our product when [illegible] We expect to commence building Our Refinery in the very near future. The sale of the next allotment of stock will be used for that purpose. The largest flowing wells in California were brought in adjoining our property and their stock was taken off the market. We employ the best drillers who report rapid progress on our wells and we are looking [illegible] equal, if not to excel any in the Sunset field. Our General Manager, Superintendent and Drillers, all are experienced oil men. The officers of our company are all thorough, competent and successful men who have always made a success of their undertaking in life and who will see that the welfare of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company is furthered, fostered and promoted to the most advantageous extent possible.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS should be paid to the stockholders of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company when their property is fully developed, and [illegible] equipped and in full operation. ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS was paid by Kern County Oil Companies during the month of August alone.

SIX MILLION BARRELS is the consuming capacity of the Southern Pacific Railway engines, which are now equipped for burning oil. Outside of this consider other railway lines, [illegible] factories, [illegible] which all [illegible] of fuel oil and last but not least, hotels and dwellings are falling in line with the [illegible] of [illegible] fuel oil.

A GOOD REASON WHY YOU should invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. More fortunes have been made in oil than any other business. Consider the enormous amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for the fortunate stockholders, but the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard Oil Company. Here is what $100 has [illegible] those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:

Home—Whittier $1,000 on an investment of $100.

Kern—returned $[illegible] on an investment of $100.

Peerless returned $[illegible] on an investment of $100.

Dillon returned $62,500 on an investment of $100.

New York returned $[illegible] on an investment of $100.

[illegible] returned $[illegible] on an investment of $100.

Home returned $[illegible] on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company's oil property when developed should not bring like returns.

CONTRARY to the general supposition the oil [illegible] history of all mining [illegible] When it is known and demonstrated beyond question of a doubt, where its wealth is placed and you put your money in to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people, but creates new wealth. It is the soundest of all investments.

Wonderful Increase in Value of Oil Stocks

The rapid rise in the value of shares in some oil companies will be seen from the following table:

Black Mountain Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Central Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Home Oil Co., Whittier	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
West Shore Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dillon Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Peerless Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
San Joaquin Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kern Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Thirty-three Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kern River Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
New York Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Keves[illegible] Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Columbia Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Union Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Home Oil Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]

The time will come in the near future when the stock of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Co. should bring prices equal to the above.

WE CLAIM NOTHING WE CANNOT PROVE TO BE TRUE

BRIEFLY, OUR PROPOSITION IS THIS: THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY

owns its immense tract of proven Oil Land without a penny of encumbrance. The property is located in the most wonderful and richest oil producing section in the world, in the famous Sunset District of Kern County, California. Other Oil Companies in Kern county have paid hundreds of thousands of dollars in dividends—and today their stock cannot be bought at any price. These companies in many instances have less property, and in some cases are only lessees, not owning refinery, tanks, lines, etc.

A LIMITED AMOUNT OF THIS STOCK WILL BE SOLD AT 35c. PER SHARE. PAR VALUE $1.00.

BUY NOW. THIS STOCK WILL BE ADVANCED TO 50c. WITHIN THE NEXT 30 DAYS.

THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY [illegible]

[illegible] orders [illegible] will be the first ones to be filled. In case we are unable to fill your order [illegible]

ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL CO. [illegible] ST. PAUL, MINN.

R. J. KIDD, Agent, Peterborough, Ont.

CLUBFEET CURED BY THE AUSTRIAN SURGEON

Dr. Lorenz Turns the Feet of Infants Sufferers in San Francisco

ALL DEFORMITIES DISAPPEAR

[illegible] In Each Cases in Eight Years

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. [illegible]—Dr. Adolph Lorenz, of Vienna, who operated on Miss Lolita Armour, and who arrived in this city last Sunday evening, has already performed several successful bloodless surgical operations in the presence of a large number of [illegible] surgeons.

He treated free of charge yesterday a case of double club feet of a [illegible]-month-old baby, Ross Jackson, of [illegible] This infant's feet were so badly disarranged that they were bent inward and upward until the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the only possible walking surface the [illegible] of the feet.

Dr. Lorenz took each tiny foot in his hands and powerfully turned them round into the right position, gradually bringing the soft little feet to [illegible] though they were of [illegible] [illegible] that way. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] they should [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

Dr. Lorenz Explains.

In a [illegible] of his method, Lorenz said that there was [illegible] [illegible] but that there was much [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] hardening of the bony cavity. [illegible] to seven or eight years. [illegible] years old, and in one [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] years old, but that was a very singular case.

The [illegible] [illegible] patients [illegible] the most interesting of which [illegible]

[illegible] was suffering from a congenital dislocation of a hip joint. [illegible] Dr. Lorenz [illegible]

The Vienna specialist performed two operations on Tuesday at the Children's Hospital, his subjects being Harold [illegible], six years old, and Adele [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] suffered from congenital dislocation, the girl from dislocation of the left hip joint and the boy [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] After the operation the [illegible] [illegible] casts [illegible] in which they will be encased for six months.

[illegible] plaster of paris casts, and they will remain in them for six months [illegible] [illegible] while the boy [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] boys were operated upon at [illegible] College yesterday. They were Philip O'Neil, the four-year-old son of William O'Neil, a farmer of Mendocino county, and Donald Lum, four-year-old son of Dr. W. T. Lum, of Alameda. In both cases the doctor exercised his method of treatment for congenital dislocation of the hip [illegible]

FOOD ADULTERATION.

[illegible]

[illegible] the other day a gentleman conversant with the [illegible] [illegible] that the Ontario inspection laws should be more rigidly enforced in order to give the [illegible] a fair measure of protection. Adulteration, he said, is becoming quite common [illegible] [illegible] is being [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] giving the [illegible] appearance [illegible] [illegible] This product of a [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] a good foothold in Ontario.

NOT BOUNDARY MONUMENTS.

Jack Dalton Says Alaskan [illegible]

Vancouver, B.C., Nov. [illegible]—Jack Dalton, the Klondike trail [illegible] has arrived from Dawson. He says he accompanied Lieut. [illegible] who was sent to find Russian boundary monuments in Alaska. He went over the very line of stone monuments spoken of by Dr. [illegible] as the boundary monuments. Dalton says they are not boundary monuments but stones placed to mark Indian graves.

A [illegible] known Vancouver citizen has complained to the authorities that the United States Government has erected a number of Houses of Refuge on the North shore of Portland Canal in territory in dispute between the United States and Canada. Great Britain [illegible] that the [illegible] Canal is the boundary, while the United States says the Portland Canal is the dividing line.

These houses of refuge are [illegible] and each has a tablet stating that it is United States Government property. The traveller, who has brought the news to the Board of Trade here, has ordered [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] investigated.

PETERBOROUGH POST-OFFICE.

[illegible] Revenue [illegible] Year

From the annual report of the Postmaster-General we gather this information regarding the Peterborough Post Office:

Total Revenue	[illegible]
No. of money orders issued	[illegible]
Amount money orders	[illegible]
Com. received from public	[illegible]
No. money orders paid	[illegible]
Amount money orders paid	[illegible]
Amount postal notes paid	[illegible]
Salaries	[illegible]

The salaries include commissions on [illegible]

The following is paid yearly for mail transportation in the locality:

Peterborough and Bobcaygeon, [illegible] [illegible] O'[illegible] contractor.

[illegible] [illegible] and [illegible], [illegible] contractor.

Hall's Glen and Warsaw, $[illegible], D. [illegible]

Jermyn and Lang, $[illegible], Mr. Carter, contractor.

[illegible] and station, [illegible] contractor.

Lakefield and [illegible] contractor.

Lakefield and station, [illegible] contractor.

Lakefield and [illegible]

[illegible]

Apsley and Lakefield, $[illegible]

[illegible] contractor.

Apsley and Cook Lake, $[illegible], A. Woods, contractor.

Apsley and Paudash, $[illegible], H. White contractor.

Haliburton and Millbrook, $100, A. Dawson.

Chemong and Selwyn, $[illegible], J. W. Jacobs, contractor.

Hiawatha and Peterboro, $[illegible], R. Dawe, contractor.

Indian River and station (for 2 mos.) $[illegible], M. Guerin, contractor.

Norwood and station, $200.75, R. Foster, contractor.

Peterboro and station (C.P.R. and G.T.R.) $259.94, G. Fowler, contractor.

Peterboro transfers, $[illegible], G. Fowler, contractor.

Peterboro and street letter boxes, $[illegible], [illegible] Cameron, contractor.

Peterborough and Warsaw $[illegible], J. Crowe, contractor.

Saturday's Market

The market on Saturday was attended by a big crowd. In the hall fowl, eggs, butter, &c., were in large supply, but outside on the square the offerings of roots, vegetables, etc. were not up to the previous Saturday, although the supply was equal to the demand. Prices ruled high and buyers were slow in making purchases. The following were the prevailing quotations:—Geese, [illegible] turkeys, [illegible] to $1.[illegible] each; chickens, 40 to 60c. a pair; ducks, 75 to [illegible]c. a pair; butter, [illegible] lb.; eggs, [illegible] doz.; pork, 8 to 9c; beef, [illegible] to [illegible]c; potatoes, $1.[illegible] to $1.[illegible] bag; apples, [illegible] to $1.[illegible] bag; onions, 30c peck; carrots, 10c peck; cabbages, [illegible] to [illegible]c doz.; celery, [illegible] per bunch; turnips, [illegible] bag; pumpkins, [illegible] to 15c; [illegible] tomatoes, [illegible] basket; [illegible] each; pears [illegible] peck; beets, [illegible] peck; parsnips, [illegible] peck; honey, [illegible]; hay, $[illegible] to $[illegible] per ton.

[illegible]

The Times on Saturday received the following from the Post Office Inspector, Toronto, [illegible] a letter which had been mailed by this office to our agent in London, England:—The enclosed was found in a mail made up and despatched by the Port Hope & Midland Mail Clerks for the Grand Trunk [illegible] on the night of the 5th inst., which was lost or stolen in transit between the Port Hope Post Office and Railway Station, and was not recovered until yesterday morning. An examination of the bag after being found revealed the fact that a number of ordinary letters had been mutilated, or otherwise tampered with, amongst which was the enclosure, now sent you back.

—Mr. Charlie [illegible] [illegible] the hunt on Friday night had the misfortune to lose a valuable gun. It was [illegible] out of the rig along the road some[illegible] [illegible]

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PROCLAMATION

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Electoral District afore said that in pursuance to Part I, of the Liquor Act, poll will be opened at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, on the

4th Day of the Month of December,

IN THE YEAR 1902,

And close on the same day at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, in each of the Townships, Wards or Polling Subdivisions in which a Polling Place is to be opened and kept according to law, viz.:

BURLEIGH & ANSTRUTHER.

Polling Division No. 1—Consisting of the Southern Division of Burleigh, at Stone's School House.

Polling Division No. 2—Consisting of the Northern Division of Burleigh and the Townships of Anstruther, at Town Hall, Apsley.

CHANDOS.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising that part of Chandos, from and including the 8th, Concession to the Northern and Eastern boundaries at Caldwell's School House.

Polling Division No. 2.—Comprising that part of Chandos, including Concessions 2 and 3, Concessions 4, 5, and 6 from Lot 1 to 19, Concession 7 from Lot 1 to 19, at Hales' School House.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising that part of Chandos, including Concessions 4 and 5 from Lot 17 to 32, Concessions 6, 10 and 11 from Lot 23 to 32, Concessions 7, 8, 9 and 12 from Lots 25 to 32 at Post's School House.

BELMONT AND METHUEN.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising the 9th, 10th 11th, 12th, Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from the South Boundary to the line between Lots 10 and 11 except the east 1/4 of Lots 7 and 8 in the 10th Concession, and the Northeast 1/4 of Lots 6 and 7, and the West 3/4 of Lot 8, in the 9th Concession, at School House Old Havelock.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Concessions of the Township of Belmont from the South Boundary to the line between Lots 8 and 9, the 6th, 7th and 8th Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from the South Boundary to the line between Lots 12 and 13, at Town Hall, Belmont.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising the 1st 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from Lot 8 to the North Boundary, the 1st and 2nd Concessions of the Township of Methuen, from the South Boundary to Lot 10, at Mount Zion School House.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising the 6th, 7th and 8th Concessions of the Township of Belmont from Lot 12 to North Boundary, except 31 & 32 in the 6th Concession, and the 9th, 10th, 11th and 12 Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from Lot 10 to North Boundary, and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, in the 11th and 12th Concessions of the Township of Methuen, at Rush Point School House.

Polling Division No. 5—Comprising all the Township of Methuen, except the 1st, and 2nd Concessions from the South Boundary to Lot 10 and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, in the 11th and 12th Concessions, and to include Lots 31 and 32 in the 6th Concession of the Township of Belmont, at Oak Lake School House.

HAVELOCK.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising the Village of Havelock, at Town Hall, Havelock.

ASPHODEL.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising the 1, 2, 3, and 4th Concessions on the River Trent, to the line between Lots 12 and 13 and Lots 10, 11 and 12 in the 5th Concession, at Town Hall, Westwood.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and the West Half of Concession 6, from Lot 12 to the Northen Boundary of the Township, at English's House, Lot 16, Concession 4.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising the East Half Concession 6 and Concessions 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12, from Lot 11 to the Northern Boundary of the Township, at Geo. Patterson's House.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising all the Lots South of Lot 10 in the 5th Concession, and all Lots South of Lot 12 in the 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th Concessions and the West 1/2 of Lot 12 in the 6th Concession, at Valleau's Cheese Factory.

DUMMER.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising Lots 1 to 10, inclusive, in the 7th Concession, and Lots 1 to 22 inclusive in the 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th Concessions, and parts of shore along Stoney Lake (Summer Resort) 8th, 9th, and 10th Concession, at School House No. 2.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising Lots 1 to 5, inclusive and the East 1/2 of Lot 6 in the 2nd, Concession, Lots 1 to 9 in the 3rd Concession, and Lots 1 to 10 in 4th, 5th and 6th Concessions, at Cottesloe Post Office.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising inclusive, all the Lots in the 1st Concession, West Half of 6, from 7 to 19 and West Half of 20 in the 2nd Concession, Lots 10 to 19 in the 3rd Concession and Lots 11 to 19 in the 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th Concession, at Town Hall, Warsaw.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising inclusive East Halves of Lots 20 & 21 to Stoney Lake, in the 2nd Concession, Lots 20 to Stoney Lake, in the 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th Concessions and Lots 24 to Stoney Lake, in the 8th, 9th, [illegible] on Stoney Lake in Dummer, at 10th, 11th, and 12th Concessions, and all 6th Line Orange Hall, Hall's Glen.

OTONABEE.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising that part of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Concessions South of Lot 22, at Villiers Post Office.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising that part of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and East 1/2 of the 7th Concession North of Lot 21, at School House, Section 3.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising that part of the 6th, 7th and 8th Concessions South of Lot 22 and also Sugar nad Harris Islands, at Forester's Hall, Keene.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising that part of the West 1/2 of the 7th Concession, and all 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th Concessions North of Lot 21, at Wm. Girvin's House, Lot 26, Concession 10.

Polling Division No. 5—Comprising that part of the 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th Concessions South of Lot 22, at Union Hall, Mather's Corners.

Polling Division No. 6—Comprising the 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th Concessions, at Union Hall, Stewart's.

DOURO.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising all Lots North of Lots 13 in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th Concessions, at R. H. Little's House, Lot 20, Concession 5.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising all Lots South of Lot 14, in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Concessions, at John Turpey's House, Lot 10, Concession 2.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising all Lots South of Lot 14, in the 5th, 6th and 7th Concessions and the East halves of all Lots in Concession 8, at Town Hall, Douro.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising the West halves of all Lots in Concession 8, and all Lots in the 9th, 10th 11th and 12th Concessions, at Thomas Tobin's House.

NORWOOD.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising all Village West of Victoria street, at Town Hall.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising all Village East of Victoria street, at Agricultural Office.

ASHBURNHAM.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising all that portion of said Village South of Elizabeth street and South of the line between the Lots Nos. 29 and 30 in the 12th Concession of Otonabee, at Council Chamber.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising all that portion of said Village North of Elizabeth street and North of the line between Lots 29 and 30 in the 12th concession of Otonabee, at Mrs. Swanson's House, Lot 14, North Elizabeth street.

All of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Peterborough, this tenth day of the month of November, in the year 1902.

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STATEMENT OF MR. MITCHELL

To the Commission Sent Out by President Roosevelt

Scranton, Pa., Nov. 15.—The commission appointed by President Roosevelt to arbitrate the differences between the anthracite mine workers and their employers began the hearing of the miners' side of the case to-day. When the commission opened its session to-day the only evidence before it was the preliminary statement of Mr. Mitchell, in which he said:

"Of the 147,000 men and boys employed in the anthracite coal fields, 64,072 or 43 per cent., are employed on contract, or piece work; the remaining 83,000, or 57 per cent., are employed by the hour, day, week or month. Of the 64,072 contract men, 37,804 are miners and 26,268 are miners' laborers.

DANGEROUS WORK.

"The work of a miner and a miners' laborer is extremely hazardous; in fact, it is more dangerous than employment in any other important industry in the world. The number of persons killed and injured is greater than in any other industry. Each day the anthracite coal mines are in operation 2 6-10 persons lose their lives, and three times as many are maimed, and yet these men receive less wages annually than are received by men performing precisely similar work in other fields, under more favorable and less hazardous conditions.

"The number of years a man can retain his health and strength in this occupation is limited. If he escapes death or injury by falls of rock or coal, he cannot escape attacks of miners'asthma. There is scarcely a mine worker who has not contracted this malady. The miners are compelled to work in powder smoke, in foul air, many of them in water, and their work is difficult and exhausting. Reputable insurance companies will not issue policies to this class of workmen. The risks are so great that the premiums would be prohibitive to men whose earnings are so low. The entire 20 per cent. which they demand as an increase in their wages would not suffice to carry an insurance of one thousand dollars.

"It seems but fair and just that wages paid these classes of workmen should be as high, if not higher, than wages paid to skilled artisans in other industries. It is certainly not unjust to ask that these miners should receive as high wages as are paid to miners in the bituminous coalfields, in the silver and gold mines, or in the iron ore and copper mines, all of which work is less hazardous, freer from liability to disease, requiring less experience and less skill, and is better paid than labor in the anthracite coalfields."

AN EIGHT-HOUR DAY.

In supporting the demand for the reduction of the hours of day laborers, Mr. Mitchell showed that it amounted practically to a demand for 20 per cent. increase of compensation for 83,000 men or 57 per cent. of all mine employee. He said further that the eight-hour day is the standard working day in the mining industry. Eight hours constitute a day's work in the coal mines of Great Britain; in all the silver, gold, and copper mines, and in the bituminous coal mines in the different States of this country.

FAIR SYSTEM OF WEIGHING.

Defending the third demand, that coal shall be weighed, and paid for by weight and that 2,240 pounds shall constitute a ton, Mr. Mitchell declared that the present method of measuring the coal produced by the miners in the Lackawanna, Wyoming and Lehigh regions has been the source of more discontent than any other of the many injustices imposed upon the miners, and there can be no contentment among these workers until an honest system has been adopted. Paying for coal by the car or by a ton weighing from 2,740 to 3,150 pounds is a flagrant injustice, he declared.

Mr. Mitchell continued: "The anthracite companies, not satisfied with an extra legal ton of from 2,740 to 3,150 pounds, have a system of docking, through which they appropriate additional part of the miners' earnings. A miner is docked all the way from 500 to 1,000 pounds upon a car, as a penalty for loading impurities, for which he has already been penalized to the extent of from 700 to 900 pounds in excess of impure weight. In other words, he is punished twice for the same offence."

SETTLE DISPUTES.

Mr. Mitchell then took up the fourth demand of the miners, for a trade agreement, with the necessary machinery for the adjustment of local grievances. He outlined the history and policy of the United Mine Workers of America, and explained that by its constitution the anthracite and bituminous mine workers had some rule for the local government of local affairs.

"The only manner," he said, "in which the national organization is permitted to interfere is that before a strike is inaugurated by the district organization the approval of the president of the National Union must be obtained; but the president of the national organization has no authority to inaugurate a strike. Thus the coal mine operators are afforded a greater measure of protection against a strike than they would have under a separate and independent organization."

THE UNION'S RESPONSIBILITY.

As to the responsibility of the mine workers' organization Mr. Mitchell said: "At the present time the United Mine Workers of America has contracts with the operators of fourteen States and district, fixing the amount the miners shall receive per ton, the amount the various classes of labor shall receive per day, the number of hours which shall constitute a day's work and the methods and machinery for the adjustment of local grievances by joint conferences with the mine owners. These are mutual contracts, which are advantageous to both miner and operator, and protect the public against the effects of strikes or lockouts. The reports of the United States Government on strikes in the mining industry show that the number and duration of strikes has been materially reduced each year since the system of joint conference and mutual agreement has been introduced.

"The trade agreement has proved effective in restraining workmen from engaging in local or general strikes. There have been no strikes of any magnitude in any of the coal mining States in which trade agreements exist. We seek to establish the same method of adjusting wage differences in the anthracite field."

PLEA FOR CHILDREN.

Mr. Mitchell concluded with a plea for the children. He said: "Our little boys should not be forced into the mines and breakers so early in life; our little girls should not be compelled to work in the mills and factories at an age when they should be in school. These children are the future citizens of our nation; their parents should be enabled to earn wages sufficiently high to give them at least a common school education, so as to equip them better for the grave responsibilities which will ultimately devolve upon them."

Mainly About People.

Mr. Harry de Windt, in his book, "Finland As It Is," tells of a bon mot of Andree, the Arctic explorer. Just before his last voyage he was driven to distraction at a dinner-party by a talkative neighbor. "But how will you know, professor, when you have really crossed the North Pole?" was one of many silly questions. "Oh, that will be simple enough, madame," replied Andree, with his well-known dry humor. "A north wind will become a south one!"

It is related that when the Earl of Rochester, in the reign of Charles II., rose to make his maiden speech in the House of Lords, he said: "My lords, my lords, I rise this time for the first time—the very first time. My lords, I divide my speech into four branches." Here there was an embarrassing pause of some seconds. "My lords," the earl then ejaculated, "if ever I rise again in this House, you may cut me off, root and branches, and all forever."

The father of Earl Fitzwilliam, who died recently, was an excellent landlord. A London paper relates how once a farmer went to him with the complaint that the earl's fox-hunters had ruined a field of corn, or, as we should call it, wheat. The earl gave the man fifty pounds in payment for damage. After harvest-time the farmer returned the money, saying that the wheat had turned out well, after all. Earl Fitzwilliam drew a check for one hundred pounds and gave it to his tenant. "This is as things should be between man and man," said he. "When your eldest son comes of age, give him this, and tell him how and why you got it."

Wu Ting-fang, the Chinese Minister, told the ladies of the Washington Law College a story Saturday night that made them all laugh. "I was at a banquet a few nights ago," he said, "and I met the wife of one of the members of Congress. She sat near me at table. I tried to be entertaining. Finally she leaned over and said: 'Oh! Mr. Wu, we all think you are so brilliant. Isn't it a pity you are only Chinese?' "

The late Noah Davis, justice of the Supreme Court of New York, was one of the many judges and lawyers who make the court room the scene of some of our best wit and humor. Once a lawyer objected to a witness, but Judge Davis refused to sustain him. The lawyer cried, "But, Your Honor, I submit—" and here he broke off. "That's right," said the judge, quickly; "always submit. Crier, adjourn court!" In one case over which he presided there were fifty-five distinct offences, and four counts on each offence, two hundred and twenty in all. "Well," said Judge Davis, "there are more counts than in a German principality."

When Collis P. Huntington, the late president of the Southern Pacific Railway, was married for the second time, Henry Ward Beecher performed the marriage ceremony. Huntington's first wife had been dead less than one year, and he desired the second marriage to be kept secret until his return from Europe. He gave Mr. Beecher a marriage fee of $1,500. When Huntington returned, some months later, he went through a public ceremony, and Beecher again officiated. He gave Beecher another fee of $1,500. The great preacher had his humor aroused by this second fee. Turning to Huntington, he said: "Collis, I do wish you were a Mormon."

The butler in a Scotch family occupies a privileged and unique position. He sometimes assumes a freedom of speech which seems to American ears to border on impertinence; but to those who knew him his frank speech is only one of the many evidences of his interest in the family welfare. A young New York woman was the guest at a house where a butler of that sort reigns. She submitted to his patronage with much amusement; but one day there were unexpected and important guests for dinner, and a little while before the meal was served the butler waylaid the young American in the hall. "I'm fearin' there'll no be quite enough soup," he whispered, "so when it's offered, ye maun decline it, lass." "Decline soup, James?" she said, laughing. "Why, that would not be polite." "Weel, not precisely," said James, with a benignant smile, "but they'll a' make excuse for ye, thinkin' ye ken nae better."

Frith, the celebrated Royal Artist, once painted a portrait of himself, and in the course of years forgot all about it. But a friend entered his studio one morning and asserted that a capital picture of him was on view in a small shop in Great Portland street. "It's not a bit like what you are now," observed the friend, "but it may have resembled you some years ago. Go and look at it." Mr. Frith went, and found his own image after an estrangement of forty-five years. He determined to buy it, though he had not the faintest recollection of having painted it. "Ah, a portrait!" said Frith to the woman in charge of the shop, after he had pretended to examine several other works. "Whose likeness is that?" "That," said the lady, "is a portrait of the celebrated artist, Frith, painted by himself." "Why, he must be an elderly man," put in the artist. The woman remarked that he was young once. "Humph!" quoth the genial W. P. F.; "not much of a picture." To this the woman demurred, and asked £20 for the canvas. It was Frith's turn to appear surprised. "Well," replied the shopkeeper without moving a muscle, "it cost us nearly as much; we shall make a very small profit. You see, it is very valuable because the artist is diseased." "Deceased," exclaimed the astonished painter. "Dead, do you mean?" "Yes, sir; died of drink. My husband attended the funeral." Frith bought the picture, but did not revive for some time.

English.

A Washington lady who is so fond of her home that she stays in it sometimes all the year round, was assailed, says "Lippincott's Magazine," by a conventional friend in conventional language.

"I knew that you usually wintered here," she said, "but I was astonished to hear that you had summered here!"

"I have not only wintered here and summered here," replied the unfashionable one, "but I will astonish you still further when I tell you that I always fall here and have sometimes sprung here."

—The work of the Government dredge "Trent" in charge of Mr. Frank Farris is progressing favorably.

—The new concrete wharf immediately below the locks has been completed and is a splendid improvement on the old wooden one, and is greatly appreciated by the steamboat men. The government is also replacing the old wharf between the lock's bridge and the lock with concrete, about half of which is already under way, and when completed will be a great improvement.

PLAIN MAN FOR HUSBAND

Matrimonially Speaking This is Heyday of His Popularity

London, Nov. 15—As the result of examining a very extensive collection of portraits of the newly-married obtained from the illustrated papers, the present writer has come to the conclusion that the plain man is just now in the heyday of his popularity, matrimonially speaking.

It would seem that while the handsome man is charming to dally with, some one whose features are homely indeed even ugly, is regarded as the wiser matrimonial venture.

The wives of the modern Adonis appear to have discovered, in fact, that by her own act she created a problem that brings to her many hours of uneasiness, if not of actual pain.

Her husband lives upon the approbation of others. Her own worship of him may for a while suffice to satisfy him; but later on he will assuredly heed that of the outside world. And the outside world is only too pleased to grant him all the admiration he requires. Balls, dinner parties, picnics, skating meetings demand his presence constantly, but make no point of his being there at all, a fact she quickly discerns, and proportionately resents. Should she absent herself from such gaities, she imagines her husband making himself too agreeable to this pretty woman or that, and should she become a hanger-on of his popularity she is all the while seething with hatred for her equivocal position.

Much of the vanity of the handsome man arises from the indiscreet adoration showered upon him in childhood. As he grows up he is made much of outside the family circle because it is pleasant to have in a room full of guests as many handsome men as possible. And the sequel? Is it not obvious? When he fell in love, it was not altogether because his choice was fair and sweet, but because, she, too, paid him the tribute of admiration.

WANTS GOOD MEN

Now, it is all very well to put a man on a pedestal and wreathe him with bays before marriage; but what a woman wants after marriage is a good and serviceable article in the way of a husband.

It is excessively annoying to a woman always to have to play second fiddle pianissimo when the beauty question is uppermost. Breathes there the wife in any household who dislikes some little passing mention made from time to time about her good looks and charming individuality. But the wife of an Adonis obtains little of this sweet incense.

Sweep away this picture and contemplate the companion one of the plain husband. His object is to make life a bed of roses for his wife and family. Unselfishly the plain man toils.

The plain husband "puts up" with things. Did ever a handsome one brook the domestic trials he cheerfully endures? Somehow the handsome man is expected to regard calamities from quite a different standpoint. Nay, more, the ugly, good humored head of a household is expected to be the handy man of the family. If a chimney smokes, his plain features must be begrimed in at attempt to get at the root of the mischief; if a pipe leaks, his red and uncultured paws are quite good enough to probe the defect to its very depths. What handsome curled darling could possibly be expected to risk his good looks by performing such nasty tasks as these?

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MANY KILLED IN GUATEMALA

Volcanic Eruption Wiped Out Villages and Destroyed Coffee Plantations.

San Francisco, Nov. 15—News received today to the Pacific mail steamer Newport confirms the report received last Sunday of much damage done in Guatemala, on the morning of Oct. 26 as the result of a violent eruption of the volcano of Santa Maria in Quezaltenango district, on the seaward slope of a small range of mountains separating Quezaltenango from the port of Champerico.

Details are being suppressed by the Government, but it is said that many lives were lost as the result of the fall of ashes; thousands of horses, cattle and other animals were killed and rich coffee plantations ruined. The loss of the new crop of coffee will amount to 15,000 tons.

Americans in Champerico said, the towns of Palmar, San Felipe, Colombia and Coatepec had been destroyed with probably great loss of life.

The ashes thrown from the volcano still lay over the plantations to a depth of six or seven feet, and the houses had been crushed by the weight of mud and stones.

Falling ashes and floating pumice stone were encountered by the Newport at sea 120 miles away from the volcano.

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Exception—Tenders are not required for the supply of meat to the asylums in Toronto, London, Kingston, Hamilton and Brockville, nor for the Central Prison and Mercer Reformatory, Toronto.

A marked cheque for five per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract, payable to the order of the Honourable the Provincial Secretary, must be furnished by each tenderer as a guarantee of his bona fides. Two sufficient sureties will be required for the due fulfillment of each contract, and should any tender be withdrawn before the contract is awarded, or should the tenderer fail to furnish such security, the amount of the deposit will be forfeited.

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J. R. STRATTON,
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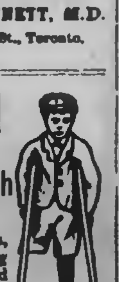

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STOCK MARKETS

Those New Rock Island Securities

New York, Nov. 17.—This week has witnessed the listing upon the New York Stock Exchange of the Rock Island securities, comprising both a common and preferred stock, amounting to $47,497,000 preferred and $67,256,260 common. The preferred stock bears non-cumulative dividends of 4 per cent. until 1910, then 5 per cent. until 1917, and 6 per cent. thereafter. All earnings in excess go to the common stock. The company report that it is earning at present about seven per cent. upon the common shares. The company has now in operation about 7,000 miles of line and more than 1,000 miles under construction. The funded debt of the system amounts to $141,078,000, which is moderate taking into consideration the immense mileage of the Rock Island. On June 30th last the combined surplus of the Rock Island Company amounted to $20,500,259; the income account shows an additional $1,567,366 from July 1st to Aug. 31st; making the total surplus of the system on Sept. 1st last aggregate $22,066,625. The gross earnings for July and Aug. amounted to over seven and one half million dollars; this indicates gross earnings of over $45,000,000 annually. Operating expenses for July and August amounted to $4,110,643, leaving net earnings for the 2 months of $3,411,766. Few people appreciate the comparatively rapid growth of the Rock Island system. Its mileage and earning power has advanced with leaps and bounds and when normal conditions are resumed in the share markets the Rock Island issues will prove attractive speculatively at going prices. The common would appear to be specially good considering its earning capacity and the price at which it is selling. It is well worthy of investigating in our opinion and will soon become a favorite with the speculative public. The history of the Rock Island system in the past two years illustrates the wondrous strides of the middle western roads, their phenomenal growth and additional importance. Money invested in them is bound in the natural course of events to increase rapidly. There can be no possibility of its doing otherwise.

Summary—To-day's market behaved splendidly, making further excellent advances. Manhattan was the leader, rising fully five points from Saturday's close, closely followed by the general list. C. F. I. jumped three points, sugar two points, M. R. 2 1-2 points, B. R. T. Reading and L. N. 2 points more, and the entire market was strong. Minor reactions were numerous. There was a dearth of stocks offering and an entire absence of liquidation. Some of the leading financial writers who recently deplored any advance in prices with loans so voluminously extended yesterday declared the situation cleared. We again lean strongly to the bull side, recommending immediate purchases, well fortified margins. Money closed 4 per cent. Sales 718,900.

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DISTRICT NEWS

CHANDOS.

—There was nothing but hunters in this vicinity for the last two weeks.

—The farmers are busy getting ready for winter.

—Mr. Patrick Scott was out on Saturday looking for men. He took Mr. Frank Gooley and Mr. Joseph Trotter back with him.

—Mr. Thomas Trotter and Mr. John Mahoney were the guests of Mr. James Scott on Sunday evening.

—Mr. Fred Hobbins was the guest of Mr. Stephen Scott on Sunday evening.

—Mr. Eddy Gooley has returned home from the shanty.

—Mr. M. Cleary has returned home from town.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Harrit, of Young's Point, spent a couple of days in Chandos visiting their friends.

—Father Phelan, of Young's Point, was in Clydale on Tuesday.

—The Clydale cheese factory has closed for the season.

—A very pleasant evening was spent at Mrs. Bessie Wilson's on Monday evening, when about forty guests were present. The evening was spent in dancing and games, and the charming host did everything in her power to make it pleasant for her guests, as also did Mr. Michael Scott, who played the fiddle.

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We do not hesitate to say that in our judgment stock in the LARDEAU MINES LIMITED, offers a most magnificent opportunity for investment.

There is every reason to believe that the LARDEAU MINES will pay a profit of 270 per cent. PER YEAR, within a short time, and will continue to yield such profits for more than a lifetime.

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DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

The property is located in the celebrated Lardeau mining division of West Kootenay, British Columbia. The property owned by this company consists of three full claims, embracing an extent of 154 acres—mineral claims in British Columbia are 1,500x1,500 feet—equal to 51 acres in each extent. Three strong parallel ore veins run through the property from end to end, a distance of of 4,500 feet. If placed end to end this would give us 13,500 feet, equal to a continuous ore body over two and a half miles in length. The values are in gold, silver, copper and lead, and run from $26.00 to $77.00 per ton of 2,000 pounds. These results show indications of permanent values of the most convincing kind.

GROSS VALUE OF SHIPMENTS.

The gross value of shipments of ore aggregating 6,181,604 pounds from twelve mines in the Lardeau, all situated near the property owned by this company, was $451,410.81, equal to a return per ton of over $146.00. The property owned by this company shows up equally as well as any of these more fully developed mines, and will, we are convinced, shortly rank among the best in the Lardeau division.

READ THESE FIGURES CAREFULLY

In a very conservative statement issued by the officers of the company, appears the following:

"In order to show why we are confident we are right, we will estimate our ore values at $50.00 per ton, a little over one-third of the average ore values of the entire Lardeau mining division. We will also base our calculations on a daily output of 30 tons—a small amount compared with the extent of our property and the size of its ore bodies. We will allow $10.00 per ton for mining, transportation (a few miles only) and smelting charges. The profits after making a reasonable reduction for incidentals and surplus, work out as follows:

30 tons at $50.00 per ton...	$1,500
Less $10.00 per ton mining, transportation, and reduction charges	300
Net daily income......	1,200
Say for 300 days per year...... ...	300
Total net yearly income...	360,000
Deduct for incidental expenses, $5 per ton... ......$45,000	
Deduct for company's surplus account $5 per ton. 45,000	90,000
Total yearly net earnings......	$270,000

which sum is equal to 270 per cent. per annum on our capital stock of $100,000.

"This estimate is made on the basis of a small output compared to the extent of our property and the splendid facilities it affords for economical mining and on the operation of the mine for 300 days per year only, so that anyone can see at a glance that we are not overestimating in any particular, especially when the output of mines similarly situated, and with ore bodies of less extent than ours, ship hundreds of tons each day. There is no good reason why our property, when fully developed—which will be within six months to a year—should not ship several hundreds of tons of ore per year, but we are basing our calculations on the immediate future in preparing the above estimate.

"We are now within seventy to eighty feet of the main ore veins, and assays show values as high as $77.00 per ton. The average returns from twelve mines in our district, according to Government records, which are always conservative, run as high as $146.40 a ton in gold, silver, copper and lead.

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We know the men connected with the management of the LARDEAU MINES, and have known them for years. We know that they never were and never will be connected with any but honest and legitimately conducted enterprises.

REPORT OF MINING ENGINEER.

The property has been thoroughly examined by well known mining engineers and their reports have borne out every statement that has been made by the company. Mr. H. O. McClymont, one of the last engineers to make a report says in conclusion:

"The average assays are most encouraging, considering the great width and continuancy of the leads across the country with such great width and prominence of the surface, and judging from other properties in the near vicinity, some of which are on the same level and have developed very rich ore bodies. The LARDEAU MINES are as good as any, if not the best, in the vicinity, and I verily believe with a nominal expenditure, they should be made dividend-paying in a short time, and I would strongly recommend extensive developments towards that end. Signed, H. O. McClymont, Mining Engineer."

SMALL AMOUNT OF MONEY NEEDED.

As Mr. McClymont says in his report, only a small sum of money is needed to complete the development work and put these mines on a dividend paying basis.

We want to raise about $10,000 from the sale of shares, this money to be used to complete the work just specified.

A very short time will be required to raise this amount of money for this magnificent property, and then the sale of stock will be discontinued.

READ THIS CAREFULLY.

The present price of the stock is 10 cents per share.

The price will be advanced to 15 cents per share very soon, and then 20 cents per share.

The company reserves the right to withdraw the stock from the market without notice.

TWO YEARS AGO—AND NOW.

We believe that there are 99 chances in 100 of the LARDEAU MINES proving a BONANZA. One property in the vicinity of the Lardeau was recently sold for $600,000 cash, and stock in addition. Two years ago it was not nearly as good a prospect as the Lardeau is today.

The LARDEAU MINES, LIMITED, is a small, close corporation and the profits will consequently be large to each stockholder.

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Reserve This Date

The Rev. Dr. Cleaver, of Jarvis street church, Toronto, will deliver a lecture under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of St. Paul's Church on Thursday, Dec. 11. This will indeed be well worth hearing.

Provincial Appointments

The following Provincial appointments have been made:—J. B. T. Caron, of Ottawa, W. C. Brown, of Tilsonburg, R. J. Stewart, of Kincardine, to be notaries public; S. Finerty of Brudenell, to be Division Court Bailiff for Renfrew County, to succeed J. L. O'Grady, resigned.

An Old Relic

Mr. R. V. Winch, of Vancouver, B.C., a nephew of our esteemed fellow-citizen, Mr. Harry Winch, recently purchased from Mr. J. F. Hamilton, proprietor of Cobourg's "curio" shop, an old relic in the shape of a spinning wheel, over 100 years old. The wheel has been in Cobourg for over 75 years, where Mr. Winch spent his boyhood days.

Sorting Fish

The Globe says the Fisheries Department have authorized one or two parties in the vicinity of Rice Lake to fish with nets for suckers and mud cats. This is with a view of clearing the waters of these objectionable fish, so that bass and maskinonge may increase. Care is being taken that any of the latter fish which may be taken are returned to the water.

The Agonizing Pains of Rheumatism

Swollen, aching joints, muscles are stiff and sore, every movement accompanied by pain. The most potent remedy is Polson's Nerviline, which has five times the pain-subduing power of any other preparation. Apply Nerviline copiously, rub it on well and then bind in a hot flannel bandage. This will cure the worst cases in a short time. Try Nerviline for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica or Lumbago—it's all right and only costs a quarter.

Dr. Hamilton's Pills cure Constipation.

Died in the Hospital

Samuel Meade, a resident of Ashburnham, passed away at the Nicholls Hospital yesterday morning. Deceased had been a resident of Peterborough for seventeen years, and was a carpenter by trade. His wife died some fifteen years ago, and only one daughter, 11 years of age, remains to mourn his death. The funeral takes place today at 10 a.m., from the residence of Mr. M. T. Butcher, 679, Stewart street, to the Dobraygeon cemetery.

Farmers' Institute

The West Peterborough Farmers' Institute will meet in the Council Chamber, Peterborough, on Monday, Dec. 1st. Addresses will be delivered by Messrs. B. M. Elliott, D. Drummond, Myrtle; J. H. Smith, Longbank; Rev. Father McColl and D. Hughes-Charles. Addresses will be delivered in the evening of the same day by the same gentlemen in the Town Hall, North Monoghan. The meeting at Lakefield will be held on the afternoon of Tuesday, Dec. 2nd, and will be addressed by Messrs. Elliott, Drummond, Smith and Hughes-Charles. A meeting will also take place in the evening at Lakefield.

Two More Deer

Mr R. Parker returned yesterday morning from a two weeks' hunt in the neighborhood of Stoney Lake. As an evidence of his prowess with the rifle, he brought home two fine deer, both of which he claims to have shot within five hours. He wounded others previously but was unable to capture them.

A Valuable Property

Cobourg Post:—"Rev. Mr. Sager is in luck, he being a stockholder in a mining company about to operate in Marmora, County of Peterborough, where a valuable mineral has been discovered in abundance that is valued at $400 a ton. The mineral is used in the manufacture of steel and is indispensible. The company owning the property is the International Mining Company, of Buffalo, of which Mr. Sager is a large stockholder."

The Ross Memorial Hospital

The Times is in receipt of cards for the opening of the Ross Memorial Hospital, Lindsay, which will take place on Thursday, 20th instant. At 1.30 o'clock the committe and physicians of the county will meet Mr. and Mrs. James Ross and the visitors, accompanying them to the Hospital, where the control of the Hospital will be formerly handled over to the Board of Governors by Mr. Ross. At 2 o'clock the public proceedings will begin in the Assembly Hall of the Collegiate Institute, when a meeting of citizens will be held, and to which all the citizens of the town and county are most heartily invited. Mr. J. D. Flavelle will take the chair and Rev. C. H. Marsh will pronounce the Invocation. An address from the County of Victoria will be presented to Mr. Ross by the Warden. Following the reply to the address a number of brief speeches will be delivered.

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For three years I suffered terribly from rheumatism It seemed to me that I was forced to endure all the agonies and pains that a mortal could possibly experience from disease. While suffering, I tried many advertised medicines also doctors' prescriptions, but never found a cure until I procured a supply of Paine's Celery Compound. It worked like a charm, and seemed to strike at the very root of my trouble. I am now cured; all pains are banished, and in every respect I am a new man."

NORMAN STEWART INJURED

Caught in a Revolving Belt and Badly Burned

Mr. Norman Stewart, who has been taking a course in practical engineering in the William Hamilton Manufacturing Company's machine shops, had a rather unpleasant experience Saturday afternoon. He was caught in one of the belts and before he was rescued received some very bad bruises about the body and arms. He has gone home to Buckingham, Quebec, to have his wounds attended to. It will be several weeks before he will be able to resume work.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. Fred. McGrath was in Ottawa on Saturday.

—Mr. R. Davidson, of Lakefield, was in town Saturday.

—Miss. M. Eastwood, of Buckhorn, was calling on friends in town yesterday.

—Mr. R. McWhinnie has returned home from Toronto after attending the funeral of his brother.

—Mr. John Montgomery has returned from his deer hunting expedition in the vicinity of Parry Sound.

—Miss Annie McLaughlin, who for the past month has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. Garlick, Water street, returned to her home at Sturgeon Bay yesterday.

—Mr. H. Le Brun is on a visit to Kingston, Montreal, Toronto and New York, looking through the wholesale houses of these cities for bargains.

—Toronto Globe—Judge McDougall is recovering satisfacotrily from his recent illness, but intends taking a holiday from Wednesday till Monday. He expects to visit his daughter at Peterborough.

—Mr. John Fletcher, who has been ranching in Alberta, N.W.T., for the past six months, returned to town last week. He is well pleased with Alberta, and after winding up some business affairs intends to return to the Northwest for the winter.

—The fire at Mr. Wm. Faint's Woollen Mills, Ashburnham, on Saturday evening was extinguished before any damage was done.

MADE A TURN OVER

Any One Can Do It

A principal in a public school in Ohio had a food experience that will be familiar to many school teachers.

"The hard work of the school room was so wearing that I was completely worn out and could barely walk home at night and at other times I was so nervous that it was with difficulty I ate or slept. I attributed my failing health to improper food, and felt that it would be necessary to quit my profession or get some food that would sustain my nerves.

Fortunately enough at this juncture I discovered Grape-Nuts and am very grateful that I did. After using the food for a month I felt decidedly better and like a new man resurrected from the grave. The sluggish feeling, headache and nervous spells have all left me and I feel young and active.

I can better concentrate my mind upon my work, because my nerves have been strengthened and my health and energy has returned and I take interest in my work which before seemed a burden.

I use Grape-Nuts every-day because it is the best food for my system, has restored my health and I am correspondingly grateful." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

The Minister of Railways and Canals to Visit Peterboro' To-day

Hon. A. G. Blair, Minister of Railways and Canals, will arrive in town this morning accompanied by the deputy Minister, Mr. Shriever. They are on a tour of inspection and will give special attention to the Trent Valley Canal and other public works in this section of country. There was some talk of a public reception and banquet to the distinguished visitors, but as the time of their stay in town is uncertain nothing in all probability, can be arranged along that line. However the Mayor and Council will no doubt meet the Minister and Deputy at the station, and extend to them an informal municipal greeting.

Lost His Toes

On Saturday a young lad named Howard Anderson was amusing himself hanging on freight cars on the G.T.R. near the Cordage Works, when he slipped. The result was that a wheel of one of the cars passed over one of his feet, making it necessary to have a portion of his foot amputated. Dr. Halliday dressed the injured member, and the young fellow is doing as well as can be expected under the circumstances.

Free to Our Subscribers

Subscribers to the Daily and also to the Weekly Times who will pay up arrears and also pay a year in advance, will be presented with a magnificent picture of the Coronation of Their Majesties, King Edward VII, and Queen Alexandra—(size 22x32, printed in 14 colors). They are splendid prints, and will serve as momentos of that great historical event. The picture is now to be seen at The Times Bookstore. tf

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The street crossings are in a disgraceful condition.

—The G.T.R. is using Nova Scotia coal on the Midland division.

—Xmas number of the Delineator, now on sale at Times Bookstore

—Merchants are preparing for the approaching Christmas trade.

—The county council will meet in special session to-morrow afternoon.

—The young lad charged with truancy will not come up for trial until Saturday next.

—While Postman Cameron's boots do not bear the union label, it is a well known fact that they carry many stamps

—The Chief of Police did a very wise thing on Saturday when he ejected the boys from the police court. It is no place for boys.

—The Marks' Brothers company passed through Monday morning on their way to Port Hope. They report good business at Lindsay last week.

—In our issue of yesterday we stated that the Water Lily had discontinued her Saturday trips. It should have read the Rainbow.

—Dull weather and bad roads is affecting business very materially. Farmers were heard to remark on Saturday that only those who were obliged to, ventured out last week.

Mr. George Butcher, received a bad scorching at the power house yesterday. He grasped a lever to turn on the power and not only got a bad shock, but had his hands and face badly burned

—Toronto News:—Hon. Jim Stratton says it is not true that the Government supplies the lunatics with ping-pong outfits. He says the patients bring them with them.

—Election of members to the county Council, in addition to Reeves and Councillors in villages and townships will make things lively at the beginning of the year.

—Hunters of rabbits are now having some sport in the swamps of this locality. They are said to be numerous this year, and quite a number have been shot within the past two weeks.

—A young man contributed $2 and costs, amounting to $6.50, at the police court. Yesterday morning for being drunk and pugnacious on Saturday evening.

—All the merchants are receiving new goods for the Christmas trade. They should use The Times' advertising columns to reach the public ear and make quick sales.

—The liquor men are not fidgety as to the result of the vote on the referendum. They are sure it will be defeated. But they must not forget that there is nothing so uncertain as a dead sure thing.

Turning Down the Doctors

The marvelous cures of Catarrhozone are being much talked about. Thousands are daily recognizing the exceptional merit of this simple inhaler treatment, and instead of running to the doctor with their winter ills they protect themselves by Catarrhozone; it kills colds in the head in ten minutes, quickly relieves Catarrh, Bronchitis, Asthma, Lung Troubles, and cures even though all other remedies have failed. Catarrhozone is very pleasant, safe and convenient to use, its best recommendation is its enormous sale; try it to-day. Price $1.00, small size 25c., at Druggists.

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WEATHER NOTES

Tuesday —Fresh variable winds; unsettled and showery.

A moderate depression is situated to the southward of the lower lakes, and a marked depression covers the Northwest Territories. The weather is becoming showery in the lake region, and much milder in the Northwest. The outlook is generally unsettled and comparatively mild.

Toil and the Designer of Things

A gray mist scudded in front of the patch of blue sky that all afternoon had been peering between the tall buildings into the studio window, and carried away most of the light with it.

The Boy was glad of this, for his faith in himself was about gone. He gathered up his brushes, throwing a few curses at the weather as he did so in a bravado sort of fashion. He was determined not to be a fool this time and seek unsatisfactory sympathy from people who could not understand. Instead, he would go down to the "Vesuvio" and allow its liquid flame to consume his mood.

"Better be drunk than foolish," he said to the Girl as he started for the door. "I'm tired of this breathless pursuit of the Ideal. After all, if I did overtake her, I don't suppose she'd be worth while. This torture of self-denial, of looking forever over the roof in vain desire for the things that may never be, while the hot blood of youth in your veins commands you to drink deep of the things that are, is insanity. To the devil with work and the dreams of doing."

"It is discouraging, isn't it?" said the Girl. "I felt that way myself until you spoke. I looked at your work this afternoon and envied you."

"Envied me? Don't laugh at a fellow because you've happened to find the way to success. Suppose you do manage to paint good canvases and win plaudits. Ten million people have had the same little reward for the same mighty struggle. Already the wear and worry is showing on you. In ten years youth will be gone from you and all you'll have for it will be the memory of heart's blood painted into canvas for trivial 'mention,' and tragic realization of your limitations. The wise man is he who refuses to do what he is able to do; our ability always seems so much greater to us until we put it to the test. Never give yourself a chance. That's the only way to escape heart-break."

The Girl was fragile in the gray light. She stood at the window looking into the twilight that fell in hopelessness among the crowding walls of unsightly buildings. The Boy took a step toward the door. Then the Girl turned.

"I wish you would not talk like that," she said. "It hurts. Have I ever said I expected to do great things? You know I haven't. I was mean to-day and half envied you for your gift. But I don't want to envy anybody. I try not to think of future or fame, for it is thinking of self-glory that brings pain and disappointment. I try to do my work as best I can because it is my work and because I must do it. I know it is delightful to win success. We can't help feeling that our effort has won approval. But I don't work for success. I put my heart into my pictures because I have to, and if by so doing I can soften, if only for an instant, some other heart; bring a look of wistfulness into a careless eye; waken a longing in a dreamless soul, I have the greatest of rewards. Work for work's sake demands no sacrifice. On the contrary, it leads our feet into the ways where perfect happiness may be gathered.

"I know how weak I am and how discouraged I grow even yet. But discouragement never lingers long. All I need do is remind myself that I am not an isolated toiler wearing out my own destiny in unsympathetic solitude, but one of many who are working to carry to completion the wonderful plan of the great Designer of things beautiful.

"There are no failures. Your discouragement helps me to catch the shadows my portion of the picture needs to-day; my rebellion shows you the glorious light of patience and sympathy your brush must depict."

"It's easy to talk hopefully when you're already in the sunlight of success," replied the Boy as he grasped the door-knob. "I'm tired of the shadows and am determined to get out of them. I'll enjoy myself in idleness for a while. I'll be on hand to help hang the Picture Beautiful when it is finished. I'm done with brushes."

The Girl laid her hand lightly on the Boy's shoulder. "What great work you are going to do," she said. "Some of the wonderful touches in the picture have been reserved for you. You are not 'tired of the pursuit of the Ideal.' You are only impatient that your hand has not yet the wonderful skill your soul demands of it. Be patient; there's not only Time but Eternity for our work."

They stepped into the corridor and paused in silence. From a room opposite some divine melody drifted to them. The Boy was glad of the darkness, for his eyes were wet. He grasped the Girl's hand.

"I thank you," he said. "I guess I was only impatient."—Leavenworth MacNab.

Their Steering-Gear.

A professor of a profound subject at Harvard University has a small son who is very observant and inquisitive, and a hired man who has all the Irish wit and good humor.

The other day Albert, the small boy, was playing with a cat in the stable while Larry cleaned the harness.

"Say, Larry," he asked, "why do cats always stand on their feet?"

"They shteer themselves wid their tail."

"Well, how do rabbits steer themselves? They haven't long tails; only a stub."

"Wid their ears. That's phwat they have their long ears for."

"Well, how does a bulldog steer himself? He doesn't have long ears or a long tail."

"Wid his bark."

The boy looked doubtful and was silent. Presently he ran in to his father's study, and in a few minutes came back to the stable.

"Larry!"

"Yis?"

"That's true what you told me about bulldogs. I asked papa, and he read something to mamma out of a book about 'barks that steer against the wind.'"

Fate.

Once there were two beautiful white eggs laid side by side in a nice new nest. A great big man gathered them up with his rough hands and sold them to a grocer. And one little egg was a good little egg, and went into an angel cake, but the other little egg was a very, very bad little egg, and got mashed on an actress.

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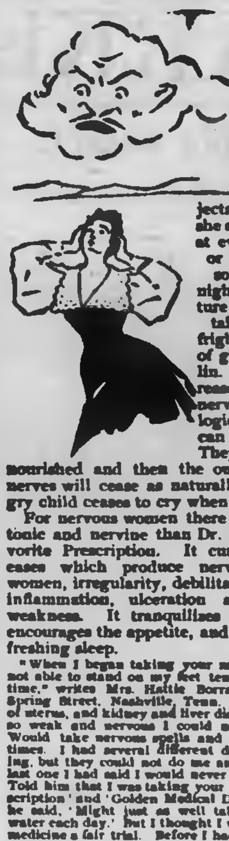

When a woman is nervous her imagination gives fantastic and threatening shapes to the most familiar objects. By day she starts in fear at every sudden or unfamiliar sound. By night the furniture of her room takes on affrighting forms of ghost or goblin. You can't reason with the nerves. Neither logic nor love can quiet them. They must be nourished and then the outcry of the nerves will cease as naturally as a hungry child ceases to cry when fed.

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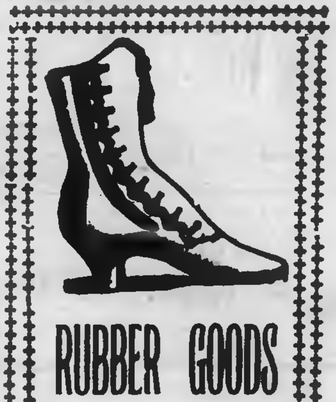

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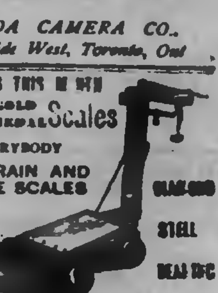

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The Feeling of Hatred Beetween the Strike Leaders and Operators Increasing

The Commission Not Relieving the Situation in This Respect—What Will The End Be?

New York, Nov. 18.—The Times' special says that the operators and President Mitchell are no nearer an agreement as to facts than they are as to principles. From the very outset they have disagreed upon every proposition. If Mitchell said the miners were underpaid the operators said no. If Mitchell said unionism is best for men and operators, the operators said it was the worst thing that could happen. And so on through the whole list.

The Reading's reply to Mitchell's statement has been forwarded to the arbitration commission by President Baer. It meets Mitchell's assertions with denials. The other roads have likewise put in their answers, all of the same tenor.

The demand for twenty per cent, increase in wages on piece work, is denounced as "arbitrary, unreasonale and unjust."

The company denies that the present rate of wages is lower than is paid in other occupations in the same locality and controlled by like conditions.

Mr. Baer denies that the earnings of the anthracite workers are less than average earnings for other occupations requiring skill and training and also the charge that the earnings are insufficient because of the dangerous character of work in the anthracite mines.

The company pronounces as unjust and inequitable the demand for a reduction of twenty per cent. in hours of labor without a reduction of earnings for time employees, and this demand is pronounced impracticable. Mr. Baer complains that since the entrance of the United Mine Workers organization into the anthracite fields, business conditions there have been intolerable; that the output of the mines has decreased; that discipline has been destroyed; that strikes have been of almost daily occurrence; that men have worked when and as they pleased, and the cost of mining has been greatly increased.

The issue is sharply drawn, but the arbitrators by a full hearing and ample testimony can reach a conclusion as to facts. It is significant, however, that the coal companies are united in their refusal to concede the recognition of the union.

LYNCH LAW HORRORS CONTINUE TO INCREASE

Governor Sayers of Texas Seeks a New and Original Remedy

New Orleans, Nov. 18.—Gov. Sayers of Texas has determined to try to break up lynch law in his State. He proposes to strike, not at the lynchers, but at the officers, especially the Judges and Sheriffs within whose jurisdiction lynchings occur.

He will according make in his next message to the Legislature strong recommendations for the passage of a law holding accountable any Judge or District Attorney who through neglect, incompetence or sympathy with the mob allows a prisoner to be taken from the officers of the law and lynched.

As a rule recent lynchings have occurred because Judges and Sheriffs hesitate to call for assistance until too late for fear of offending the mob. All the lynchings have been due to this delay and the Government proposes to put an end to it by making the Sheriff responsible.

He does not intend that Sheriffs shall do as was done recently in Waller county, where dependence was placed on the vague and indefinite promise of the citizens to "support the law," a promise which was not kept. At the last minute and when it was impossible to accomplish any good—for the prisoners were then in the hands of the mob—a rush telegraphic order was sent to Austin for the militia.

Gov. Sayers' sentiments on this subject were aroused by the recent Hempstead and Nacogdoches affairs. While the prisoners were legally hanged at Nacogdoches the manner in which the execution occurred only brought discredit to the law.

At Hempstead the lynching was of the most aggravated kind. The prisoners were on trial when the mob, not liking the manner in which the trial was proceeding invaded the court room, carried the prisoners off, and lynched one of them near the court house.

The last two lynchings and the fact that there has been an increase in the number of lynchings since he became Governor have determined Gov. Sayers to take steps to stop mob violence. The Governor has done all in his power, under the law, to protect prisoners. He has called out the militia and State Rangers whenever he was advised that it was necessary to do so. In one case his orders were disobeyed and the prisoner was practically handed over to the mob by the officers.

An investigation made by the Attorney-General's office shows that there is no excuse for these lynchings on the ground that murderers or other criminals escape through the law. During the year, twenty-three prisoners have been tried for capital offences and condemned to death; and in only two cases have there been commutations. In the last twenty months there have been eighty-five prisoners condemned to death or life imprisonment in Texas.

Gov. Sayers will therefore join Gov. Longino of Mississippi and other Southern Governors in endeavoring to suppress lynchings. It is a far more difficult task than it may seem, and the anti-lyching Governors have accomplished far less than was expected, although they have worked earnestly in this cause.

No one could have been more earnest in his efforts to break up lynching in Mississippi than Gov. Longino. He has discussed it in every message to the Legislature. He himself has gone to the county seat when a lynching was expected. He has ordered out troops whenever necessary and has upheld and supported the Judges in their opposition to mobs.

He did all in his power to secure action by the Grand Juries against lynchers andhas worked in every possible way to stop the disgrace. Yet he has at best saved four of five lives, while that horrible addition to lynching—burning at the stake—previously unknown in Mississippi, has finally invaded the State and was the feature of the recent Corinth lynching.

Those who oppose lynching call attention to the fact that it is progressive, going through an evolution of horrors. When the mob first began this work in Mississippi the lynching was done by a small body of men, well organized, masked and on horseback, who rode to the jail in the middle of the night and compelled the Sheriff to surrender the prisoner. He was taken to the nearest tree and hanged.

The next change, a needlessly brutal one, was after hanging the negro to have every member of the mob fire a rifle or pistol at the body. This practice has been kept up since, with the result that the bodies of lynched negroes to-day—at least these who have not been burned— are scarcely distinguishable as those of human beings.

Later all masks and disguises were discarded and the mob performed its work in the open light of day in the very streets of the town, and generally in front of the court house, with no attempt at concealment or secrecy.

Finally has come the burning at the stake, when the lynching is made a spectacle in which a large part of the population joins. Invitations are sent out and even excursions are given for those who wish to witness these executions.

At Corinth the only question was whether the victim should be burned or hanged. The more conservative citizens pleaded for "a plain hanging" and were regarded as milksops for so doing.

No one seemed to plead law and order for the trial and legal execution of the criminal. The mob even took possession of the telegraph station, refused to allow the Sheriff to telegraph to the Governor for troops, and refused to allow any word of the lynching to go out until the work was completed. It armed itself to resist any troops that might be sent to the scene to maintain the law.

It has been found that when burning at the stake is once introduced as an incident to lynching, it is generally kept up. The evil influence of the Corinth burning was well shown in the very next lynching in Mississippi, at Darling, on All Saints Day, Nov. 1, when the negro victim was burned at the stake.

It will be seen, therefore, that lynchings are going through an evolution which makes them worse. The increased boldness of the lynchers was well shown in the Hempstead affair, where, for the first time, a prisoner under trial was taken from the court house and lynched.

Gov. Sayers is probably well aware of the fact that he is tackling a difficult problem which may prove too much for the other Southern Governors.

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PETERBORO' TO PLAY LONDON SATURDAY

Torontos Default to London, Argos Not in the Running

Toronto News:—The final game of the Ontario Rugby Union will be played next Saturday in Peterboro. The London Club has been ordered to go by the Union Executive Committee, which met last night at the Rossin House, with President A. W. Ballantyne in the chair. The other members present were Geo. S. Gibbons, S. Thompson, A. W. McPherson, George Ballard, and Secretary Frank D. Woodworth.

The intermediate tangle took a long while to settle and then the settlement was not satisfactory to all the clubs. It was decided to open up the London-Toronto protest again, and start from the professionalizing of Bert. Morrison, of the Torontos. It was agreed that the Argonauts were not entitled to another chance, and after considerable argument, Torontos were ordered to play at London next Saturday, the London team giving Toronto a $50 guarantee. The final game then between the winners of the Toronto-London game will be played at Peterboro' on November 29th, Peterboro giving a guarantee of $50.

Manager Frank Coffee of the Toronto intermediate team on receiving word of the decision stated to President Ballantyne that his team would default to London next Saturday. He announced that this was official notice. He claimed his players could not get away. Then it was decided to notify the London Club that unless they heard to the contrary by this evening they were to play the final in Peterboro, on Saturday, Nov. 22nd.

The Wellesleys of Toronto, were ordered to play a sudden death game at Kingston with the Limestones, in the semi-finals of the junior series, on November 22, the Kingston club to guarantee $50 towards the Toronto team's expenses.

Hamilton III. team was ordered to play a semi-final game at Galt next Saturday in the junior series.

The finals will be arranged by the Executive.

HOCKEY.

The Total Abstinence Society of St. Peter's Church have organized a hockey club with the following officers: Hon. President, Rev. Dr. O'Brien; President, Wm. Crowley; 1st Vice Ed Hickey; 2nd Vice, D. J. Devine; Secretary, T. J. Begley; Treasurer, L. Potvin; Manager, L. J. Picard; Executive Committee, Messrs. W. Crowley, L. J. Picard, R. J. Begley, D. J. Devine, and the captain—when elected. A club will be placed in the Trent Valley League and the meeting adjourned to meet again this Wednesday evening to name the patrons and patronesses of the club and make all other necessary arrangements for the success of the organization.

A meeting of the Hockey Club is called for to-night. A large attendance of those interested in the game is requested.

Mr. H. R. H. Kenner yesterday received the following letter from Mr. Culverwell:—

"Sorry can't attend annual meeting; busy here booming Peterborough. Will be there this winter to cheer the boys to victory. It's up to the fellows with the grand new rink to keep playing championship form. Nothing else permitted. Lift her up."—J. Alex. Culverwell.

Charlie Colman, who for years played hockey and lacrosse in Port Hope, and who last summer figured on the Winnipeg Lacrosse Team, will be given a chance to catch a place on the forward line of the Vics. Gingras, Cadham and Scanlan will be the other three forwards and there are several candidates for the fourth position, among which is Colman.

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HON. A. G. BLAIR ON TOUR OF INSPECTION

OF THE TRENT VALLEY CANAL—VISITS CEREAL WORKS

Received by Mayor Denne and Members of the Town Council—Tarte's Retirement from the Public Works Department will Not Interfere with the Continuation of the Dredging of the River

Yesterday morning's Times contained the announcement that the Hon. A. G. Blair, Ministers of Railways and Canals would make an official visit to the town and inspect the Government works here. No attempt was made to get up a public demonstration, as the notice of the intended visit was too short, and the Honorable Minister is out on business and prefers to observe things as they really are instead of having any great display over his comings or goings.

Hon. Mr. Blair was accompanied by the Deputy Minister, Mr. Collingwood Schreiber, and his private secretary, Mr. Payne. They arrived about 9 a.m. in their own special car "Ottawa," and were met by His Worship, Mayor Denne, and escorted to the Cereal Company Buildings. Messrs. Stewart and Kearns of the Company received the Minister, and his associates very cordially and they were shown through the mammoth buildings and every information afforded them regarding the magnitude of the Company's works.

The dredging in the Otonabee River and the new dam came in for inspection, and the party was taken in charge by Mr. R. B. Rogers, Superintending Engineer of the Trent Valley Canal, as Mayor Denne had to take his leave to attend to other official business.

The party, which comprised the following, then visited the lift lock:—

Hon. A. G. Blair, Minister of Railways and Canals, Mr. Collingwood Schrieber, Deputy Minister; Mr. Payne, Private Secretary to the Minister; Hon. J. R. Stratton, Mr. R. B. Rogers, Superintending Engineer, T.V.C.; J. A. Corry, E. G. Laverdure, A. A. Taillon, Manager La Banque Nationale, Ottawa; A. O. Matton, of the Lake Lachine Milling Company. Ald. J. J. Turner, T. M. Hamel, Engineer for Messrs. Corry and Laverdure and Mr. George E. Elliott.

After the Minister had spent some time in viewing the work at the lock, he proceeded to Lakefield along the route of the canal, accompanied by Mr. Schrieber, Mr. Rogers and Mr. Payne.

They returned from Lakefield on the 4.30 and proceeded to the upper section of the canal.

Talking to Mr. Blair Mayor Denne informed him that the people of this section were a little doubtful regarding the continuance of the dredging of the river, owing to the retirement of Mr. Tarte as Minister of Public Works. Hon. Mr. Blair only laughed at the idea, and assured the Mayor the work commenced would be completed without any unnecessary delay.

UNREST IN AFGHANISTAN

Brothers of the Ameer are Plotting Against Him

London, Nov. 18—A despatch to the Daily Express from Calcutta says that there is considerable unrest in Afghanistan, which is increasing. The brothers of the Ameer are intriguing at Delhi. The military manouvres are likely to be postponed for these reasons, and an army corps will be held in readiness to move to the frontier in case of necessity.

The arrival of Gen. Lord. Kitchener, who will assume supreme command of the troops in India, is awaited with some impatience.

SAME LIST AS LAST YEAR

Who May Vote on Referendum on December Fourth

As there is doubt in some quarters as to who will be entitled to vote on the referendum on the liquor bill in December 4, it may be stated that the same voters' lists will be used that were used in the Provincial general election in May last. The clause in the act covering this point is as follows:—

"The persons entitled to vote upon the said question shall be all persons whose names shall appear on the voters lists used or which would have been used had a poll been held at the next general election of members to serve in the Legislative Assembly, held after the passing of this act, as entitled to vote and who were entitled to vote at the said election, and who shall have been from the date of the said general election and until the day of voting on the said question residents of and domiciled in the Province of Ontario, and whose names are duly entered in the poll books to be used for the purpose of the voting under this act."

The question which will appear on the ballot paper will be simply this:—

"Are you in favor of bringing into force the liquor act, 1902."

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

London, Nov. 18—The Dutch reformed Church, says a Cape Town correspondent is going to hold a court of inquiry into the conduct of Rev. Mr. Viok of Piquetberg during the war. Mr. Viok's offence was staunch loyalty to Great Britain.

London, Nov. 18—In an editorial article today on the Wall Street situation The Times says that some of the most devoted believers in the invincibility of American industrial and commercial genius have begun to feel misgivings and are admitting the need for liquidation of weak accounts for a rise, while professing satisfaction that the process is going on in order that the market may become so healthy. The Times says that the dream so long indulged in of a further great rise in prices has been displaced in many minds by the more modest vision of steady markets, in which to secure part of the profits still shown in many cases. Cautious people are not inclined to resume active operations thinking that the United States has locked up too great proportion of capital in temporary unrealizable securities, creating a position which time alone, accompanied by a further reduction in market values, can bring about a really healthy state of things.

London, Nov. 18—The frequent acts of piracy between Hong Kong and Canton are causing much uneasiness, says a Hong Kong correspondent. Last Wednesday the constable of the British consulate was wounded while travelling in a junk to Hong Kong, and has since died from his injuries. It is desirable the correspondent declares, for the British, by establishing a rigorous patrol of the Delta to restore security and prevent the French from assuming control of that region.

London, Nov. 18—Judging from appearances, says a Rome correspondent, the Italian Cabinet has a long lease of life. There are some dissensions, but they exist only for a moment, and are not likely to come to a head. The correspondent says the Cabinet resembles a tripod, of which Premier Zanardelli, Foreign Minister Prinetti and Minister Giolitti are mutually dependent supports. Those comparing Italy's situation today with her position ten, or even five years ago, cannot but rejoice, says the correspondent, at the remarkable improvement not attributable to any one man or Ministry, but to the sobriety and industry of the nation itself. Ministers must work less to innovote than to consolidate and strengthen. The correspondent adds that King Victor Emmanuel's example is in every respect salutory. The King has not attempted to stagger humanity; but has been content to live life more simple and laborious than many of his subjects.

London, Nov. 18—Referring to the fact that M. Clemenceau, French Senator, and Yves Guyot, have contributed articles to the Vienna press on the struggle in Austria-Hungary, a correspondent says that the clericals of Austria have got such a hold of local government machinery that they are able to push their views almost as effectively as if they held direct political power, and by agitation in some parts of the country they have nearly converted undenominational State schools into sectarian Catholic establishments. Only those teachers taking their cue from the priesthood the correspondent adds, can hope for promotion; those acting in accordance with the real spirit of the law are subject to petty persecution. At one time the clericals tried, though unsuccessfully to separate Christian and Jewish children in Vienna undenominational schools, and their efforts have been successful in the other direction.

Washington, Nov. 18—Mrs. Julia Dent Grant, who has been in feeble condition since her arrival here from Canada some weeks ago, has failed to gain strength. Last night she suffered a sinking spell, which caused the family the deepest concern. She rallied, however, after persistent treatment, and rested comfortably today.

Mrs Grant's increasing weakness, her physicians say, is accounted for by her age and the most natural attendant causes. She has lost her sight to such an extent that she is no longer able to read, but uses her pen occasionally. She is surrounded by several members of her family, among them her daughter, Mrs. Sartoris, and her granddaughter, Mrs. Frederick Roosevelt Scoval, a bride of a few weeks. No fears are felt of an immediate change in Mrs. Grant's condition, but great care is given to nourishing and caring for her.

Mahanoy City, Pa., Nov. 18—While President Mitchell is engaged in trying to make the strike commission believe that the United Mine Workers are law-abiding citizens the persecution of non-union men goes on in this district. Last evening when John Nolter, a non-union man, who is employed as a foreman at the Reading company's North Mahanoy colliery, came to this city to get shaved he was met by a crowd of union men.

When he went into a barber shop they followed him and informed the proprietor that if he shaved the "scab" he would be boycotted. Nolter went to five shops and in each case the barbers, fearing the threat of the union men, refused to shave him.

At the Gilberton colliery today a blacksmith refused to sharpen tools belonging to non-union men. He was discharged. The union has taken up his case and will demand that he be reinstated.

London, Nov. 18—The Mail's correspondent with the British Somaliland expedition reports on the authority of a captured spy that the Mad Mullah's losses in the recent battle were 150 riflemen killed and 300 wounded. His losses in spearmen were so numerous that it was impossible to count them.

PIGS WILL PURCHASE VOTES

Alleged Bribery by Liberals with Swine Flesh in Lennox

The affidavits in the matter of the application for the summonsing of four Liberal voters in Lennox for corrupt practices were filed today at Osgoode Hall. The application was refused by Justices Maclennan and Moss, and Mr. Bristol proposes to renew it at the trial, which opens at Napanee, on Tuesday, November 25.

There are four affidavits in the case three of them by Henry Milling and the other by C. M. Ruttan, and the Liberal voters charged are Homer Miles, Elias P. Smith, J. S. Hulett, and Byron Derbyshire.

Henry Milling makes affidavit that Homer Miles paid money for corrupt purposes, as follows—$5 to Samuel Maley $4 to Wm. Schermerhorn, $15 to Thomas Russel. That Elias P. Smith offered Samuel Maley $2, that he offered W. F. Scrimshaw $5, and after election paid $3 on account and that Elias P. Smith received from W. S. Herrington $10 and in consequence of this gift promised and endeavored to procure the election of M. S. Madole, and for that purpose procured Scrimshaw, Maley and others, to vote for him; that J. S. Hulett, a Napanee photographer, gave a pig to Thos. Smith, that he promised Samuel Davy, sr., and Benjamin Davy $21, which was ostensibly the price of three pigs, but that the purchase of the pigs was a corrupt agreement and included the condition that Sam Davy, jr., and Benjamin Davy should vote for M. S. Madole; that Hulett also gave Benjamin Davy and to Wm. Davy two pigs each, that he gave a pig each to Samuel Smith and to Wm. Perkerson for the same purpose.

Cullen M. Ruttan, of Napanee, in his affidavit says that Byron Derbyshire, of Ernestown gave $3 to Samson McConnell, $2.50 to Bill Emmons; that he offered $5 to Henry Evans and $5 to Samuel Babcock, and that he promised Calvin Emmons the cancellation of an account, that he paid $5 to Robert Cairns, and that he hired a vehicle from W. A. Baker to convey voters to he polls, all for the purpose of securing the election of M. S. Madole.

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AMERICAN INVASION OF OUR GREAT WEST

Over Seventy Thousand Persons Have Come Into Canada This Year

From the United States—A Great Future for the Western Country—Farmers in South Dakota Selling Their Farms

Montreal, Que, Nov. 18.—The influx of settlers from the United Stated into the west of Canada has been the Official statistics show that the Official statistics show that the number up to the end of June was 22,000, but the movement has assumed larger proportions since, and the number who have come in is variously estimated at from 50,000 to 70,000. Official figures are not available, but it is certain that this is only the beginning of the American invasion.

In many cases those coming in now are delegations, representing a whole community, who have come to spy out the land and make selections for their neighbors. It is probable that several hundred thousand Americans will come in next spring. They are well provided with money and bring in train loads of stock and effects with them.

The invasion is for the most part welcomed by Canadians, who have no fear, but that the newcomers will become good British subjects. Many are expatriated Canadians, who many years ago went to the American prairies from Canada seeking for larger opportunities.

The American born settlers quickly realise that the Canadian Government is as free as their own and become nationalized. They admire the administration of justice here. Canadians regard these settlers as an element capable of assimilation and a setoff to the Doukhobors, etc., the government has 60 agents in the United States constantly beating up fresh invaders.

Sir William Van Horne, chairman of the Canadian Pacific Railway, says he regards the movement as permanent and not stimulated by speculation. These people, he says, are coming to remain as farmers, and not to speculate. People returning from the West say that every train is crowded with Americans, who have come to spy out the land or are moving in with their families.

Canadians regret that the English people are so slow, but look on the Americans as the next best thing.

There are several reasons why the American invasion of Canada is welcomed there. In England the absence of a tariff allows the flooding of the markets with cheap American goods. In Canada the tariff is sufficiently high to prevent the newly fledged Canadian manufacturer from being swamped by his formidable rivals in the United States yet is not so high as to prevent all competition, and this has a stimulating effect upon Canadian industries.

The tariff, in fact, is very largely responsible for the American invasion because in the main the American manufacturer who sees an opening in Canada prefers to move his factory bodily across the border and set up his business there.

Of the thousands of men who crossed the Dominion border last year the majority were Canadians by birth. It is estimated that 2,000,000 Canadians are still in the United States. Chicago alone is said to hold 30,000.

But since their own country has begun to boom and since more and more land has been opened up and fresh enterprises are starting almost every day, the sons of Canada are returning.

This is especially the case with those who are agriculturalists.

Now that the railway lines of Canada are extending in all directions and the good lands of the great Northwest are becoming accessible, both the American farmer and the Canadian farmer in the United States are selling out their farms in Iowa and North and South Dakota and are taking up better and cheaper land in the great Northwest.

The Russian method of colonizing Siberia is not likely to be followed in Canada, though it has proved highly successful.

Emigration is direct and controlled by the government, which first sends pioneers to Siberia to select suitable lands for their relatives and friends, whom they afterward conduct into the country. The passage money is about one shilling per 100 miles, and food, seed and implements are sold by the government to the peasants at cost price, payments being spread over a period.

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Ottawa, Nov. 18.—"There is a belt of bituminous coal in the Canadian Arctic. The surface indications crop up from 63 to 165 degrees west longitude, and from 62 to 81 north, running in a northeasterly direction, similar to the coal area in Cape Breton. The drift is about 2,000 miles long, commencing from Kotzebue Sound on the mainland of Alaska and appearing next at Corwin coal mine and Thetis coal mine, from where the gold mines at Cape Nome, Alaska, receive their coal supplies."

So says Capt. Bernier, the next and best fitted aspirant for the North Pole. Take a map of North America and look at the archipelago north and west of Hudson's Bay. Here is the old Franklin stamping ground, and in the mazes of these islands he lost the Northwest passage. The coal dip runs from the mainland northeast through these islands.

HE BURNED THE COAL.

At Mercy Bay, 500 miles north of Great Slave Lake, in the Northwest Territories, McClure, the Arctic explorer, wintered in 1852, '53, and '54, and burnt Canadian coal at his winter quarters.

Other explorers have reported it at five other places on this same northwest trend through the islands. Melville Island, Bryan, Martin Island, and Bathurst Island are all known to contain coal. On Grinnell Land carbon only has been reported, but on North Cornwall, 75 miles due north, coal crops out again, though here evidently of a different lay. Following the direction of this drift, however, we find that Sir Geo. Nori's ship, the Discovery, found coal on Lady Franklin Bay, Grout Land, in 1875-6, which was afterwards noted in the same neighborhood by Major Greely, 1881-83. From Garnt Land it crosses to Greenland, where Peary's new report, soon to be issued, possibly traces its continuation.

American whalers every year, fitting out at San Francisco, on the Pacific and New Bedford on the Atlantic, fish in the Canadian Artic, north and east of the mouth of the Mackenzie. Their crews burn coal from the same vein. New Bedford and Gloucester fishermen catch Canadian halibut in the Hudson's Bay and burn Canadian coal. New Bedford whalers winter in Fox Channel, loading up with Canadian whale blubber, and — burning Canadian coal.

PLENTY FOR CANADA.

We dwell here at the head of the lakes in the basin of the St. Lawrence, and all around us lies wealth we know nothing about. We grow weak and dependent upon another country for coal, a necessity of life, for half the year, while our own territors, east, west and north, holds coal in abundance. Already foreigners are claiming the Arctic Islands. Those to the north of Canada, though abutting directly on our main coast, are not, Captain Bernier says, on the official Dominion maps even. The first one with a flag that goes up there might claim the whole archipelago, as Sverdrup did with 1,500 miles of new coast, this year. It is time, it would seem, to look further north of us than the pulpwood of the Height of Land.

Coal can be mined in the Arctic as well as gold. It is as warm underground in Cape Nome as it is in Pennsylvania. Vessels navigate the northern sounds and fiords in search of whale and seal, and in the service of the Hudson's Bay Company. Coal could be transported in ships to Fort Churchill, in Hudson's Ba., at the mouth of the Nelson. A railway is already, though vaguely, projected to extend to Moose Factory, James' Bay, from North Bay on Lake Nipissing.

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Morning Times

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THE GOODLY APPLE IN DANGER

If prohibition should carry in Ontario apple culture may suffer a severe blow, as one of the most profitable uses of this fruit of being "turned into cider," and thence vinegar, may be attended with restrictions and obstacles that will make the process undesirable.

Of course cider has been all along included in the list of prohibited beverages. No one may keep a keg of it in his cellar if the prohibitory law goes into force. And if the effect of apple-eating upon the cattle of Westchester county, New York, recently, shall extend into this Province, the occupation of the orchardist would be gone should prohibition be the order of the day. The cows there, owing to the abundance of the crop and the numerous windfalls, have eaten apples until they have become inebriated and hilarious. The farmers are said to have had a lot of trouble due to the disorderly conduct of these usually meek and sober animals. The cows break from their pastures and devour the apples with such voracity that numerous cases of intoxication have resulted.

If this conduct continues on our borders, it will be impossible to withstand the clamor that will inevitably spring up that this fruit should be put under the ban.

THE LIQUOR ACT

Every elector should clearly understand the provisions of the Manitoba act if he desires to vote intelligently in the coming referendum. The prohibition of the manufacture and export of liquor is ultra vires of the Provincial Legislature, but the present act prohibits transactions in liquor within the province, except under druggists' licenses, wholesale and retail.

The expression druggists' wholesale license means a license authorizing a chemist or druggist, duly registered as such, to sell, in the warehouse or store defined in such license, alcohol, not exceeding in quantity ten gallons at any one time to any person for mechanical or scientific purposes, and to sell to any duly registered medical practitioner, and to any druggist holding a druggist's retail license, but to no other, liquor not exceeding in quantity five gallons at any one time.

The expression "druggist's retail license" means a license authorizing a chemist or druggist, duly registered and licensed to carry on business as such, to sell liquor for medicinal and sacramental purposes only in the store defined in such license. Liquor for medicinal purposes can only be sold under a bona fide prescription from a duly qualified medical practitioner signed by such practitioner, on which prescription not more than one sale of liquor shall be made. Sales may be made to dentists, for professional use, in no greater quantity than a pint at a time; to veterinary surgeons for professional use in no greater quantity than two gallons at one time, and to clergymen for sacramental purposes, in similar quantity. Public hospitals are permitted to have liquors for the use of patients only, who must have the liquors prescribed by a physician. Records of all sales must be kept, and no liquor may be consumed or drunk upon licensed premises.

No person within the province, by himself, his clerk, servant or agent, shall have or keep or give liquor in any place whatsoever, other than in the private dwelling-house in which he resides, without first having obtained a druggist's wholesale license, or a druggist's retail license. The expression "private dwelling house" does not include or mean any house or building occupied or used as an office (except physician's, dentist's, or veterinary surgeon's offices) or as a shop, or as a place of business, or as a factory, or as a workshop, or as a warehouse, or as a club house, or club room, public hall, or hall of any society or order, or as a boarding house, or as a lodging house, or as a livery stable, or as an inn, tavern, hotel or other house or place of public entertainment, or any house or building the rooms or compartments in which are leased to different persons.

Liquor kept on club premises is also a violation of the act, the consumption of liquor being sufficient evidence of sale. Clauses referring to the export of liquor are:

Nothing herein contained shall prevent any person from having liquor for export sale in his liquor warehouse providing such liquor warehouse and the business therein complies with the requirements in subsection 3 hereof mentioned, or from selling from such liquor warehouse to persons in other provinces, or in foreign countries, or to wholesale license under this act.

While this act is intended to prohibit and shall prohibit transactions in liquor which take place wholly within the province of Ontario, except under a license or as otherwise specially provided by this act, and to restrict the consumption of liquor within the limits of the province of Ontario, it shall not affect, bona fide transactions between a person in the province of Ontario and a person in another province, or in a foreign country, and the provisions of this act shall be construed accordingly.

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ONTARIO LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE

The Work Which is Being Done in Ontario by the Alliance

The Times has been requested to publish the following:

At the annual meeting of the Ontario Branch of the Lord's Day Alliance, held in Toronto, Principal Caven emphasized the critical nature of the present situation in regard to the observance of the Lord's Day, and the tremendous pressure which is being brought to bear by certain interests to break down its safeguards. He deplored the tendency even of Church members to take ground in support of the material interests which came into conflict with the spiritual interests of the community. The report given by the Field Secretary, Rev. J. G. Shearer, was full of encouragement. The principal address of the evening was by Dr. J. Edgar Hill, of Montreal, President of the Quebec Lord's Day Alliance. Dr. Hill made a strong plea, based on historical experience, for the maintenance of the Sabbath. He recounted the struggle for better things in Montreal and spoke in high terms of the co-operation in the movement by Archbishop Bruchesi.

At the business session on Friday reports were received and officers elected. Principal Caven continues to be President.

The annual report of the executive committee shows that there are now 220 branches in the Province as compared with 170 a year ago. There has been similar growth in other provinces. It is interesting and encouraging to observe how the ranks of those who are prepared to battle for the Sabbath are filling and closing together. Strong resolutions have been passed by ecclesiastical courts of all denominations, the General Synod, the General Conference and the General Assembly and by the Conventions of the Baptists and Congregationalists. Roman Catholic prelates like Archbishop O'Brien of Halifax, and Archbishop Bruchesi of Montreal publicly express their sympathy with the aims of the Alliance. The organized labor men are growingly in earnest in standing firm in defence of the rest and quiet of the Lord's Day and they co-operate with the Alliance in every possible way.

It is satisfactory, too, to notice that the Attorney-General has taken action during the year in several instances of violation of the Lord's Day Act and has now assumed the responsibility for the enforcement of the law in cases where the law is clear and where violation can be readily proven.

The policy of the Alliance in dealing with Sabbath desecration is first to make use of kindly suasion and remonstrance and they report with gratitude that they are accorded no less than 200 instances of Sunday labor and public pleasuring that have been successfully dealt with by these measures during the year.

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on the description to one of the men at the doors. This person thought he recognized it. The lady whom monsieur desired to meet was probably the Comtesse de Silbery, who was well known at Monte Carlo, coming at least once every twelvemonth for the past ten years, and staying a month or six weeks. She had been at the Casino all the afternoon, and usually came again in the evening after dinner, staying late; but to-night was an exception. The Comtesse had not appeared. At what hotel she was staying he could not say. But he was obliged for the coin unobtrusively slipped into his hand; and he thought that monsieur would not find it difficult to ascertain the Comtesse's address.

Newcome bought a paper with the list of visitors at the various large hotels. The Comtesse's name was not there. But at the Cafe de Paris he learnt something from a waiter. The Comtesse de Silbery often lunched there. She was a well-known character at Monte Carlo. She was said to be very rich, but she did not patronize the large hotels. She stopped at a pension, and lunched out or dined out when she wished.

Then Newcome turned his attention to the comparatively few pensions of Monte Carlo. He got a list of the principal ones, and late as it was, called at several. At the last the Comtesse had been staying for some time; but had left that very evening. She had received news which called her away at once, and, packing in a hurry, she and her maid had left almost within the hour. The proprietor of the pension knew, or pretended to know, nothing of her movements, save that the train by which she had departed went no further than Cannes. Whether she would go on that night, or whether, indeed, her destination for the present was between Monte Carlo and Cannes, he could give no information.

Newcome took the last train which left Monte Carlo that night for Cannes. His theory was that the Comtesse would proceed to Marseilles and Paris, in which latter place, it appeared, she lived. But there was one doubt in his mind which made him fear that after all he was starting upon a wild-goose chase.

Supposing the Comtesse were but a pawn on Macaire's chess-board? If he were the man whom Newcome sought he might be credited with a hidden motive for nearly every act of his life; and though Newcome had not thought of it until he was in the train, it was not impossible that Macaire knew the Comtesse and had commissioned her to buy the jewel if Dick Gray could be induced to sell it. This would have been a way of testing Dick's integrity, if Macaire had any reason for wishing to break it down; and it would be maddening if, after following the woman across half France, he had to learn at last that the moonstone Sphinx had never really been out of Macaire's reach.

There was nothing to do now but go on, however, and hope for the best.

At the station in Cannes Newcome made enquiries. A lady answering the description given had been seen there, but had already gone on to Marseilles by a slow train.

Newcome had to wait with what patience he could muster until morning. Then the chase began again. At Marseilles he could learn nothing of his quarry, but he was so sure now that Paris was to be the Comtesse's ultimate destination that he proceeded accordingly.

At the end of the thirteen hours' journey came another night of enforced idleness; but next day he found out the flat where the Comtesse de Silbery lived in a semi-fashionable quarter. He called at the house, only to be told by the concierge that madame and her maid had returned but for half a day, departing he knew not where. They had gone away in a fiacre; yes, with more luggage than they had brought home; so much the concierge divulged, and then ceased to be communicative, despite a bribe.

Newcome resigned himself to more wasted hours, and advertised for the driver of the fiacre which had called at such and such a house, on such a date, to take a lady and her maid to the station.

He had but a day to wait, for on the morning of the paper's issue came the answer he wanted. Having learnt the station whither the Comtesse had been driven, it was comparatively simple to obtain the information later that she had gone to Brussels.

To Brussels Newcome followed, only to lose the scent and pick it up again at last, with the intelligence that, after visiting a friend, the Comtesse de Silbery had departed for Spa.

Though it was discouraging to chase a flitting will-o'-the-wisp, the news that the lady had chosen Spa was satisfactory to Newcome. He saw in it an indulgence of an overpowering love for the gambling-tables; and he told himself that she had hurried away from Monte Carlo for fear of losing her beloved fetich, but was consoling herself at Spa. If she had acted in collusion with Macaire she need not have fled from her Mecca to a lesser Paradise; and Newcome was inclined to think that, if Dick had not hinted at the jewel having been stolen, and the vexation to her certain to ensue, all his troublesome journeyings might have been spared.

The season at Spa was only just beginning; but one could gamble. That was the principal thing.

CHAPTER XXXV.

The Story of the Moonstone.

Newcome found out at what hotel the Comtesse de Silbery was staying, and went there also. But it was in the gambling rooms that he saw her first. He could not have failed to recognize her from Dick Gray's description, for, as it happened, she wore the same poppy-red dress she had worn on the night when the moonstone changed hands; and in her dyed auburn hair were the same diamond pins flashing like fire-flies as she moved her head. But had these signs failed he must still have known her, for on the table almost under her hand was the Sphinx's head, close to the little pile of gold which its magical influence was to increase.

Newcome stood close to her, and risked a few sovereigns. He lost steadily; she as steadily won. Being too striking and handsome a figure to pass unnoticed, the Comtesse saw him, and pitied his bad luck. "If you but had my fetich, monsieur!" she said, laughing, to show a bleak gleam of false teeth. "If you like, I will lend it to you. Now, try again."

Newcome's hand thrilled as he touched the moonstone. At that moment he might have escaped with it through the crowd, and she could not have detained him. But the woman had trusted him, and meant kindness. He would not, even playing for such high stakes as gov-

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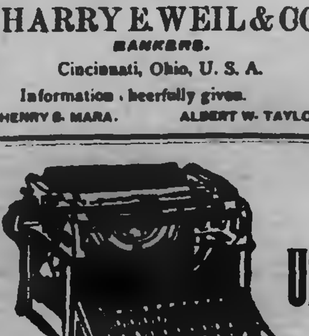

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ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4 05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5 23
	100 00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

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2.—IRON.

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1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
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July 1st, 1904,	" "	1905	1 65	1.65
July 1st, 1905,	" "	1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906,	" "	1907	.60	.60

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NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
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STOCK MARKETS

Facts as to the Moore Bros

New York, Nov. 18.—A Boston gentleman connected for years with the business enterprises of the Moore Bros, Saturday spoke as follows: "They are not rampant speculators as many people suppose. They should not be included in the so-called Western crowd. Their market transactions are for their own account and not for any pool. As a rule they confine their operations to one property. When they came into the Diamond Match Co. they went into it to the full extent of their fortune, and when they failed in that they lost their all. Within six months of the Diamond Match episode they again came to the front through the reorganization of the Biscuit industry, for Judge Moore was the first to see the benefits accruing through the consolidation of industrial organizations. The organization of this company, one of the first so-called trusts and to-day one of the most successful, placed the Moores on their feet and enabled them to pay off their Diamond Match debts, which they did at 100 cents on the dollar, leaving them a handsome surplus. The Moores then went into steel, organizing the American Tin Plate Co., American Sheet Steel Co., and other kindred companies, and when they sold out to the United States Steel Corporation, they received comparatively the highest prices for any of the companies making up that big corporation. When the Moores were in steel that was the principal investment. When they sold out their steel companies to the steel corporation, they immediately marketed all their stock at about the highest prices ever showed and placed the proceeds into Rock Island, and that property is to-day their principal investment. They have their stock paid for, consequently they are in an impregnable position. They have steel that was their principal investment, would only represent a part of their surplus wealth. The point that I wish to make is that the Moores are not extended; they confine their operations largely to one property, and that property has the full extent of their wide financial experience, ability and wealth. They have very ambitious plans for the Rock Island, and intend to make that system the Pennsylvania of the west.

Summary—To-day's market was without decisiveness in either direction, somewhat mixed and most erratic. Manhattan opened up at 140 first, receded, then rose to 142 5-8. Sugar rose two points, all of which was lost. Stocks advanced, then fell, losses being predominant. B. & O. endeavored to advance upon its splendid annual showing which resulted in net earnings upon the common of nearly 9 per cent. We would call your attention to the comment in these letters relative to Manhattan about 10 days ago, when we predicted it would sell at 145 and cross M. H. Extreme uncertainty characterized dealings more or less. Money 4 per cent.

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Farmers' Institute

The West Peterborough Farmers' Institute will meet in the Council Chamber, Peterborough, on Monday, Dec. 1st. Addresses will be delivered by Messrs. S. M. Elliott, D. Drummond, Myrtle; J. H. Smith, Longbank; Rev. Father McColl and D. Hughes-Charles. Addresses will be delivered in the evening of the same day by the same gentlemen in the Town Hall, North Monaghan. The meeting at Lakefield will be held on the afternoon of Tuesday, Dec. 2nd, and will be addressed by Messrs. Elliott, Drummond, Smith and Hughes-Charles. A meeting will also take place in the evening at Lakefield.

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(Press Despatch)

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We do not hesitate to say that in our judgment stock in the LARDEAU MINES LIMITED, offers a most magnificent opportunity for investment.

There is every reason to believe that the LARDEAU MINES will pay a profit of 270 per cent. PER YEAR, within a short time, and will continue to yield such profits for more than a lifetime.

These are stupendous figures, but we believe them to be absolutely conservative. Our reasons are based on these facts:

PROOF OF NO STOCK JOBBING

In the first place the capitalization is only $100,000. This low capitalization shows upon the face of it that the company is honestly organized—that there is no suspicion of stock-jobbing, which has too often ruined many otherwise honest companies.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

The property is located in the celebrated Lardeau mining division of West Kootenay, British Columbia. The property owned by this company consists of three full claims, embracing an extent of 156 acres—mineral claims in British Columbia are 1,500x1,500 feet—equal to 51 acres in each extent. Three strong parallel ore veins run through the property from end to end, a distance of of 4,500 feet. If placed end to end this would give us 13,500 feet, equal to a continuous ore body over two and a half miles in length. The values are in gold, silver, copper and lead, and run from $25.00 to $77.00 per ton of 2,000 pounds. These results show indications of permanent values of the most convincing kind.

GROSS VALUE OF SHIPMENTS.

The gross value of shipments of ore aggregating 6,193,691 pounds from twelve mines in the Lardeau, all situated near the property owned by this company, was $453,410.81, equal to a return per ton of over $146.00. The property owned by this company shows up equally as well as any of these more fully developed mines, and will, we are convinced, shortly rank among the best in the Lardeau division.

READ THESE FIGURES CAREFULLY

In a very conservative statement issued by the officers of the company, appears the following:

"In order to show why we are confident we are right, we will estimate our ore values at $50.00 per ton, a little over one-third of the average ore values of the entire Lardeau mining division. We will also base our calculations on a daily output of 30 tons—a small amount compared with the extent of our property and the size of its ore bodies. We will allow $10.00 per ton for mining, transportation (a few miles only) and smelting charges. The profits after making a reasonable reduction for incidentals and surplus, work out as follows:

30 tons at $50.00 per ton...		$1,500
Less $10.00 per ton mining, transportation, and reduction charges		300
Net daily income......		1,200
Say for 300 days per year...... ...		300
Total net yearly income... 360,000		
Deduct for incidental expenses, $5 per ton... ......$45,000		
Deduct for company's surplus account $5 per ton.	45,000	90,000
Total yearly net earnings......		$270,000

which sum is equal to 270 per cent. per annum on our capital stock of $100,000.

"This estimate is made on the basis of a small output compared to the extent of our property and the splendid facilities it affords for economical mining and on the operation of the mine for 300 days per year only, so that anyone can see at a glance that we are not overestimating in any particular, especially when the output of mines similarly situated, and with ore bodies of less extent than ours, ship hundreds of tons each day. There is no good reason why our property, when fully developed—which will be within six months to a year—should not ship several hundreds of tons of ore per year, but we are basing our calculations on the immediate future in presenting the above estimate.

"We are now within seventy to eighty feet of the main ore veins, and assays show values as high as $77.00 per ton. The average returns from twelve mines in our district, according to Government records, which are always conservative, run as high as $146.40 a ton in gold, silver, copper and lead.

HONEST, LEGITIMATE MANAGEMENT

We know the men connected with the management of the LARDEAU MINES, and have known them for years. We know that they never were and never will be connected with any but honest and legitimately conducted enterprises.

REPORT OF MINING ENGINEER.

The property has been thoroughly examined by well known mining engineers and their reports have borne out every statement that has been made by the company. Mr. H. O. McClymont, one of the last engineers to make a report says in conclusion:

The average assays are most encouraging, considering the great width and continuancy of the leads across the country with such great width and prominence of the surface, and judging from other properties in the near vicinity, some of which are on the same level and have developed very rich ore bodies The LARDEAU MINES are as good as any, if not the best, in the vicinity, and I verily believe with a nominal expenditure, they should be made dividend-paying in a short time, and I would strongly recommend extensive developments towards that end. Signed, H. O. McClymont, Mining Engineer."

SMALL AMOUNT OF MONEY NEEDED.

As Mr. McClymont says in his report, only a small sum of money is needed to complete the development work and put these mines on a dividend paying basis.

We want to raise about $10,000 from the sale of shares, this money to be used to complete the work just specified.

A very short time will be required to raise this amount of money for this magnificent property, and then the sale of stock will be discontinued.

READ THIS CAREFULLY.

The present price of the stock is 10 cents per share.

The price will be advanced to 15 cents per share very soon, and then 20 cents per share.

The company reserves the right to withdraw the stock from the market without notice.

TWO YEARS AGO—AND NOW.

We believe that there are 90 chances in 100 of the LARDEAU MINES proving a BONANZA. One property in the vicinity of the Lardeau was recently sold for $500,000 cash, and stock in addition. Two years ago it was not nearly as good a prospect as the Lardeau is today.

The LARDEAU MINES, LIMITED, is a small, close corporation and the profits will consequently be large to each stockholder.

Those who are fortunate enough to buy stock at the low price of 10 cents can calculate on an annual income of $125.00 from an investment of $100.00 In other words, you would get your principal back and $25.00 besides every year.

YOU CAN PAY IN INSTALMENTS.

Write us for further particulars.

We will allow you to purchase a block of stock and pay for in in monthly instalments. Before your stock is paid for you will see it double in value—perhaps more.

We urge prompt action, because of the approaching increase of 15 cents per share, which may occur any day. The safest thing to do is to send us $10, which will reserve the stock you desire at 10 cents per share. Then you can investigate the matter carefully and fully and if you are not completely satisfied we will return your money.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, NOV. 19, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Removed

Dr. Edson A. Titus who has been located at Hotel National has removed to Parlours at Mrs. Chamberlain's, 322 Water street, corner of Charlotte, where he will continue to teach and treat by Scientific Massage.

Lost Their Infant

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fowler have the sympathy of their many friends in the loss of their youngest child which sad event occurred on Monday night. The child was only seventeen months old, but had become very dear to the parents. Pneumonia was the cause of death The funeral takes place today to Little Lake Cemetery.

A Fine Photo

A very large sized photo of the Kitchecum Hunt Club, of Peterborough, adorns the window of the Kingan Co's Hardware Store on George street. Seventeen members of the club, eleven fine deer, some deer skins and three hounds are brought plainly to view in the picture, which is a credit to the artist, Mr. Roy's photographer, who was one of the party.

Let Go with a Reprimand

An aged resident of Dummer township appeared before the Police Magistrate yesterday morning. He was charged with partaking freely of the cup that cheers but at the same time inebriates. He appeared very penitent and Magistrate Dumble, after giving him a very kindly admonition as to his future conduct, allowed him to go without imposing a fine.

Bringing in the Deer

Toronto Globe—Over 400 deer were handled at the Union Station by the Canadian Express Company in the past three days. The train from the north on Monday had four cars of hunters' baggage and deer. Mr. J E Seagram, and party returned Monday and went through to Waterloo in a private car. Mr. W. C. Matthews, General Manager of the R. G. Dunn Co., also got back from Dwight yesterday.

JOINED IN WEDLOCK

Former Peterboro Citizens Wedded in the West

Fred. J. Taylor, of Regina, N.W.T. and Miss Clara L. Osborne, of Peterborough, two former residents of Brockville, says the Times of that place, were united in marriage on the 11th Nov., at Indian Head, N.W.T., by Rev. Mr. McAffree The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs Jas Taylor, Ann street, who since his removal to the west a few years ago has greatly prospered. The many Brockville friends of the young couple extend congratulations, in which their Peterborough friends heartily join.

THE REFERENDUM CAMPAIGN

The Temperance Party Take the Initiative and Placard the Town with Strong Statements

On December 4th, the people of the Province of Ontario will have the privilege of saying by their votes whether or not a prohibitory law shall be enacted by the Government in power. Up to the present the prohibitionists and antis have contented themselves with quietly organizing, and the general public in a certain sense has been kept in the dark as to how the contest is to be waged. But yesterday, so far as this town in concerned, the temperance people threw down the gauntlet to the liquor dealers by posting on every bill board in town the following announcement:—

"The Liquor Traffic pays the Government $7,000,000 yearly for permission to take from the people $40,000,000. It costs the country many millions more to harvest the liquor traffic's crop of pauperism, lunacy and crime. Under prohibition we will only pay the $7,000,000. We will have the $33,000,000 to spend. This will make business boom. The liquor party are fighting to keep on plundering the people. They are after our $33,000,000."

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If you have uneasy sensations in the stomach, a bad taste in the mouth, headache—remember that ten drops of Polson's Nerviline in sweetened water is a quick and certain cure. Nerviline aids digestion, dispels the gas, makes you comfortable and free from distress at once. Nerviline is just splendid for Cramps, Colic, Dysentery, Stomach and Bowel Troubles, and costs only 25c. Better try it.

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Exquisite invitation cards for children's parties with envelopes. These are very novel and the latest thing out. Parties desiring first choice of Xmas cards or calendars can now see them. We also have a large assortment of up-to-date birthday cards. Times Bookstore, Market Block.

Just in—new lot of Street & Smiths novels—some extra good books and the price away down. Times Bookstore.

STILL IN THE SWIM

A Gentleman Who Evidently is not Afraid of Cold water

We clip the following item from the Toronto Star of Nov. 17th. The gentleman mentioned is a son of Mr. Walter Strickland, architect, Toronto, and one of the Lakefield Stricklands:—

"Mr. H. S. Strickland was bathing in the lake at Kew Beach half a dozen times yesterday. He took a preliminary along the beach from the cut at Ashbridge's Bay to Munro Park with his child on his back. Then, when sufficiently warmed up, he took a plunge in the water, repeating this operation at intervals from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Mr. Strickland says the only drawback is lack of company, and he is desirous of having some one join him in his natatorial exploits."

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The County Council holds a special session in town today.

—A number from town attended a dance in the cheese factory near Fowler's Corner's last night.

—About thirty or forty shantymen came in on the Belleville train yesterday morning and went northward to spend the winter.

—Mr. W. J. Young, J. Tindale, J. P Westlake, R. Stabler, and M. O'Brien, members of the Bottle Lake Club, returned from their hunting trip Monday night, bringing home nine deer.

—If some of the residents of Charlotte street would use a broom for a few minutes each day during this weather, they would not have so much time to grumble about the pools of water on the pavement.

—Court Stanley, A.O.F., will be At home to their friends in the Sons of England Hall on Thursday evening, Nov. 20th inst.

MARRIED

KINGDON — GREENE — At St. Luke's church, Ashburnham, on Tuesday, November 18th, 1902, by Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, M.A., rector, Arthur Rook Kingdon to Sarah Jane Greene.

NEW COFFEE

For the U. S. Army

Some soldiers are badly affected by coffee drinking. The Hospital Steward in one of the Army Posts in the West, says:—"Though in the medical service of the Army, I suffered agony for two years from a case of chronic gastric indigestion, and now that I am free from all the tortures attendant upon it, I attribute it to the good effects of Postum Food Coffee, both as a food and as a beverage.

I used medicinal and mechanical means to relieve myself during those two years and even though I had left off the use of coffee, I did not find myself in any measure free until I had commenced using Postum.

Being in charge of a detachment of the Hospital Corps, U.S.A., I, of course, had supervision of the mess, and by degrees I have initiated into using Postum, every member of the mess, some of whom were formerly very loud in their denunciation of anything 'manufactured.' And, going still further, I have supplied it to our patients in lieu of coffee; some have found fault, while many have praised it highly, and when returned to duty, have continued the use of it when it was possible, for a soldier has an extremely hard time in trying to choose his own food.

For the past eight months, not a grain of coffee has been used in this Hospital, and thanks to a cook who prepares Postum just right—there is a brilliant prospect of coffee taking a permanent seat in the back ground.

One who has passed through the horrors of indigestion as I have, shudders as he looks back upon his sufferings and when cognizant of the cause, will shun coffee as he would a rattle snake." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing—[Ed. Times]

—Hon. Senator Cox arrived in town yesterday.

—Mr. J. M. Kilbourn, of Lakefield, was in town on Monday.

—Mr. J. H. McClelland is on a business trip to Montreal.

—Judge McDougall, of Toronto, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Dr. Young.

—Messrs. A. Fowler and J. H. Moore, of Lindsay, were registered at the National Hotel yesterday.

—Messrs. Thos. Callaghan and Thos. Smith, of Campbellford, were in town yesterday

—Mr. Geo. N. Graham, proprietor of the Oriental Hotel, made a business trip to Lindsay yesterday.

—Mrs. A. R. Plummer and Miss Grace Plummer, of Toronto, are visiting with friends in town.

—Mr. S. T. Medd, barrister, of Millbrook, was among the visitors to town yesterday.

—Mrs. A. C. Davis and Miss Stephens attended the "Ben Hur" opera in Toronto on Tuesday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Haines, of Toronto, are spending a few days at the home of Mr. J. W. Russell, Dalhousie street.

—Messrs. J. A. McPherson, Niagara Falls, and John M. McPherson, of Kirkfield, were in town yesterday looking after business interests.

—Dr. Hogg of London, is spending a few days in town with his brother, Mr. W. W. Hogg, of the Bank of Montreal.

—Mr. and Mrs. and the Misses Grassett, of Peterborough, will be in town for the winter, on Jarvis street—Toronto Globe.

—Miss C. G. Everet, who has been in town for some time past visiting Mrs R. Davidson, leaves today to spend the winter in Kansas.

—Mr. Wes. Milburn, after a pleasant stay in town for a few days, has returned to his studies at Trinity Medical College, Toronto.

—Rev. W. L. Armitage was in Port Hope attending the Archdeaconry meeting. Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, and Rev. J. C. Davidson, are also attending the same conference.

—The patronesses for the annual dance of the Peterborough Rugby Club are Mrs. (Hon.) J R. Stratton, Mrs. John Crane, Mrs. J. H. McClellan, Mrs. L. M. Hayes, Mrs. T. A S. Hay, Mrs. R. R. Hall, Mrs. Dr Bradd and Mrs. T. H. G. Denne.

KEENE.

—Mr. Thomas Laing has sold his shop, and dwelling house to Mr. John Bennett Mr. Bennett takes possession at New Year's.

—Mr. Thomas McIntyre has disposed of his house and lot to Mr. Robt. Brown. Mr. Brown takes possession in about two weeks.

—Little Harold, son of Mr. John Robertson is, we are sorry to learn, very ill. We trust he will soon recover.

—The members of the Sons of Rest are at variance of late. The season for sawing wood has arrived and they are disputing as to who should buck the wood.

—Several very nice fish have been caught on Rice Lake during the past two weeks.

—Grasshoppers are still hopping on the meadows. Some say this foretells a term of mild weather.

—Student Howson, of the Peterborough Business College, has been visiting here and also assisting in harvesting the turnip crop.

—The Rev. Mr. McDonald, pastor of the Presbyterian church of this place will D.V., give a temperance sermon next Sunday morning. We trust that all who are interested in temperance work will attend the service as Mr. McDonald is a staunch temperance worker as well as a talented orator.

—Housecleaning is the craze in Keene at present. The men and boys spend the greater part of their time in the stable or barn, for the woman folk are inclined to be a little bit cranky while the craze lasts.

—Mr. James Miller paid his farewell visit in Keene on Monday night last and departed for the Northwest on Tuesday. We wish Mr. Miller and family every success in the new clime.

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WEATHER NOTES

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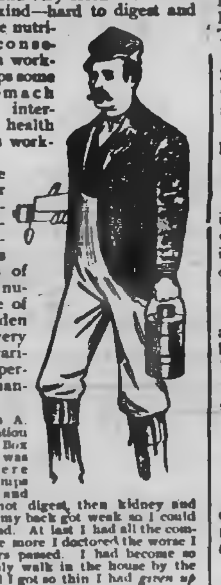
Pressure is low throughout the northeastern portion of the continent, attending mild weather. Another depression is developing in the middle Atlantic Coast indicating stormy conditions for eastern Canada. Rain is falling over Ontario.

The Dinner Pail



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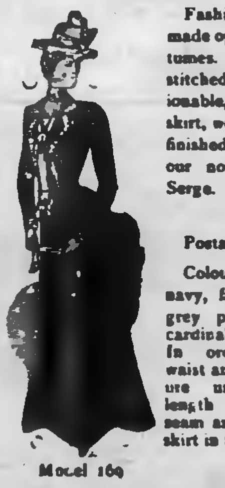

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WILL GREAT BRITAIN COMMIT A FATAL ERROR IN THE TRANSVAAL?

The New York Sun Draws a Dark Picture of the Future

CAPE COLONY IS LARGELY DUTCH

While Johannesburg District is to Be Heavily Taxed to Pay for The War—Chamberlains Great Task

New York, Nov. 19.—It is possible, if not probable, that the information gained by Mr. Chamberlain during his sojourn in South Africa will deter the present British Ministry from making the same blunder that the Government of George III. committed in its treatment of the Thirteen American Colonies after the Seven Years' War. The colonists, who, up to that time, had been thoroughly loyal, were irreparably alienated by the demand that they should bear a part of the pecuniary burden imposed by the costly contest. Now it is asserted that the Transvaal, which practically means Johannesburg, which again means Witwatersrand, must defray a considerable part of the expenses incurred in the struggle with the Boers, and the amount of the contribution, although not as yet officially fixed, has been variously computed at fifty, at seventy, and at a hundred millions of pounds sterling. What would probably be the effect of exacting the largest of those sums?

Sir David Barbour has calculated that £70,000,000 is the maximum contribution that, under any circumstances, the British Government would be justified in exacting from the Witwatersrand. Other experts of nearly equal authority put the maximum at £50,000,000. Nevertheless there is reason to believe that the British Government had hitherto been inclined to demand a contribution considerably larger that Sir David Barbour's estimate, although now it is to be presumed that no definite conclusion will be reached until Mr. Chamberlain has made a personal examination of Johannesburg's resources and of the whole situation in South Africa.

We say the whole situation in South Africa, because Mr. Chamberlain is too shrewd a man to overlook the primary purpose of the war just ended. That purpose was to assure preponderance to the English instead of the Dutch in South Africa, just as the purpose of the Seven Years' War, so far as British statesmen were concerned, was to secure for England, instead of France, ascendancy in North America. In the one case as in the other the purpose may be frustrated at the end, and the preponderance gained at the cost of so much blood and treasure may imperceptibly be lost if the British Government should estrange the one section of South Africa on which she should be able confidently to rely. This section is the Witwatersrand, or, in other words, the Transvaal, which the Rand will hereafter practically control. Natal, indeed, is loyal, but too small and weak to offer any serious resistance to a concerted renewal ten years hence of a movement for South African independence.

On the other hand, the Cape Colony is more utterly in the power of the Afrikander Bond than it ever was, the Orange River Colony must long remain what it now is, overwhelmingly Dutch, Rhodesia is an insignificant factor. The one large and growing nucleus of pro-British population, the one guaranty of British ascendency, is Johannesburg; and yet the British Government now proposes to levy upon the inhabitants of the Rand an immense contribution to the expenses of the recent war; although neither the English colonists in Natal nor the Dutch rebels in Cape Colony are to be called upon to pay a penny of the debt. That is to say, the English-speaking inhabitants of the Rand, who formerly complained that they were plundered by the Boers, are now to be exposed to heavier exactions at the hands of the British Government, and are to find themselves decidedly worse off than they would be if residents of Natal or of the Cape Colony.

It has been suggested by those alive to the dangers of the situation in South Africa that the Transvaal, which means Johannesburg, should not be required to make any direct contribution to the Imperial Exchequer, but that such sums of money as reasonably may be raised from the Rand mines by taxation should be applied for the relief of the Imperial Government from its liabilities in South Africa and to the indispensable work of readjustment and development in the conquered colonies. If this course were pursued, the British Government would avoid the mistake committed in the case o fthe Thirteen American Colonies, for the revenue needed for the purpose we have named would be raised yb the local authorities of the Transvaal, and disbursed under their superintendence. Even if Mr. Chamberlain, after a personal investigation of the subject, shall not be disposed to accept such a substitute for the proposed contribution to the Imperial Exchequer, he is at least likely to recognize the expediency of not making the contribution so large as to repel from England her most loyal and powerful supporters.

It seems to be indisputable that the Transvaal in the key to South Africa and that, for the present, at all events, Johannesburg hold the key. If Johannesburg be crippled or estranged, the Transvaal will remain Dutch and disloyal. With nothing to lean upon but Natal, which, itself, is dependent economically on Johannesburg, the British Empire in South Africa will prove to have been built upon the sand.

EVACUATION OF CHINA A HUGE RUSSIAN BLUFF

Russia in a Position to Strike at the Large Cities on Short Notice

HER EVACUATION OF NO NATIONAL IMPORTANCE

The Question Now Arrises Will England and Japan Tolerate Russia's Latest Move

London, Nov. 19—The Times special from Pekin says—In traversing the Trans-Manchurian Railway from Lake Baikal to Port Arthur you first pass through the Manchurian province of Hei-Lung-kiang; here so few Chinese are encountered that it appears to the onlooker that Siberia has been extended southward to the railway line. Hailar, which five years ago was a small Chinese settlement, is now a Russian town, containing Russian shops, hotels and hospitals. The Times correspondent counted twenty-two locomotives standing at the station. Further on Harbin, where five years ago there were half a dozen Chinese mud huts, is now a Russian city, comprising a civilian population of 8,000 possessing a fleet of steamers on the Sungari River, engine shops equal to any in America and stalls for forty-two locomotives. Going south from Harbin, one finds Russian settlements in course of construction on Russian concessions alongside of the large Manchurian cities.

At Mukden, the Chinese capital of all Manchuria, the railway, which at first was fifteen miles away, now passes the western wall. The Russian concession around the railway station covers ten square miles. Large barracks are being build there, and permanent accommodation is being provided for railway officials and the officers of the permanent garrison. The whole Trans-Manchurian Railway is now open. The distance from the western frontier to Harbin in 635 miles; from Harbin to the eastern frontier, 335 miles, and from Harbin to Port Arthur, 615 miles. There are stations every fifteen miles, and major stations supplied with railway work shops every seventy-five miles; at every station there are sidings of great length. At present three trains pass daily each way over the whole distance, and the number will be increased to ten as soon as the requisite rolling stock is forthcoming. An average train comprises twenty-five cars. The ordinary car has sleeping berths for forty-eight soldiers with rifle equipment. From the western frontier, beyond which lie the great military depots near Vladivostock, troops are moved to Harbin in thirty-four hours, from Trans-Baikalia. beyond the western frontier, trains, even now, while the tunnel under the Khingan Mountains is unfinished, reach Harbin to Port Arthur in sixty-four hours. On the way from Harbin to Port Arthur the railway passes not only Mukden, but the important cities of Kwang-chong-tase, Kaiyuen Tieling, Liau-yang, Hai cheng and others strung along the imperial highway in the Valley of the Liau River. This country is described as one of the richest granaries in Asia, producing enormous quantities of food stuffs and live stock. All along that highway stand vast Chinese caravansaries, able to quarter comfortably the winter traffic; so immense is this trade that 2,000 carts each drawn by seven mules pass a given point per day.

Now let us see what the Russian evacuation amounts to. On Oct. 8, of the present year the correspondent of The Times met Russian troops evacuating the country west of the Liau river. Conforming exactly to the letter of the convention signed at Pekin, these troops moved just one march eastward to the Russian railway concession at Mukden, where they are to be garrisoned permanently ostensibly for the purpose of guarding the railroad. The evacuation of New-chang meant the removal of the troops one hour's march upstream to permanent quarters in the Russian concession, or one hour by train eastward to the Russian settlement of Tashihchiao, where capacious barracks, solidly constructed of stone and brick, have been made ready for the winter. The evacuation of the great city of Mukden simply involved a removal of the troops from within the walls one hour's march to the Russian concession outside of them, where permanent quarters are being constructed for the garrison, which is expected to number 6,000. The evacuation of Liau-yang also meant the removal of Russian troops to the railway concession outside the walls, where preparations have been made for a permanent garrison of 2,000 men.

The same course has been pursued with regard to every other large Chinese city on the railway line, until you come to Harbin, which, being exclusively Russian, is not to be evacuated. A branch eighty miles long is to be constructed from Kwang-chang-tase, on the main line, to Kirin, a city with 300,000 inhabitants, the Russian inhabitants of which will ultimately be quartered at the rail-the city. So shrewdly, in truth, has the Trans-Manchurian Railway been traced that there is not one important highway way station, only one hour's march from in the country which it does not command. The troops guarding the railway practically guard all the capitals and large towns.

In a word, the Russian evacuation of Manchuria signifies nothing more than this, that the troops have been withdrawn to points from which the cities evacuated can be immediately struck. The result is that Manchuria is absolutely dominated by Russia, and the domination is rapidly becoming more effective than is that of England over the vassal States of India.

THE SINKING ISLAND OF LAKE MICHIGAN

It is of Considerable Size and Has an Unfathomable Lake

ONE OF NATURE'S BIG WONDERS

Boat Houses Have Already Disappeared—The Whole 5000 Acres in Great Danger

Chicago, Nov. 19.—South Manitou Island, in the northern part of Lake Michigan, is sinking. The south beach is rapidly being swallowed up, and the greatest concern is felt by those living there lest the entire area of 5,000 acres shall suddenly be submerged. The boathouse at the United States life saving station has already disappeared and where a month ago there was a high beach deep draught boats now plough through the water.

Vesselmen and officials advance two theories as to the cause of the phenomenon. One is that the island, which seems to be of volcanic origin, has been shaken by the seismic disturbances felt this year in a belt encircling the earth. The other is that the action of the water has undermined sections of the thus causing submarine avalanches.

The first intention received by outsiders that the area of the island was diminishing came from Capt. Lafberg, who has charge of the life-saving crew at Sleeping Bear Point on the Michigan mainland. He sent word to his superiors at Washington ten days ago that the boathouse at South Manitou had dropped out of sight during the night. Further news came from Lake captains who said that many residents were alarmed over indications that the peculiar island may suddenly be swallowed up.

Soundings made during the last few days have served only to add to the alarm. A short distance off shore where shoal water was formerly from three to five feet deep the sounding line indicated a depth of from twenty to seventy feet. No ordinary shifting of the shoal sands is regarded as being responsible for the great change.

The strange sinking of the land is regarded by many as being a warning to leave the island. Several have already left and others are preparing to go. They think they forsee a disaster that will erase South Manitou from the map and drown the entire population. Some are keeping a watch upon an unfathomable lake in the centre of the island. The Hollanders that inhabit the island do not share in the terror. They remain at their homes without fear, and and while they are more or less amazed at the creeping in of the lake, they point to the sand hills, and say it will take a long time for the water to reach the top.

But it is not the gradual destruction of the island that is expected by the alarmists. They believe it will be swallowed up suddenly, and that all who remain to tempt fate will perish. They fear destruction from two sources, and look either for the land to sink beneath the surface of Lake Michigan or for a volcanic eruption to rain fire down upon them. The cataclysm of St. Pierre and the tidal wave at Galveston are recalled and recited by the fearful ones.

A TERRIBLE EARTHQUAKE

Loss to Coffee Planters will Amount to Many Millions

Washington, Nov. 19.—James C. McNally, United States Consul-General at Guatemala City, has made a report to the State Department in regard to the eruption of Santa Maria volcano, which occurred on Oct. 4, causing the total ruin of the best coffee plantations in Guatemala, as well as half the coffee crop for the year, the total loss being estimated at more than $5,000,000. He says;

"As a climax to the terrible earthquakes of the 18th of April, which practically compassed the ruin of Quezaltenango, the volcano, Santa Maria, almost adjoining that city, erupted on the 24th inst., throwing out quantities of mud and ashes, causing untold damage on the coast side, which comprises the rich coffee zone of Guatemala.

The volcano is still active and ashes are falling on places thirty miles distant from the crater. The valuable coffee plantations noted for a large and fine production are to-day covered with from three to ten feet of mud and ashes, as well as other matter from the crater, and the tops of the coffee trees are scarcely noticeable. The loss to the owners of plantations is at this time incalculable, but it is conceded on a conservative estimate that the coffee loss will reach between 250,000 and 400,000 quintals of 100 pounds each, while the ruin of plantations and buildings, cattle and other accessories will aggregate $5,000,000 gold.

"Most of the ruined plantations were owned by the Germans, and the absolute loss of the properties has impoverished many who were before the 24th inst., reputed wealthy. Many owners had borrowed money on the present crop, while others had mortgaged their plantations to foreign banking houses, which carries a measure of misfortune to Europe. The reported loss of life is meagre and it is thought that the people escaped from the vicinity of the volcano at the first sign of trouble from that source. The Consular agent at Quezaltenango telegraphs that all the plantations within a radius of twenty miles from the volcano are totally destroyed.

"Later advices from Quezaltenango say that about four inches of pumice stone has fallen in that city and that the odor accompanying this deposit is discernible many miles from the seat of trouble."

MUST SUFFER DEATH PENALTY

Supreme Court Affirms the Conviction of an Alaskan Murderer

Washington, Nov. 20.—Homer Bird, convicted of murder in Alaska, whose case has been before the United States Supreme Court once before, will, under the decision rendered to-day, pay the penalty of his crime. Bird shot in cold blood two fellow prospectors in Alaska and on conviction in September, 1898, appealed to the Supreme Court, which reversed that judgment on the ground of an error and directed a new trial. He was convicted a second time, and again appealed to to the Supreme Court, taking the ground this time that the Alaskan Criminal Code law, which had been enacted in the meantime and under which he was tried the second time, had repealed and superseded the former code and that his conviction under it was therefore illegal, as the district court had no jurisdiction over an act committed prior to its enactment. The Supreme Court, in an opinion by Justice McKenna, holds that the Alaskan Criminal Code act provided for just such a contingency and that the district court had jurisdiction over the case. Bird's conviction was therefore affirmed and the Court directed the death sentence carried out.

THE ARABS ARE GREAT ON HEAVY CARRYING

Miss Ben-Oliel Tells of Seeing an Arab Carrying an Upright Piano—Second Lecture

Woodstock, Nov. 19.—The second lecture on Palestine at Dundas street church last night, was a most interesting one. Miss Ben-Oliel gave a talk on city life, showing many of the characters seen there, such as a Turk, a Greek, Bendouni, Arab, water carrier, burden carrier, scribe and school boys. From the references made to these in Scripture, it was a well spent hour, being introduced to them, the costumes bringing them closely in touch with the lecturer's descriptions. Some astounding statements were made in reference to the Arab burden carriers. The speaker said one man would rope three or four large trunks together, and jerking them up on to a pad on his back stagger off under the load, nothing of him in sight but his feet. She had seen one man carry an upright piano on his back two or three blocks, and her sister had seen one man carry a piano up a flight of stairs.

DEATH OF MISS COTY

Typhoid Fever Finds a Weakness of the Heart and Death Ensues

Early yesterday morning, Nov. 19th, Miss Ann Coty passed from this world to life eternal in the golden city of God, at the home of her sister, 158 King st., at the age of 38 years. She was a lady of bright mind and intellectual qualities of a high order, and her life's aim was to do unto others as she wished to be done by. Three or four months ago she was afflicted with typhoid fever, and although she recovered from that disease, a weakness of the heart developed and all that skilled physicians and kind and attentive friends could do, failed to restore her health and her spirit took its flight across the trackless sea of eternity as stated above. Deceased was born in Oakville and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Coty, who are now both dead. She leaves the following relatives to mourn her departure:—Rev. Father Coty, brother; Miss Lena Coty, of Hamilton, sister; Mr. Lewis Coty, of the post office, Oakville, brother; and Mrs. W. Rudkins, wife of the Collector of Inland Revenue, town, sister. Undertaker McFadden coffined the remains, and they were taken to Oakville by the 11.40 train yesterday, accompanied by Rev. Father Coty, and Rev. Dean O'Connell, of Mt. Forest, uncle of the deceased. The funeral will take place in that town on Friday and Mr. Rudkins, who was unable to accompany the remains on account of business arrangements, will leave this morning to be present at the last and rites to one who in life was beloved by all her associates and friends. To the sorrowing ones we extend our sympathy.

WILL HE STAY?

Rev. Wilson Asked to Remain in Peterborough

The quarterly meeting of George St. Methodist church was held on Tuesday night when Messrs. B. Shortley, D. W. Dumble, B. F. Ackerman, John Jeffrey, John Lockhart, S. R. Armstrong and H. C. Stabler were appointed stewards. The following resolution was also unanimously carried:—

"The Board of the George Street Methodist Church, Peterborough, while recognizing the present law of the Church, which entitles a stationed minister to remain on a circuit four years, yet deem it a duty to their minister, the Rev. J. P. Wilson, B.A., to make it known to him that they will rejoice in his continuing their pastor for the fourth year. The relationship of pastor and people has been so pleasant and satisfactory in all respects, that they are happy in the prospects of its continuance so long as the law of the Church will permit. This Board tenders to Mr. Wilson their thanks for faithful services and to his family their felicitations, and wish that he and they may enjoy all happiness in Peterborough."

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ANNUAL DANCE.

Will Trip the Light Fantastic on January the 21st

It is said that a soldier never grows old and there appears to be a great deal of truth in the saying. The "old boys" of the 57th Regiment recently organized and appointed the following officers:

President—Staff-Sergt Sharpe.
Hon. Sec.—Sergt. A. F. Paddon
Committee—Col. Sergt. Edwards, Corporal Henderson and Corporal Gemmell.

At a meeting held on Tuesday night it was resolved to hold a grand ball on Wednesday evening, Jan. 21st, 1903, and elaborate preparations are now in progress to make this event one of the best ever held in Peterborough. Those "soger boys" never do things by halves.

IN SESSION

To Spend $10,000 on Road and Bridges in the County

The men placed in charge of the affairs of the County of Peterborough met in special session in the Council Chambers yesterday. There were present Mr. T. G. Eastland, Warden, and councillors Richard Crowe, P. Costello, W. H. Casement, G. W. Fitzgerald, Robt Shaw, E. A. Peck, Wm. Anderson, J. B. Pearce and W. H. Jeffs.

J. B. Pearce moved the third reading of the by-law for the issuing of $10,000 debentures for improving roads and bridges.

The council then resolved itself into committee of the whole to discuss matters of general importance to the county and a report of their deliberations and resolutions will be given in to-morrow's daily.

POLICE COURT

Two Cases Adjourned for Further Enquiry

Yesterday morning the case of a man charged with drunkenness engaged the attention of the Police Magistrate. The prisoner pleaded not guilty, and the case will be further investigated this morning. A Texas magistrate recently decided that a man could not be considered drunk until he was found clutching at the grass to save himself from falling off the earth. We do not know whether or not the prisoner will cite this decision this morning or if it will be recognized as a precedence by the magistrate here.

The parties who removed a ladder belonging to Mr. Learmouth on Hallow'en were given a week by the Police Magistrate to restore Mr. Learmouth's property or go down a rung or two into their pockets to pay for the same.

NOVEMBER WEDDING BELLS

Miss Lilian May Kindred Becomes the Bride of Mr. Frederic Whaley

Another one of those pretty house weddings took place last evening at [illegible] Hunter street, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kindred, when their third daughter, Miss Lillian May, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. Frederick Whatley, assistant superintendent of the Metropolitan Life, by Rev. C. L. Thompson, pastor of Mark street Methodist church, Ashburnham.

At eight o'clock the bride, who was charmingly attired in white organdie, trimmed with lace applique and chiffon, entered the drawing room on the arm of her father to the strains of Mendellsohn's wedding march rendered by Miss Flo Thompson. Miss Maud Kindred, sister of the bride, who wore a becoming gown of white organdie over yellow trimmed with lace and chiffon, officiated in the capacity of bridesmaid. The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Robert Whatley.

After the ceremony the wedding party sat down to a daintily served wedding breakfast in the dining room which was decorated elaborately with choice ferns and flowers. Later in the evening the happy couple left for their home at 348 Stewart street where they will reside. The bride wore a pretty suit of stone colored ladies' cloth, trimmed with white watered silk when leaving for her new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Whatley are both well known and highly esteemed in this community and the large number of wedding tokens they were the recipients of testifies to their popularity. May happiness and abundant prosperity be their portion as they journey onward is the fervent wish of The Times.

SYSTEM OF RAILWAYS FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

Survey Parties at Work in the Transvaal and and Orange River Colony

Energies of the Empire—Should be Conserved by Carringy British Methods Into Colonies

London, Nov. 19—A correspondent at Ladybrands reports that in various districts of the Transvaal and Orange River Colony, survey parties are engaged in preparing a general scheme of railway construction, which will be submitted for the approval of the Railway Financial Board when the Transvaal loan is issued, and the sum alloted for the use of the railway department is known. In the meantime construction work will be pushed forward on the Bloemfontein, Thabanchu, and Harrismith and Vereeniging lines.

Paris, Nov. 19—Dr. Loir, of the Pasteur Institute, who has gone to Rhodesia to deal with the outbreak of hydrophobia there, writes a letter to Paris Temps describing his journey, in which he refers to the concentration camps which he visited, and which he says enabled the Boers to prolong resistance. Dr Loir says he asked his fellow-passengers their opinoin of the concentration camps, and a Frenchman from Johannesburg, a Dutch lady, and the Boers all said that the reported cruelties which had excited all Europe during the South African war never had any existence. Dr. Loir saw one camp which was built like a hospital. The huts seemed very clean ,and looked better than the slight, dingy buildings occupied by the British guard ing Buluwayo.

Berlin, Nov. 19—It is understood that negotiations between representatives of the Government and leaders of the Agrarians and the National Liberals in the Reichstag, regarding the tariff, are being vigorously prosecuted. The situation is said to be favorable for the Government, because the extreme opposition is engaged in a bitter controversy with the Radical left which, while opposing the Tariff Bill, protests energetically against obstructive tactics.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 19—Radzig, a well-known financial expert, publishes arguments based on facts supporting the complaint of local agricultural committees that the Government's financial policy is at variance with the country's true interests, and that Minister Witte has imposed a crushing burden by indirect taxation. Radzig gives figures showing that during the last twenty years the total indirect taxation has increased by 100 per cent., or 34 per cent. per head of population. Pokrovski, another well known expert, calculates that the protective system since its introduction has taken from the Russian consumer, on twelve common articles, a tax of $150,000,000. of which only $35,000,000 to the Treasury. The journal Khozain, where this article appeared, has been rebuked by the censor, and the current number of the paper has been prohibited except to regular subscribers.

London, Nov. 19—Lord Strathcona will preside to-night at the winter dinner in London of the Aberdeen University Club.

To Conserve Empire's Energy.

Major Craigie, president of the Royal Statistical Society, speaking last night, urged that, in view of the problems before the British race, Britain should seriously resume the exportation of brave, courageous men, ready to carry British civilization into countries like Canada, rather than the mere placing of colonial towns on a fringe of unoccupied regions. Herein Major Craigie gives authoritative expression to the growing belief of governing Englishmen that British statesmanship should concentrate itself upon the self-governing of the Empire rather than dissipating its energies over a half useless empire.

The prospectus of the new Canadian Railway Company will be issued to-morrow. The capital is £100,000, in shares of £1 each, of which 60, 207 will be alloted at par, with 5 shillings per share paid. The objects are as stated in yesterday's cable. Sir Douglas Fox and partners are the consulting engineers. No well known men are among the directors.

In the course of speeches yesterday at the launching of the Canadian Pacific steamer Princess Victoria from the Newcastle shipyard of Swan and Hunter, Limited, stress was laid upon the fact that the vessel provided exceptional equipment, and a speed of 19 knots, with a view to continuous service between Vancouver and Victoria in connection with the main Canadian Pacific line. The launch was most successful.

New York, Nov. 19—It was easy to me," said Andrew Murray, a Brooklyn horse doctor last night, as he described how he had cut a growth, declared to be cancerous, off his tongue, after well known physicians had told him that he must submit to a skilled operation or die. The remarkable operation was performed by Mr. Murray in his own office.

With a veterinary surgeon's knife in hand he stood before a mirror, and, pulling out his tongue, cut into the underpart and side of it, where the growth protruded. His tongue last night showed the marks of the keen knife, and the growth seemed removed. Mr. Murray declared that he never felt better in his life.

Mr. Murray is a tall, strongly built Scotsman, sturdy and young looking, in spite of his fifty odd years.

When, a few months ago, a back tooth began to ache, he had it pulled. Shortly afterwards, he says, his tongue and neck became affected. He was a heavy smoker, so he stopped using tobacco, but the growth in his mouth increased, until he could scarcely eat. Meantime, the glands in his neck swelled ominously.

Mr. Murray consulted Dr. A. Warner Shepard, of Willoughby street, Brooklyn, and was advised to immediately consult a specialist, as he had cancer in pronounced form.

Subsequently Mr. Murray consulted Dr. George R. Fowler, the well known surgeon. He told Mr. Murray that he must submit to an operation or succumb within eight months. To have the operation performed Dr. Fowler asked him to call on Tuesday of last week at the Brooklyn Hospital. It was contemplated to remove a gland from Murray's neck and to cut his tongue.

Rather than take his chances on the operating table, under ether, Murray resolved to operate on himself.

Whether Mr. Murray has actually removed all of the growth, is a matter for medical men to subsequently determine.

London, Nov. 19—The punitive expedition against the Kabul Khel Wazirls, whose country lies on the Indian frontier, near Bannu, and whose strength in fighting men is placed at about 3,000, has already led to far more severe fighting than was anticipated. The British force employed consists of four columns of Indian troops, each 700 to 800 strong and started out on Sunday and Monday it was thought that five or six days would suffice to bring the operations to a successful close, and that there would be no fighting of a serious nature.

Today, however, news arrives that the fourth column is being obstinately opposed, and that the colonel in command of it has been wounded, and has asked for reinforcements. The morning papers think that the colonel alone is not all who are likely to be wounded in such an enfalement, and it is surmised that the full extent of hte British casualties has yet to be made known. The demand for strong reinforcements would seem to point to the probability of the force having been surrounded or entrapped in some way by the enemy.

Railways to Raise Rates.

Companies Say the Cost of Operating Lines Has Greatly Increased

Montreal, Nov. 19—The Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk Railway Companies have felt keenly in common with other great railways, the pressure of the demands of labor organizations for greater remuneration, and the almost equally pronounced and continuous increase in the price of every kind of equipment and material, and the question of a general movement for advance in transportation rates is now receiving serious consideration.

Mr. G. M. Bosworth, of the Canadian Pacific, lays great emphasis on the fact that while the gross earnings of the railways have gone up amazingly, there has been practically

No Increase in the Net Earnings.

In other words, the working expenses were steadily absorbing the whole of the fruits of managerial enterprise in opening up new avenues of traffic and in enlarging and increasing the old. The companies, Mr. Bosworth remarked, have to pay more for locomotives, more for passenger and freight cars and all other kinds of rolling stock, more for rails and ties, more for the fuel they burn, and more—far more—for all kinds of labor. In these circumstances the companies must look somewhere to recoup themselves.

How to Recoup Them.

The question was asked. Would the continuous growth of traffic resulting from the advance in population, carrying with it the demand for all kinds of articles, in the end restore the equilibrium by giving the companies a wider basis from which they could draw their profits? It did not seem so now, Mr. Bosworth replied, nor could he see a solution of the difficulty in that direction. Increased traffic necessarily implied increased cost in handling it, because additional traffic could not be handled without increased facilities, additional equipment, and very often it entailed the construction of additional lines—all of which meant the employment of new capital, which naturally looked for a fair return.

"Reduce it to its fundamental basis," remarked Mr. Bosworth, "and you have the old economic principle, that you cannot sell goods that cost you six cents for five cents and hope to carry on business. Take the case of the Pennsylvania. The other day they gave an advance all round on the wages of their employes, representing 10 per cent., and involving millions of dollars. What was the result? A prompt fall in Pennsylvania stock in the financial markets."

The views of the Grand Trunk Management were in harmony with those expressed by Mr. Bosworth. The officials had just returned from their trip through Ontario, where they had inspected the branch lines. Fresh from the gathering grounds of traffic, and having before them the need of greater expenditure in increasing the facilities for transportation, the Grand Trunk officials point out that a very small increase in the rates, a fraction per ton mile, would make all the difference between working the system at a fair profit and working it under unremunerative conditions.

The impression clearly given was that these companies will very shortly have to consider jointly the question of falling back on the public to recoup them for the increased expenditures that they are obliged to incur to meet demands that they are unable to resist.

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Mr. Benjamin Dillon, of Leeds, Ont., was cured of Muscular Rheumatism by Polson's Nerviline and says: "I feel it my duty to proclaim Polson's Nerviline as an infallible cure for Rheumatism; it cured me after 20 years of suffering, and nothing I know of can equal its penetrating power. Nerviline simply has no equal in quickly relieving and curing Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica, and Lumbago. A trial will convince anyone. Price 25c.

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In this progressive age, labor-saving appliances, while frequently driving persons out of certain occupations, add so materially to the products of the world that in the end any new invention furnishes additional employment, besides contributing materially to the comfort of the masses.

One of these recent inventions, the electric long distance typewriter, is likely to reduce for a time the number of telegraph operators employed in various businesses. The new appliance, which is now being used between the cities of Berlin and Hamburg in Germany, and will soon be utilized by the German government throughout the empire for postal telegraphing, is very simple. A persons sits at a keyboard somewhat similar to that of an ordinary typewriter, and by playing upon the keys, causes a little instrument fifty, seventy-five or one hundred miles away to print the words in plain type on a roll of paper as rapidly as the keys are pressed. No one is required to be near the receiving instrument, which takes care of itself.

If a correspondent at Washington wished to send to his newspaper a long report of an exciting debate in Congress, he would sit down at the keyboard of this new instrument and send probably 1,500 words an hour in such shape that it would be ready for the type machine as soon as it was marked off by the receiver. Truly, mankind is working seeming miracles!

EDITORIAL COMMENT

The Hamilton Times says negotiations are in progress for the establishment of a "large" hat factory in that city. Some such enterprise has become necessary because of the swelled heads of the citizens.

Hamilton Times: William K. Vanderbilt and Grover Cleveland received respectively the largest and smallest checks ever issued by the United States Government. At one time Mr. Vanderbilt owned $50,000,000 worth of government bonds, and on this amount drew annual interest of $2,000,000. At the close of Mr. Cleveland's administration it was discovered, in settling up his accounts for salary, that the government owed him 1 cent. A check for that amount was forwarded to him, and as it has never been presented for payment, it is probable that the recipient preserves it as a curiosity.

The other Doukhobors in Russia are petitioning the Sultan to allow them to settle in Turkey and mention that Canada is not free enough to suit them. This is pretty hard on Canada, but if our own Douks would also betake themselves to the sheltering wings of Turkey nobody would resent the slight.

PUBLIC OPINION REFLECTED

Times Readers Express Their Opinions on Famous Topics

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—We know that the day is fast approaching when the referendum vote will be taken, and I am more than surprised at the don't care style of the electorate in this section. There has been some little organization by both parties—that is the temperance party and the antis—but nothing like the importance of the subject demands. For many years we have had this question of prohibition agitated, and in my opinion, the coming referendum vote is a culminating era in that agitation. If the vote is an adverse one, then temperance people who have been expressing so much anxiety to see Canadians made a sober people by act of parliament, will need to hold their peace and trust to the Giver of all Goodness to right affairs along this line.

If the vote is strongly in favor of prohibition, the Government, Grit or Tory, cannot but heed the voice of the people, and the consequence will be that the sale and drinking of liquor as a beverage must not be licensed by act of parliament.

I am not going to express my opinion as to how others should vote on this matter, nor am I yet fully persuaded as how I shall mark my ballot, but this I do think that there should be more public meetings, more thorough discussion, and a more independent generality of this all important subject between now and when the vote is to be taken, on December 4th. The still-hunt campaign is not desirable on either side in this struggle. The temperance party are attacking the business, occupations and property interests of the hotelkeepers. Those attacks should be made in the open and the hotelkeepers and others engaged in the liquor traffic should come out and defend their interests publicly. Let us have a little more light on this subject, so that we may be able to vote intelligently.

Yours, etc.

RATEPAYER.

To the Editor of The Times:

Dear Sir,—I notice that you say in your paper that there are no great issues still in sight for the coming municipal campaign. I take issue with you there. The streets and crossings of Peterborough are a disgrace to the importance of the place. I have heard it said that we have an underground street railway, and I think it could be as truly remarked that we have underground Macadamized streets, and virtually no crossings at all.

There is one thing we have, and that is plenty of mud. Men are almost daily engaged in scraping this mud off the hidden treasure—the buried stone—and still they seem to make little or no progress. Dollars and dollars of the people's money are being spent in this way. Is this not a great issue? Should not the people of Peterborough elect a Council for 1903 who will secure a mining expert to make a thorough examination and ascertain if our former good stone roads have gone so deep down in earth's bosom that they cannot be resurrected? Let the ratepayers think this matter over and see that a Council of practical men who will know something about the streets, are elected for the ensuing year.

Yours truly,

A. LABORER.

CZARINA REFUSES TO DISROBE

Greek Church Requires Immersion to be in Garments of Mother Eve

St. Petersburg, Nov. 18.—The gossip to the effect that the Czarina will be divorced because she has failed to give the Czar a son, but under the pretext that she has not adhered to the belief of the Greek church of which she became a member when she was married, recalls a hitherto unpublished incident of her baptism when she entered the Church of Russia.

The Greek church not only requires immersion at baptism, but immersion absolutely without clothes. This does not matter in the case of infants, but where grown people become converts it is at least embarrassing.

When the Czarina heard this and heard that she was expected to face the ordeal of a semi-public baptism garbed as was Mother Eve, she flatly and persistently declined, and no amount of argument or coercion would move her. At one time it looked as if the incident would end in an international fracas between her court and that of Russia, for the church declared that the rule had never been changed and never would be. The Empress-elect remained firm and the church was finally induced to compromise. It was decreed that she might go through the ceremony wearing a single white garment, and in this fashion she was immersed.

The fact that the immersion was not according to the regular rites of the church will be used, if the Czar consents to a divorce, to show that the Czarina is not a real and conscientious member of the church and therefore not legally the Empress.

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Mary of the Dark
House, etc.

erned the game he played in secret, have betrayed the trust.

He would have wished to lose, rather than win, so that the Comtesse might see her talisman was not infallible, and value it the less. Nevertheless, as luck would have it, he won; and with thanks said that he would no longer rob the lady of her fetich. He would play no more that night.

Next evening he was purposely late for dinner, and, seeing the Comtesse at a small table, he drew near, as if to be seated at the next which was available. As he advanced their eyes met; she gave him a half-bow, which he answered so impressively that with a gesture the old Frenchwoman beckoned him to her. If he chose, he might sit at her table. She would explain to him her system, and if he took her advice he need no longer throw his money away as he had done last night.

"But madame has the wisdom of the Sphinx to assist her," he said, smiling as he joyfully accepted the lady's invitation.

This brought up the subject of the moonstone, and Newcome's heart sank as every word the Comtesse spoke betrayed the fantastic value she set upon the jewel.

It was not until they had been on friendly terms for three days, dining together every evening, that he ventured to take advantage of the favor with which he was evidently regarded. The Comtesse, always ready to talk of the moonstone, had been drawn on to tell him that she had paid a thousand francs for it to a mad young Englishman at Monte Carlo.

"Fancy selling it!" she exclaimed.

"Would you not sell it, Comtesse?" Newcome questioned.

She laughed. "Try me."

"Suppose I took you in earnest, and offered you a thousand pounds instead of a thousand francs?"

"Do you mean it?"

"Absolutely."

"No, then, my dear Baron von Zellheim. Not for two thousand pounds. Not for twice two thousand. For, you see, I am fortunate enough not to be in need of money."

"Is there anything that you do happen to be in need of, Comtesse? If there is anything you want that I could get for you, I will get it—provided that you pay me with the Sphinx's head."

"I will exchange it for the Koh-i-noor. Can you get me that?"

"I might. But it will take time. Will you lend me your talisman?"

"I have never yet lent anything I valued, not even a book, until I lent you the moonstone the other night, without your even asking. I don't know why I did it, unless—it was your eyes, I suppose. I am of a certain age, and I can safely tell you that."

"Will you lend it to me again—for a few days?"

"For the tables, you mean, as I use it?"

"No, Comtesse, to carry away to London. I should be only too pleased if you would come, too."

"I never knew so impudent a young man!" said the lady. "Neither I nor my moonstone will go to London."

"It is really my moonstone, if it comes to that," Newcome said on a sudden impulse, speaking with far more coolness than he felt.

The Comtesse's face changed, and she set down her champagne glass to stare at him. "Your moonstone?" She did not know but that he led up to some jest.

"Mine by inheritance. It was stolen from—someone very near to me."

"Oh!" she paused thoughtfully. "Then—your coming here—our acquaintance—is not an accident?"

"Comtesse, you led me a terrible dance—from Monte Carlo to Paris, from Paris to Brussels, from Brussels to Spa."

"Great Heavens! You are one of those detective people!"

"If I had been, I should have found you sooner."

"And now that you have found me, mon cher ami, it will do you no good. Possession is nine-tenths of the law. You would have to prove that my moonstone was your moonstone. To do that you might have difficulty. And if it were done, I am still a woman. I should find some way of evading the law."

"I don't intend to appeal to the law. But I think, because you are 'still a woman,' if it be against your principles to lend me the Sphinx's head, and you will not sell, that you will give it."

"I would make a big wager that nothing you could say or do would induce me to give up my fetich of my own free will."

"What would you wager—the moonstone itself?"

"Good Heavens, what an idea!"

"Yet if you are so sure of yourself, why not stake it?"

His handsome eyes compelled hers. He was twenty-six, and she was sixty; but he was a man, and—as she had said—she was "still a woman." So she laughed excitedly, and the gambling spirit rose within her.

"Yes, I will wager the moonstone itself. If you are clever enough to make me want to give it to you, you shall have it. But—do you remember one of the tasks that Venus set for Psyche?—how the great piles of mixed grain had to be sorted, each kind to itself, between sunrise and sunset. You have as hard a task, and there are no grateful ants to help you, Baron."

"There are my own wits—and there's your sense of justice; your womanly sympathy."

No one had talked in this way to the lady of dyes and paints for many a long year; yet she listened, and laughed, and was not displeased; but she knew that she would never give up her talisman.

"And how do you propose to make use of my sense of justice with your wits?" the Comtesse de Silbery deliberately asked.

"By telling you a story," said Hope Newcome.

"Is that all? An exciting one, I hope, or I shall remember that in half an hour it will be my usual time for beginning a little game."

"I shall try to make you forget," replied Newcome. "It is exciting enough—at least, it was to the actors. For it is a true story that I shall tell you. A story of treachery and murder."

"Oh—you are sensational."

"Real life is sensational. There are true things stranger than any fiction which people would dare to write. My story begins a long time ago, and I should be afraid it might bore you at first were not my heroine one of the most beautiful women who ever lived. And the love element of the romance comes in early."

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There is every reason to believe that the LARDEAU MINES will pay a profit of 270 per cent. PER YEAR, within a short time, and will continue to yield such profits for more than a lifetime.

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DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

The property is located in the celebrated Lardeau mining division of West Kootenay, British Columbia. The property owned by this company consists of three full claims, embracing an extent of 150 acres—mineral claims in British Columbia are 1,500x1,500 feet—equal to 51 acres in each extent. Three strong parallel ore veins run through the property from end to end, a distance of of 4,500 feet. If placed end to end this would give us 13,500 feet, equal to a continuous ore body over two and a half miles in length. The values are in gold, silver, copper and lead, and run from $25.00 to $77.00 per ton of 2,000 pounds. These results show indications of permanent values of the most convincing kind.

GROSS VALUE OF SHIPMENTS.

The gross value of shipments of ore aggregating 6,153,004 pounds from twelve mines in the Lardeau, all situated near the property owned by this company, was $452,410.21, equal to a return per ton of over $146.00. The property owned by this company shows up equally as well as any of these more fully developed mines, and will, we are convinced, shortly rank among the best in the Lardeau division.

READ THESE FIGURES CAREFULLY

In a very conservative statement issued by the officers of the company, appears the following:

"'In order to show why we are confident we are right, we will estimate our ore values at $50.00 per ton, a little over one-third of the average ore values of the entire Lardeau mining division. We will also base our calculations on a daily output of 30 tons—a small amount compared with the extent of our property and the size of its ore bodies. We will allow $10.00 per ton for mining, transportation (a few miles only) and smelting charges. The profits after making a reasonable reduction for incidentals and surplus, work out as follows:

30 tons at $50.00 per ton...		$1,500
Less $10.00 per ton mining, transportation, and reduction charges		300
Net daily income.....		1,200
Say for 300 days per year..... ...		300
Total net yearly income...		360,000
Deduct for incidental expenses, $5 per ton...	$45,000	
Deduct for company's surplus account $5 per ton.	45,000	90,000
Total yearly net earnings.....		$270,000

which sum is equal to 270 per cent. per annum on our capital stock of $100,000.

"This estimate is made on the basis of a small output compared to the extent of our property and the splendid facilities it affords for economical mining and on the operation of the mine for 300 days per year only, so that anyone can see at a glance that we are not overestimating in any particular, especially when the output of mines similarly situated, and with ore bodies of less extent than ours, ship hundreds of tons each day. There is no good reason why our property, when fully developed—which will be within six months to a year—should not ship several hundreds of tons of ore per year, but we are basing our calculations on the immediate future in presenting the above estimate.

"We are now within seventy to eighty feet of the main ore veins, and assays show values as high as $77.00 per ton. The average returns from twelve mines in our district, according to Government records, which are always conservative, run as high as $146.00 a ton in gold, silver, copper and lead.

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We know the men connected with the management of the LARDEAU MINES, and have known them for years. We know that they never were and never will be connected with any but honest and legitimately conducted enterprises.

REPORT OF MINING ENGINEER.

The property has been thoroughly examined by well known mining engineers and their reports have borne out every statement that has been made by the company. Mr. H. O. McClymont, one of the last engineers to make a report says in conclusion:

The average assays are most encouraging, considering the great width and continuancy of the leads across the country with such great width and prominence of the surface, and judging from other properties in the near vicinity, some of which are on the same level and have developed very rich ore bodies. The LARDEAU MINES are as good as any, if not the best, in the vicinity, and I verily believe with a nominal expenditure, they should be made dividend-paying in a short time, and I would strongly recommend extensive developments towards that end. Signed, H. O. McClymont, Mining Engineer."

SMALL AMOUNT OF MONEY NEEDED.

As Mr. McClymont says in his report, only a small sum of money is needed to complete the development work and put these mines on a dividend paying basis.

We want to raise about $10,000 from the sale of shares, this money to be used to complete the work just specified.

A very short time will be required to raise this amount of money for this magnificent property, and then the sale of stock will be discontinued.

READ THIS CAREFULLY.

The present price of the stock is 10 cents per share.

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Respectfully, DR. R. J. SCHIMPER, Chemist Expert."

THIS goes to show the immense profits that will accrue from our products when refined. We expect to commence **Building Our Refinery** in the very near future. The sale of the next allotment of stock will be made for that purpose. **The largest flowing wells in California** were brought in adjoining our property and their stock was taken off the market. **We employ the best drillers** who report rapid progress on our wells and we expect to bring in gushers equal, if not to excel any in the Sunset field. **Our General Manager, Superintendent and Drillers, all are experienced oil men.** The officers of our company are all thorough, competent and efficient men who have always made a success of their undertaking in life and who will see that the welfare of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company is furthered, portected and promoted to the most advantageous extent possible.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS should be paid to the stockholders of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company when their property is fully developed, their refinery equipped and in full operation. ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS was paid by Kern County Oil Companies during the month of August alone.

SIX MILLION BARRELS is the consuming capacity of the Southern Pacific Railway engines, which are now equipped for burning oil. Outside of this consider other railway lines, smelters, factories, steamships, stationery engines, which are all heavy consumers of fuel oil and last but not least, hotels and private dwellings are falling in line with the procession in the use of fuel oil.

A GOOD REASON WHY YOU Should Invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. More fortunes have been made in oil than any other business. Consider the immense amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for its fortunate stockholders, and the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard Oil Company. Here is what $100 has accomplished for those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:

Home Whittier $1,000 on an investment of $100.

Kern returned $2,200 on an investment of $100.

Peerless returned $1,800 on an investment of $100.

Dillon returned $2,500 on an investment of $100.

New York returned $30,000 on an investment of $100.

Union returned $150,000 on an investment of $100.

Home returned $50,000 on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Company's oil holdings and property, when developed and handled, should not bring like returns

CONTRARY to the general supposition the earth is the repository of all mineral wealth. When it is known and demonstrated beyond a question of a doubt where its wealth reposes and you put your money up to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people but creates new wealth. It is therefore an investment.

Wonderful Increase in Value of Oil Stocks.

The rapid rise in the value of shares in some oil companies will be seen from the following table:	Original price per share	Present market price
Black Mountain Oil Co.	$ .05	$ 1.50
Central Oil Co.	.30	1.50
Home Oil Co. Whittier	.25	2.50
Monte Cristo Co.	.10	2.00
West Shore Co.	.50	4.50
Twenty-eighth Oil Co.	.50	2.50
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	.50	1.90
Sterling Oil & Development Company	.50	2.25
Dillon Oil Co.	.25	2.50
Peerless Co	.30	8.62
San Joaquin Oil Co.	.50	15.00
Kern Oil Co	.25	10.00
Thirty-three Oil Co	.25	12.50
Kern River Oil Co	.50	25.00
New York Oil Co	.30	20.00
Oil City Petroleum Co	2.50	34.00
Hanford Oil Co	2.00	120.00
Kreyenhagen Oil Co	.10	[illegible]
Columbia Oil Co.	100.00	[illegible]
Union Oil Co.	1.00	1500.00
Home Oil co	100.00	[illegible]

The time will come in the near future when stock in St. Paul and Sunset Oil Co., should bring prices equal to the last.

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owns its immense tract of proven Oil Land—without a penny of incumbrance. The property is located in the most wonderful and richest oil producing section in the world, in the famous Sunset District of Kern County, California. Other Oil Companies in Kern county have paid hundreds of thousands of dollars in dividends—and today their stock cannot be bought at any price. These companies in many instances have less property, and in some cases are only lessors, not owning refinery, tanks, lines, etc.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Removed

Dr. Edson A. Titus who has been located at Hotel National has removed to Parlours at Mrs. Chamberlain's, 322 Water street, corner of Charlotte, where he will continue to teach and treat by Scientific Massage.

A Snap in Paper

Five quires of good quality writing paper, either plain or ruled, for only 20 cents This paper is as good as paper sold elsewhere at 10 cents quire. Times Bookstore, Market Block.

The Millbrook Bank

The branch of the Bank of Toronto which has been opened at Millbrook will be officered as follows:—Manager, Mr. A. E. A. Smith, formerly accountant at Peterborough; teller, Mr. Harry A. Grubbe, who got his first experience in the office here, where his father, Mr. R. W. Grubbe, filled the position of teller for many years. The junior clerk in Millbrook will be Mr. Welsh, a local man.

The Direct Line

From Peterborough to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and the South is via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley Railroad. Route of the "Black Diamond Express." Pullman sleepers and dining car service from Toronto. Everything first class. Scenery and service unsurpassed. Call at W. Bunton's ticket office Peterborough, for tickets, Pullman and further particulars.

Prize to Our Subscribers

Subscribers to the Daily and also to the Weekly Times who will pay up arrears and also pay a year in advance, will be presented with a magnificent picture of the Coronation of Their Majesties, King Edward VII. and Queen Alexandra—(size 22x28, printed in 14 colors). They are splendid prints, and will serve as mementos of that great historical event. The picture is now to be seen at The Times Bookstore.

Changed His Location

Mr. Chas. Dusty, who has been in charge of the bar at the Palace Cafe during the absence of the proprietor, Mr. J. M. Brooks, in the North country has accepted a situation in the Queen's hotel, and in future will dispense liquid refreshments over the bar of that hotel. Mr. Dusty is a very popular bartender, and no doubt will increase the patronage of the Queen's very materially.

Capitularly Honoured

There was a large attendance at the regular convocation of Corinthian Royal Arch Chapter No. 36, Tuesday evening, when several distinguished companions were present. M. Ex-Comp. W. Gibson, Grand Z., of Beamsville, and Rt.-Ex. Comp. A. Shaw, Grand H., of Kingston, complimented the officers of the Chapter on the exemplification of the work of the evening. Much disappointment was felt on the inability of Rt. Ex-Comp O. H. M. Baker, Grand Superintendent, of Lindsay, to be present as he was to pay his official visit to the chapter. At the close of the chapter a pleasant hour was spent in the dining room, where an excellent spread had been prepared.

First Canadian Sugar

The Times yesterday was in receipt of a little blue cardboard box filled with granulated sugar, "the first ever made in Canada from sugar beets grown in Canada." The sample came from Berlin, Ontario, and is the product of the Ontario Sugar Company's factory recently built at that place. The article presents a clean, bright appearance and will no doubt find favor with the Canadian public. A new industry is always a good thing for a country and the success of this particular venture should mean much for Berlin and the farmers of the surrounding district who raise the necessary sugar beets. We may expect, in the event of the Berlin factory proving a money maker to see similar establishments spring up in other parts of the province. A great beet sugar industry is under way among the Mormons of Alberta, and Canada may yet be able to furnish the entire domestic market with home-grown, home made sugar. Peterborough is also to have a sugar factory which will be one of the largest and best equipped on the continent.

AFTER A WOMAN

P. C. Stewart Follows Miss Perry to Golden Lake

About a year ago a Miss Perry, hailing from Belleville, made her appearance in town and took up her residence at Mr. Samuel Johnston's, McDonell street. A few weeks ago she disappeared from town, and at the same time a watch, chain, gold bracelets, pair of kid gloves and several other articles passed to some place other than where they used to be. The matter was placed in the hands of the police, and police constable Stewart, who has the reputation of being a great lady catcher was detailed on the case. He sustained his reputation by arresting Miss Perry at Golden Lake yesterday, and he will arrive this morning with his prisoner who will likely be given a hearing at the police court today.

SNOWDEN PARTY HOME

They Shot Twelve Fine Deer and Brought Nine Home

The Snowden hunting party, comprising Wm. Snowden, Argyle Blade, G. M. Rogers, Martin McFadden, Samuel Wray, Chas. Curtis, Joseph Pentland, T. E. Boddy, Larry Steele and W. B. Hartshorn returned yesterday from a two weeks' hunting expedition near the Georgian Bay. They had very poor luck at first, three of the party returning to Peterboro. The second week the hunters had lots of sport and succeeded in killing twelve deer. Yesterday nine of the deer arrived on the Toronto train, and they were on the whole the finest specimens that have reached Peterborough this season.

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Wolves Kill Hounds in Muskoka

The Uppington Club, of Uppington, Muskoka, lost a couple of valuable hounds this season by wolves. It is seldom that wolves come so far south in any quantity. The hounds were attacked on one of the deer runs, within sight of one of the party, and literally torn to pieces, although the hunter emptied his rifle upon the wolves. Next morning the Buckhorn Club, one of whose members had also lost a hound, went in search of the wolves, and surrounded them in a swamp two miles from Uppington. They killed them all. The Uppington Club consists of John Crozier, Captain, and James Thompson, hunter, and cook, of Uppington; J. Beatty, Toronto; Art. Crozier and Mark Wilkinson, St. Mary's, and James McKay, Thomas and William Kirk, Uppington. During their nine days' shooting the party obtained sixteen deer.

SPECULATORS IN OIL

$2,200 of Lakefield Money Floated in Oil

There is some anxiety in certain speculative quarters of the progressive village of Lakefield regarding a recent investment made in the Texas Oil Wells. It seems that Mr. T. H. Benson, late manager of the Linton Bank, was the chief promoter of the scheme. Two gentlemen were sent down to Texas where the oil wells, which the Company had in view of purchasing, were situated. Dr. Baker, one of the gentlemen who went south on the inspection, advised the purchase of the property which was to cost $2,200. This amount was raised by Lakefield subscribers and supposed to have been paid to the owners of the oil wells. It is now alleged in Lakefield that only $1,100 of this was handed over and that the remaining $1,100 is not accounted for. Dr. Baker, who will be able to throw some light on the matter, is in the back country shooting, and his arrival home is anxiously awaited, when it is expected that all matters will be satisfactorily explained.

—A new barber shop will be opened at 144 Simcoe street this week. Mr. A. Haskell who is well and favorably known in Peterborough, will be the proprietor.

FOOD TO USE

When Doctor is Not Convenient

Many people dislike to call in a doctor until it is absolutely necessary; frequently a change of food will work wonders.

A young lady, in Russellville, Ky., says:—"I was taken ill six weeks ago, and could not take solid food; was only allowed to eat soup and milk. In about a week, I got so weak and nervous that I could not sleep. Father wanted to call in a doctor, but I objected, as I didn't feel I needed medicine as much as good food. The next day Father had to go to town, and brought back a package of Grape-Nuts with him, and I commenced to eat it twice a day in milk. I would get hungry for it from one time to next. In a few nights, I could sleep soundly all night, and in two weeks I was up, and had actually gained flesh, and was soon as strong as before I got sick.

I would not be without Grape-Nuts now for anything, and my friends comment on my looks. I tell them I owe it to Grape-Nuts, and recommend it to all who complain with stomach trouble, which is the general complaint in this neighborhood." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

THE PETERBOROUGH PROTESTANT HOME

The Annual Meeting and Election of Officers

THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Many Aged and Infirm Find Shelter and are Carefully Looked After in the Home—Two Deaths During the Year

At the annual meeting of the Peterborough Protestant Home, held on Nov. 18th, the following report was presented, which shows the Home to be well managed and doing a good work:

In presenting the annual report of the Peterborough Protestant Home, the committee are grateful for the privilege of being used to do this work for the Heavenly Father. There is very little to report other than the coming and going of those who seek shelter, some for the remaining years of their life, others during a period of trouble or adversity. During the winter the Home was filled to its utmost capacity. Quite a number of old men, who were too infirm to work in the winter, were sheltered, but these went to work in the spring. Already applications are coming in from just such old men. Altogether twenty-seven found a comfortable home, the ages ranging from thirteen months to eighty-eight years. Two of the inmates died during the year, both in advanced years. Miss Fraser, the matron, continues to give satisfaction, and her task is not a light one, for it is not always easy to keep peace and harmony among so many. Our sincere thanks are due to the clergymen and physicians who give so kindly of their time to the relief of the inmates, also we desire to thank the editors of the papers for inserting notice of our work gratuitously and to all who in any way contribute to the welfare and comfort of the Home. Year after year we ask through the press and in other ways for more ladies to become interested in the work and be members of the committee of management, but, as as yet, there has been no response. The same ladies have taken the work for many years and some of them feel that others should be ready to take their places. M. Miller, secretary.

Officers were elected for the year as follows: President, Mrs. Vernon; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Hall; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. J. H. McWilliams; treasurer, Miss Rogers; secretary, Mrs. Miller.

Below is given a statement of the finances from 1st October, 1901, to 30th September, 1902.

RECEIPTS.

Grant from Ontario Government...	$383 83
Board of inmates......	391 60
Interest of investments...	900 00
Other sources not included...	28 37
Balance last year......	405 57
	$2195 37

EXPENDITURE.

Salaries and wages......	$254 20
Maintenance and outdoor relief...	940 49
Fuel and light......	177 46
Repairs and furniture......	36 57
Medicine......	57 29
Balance in bank......	294 00
Deposit in savings bank......	600 00
Cash on hand......	35 37
	$2195 37

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Two carloads of cheese were shipped to the Old Country from this point yesterday.

—Charlotte street Methodist church will have a rehearsal on Friday night.

—The "Never Learn" Club had a delightful time at their first assembly on Tuesday night.

—A branch of the Sovereign Bank will be established at Havelock about January 1st, 1903.

—The Fortnightly Club are arranging for a series of lectures for men and women members of the club.

—Mr. John Kincaid shipped a carload of apples to England today.

—The ladies of St. Luke's Church will have a tea to-night in the Forester's Hall. Rev. Dr. Symonds will deliver an address.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. A. Lesson, of Campbellford was in town yesterday.

—Dr. Shaw, of Keene, was a visitor to town yesterday.

—Mr. E. Gardiner, of Millbrook, was in town Tuesday evening.

—Miss L. M. Bell, of Keene, was a guest at the National Hotel yesterday.

—Mr. J. H. Brandon, Fenelon Falls, was in town yesterday on business.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Gorman, of Campbellford, were in town Tuesday calling on friends.

—Mr. J.B. Pearce, of Norwood, was transacting business in town on Wednesday.

—Mr. Geo. Lowey goes to Pittsburg today where he has secured a good position. We wish him every success.

—Messrs. John McCabe, Leo. Clancy, and Bert Thompson left yesterday morning for Toronto to attend "Ben Hur" at the Princess Theatre.

—Mr. E. T. Bastedo, Assistant Commissioner of Fisheries, made enquiries at Keene on Tuesday regarding the alleged illegal net fishing in Rice Lake.

—Mrs. Alex. Black, who has been visiting friends in Peterborough, returned to town today where she will remain for some time before returning to her home in Peshtigo, Wis.—Guide, Port Hope.

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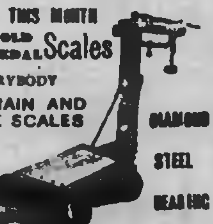

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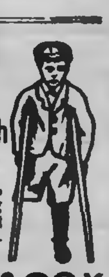

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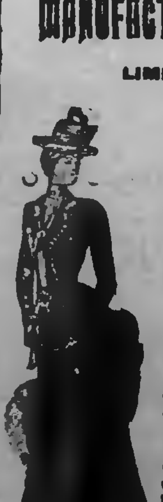

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THE POPE OF ROME BEFORE THE KING

The Incident in Toronto Creates a Feeling of Mild Indignation

The Toronto Globe Takes the Matter Up and Speaks Its Mind Fearlessly

Toronto, Nov. 21.—The banquet at McConkey's on Tuesday night, to Monsignor Falconi, at which the toast of the Pope preceded that of the King, has created a feeling of indignation amongst many Protestants in this city and throughout the country. Fortunately or unfortunately, the press of the country, on account of party, are evidently afraid to take the matter up. With the exception of the Globe, so far as your correspondent can see, no prominent newpapers has taken the matter up. As your readers already know, the affair was given under the Canadian Catholic Union, and was presided over by Mr. Justice McMahon, president of the Union, amongst those present being Premier Ross, Mayor Howland, the members of the press, and many dignitaries and prominent citizens.

The chairman proposed the toast of "The Holy Pontiff, Pope Leo XIII.,' in an eloquent speech, following with the toast of "The King." When the toast of "The Corporation of the City of Toronto," was reached, Mayor Howland said: "I have joined with you in drinking the toast of his Holiness, a friend of the British Empire, a friend of the peace of the world, one whose name and fame are respected by all creeds. I would have preferred it should not have been followed by the toast of His Majesty the King. I think it would have been better if the relations between the Church and State had not thus been expressed in this city and under the British flag. I could not refuse to join following that in drinking the toast of his Most Gracious Majesty."

The remarks of the Mayor were received with consternation, and for a few moments no one spoke, when the Archbishop of Toronto broke the silence, but did not refer to the point taken by Mr. Howland.

Yesterday's Globe editorially says:

"The dinner to Mgr. Falconio, Apostolic Delegate to Canada, was a well conceived tribute to a gentleman who has commended himself to all with whom he has come in contact. His graceful words, complimentary of Canada and its people, are undoubtedly sincere and Canadians of all classes will regret that a gentleman who had fitted himself so happily into our life has had other duties delegated to him. That being the case, it must be considered as important that this mutually pleasant gathering was somewhat marred by an injudicious transposition in the toast list. In this country of free opinion no individual need explain why he prefers to drink one man's health rather than another's. It is a matter of choice with him. But the custom of honoring the head of the nation first among the toasts at a public banquet is so nearly universal that it must have occasioned surprise, among some of the guests at least, to find that it was departed from at this dinner. There could be no argument that it was merely a private affair. A dinner to which the Premier of the Province of Ontario and the Mayor of Toronto were invited, and at which the press was represented, could not be regarded as anything but public, and to ask these gentlemen to honor the toast of the King second to that of any other person was to put them in an embarrassing position, and one which true hospitality would have forbidden."

CANADIAN PEAT FUEL WILL NOW BE EXPLOITED

A Buffalo Paper Says That It Will be Much Cheaper Than Coal

Buffalo, Nov. 21.—Yesterday's News had the following:

Edwin N. Gunsaulus, United States Consul at Toronto, has made a report to his Government at Washington that experiments perseveringly continued for some time in Canada have now resulted in the economical production of a saleable peat fuel, highly satisfactory for domestic purposes. The success of this new industry in Canada is due to two individuals — Joseph M. Shuttleworth, of Brantford, Ont., and Alex. Dobson, of Beaverton, Ont, in association with the Peat Machinery Supply Company, Limited, of Toronto, and the Peat Development Syndicate, Limited, of Brantford, and it is satisfactory to note that conclusions do not rest on mere laboratory experiments, but on results demonstrated at practical plants, turning out fuel in commercial quantities. The machinery in operation at Beaverton is reported by the secretary of the Ontario Bureau of Mines as "withstanding the test of steady usage, producing sufficient fuel for the town, with some over for shipment," and this official says, further; "With this plant in successful operation, very substantial evidence is furnished of the advance of the industry to a commercial basis."

Peat fuel has been made at the property of the Peat Industries, Limited, near Welland, and at the Brunner bog, by the Stratford Peat Company, but in both cases the permanent equipment of the plants has been wisely deferred until, by sufficiently long usage, selection can be made among the several appliances available. This end has been served by the operations of the past few months, and the coming spring, it appears, will witness very general activity in peat fuel manufacturing in Canada.

The reports of engineers of high standing in the Dominion agree in the opinion that methods and appliances are now available whereby peat briquettes may be produced, ready for shipment, for a maximum manufacturing cost of $1.50 per ton, and probably for considerable less in plants of large capacity.

The importance of this information, based on actual experiments of extensive supply and manufacturing cost, is very great to the people of the Dominion and the United States as well, and the evidence of success in Canada will stimulate action in American peat fields where the substitute for coal is greatly needed for its cheapness and cleanliness for domestic purposes.

ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

Lisbon, Nov. 21—There are persistent reports here that King Edward will return the visit of King Carlos and will come here for a visit next spring.

London, Nov. 21—At the next session of Parliament, Mr. Gerald Balfour, president of the Board of Trade will introduce a by-law for the improvement of the port of London. It will empower the expenditure of £1,000,000.

This amount, however, will be probably only the first installment, as the commission that recently inquired into the matter estimated the necessary expenditure at £7,000,000.

Montreal, Nov. 19 — "It is utterly useless for Canada to try to have the embargo on Canadian cattle to England removed, for it will be impossible to succeed."

Such was the statement made at the Windsor yesterday by Lieut-General J. Winburn Laurie, M.P., of London, Eng. Lieut.-Gen. Laurie, who was second in command during the Northwest Rebellion, was formerly a member of Parliament, for Shelburne, N.S., in which country he still owns a large stock farm. Since becoming a member of the British Parliament he has taken a leading interest in all matters of especial interest to Canada.

"No matter what Canada may do," Lieut-General Laurie went on to say, "the embargo will remain. It will not make any difference that you should be able to show that there is not any disease among the Canadian cattle.

"Disease has spread in the past and the amnner in which the Board of Health has closed down on the farmers of the district in which disease was found and prevented them from sending any cattle to market for at least three months, meant ruin to the farer.

"The English farmer must be protected. It is not sufficient, as many think in Canada, to kill the diseased animals. Every precaution must afterwards be taken to prevent the disease spreading, and the only way is to prevent the cattle from being moved from one place to another.

"But then it must not be htought that in insisting on such an embargo the English farmer is trying to secure protection for his prices. As a matter of fact, all beef killed in England is considered English beeg and it does not make any difference whether the cattle has just been brought into the country or not."

Simla, Nov. 21—The British expedition under Gen. Egerton against the rebellious Wazaris on the Afghan frontier entered the Kabul Khel country yesterday.

A large section of the Waziris became alarmed and sent representatives to the British commander to ask for terms of peace.

The fourth column on the Waziri experition has met with determined opposition. The commander of the column, Col. Tennochy, has been badly wounded. Major Beresford, the second in command, has asked for reinforcements. The Political Officer at Gumatti has promised to send all available assistance to him.

NEW YORK CRIPPLES — AWAIT DR. LORENZ

The Great Austrian Surgeon Will Operate in the City

PATHETIC RUSH OF SUFFERERS

Who are Nearly all Children Born Deformed —The Great Specialist Will Operate Free

New York,, Nov. 21.—Fifty crippled children were taken by 300 mothers and friends to the Cornell University clinic at First avenue and twenty-seventh street yesterday afternoon to be examined by Dr. Newton M. Shaffer, professor or orthopaedic surgery. The object of the preliminary examination was to select patients to be operated on by Dr. Adolph Lorenz, the University of Vienna specialist.

Dr. Lorenz is in San Francisco and is expected to reach this city on Dec. 2. Until his arrival cripples will be examined at the dispensary by Dr. Shaffer and his assistants, on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

The dispensary reception room presented an interesting and pathetic spectacle yesterday when the cribbles hobbled in on crutches or were carried in by their friends. One girl asked an attendant if Dr. Lorenz would operate upon any one over the age of twenty-one. She said she had heard that the operation was hopeless if the patient was over ten. Her sister was 21 years old and had been suffering from hip disease for only a year. She was told to bring her sister next Monday.

Mrs. Charles Schmidt of 193 Stockholm street, Brooklyn, brought her nine-year-old son Edward for examination. Mrs. Schmidt said that her husband, who is a machinist, had spent $300 trying to have his son cured. They had spent all the money her husband had earned, except barely enough to live on.

A fourteen-year-old girl named Rachel Decker came to the clinic on crutches She worked in a factory before she contracted hip disease, four years ago. Since then she has been studying stenography when her health would permit. When she reached the dispensary she was disappointed to find the room full. She had hoped to be examined and excused in time to attend the afternoon session at the school, but she took her place in the line and gave up the recitation.

The faith the patients had in the great specialist was almost superstitious. They expected to find him on hand ready to operate. The friends of the cripples had heard that no knives were to be used and that the cures were made by manipulation. They could not understand it and talked in whispers about the "healing touch."

When asked about the specialist's visit in this city, Dr. Shaffer said;

"I wish the students of this university to have an opportunity of seeing the greatest exponent of bloodless orthopaedic surgery while at work. I also wish to arouse a greater degree of interest in this branch of surgery, especially in the poorer districts.

"A certain fatalism is prevalent among the poorer classes, which leads them to look upon any strange affliction as a mark of God's displeasure.

"In his profession Dr. Lorenz has subordinated operations to mechanical work. The operations he will perform here will be confined to congenital dislocations of the hip. However, we shall examine everybody who comes, and even those whom Dr. Lorenz will not operate may receive great benefit as a result of the preliminary examination."

Dr. Shaffer was asked if hip diseases could be permanently cured when they were the results of accidents. In reply he said;

"In only a few cases is the disease the result of accident. It is often supposed to be, especially, if it makes itself apparent after a fall of some kind. In reality, most of the patients already had it in a latent ofrm. The best age at which to operate is between four and ten. However, I should not advise any one to stay away from an examination because he is over ten. Of course no hopeless cases will be brought before Dr. Lorenz."

The Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled Children has received over two hundred applications for examination.

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MANDARIN LOSES HIS HEAD

He was Responsible for the Death of Two English Missionaries

Pekin, Nov. 21— The Military Mandarin Lieu Lian Yu of Chenchou-fu, in the province of Honan, who was responsible for the murder of the English missionaries, Bruce and Lewis, last August, was put to death yesterday at Chenchu, in the presence of the British consular representatives.

BOER GENERALS NOT COMING.

Botha and Delarey will Return to South Africa to Meet Chamberlain

Brussels, Nov. 21—Gens. Botha and Delarey are apparently not going to the United States. The Petit Bleu prints an interview with Gen. Delarey to the effect that he and Gen. Botha have decided to return to South Africa, where they will meet Mr. Chamberlain, the British Colonial Secretary, at Pretoria, for the purpose of explaining the situation to him.

MANY CHOLERA VICTIMS

Fifty seven Deaths in Three Days at Gaza and Lydda

London, Nov. 21—Despatches from Constantinople says a proved case of Asiatic cholera ended fatally at Jerusalem yesterday. The disease is spreading with great virulence at Jaffa. There have been fifty-seven deaths in three days at Gaza and Lydda, where the population is being decimated. The authorities are fleeing in all directions.

TO MINE MOLYBDENITE

A $6,000,000 Company Being Formed to Operate in Haliburton

Toronto Star: It is probable that a year will see the establishment of another branch of mining in Haliburton county. The new branch is the production of molybdenite, which is used in tempering steel, and which effects a great saving on the usual process of using silver. Mr. C. M. McArthur, of Fenelon Falls, was in the city on Wednesday on his way to Chicago, accompanied by C. E. Taylor, of the Windy City, and these two gentlemen expect shortly to float a company capitalized at $2,000,000 to work their claims in Haliburton. Their claims number 22, covering about 3,000 acres.

PLENTY OF COAL

Canada to be Taken Care of says the Railway Company

Buffalo, Nov. 20.—J. J. McWilliams, local sales agents for the D., L. & W. whose office is in the Dun building said this noon:

"While coal consumers cannot get all the coal they need, there is no need of anyone suffering for want of it. At present the lake trade is unusually heavy. The coal must be delivered to the lake ports before the close of navigation, as there are many that are not reached by railroad at all. When this trade is over, more coal than ever will be thrown into Buffalo for local consumption. But of course Canada will have to be taken care of just as soon as the lake trade closes."

NOT TO TAKE OVER RHODESIA

Official Denial That This is One of the Objects of Chamberlain's Trips

London, Nov. 21.—The Exchange Telegraph Company says it has been officially authorized to state that the reports that one of the main objects of Mr. Chamberlain's visit to South Africa is to arrange for the Government taking over the territories of the British Chartered Company and also for the administration of Rhodesia as a Crown Colony are unauthorized and untrue. Mr. Chamberlain does not expect to be able to visit Rhodesia in the time at his disposal.

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GREAT BRITAIN'S DEBT

One Hundred and Thirty Million Pounds on Account of War

London, Nov. 21.—An official return issued by the British Government shows that the national debt on March 31 last was £768,443,386, of which £130,000,000 represented the cost of the South African war. Since 1836 war has added nearly £200,000,000 to Britain's debt. In 1836 the debt was £863,473,697, a far greater burden then, when the national wealth population, etc., are taken into account, than it would be now. The debt reached its lowest point in the last sixty years in 1899, when it totalled £635,040,965. An interesting fact gleaned from the return is the multiplication of the value of the Suez Canal shares, that splendid investment of the late Earl of Beaconsfield. Purchased in 1876 for £3,532,040, they are now valued at £27,336,000.

LORD SHOLTO SAYS SHE'S INSANE

Has His Mother-in-Law Arrested for Trying to Burn His Home

San Francisco, Nov. 21.—Mrs. Margaret Mooney, mother-in-law of Lord Sholto Douglass, has been arrested for insanity at the instance of her son. He says she tried to burn the house down and has also threatened to exterminate her family.

Mrs. Mooney gained much notoriety when her daughter married Lord Sholto, as she gave reporters very picturesque interviews. Lord Sholto tried the saloon business in Spokane, but when his father, the Marquis of Queensberry, died, he was recalled to England. He celebrated his departure by inviting the public to his saloon and setting up free drinks until all the liquor was consumed. It was a red-letter night for Spokane bummers.

DUST CLOUD IN AUSTRALIA

ONE RESULT OF THE SEVEN-YEAR DROUGHT THERE

Gale Sweeps Over the Parched Land Carrying Up Large Quantities of Red Dust—Day Turned Into Night—Lightning Accompanies the Storm but no Rain

Sydney, N.S.W., Nov. 21—the southern parts of Australia have been visited by unprecedently violent dust storms, the dryness which has prevailed for seven years reaching its climax this year. The terribly destructive drought has destroyed the herbage in large areas, laying the land bare.

A heavy gale yesterday raised immense quantities of dust from these tracts and drove vast clouds of red powdered earth far and wide. The atmosphere was oppressive and it was hardly possible to breathe. The darkness was intense while the dust clouds were passing.

The inhabitants of numerous towns were badly frightened by the darkness and hid in their houses. Artificial light was necessary in the streets of Melbourne, where there was also much ball lightning which ignited several buildings.

It was very dark in Sydney. The clouds extended twelve miles seawadr. The railroads in some places were blocked by heaps of dust. After the wind subsided the atmosphere was brilliantly pink and the temperature fell suddenly. No rain has fallen.

MARRIED IN DENVER

Miss Nellie Young Formerly of Peterborough the Bride

Dr. Robert Wellington Frazier of Central City and Miss Nellie Young, of Peterborough, Canada, were married on Wednesday evening (Nov. 12th,) at 8 o'clock at the residence of the cousin of the bride, Mrs. L. D. DuBois, 2844 Downing avenue. The witnesses were composed of near relatives and a few intimate friends. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Barry, S.J., of the Sacred Heart. The bride, who is a brunette of graceful figure and handsome features, was gowned in white organdie and Valenciennes lace. The wedding march was played by Mrs. DuBois. Master Alfred DuBois carried the ring in an Easter lily, and Mr. W. K. DuBois gave the bride away. The official witnesses to the wedding contract were Mr. Richard and F. Johnson, of Birmington, Ala., and Mrs. W. K. DuBois. After the wedding the bride cut the wedding cake and refreshments were served. The young couple are spending a few days with the parents of the groom at Alma Colo., after which they will permanently reside at Central City. Dr. Frazier met his bride last winter during her visit to Mrs. DuBois.—Denver News.

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THE INDIAN DURBAR WILL COST MILLIONS

Preparations for the Kings Coronation in Delhi Progressing at a Great Rate

London, Nov. 21.—The excitement over the Indian durbar continues. It is estimated that nearly 50,000 British and Americans will visit Delhi for the occasion. The enormous prizes charged, however, have caused many people to abandon the idea of being present. It will cost two persons with two servants $3,000 in travelling expenses alone. The cost of the stay of visitors at Delhi can not be fully estimated. The hotels there are already charging eight times their usual tariff and the available houses of the town have all been quickly hired at from $30,000 to $45,000 apiece.

The Indian princes are sparing no expense in taking steps to return the hospitality which was extended to them in England at the time of the coronation. Owing to the scarcity of houses some rude huts have been built among the camps, and although they will only contain fire places and a few simple comforts, extravagant prices are demanded for them. They will be of three classes. The first will cost $100 daily for boarding and lodging for each person and $100 will be charged daily for carriage hire. Some of the travelers are taking their own carriages and horses.

The most envied of the Americans going to the durbar is Mrs. Adair, who starts at the end of the month. She will be Lord Kitchener's guest and will act as his hostess, entertaining a very large party invited by the British general. Mrs. Adair is taking a large number of her own servants, including her chef. After the durbar Mrs. Adair will visit Lord Curzon of Kedleston, the viceroy, and Lady Curzon.

Another American who will take a prominent part in the durbar is Mrs. "Jack" Leslie, whose husband has just been appointed on the staff of the Duke of Connaught, who will represent King Edward at the Indian ceremonies.

HARD TIMES AHEAD FOR OLD ENGLAND

Reterning Volunteers Must Have Work and Settling of War Disturbs Politics

The Conditions of Employment are Much Worse Than They Were a Year Ago.

London, Nov. 21—Reports of coming hard times in England this winter continue to cause uneasiness. Even if work were plentiful the poor would have a hard time. A four-pound loaf of bread which last winter cost 9 cents, this winter costs 11 cents. This is due to the war tax on flour, and these same war taxes are felt in a smaller degree in regard to other food. Then coal is from 75 cents to $1 a ton higher this year than last, because of the coal strike in Pennsylvania.

But conditions of employment are already much worse than last year. As long ago as the first of October, of 221 trade unions, with an aggregate membership of 553,870, no fewer than 27,000 were out of work, about 5 per cent. In ship-building the percentage of unemployed is 9, and these percentages are rapidly increasing.

For those who remain wages are coming down with a rush. Recent reductions have affected 110,000; some within a few weeks to the extent of 10 per cent. under what they formerly earned. It is probable that these conditions will grow worse as winter advances, and that there will be great suffering and destitution.

Already religious and charitable organizations are straining every nerve to meet the expected pinch. Lord Meath, who is president of the Church army, a Church of England organization on the model of the Salvation army, has just issued an appeal in which he says.

"A hard winter with bad trade and general distress seems inevitable. The King's illness, with the consequent postponement or curtailment of the coronation festivities, ruined many and dislocated trade. This has been closely followed by the return from South Africa of large number of Reservists and time-expired men, who are thrown upon the already overcrowded labor market. Where the ex-soldier does not himself drift to the ranks of the unemployed, he frequently throws another out of work. The Church army with its wide system of labor homes all over the country, is a most sensitive barometer in such times of depression. The number of deserving unemployed turning to us for temporary assistance is unprecedented, and already overtaxes our funds and accommodation. Must we turn them from our doors?"

OFFICERS ELECTED

Peterborough Hockey Club Organized for the Season

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Hockey Club was held in the Council Chamber on Wednesday night. There was a good attendance. Mr. H. R. H. Kenner, president, occupied the chair, and among those present were the following:—A. W. McPherson, secretary-treasurer, Jas. McCabe, P. O. Dumble, G. E. Revel, H. M., Morden, F. McGill, H Rush, Dr. Bradd, F. A. Clarke, R. Brown R. H. Kells, K. Watson, J. W. Metheral, C. G. Graham, Dickson Hall, Roy Armstrong, W. Cavanagh, A. A. Hollingshead, W. O'Brien, R F. McWilliams, G. Lee, F D., Kerr, H. Morgan, V. Hamilton, Ed. Dillon, T. Glover, R. M. Glover, H. Edmison, Dr. Wightman, J. Gibson, H. Armstrong., F. Whitcroft, T. Bell, J. Bell, Geo. Stevens, Jas. Hamilton, J. Comstock and others.

At the opening the president read a very nice address and Mr. Jas. McCabe presented Mr. McPherson with a beautiful gold watch with a suitable inscription thereon.

The presentation was made amid the wildest enthusiasm, and Mr. McPherson, made an appropriate reply in which he thanked the boys for their kind remembrance of him.

The secretary's report was then received and adopted.

The Treasurer's report showed that $3,177.63 has passed through the treasurer's hands, and that there was a balance on hand of $46.38.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

Patrons and Patronesses—Hon and Mrs. J. R. Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. A. P Macdonald, Mr. and Mrs. John Crane.

Hon. President—Dr., Bradd.

President—H. R. H. Kenner.

1st Vice-President—W. A. Sanderson

2nd Vice-President—C. F. McGill.

Secretary-Treasurer — A. W. McPherson.

Assistant Secretary—H. Rush.

Chaplain—Rev. W. L. Armitage.

Executive—J. McCabe, F. A. Clarke, A. A. Hollingshead, H. B. Burnham and E. Dillon.

Auditors—Messrs. R. F. McWilliams and H. P. Watt.

Hon. Members—Messrs. W. J. Montgomery, W. A. Buchanan, Lionel King and F. D. Kerr.

Representatives to annual meeting of the O.H.A.—Messrs H. R. H Kenner, and A. W McPherson.

The meeting decided, amid much applause to nominate Mr. J. Ross Robertson, as president of the O.H.A.

Votes of thanks were tendered to the retiring officers of the club, to Mr. W. A. Buchanan for his services to the club, to the press for their support, and the Mayor for the use of the Council Chamber.

TWO MORE WEDDINGS

One in Peterborough and the Other in Otonabee Township

On Wednesday evening, at No. 95 Hunter street, Mr. George H. Panter, took upon himself the solemn vow to love, honor and obey Miss Minnie M. daughter of Mr. Charles Chambo. The bride was attired in a gown of ladies' cloth, trimmed with white silk, and was given away by her brother-in-law, Mr. A. Hamilton. Miss Olive Chambo, sister of the bride was bridesmaid, while Mr. Lewis Deyman, of Lindsay, acted as groomsman. Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, of Ashburnham, performed the wedding ceremony, after which those present partook of an elaborate wedding breakfast. Mr. and Mrs. Panter will reside at 201 Townsend street, and The Times wishes them a long life of prosperity and happiness.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kemp, Otonabee township on Wednesday evening, Rev. J. P. Wilson, pastor of the George street Methodist church, pronounced the words that made Mr. Wilbert McMillan and Miss Fanny Kemp, man and wife. The bride was robed in a gown of white silk trimmed with chiffon and pearl passementerie, and was assisted by Miss Edna Pratt, who also wore a white silk dress trimmed with chiffon and pearl passementerie, while Mr. Herbert McMillan assisted the groom. Miss Etta Kemp and Master Will Pratt acted as flower girl and page respectively, with little Miss Neuma Pratt as ringbearer. After the wedding ceremony guests to the number of one hundred partook of the wedding dejeuner. The groom's present to the bride was a cheque for a handsome amount, while on the bridesmaid he bestowed a gold brooch set with pearls. May Mr. and Mrs. McMillan enjoy life's brightest joys.

ASKED TO TAKE $40,000 IN STOCKS

Sugar Factory Promoters at County Council

By-Law Proposed—The Finance Committee Have the Matter Under Consideration

The session of the County Council was continued yesterday.

Messrs. T. E. Bradburn and J. W. Garvin addressed the council on behalf of the Peterborough Beet Sugar Factory.

Mr. Bradburn explained that they would like to get the assistance of the council in regard to the growing of sugar beets. They were before them as an organized company at the present time. He made reference to the Wallaceburg and Berlin factories, and the success they had attained. He asked the council to assist the company by way of a bonus. He suggested that they take stock in the company to the extent of $40,000. He was satisfied it would be a good investment. If the municipalities around Wiarton and Wallaceburg could give bonuses of thirty and forty thousand dollars, surely Peterborough could do likewise, besides they were getting more for the money, as they would have stock in the company.

Mr. Garvin began by saying that he was a farmer for nine years himself, and continued to take a deep interest in farming. He then went on to recite the progress of the sugar beet industry in Germany and the United States, and later in Canada. In Michigan, the average profit to the farmer on sugar beets was $40.00 an acre. There would be no difficulty in getting the farmers to grow the beets as they have had the successful experience of western Ontario to guide them. The Peterborough Sugar Beet Company is in the business, not so much for what there is in it for the promoters, as for the benefit it would be to the country. Mr. Garvin then went into figures to show that the interest on $40,000 of debentures would be more than met by the payment of profit on the capital of the company, which should yield ten per cent. In fact there should be a slight balance to the credit of the county.

The promoters asked the council to pass a bylaw to be submitted to the electors next January.

Councillor Peck asked what the whole capital of the company would be and was told by Mr. Bradburn that it would be $250,000, and that it was proposed to erect a factory of the same capacity as the Berlin factory.

Several members of the county council expressed their opinion regarding the factory, among which was Mr. Fitzgerald who thought they should pass a by-law and submit it to the people on Jan. 1st. He thought that they should not throw cold water on the scheme. If they turned them down in the matter it would be poor encouragement for them when they went to the Peterborough Town Council for assistance.

Finally the matter was referred to the Finance Committee.

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WAS THE PRESS AT FAULT

The Portuguese Minister at Paris has risen to say that his country has no intention, as has been alleged, to give up her colonies to either Britain, Germany or any other power, on any consideration. The speech was doubtless intended in support of Mr. Balfour's Guildhall statement that the Kaiser's visit to England has had no more than a family and social significance. It would be strange, however, if the London press, led by the Times, in thunderous muttering of editorial, should prove so "far from the fire" as to hesitate dislike of supposedly impending events which had no existence out of fairyland. As a matter of fact, the Portuguese colonies and their eventual disposition have been the subject of discussion in diplomatic circles and in magazines and the press for many years past. In the light of parliamentary books, blue, white and yellow, and in the utterances of those continental newspapers which are more or less officially inspired, or on which the Foreign Offices have a convenient string, it is possible for those who watch the political currents to tell the course of affairs with almost the same degree of certainty that an experienced pilot can steer a ship. It is highly improbable, therefore, that the London writers were entirely misled in their sign-writing, although the importance of disentangling the Emperor's visit to King Edward from the semblance of secret projects in which His Britannic Majesty might, in the public mind, be thought to concern himself, can well be understood, although it is equally understood by the butler informed that the King would not permit himself to be compromised in a matter so foreign to His Majesty's duties and responsibilities as the exchange or barter of territories. That is the business of the government, and the King's personal annoyance and desire to be set right can easily account for the repudiation of alleged present designs made by Mr. Balfour at Guildhall, and by the Portuguese government through the legation at Paris. Yet the leading papers which sounded the note of warning must have felt the need of awakening British attention to a political situation that has liklihoods surrounded with many perplexities and perils. It illustrates a prevailing anxiety, and is partly a recognition of the fact the Europe has never stewed more intensely than at present regarding the maintenance of the balance of power, with its great double and triple alliances, and their ever recurrent intrigues, distrusts and jealousies, and greed for ascendancy; with the Balkans once more seething in half-smothered fires, with Germany and Russia in locked horns across Asia Minor, the Persian frontiers under triple menace, and the Austrian Empire dangling at the thread of its aged Emperor's life. All these are matters of current comment by the ablest diplomatic writers of the day; and inasmuch as the German Kaiser is reputed as a statesman who permits no opportunity of health or pleasure seeking to pass without some timely stroke of business, it must have been thought a seasonable time to startle the British ear regarding events and designs, passing or impending, farther reaching in their bearings and consequences than even the Education Bill. Was the press at fault in so doing? We think not.

WHY MEN DON'T GO TO CHURCH

"The average American business man has outgrown the average preacher," says the Chicago Inter Ocean, in undertaking to explain why men are not going to church in these days to the extent they did in former times.

The specifications of the Chicago paper are that, "in trying to formulate religion by the rules and in the terms of science, many preachers have cut loose the ship of faith upon a boundless sea of mental speculation;" that "many preachers appear to think that men can be led to do right without having any definite principles by which to do right;" that the "business man" "sees many preachers and churches repudiating all appeals to fear and trying to maintain themselves by love alone."

It may be true, nay, it is true that there are these deficiencies in modern preaching, but do they explain men's staying away from church? Is it not true, also, that the very churches in which there is this sort of preaching are those most largely attended, that is, of the churches in which the single element of attraction is the preaching?

Diminished church attendance, where there is such a diminution, is not fairly attributable to the preachers. If the people are earnest in their religious belief and crave spiritual food they are not critical of the preacher, so long as he is in earnest like themselves. When they set to carping at his sermons it is a sign that they are not hungry for the food. In times of religious revival the humblest, the plainest preacher inspired by an ardent faith, is eloquent enough for them. If there is in their hearts the demand the supply is sure to come. At the time of the Great Awakening in 1857 the preachers in New York were not abler men than their successors are now, and not greater pulpit orators, but the fire of religious belief in them kindled a responsive flame of religious emotion in the hearts of the people, for the crowds who listened to their appeals were already burning with a desire for the word of salvation.

As it is now, the churches which make their appeal to religious sentiment, to devout emotion, and hold up before men the ideal of religion are about as full as ever. It is only those pulpits which depend on insufficient intellectual ability simply to draw the people, or are not clever enough adepts in clap-trap, that have been "outgrown" by the "average American business man." When the clap-trap suits vulgar tastes, it is now a greater drawing card than ever, as the example we have mentioned illustrates.

The fault is absence of religious faith in the pulpit and in the people who otherwise would fill the pews. Wherever that faith is found the churches are full of people who have other thoughts and emotions than of criticism of the sermon and carping at the preacher. The fire that warms them is in their own hearts. The magnet which attracts them to the church is not the expected eloquence of the preacher, but the eloquent religious faith with which their own hearts are charged. Only when men really believe in the world to come and that all along profit is a snare and a delusion so long as they lose their souls in its pursuit, will the churches be as thronged as are the marts of trade and the stock exchanges.

DISTRICT NEWS

INDIAN RIVER.

—Mr. John Landerigan has returned home from a two weeks' hunt and brought two bears and a deer. Mr. Landerigan saw on his travels to the North a large moose, twice as large as anybody else ever saw.

—Mr. John O'Leary, while out hunting, was pursued by a pack of wolves, and had it not been for his friend, Mr. Landerigan, he might have been food for the brutes.

—Mr. P. Burke has entered into partnership with Mr. John Duff & Son.

—Mr. Anvil McCan was a guest at the Whibbs House Sunday last. He says that Mr. Whibbs is improving wonderfully.

—Mr. D. McKenty has returned from the West.

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was a beautiful young actress, with whom every man who saw her fell in love. Her name was German, for her father was a German nobleman who had married an Englishwoman against the wish of his family; but she had been born and brought up in England, and, as her name was so foreign sounding and so long, her admirers made a diminutive out of her three initials. She was always called by them, and as she grew famous they grew famous, too. She had the right to a title of her own if she had cared to use it, but she did not, and very few people in England knew much about the German family from which she was descended.

"When she was still quite a girl she had a very tempting offer to go to America and act, and the offer was accepted. On the ship she met a young man on his way to California to make his fortune, or rather to improve it, for he had about ten thousand pounds which he had just inherited, and wanted to invest in some profitable way. He had had a dreadful misfortune, shooting a friend by accident, and though it was more the friend's fault than his, and he had been acquitted of any blame except carelessness, he could not bear his old life, and had determined to begin again in a new country.

"There you have the hero and heroine on the stage together; for, of course, the young man fell in love with the actress, and, for the first time in her life, she found herself in love, too. He implored her to marry him and leave the stage, for he thought his ten thousand pounds quite fortune enough to marry upon. But the girl loved the stage, and she had been extravagant, and spent her money as fast as she had made it. Besides, she was under contract to the man who was her manager for two years more, and was decidedly afraid of him. He had taught her all she knew about the stage, and fancied he had a right to order her private as well as professional life, since her parents were dead and she was alone in the world. This manager disapproved of actresses marrying while they were in the heyday of youth and success, for he believed—as most managers do—that unmarried girls on the stage are more of a 'draw' than when they become matrons.

"She had someone else to be afraid of, too, poor girl, though she did not tell that to her lover. She knew he would laugh that fear to scorn. Only a man she had flirted with a little, because he was so horribly in earnest that he had been amusing—a Byronic sort of person with a handsome, fierce face, and a deformed foot. When it came to his insisting on marrying her she had refused, and he had sworn to kill any man she ever dared to make her husband.

"Somehow, the threats of this saturnine individual, who had followed her to England from Australia, where she played one year, had made a very strong impression upon her mind, and that impression revived when she fell in love with somebody else. Once in a while he sent her a souvenir of his continued existence; and the last packet she had received from him—a year ago—had been posted from some place, the name being indistinguishable, in America.

"So my heroine refused my hero, and really thought she should be able to part with him; but when they reached New York and she found that she couldn't keep him dangling about her, she relented. They were privately married, the secret not to come out at the earliest until her contract with her manager expired at the end of two years. After a week or so of stolen meetings she sent him away, as her love was interfering with her professional work; but they didn't expect their separation to be for long, as the company of which she was the star was slowly going west. Her destination was to be California; and when she came near enough they would meet again. Meanwhile, they wrote to each other.

"My hero didn't find any investment to suit him at first, so he put his money in a Californian bank, that it might be handy if he wanted it, and as there was a sensation about a newly-discovered gold region, he went out there and tried his luck.

"But his luck was not good. He saw others round him doing well, while Fortune kept a closed hand for him. Months passed, and at last a letter told his wife that he had found exactly the right thing. A man he had met—a splendid fellow, very clever, though eccentric—had bought land, and in prospecting had found gold. But he hadn't money enough to do anything with it, or he would have kept the secret to himself. As it was, he hadn't told a soul, except my hero, giving him the chance of a partnership in what would probably prove a tremendous fortune for both. One was the owner of the land, the other would be the financier; and they would share and share alike. The fellow had shown my hero some wonderful specimens, and they were already chumming together. At the end of the letter my hero told his wife the name of his new friend. It was that of the man who had loved and threatened her in Australia, and from whom she had heard a year ago in America.

"Here was a development; and, as you can see, Comtesse, the villain of the piece is on the stage.

"The poor girl was sick with forebodings. Her husband had a miniature of her which he always wore; and he had also a curious jewel which she had given him—an heirloom of her family. It was a blue moonstone, cut in the shape of a Sphinx's head, which had been given to an ancestor of her father's by an Egyptian princess. She had had it mounted on a small screw, with her famous initials engraved on a tiny flat piece of gold, and had made it a present to her husband before they parted, 'for luck.'"

CHAPTER XXXVI.

"Cloven Hoof."

"Oh!" exclaimed the Comtesse, "at last you have come to the moonstone."

She had laid the Sphinx's head on the table, and had been toying with it as she listened. Hope Newcome's eyes and hers were upon it now, and the spirit-light imprisoned within the stone sent up one of its elusive gleams, like an eye answering their glances.

"If I believed in ghosts I should believe that stone was haunted," Newcome said in an odd, low voice. For an instant he had lost the thread of his narrative, but quickly he took it up and went on again.

"My heroine knew that the man who had threatened her had seen the moonstone in old days. Even without the initials he would have recognized it as hers, for she had said to him laughingly on the day he had seen it that she was keeping the talisman as a wedding-gift for her husband—if she ever had one. This had been before any stormy scenes between them, but she believed that he

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NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
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Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000 00	
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STOCK MARKETS

A Pointer on Rates and Wages

New York, Nov. 20—The railways generally are advancing their wages; the increased cost of living and their general prosperity leads them to share it in this manner with their employees. The roads, however, are going to make it up on their freight rates. Commodity values ruling as high as they are doing, there is consequently every reason to anticipate a higher range of freight rates, and no reason why they should be lower. An almost imperceptible advance in freight rates would more than make up to the companies the additional outlay in wages, for the recent advance. The rates have been uniformly more normal and staple since 1898. This had actually more to do in recording the additional net gains in earnings than the actual increase in business offering. They have actually improved; after falling one-third of a mill per ton per mile since 1898 they have since regained one half the loss. Put the figure back to that the roads were able to secure no longer since 1897, and there would be enough added to the freight revenues to pay all the increase in wages now ordered voluntarily by the roads and leave a very handsome surplus on top of past showings. Rates restored to the average of seven years ago would pay the increase in wages and upon the present volume of business almost double the net earnings of the American railways. Rates should not reach that old time level, however, but they will be firmer and more staple or steady than heretofore and sufficiently advanced to more than make up the present additional outlay in wages. Earnings are large and will be large, and the market whatever may be its immediate fluctuations will not wait to record its appreciation of actual events. One thing should be borne in mind all the time—wages never advance prior to a recession in the upward tide of business and values. When the roads voluntarily increase wages you may be certain that they see the actual business ahead of them to maintain their large gross and net earnings. Railway officials are unanimous upon this point; wages are the last thing, usually, to advance and the first to decline.

Summary—Manhattan again occupied the centre of the stage, fluctuating rapidly, and making new high figures. The story that accompanied the rise was that it had been leased to the Inter-Borough Rapid Transit Co., which is to operate the subway. The terms were said to be upon a basis of its earnings, for two years, and at the rate of 7 per cent. thereafter. In two years the underground subway is expected to be in complete operation, so the story seems worthy of credence. Another tale was that a prominent bear interest had settled privately on a large line of short stock at 160. Balance of the market was very strong. Copper and N.Y.C. advanced over three points each; sugar and St. Paul were up over a point and a half each. The entire market was buoyant. We are still bullish. Money closed 4 per cent. Sales 759,700.

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We do not hesitate to say that in our judgment stock in the LARDEAU MINES LIMITED, offers a most magnificent opportunity for investment.

There is every reason to believe that the LARDEAU MINES will pay a profit of 270 per cent. PER YEAR, within a short time, and will continue to yield such profits for more than a lifetime.

These are stupendous figures, but we believe them to be absolutely conservative. Our reasons are based on these facts:

PROOF OF NO STOCK JOBBING

In the first place the capitalization is only $100,000. This low capitalization shows upon the face of it that the company is honestly organized—that there is no suspicion of stock-jobbing, which has too often ruined many otherwise honest companies.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

The property is located in the celebrated Lardeau mining division of West Kootenay, British Columbia. The property owned by this company consists of three full claims, embracing an extent of 156 acres—mineral claims in British Columbia are 1,500x1,500 feet—equal to 52 acres in each extent. Three strong parallel ore veins run through the property from end to end, a distance of 4,500 feet. If placed end to end this would give us 13,500 feet, equal to a continuous ore body over two and a half miles in length. The values are in gold, silver, copper and lead, and run from $25.00 to $77.00 per ton of 2,000 pounds. These results show indications of permanent values of the most convincing kind.

GROSS VALUE OF SHIPMENTS.

The gross value of shipments of ore aggregating [illegible] pounds from twelve mines in the Lardeau, all situated near the property owned by this company, was [illegible], equal to a return per ton of over $146.00. The property owned by this company shows up equally as well as any of these more fully developed mines, and will, we are convinced, shortly rank among the best in the Lardeau division.

READ THESE FIGURES CAREFULLY

In a very conservative statement issued by the officers of the company, appears the following:

"In order to show why we are confident we are right, we will estimate our ore values at $50.00 per ton, a little over one-third of the average ore values of the entire Lardeau mining division. We will also base our calculations on a daily output of 30 tons—a small amount compared with the extent of our property and the size of its ore bodies. We will allow $10.00 per ton for mining, transportation (a few miles only) and smelting charges. The profits after making a reasonable reduction for incidentals and surplus, work out as follows:

30 tons at $50.00 per ton... ... ... $1,500
Less $10.00 per ton mining, transportation, and reduction charges 300
Net daily income..... 1,200
Say for 300 days per year..... ... 300
Total net yearly income... 360,000
Deduct for incidental expenses, $5 per ton... .....$45,000
Deduct for company's surplus account $5 per ton. 45,000 90,000
Total yearly net earnings..... $270,000

which sum is equal to 270 per cent. per annum on our capital stock of $100,000.

"This estimate is made on the basis of a small output compared to the extent of our property and the splendid facilities it affords for economical mining and on the operation of the mine for 300 days per year only, so that anyone can see at a glance that we are not overestimating in any particular, especially when the output of mines similarly situated, and with ore bodies of less extent than ours, ship hundreds of tons each day. There is no good reason why our property, when fully developed—which will be within six months to a year—should not ship several hundreds of tons of ore per year, but we are basing our calculations on the immediate future in presenting the above estimate.

"We are now within seventy to eighty feet of the main ore veins, and assays show values as high as $77.00 per ton. The average returns from twelve mines in our district, according to Government records, which are always conservative, run as high as $146.00 a ton in gold, silver, copper and lead.

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We know the men connected with the management of the LARDEAU MINES, and have known them for years. We know that they never were and never will be connected with any but honest and legitimately conducted enterprises.

REPORT OF MINING ENGINEER.

The property has been thoroughly examined by well known mining engineers and their reports have borne out every statement that has been made by the company. Mr. H. O. McClymont, one of the last engineers to make a report says in conclusion:

The average assays are most encouraging, considering the great width and continuancy of the leads across the country with such great width and prominence of the surface, and judging from other properties in the near vicinity, some of which are on the same level and have developed very rich ore bodies The LARDEAU MINES are as good as any, if not the best, in the vicinity, and I verily believe with a nominal expenditure, they should be made dividend-paying in a short time, and I would strongly recommend extensive developments towards that end. Signed, H. O. McClymont, Mining Engineer."

SMALL AMOUNT OF MONEY NEEDED.

As Mr. McClymont says in his report, only a small sum of money is needed to complete the development work and put these mines on a dividend paying basis.

We want to raise about $10,000 from the sale of shares, this money to be used to complete the work just specified.

A very short time will be required to raise this amount of money for this magnificent property, and then the sale of stock will be discontinued.

READ THIS CAREFULLY.

The present price of the stock is 10 cents per share.

The price will be advanced to 15 cents per share very soon, and then 20 cents per share.

The company reserves the right to withdraw the stock from the market without notice.

TWO YEARS AGO—AND NOW.

We believe that there are 50 chances in 100 of the LARDEAU MINES proving a BONANZA. One property in the vicinity of the Lardeau was recently sold for [illegible] cash, and stock in addition. Two years ago it was not nearly as good a prospect as the Lardeau is today.

The LARDEAU MINES, LIMITED, is a small, close corporation and the profits will consequently be large to each stockholder.

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A Little Ad. Did It

A couple of days ago Mrs. Tapscott, of Port Hope, had the misfortune to lose her pocket book, which contained a sum of money and a railway ticket. She had a little advertisement put in The Times with the result that her lost wallet was delivered to The Times Bookstore next day. Everybody reads The Times.

A Peterborough Boy Heard From

The many friends of Mr. Archie Stethem, son of Mr. George Stethem, town, will be pleased to learn that he has been promoted to the position of manager of the Wells Hardware Company, Fort Francis. Mr. Stethem has been employed with the firm of Wells & Emmerson, hardware merchants Port Arthur, since leaving Peterborough over a year ago. Archie's many friends in town will be pleased to hear of his success.

A New Robe

Some months ago, Mr. Aikins, of Millbrook, received nine wolf skins from his brother who is in the Rocky Mountains. Mr. Aikins placed them in the hands of Mr. Thos. Harris, furrier of this town, with an order to make a robe out of the skins. Yesterday Mr. Aikins was in town, and took the robe home. It is a credit to the furrier and is valued at over $50 by its owner.

Band Concert To-Night

We hope to see a large attendance at the concert to be given in the Opera House tonight under the auspices of the 57th Regiment band. The programme will be first-class and the band is deserving of the encouragement and support of every citizen. It is an organization that is a credit to the town and the proficiency it has attained to under the instructions of Mr. Giddon is very gratifying to all citizens of the town. Let there be a bumper house at the opera house this evening.

ANOTHER DEATH

Mrs. Patrick O'Keefe Yields to the Inevitable Thursday Morning

Yesterday morning Catherine Sheehan wife of Mr. Patrick O'Keefe, deceased, departed this life at the advanced age of 77 years. The funeral takes place on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from the residence of her son-in-law Mr. D. Mahoney, Lansdowne street. Mrs. O'Keefe was a lady who commanded the respect and esteem of all her friends and acquaintances. Those who mourn for her departure have the comforting assurance that she has merely gone on before to await their coming on the golden shore.

DEATH OF LILLIAN DONNELLY

A Young Life Suddenly Ended—Remains to be Brought Here

Yesterday afternoon Mr. John Donnelly received the sad intelligence that Miss Lillian Donnelly, daughter of Thomas Donnelly, who formerly lived in Peterborough, had died in Detroit. Deceased had been ill for some time, but her death came as a surprise to her relations here, as word had reached them a few days ago that she was improving very nicely. The remains will arrive here by the C.P.R. noon train Saturday, when the funeral will take place. Miss Donnelly was only 23 years of age at the time of her death, and it seems sad to see a young life of such promise so suddenly terminated. The bereaved friends have our sympathy in their great sorrow.

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POLICE COURT

A Merchant Fined for Giving Tobacco to a Minor

Charles Dickson was arranged at the Police Court yesterday morning charged with being drunk and using profane language on the streets on Tuesday night. He was fined $2.00 and costs, amounting in all to $6.50.

Mr. P. Collins was charged with selling tobacco to a young lad under eighteen years of age. It appeared from the evidence that the father of the boy had an account at Mr. Collins' store. The lad had been induced by some older boys to watch until Mr. Collins was out of the store and then went in and got several plugs of tobacco on his father's account which he gave away to the older boys. The police magistrate gave the boys a good lecture and ordered the chief of police to report the matter to the principal of the Murray street school where they attend.

Mr. Collins was fined 10 and costs, aggregating $12.75 all told. This seemed a great hardship considering the circumstances, but there was no other course under the provisions of the act.

Mrs. Perry's case was postponed until this morning.

MARRIED

McMILLAN—KEMP—At the residence of the bride's father on Wednesday, Nov. 19, 1902, by Rev. J. P. Wilson, Wilbert McMillan to Fanny Kemp.

PANTER—CHAMBO—At the residence of the bride's parents, 86 Rubidge st., on Wednesday, Nov. 19, 1902, by the Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, M.A., rector of St. Luke's church, Geo. Hamilton Panter to Minnie Maud Chambo, both

—Fitzgerald & Co's fame as manufacturers of first class rigs is spreading from one end of the world to the other. Recently they received an order from South Africa for a top buggy, and on Wednesday they shipped the vehicle to that far-off land.

AFTER MARRIAGE

Different Living Affects Some People

"I never drank coffee until after I was married," says a lady from Adairville, Ga.

"My husband drank coffee and I thought it was nice to drink with him, and we enjoyed it together. After a while I found that my digestive organs were much disturbed, but not knowing the cause, I went on drinking coffee and growing more wretched each day.

In due time, three little girls came to what ought to have been a happy home, but I was nervous and unhappy myself and could not make anyone else happy; to my great consternation, two of my little girls had spasms, and I, a nervous wreck, found it impossible to eat anything that did not hurt my stomach.

I finally concluded I had heart disease, my heart pained me so much after eating, and my head was so dizzy, I often thought I would fall when trying to walk across the room.

I tried every medicine I heard of, and had different doctors treat me, but with no benefit. I could not sleep half the night, and never slept sound—I would wake out of a frightful dream only to dove and wake again.

Finally, I read of Postum Food Coffee and my husband got a package from our grocer; I made some according to directions. I liked its flavor very much and the first cup seemed to help my stomach. I used it ever meal, sometimes making a whole meal on Postum and a bit of bread.

I improved so fast that I could soon eat anything I wanted. I began to look so much better my friends were surprised and said I looked as well as when I was first married. I could sleep as sweetly as a child. Of course the children quit coffee and drank Postum, and they all began to fatten and the spasms stopped.

I wish I would impress it on every weak, nervous person to abandon coffee and use Postum Cereal. If every nervous person could have seen me in my nervous affliction from drinking coffee, and could now see me and my little ones around the table enjoying our Postum, they surely would never indulge in coffee again, for there is no more nervous prostration; no more headaches; no more spasms, and I am able to do my own work and care for my children." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

THE BOGUS CHECK ARTIST

The Man Who Skinned Peterborough Merchants Still at Large

The fellow who worked off a number of bogus checks here, is still at large and has been getting in his fine work in Brantford, Guelph and other places.

The Brantford Courier says: The fellow of many aliases stepped on to the G.T.R. platform Saturday morning and at once commenced his plan of campaign. It is said he came from Harrisburg, for a man passing through on the train saw him changing his garb. At any rate when he arrived here he presented the picture of a quiet, unassuming agriculturalist, with small cap, sweater and blue overalls. Before he had left town Saturday night he had succeeded in doing up probably a dozen or more local merchants. Already six have confessed and likely many others have decided that in view of the circumstances silence is the wisest policy.

THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SURRENDER

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—Mrs. Eddy advises that "until the public thought becomes better acquainted with Christain Science the Christian Scientists shall decline to doctor infectious or contagious diseases."

But if there is no such thing as disease how can there be a contagious disease? If the head of the Church admits there are contagious diseases and forbids Christian Scientists to treat them, how are the "healers" who have had no training in the diagnosis of disease (there being no such thing) to recognize a contagious disease and to differentiate what they should and what they should not treat?

According to their teachings, so far as I understand them, the lesions perceptible to the ordinary observer are not, but are only errors of the mind. If they are errors and recognized as such, they are totally untrustworthy and must not be taken into consideration in distinguishing between a contagious and non-contagious disease, or, there being no such thing as disease, in distinguishing between what is not and what is not.

If physicians of large experience are unable at times to tell smallpox from chickenpox in its early stages or diphtheria from some forms of tonsilitis without a bacteriological examination, it will be a relief to the community in which such cases may occur to know that infallibility inspired Christian Scientists will diagnose correctly what does not exist and turn them over to a physician, thus "giving unto Caesar what is Caesar's," and helping protect the community from the danger of an epidemic, as well as saving valuable time in the application of material remedies.

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Writing paper, only four cents per quire at The Times Bookstore.

—The Board of Health meets today at 4 o'clock.

—St. Mark's Church will have a fowl supper in the Forester's hall, Otonabee, tonight.

—The winter freight rates on the railways went into effect on Saturday. The increases are about the same as have prevailed in other years.

—Mr. W. H. Gordon has sold his meat and grocery business in Cobourg and returned to town. He is now in possession of the stand of Messrs. Gordon & Kerneghan, corner of George and Brock streets.

The Ladies' Reading Circle of St. Peter's T.A.S. will meet in the lecture hall on Friday evening, November 21st. An essay on "John Boyle O'Rielly" will be read by Miss G. G. Hickey.

—Hastings Star:—At the October meeting of the Asphodel Council Mr. Jas. Andrews announced that he would tender his resignation as reeve at the last meeting of the council. He intends at the request of a large number of ratepayers in that and other municipalities to be a candidate for the County Commissionership.

—Hastings Star:—His Lordship, Bishop O'Connor, of Peterborough, arrived in Hastings on Saturday and was the guest of Rev. P. J. McGuire until Monday. On Monday confirmation service was held in St. Mary's church, when this sacred rite was conferred upon fifty-eight persons. High Mass was sung by the pastor, Rev. Father McGuire, and an appropriate discourse was preached by his Lordship the Bishop, who also officiated at Vespers on Sunday evening.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature either by phone or in writing—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. D. H. Booth, of Norwood, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. D. McKenty has returned from the West.

—Mr. Warren Darcy, of Burleigh Falls, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. Wm. Leahy, of the Midland House, Lakefield, was down yesterday.

—Mrs. J. R. Stratton has gone to the city to attend "Ben Hur."

—Mr. Jas. A. Lally spent Tuesday and Wednesday doing business in Toronto.

—Miss Carney has returned from a few weeks visit with Lindsay friends.

—Mr. J. H. McClelland left last night on the C.P.R. midnight for Montreal, on business.

—Mr. J. P. McFadden attended the "Ben Hur" entertainment in Toronto last night.

—Messrs. John Dunwoodie and W. St. Clement, of Lakefield, were in town yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Dixon, of Fenelon Falls, were visiting friends in town yesterday.

—Mr. M. Rudkins, Collector of Inland Revenue, left yesterday morning for Oakville to attend the funeral of his sister-in-law, Miss Coty.

—Mr. S. Wier has returned from the Toronto Hospital, where he has been for some time undergoing treatment for appendicitis. Mr. Weir's many friends will be pleased to know that he is regaining health and strength.

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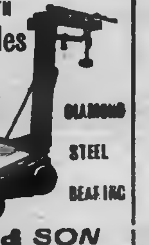

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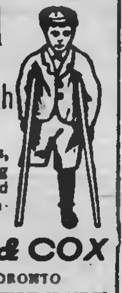

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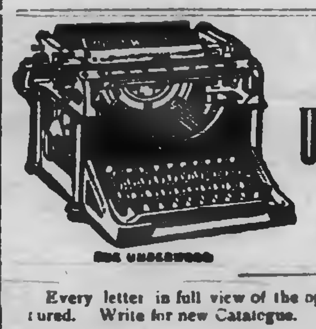

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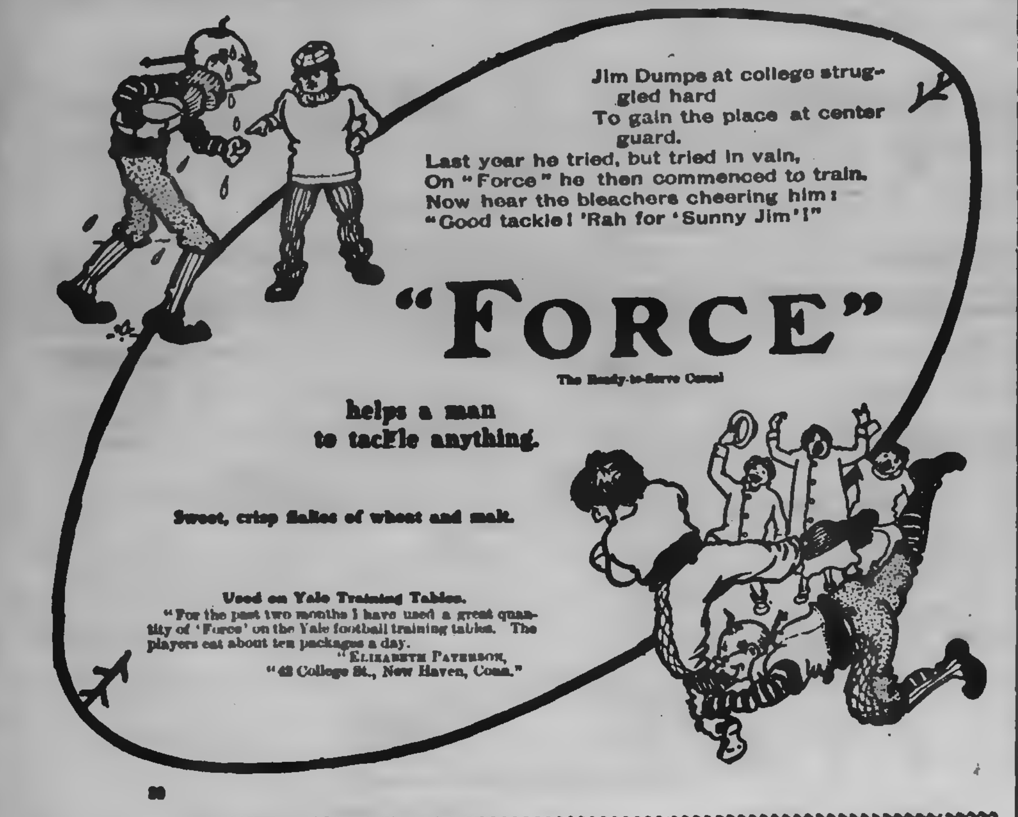
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THE SOUTH AFRICAN PROSPECTS ARE BRIGHT

The Country Settling Down to a Period of Peace and Plenty

What a Leading South African Newspaper Has to Say on the Situation

London, Nov. 22.—Judging from statements emanating from some Boer sources in South Africa, Britain's quondam adversaries will meet Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain half way in his efforts to mould the country into one harmonious whole. The Friend, the Boer organ of Bloemfontein, expresses itself in the following optimistic terms:

Speaking from the side of the ex-republicans—as we have every right to speak—we shall work for the prosperity and liberty of South Africa, sincerely believing that recrimination on either side can only lead to injury. Our great aim and object will be to weld the two nations peopling this land into one. We want it, to put it in the words of the Hon. Secretary for the Colonies, to be a happy abiding place for all to live in—not for one class alone, not for one section, for one race or for one political party, but for all.

A leading newspaper speaks of the reconciliation of the Northern and Southern States after a long and bloody war as an instance of what may be accomplished in bringing one-time enemies into friendly intercourse. "That reunion," says the New York World, "was the work of a little over ten years, and the method of it was simple—there was no attempt to treat the Southern States as conquered enemies, not to govern them, except for a very short time, as subject provinces and peoples. Along the same lines that effected the great American reconciliation, therefore, the quick and complete closing of all the wounds left by the war in South Africa is evidently not impracticable."

NEW ONTARIO BAILWAYS

CANADIAN NORTHERN PLANS TO REACH ONTARIO

Surveying an Extension to White River—The Algoma Central—The Grand Trunk Said to Have Franchises There

Toronto, Nov. 22—The railway developments of New Ontario are assuming an interesting turn. The Canadian Northern have just sent out two surveying parties from Fort William to locate a route from there to White River where their proposed extension easterly from Fort William will meet the Algoma Central. This route is intended to run considerably farther north than the Canadian Pacific road, which skirts the lake shore.

The Algoma Central, running north from the "Soo" is completed to within 25 miles of White River, and that small section will soon be finished. If, as is anticipated, the Canadian Northern pushes its line to White River, the work will be completed about the time Mr. Clergue announces his intention to have the North Shore & Manitoulin road finished. This would mean that by the junction at White River the Canadian Northern could get into Ontario over the Algoma Central.

Another interesting and well-defined rumor is that the Grand Trunk have secured a franchise which will enable them, to reach the "Soo" from the west and on to Sudbury, or join the Algoma Central, whose Manitoulin and North Shore road may run north to Sudbury after leaving Manitoulin, and before turning west to the "Soo." Whatever the outcome of present surveys and temporary arrangements, it is certain the railway developments New Ontario during the next few years will be on a most extensive scale.

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BEET SUGAR MATTER STANDS OVER

Finance and Road and Bridge Committees Report—Valedictories of Dr. Jeffs and Mr. Wm. Anderson

The County Councillors wound up the business for the year yesterday, all the members being present, with Warden Strickland in the chair.

The Finance Committee recommended:

1. Ashburnham was allowed a rebate of taxes of $5.55, the Trent Canal lands, House of Providence and St. Joseph's Hospital, which are in that municipality being exempted from taxation.
2. Accounts amounting to $1,632.52 were ordered to be paid.
3. That communication from Ministerial Association be left over till January.
4. That the pay sheets for repairs to the Pigeon Creek bridge amounting to $147.25 be paid.
5. That Mr. Casement, Mr. Peck and Mr. Pierce, chairman of this committee, be a committee with the Warden, with power to dispose of the debentures issued under by-law 827.
6. After being discussed by the Council and the promoters of the Peterborough Beet Sugar Company, the matter to submitting a bylaw to the ratepayers of this county to take $40,000 stock in the said company was withdrawn.

The Roads and Bridges Committee reported as follows:

1. That the report of the Joint Committee meeting held at Pigeon Creek Bridge, on October 2nd, 1902, be adopted.
2. That County Engineer's report be received and printed with the minutes of the Council.
3. That Wm. O'Leary be paid $25.00 for extra work done on the Mud Lake Bridge.
4. That Wm. O'Leary be appointed caretaker of Mud Lake Bridge at a yearly salary of $250.00.
5. That account of Alex. Fitzgerald of $10.00 for repairs to and care of Ashburnham bridge be paid, and one-half charged to the town.
6. That clause 16 of the report of the Committee on Roads and Bridges adopted in January last be rescinded. That a grant of $25.00 be made towards the repair of the road in Ennismore, leading from Gannon's Ferry to the Bobcaygeon road.
7. That this county pay $4.94, being half of the extra expenditure made in cutting down the large hills on the side line between lots 10 and 11 in the 10th concession of the Township of Asphodel.
8. That a grant of $100.00 be made to the township of Galway to assist in erecting the new Kinmount Bridge.

Mr. T. E. Bradburn addressed the Council, requesting that the matter of investigating the beet sugar business in the west be left in the hands of the committee appointed for that purpose at last session, with power to visit the factories. This, he said, would be a favorable time, as the deputation would have the advantage of seeing the entire process of sugar manufacture, from the time the beet was delivered until the finished product was turned out.

It was pointed out that the committee had power to act as was suggested

Mr. Wm. Anderson, M.P.P., and Dr Jeffs, made farewell speeches as they both are withdrawing from the County Council.

Mr. Peck asked for three cheers for the retiring members, and they were heartily given. After several members had spoken on the retirement of the gentlemen named, the council adjourned.

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STEALING MANY MILES OF TERRITORY

American Surveyers Encroaching on British Columbia

Vancouver Paper Says Thousands of Square Miles of Province Have Been Staked

Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 22.—In the quietest possible manner, according to the Province, United States surveyors have encroached upon Canadian territory to the northeast of Cape Fox and appropriated thousands of square miles within the boundaries of British Columbia to the westward of Portland Canal.

"The line from Portland Canal," it says, "runs northwesterly for a short distance, and then turns nearly due west, and finally connects with the Ykoot River at the confluence of that stream with the Stikine river.

"At the same point there is to be found an old post supposed to be erected by the Hudson Bay Company, and by running the line to that post it is evidently the claim of the American Government that the post in question was placed in position by the Russians although the survey line is distinctly marked by square cut granite monuments.

"The monuments run to an apex and mounted on the apex of each is a copper rod, which the surveyors state were placed in position with a view of marking exactly the spot where the American surveyors placed their instruments when running the line.

"It is hardly possible to believe, in view of the presence of a British Columbia government official at Port Simpson, that Americans can have occupied this territory without such action having come to the knowledge of the government agent, and by him transmitted to the Provincial government, and thence to Ottawa."

Probably a Hoax

Quebec, November 21.—The finding yesterday of a bottle in the river at Hadlow containing a slip of paper recording the wreck of the Snow Bird is thought to be the result of a hoax. The pencilled writing on the paper reads as follows: "Schooner Snow Bird met gale opposite Pointe Des Monts, foundered with all on board, four men and myself lost, good bye. Captain Lawlor. Please communicate with my wife." It is not considered likely that the bottle floated from Pointe Des Monts to Hadlow, above Quebec.

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MAY DISTURB DOUKHBOBORS

Socialistic Influences are Said to be at Work Among Them

Winnipeg, Nov. 21.—C. W. Speers, Colonization Agent is home from Yorkton, says the Doukhobors are now left in villages perfectly happy. There are hints that socialistic outside influences may disturb them, but if left alone they will not attempt another pilgrimage. Six months' provisions are stored at Yarkton for the people.

MINING TROUBLE SETTLED

Pardee and Company Come to Terms With Employees

Hazelton, Nov. 22.—The trouble at the Cranberry and the Crystal Ridge Collieries of A. Pardee & Company, where the employes refused to return to work because they were asked to sign an agreement not to interfere with non-union men, was settled to-day, and operations will be resumed on Monday. Instead of signing the agreement individually at the mines, the men decided in a body to abide by its provisions. They empowered a committee of their "local" to make written promise that all of the employes will comply with its conditions. All of the men but three, who are accused by the company of having been unduly active during the strike will be reinstated. The only collieries in this district where the differences have not been settled are those of Coxe Brothers & Company, whose men will meet this afternoon to receive a proposition from the company, outlining a plan of settlement.

BIG BRITISH WARSHIPS FRIGHTEN THE CHINESE

Celestials Decide After Naval Demonstration to Punish Murderers of Missionaries

Victoria, B. C., November, 22.—Advices have been received here that the British naval demonstration against China as a result of the refusal of the Chinese Government to punish officials in Funan who refused to provide protection for Rev. Messrs. Bruce and Lewis, the missionaries murdered at Chen Chou, has resulted in an edict being made by the Empress Dowager on November 2 for the decapitation of the officials and the imprisonment of the minor officials. The Chinese Government refused to punish these officials as requested by the British Minister, and the Governor of Funan, in an official communication regarding the murders, used the term "barbarians" to designate the dead missionaries. This incensed the British minister, and he again called on China to punish the officials. The Imperial Government persisted in its refusal, and at the request of the minister, the British made a naval demonstration, in which the first class cruiser Amphitrite and the sloops Algerine and Espiegle took part, and the battleships Ocean and Albion, and the cruisers Talbot and Blenheim also started from Hong Kong, bound north. This brought the Chinese Government to time, and the officials were ordered to be executed.

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SIR WILFRID LAURIER AT HOT SPRINGS, VA.

The Premier Already Benefited by the Change of Air

HE TOOK A LONG WALK

Distinguished Canadian Party are Receiving Social Attention From Society at the Springs

Hot Springs, Va., November 21. — Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier, Sir William Mulock, and Sir Wilfrid's brother, Mr. Henri Laurier, M.P., arrived at the Homestead Hotel, at the Virginia Hot Springs, on Wednesday morning, for a short visit, in order to give the Premier the advantage of a few weeks' rest and an open-air life among the mountains of the State.

Sir Wilfrid appeared in good health and spirits upon reaching his destination. Most travellers drive from the station to the elevated grounds occupied by this popular resort, but Sir Wilfrid and party walked up and much enjoyed the scenery.

Before luncheon he took a short walk with his brother, and in the afternoon quite a lengthy one with Sir William Mulock, covering a distance of about four miles, returning to the hotel with a jaunty step, showing that the mountain air agreed with him. He seems charmed with the surroundings, which "are certainly healthful and invigorating," according to Sir William Mulock, who has been here before. However, the latter is not here for his own health, but rather as a companion for the Premier.

The party left Ottawa on Monday night in a private car, and came by way of Baltimore and Washington.

Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier will be given an informal reception this afternoon by Mrs. S. Barton French, of New York, who owns the largest villa here. Mrs. French will be assisted by her mother, Mrs. Walker Fearn, widow of a late representative of this country in Egypt, and also at one time in Athens. Mrs. French has travelled much and was educated at Oxford, so that she and Mrs. Fearn have seen much of public life abroad.

The weather this autumn has been most remarkable, and continues good, so that many lingered in the country later than usual.

London, November 20.—Congratulations to Sir Wilfrid Laurier on his sixty-first birthday take the form in the London Daily Chronicle, of a series of quotations from Lamartine, Shakespeare, Cowper, Goethe, George Eliot and W. S. Gilbert, eulogizing Sir Wilfrid's wise dissimulation, eloquence and other qualities.

A Bazaar

The Faithful Workers' Mission Band of St. Paul's church intend holding a bazaar on Nov. 28th, in the school room. Refreshments will be served during the

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL

Results of the Vote for Mayor And Alderman

MAYOR HARRY DENNE LEADS

With Alderman Best Not Very Far in the Rear

Interest Being Awakened—Letters From the Ratepayer—Labour Men Asked to Come Out

The voting for Mayor and members of the Council is having the effect of bringing the names of many desirable men before the ratepayers. This is the sole object of the scheme, and from the number, good men may be elected.

The candidates for Mayor, up to six o'clock last night, were as follows:

Mayor Denne	75
Ald Best	65
Ald. Roger	50
R. F. McWilliams	45
Ald. Shortly	45
Ald. Rush	20
Harry LeBrun	20
J. H. McClelland	15
Robert Neil	10

The vote for Aldermen at the same hour last night stood as follows:

Ald. Best	70
Wm. Madill	70
Ald. Shortly	65
A. W. Cressman	65
Ald. Rush	65
Ald. Batten	60
Dickson Davidson	60
E. F. Mason	60
Ald. Corkery	55
Ald. Morrison	55
W. Salisbury	55
Ald. Clinkscale	50
A. E. Dixon	50
Geo. W. Morrow	45
M. Wilson	40
Geo. Elliott	30
John Howden	30
Robt. Fair	30
R. E. Layfield	25
Kelsey Hall	20
H. LeBrun	20
Ald. McGregor	20
Geo. Matthews	20
A. Macfarlane	15

WANTS LABOR MEN.

A "Mechanic" writes: I enclose three ballots for Andrew Macfarlane, and R. F. McGregor for the Council. I believe in placing labor men on the Council and also on the School Board.

DENNE FOR MAYOR

"Ratepayer" sends four ballots, and says: I want to see Mayor Denne re-elected. He is the right man in the right place. What's the matter with Mr. Wm. Madill for the Council? He will be elected at the top of the poll if he will consent to run.

HOW TO VOTE.

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The state of the poll will be published occasionally, at the start, and later on, the result of each day's vote will be made known every morning.

REWARDS FOR VIRTUE DISTRIBUTED IN PARIS

$750 Given for Helping the Poor--700 Divisions on German Tarriff

Will Occupy at Least Seventy Hours—Dissatisfaction in Hungary—Activity of Labor Societies in Russia

Paris, Nov. 21—The Montyon prizes for virture were distributed by the French Academy yesterday. The chief prize of $750 was awarded to Marie Desbat, who has established an asylum for eighty-four aged persons at Venissieux, near Lyons. In the earlier years she collected gutter children and taught them the catechism. Afterwards she devoted herself to visiting the sick. The sum of $300 was given to Jeanne Schneider, a blind lady, who has founded an asylum for sixty-seven blind children. Three Breton sailors received $400 for saving a shipwrecked crew. Among the literary prizes, Maurice Materlinck got $200 for his "Vie de L'Abeille."

London, Nov. 21—It is reported from Kieff that the governors of the principal manufacturing centres of South Russia has received instructions from St. Petersburg regarding the necessary for alertness against the increasing activity of labor and unlawful societies. Already steps have been taken to increase the police. In Odessa the cost of additional police is to be charged to the town's account.

Berlin, Nov. 21—The Clericals have issued an urgent whip to members of that party in the Reichstag, asking assiduous attendance during three weeks, as it is hoped to get through the tariff scheme by voting it by sections. There are nineteen sections, so that if the majority could fulfill its intention there might be a prospect of finishing the second reading the bill before Christmas. It must be remembered, however, that the social democrats mean to demand 700 divisions, which will occupy at least seventy hours, equivalent to thirteen entire sittings. Consequently the future of sittings. Consequently the future of the tariff scheme is altogether uncertain.

Vienna, Nov. 21—The proceedings in the Hungarian Parliament give a fair measure of the unsatisfactory situation in Hungary, pointing to an approaching storm, but Premier Deszell's confident tone shows that he still feels master of the situation. The extreme section of the party of independence contends that failure to bring to a successful issue the negotiations between the two governments gives Hungary the right to renounce existing economic arrangements with Austria and to establish an independent customs system. The independence party obviously considers that the present state of confusion and general dissatisfaction provides a favorable opportunity for promoting its object.

Canada the Slaughter Market

For Products of Teutonic Iron and Steel Works Cheap Rails from Germany

Ottawa, Nov. 21—Mr. Francis H. Clergue reached here yesterday from Toronto, and has been interviewing some of the Ministers.

His attention was drawn to the recent purchase of steel rails in Germany by Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann, and he was asked whether these rails could not be supplied in Canada. Mr. Clergue said that the German ironmasters kept up the price in the home market, but sold at a much lower figure in the foreign market, in order to get the trade.

"The German market," he said, "is protected by a duty of between $6 and $7 a ton. Consequently if you were to buy rails in Germany for use in that country the price would be from $30 to $32 a ton. The usual freight on those rails from the German port to Montreal would be $3 more, and from Montreal to Port Arthur, another $2, or a total of about $28 a ton. Now, Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann are reported to have purchased their rails for $27 a ton, delivered at Port Arthur.

"We cannot afford to produce rails at that figure. We have spent $15,000,000 in iron mines and in the construction of rolling mills and railways to connect with them, and if other railway companies are going to follow the example of Mackenzie and Mann, we simply cannot produce steel rails, that is all. The question is one for the people of Canada to decide. If they prefer to be at the mercy of foreign rail-makers, from whom they can at present obtain a temporary advantage, rather than have domestic manufacturers in their midst, it is for them to say. But they should understand that the closing down of our rolling mill would mean a loss of $3,000,000 a year to the people of Ontario. Moreover, Mackenzie and Mann should be the last people to encourage the importation of foreign produced rails, seeing that they have on their line of railway perhaps the largest iron deposits in all Canada, which, of course, can never be advantageously developed except in Canadian iron industries. If developed, these iron mines should in a single month pay more than the duty on any foreign rails they would purchase in several years. I cannot believe that the Government will continue to bonus railway companies that use foreign rails, or allow, in future, a bonus to be paid to railways that are now being laid with foreign rails.

SAYS THE MILLENIUM BEGINS NEXT YEAR

Boston Preacher Declares That Then we Will Enter the Golden Age

Boston, Nov. 21—The Rev. E. Griffith, of No. 40 Dudley street, well known as a preacher throughout New England puts forth the revelation that the year 1903 is the beginning of the millennium, the area of peace and gladness, in which the earth undergoes a marvellous change and the prophecy of the Scriptures shall be verified

"I have made a life study of this all-important question," says Mr. Griffith, "and my argument is based on facts that convince even the most skeptical. That part of the Scripture that prophesies chariots of fire shall pass upon the earth is verified upon our streets today. We are now on the threshold of that time spoken of in Scripture, in which, for a period of 1,000 years, we shall enjoy the life that will be known as the golden age, the period that precedes the consummation of the earth. Darkness shall fade and the earth shall be blessed with eternal light.

ONTARIO SHOULD SUPPLY DOMINION OF CANADA

With Sugar If the Beet Sugar Industry were Procted Says Hon. Mr. Tarte

Montreal, Nov. 21—Hon. Mr. Tarte, continuing in La Patrie his campaign for a higher tariff, cites the magnitude of the beet sugar industry which is being established in Ontario. He forecasts that about 1905 the industry will have reached such a state of affluence that Canada will be able to dispense with the expenditure of the 20,000,000 sent annually to foreign countries for sugar. To arrive at this result, the industry must be protected, as it is in the United States, otherwise capital would not be invested. He points out that the American tariff on refined sugar is $1.95 a hundred pounds, compared with a Canadian duty of $1.36, and on the two other grades of sugar, $1.62 and $1.23 respectively, compared with 71c and 77c With the aid of a higher tariff, there is no doubt that the industry would prosper

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CURLING.

The curlers held another meeting in the Charlotte street rink last night, when the membership committee reported that they have enrolled 117 members and 18 non-players who have paid for the privilege of attending as spectators during the season.

The proposed alterations in the rink will be made, and the rink will be used for curling only.

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THE NILE DAM

On his way to India to take the chief command there General Kitchener, being much interested in Egyptian affairs, stopped off to visit the new dam at Assouan. He crossed the river on the dam, which is twenty-one feet broad at the top and one and one-half miles long, and was much pleased with the great work. When full the dam will be a lake 140 miles long and sixty feet deep. Its object is to furnish water for the irrigation of a large area never before cultivated and to insure a larger and steadier supply of water for all lower Egypt. The cost of the new reservoir is nearly $25,000,000, but it will soon pay for itself by increasing the area of salable land. There are two other dams in the Nile, that near Cairo, long ago built by French engineers and recently restored and improved by English engineers and the dam just built at Assiout, 350 miles south of Cairo, which is one-half miles long and will bring 470 square miles into cultivation. The larger Assouan dam is 600 miles above Cairo, at the First Cataract.

ANARCHISM

Has anarchism started on a fresh campaign of violence: A few days ago the old French town of St. Pierre was burned to the ground, being fired by emissaries of this atrocious cult. The fire was started in the cathedral. On Saturday morning last, the King of the Belgians was shot at on his way to the cathedral at Brussels. The intended assassin was an Italian named Robino, a mental degenerate, who confessed that he was excited by seeing so many tired looking personages occupying grand carriages?

The persons guilty of these two latest outrages belong to the class of anarchists animated by benevolence, rather than to the class which in despair seek power that they may do some public good. They wish to destroy the most prominent symbols of order or government. They are impressed with the idea that were all authority destroyed things would right themselves, a prospect so hopeless that no sane person can ever accept such a wild, barbarous and blind solution of supposed wrongs. The French revolutionists tried it, but ruined their cause and perished by the hands of their own adherents and led to a worse despotism than that which they overturned. If the anarchists of the torch, the bullet or the dagger had their way, they would all be destroyed by their own disciples of more "advanced views," who would find them an obstacle to further progress. There would be no end to assassination.

According to George Jacob Holyoake, it was Bakunin who first in modern days proposed to end government by the knife. He was listened to because he was a Russian and belonged to a land where reason was not tolerated, and irresponsible ferocity ruled. Robert Owen, on the other hand, was an anarchist of the philosophical school, an advocate of progress by reason. These are against conventional government, not from malice, but because they think self-government nobler than the monarchical form. What they seek is unlimited freedom, which if they had would not last a month. There is a wide distinction between the anarchy of reason and the anarchy of violence. The former is of the harmless variety that is so freely ventilated in public places in many American cities, with an occasional display of rabid ferocity, suggestive of reversion to the savage state. So that of killing and burning there can be but one answer of society, that of sharp and stern retribution. Yet the danger has been often pointed out of inflating the self-importance of the insane anarchist and exciting the emulation of others by a display of public perturbation and resort to furious epithets. No doubt Robino's idea of his own heroism rose in proportion as the crowd clamored for his own life and rushed to tear him in pieces.

Some years ago the British Government was asked to enter into a European concert to repress anarchism, but the invitation was declined on the ground that the modes of procedure in some countries were such as would revolt the English people, and England, if it entered into the concert, would be committed to the approval and be understood the sanction whatever occurred, and this feeling it was doubtless that animated King Edward, who, as Prince of Wales, was shot at in Brussels by an anarchist, and yet desired that he be not executed, but used with mercy as a person of unsound mind.

Every country has means of dealing with this element, if it has prudence and patience; and in England as in other countries, every anarchist is known to the police, and in every group there is a spy, a fool, or a mad man. There is no trouble in dealing with them.

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"Quickly she wrote again, telling the whole story, which she had kept from her husband before, warning him to be careful; whatever he did he must not let the other dream that they were married, or even knew each other, if it were not too late for that. And she begged that in any event the partnership might be dissolved. She had a presentiment of evil to come.

"But many days passed, and she got no answer to her letter. She could not sleep at night for terrible dreams; and, at about this time, another great perplexity had come to her. She knew that she was to be a mother.

"All her anxieties made her ill; her tour had to be interrupted in the midst, and engagements cancelled. Then one night she had a dream more horrible than any which had tortured her before. She dreamt that she saw the man with the deformed foot digging a grave for the dead body of her husband, whom he had murdered, and hoped to hide away for ever, with all traces of the crime.

"She told me afterwards—for I heard this story from her own lips—that she must have been half mad. She hardly knew what she was doing until she found herself in the train traveling alone from Chicago—where she had been taken ill—on the way to California and the place where her husband was living with his 'friend.' Without a word to anyone she had stolen away in the early dawn. Had she confessed the truth to her manager, and told him what she wished to do, he would have tried to prevent her from going to her husband, and, in her weak state of health, would probably have succeeded. As it was, he would have followed, no doubt, had he guessed her destination; but she left a note which put him upon the wrong track, and not only did she contrive to disappear, but, as a matter of fact, the mystery which surrounded her disappearance was never cleared up. Circumstances which came afterwards made her desire to remain behind the veil she herself had dropped, and it was never lifted.

"The nearest railway town to the place my poor heroine wished to reach—we'll call it Caxton; it's very like the real name—was thirty miles away. When she got there the whole country was aflame with excitement, and hardly had she been five minutes in the small, rough hotel when she heard a strange story.

"It seemed that two young men who had come out from the East to this part of California had mysteriously vanished within six or seven weeks. They were both well off, and had had a good deal of money sent to them by their friends, who, anxious at not hearing from them for a long time, caused enquiries to be made. They were traced to the neighborhood of Caxton, but no further. Matters had reached this stage when another man also disappeared—the very man whom the poor girl had feared might murder her husband. Yet, judging from the tale she was told, her dream was a contradiction; for her husband had been arrested, and was now held on suspicion of having murdered his partner.

"He, her lover-husband, had been grievously wounded, lying unconscious when he was found; but in a pocket of his coat was a diary which coolly recounted in a cypher easily read by experts the details of the two murders already accomplished, even jotting down a memorandum of the spot where the bodies of his victims (the young men who had recently disappeared) were buried.

"Instantly the girl knew that there had been a terrible plot, but even she could not guess the whole. She had given in the office of the hotel a common name, calling herself 'Mrs. Smith,' or something of the sort, and her face, pale and haggard with illness, anxiety, and the fatigue of her long, hurried journey, was not as striking in its beauty as it had been before.

"She said that she was a distant relative of the suspected murderer, who had been brought to Caxton only that morning to lie in the infirmary attached to the town jail, awaiting his trial. She begged for an interview with the prisoner, and as there was little difficulty in the Far West in those days about granting such a request to a pretty woman, she obtained her wish.

"The poor fellow had been badly wounded, but he was conscious, and was between joy and sorrow at the sight of his wife. They were not allowed to see each other alone, but the thought that she had come to him and loved him, believing him, despite the evidence which others accepted almost without question, gave new strength and courage. He determined that when he had to stand his trial for murder he would make a brave fight for his life.

"But that very night an infuriated mob who believed him guilty and feared that he would not be hanged after all broke open the jail, and took the prisoner out to lynch him. His wife heard the noise, and learnt what was going on from the landlord's son, a reckless fellow who was for hurrying out to see the fun. She had brought with her on her journey several thousand dollars which she had saved, and she offered the young man half if he would save the prisoner and help him to escape. It was a big bribe for him; and by raising an alarm that the soldiers were coming from a military garrison not many miles away the trick was done. The mob was robbed of its victim, the rescuer let the lady know that her 'relative' was safe, and in a few days aided her to join him.

"But the great excitement and exertion brought on a relapse, and for weeks her husband lay at death's door. They lived in a rough cabin with scarcely the necessaries of life, much less the delicacies needed by an invalid; still, love and faithful nursing pulled him through to a pale semblance of returning health. And there at that little cabin their child was born—a son."

"You were the child!" exclaimed the Comtesse, all her affectations forgotten in her interest.

"Yes, you have guessed it. I was the child. And before I had lived a year my father was dead—but not before he had told the true story of the ending of that fatal partnership to my mother.

"His partner and he slept in the same room, and he could hear the other saying strange things in his sleep. His suspicions were roused against the man he had believed in, and he began to associate him with the mysterious disappearances which were so much talked of in the neighborhood. The man said something in his sleep about a 'grave under the red trees,' and my father hap-

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1.—COAL.

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ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
	100.00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 tons of ore above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

3.—FLUX.

We are now negotiating for valuable deposits of dolomite and limestone of the most satisfactory quality, situated on the tide water, within 100 miles of the works

MARKETS.

For six months in each year the Canadian markets can be reached by water at low freight rates, and at all times by rail. As Cape Breton is distant from Liverpool only about 2,300 miles; is nearer to Pernambuco, Brazil, than any point in the United States, and also nearer to Cape Town, South Africa, it has the advantage, in point of distance, for export business over any American steel-producing points, which, with scarcely any exceptions, are situated some distance from tide water. Under any conditions of the world's market, it is believed that the output of these works can be disposed of at satisfactory prices.

OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows:—

	ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

If the capitalization was increased to .... $20,000,000.00 this estimate would still show a dividend-earning capacity of 10 per cent. per annum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Coal Co. is .... $20,000,000.00 earning fully 12 per cent., and is paying 8 per cent. guaranteed dividends on this enormous sum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co. is ...... $28,000,000.00 on which it is believed 6 per cent. dividends will be earned.

The capitalization of the Canadian Steel & Coal Company is only $6,000,000.00 controlling, it is believed, equally valuable properties, and it is reasonable to expect much larger dividends.

Within the last few months Dominion Coal shares common rose in market value from $40 to $144 per share, and Dominion Iron & Steel Company's shares common rose over $30 per share in market value.

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Wild Animals I Do Not Want to Know.

In the days of the Ark, they of the animal kingdom were admitted, two by two, on suffrance. In Paradise, they sported at harmless, mythical ease, untroubled by man and his theories. But the antediluvian days passed by. The animals became as man, knowing good and evil, and having, moreover, ways of their own. It all began with the flood. Up to that time they were roughly classed as "cattle and everything after their kind." They were to be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth, and man was to rule over them. So went they into the Ark, two by two; but so, alas, came they not out. They have been fruitful; they have multiplied, and filled the earth; and to-day man, their master, is prostrate before them. He studies their ways, prowling through underbrush, on all fours, to observe them sporting on their native heath. He wriggles on his stomach. No position is too humble for him, no attitude too cramped. He is gathering material for the next new popular book on animals.

One cannot help wondering a little how it has come about. Hints of it crop out in the Old Testament—after the flood. The animals are no longer creeping things and cattle after their kind. They are found taking on names and a certain individuality. There is the ram caught by its horns to serve in place of Isaac on the altar of sacrifice, and the bears that eat up bad little children, and the Ass that speaks, and the Lions of Daniel, and the Whale of Jonah. All these are historical personages, with David and Saul and Noah—with the strange winged creature of Ezekiel, and Apocalyptical visions of beasts with heads and horns and crowns and candlesticks and Scarlet Women.

The biblical writers did not hesitate, it would seem, to draw on the animal kingdom when necessary to make clear the ways of God to man. With a fine disregard of zoology and fact, they drove home the truth. And their words live even to this day. But animal lore has changed. We are asked to give up Jonah and the whale, as being a tax on credulity. We are offered, in place of it, either "Wild Animals That I Have Known" or "The Outcasts." The bears of Elijah the prophet are replaced by "The Bears of Blue River" by the author of "When Knighthood Was in Flower." And Balaam's Ass becomes a Coyote whose favorite message is "Yip-ki-ki—Yah!"

Imagination, like Jerushun, has waxed fat and kicks.

Perhaps the Jungle Books did it. Aesop is too far away and too excellent to be held responsible for the hordes let loose on us. Like the biblical animals of old, the animals of Aesop existed for a purpose—flashlights on the heart of man. The cunning fox and the brave lion and the foolish wolf existed to point a moral and adorn a tale. This done, they disappeared once more in the brushwood of fancy whence they came. The Jungle Books too have their master-word—the Law of the Jungle. It shines through them.

But these newer animals—what shall one say of them?—the deer and the caribou and the buffalo and the horse and the bull-terrier and the fawn and the doe and the moose and the buck and the spike-horn and the fox and the wolf-dog and the canary bird. They bring neither the nutty kernel of Aesop nor the fresh, sweet smell of the Jungle. Made up in equal parts of fact and straining imagination, they have no message of beauty or of truth.

Who that has once known him will forget Kaa, the wise old serpent, or Bagheera, leaping with light paws at the time of the spring running, or Mowgli, crossing the moonlight with Gray Brothers at his heels and the skin of Shere Khan poised deftly on his swaying head? But who shall hope to remember the new ones?—Jennette Barbour Perry in "Critic."

The Sons of Poets.

The "Lancet," the well-known English medical weekly, has been enquiring into the question of the transmission of genius from father to son, and has found that the sons of great poets are generally dull dogs. Poetic fervor is evidently a spiritual flame that burns itself out in the generation wherein it is kindled. Indeed, it often seems to burn out the very aptitude for paternity; or is it that the poet is generally too poor to permit himself the delight of fatherhood? However it may be, many eminent English poets can never be accused of having "dull dogs" of sons, because they never had any sons at all. Cowley, Butler, Otway, Prior, Congreve, Gay, Phillips, Savage, Thomson, Collins, Shenstone, Akenside, Goldsmith, Grey, Johnson, and Keats all died without leaving offspring, and Pope, Swift, Watts, and Cowper were never married. Dryden's, Addison's and Parnell's descendants did not pass into the second generation, and the descendants of Shakespeare and Milton became extinct in the second and third generations. Sir Walter Scott's baronetcy expired with his son.

A Weather-Man's Invention.

Partly, no doubt, in recognition of the obduracy of climate, Professor Moore, chief of the United States Weather Bureau, has invented and patented a cold-air stove, of which the newspapers give descriptions. Being charged once a day with some sort of composition, the stove works automatically. The air inside of it getting cold, sinks and passes out through a pipe in the bottom. Warmer air runs in at the top, and so a current of air keeps running through the machine. The air comes out at a temperature of about 36 degrees. The warmer the room, the faster the machine works. It will reduce the temperature of a room to about 64 degrees. If the room is cooler than that there is no current, and the stove doesn't work. Besides cooling the air, it takes the dust out of it, and delivers it not only chilled, but clean. A stove twelve feet high turns out 125 feet of cold air a minute, which is enough to cool a hospital ward.

The inventor thinks his stove will be of great use to hospitals, which find serious difficulty in keeping sick patients comfortable in hot weather. No doubt, too, if it turns out well, it may be used in office buildings, and possibly in hotels and restaurants. It is possible that it may prove more satisfactory than the fans which are used so much, and, if so, there are commercial prospects for it.

Eyes Tested Free

Prof. J. H. De Silberg, the celebrated eye specialist from Germany will be in Hastings on Wednesday, Nov. 19th, until Thursday, Nov. 20th, at the Coughlin House Parlors; in Norwood on Friday, Nov. 21st, until Nov. 24th, at Dr. Moffatt's Drug Store; in Keene, on Tuesday, Nov. 25th, until Wednesday, Nov. 26th, at Dr. Harrison's Office; in Lakefield, on Thursday, Nov. 27th, until Saturday, Nov 29th, 1902, at Dr. Burgess Drug Store. Those having weak or imperfect eyes should not fail to consult him.

A Complete Rest.

Tipton shut down the roll-top desk in his private office with a bang, threw a last derelict envelope into the waste-basket, and turning with smiling face to the clerks who had gathered in a little group to bid him good-bye, said:

"Well, boys, I'm off. Keep your end up while I am gone, and remember this: I don't want to hear a word from you. Don't send me any mail. Don't try to reach me by wire or telephone, even if the building burns down. I'm going away for a real vacation, where I won't be disturbed."

Then he shook hands all around, and hurried off to join his wife at the railway station.

The usual excitement incident to the departure of a train was successfully lived through. As they sped out into the open country, Tipton looked at Mrs. Tipton with a fond, exultant look.

"There, my dear," he said; "we're off at last! For the first time in years I am going to do the sensible thing. I'm going to lose myself. No mail. No messages. Complete rest. I wonder why I never thought of it before?"

"I'm so glad," said Mrs. Tipton, "that you've come to your senses at last. This will do you a world of good, I know."

In the course of a few hours they alighted at their station. Then they were driven miles and miles—it seemed almost interminable—until they came in sight of the quiet little hotel—or rather inn—on the mountainside, where they were received with all the splendor of courtesy that only a rural hotel-keeper knows how to bestow.

Tipton could scarcely wait to get into his outing clothes. An hour later they were strolling down through the quiet woods to the bank of the stream that chippered away to the music of the breeze.

"Could anything," murmured Tipton, "be finer?"

He pressed his wife's hand. "This is rest. This is true solitude. When I think of that maddening city, I wonder how I could ever have lived there. I never want to go back again."

The next morning after a fine breakfast—for our friend had made sure of his place—Tipton strolled out and said good morning to the proprietor.

"Well, sir," said the proprietor, "how do you like our little view?"

"Great!" exclaimed Tipton. "It certainly is a charming spot. By the way, you don't happen to have any of the New York papers here, do you?"

"Not regularly," said the proprietor. "You see, this is a place where folks come to rest, and we don't have much call for 'em."

"Certainly not," said Tipton. "Precisely. Thought I would just like to glance over the head lines, that's all."

He joined his wife, who was walking in the near view.

"This is a great place to rest," he observed, somewhat tritely, as they walked off toward the stream. "Never was in a place quite like this. Couldn't even get a morning paper."

Mrs. Tipton looked at him suspiciously.

"Now, dear," she said, "that isn't fair. You must forget the world."

At noon Tipton sought the proprietor once more.

His face wore a shade of anxiety. He clutched his cigar nervously.

"You don't happen to have a telegraph or a long-distance telephone near here, do you?" he asked. "Fact is, I came away yesterday and forgot an important matter."

"No, sir!" said the proprietor. "We haven't such things around. This, as you know, is a place for complete rest, as advertised."

"Very well, sir," said Tipton, "you can make out my bill."

He glared fiercely around him, and walked upstairs to his room.

"My dear," he said, "would you mind if we got out of this prehistoric place on the first train?"

Mrs. Tipton gazed at him blankly for a moment, and threw her arms around his neck.

"Mind!" she exclaimed. "Why, I was only staying here for your sake. I didn't dare say how lonesome I was! I am afraid, my dear, we have never lived in the country long enough to appreciate it."

Two hours later they were in the dining car of the Long Branch express, with the remains of a feast and a cold bottle between them.

"I've wired the boys to send me the mail," said Tipton. "I will talk with the cashier over the wire as soon as we get in. I see the market opened up strong this morning. And now, if you will excuse me, I'll step into the smoking room with this bundle of papers and catch up on twenty-four hours' lost time."—Tom Masson, in "Life."

Herbert Spencer on "Americanisms."

Mr. Herbert Spencer's recent protest against what he called "Americanisms" concludes thus: "Perhaps a little might be done if in return for criticisms on Americanisms like those passed above, Americans were systematically to expose deteriorations in the language as spoken here. They might, for example, mercilessly ridicule that vulgar misuse of the word 'awfully,' which has now continued for more than a generation."

A correspondent of the London "Spectator" adds: "This reminds me of the following rather good story told to me by a friend now deceased. A certain distinguished philosopher happened to be staying at a country house in which my friend was also a guest, and one morning a youngster looking out of the window, observing a large flock of rooks alighting on the grass, cried out: 'What an awful lot of crows!' upon which the philosopher, in a tone intending to convey a gentle rebuke, enquiringly said: 'Well, my young friend, are crows really so very awful?' The boy quickly answered: 'I didn't say, "What a lot of awful crows," but "What an awful lot of crows!"' The philosopher remained silent, and the boy whispered to my friend: 'Had him that time, I think, sir!' This is a true story."

"Do you believe in heredity?" "Certainly; I know a barber who has three little shavers."—Ex.

The man entering the store—Have you typewriter-ribbons? The fresh girl behind the counter—Is she blonde or brunette?—Yonkers "Statesman."

A Peterborough Boy Heard From

The many friends of Mr. Archie Stethem, son of Mr. George Stethem, town, will be pleased to learn that he has been promoted to the position of manager of the Wells Hardware Company, Fort Frances. Mr. Stethem has been employed with the firm of Wells & Emmerson, hardware merchants, Port Arthur, since leaving Peterborough over a year ago. Archie's many friends in town will be pleased to hear of his success.

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Bakersfield, Cal., Sept. 27.—J. Pierpont Morgan is about to identify himself with the oil business in California. On October 12, or a few days later, surveyors will be put into the field, and will run lines to the ocean from Sunset, Coaling, McKittrick, Midway and Kern River fields to determine by which route it is most feasible to transport oil to tide water. The surveys will run over the coast range at a number of points, and also will go down the San Joaquin valley parallel with the line of the Standard.

A company having a capitalization of $5,000,000 has been organized for the construction of lines, pumping stations, storage tanks, and the like. Mr. Morgan and his associates have also formed a separate company, capitalized at $30,000,000, half of which will be invested in proven ground and the other half turned into a reserve fund.

It is stated that the Morgan syndicate will be prepared to handle 2,000,000 barrels the first year, and will increase that amount at the rate of 1,000,000 a year until the whole demand of the market is met.

THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY own and control a large tract of absolutely oil proven asphalt land in the very heart of the best oil producing land of **Kern County, California**, the district where flowing wells are situated. We have a **bed of Liquid Asphalt** underlying a portion of our lands. Our property is situated right at Sunset Station. A new line of railway is surveyed and will be constructed in a very short time, putting us not only in touch with Eastern cities, but in touch with tide-water. This, in addition to the railroad facilities we now have. Remember that we own our land—it is paid for and entirely free from debt.

ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL CO.'S GIGANTIC TRACT

will be developed and should prove a formidable rival for the new company.

PROFESSOR DR. RUD J. SCHIMPER, Analytical and Expert Chemist, of St. Paul, makes the following statement relative to the composition, what can be produced and the estimated profits of the Sunset Crude Oil. A copy of the original certificate can be seen at the office of the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Co., which is in substance as follows:

"This is to certify that the undersigned, Dr. Rudolph J. Schimper, Chemist expert, member of Parisian Academy, according to analysis made from the crude oil furnished me by the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company, I find the following valuable products and with each beg to submit my estimate of its value:

1. LIQUID RUBBER—2000 lbs of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 1,800 lbs. of liquid rubber, value of which is from 25c. per lb. and up. (Estimated value $450.00.)
2. SOLID RUBBER—2000 lbs of this crude oil (6 bbls) will produce 1,700 lbs. of solid rubber, value of which is from 50c. upwards. (Estimated value $450.00.)
3. FUEL BRIQUETTES—2000 lbs. of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 2,000 lbs. (1 ton) of fuel briquettes, which, according to government tests made, is equivalent to two tons of best anthracite coal. (Estimated value $22.00)
4. ASPHALTUM—2,000 lbs. of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce ½ ton of asphaltum, value $25 to $35 per ton. 25 gal. of lubricating oil, value 50c. per gal. and upward. 40 gal. illuminating oil, value 10c per gal. and up. 60 gal. of distilled oil. value 5c. per gal. and upward. (Estimated value $64.50.)
5. SOAP—2000 lbs. (1 ton) of crude oil and filling will produce over 2,000 lbs. of soap, value 3c. per lb. and upward. (Estimated value $60.00.)

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Respectfully, DR. R. J. SCHIMPER, Chemist Expert."

THIS goes to show the immense profits that will accrue from our products when refined. We expect to commence **Building Our Refinery** in the very near future. The sale of the next allotment of stock will be made for that purpose. **The largest flowing wells in California** were brought in adjoining our property and their stock was taken off the market. **We employ the best drillers** who report rapid progress on our wells and we expect to bring in gushers equal, if not to excel any in the Sunset field. **Our General Manager, Superintendent and Drillers, all are experienced oil men.** The officers of our company are all thorough, competent and efficient men who have always made a success of their undertaking in life and who will see that the welfare of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company is furthered, portected and promoted to the most advantageous extent possible.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS should be paid to the stockholders of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company when their property is fully developed, their refinery equipped and in full operation. ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS was paid by Kern County Oil Companies during the month of August alone.

SIX MILLION BARRELS is the consuming capacity of the Southern Pacific Railway engines, which are now equipped for burning oil. Outside of this consider other railway lines, smelters, factories, steamships, stationery engines, which are all heavy consumers of fuel oil and last but not least, hotels and private dwellings are falling in line with the procession in the use of fuel oil.

A GOOD REASON WHY YOU Should invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. More fortunes have been made in oil than any other business. Consider the immense amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for its fortunate stockholders, and the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard Oil Company. Here is what $100 has accomplished for those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:

Home Whittier $1,000 on an investment of $100.
Kern returned $2,200 on an investment of $100.
Peerless returned $1,800 on an investment of $100.
Dillon returned $2,500 on an investment of $100.
New York returned $30,000 on an investment of $100.
Union returned $150,000 on an investment of $100.
Home returned $50,000 on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Company's oil holdings and property, when developed and handled, should not bring like returns.

CONTRARY to the general supposition the earth is the repository of all mineral wealth. When it is known and demonstrated beyond a question of a doubt where its wealth reposes and you put your money up to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people but creates new wealth. It is therefore an investment.

Wonderful Increase in Value of Oil Stocks.

The rapid rise in the value of shares in some oil companies will be seen from the following table:	Original price per share	Present Market price
Black Mountain Oil Co	$ .05	$ 1.50
Central Oil Co	.30	1.50
Home Oil Co. Whittier	.25	2.00
Monte Cristo Co	.10	2.00
West Shore Co	.50	4.00
Twenty-eighth Oil Co	.50	2.50
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	.50	1.90
Sterling Oil & Development Company	.50	2.25
Dillon Oil Co	.25	3.00
Peerless Co	.30	9.62
San Joaquin Oil Co	.50	16.00
Kern Oil Co	.35	10.00
Thirty-three Oil Co	.35	11.50
Kern River Oil Co	.50	26.00
New York Oil Co	.50	30.00
Oil City Petroleum Co	2.50	34.00
Hanford Oil Co	2.00	120.00
Kreyenhagen Oil Co	.10	250.00
Columbia Oil Co	100.00	400.00
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NOT TO TAKE OVER RHODESIA

Official Denial That This Is One of the Objects of Chamberlain's Trip

London, Nov. 21.—The Exchange Telegraph Company says it has been officially authorized to state that the reports that one of the main objects of Mr. Chamberlain's visit to South Africa is to arrange for the Government taking over the territories of the British Chartered Company and also for the administration of Rhodesia as a Crown Colony are unauthorized and untrue. Mr. Chamberlain does not expect to be able to visit Rhodesia in the time at his disposal.

LORD SHOLTO SAYS SHE'S INSANE

Has His Mother-in-Law Arrested for Trying to Burn His Home

San Francisco, Nov. 21.—Mrs. Margaret Mooney, mother-in-law of Lord Sholto Douglass, has been arrested for insanity at the instance of her son. He says she tried to burn the house down and has also threatened to exterminate her family.

Mrs. Mooney gained much notoriety when her daughter married Lord Sholto, as she gave reporters very picturesque interviews. Lord Sholto tried the saloon business in Spokane, but when his father, the Marquis of Queensberry, died, he was recalled to England. He celebrated his departure by inviting the public to his saloon and setting up free drinks until all the liquor was consumed. It was a red-letter night for Spokane bummers.

GREAT BRITAIN'S DEBT

One Hundred and Thirty Million Pounds on Account of War

London, Nov. 21.—An official return issued by the British Government shows that the national debt on March 31 last was £768,442,386, of which £130,000,000 represented the cost of the South African war. Since 1836 war has added nearly £300,000,000 to Britain's debt. In 1836 the debt was £852,172,847, a far greater burden then, when the national wealth, population, etc., are taken into account, than it would be now. The debt reached its lowest point in the last sixty years in 1899, when it totalled £635,040,-968. An interesting fact gleaned from the return is the multiplication of the value of the Suez Canal shares, that splendid investment of the late Earl of Beaconsfield. Purchased in 1876 for £3,-632,046, they are now valued at £27,936,-000.

A Clever Hen

Mr. James Dolan has a hen that has been working overtime during the present year, and has just brought out a third batch of chickens, having hatched them under the verandah. Mr. Dolan says that his hen is of Irish descent, and believes in raising large families.

MANY CHOLERA VICTIMS

Fifty Seven Deaths in Three Days at Gaza and Lydda

London, Nov. 21—Despatches from Constantinople says a proved case of Asiatic cholera ended fatally at Jerusalem yesterday. The disease is spreading with great virulence at Jaffa. There have been fifty-seven deaths in three days at Gaza and Lydda, where the population is being decimated. The authorities are fleeing in all directions.

TO MINE MOLYBDENITE

A $2,000,000 Company Being Formed to Operate in Haliburton

Toronto Star: It is probable that a year will see the establishment of another branch of mining in Haliburton county. The new branch is the production of molybdenite, which is used in tempering steel, and which effects a great saving on the usual process of using silver. Mr. C. M. McArthur, of Fenelon Falls, was in the city on Wednesday on his way to Chicago, accompanied by C. E. Taylor, of the Windy City, and these two gentlemen expect shortly to float a company capitalized at $2,000,000 to work their claims in Haliburton. Their claims number 23, covering about 3,000 acres.

PLENTY OF COAL

Canada to be Taken Care of Says the Railway Company

Buffalo, Nov. 20.—J. J. McWilliams, local sales agents for the D., L. & W. whose office is in the Dun building said this noon:

"While coal consumers cannot get all the coal they need, there is no need of anyone suffering for want of it. At present the lake trade is unusually heavy. The coal must be delivered to the lake ports before the close of navigation, as there are many that are not reached by railroad at all. When this trade is over, more coal than ever will be thrown into Buffalo for local consumption. But of course Canada will have to be taken care of just as soon as the lake trade closes."

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Subscribers to the Daily and also to the Weekly Times who will pay up arrears and also pay a year in advance, will be presented with a magnificent picture of the Coronation of Their Majesties, King Edward VII. and Queen Alexandra—(size 22x28, printed in 14 colors). They are splendid prints, and will serve as mementos of that great historical event. The picture is now to be seen at The Times Bookstore.

DUST CLOUD IN AUSTRALIA

ONE RESULT OF THE SEVEN-YEAR DROUGHT THERE

Gale Sweeps Over the Parched Land Carrying Up Large Quantities of Red Dust—Day Turned Into Night—Lightning Accompanies the Storm but no Rain

Sydney, N.S.W., Nov. 21—The southern parts of Australia have been visited by unprecedently violent dust storms, the dryness which has prevailed for seven years reaching its climax this year. The terribly destructive drought has destroyed the herbage in large areas, laying the land bare.

A heavy gale yesterday raised immense quantities of dust from these tracts and drove vast clouds of red powdered earth far and wide. The atmosphere was oppressive and it was hardly possible to breathe. The darkness was intense while the dust clouds were passing.

The inhabitants of numerous towns were badly frightened by the darkness and hid in their houses. Artificial light was necessary in the streets of Melbourne, where there was also much ball lightning which ignited several buildings.

It was very dark in Sydney. The clouds extended twelve miles seaward. The railroads in some places were blocked by heaps of dust. After the wind subsided the atmosphere was brilliantly pink and the temperature fell suddenly. No rain has fallen.

MANDARIN LOSES HIS HEAD

He was Responsible for the Death of Two English Missionaries

Pekin, Nov. 21—The Military Mandarin Lien Lian Yu of Chenchou-fu, in the province of Honan, who was responsible for the murder of the English missionaries, Bruce and Lewis, last August, was put to death yesterday at Chenmha, in the presence of the British consular representatives.

BOER GENERALS NOT COMING.

Brussels, Nov. 21—Gens. Botha and Delarey are apparently not going to the United States. The Petit Bleu prints an interview with Gen. Delarey to the effect that he and Gen. Botha have decided to return to South Africa, where they will meet Mr. Chamberlain, the British Colonial Secretary, at Pretoria, for the purpose of explaining the situation to him.

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The corporation has opened a branch of its business in Winnipeg, and the attention of property owners, executors, trustees, etc., and other residents in Ontario, who have interests in Manitoba, is called to the unusual facilities offered by the Winnipeg branch for effecting sales of property, prompt collection of rents, appraisement of property, and generally looking after the interests of non-residents, at most reasonable charges.

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PROCLAMATION

Electoral District of WEST PETERBOROUGH, in the Province of Ontario, Dominion of Canada

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Electoral District aforesaid that in pursuance to Part I, of the Liquor Act, poll will be opened at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, on the

4th Day of the Month of December,

IN THE YEAR 1902,

And close on the same day at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, in each of the Townships, Wards or Polling Subdivisions in which a Polling Place is to be opened and kept according to law, viz.:

GALWAY

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all Lots in Concessions 1 to 6 inclusive, and Lots 1 to 15 in Concession A. inclusive, at John Coulter's House.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising Lots 16 to 45 inclusive in Concession A. and Lots 1 to 15 from Concession 7, inclusive, to Northern Boundary, at M. Hartnet's House

Polling Subdivision No. 3—Comprising Lots 16 to 35 from Concession 7, inclusive, to Northern Boundary, at the Swamp Lake Schoolhouse.

CAVENDISH

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all Lots in Concessions 1 to 11, inclusive, at John Cochrane's House.

Polling Subdivison No. 2—Comprising all Lots from Concession 12, inclusive, to Northern Boundary, at Austin Ford's House.

HARVEY

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all the Lots lying south of Pigeon Lake, in Concessions 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 of the Township of Harvey, also Big Island and Jacob's Island, at the Town Hall, Lakehurst.

Polling Subdivision No. 2 Comprising all that part of Concessions 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19, lying north of Pigeon Lake, in the Township of Harvey, at Ventress's Schoolhouse.

Polling Subdivision No. 3—Comprising all the Lots and parts of Lots in Concessions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 of the Township of Harvey, at Jas. Pluard's House.

ENNISMORE

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all Lots north of a line dividing the north and south halves of Concession 5, at the Town Hall

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising all Lots south of a line dividing the north and south halves of Concession 5, at O'Reilly's Schoolhouse.

SMITH

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all Lots and parts of Lots in the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Concessions and all Lots and parts of Lots east and west of the Communication Road and south of Lot No. 7, at Milburn's Schoolhouse.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising all Lots and parts of Lots in the 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th Concessions, west of the road between Lots 18 and 19, and all Lots and parts of Lots east and west of the Communication Road, north of Lot No. 6, and including the Village of Bridgenorth, at the Town Hall, Bridgenorth.

Polling Subdivision No. 3—Comprising all Lots and parts of Lots in the 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th Concessions east of the road between Lots 18 and 19, and west of the line between Lots 31 and 32, at Ray's Schoolhouse.

Polling Subdivision No. 4—Comprising all Lots and parts of Lots in the 12th, 13th 14th, and 15th Concessions, west of the line between Lots 31 and 32, and all Lots and parts of Lots in the 16th, 17th and 18th Concessions, lying between Buckhorn Lake and Deer Bay, at the Temperance Hall, Selwyn.

Polling Subdivision No. 5—Comprising all Lots and parts of Lots in the 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th and 15th Concessions east of the line between Lots 31 and 32, and all Lots and parts of Lots in the 16th Concession east of Deer Bay, at Heard's Hall, Young's Point.

VILLAGE OF LAKEFIELD

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all that portion of the Village of Lakefield situate in the Township of Smith, and that portion of the said Village situate in Township of Douro, south of King street and west of Queen street, and that portion of the Mill reserve south of Water street and west of and including Lot No. 4 of said Mill reserve, at the Town Hall.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising all that portion of the Village of Lakefield situate in the Township of Douro, east of Lot No. 4 Mill reserve, east of Queen street and north of King street, at the Division Court Office.

NORTH MONAGHAN

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising Concession Nos. 10 and 11, east of Township Lot 8, Concession 12 east of Quarter Line, and the 13th Concession, at May's Schoolhouse.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising Concession No. 12, west from Quarter Line; Concessions 10 and 11 west from Township Lot 9, and Concessions 7, 8 and 9, at the Town Hall.

SOUTH MONAGHAN

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising Lots 1 to 8, inclusive, in Concessions B. F 1 and part of 2, at the Orange Hall, Bailieboro.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising Lots 1 to 8, inclusive, in Concessions 3, 4, 5, 6, and part of 2, at the Town Hall, Centreville.

Polling Subdivision No 3—Comprising all Lots east of Lot No. 8, at the Bensfort Schoolhouse.

TOWN OF PETERBOROUGH

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising that part of Ward No. 1 lying south of Lake street, at J McCarthy's House, 137 Lake street.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising that part of Ward No. 1 between Lake and Rink streets, at J. Booth's House, 39 Stewart street.

Polling Subdivision No. 3—Comprising that part of Ward No. 1 between Rink and Dalhousie and Paterson streets, at H. Darke's House, 124 Rubidge street.

Polling Subdivision No. 4—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 1 lying north of Dalhousie street and east of Stewart street, at L. Spry's Shop, Stewart street.

Polling Subdivision No. 5—Comprising that Part of Ward No 1 lying north of Dalhousie and Paterson streets and west of Stewart street, at J Miller's Shop, Rubidge street.

Polling Subdivision No. 6—Comprising that Part of Ward No 2 lying east of George street, at the Council Chamber.

Polling Subdivision No. 7 Comprising that Part of Ward No. 2 lying between George and Bethune streets, at Paterson's Office, Aylmer street

Polling Subdivision No 8—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 2 lying west of Bethune street, at M. Green's Shop, 352 Charlotte street.

Polling Subdivision No 9—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 3 lying east of George street, at 452 George street.

Polling Subdivision No. 10—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 3 lying between George and Bethune streets, at Mathers's Shop, Aylmer street.

Polling Subdivision No. 11—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 3 lying between Bethune and Donegal streets, at Wm. McCall's Shop.

Polling Subdivision No. 12—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 3 lying west of Donegal street, at N. Rootley's Shop.

Polling Subdivision No. 13—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 4 lying south of Antrim street, at 188 Edinburgh street.

Polling Subdivision No. 14—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 4 lying between Antrim street and Barnardo avenue and Inverlea street, at W. Lee's Shop, Smith street.

Polling Subdivision No. 15—Comprising that Part of Ward No 4 lying north of Barnardo avenue and Inverlea street, at Wm. Dutcher's Shop, 865 Water street

All of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Peterborough, this sixth day of the month of November, in the year 1902.

JAMES A. HALL,
RETURNING OFFICER.

SPECULATORS IN OIL

$2,300 of Lakefield Money Floated in Oil

There is some anxiety in certain speculative quarters of the progressive village of Lakefield regarding a recent investment made in the Texas Oil Wells. It seems that Mr. T. H. Benson, late manager of the Linton Bank, was the chief promoter of the scheme. Two gentlemen were sent down to Texas where the oil wells, which the Company had in view of purchasing, were situated. Dr. Baker, one of the gentlemen who went south on the inspection, advised the purchase of the property which was to cost $2,300. This amount was raised by Lakefield subscribers and supposed to have been paid to the owners of the oil wells. It is now alleged in Lakefield that only $1,100 of this was handed over and that the remaining $1,200 is not accounted for. Dr. Baker, who will be able to throw some light on the matter, is in the back country shooting, and his arrival home is anxiously awaited, when it is expected that all matters will be satisfactorily explained.

—St. Mark's Church will have a fowl supper in the Forester's hall, Otonabee, tonight.

THE BOGUS CHECK ARTIST

The Man Who Skinned Peterborough Merchants Still at Large

The fellow who worked off a number of bogus checks here, is still at large and has been getting in his fine work in Brantford, Guelph and other places.

The Brantford Courier says: The fellow of many aliases stepped on to the G.T.R. platform Saturday morning and at once commenced his plan of campaign. It is said he came from Harrisburg, for a man passing through on the train saw him changing his garb. At any rate when he arrived here he presented the picture of a quiet, unassuming agriculturalist, with small cap, sweater and blue overalls. Before he had left town Saturday night he had succeeded in doing up probably a dozen or more local merchants. Already six have confessed and likely many others have decided that in view of the circumstances silence is the wisest policy.

On Saturday Night

Mr. Bradburn, manager of the Opera House, received the following telegram from Dunlop & Hutcheroff, managers of the Opera House, Guelph:—

"Osborne Faust gave satisfactory performance. Scenery and electrical effects superb.

Your Hair

"Two years ago my hair was falling out badly. I purchased a bottle of Ayer's Hair Vigor, and soon my hair stopped coming out."
Miss Minnie Hoover, Paris, Ill.

Perhaps your mother had thin hair, but that is no reason why you must go through life with half-starved hair. If you want long, thick hair, feed it with Ayer's Hair Vigor, and make it rich, dark, and heavy.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

If your druggist cannot supply you, send us one dollar and we will express you a bottle. Be sure and give the name of your nearest express office. Address, J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

DISTRICT NEWS

KEENE.

—Miss Susie Campbell, of Peterborough was calling on friends here on Wednesday.

—We are pleased to learn that Mr. Wm. Pullyblank has secured a situation in Strathcona, N.W.T., and hope he will be successful in his new home.

—Mrs. Thomas Mather died at the family residence, Otonabee, on Sunday. The deceased was 81 years of age at the time of her death and resided in Otonabee all her life. The funeral on Tuesday to the Pine Grove cemetery was very largely attended.

—The farmers are drawing large quantities of grain to Mr. C. Leith's elevator at the station.

—Mrs. Roach leaves for Buffalo in a few days, where she will spend the winter.

—The temperance people in this section are working hard to secure the passage of the referendum.

—It is rumored that there is a movement on foot to have street lamps in the village. We trust that it will be successfully carried out.

—Mr. Crowly, of Peterboro, was visiting at Mr. Edward Foley's for a few days this week.

—Pig killing is nearly over in the village for this fall. Mr. P. Roach does the job quickly and neatly.

—The roads in this section are in bad condition on account of the frequent rains.

INDIAN RIVER.

—Mr. Edward and Michael Fitzgerald, of Peterborough, visited with his brothers here on Sunday last.

—Mr. William McManus and Miss K. Marquis drove through the village on Sunday last.

—Mr. Daniel McKenty, of Vancouver is here at present to celebrate his wedding on Tuesday next.

—A number of our sports took in the wedding of Miss Fanny Quinlan on Tuesday, the 11th inst.

Miss Annie O'Keefe of Havelock, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. John O'Grady.

—The citizens of Indian River are glad to see Mr. A. Whibbs progressing rapidly from his recent sickness.

—A story told by our three deer hunters, Messrs. Launergan, O'Leary and Leahy:—They arrived at Longford, their hunting grounds, on the 1st of November, and cast their tent in a cosy spot. Mr. O'Leary, who is a mighty hunter and woodsman, set out the first afternoon in search of rabbits, partridges and such. Luckily he killed many of the same and returned to camp. Mr. Launergan, who was chief cook as well as butcher and ripper, stewed the rabbits and partridge which had been killed, and all three partook of a hearty supper. The second day they left very early in the morning, Mr. Leahy taking the hounds as he was the most experienced at putting them on the trail. When evening had come they failed to find Leahy. They searched for three days but all in vain. They finally came to the conclusion that he had captured a deer and made his escape to New Ontario; but to their great surprise he arrived in camp after the two had partaken of a very hearty supper. This is the most important event in their story, while the two deers which O'Leary and Launergan had captured in past years were very glad to see their two Johns, and have them tell of this pleasant hunting trip.

HORSES WANTED

The Undersigned will be at Bennett's Hotel, Newcastle, on Monday Morning, Nov. 24th, Balmoral Hotel, Bowmanville, Monday afternoon, Nov. 24th, North American Hotel, Orono, Tuesday morning, Nov. 25th, Coulter's Hotel, Pontypool, on Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 25th, White's Hotel, Peterboro, Saturday, Nov. 22nd, and Wednesday Nov. 26th, for the purpose of buying a carload of good, sound, fat horses of every description, for which the highest prices will be paid.

Farmers and others having horses to dispose of cannot do better than enter into a deal with Mr. Pearson

W. J. PEARSON

Simla, Nov. 21—The British expedition under Gen. Egerton against the rebellious Wazaris on the Afghan frontier entered the Kabul Khel country yesterday.

A large section of the Waziris became alarmed and sent representatives to the British commander to ask for terms of peace.

The fourth column on the Waziri expedition has met with determined opposition. The commander of the column, Col. Tremocky, has been badly wounded. Major Beresford, the second in command, has asked for reinforcements. The Political Officer at Gumatti has promised to send all available assistance to him.

Reporter Wanted

A young man, with a good education, wanted as reporter on The Times. Apply at the business office.

—Writing paper, only four cents per quire at The Times Bookstore.

Mainly About People.

"What can we do with Rosslyn?" Disraeli once asked of Salisbury. "Make him master of the buckhounds, as his father was," suggested the latter. "No," replied the Premier, "he swears far too much for that. We will make him high commissioner to the Church of Scotland."

Senator Proctor of Vermont says the finest speech he ever made consisted of only four words. It was a retort to Senator Hoar's sarcastic little thrust in a speech directed at the Green Mountain senator. He said: "No man in Vermont is allowed to vote unless he has made five thousand dollars trading with Massachusetts people." Whereat Proctor said: "And we all vote."

The principal of a high school tells the following anecdote: One day at school I gave a bright boy a sum in algebra, and, although the problem was comparatively easy, he couldn't do it. I remarked, "You ought to be ashamed of yourself. At your age George Washington was a surveyor." The boy looked me straight in the eyes and replied, "Yes, sir; and at your age he was President of the United States."

A good story comes from the Davidson Theater, in Chicago, and runs to the effect that a man from up the State went in to see the opera the other night, pulling his money from his pocket before he reached the box-office window. "I want tew git a good seat," he said, loud enough to be heard all over the lobby of the theater, "and I want it right down the middle lane, and close up tew the exercises." He got it.

A hunting party of ladies and gentlemen were detained by a storm at the hut of a Virginia backwoodsman. Dinner being served, there was an embarrassing paucity of knives. The mother, wishing to impress her aristocratic guests, called in a commanding tone to her young daughter, "Fetch some more knives, Sairey; you know we've got thousands of 'em." "Law, no, ma'm; they're all thar! Thar's 'Big Butch,' and 'Little Butch,' and 'Razor-Back,' and 'Bunty.'"

David Lloyd-George, a member of Parliament from Wales, tells a good story on himself in connection with a Disestablishment meeting in which he has been taking part in Wales. A few days previous, it seems, there had been a Church Defence meeting held in the same place, at which a certain prominent dignitary of the Establishment had spoken, referring to whom Mr. Lloyd-George's chairman observed: "In my opinion that Churchman is one of the biggest liars in North Wales, but, thank goodness, we've got a match for him here to-night!"

"Chums" tells of a certain wild beast tamer who had been on bad terms for some time with one of his neighbors, and the other day, as the result of a violent quarrel, the latter, with a friend, attacked the former just before he was timed to give his performance. The tamer, unwilling to make a scene, took refuge in the lion's den. Judge of the amusement of the spectators when they beheld the two men standing in front of the cage and shouting through the bars at regular intervals: "Come out of that, you big coward; come out of that!"

Some little while ago a rather eccentric cotton manufacturer, owning large mills not a score of miles from Halifax, England, and who was familiarly known in the district round about as "Owd H——," overheard one of the lads in his employ remark to somebody: "Aw wish Aw hed 'Owd H——'s' brass, an' he wor i' th' warkhause." Quickly retiring, "Owd H——" sent for the offender into his office, and asked him what he would do with the money, supposing his wish were to be fulfilled. The youngster was quite equal to the occasion, promptly replying: "Whoy, th' furst thing Aw'd do wod be ta fotch yo aat (out), maister." This clever reply so appeased the old gentleman that the boy was sent back to his work with half a sovereign in his pocket.

The other afternoon, says the New York "Tribune," when President Roosevelt reached Dupont Circle, a "seeing Washington" electric car hove in sight, and the guide continued his lecture through a megaphone in this way: "On the left we see the elegant residence of Mr. George Westinghouse, the millionaire inventor and electrician, formerly the home of the late James G. Blaine; a little to the left of front we perceive the palatial mansion of Mr. L. Z. Leiter, the Chicago millionaire, and father of the famous beauty, Miss Mary Leiter, now Lady Curzon, the wife of the Governor-General of India; in the park in front we are confronted by the statue of Admiral Dupont, and also in front we see the President of the United States on horseback." The crowd looked, and one woman said, "Whose statue is it, McKinley's?" "It's Roosevelt," the guide responded. "He ain't a statue yet."

Something Wrong With the Shammy.

There is a prominent doctor in Germantown who is busy telling a little joke on himself, says the Philadelphia "Evening Telegraph." It appears that he employed an Irish servant who had just arrived from the "ould sod." Starting out one morning, he noticed his office windows were rather dirty, and calling Bridget, he instructed her to clean them before he returned. At the same time he told her that he would stop and purchase a new chamois skin and send it home, and with this she was to clean the windows. After he had gone his rounds he found them thickly streaked with grease. He called Bridget, and the following colloquy took place:

"Bridget, didn't I tell you to clean the windows?"

"Yes, sor."

"And didn't I tell you to use the new chamois?"

"Yes, sor."

"Well, did you use it?"

"Sure I did, sor."

"Let me see the chamois," said the doctor, and Bridget promptly brought it. Then for the first time he learned that his wife had left the house a half hour before he did in the morning and had sent home some tripe. The doctor declines to say what happened to the chamois skin.

Little gobs of powder,
Little specks of paint,
Make the little Freckle
Look as if it ain't.

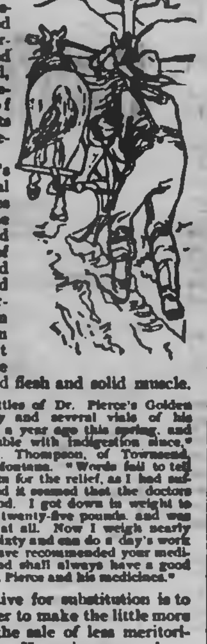
Jack—It is mighty hard to be the son of a self-made millionaire. Tom—Why so? Jack—A fellow can't decide whether to go into business and live up to his father's reputation, or go into society and live it down.—"Town Topics."

A Fine Photo

A very large sized photo of the Ketchecum Hunt Club, of Peterborough, adorns the window of the Kingan Co's Hardware Store on George street. Seventeen members of the club, eleven fine deer, some deer skins and three hounds are brought plainly to view in the picture, which is a credit to the artist, Mr. Roy's photographer, who was one of the party.

THE FARMER FAILS

In health just as does the city-man, and he fails commonly from the same cause, "stomach trouble." The farm is a wholesome place to live; the farmer's life is a healthy life; but no external advantages can overcome the effects of a diseased stomach. When the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition are diseased, the food eaten is imperfectly digested and assimilated, and the consequent loss of nutrition results in physical debility.



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J. R. STRATTON,
Provincial Secretary.
Parliament Buildings, Toronto, Nov-

English themes.

Mr. Max Beerbohm, in a recent review, writes that he has codified, as it were, all the English comic papers, and finds the following list to comprise, in the order of their importance, all of the subjects discussed:

Mothers-in-law.
Hen-pecked husbands.
Twins.
Old maids.
Jews.
Frenchmen, Germans, Italians, niggers (not Russians or other foreigners of any denomination).
Fatness.
Thinness.
Long hair (worn by a man).
Baldness.
Sea-sickness.
Stuttering.
Bloomers.
Bad cheese.
Shooting the moon (slang expression for leaving a lodging-house without paying the bill).
Red noses.

Questions and Answers.

Here are some answers to questions in examination papers:

What religion had the Britons? A strange and terrible one called religion of the dudes.

What caused the death of Cleopatra? It was because she bit a wasp.

What can you tell of Johnson? He survived Shakespeare in some respects.

What is the spinal column? Bones running all over the body. It is considered dangerous.

Name a domestic animal useful for clothing, and describe its habits. Ox. Doesn't have any habits, because it lives in a stable.

What is the function of the gastric juice? To digest the stomach.—New York "Tribune."

A Clue That Failed.

Deductions in the manner of Sherlock Holmes do not always work out successfully. They did not, as it was reported by the Washington "Post." A group of reporters were talking together, and one of them, who liked to play the amateur detective, devoted part of his time to watching a man standing some distance away.

"That man used to be in the army," he said.

"How do you know?"

"See how he puts his hand into his trousers pocket. He lifts up the side of his coat—look! he's doing it now—instead of pushing the coat back as we do. He acquired the habit from wearing a fatigue coat in the army. A fatigue coat, you know, is cut square about the body. To put the hand in the trousers pocket, one must lift up the side."

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STOCK MARKETS

Stock Market Shorts in Danger

New York, Nov. 21.—The spectacular upward movement in Manhattan the past three or four days and the rapid but to a less degree rise in B. R. T. and Met., illustrate most powerfully the dangers of being in too much company on the short side of the market at present. The bear campaign has created a very large short interest in many other stock also, notably copper, sugar, Southern and Union Pacific and St. Paul. An immense borrowing demand both in the loan crowd and privately is existing at present. It would not be at all surprising if in many instances it is treated as were the shorts in Manhattan. An extended bear campaign in which considerable declines were recorded has created this vast short interest. Several days ago we in these letters cautioned our readers that the larger bears would probably cover some of their commitments through purchasing stocks from the timid bears and frightened bulls and warned speculators not to be the last persons to dispose of stocks, especially shares that they did not have. What we expected came about. The position at the moment is in our opinion dangerous. The bears are for the moment flushed with success. Their courage has consequently increased and their caution diminished. While a couple of months ago you could scarcely find a bear in any broker's office, to-day there are many of them. When the public become inclined to bearishness the market as a rule is close to lowest prices, as the public are not naturally bears, that position usually being taken by professionals only. The professionals usually abandon the bear side of the market when he finds the public coming around to it. He knows the extreme danger of having too much company on the bear side and the likelihood of resultant advances engineered by the pools. The market is down, while bullish conditions are as existent as heretofore. Ultimately they must, as they always do, influence prices. After a decided and sharp movement in either direction with conditions favoring the opposite side, it is advisable to go with the conditions and not with the trend of the then immediate market.

Summary—St. Paul assumed market leadership, opening at 173 1-2 and selling up to 180. New York Central and Rock Island issues were greedily absorbed as Missouri Pacific which rose over three points. The Pacifics were in heavy demand also, and are cheap intrinsically. Balance of the railway market followed the leaders closely, save Traction shares, which were most naturally reactionary after their tremendous recent activity and advances. The Gould contingent were pronouncedly bullish. Manhattan fell from 184 1-2 to 150, then recovered over 1-2 loss. Copper was taken in hand and advanced to 69. Sugar crossed 121. Both issues as well as other industrials look like doing better. The market looks well and will we believe most immediately sell higher. Money closed 4 per cent. Sales 1,083,500.

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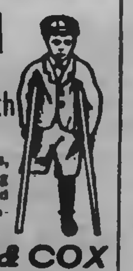

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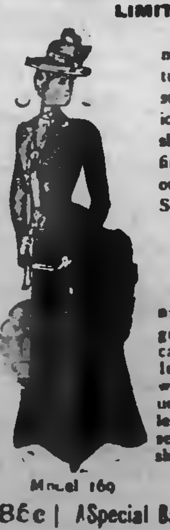

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

A New Weighing Machine

Peterborough merchants and others will be interested in knowing that an application is before the Government for a charter by a company which proposes to manufacture in Toronto a new weighing machine, which, instead of announcing figures on a dial, does so by means of a voice within the machine.

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Killed at Illinois

Rev. I. W. Pufer, who had charge of Maynooth mission of the Methodist church a few years ago was run down by an engine at Decatur, Ill., and received injuries which caused his death on the 4th inst. The deceased clergyman was well known in this district and had a number of warm friends in Peterborough who will learn with regret of his death under such sad circumstances.

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C. P. R. Changes

As already announced in these columns, Mr. W. S. Dodd, who has been in charge of the Havelock station for seven years will succeed Mr. Harrison as local agent in Peterborough. Mr. Harrison goes to Pontypool, and Mr. R. J. Green, of Locust Hill, takes Mr. Dodd's place at Havelock. Mr. Anderson, of Pontypool, goes to Milton. Mr. Dodd is well known to many of our citizens. He is popular and exceedingly obliging.

Died in Lindsay

Lindsay Post:—Mr. Chas. Guillet, brother of Mr. George Guillet, ex-M. P., of Cobourg, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Peter Mitchell, Wellington street, died at an early hour this morning, after a protracted illness of several months. Mr. Guillet came to Lindsay about two months ago, hoping that a change of air would be beneficial to his health, but it proved a false hope and he continued to fail until death gave him a happy release. Mr. Guillet was a former postmaster at Cobourg, and a member of one of the best known and respected families of that town. The funeral will take place at Cobourg.

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Fenian Raid Medals

Application for Fenian raid medals of 1866-70 who have not made their applications may find the door closed against them with the last day of December, 1902. The order granting the medals was issued on June 8, 1899, and it was then expected that ten thousand would prove to be outside figure that the applicants would reach, even if all applied who survived. There have been actually issued 14,544, in Canada and 1,500 in Great Britain, the later covering the regular troops. Notwithstanding that it is over four years since the order calling for applications was issued, seven applicants came into the department at Ottawa the other day from different Canadian points.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and Social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. John Donnelley, of Millbrook, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. J. J. Roberts, of Port Hope, was in town on business yesterday.

—Mr. W. Garrow has returned home after an absence of about three months in the United States.

—Mrs. Barr, wife of Dr. Barr, M.P.P., of Melbourne, is in town visiting Mrs. (Rev.) J. P. Wilson.

—Mr. W. S. Dodd, the new C.P.R agent who succeeds Mr. Harrison, has arrived in town, and will assume his duties in a day or two.

—Miss Walter, Peterborough, who has been enjoying a few days with her friend Mrs. Russell, John street, returned home today—Port Hope Guide.

—Mr. Sam Maguire, who has been in poor health for some time, was in Peterborough last week undergoing treatment by the X-rays. — North Hastings Review.

—Mr. Farrel, who has been in the employee of the Cordage Co., for some time past, leaves for his home in Boston to-night. On Wednesday night he was tendered a banquet.

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—A new opera house capable of seating 1,200 is one of the possibilities of the near future. It is said the plan has already been prepared.

—The concert given by Court Stanley, A.O.F. in the Sons of England Hall on Thursday night was well attended, and all present enjoyed themselves immensely.

—Messrs. McDougall, Brandon & Austin, Fenelon Falls, shipped three carloads of livestock —one comprising hogs and the other two cattle — to Peterborough and Toronto today. The hogs were picked up at the Falls and the cattle at Kinmount and Haliburton. Mr. McIlihargey also shipped a load of hogs to Peterborough paying $6.00 per 100 lbs. for the lot.— Lindsay Post.

—Millbrook Reporter:—"The sermon by the Rev. Mr. Wilson, of Peterborough, at the preparatory service in the Presbyterian church on Friday evening last, pleased the congregation very much."

—A public meeting was held in Lindsay this week at which it was decided to submit a by-law to the ratepayers proposing to spend $40,000 on the streets of the town.

—It is claimed that more than 10,000 licenses to kill deer were issued by the Ontario Government this year. Each license cost two dollars and allowed the killing of two deer. As every man would on the average get his two deer, there will be at least 20,000 killed during the season. At this rate there are grave fears entertained that this species of game will soon be extinct.

BAND CONCERT

In the Opera House Last Night a Decided Success

The band concert and entertainment given by the 57th Regimental Band, assisted by Miss Emma T. Irons, elocutionist, Toronto, and Mr. Bert Harvey, comic vocalist, Toronto, was one of the best ever given in Peterborough. A most excellent programme was given, and the large audience showed their appreciation by the hearty encores to those taking part in the entertainment and to the band. Miss Irons and Mr. Harvey were compelled to respond several times to the repeated encores of the audience.

The music rendered by the band was excellent and great credit is due Mr. Gliddon for the careful training and high efficiency which the band has attained.

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POLICE COURT

Found Guilty of Stealing an Apron—Released on Suspended Sentence

Mrs. Perry came up for trial at the police court yesterday. She was charged with stealing jewellry, a number of articles of clothing, etc., from a lady at whose house she was boarding. No evidence was adduced to show that she had taken anything that did not belong to her except an apron and that she had left at another house in town before taking her departure. She claimed she had borrowed the apron and forgotten to return it to the owner. The case occupied considerable time, and the magistrate finally found Mrs. Perry guilty but allowed her to go on suspended sentence.

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ORO RICO

A Mining Syndicate That Will Surely Succeed

Elsewhere in this issue we publish the advertisement of the Oro Rico Mining Syndicate, and we urge all our readers of a speculative turn of mind, to read it. The Syndicate has a capital stock of $3,000,000, par value shares of $1, full paid. The officers are men well versed in mining operations and the Broadway Bank and Trust Company, of Los Angeles, California, have given permission to allow their names to be used as references as to the financial reliability of the Syndicate. The property of the Oro Rico Mining Syndicate consists of three great gold mines, of 600 acres. The mines are developed and as soon as the mill for mining the ore is put in operation there is little doubt but that the shareholders will receive handsome dividends. Vast ledges of ores, showing values from $4.00 to over $800 have been opened and the mines are located in a very rich mining section near the Vanderbilt, Old Province Silver, Goldstone Bonanza, a King, Silver King, etc. The later was purchased by Philadelphia people for $400,000 and has since produced $1,800,000. With all these favorable conditions investment in Oro Rico stock should prove a bonanza.

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THE CENTRAL EXHIBITION

Meeting of the Directors Called for This Afternoon

Mr. W. J. Green, Secretary of the Peterborough Central Exhibition, has issued a call for a meeting of the directors and others interested in the society, to be held in the Town Council Chamber this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

The directors have paid no prizes or accounts in connection with the late Exhibition, using the money which was taken in at the gate to discharge the former debts of the society.

We hope that some way may be found of continuing the exhibition and straightening things up. We are sure funds could be obtained if proper steps were taken, to put the society in good financial shape.

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MR. HULLETT'S DENIAL

He Writes That He Bought No Lennox Votes with Pigs

Mr. J. S. Hulett, photographer, of Napanee, writes, on Nov. 19:—"I notice in your paper re Lennox election my name is conspicuously mentioned therein, purporting to give pigs away in order to bribe voters for Mr. M. S. Madole. These statements are entirely false from beginning to end, and I must, therefore, ask you to retract the statement at once.

The statements which Mr. Hulett denies were contained in affidavits filed on an application by the cross-petitioners in the Lennox election case. The cross-petitioners sought to obtain summonses on charge of bribery against four men of Lennox, but the application was refused.

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THE LIFE OF
The Man Behind the Desk

"Coffee coaked me hard for about three years and I was troubled with indigestion, headaches and drowsiness; I had no appetite and could not sleep and I was steadily losing flesh all the time.

I had spent a small fortune on medicine and doctors' bills; I consulted several doctors, one told me that I had liver trouble, another told me that I had kidney trouble, others prescribed remedies for numerous complaints, but none help me and I finally looked upon my bad stomach as a part of my miserable existence, giving up all hope of ever being myself again.

I knew that the cause of it all was due to office work, which precluded sufficient bodily exercise and the eating of non-nourishing and non-digestive food, and the drinking of tea and coffee. I had to quit my work as I lost my mental and physical strength.

A friend of mine, who weighs about 240 lbs. and who looks the picture of health advised me to use Grape-Nuts as a food and drink Postum Cereal Coffee. He said that his perfect health was due to the use of these two pure cereals. He said that they would build up the delicate cells of the brain and body, and restore me to health.

I acted on his advice and have no cause to regret it. I have now been using Grape-Nuts and Postum Coffee for some time and am in perfect health and weigh 10 lbs. more than I ever did.

Grape-Nuts Food is the crystallized essence of all cereals. I eat it four times a day, prepared with cream, and also by pouring some out of the box into my hand and then eating it. Postum Coffee has also helped me greatly." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

WEDDING IN DOURO

Mr. Felix Lynch and Miss Josie Sullivan Married

St. Joseph's Church, Douro, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Tuesday morning. The contracting parties were Mr. Felix Lynch and Miss Josie Sullivann and Rev. Father Kelly performed the ceremony.

The bride was attired in a suit of blue ladies' cloth, trimmed with silk applique, and wore a picture hat to match. The bridesmaid, Miss Esther Carveth, was tastefully gowned in a similar suit. The groom was ably supported by Mr. J. E. Sullivan, brother of the bride.

The wedding party at the conclusion of the ceremony drove to the former home of the bride, where a sumptuous repast was partaken of. The many beautiful and costly presents showed the high esteem in which the young couple are held.

In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Lynch drove to their new home on Union street, town, accompanied by the good wishes of their many friends for their future joy and happiness.

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HOSPITAL OPENED

Mr. James Ross' Gift to the Town of Lindsay

The Ross Memorial Hospital at Lindsay, was opened on Thursday. The Hospital is a gift to the town by Mr. Jas. Ross, of Montreal, who formerly resided in Lindsay. Mr. and Mrs. Ross were tendered a hearty reception. Mr. Ross made a very appropriate and eloquent reply.

Other guests present from a distance were Mr. Jack Ross, of Montreal; Dr. Chamberlain, Inspector of Hospitals for Ontario; Drs. O'Rielly, Ross, Temple, Bingham and Ryerson, and the Hon. F. R. Latchford, of Toronto.

All these gentlemen made short addresses and the medical men present pronounced the hospital to be one of the finest and best equipped institutions of the kind in Canada. It will be a standing monument to Mr. Ross' generosity, and the people of Lindsay are justly proud of both Mr. Ross and the building.

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MARRIED

BROWN—SHARPE—At the residence of the bride's parents on Thursday, Nov. 20th, by the Rev. W. J. Joliffe, B.C.L., Mr. William Brown, of the township of Smith, to Miss Minnie, daughter of Abraham Sharp, of Peterborough.

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THE CHEQUE SHARP

Every Effort will be Made to Catch This Menace to Public Safety

The check swindler, who got ahead of a number of local merchants recently, is likely soon to be caught.

One of the cheques from Woodstock, where he operated lately, was sent to the Attorney-General's Department at Toronto, the authorities having telegraphed for one. The provincial detectives will keep a close watch for the slick young chap who has been so successful in defrauding so many merchants in different centres of Ontario.

About six years ago a similar scheme was worked by a sharper with equal success. He commenced operations at Montreal and worked his way through Ontario to Port Arthur. From Port Arthur he paid a business visit to Windsor and then started on a tour eastward. When he reached Brantford he was caught and convicted of forging cheques. Telegrams from all over the province poured in on the Brantford police, and the man was finally sent to prison to serve a lengthy term.

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Prof. Edson A. Titus, Ph. D. phrenologist and Massagist, is now located in Private Parlors at 322 Water street, corner Charlotte, where he is demonstrating daily the power of Scientific Massage to cure Chronic ailments. Mr. Titus is always in attendance upon lady patients. He is also teaching the principles and practice of the Drugless Cure, and would like one more pupil for this locality.

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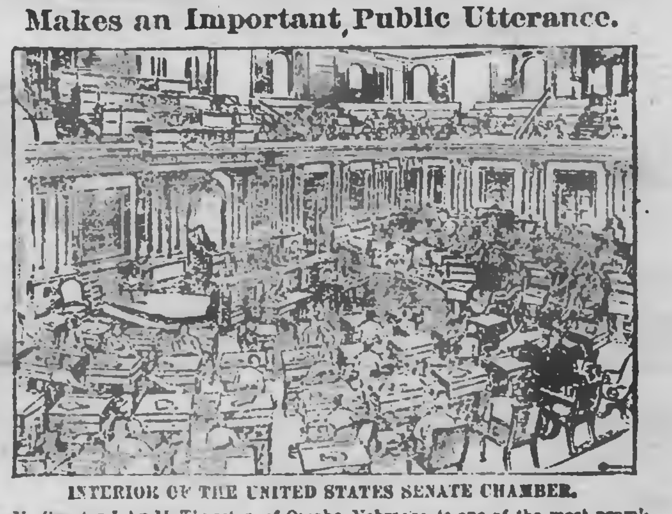

INTERIOR OF THE UNITED STATES SENATE CHAMBER.

Ex-Senator John M. Thurston, of Omaha, Nebraska, is one of the most prominent and influential men in the country. He made the speech nominating President McKinley at the St. Louis convention, and was made permanent Chairman of this convention. He was also made Chairman of the convention that renominated the late President McKinley at Philadelphia. He was appointed by President McKinley to be Chairman of the St. Louis Exposition Commission.

This prominent gentleman recently wrote the following letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio:

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Catarrh has already become a national curse. Its ravages extend from ocean to ocean.

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THREE BOER DELEGATES ARE NOW IN EXILE

Wessels, Fisher and Wolmarans Cannot Return to South Africa

Big Run on Paris Savings Banks—Withdrawals Since the Beginning of the Year Amount to $20,600,000

London, Nov. 22—According to a telegram from The Hague, says a Brussels correspondent, permission to return to South Africa has been refused to Boer delegates Wessels, Fisher and Wolmarans.

London, Nov. 22—The Times states that Dr. Parkin, who has been at Oxford for a few weeks, arranging the conditions under which candidates for the Cecil Rhodes Scholarships are to be admitted to the university, will sail today for New York. Consulting authorities throughout Canada and United States are to be named, with a view to furnishing the Rhodes trustees with information necessary for the selection of scholars.

London, Nov. 22—The run on the ordinary savings bank continues, says a Paris correspondent. The withdrawals since the beginning of the year amount to $20,600,000. No satisfactory explanation of the run on the banks has been given and the correspondent remarks that the theory that it is in revenge for the expulsion of nuns in untenable.

London, Nov. 22—It is denied, says a Paris correspondent, that the members of the Patrie Francaise League will contain two parties, even if there is no actual split.

IN A BLOCKHOUSE DURING THE WAR

Interesting Letter From a South African War Veteran

HOW THE BOYS KILLED TIME

The Hours Spent Off Duty was the Longest in the Day

The Times is in receipt of the following interesting account of life in the South African blockhouse during the war, written by Pte. Waddel, of the Canadian Scouts:

The answer to the question: "How did you spend the time in a blockhouse?" depends largely on the position of that blockhouse on the line of communication. By this I mean that more frequent attempts were made to cross the line in certain "sections" than in others, consequently the inhabitants of the former "houses" had a much more exciting time than those of the latter.

However, I take it that an account of the routine and methods of pastime obtaining in any one of these miniature strongholds will apply, generally, to the whole. The one I occupied for a period of four months, previous to leaving for England, was a unit in the series taken up by the Seaforth Highlanders and extending from Bethulie bridge to Burghersdorp.

Each was composed of two parallel walls of corrugated iron, having a circumference of about forty feet and an inner diameter of twelve feet. The space between the walls—about one foot, six inces—was filled with a mixture of shale and gravel, thus rendering it bullet-proof. The roof, of the same material, was conical, and the whole painted khaki, to coincide as nearly as possible with the color of the surrounding veldt.

The walls were pierced by twelve loopholes, which commanded every possible approach, while the whole was surrounded by a deep circular trench, strengthened by a double fence of barbed wire, *and immediately* above it on its outer edge, the second at a radius of about fifteen yards. Each of our houses contained a non-commissioned officer and six men, though I may say here that the blockhouses commanding important positions, such as the ends of bridges, etc., where square or hexagonal towers of stone, and, of course, manned by a stronger force.

In the average blockhouse the occupation of "time-killing" was by far the most onerous the soldier had to perform. In a detachment consisting of six privates, four hours of each twenty-four would be occupied by "sentry-go;" the remaining twenty had to be "killed." The modes of encompassing this "murder" were various, but I must confess that frequent repetition made them, to a great extent, wearisome. For a few weeks after taking possession we were occupied in strengthening the existing defences by means of additional strands of wire, but when this task was completed, we were, in the main, left to our own devices.

Generally speaking, a portion of the time "off duty" was spent in tending the garden, situated between the inner and outer defences and which was at once productive of much mirth, comparison and friendly rivalry. For the gardeners were, in many cases, decided amateurs and the questions whether peas should be sown in a deep trench or potatoes planted more than three inches apart elicited many sarcastic remarks from the better informed. In most instances the appearance of these plots of cultivated ground was enhanced by ornamental rockeries, scrolls legends, etc., composed of small stones and setting forth a host of expressions, familiar, yet not to be found in the "Army List."

Washing days, where water was plentiful, were frequent, and here again, as in gardening, the methods, like those of the heathen Chinee, were "peculiar." Occasionally when the "boys" possessed a gymnastic tendency, horizontal and parallel bars were improvised, affording at once recreation and physical development. Here, also, the eccentric gyrations of Smith on the bar, or thefrantic efforts of Jones to strangle himself with the clubs, were the source of endless merriment. Almost without exception, the detachments sported at least one musically-inclined member, who, at intervals, would treat the house to the "Washington Post" on a melodeon "made in Germany," or invite tears by his pathetic rendering of "The Lost Chord," on a wheezy mouth-organ, which, by the way, was retailed at the ridiculously low price of 3s. 6d.

Literature (light and heavy) thrown from passing trains by *sympathetic passengers*, was in great demand, and, after being read and reread, was passed on, until it eventually resembled the pulp from which it was originally manufactured. Many of our evening hours were spent in card-playing, which took the place of whist and "crib" tournaments, each player subscribing a nominal sum to lend interest to the game; but, after much practice, this became a certainty rather than a chance, for we could guage, with a fair amount of accuracy, the strength of Smith's hand by the breadth of his smile, and realize the number of aces McFadden held by the tone of his whistle. The red-letter incident of a passing column invariably "drew" all hands, for then the latest news was exchanged, opinions were ventilated, inquiries after chums instituted, and, for the nonce, the monotonous routine of blockhouse life was utterly forgotten.

The arrival of the "ration" train on alternate days was eagerly looked forward to, as then not only did we obtain water, rations, and previously ordered luxuries, but were informed of the march of events by those in charge, and in this connection, I may safely say without contradiction, that the day on which this train bore the "English" mail was the brightest, cheeriest, andmost eagerly anticipated day of the week.

Such, on the whole was our everyday blockhouse life, but it must not be forgotten that there were times of acute depression, a craving for change, long intervals without tidings of any definite success or material advantage towards the desired goal; and, added to these, the strains imposed by continual watchfulness and the ever-present possibility of the unexpected turning up in the shape of DeWet "on the fly."

Will Mines' Employers Agree?

No Developments To-Day—Negotiations in Indefinite Shape?

Scranton, Pa., Nov. 22—The proposition to have the anthracite mine workers and their employers try to come to some agreement without the direct aid of the Arbitration Commission, which became publicly known yesterday, remains in the same indefinite form as it was when the development first became known. Both sides waited for the commission to adjourn, and as such action was taken by the commissioners today it is probable that conferences will be held early this week. Where these meetings will be held it has not yet been decided upon, nor is it known who on each side will conduct the negotiations. While most of those interested express the belief that the two parties will be able to agree among themselves, there are some who can see no good in the new move. It seems almost certain that the miners will insist strongly upon a contract with the United Mine Workers of America, instead of yearly contracts and conferences between each company and the men it directly employs as proposed by the operators. On two of the other demands, increase in wages and a shorter workday, a compromise, it is thought, can be readily reached. The commission adjourned today until December 3rd

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Miss CORNELIA C. BEDFORD, Principal New York Cooking School.

ADRIFT ON RAFT IN WILD SEA

Thrilling Experience of Which E. L. Chilbourgh, Seattle, Boasts

Denver, Nov. 22—E. L. Chillbourgh, of Seattle, Wash., is here on his way to New York. Mr. Chillbourgh is connected with the Puget Sound & Pacific Navigation Company, and although a young man he boasts of an experience which comes to but few men.

In the summer of 1896 Mr. Chillbourgh was sent to Guatemala by his company to purchase a vessel which had been repaired there, and was to be sold at a nominal figure. He bought this vessel, the Salvator, and gathered a crew to take her to Seattle, where she was to be used as a freighter between that port and San Francisco. On the fourth day out from the Central American port the Salvator ran into a furious storm. Many vessels were lost during the storm, among them being the Salvator. During the height of the gale the vessel slipped one of her propellors and in this crippled condition was a mere plaything for the wind and waves.

"The vessel," says Mr. Chillbourgh, "was literally torn to pieces, and we had but a few minutes warning before we were plunged into the ocean. Two other men and I had prepared a raft and when we saw that there was no chance we jumped overboard with the raft. To this frail float we clung with desperation, and saw the vessel founder and sink. The twenty men comprising the crew were all thrown into the water.

Clung to Wreckage.

Some of them clung to bits of wreckage and others tried to save themselves in row boats. This was more than useless, as a craft was the only thing that a man could cling to during that furious storm. In less than ten minutes we had lost sight of everything that had belonged to the vessel and we were clinging with all of our waning strength to the little raft. The oars were strapped to the sides but we made no attempt to use them. It was all we could do to keep our hold. In this manner we floated until the next morning, when the storm slackened. One of the men was washed overboard during the night, and I did not miss him until the comrade who was left called my attention to the fact that he was gone.

"As the sea quited down we unstrapped the oars and began to row. We had not the least idea where we were rowing, but we tried at least to keep the raft going straight with the wind.

"We were two whole days without anything to eat or drink. Both of us were so exhausted that at the end of the second day a little wind or a heavy sea would have thrown us from the raft. Just at dusk on the second day mycompanion thought that he saw land. We began to row again. My hands were so swollen that I wanted to let go of the oars to get rid of the pain. That night the tide took us near the shore of the land which my companion had seen. It proved to be an island and when we got to the shore we fell with pain and exhaustion. Our hunger and thirst gave us no rest, and we dragged ourselves over the beach and found some bushes on which berries were growing. We ate a few of these and then lay down to rest. After eating berries and resting here for several days we regained some of our lost strength and decided that we must find out where we were.

HAS BEEN LIVING A DOUBLE LIFE

Brooklyn Lawyer Who Stole $30,000 Passed as "Judge" Stone

ANOTHER EXTRAORDINARY CARE

Abroad He Consorted With Gamblers, Played the Races and Promoted Pugilism

New York, Nov. 23.—"Judge" Franklin Stone, of Philadelphia, who organised the Kentucky Mutual Sweepstakes Association, and was recently reported to have bought 28 yearlings from Col. Milton Young, for $50,000 turns out to be Frank C. Martin, who was a bright young lawyer and rising politician, when he fled from Brooklyn eight years ago, accused of fraudulently obtaining $30,000 from a client. He went to South America, but returned five years ago, and has since lived in Philadelphia under his new name. He owned Daffy-down-dilly and San Andres, which raced at the Buffalo meeting last September. He is now in custody in Brooklyn.

Stone declares the culprit was a clerk in his office on whom all the duties devolved because he himself was so engrossed with horse racing that he slighted his business. This clerk, whose name he refuses to divulge, was in ill-health, and when he was thought to be dying he confessed his sin to Martin, first extracting a solemn promise that his revelations would be held secret. Because of this promise to the man, who died soon after he had fled, Martin says he has sacrificed all his brilliant prospects, sacrificed all his brilliant prospects, has been forced to hide his head from those who knew him, has been compelled to take an assumed name and to begin his battle with the world anew.

But in Philadelphia he led a dual existence. To those who knew him and his wife and two sons socially he was the ideal family man, his occupation being that of a capitalist, a broker or a banker. A church member he was liberal in his contributions to charity, and was believed by some to be a millionaire. In the directory he was put down as a lawyer, but he had no office, and never was he known to appear in court.

Away from home he was intimate with gamblers; he owned horses and made heavy wagers on their racing; he was the leading spirit in a club which offered purses for pugilistic contests, and it is said that at one time his money was behind a notorious poolroom. He also organised and put into operation a scheme to sell pools on the races to the public, using the postal facilities as the medium for their distribution.

Even though he shouldered his dying clerk's burden, he says he had decided to make restitution to the swindled woman, even though he had not profited one cent on her losses. To that end, he says, he opened negotiations with her, hoping some day to reimburse her in full and then reveal himself to the world as Frank C. Martin.

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL

Results of the Vote for Mayor And Alderman

MAYOR DENNE STILL LEADS

With Ald. G. M. Roger an Exceedingly Close Second

Ald. Best, A. W. Cressman, Ald H. Rush and Wm. Madill Head the List for Aldermen—No More Labor Candidates Have as Yet Been Named

Saturday's voting for Mayor and Aldermen was not very large, but it had the effect of bringing Alderman Roger up into second place for Mayor and A. W. Cressman into second place for Alderman with Alderman H. Rush, a very close third. Each of these candidates are very capable men in whose hands the municipal business of the Town of Peterborough for 1903 would be perfectly safe. There are also many desirable candidates in the following list, and before nomination day, other names worthy of the fullest consideration will undoubtedly be added. No more Labor candidates have as yet been named, but The Times learns from good authority that there are several men amongst the leaders of the labor party, who would undoubtedly fill the position of alderman with credit alike to the town and the citizens they represent.

FOR MAYOR.

A summing up of Saturday's voting for candidates for Mayor gives the following results:

Mayor Denne	105
Ald. Roger	90
Ald. Best	85
R. F. McWilliams	70
Ald. Rush	60
H. LeBrun	60
Ald. Shortly	50
J. H. McClelland	36
Robert Neil	25

FOR ALDERMAN.

Saturday's vote for alderman resulted as follows:

Ald. Best	110
A. W. Cressman	100
Ald Rush	95
Wm. Madill	80
Ald. Shortly	75
Ald. Batten	75
Ald. Corkery	70
Ald. Morrison	70
E. F. Mason	65
Dickson Davidson	60
W. Salisbury	60
Ald. Clinkscale	55
Robt. Fair	50
A. E. Dickson	50
Geo. W. Morrow	45
Geo. Matthews	40
Ald. McGregor	40
John Howden	35
Geo. Elliott	30
R. E. Layfield	25
Kelsey Hall	20
H. LeBrun	20
A. Macfarlane	20

5 Votes

For Mayor of Peterboro

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For Alderman

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The state of the poll will be published occasionally, at the start, and later on, the result of each day's vote will be made nkown every morning.

HOW TO VOTE.

Each coupon will have the value of five votes. Cut the coupons out and either mail it addressed to The Times or leave it at our office.

Three Plots to Kill Rosevelt

Converted Anarchist Alleges that She Frustrated Them

New York, Nov. 21— Disclosures of three alleged plots to assassinate President Roosevelt since he has taken office were made in Hoboken yesterday by Mrs. Lena Dexheimer, a parishioner of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, who says she is a converted Anarchist. Mrs. Dexheimer is the mother of six children, and the Rev. Charles Meade, pastor of the church, says he is in a position to know that her story is reliable. According to Mrs. Dexheimer the clergyman helped her to frustrate one of the attempts on the President's life. Pastor Meade admitted that this was so, but refused to discuss the part that he had played, saying that he preferred to allow the story Mrs. Dexheimer told of it to suffice. Mrs. Dexheimer alleges that she was connected with Emma Goldman, and was converted by attending a service at which the pastor preached. Owing to threats she continued an unwilling member of the Anarchistic body. The woman says:

THE PLOTS.

"Shortly afterward I received a letter in German cipher saying that an attempt would be made to assassinate President Roosevelt at the bi-centennial celebration of Yale at New Haven. The date selected was November 15, 1901, and the man selected to do the deed was a Frenchman named Melov. He arrived on a Red Star liner, and I met him on the pier, with other Anarchists. I became friendly with him, and after meeting him several times tried to persuade him not to commit the deed. In the meantime I let pastor Meade into the plot and he got the letter in cipher from me and forwarded it to the New York branch of the Secret Service. Melov was continually tracked and was several times on the point of being arrested. My treaties won him over eventually, and he told me that he was going to return to Paris and kill himself, as his Anarchist associates had told him that either he or Roosevelt would have to die. He kept his word, and returned to Paris and killed himself, pretending to accidentally fall under a horse's hoofs. The record of his death is in the possession of the Paris police.

SECOND MAN SELECTED.

"The second man selected to kill him lived at either 143, 1445, or 147 Avenue B., New York. He committed suicide by taking poison. The third person to draw the lot for the same purpose was a Mrs. Schroeder, who lived somewhere in Harlem. She ended her life in the same manner as Mueller. I only got general announcements of these two plots, and was not told the dates when the attempts would be made on the President's life.

"The Anarchists began to suspect me after the Schroeder woman did away with herself, and spies were kept watching my house in Hoboken. I became fearful of my life, and applied to Pastor Meade for assistance. He communicated again with the Secret Service and detectives followed me every time I left the house to go to church or do marketing. I am no longer afraid of anything, because I have come to the conclusion that the Anarchists regard it unsafe to interfere with me."

Mrs. Dexheimer said that the group of Anarchists to which she belonged kept constantly changing their meeting places. They met in New York, Brooklyn, and Jersey City, she said, and rarely kept a rendezvous established longer than a month at one place. Her husband knew nothing of her Anarchistic relations, she said, until after her conversion.

WATER OF DEATH

FIND SPRING SURROUNDED BY SKELETONS

Bodies Supposed to Be Those of Party of Prospectors—Cause of Death Unknown Until Discoverers Drink of Spring Become Violently Ill

San Bernardino, Nov. 23.—A party of prospectors, headed by Henry Arnell, who is well known in the desert mining district, has arrived here, bringing word of the discovery of several persons supposed to have been a party of prospectors. The exact number is not given.

They had apparently been poisoned by water from a spring, around which the skeletons lay. The cause of death was soon revealed.

No sooner had the members of Arnell's party drunk from the spring than they were seized with cramps, some of them suffering intensely.

Samples of the water brought to this city and analyzed have been found to be heavily charged with arsenic.

C. P. R. Circulars

The C.P.R. has issued a circular to their freight agents announcing that after to-morrow all freight destined to Port Arthur, Fort William and points west must be forwarded via the "all rail" route at the "all rail" rates. Another circular says that charges on freight for Temiskaming and routes behind must be prepaid. In connection with shipments for points reached via Temiskaming, agents are to have shippers sign indemnity, releasing the company from respinsibility in the event of shipments arriving at Temiskaming after the close of navigation, or of the steamship company being unable to make delivery of property at its destination.

WILL NOT LOSE ALL

Lakefield Investors in Oil Partially Re-Embursed

The Lakefield men who speculated in the Canadian Osago Illuminating Oil Company's stock have been very anxious lately. They have had every reason to feel that the money invested was lost forever, but they are not so bad off as they thought. As we understand, Dr. Baker, one of the gentlemen who went south to purchase the stock has, returned from the hunting grounds, and has paid over a considerable sum in discharge of his responsibility in connection with the transaction.

LIVE ASHBURNHAM LOCALS

What is Going on in the Village Over the Otonabee

—Interest in the lift lock is now increasing as the work of erecting the steel superstructure proceeds. The canal should be in operation next year.

—The brewery is doing a large business these days, the lager made by the company being everywhere regarded with favor.

—It is expected that the Water Lily will go into winter quarters this week.

—The question of, who will run for next year's council is again before the people. All the members of the present council will, it is said, again seek re-election, excepting Mr. Pollock, who has moved over to town, therefore will not be eligible. Mr. Allan McCarthy has been urged to accept nomination and has consented to do so. He will make a good councillor, and doubtless will be elected. The other names mentioned are—Messrs. Ed. Conroy, John Craig, Archibald Weir and Wm. Porter.

AN AMERICAN VIEW OF ONTARIO'S RICHES

The Great Possibilities in Store for our Fair Province

The Development of Our Natural Resources Has Now Began in Earnest

Ontario is an immense province in what may be termed for convenience sake middle Canada. Its southern and eastern boundaries are portions of New York and the great lakes. It has an area of 222,000 square miles, and a population by the last census of over 2,000,000, mostly in the southeastern portion. In years gone by the great unoccupied spaces north of Lake Superior have been deemed hardly fit for human habitation But Ontario is like a great many other portions of the North American continent. As it becomes better known it is found to be bettter than its former fame. Climates thought to be too cold and bleak, have been found tolerable, and areas reputed to be fit only for scrub growths of timber and the lairs of wild beasts have been found arable. It seems now that exploiters have been able to discover such attractions in hitherto neglected regions to enable them to offer inducements to thrifty and intelligent American families to seek it for home building.

With what irrigation and improved methods of cultivation and building and development, it looks as if untimately there will be very little of the North American continent left unoccupied. The arid plains and deserts of the Southwest are being turned into gardens by artificially supplying water to the soil. The denuded timber lands of our Northwestern states are found to make fine grazing lands and farms. In Northwester Canada settlement is rapidly pushing northward to the plains of Athabasca. Southern Alaska is already being exploited as a region of vast agricultural possibilities—and now emigration is turning even to the northern part of central Canada, a region hitherto shunned by all but trappers, hunters and timber cruisers.

Who can estimate the population and wealth of the northern part of this continent when it is fully occupied and its resources developed? The possibilities are so great that it will take a very vivid imagination to grasp them.

FATHER COTY'S TRIAL

His Sister Dies While on a Visit to Friends in Peterborough

Hamilton, Times, of Thursday:—This morning Rev. Father Coty sent word to the city from Peterboro that his sister, Annie, who had kept house for him in Hamilton, and who left the city recently on a visit died yesterday afternoon from typhoid fever contracted while away. Father Coty was with her at the end. This is the fifth death in Father Coty's family within a very few years — two brothers, a mother, grandmother, and now a sister. The sympathy of his many friends will go out to him in this last sad bereavement.

The funeral will take place to-morrow morning at Oakville, where the faminly burying ground is located.

WILL SEE AND TASTE

The Products of Ontario Beet Sugar Factories

The members of the Board of Trade have been summoned to meet tomorrow evening to discuss the beet sugar question. A committee will be appointed to join with representatives from the town and county coincils to go on a visit of inspection to the leading sugar factories of Canada and procure all possible information as to the working and revenues of these industries. The joint deputation will likely leave town on Thursday morning and return on Saturday. It is expected that the delegation will number about twenty, and some parties have suggested the chartering of a special car so that due importance may be given to the town and county.

OLD RESIDENT GONE

Honora Cahill Passes to the Great Beyond Friday Evening

After an existence in this world, of seventy-five years, Honora Cahill, relict of the late John Cahill, departed this life at her home, No. 17 Elm street, on Friday night. Deceased was an old resident of Peterborough, and her life was as full of good deeds as it was full of years. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. John Weir and one unmarried, both of whom live in Peterborough. They mourn the loss of a kind and loving mother, but they find comfort in the blessed assurance of meeting her on the bright resurrection morning. The funeral took place yesterday to Ennismore cemetery.

TEMPERANCE

The Ministers Advise the People to Vote for the Referendum

At Charlotte street Methodist church yesterday the pastor, Rev. W. J. Joliffe, chose for his subject the "Forgiving of Injuries," and in the evening he dealt with the Referendum.

At St. Luke's church Holy Communion was administered at 8 a.m., and at the usual hour Rev. E. A. Langfeldt discoursed on "Mercy to All." Rev. W. L. Armitage, of All Saint's and Rev. Mr. Langfeldt exchanged pulpits in the evening. Miss Bertha Symonds sang at the service at St. Luke's in the evening, and added very much to the pleasure and solemnity of the service.

At All Saints' church in the morning Rev. W. L. Armitage gave an account of the work done at the recent Archdeaconal Conference. In the evening the Rev. E. A. Langfeldt preached an excellent sermon. The Senior Guild of this church give an 'At Home' this evening.

In Murray street yesterday morning Rev. J. Bastow gave a very interesting dessertation on "God's Present Mysterious Dealings Hereafter Explained," and in the evening he discoursed on "Absolom or the Fast Young Man." The Rev. gentlemen gave some pointers to young men that, if remembered, will be a great benefit in all their after life.

"The House We Live In," was the subject of Mr. H. E. Ayers, at the Y.M.C.A. meeting yesterday afternoon. He handled it ably and well.

In George street Methodist church yesterday, Rev. J. P. Wilson preached on the Referendum, and of course advised all to vote for it on Dec. 4th.

In St. Paul's church yesterday Rev. J. A. Wilson devoted his time to a talk on temperance and in the evening Rev. Dr. Torrance did likewise. Both discourses were listened to with interest by the congregation and will have a good effect on the vote on December, 4th.

The mass meeting held in Mark street Methodist church, Ashburnham, was a success, and the arguments advanced by the different speakers in favor of temperance and the referendum produced a good effect

THE TRENT VALLEY CANAL

Waterway from Peterborough Through to Lake Simcoe to be Finished in 1903

Ottawa, Nov. 22—Hon. Mr. Blair and Mr. Schreiber, Deputy Minister of Railways and Canals, returned last night from an inspection of the Trent and Welland Canals.

The latter says: "This season we were simply finishing up contracts let the previous season, but in 1903 we can have the waterway finished from Peterboro' through to Lake Simcoe. There will then remain the stretch from Lake Ontario to Peterboro' and from Lake Simcoe up to Georgian Bady, the most important part of all."

MICA.

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Now, if you want to make money, write or apply for all information and prospectus to Geo. Stethem, Fiscal Agent Peterborough.

POLICE COURT

A Union of Young Men in the Toils—Will Appear on Monday

Charles Geraite, Douglas Lernis, —— Mitchell, Samuel Brener, Walter Miller, Walter Tighe, Aaron McColl, P. Kempt, Thomas Brownlee, Edwin Daly, N. E. Millar and Cecil Success were arrested on Saturday charged with waylaying and assaulting Joseph Stewart on Thursday night last when he was on his way home. Stewart is employed by B. F. Ackerman & Son, harness manufacturers and the reason assigned for the alleged assault is Stewart's refusal to join the harness makers' union.

The boys appeared before the police magistrate at three o'clock on Saturday and bail was given for their appearance at ten o'clock this morning.

Another young man appeared before the P.M., and was fined $2 for drunkenness, but was given a stay of proceedings for ten days.

—The Men's Guild of St. Luke's Church will meet to-night at 8 o'clock to elect officers.

SYLLABIC SHORTHAND

Will Revolutionize the Stenographic World

If you doubt it read the following letter:

The Bank of Montreal,
Vernon, B.C., 13th October, 1902.

Gentlemen,—Will you kindly forward me lesson No. 4 I have obtained an average speed of 60 words per minute on letters you sent last time. I have reached this speed without assistance, that is to say, I read the letters off the sheets myself and made the time mentioned. This makes me think that although I cannot say I have done up to 80 words, still I am warranted under the circumstances in applying for the fourth lesson. Hoping to hear from you at an early date, I am yours truly,
E. A. V. [illegible]

It has no position, no shading, no dots and only three rules and nine different characters. Students correspond with us in shorthand after their first lesson, through our Correspondence Course.

For terms and specimen of our Shorthand write
Syllabic Shorthand College,
Cor Yonge and Bloor Sts., Toronto.
W. T. MOON, PRINCIPAL.

VARICOCELE AND STRICTURE

I guarantee my Latest Method Treatment to be a permanent and positive cure for Varicocele and Stricture, without cutting, stretching or loss of time. In Varicocele it absorbs the bagging, or wormy condition, equalizes circulation, stops pains in the groins, also all drains, thereby giving the organs their proper nutrition, vitalizes the parts and restores lost powers; in Stricture it absorbs the stricture tissue, stops smarting sensation, nervousness, weakness, backache, etc., while in all prostatic troubles it is the treatment [illegible]. So positive am I that my Latest Method Treatment will cure you that you can

PAY WHEN CURED

You need pay nothing until you are convinced that a thorough and complete cure has been established. It makes no difference who has failed to cure you, call or write me.

Each time you call you see me Personally,

or each time you write it receives my personal attention. The number of years I am established in Detroit, and the cures I accomplished after given up by other doctors, has placed me as the foremost specialist of the country.

The Latest Method Treatment Guaranteed to Cure

Varicocele and Stricture without cutting, stretching or loss of time; also Blood Poison, Chronic, Private, Nervous, Impotency, Kidney, Liver, Bladder, Stomach, Female and Rectal Troubles. CONSULTATION FREE. Call; if you cannot call write for blank for home treatment. Perfect system of home treatment for those who cannot call. BOOK FREE. All medicines for Canadian patients shipped from Windsor. All duty and express charges prepaid.

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CANADA'S RESOURCES

Are Canadians so dull of apprehension that they do not know a good thing when they see it? Are they dependent upon outsiders for a proper appreciation of the resources of their own country? It was Philemon Wright from New England who first ascertained that money could be made in the lumber trade of the Ottawa Valley, and our good friend E. B. Eddy, the match and paper man of Hull, is also a Yankee by birth. Nearly all the agricultural implement factories in Canada were started by men from the United States. Sault Ste. Marie was a dead town until Mr. Clergue came along from Maine and established the great industries which now utilize the grand water power of the St. Mary's River. A Minnesota Congressman, now visiting Winnipeg, declares that Canadians had only a faint idea of the value of the Northwest wheat country until "Americans" came there to convince them that they had a good thing. He goes on to say that there is untold wealth in lumber and minerals in the Hudson Bay basin, enough pulp wood around the Bay to supply the world's market for two centuries, and more timber just around James Bay alone than there was in Michigan and Minnesota. This sort of talk is enough to set the sleepiest Canadian to thinking.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

South Africa is favorable to giving a preference to Great Britain and the colonies. That is good news. It will afford Canada a decided advantage over the United States which is our chief competitor in that market in the goods we desire to sell.

A man has made a continuous journey from Chicago to Boston in trolley cars with only five gaps covering short distances. This shows the extent to which the Northern States are being covered with a network of trolley lines. Ontario may expect a similar development in the near future.

The shoplifters are very industrious these days and merchants and clerks have to be watchful. In Detroit, last Tuesday, the fraternity got away with two sealskin coats and two Persian lamb coats, worth $1,500 in all, and the police are powerless to discover the thieves. The goods were stolen during the day time, when the clerks were busy with customers.

When the Kaiser's yacht landed at Port Victoria the English papers say that her crew cheered lustily. But it was only the Hohenzollern.

The Ontario Department of Agriculture have prepared a supplementary bulletin, giving statistics of farm live stock in the province on July 1, 1902. We observe by this bulletin that horses have increased by about 6,000; cattle by 56,000. The increase of cattle is largely in milch cows, showing the extent to which the dairying industry is progressing. A decrease of 46,000 in the number of sheep is more than offset by the increase of 198,700 in the number of hogs, which, however, is still 57,000 behind the figure of 1899. Poultry show an increase of some 6,000. There is a net increase of over 200,000 in horses, sheep hogs and cattle.

During the fiscal year ending June 30th last the consumption of spirits per head was .796 gallons, or the largest amount since 1885, when the per capita consumption was 1.136 gallons In 1869, or two years after we had started on our career as a nation, the people consumed 1.124 gals. Beer, however, appears to be the popular intoxicating beverage. According to statistics the consumption was at the rate of 5.102 gallons, which is altogether unprecedented in our history. Beer drinking seems to have been rising steadily since 1895. In that year 3.085 gallons went to each Canadian's credit. The following year 3,300 gallons, in 1900 4.894 gallons, and in 1901 4.727 gallons. The consumption of wine is small and fluctuates greatly. Last year it was .09 gallons. The consumption of tobacco was equal to 2.494 pounds, which was the same as in 1901. This rate was exceeded in 1874, 1876, 1884 and 1885. The rates of duty per head were; Spirits, $1.148; beer, $.133; wine $.063; tobacco $.55; The cigars of all kinds produced last year numbered 156,686,795, a gain of 15,256,341 as compared with 1901. The total production of cigarettes was 138,214,384, a gain of 14,623,350. The manufacture of stuff is falling off. Last year 173,182 pounds were produced, a decrease of 26,807 compared with the previous year.

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Nuptials of Miss Fanny Kemp to Mr. W McMillan

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday evening, November 19th, at 8 o'clock, at the residence of Mr. J. C. Kemp, Otonabee, when his daughter Miss Fanny, was united in marriage to Mr. Wilbert McMillan, by Rev. J. P. Wilson. As the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, played by Miss Maude Curtis, pealed forth, the bride descended through an aisle formed by two prettily decked bridal chains held by Miss Eddie Kemp and Master Will Pratt, and took her position under an evergreen arch from which was suspended a floral wedding bell. The bride was assisted by her cousin, Miss Edna Pratt, and Mr. Herbert McMillan, brother of the groom, acted as best man, while little Miss Nouna Pratt acted as ring bearer

The bride was elegantly attired in a gown of cream silk, trimmed with chiffon and pearl trimming, and carried a bouquet of cream roses. The bridesmaid was also gowned in cream silk, with chiffon and pearl trimmings, and carried pink roses. After congratulations were over one hundred guests proceeded to the dining room, where a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served. The groom's gift to the bride was a cheque for a handsome sum, and a cheque of $100 from the groom's aunt, Mrs. Dickson. The groom presented the bridesmaid with a handsome gold brooch set with diamonds. To the flower girl he gave a stick pin set with rubies. To the little ring bearer he gave a souvenir spoon. To the pianist a stick pin set with pearls. The bride received a numerous and handsome lot of presents. Mr. and Mrs. McMillan will be at home to their friends on or about December 3rd.

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pened to know that in a lonely spot not far from the mine which was yet to be worked there was a group of pines with peculiarly red trunks. He determined that he would go to the place one day and make a search.

"Perhaps it would not have occurred to him to do this had he not begun to fear that his partner had lied to him about the gold discovered on his property. Gold he had seen, but he had reason to believe it had been brought from a distance and placed where he had seen it for the purpose of tricking him into putting down his money. But it was not yet too late to dissolve the partnership.

"One day 'Cloven Hoof' went away, and my father took advantage of his absence to pay a visit to the red trees. Close by there was a cave, and in a hole in the cave, under a great bank of sand and debris, he found not one body, but two. The skulls had been broken in behind with some heavy, sharp instrument, like an axe, and the bodies had been huddled into the hole dressed exactly as they had died. Their bloodstained clothes had not mouldered away like their flesh. Probably the murderer's courage had failed him before emptying his victims' pockets, or else he had felt so certain the bodies would not be discovered that he had not thought it necessary to do more than hide them; for (determined to be sure that the accusation he meant to make was well founded) my father searched the pockets of the dead men's coats. It must have been a grim task, but it was rewarded by the finding of letters from the murderer upon one of the bodies, proving beyond doubt that he had been the man to lure the young stranger from the East to his doom. Just such promises as the fiend had held out to my father had he given to his predecessor.

"My father took the letters and thrust them deep into a pocket of his own coat. Then he went back to the house, where he meant to confront the murderer with his knowledge of the double crime. But his partner's journey had been a pretense The wretch had only gone a short distance, meaning to return unexpectedly, and, taking my father unawares, kill him as he had killed the others. Afterwards my mother found that all my father's money had been withdrawn from his bank by means of a forged letter; and this having been accomplished, the sooner he was out of the way the better. No doubt the murderer meant this to be his last crime, and intended in any event to fly with the spoils, throwing suspicion on his latest victim.

"As my father was walking back to the house, someone leaped at him from behind, but he sprang aside in time to avoid the full force of the blow. He told my mother that somehow he felt no surprise at sight of his partner, with the lust of murder in his eyes; and they fought together a desperate fight, each man for his life.

"Once my father got his enemy down, and panted out what he had learnt; but the fiend wriggled himself free, and struck my father with a knife, which pierced his breast, touching the lungs. It was this wound that finally resulted in his death.

"While he was unconscious his enemy must have placed in his pocket the diary in cipher, which had evidently been prepared expressly for the purpose. My father knew that he had wounded his would-be murderer, nevertheless, the wretch escaped; and it was supposed that my father had killed him and hidden the body before falling down in a faint induced by his own wound.

"As for the letters, which must have shown conclusively who was guilty, they had disappeared—my father and mother believed that they had been stolen by the murderer. The moonstone Sphinx and my mother's miniature were also missing, and it was not difficult to guess where they had gone, though the treacherous brute had no means of knowing what his victim had really been to the girl they both loved.

"The letters being lost and the murderer gone, there was no absolute proof that my father had not committed the crimes of which he had been accused, and my mother begged that he would remain with her, hidden and safe, while he lived. Such an existence must have proved impossible for a man of spirit, had he not died within a year; but I think that, in spite of all, they must have known some hours of happiness together.

"When he was gone my mother lived only for me, and the hope—not ideally Christian, but natural—that one day I should seek out the man who had robbed and killed her husband, and avenge their wrongs. While I was a boy I was left in ignorance of her sorrows, and we lived somehow on the little money she had left. But when I had grown to be a man she sent for me one day (we had moved from California to Colorado by this time), and I found her pale and quivering with passionate excitement. She had made an astonishing discovery."

CHAPTER XXXVII.

The Winning of the Wager.

"The moonstone Sphinx!" broke in the Comtesse.

"No," Hope Newcome answered, "the letters which my father had taken from the body of the murdered man. All those years she had kept the coat he had worn in jail and when he escaped, for it was stained with his blood. And sometimes she took it out and wept over it, recalling the past. The letters had not, after all, been stolen by the murderer. He could not even have seen them, for when my father thrust them deeply into his pocket they had been pushed down between the coat and the lining, which was ripped—not torn; and somehow the opening and the letters had remained undiscovered till that day.

"It was then that my mother told me the story, and made me promise that I would give my whole life to tracking down the murderer, if he still lived.

"She believed that he would be found in England under an assumed name, and that with the money he had stolen from his three victims he would have made himself rich. Long ago, when they had known each other in Australia, he had told her that his great ambition was to be a millionaire and spend his money in London—the 'capital of the world,' he had called it. My mother was certain that he had realized his ambition, and now that I was armed with the letters I should be able even at that late day to bring him to justice—if I could find him. I was to know him by the description she gave, and above all by his deformed foot; for whatever else was changed by time that could not change. And she was certain also that he would have kept the Sphinx's head.

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ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4 05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
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	100 00

COAL VEINS.

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TITLES.

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2.—IRON.

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When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

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If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

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NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
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7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
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Incidentals	25,000 00	
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New York, Nov. 22.—Copper again shows unmistakeable signs of heavy accumulation. Its downward movement was preparatory to a good advance, and was brought about to aid in gathering in the stock, and was also in the nature of a club used by the Standard Oil interests to shake down the balance of the market to the embarrassment of certain prominent Wall street interests which have been antagonistic marketwise to the interests of the great oil interests. This heavy and comparatively new speculative interest has been pretty well liquidated, while a heavy short interest has been created in many of the active stocks, notably copper, which will more than likely prove to be a most excellent leverage for furtherance of an advance. The copper situation is materially better, while the copper shares are selling pretty close to the lowest prices on record. These facts ought to make the stock a most attractive purchase. We recently called attention to these shares, and yesterday warned people against being caught at the low level, short of certain stocks, one of which was copper. A round of the commission houses brings to light the fact that the public are at present but little interested in the shares, where as when they were very much higher they were heavily long. Their holdings have again drifted back into the hands of the insiders, who at persent hold more of the stock than ever before, while the public owns less than at any time since it sold at 130. When such conditions exist it is usually the proper time to buy the stock. We are confidently bullish upon the property at present, and strongly advise its purchase. Apropos of railway rates, two days ago we had something to say in these letters about the likelihood of their being advanced shortly. The roads are always moving in the matter, as you can see in the newspapers. Inside of thirty days they will be so advanced that they will more than make up for the additional outlay in wages. The market is in a better condition than it has been any time since the first or last of September, while stocks are selling at most attractive prices.

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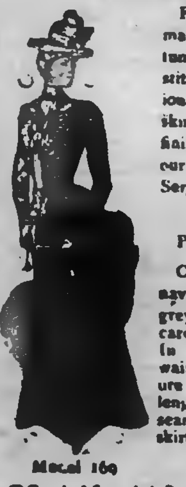

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

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Moving a House

Mr. Allan McCarthy, the well known house mover, has a big job on hand. He is taking a large strip house, which stands on Charlotte street, opposite the Methodist church to a lot in Bolivar street, a distance of 1500 feet. The house weighs about 200 tons.

Coming Home

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Miller, who reside on Water street, received the welcome intelligence that their son, Sergeant T. Miller, of the First Scots Guards, stating that he was receiving his discharge and that he would sail shortly from the Country upon the S. S. Pretorian, reaching here in good time to spend Christmas with them. Sergeant Miller will probably remain in Canada.

A Belated Hunters Joke

"There's a thing that's bound to occur," said Mr. Harry Winch one day out at camp to a member of the hunting party.

"What's that?" asked an unsuspecting comrade.

"Your dog's tail."

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Hit with a Brick

Mr. E. Webb, who is assisting in the erection of the new rink, met with an accident on Saturday that not only gave him a pain, but inflicted a nasty cut in his head. In some way a brick fell, and struck Mr. Webb on the head making it necessary to secure the services of Dr. Scott to do some sewing and dressing of the wound. It is hoped Mr. Webb will be able to resume work in a few days

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Faust at the Opera

Tabors "Faust" was produced in the Opera House Saturday night. It was a mixture of goodness and badness. Some of the scenic effects were of the best but in certain parts the actors lacked dramatic power and forgot their lines. But on the whole the entertainment pointed a moral that the devil is always active to gather into his kingdom the innocent, the susceptible and the ambitious, and he stops at nothing to obtain his end. "Faust" is a realistic rehearsal today and there is much to be learned from it.

The Christmas Globe

We have been furnished with advance sheets of the Christmas number of the Toronto Globe. The stories are the production of men and women of high literary attainment and afford excellent reading. The illustrations are the best ever produced in Canada, and there will be a Canadianism reflected in this coming issue of the Christmas Globe that must commend itself to Canadians, irrespective of politics. The Globe is a great newspaper and its Christmas number will be a reflex of the greatness of Canada. This great production of newspaperdom should find a place in every Canadian home.

Dogs Poisoned

William Logan, 221 Brock street, had four dogs poisoned on Saturday morning by some unknown party. Two of the animals were black spaniels about five or six months old, while the other two were sent from South Africa, and they were about eight months old. The dogs came into the house between eight and nine o'clock and all died within fifteen minutes. It is hoped that some clue will be found that will lead to the punishment of the person who did the cowardly act. Mr. Logan valued the dogs very highly.

A TUG OF WAR

Coffee Puts up a Grand Fight

Among the best of judges of good things in the food line, is the groceryman or his wife. They know why many of their customers purchase certain foods.

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SATURDAY'S MARKET

Lots of Offerings in the Face of Inclement Weather

The market on Saturday was a very large one. There was lots of produce offered and good prices obtained. Apples brought 45c to 60c a bag; potatoes were scarce at $1.15 to $1.25 per bag, or 25c peck; pork 7 1-2 to 8c lb, onions, 15c peck; carrots, 40c bag; celery 5 to 10c bunch; cabbage 20c dozen; chickens, 40 to 75c pair; turkeys, 85c to $1.25 each; geese, 50 to 90c each; ducks 50 to 70c pair; butter 19 to 23c lb; eggs 20 to 22 cents a dozen.

Gun Found

All our readers are familiar with the details of the drowning of Samuel Courrier in Rice Lake a few weeks ago. At the time it was asserted that his gun had been accidentally disharged, causing a hole in the boat. Now his gun has been found and it proves conclusively that it did not cause the accident, as both barrels were loaded when the gun was found. Mr. Talbot, who was with deceased at the time of the accident, says that he really believed that it was not his gun, but Mr. Courrier's which met the accidental explosion which led to the accident; but if the statement is true that Mr. Courrier's gun, when found, was loaded then he admits that he was mistaken and that in the excitement attending and following the accident, his recollection of details might easily have been at fault to that extent. But he asserts positively that it was not due to any carelessness or action on his part that whichever gun was accidentally discharged was so discharged.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and Social nature, either by phone or in writing—[Ed. Times]

—Miss Minnie Lethbridge, of Port Hope, is in town visiting Mrs. S. A. Oke.

—Mr. W. A. Buchanan, was in town on Saturday representing the Toronto Telegram.

—Mr. and Mrs. Kearney, of Young's Point, visited friends in town on Saturday.

—Mr. Geo. Metcalf, of Otonabee, was registered at the Munro House on Saturday.

—Mr. C. A. Mullen, travelling representative of the Mail and Empire, was in town on Saturday.

—Mr. Simons and Mr. Hanloh, of Oshawa, are the guests of Mr. J. P. Craig Ashburnham.

—Messrs. R. M. Armstrong and J Dinsdale, of Keene, were in town Saturday doing business.

—Mr. Chas. Davidson has sold his property in North Monaghan and taken up his residence in town at No. 16 Weller street.

—Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Ethel Benn, daughter of Mr. John A. Benn, of Tweed, and Mr. Adam H. Gillespie, of Peterborough, on Wednesday, Nov. 26th

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

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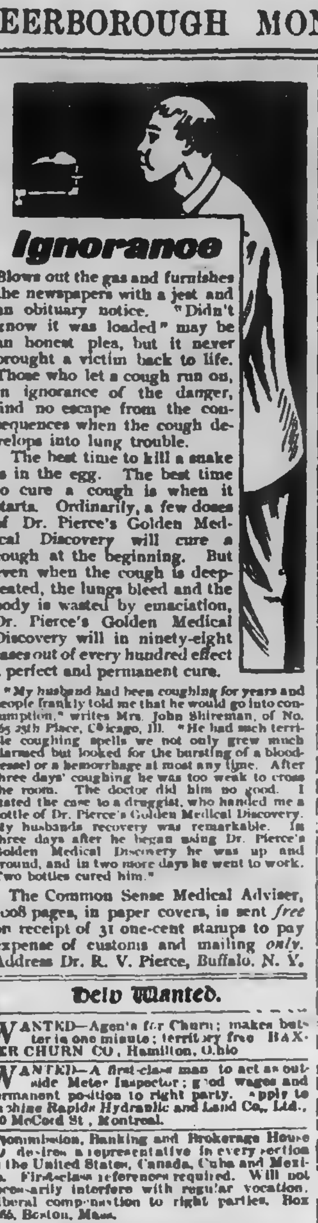
—The Eagle Lake Hunt Club met Friday evening at the American hotel. It was a sort of mutual admiration meeting and all appeared to be well satisfied with the management and the success of the present season.

Mr. Bradburn states that he will build a new up-to-date opera house in the spring capable of accommodating twelve or fourteen hundred people, with elaborate scenery, fire escapes and all necessary conveniences.

—At the last meeting of the T.A.S. Miss Hickey read a carefully prepared paper on "John Boyle O'Rielly." A reading was given by Miss Primeau, a solo by Mr. Jas. O'Brien, and a duet by Messrs. Jas. O'Brien and Russel Robinson. Miss Dainard, Mr. Rickaby and Mr. T. Begley spoke on Miss Hickey's paper. Miss O'Connell occupied the chair

The Times is requested to correct the announcement made a few days ago in the Mail and Empire to the effect that Mrs. Grasset, of Peterborough, is staying in Toronto for the winter. The lady in question is visiting her parents in Hamilton, and will also visit Peterborough before returning to her home in Baltimore, Maryland.



Ignorance

Blows out the gas and furnishes the newspapers with a jest and an obituary notice. "Didn't know it was loaded" may be an honest plea, but it never brought a victim back to life. Those who let a cough run on, in ignorance of the danger, find no escape from the consequences when the cough develops into lung trouble.

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THE ALASKAN BOUNDARY QUESTION A SEMI-OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

Canadian Side Presented by a Deputy Minister of Trade and Commerce

A STRONG CASE MADE OUT FOR DOMINION

The Arbitrary Conduct of the Republic Strongly Denounced—Canada will Maintain Her Rights

New York, Nov. 25.—F. C. T. O'Hara, secretary of the Minister of Trade and Commerce, writes to the Tribune concerning the Alaskan boundary. He says in part: All that Canada asks is that this question, year by year, growing more serious, and year by year becoming more difficult to settle, be laid before an impartial tribunal, to decree of which is to be final and forever binding upon both countries. Why, does the United States refuse arbitration? Canadian statesmen, having their past sufferance in view, have made a stand for their rights, and are firmly intrenched by sound documentary evidence, and would welcome arbitration could the American government be induced to agree to such a course.

POOR CANADA

Unfortunately for Canada, Great Britain would consider long before she risked a war (which God forbid!) with the United States over the Alaskan dispute, and, unfortunately, Canada has not the strength within herself to force her right. The American government knows this well, and is playing an ungenerous waiting game, meanwhile colonizing the disputed territory. What does ex-President Cleveland say upon this point? "An extension of settlements in the disputed territory would necessarily complicate the situation and furnish a convenient pretext for the refusal of any concession respecting the territory containing such settlements." He was probably not thinking at the time that broad statements, full of sound diplomatic reason, often come home to roost. But the day must come when a settlement must take place, and Canada cannot stand by and see herself despoiled of territory which she firmly and honestly believes is part of her rightful domain. Why does the American government refuse arbitration, I ask again, to determine the boundary, as intended by the Anglo-Russian treaty of 1825? For therein lies the point of difficulty. What interpretation is placed upon the action of the American government in thus refusing to Canada a course she practically forced Great Britain into during the Venezuelan trouble? The reasons for refusing are obvious.

The question at issue is plain and simple. Does the third article of the Anglo-Russian treaty mean that the line of demarcation be drawn at a distance of ten marine leagues, or thirty marine miles, from the Pacific Ocean's coast, or does the line go around the headwaters of the Lynn and other canals into the Canadian interior, keeping always ten marine leagues from their waters? The former is the British contention, the latter the American.

During the negotiations over the treaty of 1825, Russia, through Count Nesselrode, the Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, said; "We limit our requirements to a mere strip of the continent, and, so that no objection be raised, we guarantee the free navigation of the rivers." This guarantee is incorporated in the treaty. If the American contention be the correct one, there would be no need for this, as the rivers in question are taken into American territory in a body. By the British contention the headwaters of these rivers are within British territory and the Russian statement thereto would hold good.

The point is. Does the line, the base line from which the ten marine leagues are measured, follow the rough coast and thereby cut across the mouth of the Lynn Canal, or does it follow the devious winding of the canal itself into the interior for seventy miles? If so, then the three mile sea limit, as recognized by the law of nations as being the possession of the adjacent country, should be measured from the headquarters of the Lynn Canal. Then why did the Russians guarantee to the British the free navigation of these inlets? Of what use would it be to the British to land upon Russian soil? No! the headwaters of these inlets were recognized as being in British territory, and free passage from those waters was guaranteed through Russian waters to the Pacific Ocean. A converse line also proves the fallacy of the American contention, for the claim sovereignty over the ocean for three miles from the mouth of the Lynn and other canals. Are there two lines? Each, I presume, is for convenience or argument.

LAND IN DISPUTE.

The British territory claimed by the United States beyond the treaty strip of coast is more than three hundred miles from north to south and from fourteen to seventy miles wide, and completely bars Great Britain's free access to the Pacific, which was guaranteed by the treaty of 1825. And again, how are these indisputable figures reconciled with the statement of Mr. Secretary Blaine in writing in 1890 to the British Ambassador; "A strip of land, at no point wider than ten marine leagues, running along the Pacific Ocean, from 30 degrees 40 minutes to 60 degrees was assigned to Russia by the IIId Article of Russia's Treaty with Great Britain." It is the same strip of land which the United States acquired in the purchase of Alaska.

In 1867 Alaska was ceded to the United States, but not until the following year did Congress enact the necessary legislation to complete the treaty. Three years elapsed, and in July, 1871, Canada became territorially a party to the boundary difficulty. Only eight months elapsed, viz., until March 12, 1872, when Canada drew attention to the question, and asked the United States to join her in delineating the boundary. Mr. Secretary Fisher replied in November, 1872, that the matter would be laid before Congress. From that date for several years Canada officially brought the matter to the attention of the American authorities, to be met with the same indifferent reply. In more recent years the United States has shown more interest in the matter and has entered into discussions, yet refusing any fair agreement for submission to arbitration. Why? Canada asks that the rules of the Venezuelan boundary reference be applied, as Great Britain was practically forced by the United States into that now historic arbitration and rather than let the dogs of war loose, consented to it. Is it not fair to suppose that the United States should accept the same mode of settlement.

A GREAT FUTURE FOR NEW ONTARIO

As Great an Attraction for Colonists as the Canadian Northwest

THE GOVERNMENT HAS CONTROL OF SETTLERS

What the Recent Deal With the American Syndicate Means to the Province of Ontario

Toronto, Nov. 25.—New Ontario would appear to be as great an attraction to colonists now as the North-West, judging from the bigness of the scheme published a few days ago. A syndicate from the United States, represented by Mr. J. F. Egan of Rock Island, Ill., and Mr. W. H. Utt, of Chicago, has been making arrangements with the Ontario Government to colonize 2,000,000 acres of land within ten years, which means the location of something like 50,000 people all told. They will pay the Government the ordinary rate of 50 cents an acre, the patent to issue direct to the settler, the company having the right to sell their right to the land at a price to be agreed upon with the purchaser, but not to exceed $2 per acre.

The Government have absolute control as to the class of settlers to be brought in to be placed upon the lands, the quantity of land which may be handed over each season, and while the maximum amount of land is stated to be 2,000,000 acres, the agreement will provide that at any time the Government may discontinue giving land when it seems to be in the public interest so to do. They agree to construct certain leading roads and to afford other advantages for the opening up of the country. The company bind themselves to pay the settler's transportation to his location, and loan him money to help in the erection of buildings and improvements. They cannot get land until they get settlers on it. The proposition is to give them townships where the public interest will be served by so doing, and not interfere with the ordinary inflow of settlers under the present Colonization Bureau.

The proposition is to bring in English speaking white settlers, who are able to read and write, and who are of good character. In case the Government consider it advisable, some Scandinavian or German settlers may be offered; their acceptance, however, will be optional with the Government.

While it is the intention of the company to bring the great mass of the settlers from the United States, it should be understood that Canadian settlers will be welcomed on the same terms, he concluded.

So far as meets the eye, at any rate, the plan seems to be a very good one, more particularly respecting the company's intentions with regard to settlers from other parts of Canada. There is ground for reproach against our Government immigration departments, that all their efforts are used to bring in foreign settlers, while all the time there must be numbers of sturdy young Canadians who would go out on the land, to their own and their country's good, if they had the means. This company's project looks as if it may fill this want.

Tuesday—Strong breezes and moderate gales, west to north, cloudy to fair and cooler again; a few scattered showers.

CRIME DUE TO HER JEALOUSY

Further Details About the Murder of Miss Florence McFarline by Mrs. Lula Youngs

The Murderess Desperate Because of Her Husband's Intimacy With the Dead Girl

Rochester, Nov. 25.—Jealousy appears to have been the cause of the murder of Miss Florence McFarlin by Mrs. Lulu Youngs. Mrs. Philip Saint Louis, an old lady, was the only person in the house besides the murdered girl. She started for the front of the house. As she entered the hallway she was knocked over by Miss McFarlin, who came dashing into the kitchen streaming with blood. After her was a woman with a knife. Miss McFarlin stumbled and fell just inside the kitchen door, and the other woman threw herself on her and plunged the knife into the fallen girl's breast.

As the assailant arose she cried, "You will come between me and my husband, will you, you hussy?" Mrs Saint Louis was too overcome by shock and terror to rise. Miss McFarlin lay dead on the floor. The muderess left the house. Before she went the old woman cried to her:

"Why did you kill this girl?"

The question seemed to stun the woman for an instant. She stared at the body on the floor, and putting her hands to her face, she moaned:

"Oh, what have I done, what have I done? She ruined my home."

Truman E. Miller, father of Mrs. Youngs, made the following statement:

"My daughter was married to Youngs about two years ago, and they have not lived happily. He has been running around with this woman for some time, and my daughter has been heartbroken over his actions. She has pleaded with him to no avail, and then she thought, I suppose, the only way to end the matter was to attack this woman who came between them.

"She told her mother and her sister at the house that she went to this girl's house and stabbed her, but she did not know that she had killed her.

"She told us that the girl took her into the parlor, and that while there, Lulu, my daughter, upbraided her for her actions. The woman did not deny my daughter's accusations, she said, but, instead, began to abuse and berate her. Angered beyond control, Lulu pulled out the knife and stabbed her. She admitted that much to me. I don't think she went there to kill her."

Mrs. Miller, mother of Mrs. Youngs, said this afternoon: "When Youngs left my daughter this morning he said he would shoot her this noon if she said any more about his actions with the McFarlin woman. He had often threatened to shoot her when she expostulated, and drew a revolver on her and her sister Hazel one evening. Youngs came here this morning after he had heard of the affair, and I wouldn't let him in."

Lulu Miller Youngs is about 28 years old, and has been married to Mr. Youngs about two years. She was formerly married to a man named Sanders, and had been divorced from her first husband. She was married to Youngs by an alderman.

John Van Hoorhie & Sons have been retained to look after Mrs. Youngs' interests, and acting upon the advice of her counsel she has refused to make any statement.

NEW "HOLY GHOST" JAILED IN NEW YORK

He Pulled a Preacher From the Pulpit and Got Into Trouble

AND THE DEACONS SAT ON HIM

A Free Fight in one of the Churches of the City

New York, Nov. 25.—Helge G. Nelson, a religious enthusiast, who has proclaimed himself as "the Holy Ghost," from California to this city, was a prisoner yesterday in the Harlem Police Court, charged with having twice during the last week disturbed services in the Church of the Seventh Day Adventists, of Harlem, in 11th street, near Lexington avenue. He was arrested on Saturday after making a sensational descent on the church, accompanied by a long-haired bodyguard and a woman whom he calls his "spiritual wife."

The trio ejected the pastor of the church, the Rev. E. M. Sell, and his assistant, the Rev. Elmer Frank, from the pulpit, and were only overpowered when the entire Board of Deacons, with several of the heavy men in the congregation, literally sat on them.

In court Nelson insisted that he was the Holy Ghost, and that he left his seat on the "right hand of the Lord" to come to New York to redeem those who have strayed away from the true path of virtue and dogmatic rectitude. The magistrate nevertheless held him for examination to-day, and in default of bail sent him to the Harlem prison.

HOW IT ALL HAPPENED.

Shortly after the services started the trio again appeared at the church and tried to enter. Two of the deacons stopped the woman from going into the edifice. Nelson and Bergendahl managed to force their way past those who tried to obstruct their passage, and, rushing into the church, dashed at once for the pulpit. This time the two clergymen of the church were occupying it. They prepared to resist any attempt to dislodge them. A fight, in which the two ministers, half a dozen deacons, and other members of the congregation, took part, followed. Nelson managed to reach the top of the platform by sprawling under the legs of a deacon, and began to address the congregation.

"I am the Holy Ghost," he yelled. "I am here on a mission of God. In my home, at the left side of the Lord, I am supreme. You are a lot of heretics and I have come to save you."

With this he was seized by the collar and pulled down, despite the efforts of Bergendahl to protect him. The fight extended all the way down the pulpit steps and along the aisle. The women members of the congregation screamed and fled.

The "Holy Ghost" was floored in a minute, but was quickly on his feet again, and succeeded in reaching the foot of the pulpit, where he was caught again. This time he was swept off his feet and thrown to the ground. Before he could rise five deacons sat on him. Others took care of his bodyguard and policemen were called.

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL

Results of the Vote for Mayor And Alderman

MAYOR DENNE STILL LEADS

With Ald. G. M. Roger an Exceedingly Close Second

Ald. Best, A. W. Cressman, Ald. M. Rush and Wm. Madill Head the List for Aldermen—No More Labor Candidates Have as Yet Been Named

FOR MAYOR.

A summing up of Saturday's voting for candidates for Mayor gives the following results:

Mayor Denne	105
Ald. Roger	90
Ald. Best	85
R. F. McWilliams	70
Ald. Rush	60
H. LeBrun	60
Ald. Shortly	50
J. H. McClelland	35
Robert Neil	25

FOR ALDERMAN.

Saturday's vote for alderman resulted as follows:

Ald. Best	140
A. W. Cressman	100
Ald Rush	85
Wm. Madill	80
Ald. Shortly	75
Ald. Batten	75
Ald. Corkery	70
Ald. Morrison	70
Ed. F. Mason	65
Dickson Davidson	60
W. Salisbury	60
Ald. Clinkscale	55
Robt. Fair	50
A. E. Dickson	50
Geo. W. Morrow	45
Geo. Matthews	40
Ald. McGregor	40
John Howden	35
Geo. Elliott	30
R. E. Layfield	25
Kelsey Hall	20
H. LeBrun	20
A. Macfarlane	20

5 Votes

For Mayor of Peterboro

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Coffee Plantations Utterly Ruined—Refugees Said to Have Been Waylaid and Robbed

San Francisco, Nov. 27. — W. J Campbell, who has just arrived from Guatemala, brings additional details of damage caused by the recent volcanic disturbances. He said:—"There is no clear idea yet of the loss of life resulting from the eruption on Santa Maria, but I believe five thousand natives have been killed. There was some talk at San Jose too, of some refugees having been waylaid by robbers, but I saw no instance of this. I took the first means of getting back to this country, having been impoverished. At San Jose it was said President Cabrera was trying to suppress the news, but evidence of ruin was apparent to everybody. Some of the coffee fincas that have been nearly ruined were worth more than $1,000,000. The plantation of Albert James, which was wiped out, had machinery upon it worth $300,000, all of which is destroyed. Some months ago James refused an offer of $1,500,000. Adolf Meyer's finca, worth $75,000 in gold, was ruined. Both of these places lay from twenty to forty miles west of the volcano.

DEPUTATION TO BERLIN BEET SUGAR FACTORY

Consisting of the Town and County Councils Mr. Wm. Collins and Others

The Town Council met last night in special session last night to discuss the advisability of sending a deputation to Berlin to inspect the large Beet Sugar Factory in operation there, with a view of securing all the information possible regarding this new and rapidly growing industry in Canada. The Peterborough Beet Sugar Company propose to establish in town a similar institution to that of Berlin, at a cost of about $600,000, in which event they will expect the Town either to take stock in the concern or aid them by way of a substantial bonus.

There were present at the meeting Mayor T. H. G. Denne, presiding, and Alderman Batten, Clinkscale, Shortly, Corkery, Best, Roger, McGregor, and J. J. Turner.

Mayor Denne in calling the meeting to order said he thought it advisable for a deputation to join the County Council in a trip to Berlin, in order to learn what what kind of an industry that of manufacturing beet sugar is, and the benefit such an institution is likely to prove to Peterborough.

Mr. T. E. Bradburn, one of the Provisional Directors of the Peterborough Beet Sugar Company, addressed the Council. He would not, he said, go into details, as the question had been pretty thoroughly discussed before. Since the last meeting, however, three Beet Sugar factories have been started in the west—one at Berlin, and one at Wallaceburg and Dresden. His object in being present was to request that a deputation consisting of the whole council, if possible, be appointed to go with the County Council, the President of the Farmers' Institute, and possibly a deputation from the Board of Trade, to Berlin on Thursday morning next, at 8.20, via the Grand Trunk Railway. If a party of 20 can be secured a special through car will be engaged at the rate of $5.70 each return ticket. Mr. Bradburn said that he had himself visited a beet sugar factory in Michigan which has proved to be a very paying concern, and of great benefit to the locality in which it is situated. It consumes about $250,000 or $300,000 worth of beets a year, and it pays out for labor $25,000 per annum. He thought this a highly satisfacory exemplification of the possibilities of such an institution. The Peterborough Company have already sufficient promises to raise the amount of stock required for its proposed factory, in which they are going to ask the town to take stock. The corporation can be empowered to do this by legislation, and he felt confident that it would prove a paying investment. Berlin and Wiarton gave $25,000 and $30,000, respectively to their Beet Sugar Factories, while Dresden appropriated $40,000 for a like purpose. The latter town's by-law provided that the amount could be either used in bonusing the institution, or invested in the factory; this was subsequently legalized by the Legislature.

Ald. Best moved that Ald. Roger, the Mayor and Ald. McGregor, (the latter representing the labor interests) be a deputation to go to Berlin.

Mr. Bradburn here remarked that it will take 26 factories like that of Berlin to supply sugar for Canadian consumption alone.

Ald. McGregor thought it advisable that all the council should be a deputation as it is desirable that they should become thoroughly conversant with the question before taking any active steps in the direction suggested by Mr. Bradburn.

Ald. Clinkscale moved in amendment, seconded by Ald. Batten, that as many of the council as possible be a deputation visit Berlin and that they take Mr. William Collins and a representative from each of the local press with them.

The amendment was carried after which council adjourned.

The Ontario Political Situation.

It has been clear since the general elections took place that unless another general election should be held the fate of the government would be decided at the bye-elections. Counting North Renfrew, the government had, when the elections were over, a majority of three, or of two not counting the speaker, but a majority of this size is not sufficient to enable any government to carry on public business. To retain office it is therefore necessary for the government to carry, not only all the seats which it secured last May, but to win some of the seats then captured by its opponents.

The seats now vacant are North Renfrew, North Perth, North Norfolk and North Grey. In East Middlesex the protest has been heard and judgment reserved. In South Oxford the protest has been partly heard, and the trial adjourned until next month. The particulars in some cases have been delivered, and the dates of trial fixed, but it seems doubtful if the trials will ever come off. Should there be no more trials the battle will be fought out in the vacant constituencies, and in East Middlesex and South Oxford, should these districts be opened. Should the government hold its own districts and win the vacant seats that were formerly held by the Conservatives, it would probably have a working majority; should it win only one seat, it might be able to pull through a session, but should it suffer the net loss of one seat it would have to give up the fight. This is exactly how matters stand.

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Advertising Schemes Which Produce Big Results—Sampling the Ontario Cities

Advertising schemes that produce big results quickly are usually strikingly new and original. Many original advertising methods have been tried and have turned out successful, often more so than their devisers anticipated.

A new scheme of advertising that is working well is that adopted by the American Cereal Co., of Peterborough, in introducing their Quaker Oats, says the Printer and Publisher. Besides advertising extensively in the daily and weekly newspapers, this company give away samples of their products to the public, furnishing a package to every house in the cities and towns of the country. Usually, in distributing gratuitously samples of their products, the manufacturer only gives away small samples of the article he is advertising, but, in this case, the American Cereal Co. generously give away as samples large and handsome packages containing enough of their oats for a meal for five or six persons. And not only is each free sample large, but it is delivered in a strikingly unique way. To impress firmly the idea "Quaker" upon the mind of each person they come in contact with, this company has adopted a novel plan. It is this: The handsome wagons with which they deliver the samples as accompanied by four nice looking young men, all dressed as Quakers in the drab clothes and peculiar hats adopted by those people. The young men hand the samples in at every house, and of course the fame of their approach goes before them, and the cry of "The Quakers are coming" creates in the minds of all a curiosity to have a look at them, which is only satisfied by acting on the impulse. Thus, everyone becomes acquainted with the "Quakers."

Besides advertising by means of these rigs, the company have put all over the city a large number of illustrated posters, and at night have thrown on a screen put on the side of some large building in a leading thoroughfare stereoptican views, including interesting pictures and advertisements of Quaker Oats and other products. Kites, also bearing inscriptions advertising their product, are flown by day, altogether making a complete system of advertising.

The above methods of advertising and introducing the products of this company have been successful in Chicago and other large cities in the United States and in London, England, and are now being employed in Canada for the first time, the larger cities being first worked, then the smaller cities and towns. The promoters are already much pleased with the success that is following their efforts in Canada.

The Critical Time of Life

Is between the age of fifty-seven and sixty-two. Nature's power slows down, vitality becomes less, and the process of decay sets in. A means of extending old age and renewing decreasing vigor is to take Ferrozone after meals. Ferrozone keeps up the appetite, and in the formation of red, vitalizing blood, imparts clearness to the tiring brain, force, energy and spirits just when they are needed most. To take Ferrozone regularly means adding from ten to twenty years to life. Large boxes 50c., or 6 boxes at $2.50, at Druggists, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

—The members of Court Littlejohn, No 20, C.O.F., will attend the funeral of their late brother, T. G. Harper, this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

IS CZAR INFLUENCED BY SPIRITUALIST?

Report Says He Takes no Important Action Without Consulting Philipp

London, Nov. 24—A Vienna correspondent of the Neue-Freie Presse, which previously reproduced from a Berlin periodical an account of the alleged extraordinary influence exercised by a Spiritualist named Phillip, at the Russian court, now publishes fresh particulars from a well-informed source. The paper says that Philip was presented to the Czar at the House of the Grand Duke Nicholas Nicolaievitch, the Czar's cousin. He now occupies a quite exceptional position at the court as an occulist, and hypnotist. It is even asserted by persons closely connected with the court that the Czar takes no important decision without consulting Phillip who advises his Majesty in regard to matters affecting his family life. Philippe' "phychic" treatment is said to have had an unfavorable effect on the Czarina last May.

London, Nov. 23—A Constantinople correspondent says that the heads of the non-Mussulman communities attended the Sultan's birthday levee and made congratulatory speeches to His Majesty. The latter, in replying, said: "I make no distinction between my Mohammedan and my Christian subjects. They are all alike to me, and all stand on the same level in my estimation." The correspondent says that this was the first time that the Sultan had thus expressed himself in public. The declaration has attracted considerable attention, especially as its tenor does not harmonize with the ideas which his Majesty is known to hold on the subject.

A GOOD DEBATE.

Another Successful Entertainment at the T. A.S. Hall.

The debate and concert announced for the T.A.S. last night was a brilliant success. The principal feature of the evening was a debate on the subject—Resolved "That the trial by jury shall be abolished." After able addresses by Messrs. C. Murty and F. McAuliffe for the affirmative and Messrs. J. and T. Begley for the negative, the arguments were summed up by Rev. Dr. O'Brien and gave a decision in favor of the negative.

The following musical numbers were presented during the evening—Duet by the Misses Doris; vocal solo by Mr. Turner, and recitation by Miss Carrie Waite previous to the debate and afterwards solos by Mr. Jas. Brown and recitations by Miss White.

Before the close of the programme the chairman announced the usual social evening in the rooms next Thursday, an entertainment under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid, in the Opera House on December 1st, and the postponement of the next entertainment in the hall to three weeks instead of the customary fortnight.

The accompanists for the musical part of the programme were the Misses McCabe and Doris.

DEFICIT IN GERMANY.

Reichstag to Be Asked to Increase Taxes.

Berlin, Nov. 25.—The Secretary of the Treasury declared in the Reichstag today that the financial situation in Germany at present was unfavorable. The estimates which would be brought before the Reichstag after the Christmas recess would show a deficit of 150,000,000 marks.

The Secretary said that some taxes would have to be increased in order to provide for the deficit in the budget.

Thousands of Women Are Kept in Suffering and Many Die Owing to False Treatment

Paine's Celery Compound

Never Fails To Banish Disease and Re-Establish Lasting Health

Thousands of women are kept in sickness for months and years owing to false treatment and the use of worthless medicines, and we are inclined to believe that Milton thought of this class of almost dying women when he said:

"The angelic guards ascended, mute and sad."

The common sense treatment of today for weak, rundown, and suffering women, is Paine's Celery Compound. This marvellous medicine is spoken of in every part of the civilized world, and men and women of all classes find a new life from its use. A glorious example of the curing powers of the great compound comes from Winnipeg, Man.; Mrs. H. Harbour writes as follows:

"A month ago I was very sick and happened to see one of your publications, in which I read of others being cured. I concluded to try Paine's Celery Compound myself, and I now thank God for the wonders it accomplished for me. I was suffering from heart disease, kidney trouble and general weakness, and some days was not able to stand without experiencing great pain. Since I used the compound I am able to get about the house and work, and can now eat anything put before me."

Cleveland's
BAKING POWDER

It enables you to cook and bake with perfect confidence as to results.

"I use Cleveland's Baking Powder in my kitchen and class work."
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I guarantee my Latest Method Treatment to be a permanent and positive cure for Varicocele and Stricture, without cutting, stretching or loss of time. In Varicocele it absorbs the bagging, or wormy condition, equalizes circulation, stops pains in the groins, stops all drains, thereby giving the organs their proper nutrition, vitalizes the parts and restores lost powers; in Stricture it absorbs the Stricture tissue, stops smarting sensation, nervousness, weakness, backache, etc., while in all prostatic troubles it is the treatment par excellence. So positive am I that my treatment will cure you, you can

PAY WHEN CURED

You need pay nothing until you are convinced that a thorough and complete cure has been established. This should convince you that I have confidence in my Latest Method Treatment, otherwise I could not make you this proposition. It makes no difference who has failed to cure you, call or write me.

Each Time You Call You See Me Personally,

Or each time you write it receives my personal attention. The number of years I am established in Detroit, and the cures I accomplished after given up by other doctors, has placed me as the foremost specialist of the country. CONSULTATION FREE. Call or write for blank for home treatment. Perfect system of home treatment for those who cannot call. BOOK FREE. All medicines for Canadian patients shipped from Windsor, Can. All duty and express charges prepaid. Nothing sent C. O. D.

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This paper is the only Morning Daily published between Toronto and Ottawa and is largely read throughout Eastern Ontario.

Strangers visiting Peterborough are specially invited to make their headquarters at the Times Office, where they will be provided with writing material.

The Times is a member of the Associated Press and receives telegraphic news each morning up to four o'clock.

The Times will be sent to subscribers in the district at 25c per month, and to outside points at $3 per year strictly in advance.

Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, NOV. 25, 1902.

CAUSES OF POTATO FAILURES

One of the most destructive diseases of the potato is Rhizoctonia solani Kuhn, and in bulletin No. 70, Prof. F. W. Rolfs gives a preliminary chapter on this trouble and suggests treatment. Being a fungous disease which permeates every part of the affected plant, it is very difficult to control. There is no practical method of checking it after it is once introduced into the soil. The only method to control is by preventive means. The disease may be carried on seed, on beet roots, dry potato stems, etc. Consequently great care should be taken to get rid of all rubbish by burning as soon as the potatoes are harvested, and also to prevent their getting into the manure heap. It is believed that the fungus remains in the soil three years, consequently a diseased field should be cropped with clover or alfalfa for at least that length of time.

Treating the seed with a corrosive sublimate solution, one ounce of the sublimate to eight gallons of water, soaked one and one-half hours, is fairly satisfactory. Dissolve in an earthen or wooden dish. This is a rank poison, and must be kept away from animals. Formalin, one-half pint to fifteen gallons of water, is also a fungicide, and the potatoes should be soaked in it for two hours. These treatments recommended not only tend to kill the germs on the potato, but seem to increase the vigor of the seed. They reduce considerably the ravages of the fungus.

As the success of the crop depends upon the vigor of the seed, Professor Rolf makes the following suggestion concerning its treatment;—After digging, it is stored in a dark shed or barn until about November 10. Just before freezing sets in, the potatoes are sorted, and those showing the slightest signs of decay are rejected. A layer of straw eight to ten inches thick is placed upon the ground and the tubers placed upon this. The piles should not be made very large. The best results are usually obtained by moulds three feet at the base and piled up in ridges as high as convenient. A pile of straw is placed over the potatoes, and this is in turn covered with soil to a depth of six to eight inches. More is added when the weather becomes severe. This method of storing potatoes seems to winter them much better than when placed in cellars. About the last of April they are taken from the pit and stored in a dark shed or barn until a few days before planting time, when they are given the treatment suggested above.

ELECTRIC LIGHT BATHS

Each year adds to the modern improvements in the house. It is not sufficient now to have the house heated by steam, lighted by electricity and furnished with certain up-to-date conveniences.

The well-appointed house of the immediate future is to have its electric apparatus for the purpose of giving light baths. Not every house has the requisite amount of air and light, or if these are furnished in abundance when the sun is bright and the atmosphere clear there are days, not to say weeks, when the sun does not shine and the air is heavy with noxious vapors. The human system feels the lack of sunshine, and the result is heaviness of spirits, to say nothing of positive illness.

A substitute for the good effects of sunshine is now provided by electric rays. Numerous well-equipped institutions on the continent are found where the "light-room" is a part of the establishment.

Queen Alexandra has just finished an electrical therapeutic hospital in London where invalids, nervous women and delicate children have the benefit of this vitalizing light. It remains for Americans to follow suit and to devise a way not only to have these electric rays in hospitals, but to have them a part of the ordinary outfit of a well-ordered home.

Then there will be no need of seeking a sunny clime in winter or of avoiding the melancholy days of November. Light and cheer will be provided in the home as easily as is the glowing fire — or rather as the fire did glow before the days of the coal barons.

PROPOSE TO BEAT NATURE

PURE DIAMONDS WILL SOON BE MADE IN CANADA

A Factory Now Being Built at Niagara Falls to Make the Pure Article

Niagara Falls, Nov. 24.—The manufacture of artificial diamonds has long been regarded as an impossibility. A score of men learned in chemistry and skilled as lapidaries have spent years in a fruitless endeavor to equal the product of nature in this direction. Now however, the prospect of the manufacture of diamonds by scientific means is considered so likely as to be predicted in a Government report. T. G. Martin, an expert special agent of the U. S. census office, has written a long and very interesting report on the electrical industries of the United States, in which he incidentally refers to the attempts that have been made to produce diamonds artificially. He recalls the fact that Moissan, the Frenchman, pushed the employment of the electric arc so far as to produce minute fragmentary diamonds in his furnaces. Moissan also noted the production of graphite from a diamond heated in the arc and from the similar treatment of sugar charcoal purified by chlorine and of purified wood charcoal.

"In fact," says Mr. Martin, "it was due to his investigation in this field that he was led to his celebrated observation on the formation of diamonds by the sudden cooling in mercury or mud of molten iron saturated with carbon. Out of all such work it was but natural that fanciful speculations should arise as to the possibility of establishing factories for the regular manufacture of genuine diamonds at Niagara Falls, where the cheap current and other essentials would be available, but nothing has resulted within the period under consideration from these plausible and sanguine theories. The fact remains, however, that in our modern electrical furnaces diamond dust has been produced, and the steps leading to the manufacture of larger crystals will be but sequential."

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Are you going to vote for whisky or water—or both?

The new steel elevators at Fort William lie about one and a half miles straight along the river bank, west and look like so many gasometers. The first sixteen are sixty feet high, and about the same width. The more interesting ones, those being built, are made of half-inch steel plates, five feet wide, and sixteen of them, laid in widths, form a tank. Its dimensions being 80 feet in hight and 28 feet in diameter, with a wheat capacity of 41,000 bushels. They rest on a concrete foundation, upon which cement pillars and walls 18 feet in height are first built. None of these tanks will be ready for wheat this year.

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THE MOONSTONE SPHINX

By Mrs C N Williamson

Author of The Barn Stormers
Fortune's Spor Miss Nobody,
Her Royal Highness Lady
Mary of the Dark
House, etc.

to live upon, so that I should have my time to myself for the search.

"When my mother told me this story of the past she was already an invalid. She would have no nurse but me, even had we been able to afford it. She suffered continually, and could not be left alone for long, so that my ways of earning a living were precarious. A few months after she died I took the first step towards keeping my promise to her. I sailed for England—a steerage passenger. Exactly what my life was after that adds no interest to my tale, but it had its ups and downs, mostly downs, until a fortunate whim of fate tossed into my hands what once would have seemed to be a great fortune. I made a queer bargain, with a clause at the end of it which was left vague; but I was ready to do almost anything, not dishonorable, for money.

"Only for one brief interval of madness did I lose sight of my object; but, though I thought of nothing else, worked for nothing else, I never seemed to be nearer to my goal. Often I followed false clues, but they always led me back again to the starting place, until one day I met a shabby fellow in the street who begged of me with an American accent. He was near the house of a rich man whom I knew very well, and had been there hoping to see the millionaire, whom he stated that he had known long ago; but as the master was abroad he was turned away by the servants, who refused to believe in the alleged friendship.

"I gave the fellow something, more because he was an American than for any other reason, but a few words he carelessly let drop interested me for another more selfish one. I stood him a dinner, with a little good wine, and he poured out confidences. He had lived in one of the Western States, and had owned a little land thirty years ago with several houses upon it. One of these houses was unlet and had stood empty for some time, when it began to have the reputation of being haunted. People in the neighborhood heard queer chattering noises at night, and were afraid to go near the place. But the owner was not afraid. He went in and found a terrible wreck of manhood there—a poor wretch with his face so burnt with vitriol that it was more like a piece of raw meat than a face; and, still more horrible, he lacked a foot, which had been lately amputated, literally hacked off, as if by the hand of an amateur.

"The sufferer was raving with fever, and almost dead. How long he had been there or how he came the owner of the house could not tell, but he was more than half starved, and in his delirium said strange things—the strangest of all, that he had deliberately worked the evil upon himself for motives untold. He was tended and cared for as well as possible in that lonely neighborhood, where there was not a doctor within thirty miles, and a marvelous constitution pulled him through, horribly disfigured and lame though he must be to the end of his days.

"When he was able to speak coherently he told a story of a fire in the nearest town, in which he had all but lost his life, saying that, as his foot was nearly burnt off, he had himself cut bone and flesh away, lest mortification should set in. After that he professed to have no recollection of anything which happened; and as he had plenty of money in a belt he wore next his skin, the owner of the house was not too pressing in his curiosity. He was well paid for his care, and it was not until after his mysterious guest had vanished as unexpectedly as he had come that he found out there had been no fire of importance in the town mentioned for many months.

"Years passed on and brought troubles to my American friend. He lost his money and had various mishaps, finally going out to South Africa. There he heard of the great millionaire with the scarred face and hobbling limp, which his intimates whispered was caused by an artificial foot. The American tramped up country to find him, only just in time to see the man getting into a train at the railway station. But he recognized the hideous face, and was bitterly disappointed at losing the chance of claiming help as a reward for what he had done in the past.

"Somehow he managed, after a few months more, to get to England, and determined to make a good sum out of his former services, perhaps get a start in business. But he only arrived to find his quarry had slipped away again.

"You can imagine, Comtesse, that this story set me thinking. If a man had the fearful courage to disfigure himself in a way so horrible, so painful, it could only have been because he must choose between losing his identity or his life. Such grim pluck, such iron self-control might almost win admiration, were it not the desperation of a moral coward, ready to sacrifice all that makes existence precious for the sake of the bare chance of escaping death.

"Needless to tell you that I have the American where I can put my hand upon him when I want him. When I had arranged this, I followed the millionaire, with whom I had actually been on terms of friendship, feeling as if I had dreamt the months of intimacy with him, months which I had wasted in vain search, my eyes everywhere save on the one man who should have held them.

"Fate had already played me some strange tricks, but none stranger than that which put me on the track of the moonstone Sphinx in the very moment of reaching the end of my journey. He had had it for years, and the clue seemed complete; but the moonstone was gone out of his possession for the first time. I could neither hope to find it with him nor to obtain it myself and confront him with it in the hour of his downfall, unless——"

"Unless I give it back to you!" exclaimed the Comtesse.

"Exactly. Or even lend it. What I want is to hear him claim it as his own."

Her answer was to snatch up the stone from the table and impulsively place it in Newcome's hand. "It is yours, as it has always been. You have won your wager, and I pay my debt."

CHAPTER XXXVIII.

The Price She Was to Pay.

Winifred Gray did not deceive herself. She knew what she was doing in going alone to the house of Lionel Macaire. She knew what his reputation was; she knew how, since she had shown the loathing she felt for him and his insults, he had built up, stone by stone, his scheme of revenge.

Sometimes a stone had fallen with the dull ring of failure for him; but he had set it up again with another piled upon it; and when she went to keep the appointment at his house, the shameful structure he had planned would be complete.

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Notice of allotment will be sent promptly by ordinary letter.

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1.—COAL. 2.—IRON. 3.—LIMESTONE.

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The Company controls 3,000 acres of excellent coal areas in the Province of Nova Scotia, and efforts are being made to increase this to 10,000 acres by the purchase of some very valuable additional coal fields.

The coal has been thoroughly tested and found to be suitable in every way for the manufacture of iron and steel, and the supply is practically inexhaustible. The following analysis was made by the Canadian Geological Survey :—

ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4 05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5 23
	100 00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 ton re above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

3.—FLUX.

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MARKETS.

For six months in each year the Canadian markets can be reached by water at low freight rates, and at all times by rail. As Cape Breton is distant from Liverpool only about 2,300 miles; is nearer to Pernambuco, Brazil, than any point in the United States, and also nearer to Cape Town, South Africa, it has the advantage, in point of distance, for export business over any American steel-producing points, which, with scarcely any exceptions, are situated some distance from tide water. Under any conditions of the world's market, it is believed that the output of these works can be disposed of at satisfactory prices.

OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows :—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4 00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

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July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1 65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows :—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000 00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

If the capitalization was increased to .... $20,000,000.00 this estimate would still show a dividend-earning capacity of 10 per cent. per annum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Coal Co. is .... $20,000,000.00 earning fully 12 per cent., and is paying 8 per cent. guaranteed dividends on this enormous sum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co. is...... $28,000,000.00 on which it is believed 6 per cent. dividends will be earned.

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Electoral District aforesaid that in pursuance to Part 1, of the Liquor Act, poll will be opened at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, on the

4th Day of the Month of December,

IN THE YEAR 1902,

And close on the same day at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, in each of the Townships, Wards or Polling Subdivisions in which a Polling Place is to be opened and kept according to law, viz.:

GALWAY

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all Lots in Concessions 1 to 6 inclusive and Lots 1 to 15 in Concession A. inclusive, at John Coulter's House.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising Lots 16 to 45 inclusive in Concession A. and Lots 1 to 15 from Concession 7, inclusive, to Northern Boundary, at M. Hartnet's House

Polling Subdivison No. 3—Comprising Lots 16 to 35 from Concession 7, inclusive, to Northern Boundary, at the Swamp Lake Schoolhouse.

CAVENDISH

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all Lots in Concessions 1 to 11, inclusive, at John Cochrane's House.

Polling Subdivison No. 2—Comprising all Lots from Concession 12, inclusive, to Northern Boundary, at Austin Ford's House.

HARVEY

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all the Lots lying south of Pigeon Lake, in Concessions 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 of the Township of Harvey, also Big Island and Jacob's Island, at the Town Hall, Lakehurst.

Polling Subdivision No. 2 Comprising all that part of Concessions 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19, lying north of Pigeon Lake, in the Township of Harvey, at Ventress's Schoolhouse.

Polling Subdivision No. 3—Comprising all the Lots and parts of Lots in Concessions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 of the Township of Harvey, at Jas. Pheard's House.

ENNISMORE

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all Lots north of a line dividing the north and south halves of Concession 5, at the Town Hall

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising all Lots south of a line dividing the north and south halves of Concession 5, at O'Reilly's Schoolhouse.

SMITH

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all Lots and parts of Lots in the 1st 2nd, and 3rd Concessions and all Lots and parts of Lots east and west of the Communication Road and south of Lot No. 7, at Milburn's Schoolhouse.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising all Lots and parts of Lots in the 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th Concessions, west of the road between Lots 18 and 19, and all Lots and parts of Lots east and west of the Communication Road, north of Lot No. 6, and including the Village of Bridgenorth, at the Town Hall, Bridgenorth.

Polling Subdivision No. 3—Comprising all Lots and parts of Lots in the 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th Concessions east of the road between Lots 18 and 19, and west of the line between Lots 31 and 32, at Ray's Schoolhouse.

Polling Subdivision No. 4—Comprising all Lots and parts of Lots in the 12th, 13th 14th, and 15th Concessions, west of the line between Lots 31 and 32, and all Lots and parts of Lots in the 16th, 17th and 18th Concessions, lying between Buckhorn Lake and Deer Bay, at the Temperance Hall, Selwyn.

Polling Subdivision No. 5—Comprising all Lots and parts of Lots in the 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th and 15th Concessions east of the line between Lots 31 and 32, and all Lots and parts of Lots in the 16th Concession east of Deer Bay, at Heard's Hall, Young's Point.

VILLAGE OF LAKEFIELD

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all that portion of the Village of Lakefield situate in the Township of Smith, and that portion of the said Village situate in Township of Douro, south of King street and west of Queen street, and that portion of the Mill reserve south of Water street and west of and including Lot No. 4 of said Mill reserve, at the Town Hall.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising all that portion of the Village of Lakefield situate in the Township of Douro, east of Lot No. 4 Mill reserve, east of Queen street and north of King street, at the Division Court Office.

NORTH MONAGHAN

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising Concession Nos. 10 and 11, east of Township Lot 8, Concession 12 east of Quarter Line, and the 13th Concession, at May's Schoolhouse.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising Concession No. 12, west from Quarter Line; Concessions 10 and 11 west from Township Lot 9, and Concessions 7, 8 and 9, at the Town Hall.

SOUTH MONAGHAN

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising Lots 1 to 8, inclusive, in Concessions B. F. 1 and part of 2, at the Orange Hall, Bailieboro.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising Lots 1 to 8, inclusive, in Concessions 3, 4, 5, 6, and part of 2, at the Town Hall, Centreville.

Polling Subdivision No. 3—Comprising all Lots east of Lot No. 8, at the Beaufort Schoolhouse.

TOWN OF PETERBOROUGH

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising that part of Ward No. 1 lying south of Lake street, at J. McCarthy's House, 137 Lake street.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising that part of Ward No. 1 between Lake and Rink streets, at J. Booth's House, 39 Stewart street.

Polling Subdivision No. 3—Comprising that part of Ward No. 1 between Rink and Dalhousie and Paterson streets, at H. Darke's House, 124 Rubidge street.

Polling Subdivision No. 4—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 1 lying north of Dalhousie street and east of Stewart street, at L. Spry's Shop, Stewart street.

Polling Subdivision No. 5—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 1 lying north of Dalhousie and Paterson streets and west of Stewart street, at J. Miller's Shop, Rubidge street.

Polling Subdivision No. 6—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 2 lying east of George street, at the Council Chamber.

Polling Subdivision No. 7—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 2 lying between George and Bethune streets, at Paterson's Office, Aylmer street.

Polling Subdivision No. 8—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 2 lying west of Bethune street, at M. Green's Shop, 352 Charlotte street.

Polling Subdivision No. 9—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 3 lying east of George street, at 452 George street.

Polling Subdivision No. 10—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 3 lying between George and Bethune streets, at Mathers's Shop, Aylmer street.

Polling Subdivision No. 11—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 3 lying between Bethune and Donegal streets, at Wm. McCall's Shop.

Polling Subdivision No. 12—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 3 lying west of Donegal street, at N. Routley's Shop.

Polling Subdivision No. 13—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 4 lying south of Antrim street, at 188 Edinburgh street.

Polling Subdivision No. 14—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 4 lying between Antrim street and Barnardo avenue and Inverlea street, at W. Lee's Shop, Smith street.

Polling Subdivision No. 15—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 4 lying north of Barnardo avenue and Inverlea street, at Wm. Detcher's Shop, 865 Water street

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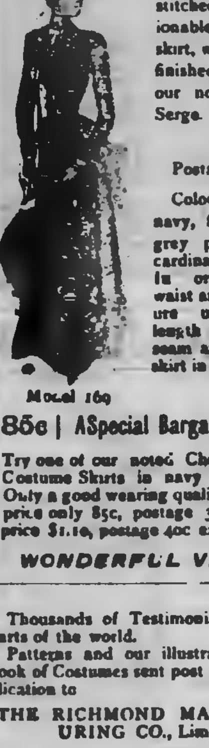

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ANOTHER EXTRAORDINARY CARE

Abroad He Consorted With Gamblers, Played the Races and Promoted Pugilism

New York, Nov. 22.—"Judge" Franklin Stone, of Philadelphia, who organized the Kentucky Mutual Sweepstakes Association, and was recently reported to have bought 25 yearlings from Col. Milton Young, for $50,000 turns out to be Frank C. Martin, who was a bright young lawyer and rising politician, when he fled from Brooklyn eight years ago, accused of fraudulently obtaining $30,000 from a client. He went to South America, but returned five years ago, and has since lived in Philadelphia under his new name. He owned Daffy-down-dilly and San Andrea, which raced at the Buffalo meeting last September. He is now in custody in Brooklyn.

Stone declares the culprit was a clerk in his office on whom all the duties devolved because he himself was so engrossed with horse racing that he slighted his business. This clerk, whose name he refuses to divulge, was in ill-health, and when he was thought to be dying he confessed his sin to Martin, first extracting a solemn promise that his revelations would be held secret. Because of this promise to the man, who died soon after he had fled, Martin says he has sacrificed all his brilliant prospects, sacrificed all his brilliant prospects, has been forced to hide his head from those who knew him, has been compelled to take an assumed name and to begin his battle with the world anew.

But in Philadelphia he led a dual existence. To those who knew him and his wife and two sons socially he was the ideal family man, his occupation being that of a capitalist, a broker or a banker. A church member he was liberal in his contributions to charity, and was believed by some to be a millionaire. In the directory he was put down as a lawyer, but he had no office, and never was he known to appear in court.

Away from home he was intimate with gamblers; he owned horses and made heavy wagers on their racing; he was the leading spirit in a club which offered purses for pugilistic contests, and it is said that at one time his money was behind a notorious poolroom. He also organized and put into operation a scheme to sell pools on the races to the public, using the postal facilities as the medium for their distribution.

Even though he shouldered his dying clerk's burden, he says he had decided to make restitution to the swindled woman, even though he had not profited one cent on her losses. To that end, he says, he opened negotiations with her, hoping some day to reimburse her in full and then reveal himself to the world as Frank C. Martin.

Moving a House

Mr. Allan McCarthy, the well known house mover, has a big job on hand. He is taking a large strip house, [illegible] Charlotte street, opposite the Methodist church to a lot in Bolivar street, a distance of [illegible] feet. The house weighs about [illegible] tons.

Interesting Items.

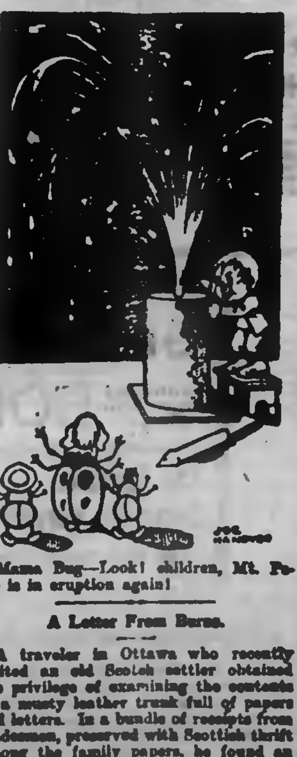
Farmers in Sanpete County, Utah, are having "pin-shows," only they use grasshoppers instead of pins as tickets of admission. The crops last year were ruined by the grasshoppers. This year the farmers determined to destroy the pests, so they arranged for a series of entertainments to which only those might be admitted who brought half a bushel of grasshoppers with them. Seventy-five bushels were the receipts of the first entertainment. The grasshoppers were burned at the close of the evening's amusement.

The Eastern manager of the Pennsylvania Railway has issued an order forbidding passengers to exchange kisses with their friends in the Jersey City station. They must give such greetings and farewells where they will not obstruct traffic. The Western manager says this order will not be enforced on his side of the Alleghany Mountains. And there you have it—the broad, expansive osculatory freedom of the West pitted against the exclusiveness of the East!

In London a curious experiment was recently tried by a South American named Papuse. Having wrapped around his body three hundred and fifty yards of flannel he lay down in a sort of glass coffin, which was then hermetically closed and placed at the bottom of a large tank filled with water. By means of an electric ventilator and of a tube, one end of which passed into the coffin, a constant supply of fresh air was assured, and this air was the only nourishment which Papuse received during the eight days that the experiment lasted. An eight days' fast is not an extraordinary occurrence, but what is particularly interesting about the present case is that the faster did not consume any water.

The "Lancet" has unearthed the curious fact that nearly all the important events in the life of His Majesty King Edward VII. have happened on a Tuesday. He was born, baptized, and married on a Tuesday; on a Tuesday he was appointed a member of the Privy Council; on a Tuesday it was definitely ascertained that he had contracted typhoid fever, and it was on a Tuesday he attended the public thanksgiving service for his recovery. On a Tuesday he succeeded to the throne; on a Tuesday the Royal Standard was first hoisted at Marlborough House, and on a Tuesday His Majesty underwent an operation for perityphlitis. Students of "the occult" may be able to deduce something from this dominance of the day dedicated to the god of war in the life of the King, but without any such deduction the series of coincidences is a very remarkable one.

Not only the horses but the powers of the law, says the London "Chronicle," are swift at Ascot, for the course has a special tribunal for the punishment of evildoers. No sooner is the pickpocket, welsher, or ticket-snatcher arrested than he is standing before Sir Albert de Rutzen in a little room in the royal stand, where the evidence is heard and the verdict and sentence pronounced before the offender fully realizes that he is caught. Nowhere else does punishment so swiftly follow crime as at this court, which is decreed by clause 31 of the Indictable Offences Act of 1848. This race-course tribunal arose curiously in the eighteenth century from an assault upon a royal personage. In his indignation at the impossibility of instant punishment of the assailant, he ordered that in future a magistrate should always attend the royal race meeting. This has ever since been done, and by the above-mentioned act the chief magistrate of Bow street was constituted ex officio a justice of the peace of the County of Berks, in order to enable him to hold this court at Ascot.



Mama Bug—Look! children, Mt. Pelee is in eruption again!

A Letter From Burns.

A traveler in Ottawa who recently visited an old Scotch settler obtained the privilege of examining the contents of a musty leather trunk full of papers and letters. In a bundle of receipts from tradesmen, preserved with Scottish thrift among the family papers, he found an unpublished letter from Robert Burns. The New York "Sun" gives it as follows, and justly remarks that it shows the great poet at his best, a sympathetic, kindly man at heart:

R. Burns, Dr., to G. Turnbull, for five copies of his poems at 2s 6d—12s 6d.

Dear Sir: I send you by John Glover, carrier, the above amount for Mr. Turnbull, as I suppose you have his address.

I would fain offer, my dear sir, a word of sympathy with your misfortunes, but it is a tender thing, and I know not how to touch it. It is easy to flourish a set of high-flown sentiments that would give great satisfaction to "a breast quite at ease," but as one observes who was seldom mistaken in the theory of life, "The heart knoweth its own sorrows, and a stranger intermeddleth not therewith." Among some distressful emergencies that I have experienced, I ever laid this down as my foundation of comfort, "that he who has lived the life of an honest man has by no means lived in vain."

With every wish for your welfare and future success, I am, my dear sir, sincerely yours,

ROBERT BURNS.

Ellisland, May 26, 1789.
To Mr. James Hamilton, Grocer, Trongate, Glasgow.

WILL NOT LOSE ALL

The Lakefield men who speculated in the Canadian Osage Illuminating Oil Company's stock have been very anxious lately. They have had every reason to feel that the money invested was lost forever, but they are not so bad off as they feared. As we understand, Dr. Baker, one of the gentlemen who went south to purchase the stock has returned [illegible] and has paid over a considerable sum in discharge of his responsibility in connection with the transaction.

Their Vacations.

The musicians will live on the Sound, and the ping-pong players will go to Table Bay, suggests New York "Life." The summer girls will naturally go to the Isle of Man, and those too old to be loved will seek the Isle of Pines. Dipsomaniacs will go to Bar Harbor, brewers to Behring Straits, while all reformed drunkards will go to Haddam. The coal men will flock to Asheville, poets will go to Attica, geometricians to Cuba, tramps to Bath, horseback riders to Canterbury, funny men to Chestnut Ridge, golf players to Bunker Hill, philanthropists to the Bounty Islands, Boston girls to Chili, and chiropodists to Cornwall.

Printers will go to Ems, aurists to Erie, pawnbrokers to Hocking Valley, spiritualists to Knoxville, burglars to Lock Haven, Pullman car porters to Palm Beach, but there is some doubt about the Filipinos going to Liberty. Those who linger too long will go to Tarytown.

All the stuffs will go to Turkey. Prohibitionists will go to the Water Gap, and all practical jokers to Cape Cod. Some Wall Street men will go to Great Bear Lake and others to Bull Run. Folks troubled with insomnia will go to Sleepy Hollow. Roulette players will go to Wheeling, and poker players to Council Bluffs. Fat men will go to Great Neck, thin men to Littleton, and melancholy men to Sulphur Springs.

The cooks will go to Pottstown, the anarchists to Bombay, cabmen to Hoboken, vivisectionists to the Catskills, and all the shoppers to Paw Paw.

Pool players will go to the Pyramids, leather men to Morocco, magnates to the Rockies, while those whose fortunes are falling will go to Sag Harbor.

All the peach growers will go to Pittsburg, and the lace-makers will go to Old Point. The confectioners will flock to Mt. Desert, and the gossips to Pekin.

And finally, those whose thoughts are fixed on Heaven will go to St. Petersburg.

And those whose thoughts are in the other direction will go to Fire Island.

Catabolic Man.

According to a writer in the "Lancet," the male human needs more food than the female, not only on account of his larger stature, but also because he is the more catabolic of the two. The man tends to expend energy and the woman to store it up in the form of fat; he burns the faster. This sexual difference shows itself in the very blood; the man has a larger percentage of chromocytes than the woman, showing that he needs a proportionately larger quantity of oxygen in order to maintain his more active combustion—a fact which one may associate with his comparative freedom from chlorosis; moreover, weight for weight, his pulmonary capacity is greater than that of the woman, whose smaller respiratory need is further shown by the facility with which she can without discomfort diminish her breathing power by means of the corset. "The great contrast between the metabolic activity of the two sexes," continues the writer, "was forcibly brought home to me by a military display given by a troupe of dusky Amazons, with whom were also a few male warriors. The women, in spite of their daily exertions, were all rounded and plump, some very much so, no single muscle showing through the skin, and it was noticed that their movements, though full of grace, lacked energy and 'go.' The men, on the other hand, were spare, their muscles standing out plainly under the shiny skin, and they, in further contrast with the women, displayed a truly amazing agility, bounding about and whirling round in a most astounding fashion; the women, in short, were essentially anabolic and the men were catabolic. I may here draw attention to the fact that men are apt to be larger meat-eaters than women, just as they are, possibly in consequence of this very fact, more prone to drink alcohol and to smoke tobacco."

Price of a Shave.

A man walking through the suburbs of a certain large town noticed a barber's pole to which was attached a signboard with the inscription, "Shaving One Halfpenny."

His chin being rough and his funds low he promptly entered the shop, seated himself in the chair, and asked to be shaved.

The knight of the razor carefully lathered and scraped away at one side of the customer's face, sponged it, and drew the cloth away with the usual flourish.

"But you don't call this finished?" expostulated his victim, keeping his seat.

"Beg pardon, sir, do you want the other side done as well?" said the barber with a hair-oily smile.

"Cert'nly I do. Do you think I can go out in the street half-shaved?" replied the other.

And the barber proceeded to operate on the other side of his customer.

When the job was finished the man, who began to smell a rat, fumbled in his pockets and fished out a halfpenny, which he tendered to the barber.

"Another halfpenny, if you please, sir," said the latter.

"What? You've got on your board outside, 'Shaving a ha'penny.'"

"Very true. But if you will have the goodness to observe, you'll find that that inscription is on each side of the board."

"I know that."

"Very good, sir. There are two sides to my board—and two sides to your face."

"I see," replied the man, with his hand on the door-knob, "and, if you will have the goodness to observe that ha'penny, you will find there are two sides to that as well."—"Tit-Bits."

The Proper Term.

Martha, the colored washerwoman, was complaining of her husband's health to one of her patrons. "He's ve'y po'ly, ma'am, ve'y po'ly. He's got dat exclamatory rheumatism." "You mean inflammatory, Martha. Exclamatory is from exclaim, which means to cry out." "Yes, miss," answered Martha, with conviction, "dat's what it is. He hollers all de time."

THE TRENT VALLEY CANAL

Ottawa, Nov. 23—Hon. Mr. Blair and Mr. Schreiber, Deputy Minister of Railways and Canals, returned last night from an inspection of the Trent and Welland Canals.

The latter says: "This season we were simply finishing up contracts let in the previous season, but in 1903 we [illegible] the waterway finished from Peterboro' [illegible] to Lake Simcoe. There will then remain the section to Lake Ontario, [illegible] Peterboro' and from Lake Simcoe to Georgian Bay, the most important part of all."

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The Company purchased and paid for the latest improved machinery and has put a shaft down [illegible] feet and intend to carry it down [illegible] feet. On the 100 foot level [illegible] feet of development has been made and an ore shoot had been encountered and blocked out for [illegible] feet, carrying values in gold from 2 to 9 ounces or $40 to $180 per ton. The cost of mining, hauling, freight and smelter charges will be between $12 and $15 per ton.

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Chatham, Nov. 12—There is as yet little new in the oil situation, which is the one topic of conversation. Accounts of the Raleigh well's capacity have not been one whit exaggerated. Oil men are swarming here, some coming even from California, and great expectations are entertained as to future explorations. A company which has fourteen wells at Northwood, six miles from here, on the line of the Grand Trunk, hold leases for lands adjacent to the gusher, and will begin to bore at once in their territory. The gusher is situated on the apex or crown of a sudden elevation or dome in the rock formation, and oil experts say this is a sure sign of permanency and the reason for the unusual pressure manifested.

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Mainly About People.

A rash Irishman had climbed up a tree in pursuit of a small but irate wildcat. His friend, awaiting him below, heard in dismay the uproar of a fierce combat. "Pat," he shouted, "Pat, shall I come up and help you catch him?" Above the crash of breaking branches came a groan, "No, for Hivin's sake come up and help me let him go."

A Dowling avenue (Parkdale) reader sends the following: "Last washday, in our house, the washerwoman asked the domestic whether she should starch the master's pyjamas. 'Good gracious, no!' exclaimed the maid; 'master sleeps in those!' 'Now, see here,' replied the garrulous apostle of the washtub, 'I know what pyjamas is, 'cause I've washed 'em in the best houses in the city, and I tell you that your master will wear 'em when he goes a-fishin', so I guess he'll want 'em starched.'"

A gentleman visiting a minister was asked to attend Sunday school at his host's church and address a few remarks to the children. He took the familiar theme of the children who mocked Elijah on his journey to Bethel—how the youngsters taunted the poor old prophet, and how they were punished when two she-bears came out of the wood and ate forty and two of them. "And now, children," said the speaker, wishing to learn if his talk had produced any moral effect, "what does this story show?" "Please, sir," came from a little girl well down in front, "it shows how many children two she-bears can hold."

John Kendrick Bangs says that one evening he found himself on the rear platform of a crowded New York car with a policeman whom he understood to be the largest man on the force. This policeman, according to his own statement, was six feet eight inches in height, and weighed in his best condition two hundred and ninety-two pounds. Mr. Bangs fell into a pleasant conversation with the giant, in the course of which he complimented him on his great size, which he said he supposed must be a very valuable asset to a man of his profession. "Well, sor," replied the policeman, meditatively, "I ain't got no grievance against me size when I am travelin' along with a rough crowd. But when it comes to buying pants, it's h—ll."

Sir Wemyss Reid tells a good story about William Black. At a banquet of the Royal Academy at which he was present two rich gentlemen, with "self-made" written large all over them, enquired with an air of patronage what line of business he was in. On his meekly replying that he wrote novels, they expressed their surprise and pleasure at meeting a person of his class. The first gentleman said, "I like to meet littery people. I buy books. I've got a library of six hundred volumes all bound in full calf. I've got all the works of Thackeray and Dickenson, and if you'll tell me the names of yours I'll buy them too. I've never read them." The second gentleman, anxious to atone for his friend's indiscretion, kicked his shins under the table and said, "Oh yes, you have, but you've forgotten them."

At a little girls' party recently a tot had been valiantly boasting of the advantages of belonging to her family, and had managed to hold her own against the vainglorious and ingenuous discourses of her companions. They had gone from clothes to personal appearances, then to interior furnishings, then to the number of tons of coal consumed in the home of each during the last winter, and finally brought up at parental dignity. The minister's little girl boasted: "Every package that comes for my pa is marked 'D. D.!'" "An' every package that comes for my pa is marked 'M. D.!'" retorted the daughter of a physician of the neighborhood. Then came a fine snort of contempt from the heroine of this anecdote. "Huh!" she exclaimed. "Every package that comes to our house is marked 'C. O. D.!' There, now!"

William Pruette, the singer, was one of a group of married men who were discussing housekeeping and servants the other evening in a Philadelphia hotel corridor. He told of a girl who served him and Mrs. Pruette well enough while they were living in a New York flat several years ago, and who one day went to Mrs. Pruette in tears and asked permission to go home for a few days—she had a telegram telling that her mother was ill. "Of course, go," said Mrs. Pruette—"only, Maggie, do not stay longer than is necessary. We need you." Maggie promised to return as soon as possible, and hurried away. A week passed without a word from her, then came a note by mail, reading: "Dear Miss Pruete i will be back nex week an plese kep my place for me, mother is dying as fast as she can. To oblidg Maggie."

In Legal Terms.

"If I were to give you an orange," said the judge, "I would simply say, 'I give you the orange,' but should the transaction be entrusted to a lawyer to put in writing he would adopt this form:

"'I hereby give, grant, and convey to you all my interest, right, title and advantage of and in said orange, together with its rind, skin, juice, pulp and pits; and all rights and advantages therein, with full power to bite, suck, or otherwise eat the same or give away with or without rind, skin, juice, pulp or pits; anything hereinbefore or in any other deed or deeds, instruments of any nature or kind whatever to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.'"

Unflattering to the Press.

Although the power of the press can hardly be overestimated, little that is printed leaves a permanent impression. Dr. Edward Everett Hale puts it characteristically in commenting on the sensitiveness of his distinguished kinsman, Edward Everett, to what appeared about him in print. "He did not know, as I do, that of whatever is put in the newspaper half the people who see it do not read it; second, that half of those do not understand it; third, that of the half who understand it, half do not believe it; fourth, that of the half who believe it, half forget it; fifth, that the half who remember it are probably of no great account, anyway." To which Dr. Hale adds the remark, personal to himself, "This may be forgotten with the rest." Nevertheless, it has a kernel of truth worth remembering.

Mistress (to new servant)—There are two things, Mary, about which I am very particular; they are truthfulness and obedience. Mary—Yes'm; and when you tell me to say you're not in, when a person calls that you don't wish to see, which is it to be, mum—truthfulness or obedience?—The "King" (London).

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Mainly About People.

In pronouncing sentence, a Scotch judge once added: "Ye did not only kill and murder the man, and thereby take away his valuable life, but ye did push, thrust or impel the lethal weapon through the bellyband of his regimental trousers, which were the property of His Majesty."

J. Pierpont Morgan was showing some friends through his kennels the other day, and one of them expressed great admiration for an imported setter. "Yes, he's a fine dog. His name is Russell Sage." "How did you come to give him that name?" "Well, he never loses a scent."

Curran said to Father O'Leary, the wittiest priest of his day, "I wish you were St. Peter." "Why?" asked O'Leary. "Because," said Curran, "you would have the keys of heaven and could let me in." "It would be better for you," said O'Leary, "that I had the keys of the other place." "Why?" asked Curran. "Well, then I could let you out."

Secretary Hay's poem, "Little Breeches," was frequently attributed to the late Bret Harte. A young lady once said to him: "I am highly pleased to meet you, Mr. Harte. I have read all your poems, but I have enjoyed 'Little Breeches' the most." "Pardon me, madam," Harte is said to have replied, "but you have put the 'Little Breeches' on the wrong man."

On one of his later birthday anniversaries, United States Senator Hoar wrote to William M. Evarts and congratulated him upon his length of years. In his reply, the aged lawyer said it brought to mind an old lady in New England, who had occasion to write to a friend about some matter of trifling importance, and when she had reached the end of the thirteenth page awakened to the fact that she had been rather diffuse, and added: "Please excuse my longevity."

Samuel Foote, the English actor, was one day invited for a few moments into a club where he was a stranger. Left alone a minute, he did not seem quite at ease. Lord Carmarthen, wishing to relieve his embarrassment, went up to speak to him, but became embarrassed himself and could only say: "Mr. Foote, your handkerchief is hanging out of your pocket." Whereupon Foote, looking around with playful suspicion, and hurriedly thrusting his handkerchief back into his pocket, replied: "Thank you, my lord, thank you; you know the company better than I do."

At one of the great London hospitals a cold storage chamber was being constructed in connection with the post-mortem room, and the secretary of the hospital, on going to see how the work was getting on, found that the chamber was being fitted with double doors—and those of small size—instead of one large door. He made enquiries as to the reason for this deviation from the original plan, when the chief carpenter, who was superintending the work, replied: "Oh, sir, we are putting in double doors and a wooden partition in order to keep the sexes apart!"

Two gentlemen who were playing cards at a New York club were very much annoyed by other members who stood behind their chairs and interested themselves in the game. Finally one of the players asked one of the spectators to play the hand for him until he returned. The spectator took the cards, whereupon the first player left the room. Pretty soon the second player followed the example of the first. The two substitutes played for some time, when one of them asked the waiter where the two original players were. "They are playing cards in the next room," was the waiter's reply.

President Roosevelt possesses a characteristic sense of humor. It is vigorous and sometimes almost grotesque. When he was Assistant Secretary of the Navy, during the preparation for the Spanish war, the Government was buying a number of yachts to be converted into torpedo-boats, despatch-boats, scouts, etc. Considerable intimacy existed between the family of President Roosevelt and that of one of the officers of the navy in the department. The wife of this officer got a fancy she would like to have one of these beautiful little boats bear her name. There is a prejudice in the navy against giving a woman's name to a war vessel of any type. It is believed to be unlucky. But the officer, who found it easier to face official prejudice than to resist the importunities of his better half, made the request of Mr. Roosevelt. The Assistant Secretary of the Navy hesitated. "It won't do," he said. "I would like to oblige your wife, but a woman's name won't do." Then a thought occurred to him, and he replied. "I will fix it," he said. "Tell your wife it will be all right." The next day the boat was named "The Vixen." And the officer who had made the request was placed in command of her.

Very wise after the event.—Brooklyn "Eagle."

A Difficult Question.

A story of a conversation between a traveler, visiting at a popular resort, and one of the permanent residents, is told by the "Ram's Horn:"

"I am a stranger here, sir; can you direct me to a first-rate church?"

"Oh, yes, right around the corner."

"What sort of a preacher have they?"

"A very good man."

"Interesting?"

"Intensely so."

"Eloquent?"

"Very."

"The best preaching in town, I suppose?"

"Unquestionably."

"What's his name?"

"Ah, my friend, that is a question which modesty forbids me to answer!"

Hit with a Brick

Mr. B. Webb, who is assisting in the erection of the new rink, met with an accident on Saturday that not only gave him a pain, but inflicted a nasty cut in his head. In some way a brick fell, and struck Mr. Webb on the head, making it necessary to secure the services of Dr. Scott to do some sewing and dressing of the wound. It is hoped Mr. Webb will be able to resume work in a few days.

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Bakersfield, Cal., Sept. 27.—J. Pierpont Morgan is about to identify himself with the oil business in California. On October 12, or a few days later, surveyors will be put into the field, and will run lines to the ocean from Sunset, Coaling, McKittrick, Midway and Kern River fields to determine by which route it is most feasible to transport oil to tide water. The surveys will run over the coast range at a number of points, and also will go down the San Joaquin valley parallel with the line of the Standard.

A company having a capitalization of $5,000,000 has been organized for the construction of lines, pumping stations, storage tanks, and the like. Mr. Morgan and his associates have also formed a separate company, capitalized at $20,000,000, half of which will be invested in proven ground and the other half turned into a reserve fund.

It is stated that the Morgan syndicate will be prepared to handle 2,000,000 barrels the first year, and will increase that amount at the rate of 1,000,000 a year until the whole demand of the market is met.

THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY own and control a large tract of absolutely oil proven asphalt land in the very heart of the best oil producing land of **Kern County, California**, the district where flowing wells are situated. We have a **bed of Liquid Asphalt** underlying a portion of our lands. Our property is situated right at Sunset Station. A new line of railway is surveyed and will be constructed in a very short time, putting us not only in touch with Eastern cities, but in touch with tide-water. This, in addition to the railroad facilities we now have. Remember that we own our land—it is paid for and entirely free from debt.

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"This is to certify that the undersigned, Dr. Rudolph J. Schimper, Chemist expert, member of Parisian Academy, according to analysis made from the crude oil furnished me by the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company, I find the following valuable products and with each beg to submit my estimate of its value:

1. LIQUID RUBBER—2000 lbs of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 1,800 lbs. of liquid rubber, value of which is from 25c. per lb. and up. (Estimated value $450.00.)
2. SOLID RUBBER—2000 lbs of this crude oil (6 bbls) will produce 1,700 lbs. of solid rubber, value of which is from 50c. upwards. (Estimated value $450.00.)
3. FUEL BRIQUETTES—2000 lbs. of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 2,000 lbs. (1 ton) of fuel briquettes, which, according to government tests made, is equivalent to two tons of best anthracite coal. (Estimated value $22.00)
4. ASPHALTUM—2,000 lbs. of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce ½ ton of asphaltum, value $25 to $35 per ton. 25 gal. of lubricating oil, value 50c. per gal. and upward. 40 gal. illuminating oil, value 10c per gal. and up. 60 gal. of distilled oil, value 5c. per gal. and upward. (Estimated value $54.50.)
5. SOAP—2000 lbs. (1 ton) of crude oil and filling will produce over 2,000 lbs. of soap, value 3c. per lb. and upward. (Estimated value $60.00.)

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Respectfully, DR. R. J. SCHIMPER, Chemist Expert."

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MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS should be paid to the stockholders of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company when their property is fully developed, their refinery equipped and in full operation. ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS was paid by Kern County Oil Companies during the month of August alone.

SIX MILLION BARRELS is the consuming capacity of the Southern Pacific Railway engines, which are now equipped for burning oil. Outside of this consider other railway lines, smelters, factories, steamships, stationery engines, which are all heavy consumers of fuel oil and last but not least, hotels and private dwellings are falling in line with the procession in the use of fuel oil.

A GOOD REASON WHY YOU Should invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. More fortunes have been made in oil than any other business. Consider the immense amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for its fortunate stockholders, and the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard Oil Company. Here is what $100 has accomplished for those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:

Home Whittier $1,000 on an investment of $100.

Kern returned $2,200 on an investment of $100.

Peerless returned $1,800 on an investment of $100.

Dillon returned $2,500 on an investment of $100.

New York returned $30,000 on an investment of $100.

Union returned $150,000 on an investment of $100.

Home returned $50,000 on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Company's oil holdings and property, when developed and handled, should not bring like returns.

CONTRARY to the general supposition the earth is the repository of all mineral wealth. When it is known and demonstrated beyond a question of a doubt where its wealth reposes and you put your money up to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people but creates new wealth. It is therefore an investment.

Wonderful Increase in Value of Oil Stocks.

The rapid rise in the value of shares in some oil companies will be seen from the following table:	Original price per share	Present Market price
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Home Oil Co, Whittier	.25	2.50
Monte Cristo Co	.10	2.50
West Shore Co	.50	4.50
Twenty-eighth Oil Co	.50	2.50
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	.50	1.90
Sterling Oil & Development Company	.50	2.25
Dillon Oil Co	.25	3.00
Peerless Co	.20	8.42
San Joaquin Oil Co	.50	26.00
Kern Oil Co.	.35	10.00
Thirty-three Oil Co	.35	11.50
Kern River Oil Co	.30	25.00
New York Oil Co	.50	20.00
Oil City Petroleum Co	2.50	34.00
Hanford Oil Co	2.00	120.00
Kreyenhagen Oil Co	.10	250.00
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ONTARIO LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE

The Work Which is Being Done in Ontario by the Alliance

The Times has been requested to publish the following:

At the annual meeting of the Ontario Branch of the Lord's Day Alliance, held in Toronto, Principal Caven emphasized the critical nature of the present situation in regard to the observance of the Lord's Day, and the tremendous pressure which is being brought to bear by certain interests to break down its safeguards. He deplored the tendency even of Church members to take ground in support of the material interests which came into conflict with the spiritual interests of the community. The report given by the Field Secretary, Rev. J. G. Shearer, was full of encouragement. The principal address of the evening was by Dr. J. Edgar Hill, of Montreal, President of the Quebec Lord's Day Alliance. Dr. Hill made a strong plea, based on historical experience, for the maintenance of the Sabbath. He recounted the struggle for better things in Montreal and spoke in high terms of the co-operation in the movement by Archbishop Bruchesi.

At the business session on Friday reports were received and officers elected. Principal Caven continues to be President.

The annual report of the executive committee shows that there are now 230 branches in the Province as compared with 170 a year ago. There has been similar growth in other provinces. It is interesting and encouraging to observe how the ranks of those who are prepared to battle for the Sabbath are filling and closing together. Strong resolutions have been passed by ecclesiastical courts of all denominations, the General Synod, the General Conference and the General Assembly and by the Conventions of the Baptists and Congregationalists. Roman Catholic prelates like Archbishop O'Brien of Halifax, and Archbishop Bruchesi of Montreal publicly express their sympathy with the aims of the Alliance. The organized labor men are growingly in earnest in standing firm in defence of the rest and quiet of the Lord's Day and they co-operate with the Alliance in every possible way.

It is satisfactory, too, to notice that the Attorney-General has taken action during the year in several instances of violation of the Lord's Day Act and has now assumed the responsibility for the enforcement of the law in cases where the law is clear and where violation can be readily proven.

The policy of the Alliance in dealing with Sabbath desecration is first to make use of kindly suasion and remonstrance and they report with gratitude that they are accorded no less than 90 instances of Sunday labor and public pleasuring that have been successfully dealt with by these measures during the year.

All good citizens and lovers of their country should rejoice in these evidences of success and progress, for the work which the Alliance is doing now is one which will tell in the higher life of the country for generations to come.

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"I have made a life study of this all-important question," says Mr. Griffith, "and my argument is based on facts that convince even the most skeptical. That part of the Scripture that prophesies chariots of fire shall pass upon the earth is verified upon our streets today. We are now on the threshold of that time spoken of in Scripture, in which, for a period of 1,000 years, we shall enjoy the life that will be known as the golden age, the period that precedes the consummation of the earth. Darkness shall fade and the earth shall be blessed with eternal light.

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During the fiscal year ending June 30th last the consumption of spirits per head was .798 gallons, or the largest amount since 1885, when the per capita consumption was 1.136 gallons. In 1869, or two years after we had started on our career as a nation, the people consumed 1.124 gals. Beer, however, appears to be the popular intoxicating beverage. According to statistics the consumption was at the rate of 5.102 gallons, which is altogether unprecedented in our history. Beer drinking seems to have been rising steadily since 1898. In that year 3.998 gallons went to each Canadian's credit. The following year 3,906 gallons, in 1900 4.264 gallons, and in 1901 4.737 gallons. The consumption of wine is small and fluctuates greatly. Last year it was .09 gallons. The consumption of tobacco was equal to 2.404 pounds, which was the same as in 1901. This rate was exceeded in 1874, 1875, 1884 and 1885. The rates of duty per head were: Spirits, $1.148; beer, $.132; wine $.063; tobacco $.56; The cigars of all kinds produced last year numbered 156,-026,736, a gain of 15,256,341 as compared with 1901. The total production of cigarettes was 136,214,284, a gain of 14,633,-250. The manufacture of snuff is falling off. Last year 172,189 pounds were produced, a decrease of 26,807 compared with the previous year.

South Africa is favorable to giving a preference to Great Britain and the colonies. That is good news. It will afford Canada a decided advantage over the United States which is our chief competitor in that market in the goods we desire to sell.

A man has made a continuous journey from Chicago to Boston in trolley cars with only five gaps covering short distances. This shows the extent to which the Northern States are being covered with a network of trolley lines. Ontario may expect a similar development in the near future.

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STOCK MARKETS

Some One Gathering in New York Central

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Summary—Initial transactions were at declines and there was a tendency at the opening towards lower prices, but it was soon checked by a rapid upward movement in Manhattan, which carried the shares up some eight points, the stock touching 155. A recession in price then set in and while under way was counterbalanced by a rapid jump in N. Y. C. which crossed 150, followed closely by Pennsylvania. R. I. issues were very strong and look like excellent purchases. St. Paul, B. R. T. and Reading rose about 2 points each and C. F. I. 4 points. Balance of the list improved from about 1-2 to 1 point. A reaction is due among some of the stocks that have recently advanced rapidly. The short interest in them has been decimated, while profit-taking has increased the floating supply of stocks. Then they will do to buy and hold for considerable further advances. It is a magnificent trading market at present affording constant opportunities for profit on able trading. Money closed 4 per cent. Sales 821,500.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Mr. Evanson, travelling auditor of the Canadian Pacific Railway, is in town, and is engaged in transferring the business in connection with the C.P.R. station and freight sheds, to Mr. W. S. Dodd, who will assume his duties in a day or two.

A Large Increase

It is claimed that 10,000 licenses to kill deer was issued by the Ontario Government this year. Each license costs two dollars and allowed of the killing of two deer. As every man on the average got his two deer, there will be at least 20,000 killed during the season. At this rate there are fears entertained that this species of game will soon be extinct.

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Had no Part in it.

In yesterday's daily we mentioned the names of the young lads charged with assaulting Mr. Stewart, an employee of the Ackerman factory. We are sorry that the name of Cecil Succee appeared among those accused. Mr. Succee was not arrested and no charge was laid against him. In fact he had nothing to do with the affair and is an honorable and upright young man who pursues his business calling without molesting or interfering with other people's business. We regret exceedingly that Mr. Succee should have been given this unwarranted notoriety.

Valuable Advice to Mothers

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Central Charity Board met last night.

—The Dalhousie Street sewer is rapidly nearing completion under the able direction of Messrs. Henry and Gibson.

—There will be more grip in town in a short time, as it is now beginning to renew its work, a few persons having been attacked by it during the week.

—The annual thanksgiving meeting of the Women's Mission Circle of the Murray street Baptist church will be held this evening at 8 o'clock. Miss McClanahan, a missionary from India, will deliver an address.

They Father Consumption

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HOCKEY.

Cobourg Post:—Port Hope and the Peterborough hockey teams will evidently have several hard struggles on the ice this winter. Both towns have some good material.

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The Blues Won.

On Saturday evening at the Y.M.C.A., a decision was made in the competition that has been going on for some time between sides styling themselves the Reds and Blues as to which could secure the greatest number of members. The Blues were found to be ten points ahead, the total being Blues 251, Reds 240 1-3. The result is very satisfactory, as it means an addition of over one hundred new members. While many men on the sides deserve special mention, yet Pearson for the Reds put up a splendid fight for first place, and it is admitted on all sides that the Blues owe their success to Chas. Whiten, who broke all records in the manner of getting new members.

POLICE COURT.

Twelve Boys Fined on the Charge of Assaulting Mr. Jos. Stewart

The trial of the young lads accused of assaulting Mr. Joseph Stewart, a harness maker in the employ of Mr. B. F. Ackerman took place yesterday before the Police Magistrate. A lot of evidence was taken and the trial lasted several hours. Five of the accused were fined $1 and costs, amounting to $3.11 each and the others were discharged. Mr. F. D. Kerr defended the young lads.

C.M.B.A. ORGANIZED

A Branch of the C.M.B.A. Instituted at Ennismore.

On Saturday a branch of the Catholic Mutual Benevolent Association was organized in Ennismore, and the following officers were installed by District Deputy, Geo. Ball, assisted by Dr. McGrath, Medical Examiner, and Messrs. W. J. Devlin and J. J. Lynch.

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STREET PARADE OF CHILDREN.

Plan to Secure Votes in Favor of Prohibition Measure.

To the Editor of The Times:

—Sir,—I see in several places a children's parade in connection with the referendum is to take place. In Ottawa the children are to march through the streets. Banners bearing the inscription "Vote yes for my sake," are to be distributed among thousands of children to be worn.

In Toronto the campaign is to be enlivened by a demonstration of Sunday school children of Toronto on Saturday, 29th inst. It is expected that from 5,000 to 10,000 children will be in line when the procession starts from Queen's Park. An attempt will be made to secure the armories, and if this is unsuccessful an open air meeting in front of the city hall will be held.

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OUR JUNIOR REPORTER.

His First Effort at Writing up a Football Match.

On Saturday last we sent our Junior reporter of this g. f. j. up to the big football match between London and Peterborough. He turned up in the evening after the match, with the following, which was "blue pencilled" by the city editor. It will be seen that our Junior is hot up in football lore:

"The hardest fight the local team has had this year was handed to them on Saturday by the London boys. It was a royal contest and wound up with the score at 12 to 0 in favor of Peterborough. We couldn't tell much about it, but in the first place some men from London went to the ball and gave it a vicious kick, and everybody in town started after it. Some men from Peterborough got hold of it and every one that was registered in the first ward and a few people from the rural routes jumped right on top of him. We never saw him again but when everybody got up the ball was lying there all right. Then some man jumped over and put his hands on the ball and dared anybody to take it away from him before he could count twenty.

When he had counted up to about ten he tried to play a dirty trick on the whole gang and handed the ball back between his legs to a redheaded fellow who had a big chunk of silver tied over his nose. The redheaded cuss tried to sneak off into Croly's pasture with the ball, and he didn't have a friend in the crowd. They downed him in about a second, even his own side jumped on him just like the people on the other side. They took the ball away from him and a man they called the umpire asked a man from London if he could kick the darned thing over the fence, and they would get another one and start over again. And then it was only a repetition of what they had done before. It seemed as if they wasn't willing anybody should have the ball but the man they called the umpire. When he would get the ball he would carry it around just as he darned pleased and they didn't dass touch him, but just let anybody else take that ball and begin to count and it made everybody else so dog gone mad it looked all the time as if there was going to be a riot, and so after they tried for an hour to tear the ball to pieces, the umpire said he guessed they had better knock off for the day and try it again some time, and everybody went home.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and Social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

Hon. Senator Cox was in town on Sunday.

—Miss Aggie Campbell is visiting her parental home in Havelock.

—Mrs. A. H. Stratton, is spending a few days in Toronto.

Mr. F. Stapley, of Toronto, spent Saturday in town.

—Among the recent visitors at the Toronto Globe, London, England, was Miss M. Sloan, Peterborough.

—Mr. Harold Reynolds, of Montreal, was a guest of friends in town over Sunday.

—Miss Lottie O'Keefe, of Norwood, is spending a few days with friends in town.

—Mr. Wm. O'Brien, of Millbrook, has come to town and accepted a position with the Cordage Company.

—Miss Violet Donaldson and Miss Mamie Roberts are the guests of Mrs. M. Succee.

—Mr. D. MacNoir representing the Caxton Publishing Company, is again in town this week.

—Mr. Ross Cameron, of the Union Bank, Montreal, was in town on Saturday calling on acquaintances.

—Mr. R. N. Bell, of the Ottawa branch of the Ontario Bank, enjoyed Sunday with friends in town.

—Mrs. T. H. Hooper, Peterborough, spent yesterday in town the guest of Mrs. W. A. Russell, John street.—Port Hope Guide.

—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Caldwell, of Perrytown, who have been visiting their son Mr. J. W. Caldwell, Water street, for the past few days, left yesterday morning to visit two other sons at Omemee.

—Miss Hattie Whetung, daughter of Mr. Daniel Whetung, of Chemong, and Mr. George Henry Taylor, of the same place were united in marriage yesterday afternoon by the Rev. W. J. Jolliffe.

Mr. Johnston's New Store

Lakefield News: On Wednesday of last week, the store formerly occupied by Madill Bros. was formally opened by Mr. Roland Johnston, the new proprietor. The event has been looked forward to by his large circle of friends, and in every respect was a most decided success. From early morning until late at night, the store was thronged with ladies, who came, saw and went away with their purses considerably lightened as a result of the many purchases made. A genuine clearing sale of the Madill Bros.' stock is going on and many are taking advantage of the bargains offered. New goods are daily arriving and being passed into stock. One of the features of the opening was the musical reception, an innovation which added additional zest to the affair. Mr. Johnston can now boast of having one of the most up-to-date dry goods stores in this part of the country.

BRITAIN'S GENEROSITY

An American Journal's Opinion of Britain and Africa

Boston, Nov. 24.—We alluded yesterday to the very chilly reception, from a financial point of view, that had been given to the Boer leaders on their begging tour in Europe. We contrasted the British Government's gift that General Delarey had classed as "a mere beggar's pittance" with what the Boers had been able to raise since the close of the war in the countries of Europe. A correspondent has called us to task for the figures we used of the British grant, saying that the real amount was more than double what we had credited to the British Government. Since the close of the war the British have been extremely liberal to the Boers, a fact that must be apparent to anyone who considers the matter from a fair point of view.

THE LIFT LOCK.

Visited by an Engineer, Who is on a Tour of Inspection.

S. Maximoff, Engineer of Russian Government, who was sent from St. Petersburg, on a tour of inspection of all the greatest engineering works of the world, was in Peterborough yesterday. He is now touring America, and applied at Ottawa to be allowed the privilege of inspecting the lift lock at Peterborough. He was shown the principal features of the works by Mr. Francis, assistant engineer of the Trent Canal at this place. The visitor was highly interested in the works, and loud in his praises of the courtesy extended him.

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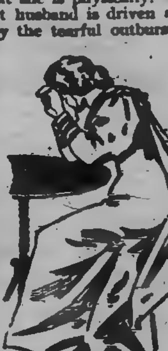

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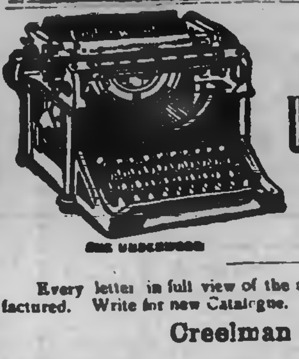

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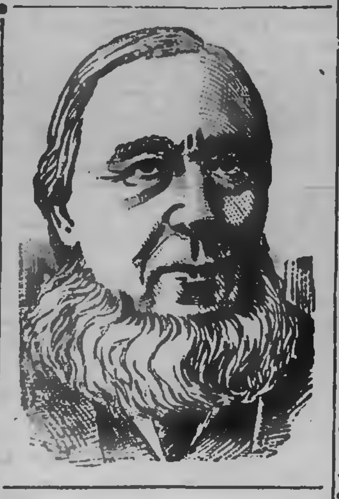
His Part in the Boer War Related in His Memoirs

HIS JOURNEY AMID FLYIND SHOT AND SHELL

The Ultimatum Which Aroused British Resentment



London, Nov. 26.—"The Memoirs of Paul Kruger" will be issued this week. Here from advance sheets of the work is an extract giving Mr. Kruger's own story of the "Ultimatum" and the outbreak of hostilities between the Boer republics and England:

"The Government of the South African Republic clearly saw what the British Government wanted, that a collision was inevitable and that the British Government was only waiting to send its ultimatum until sufficient troops had arrived in South Africa to overwhelm the republic from every side. When it realized that a war was inevitable, that to make concessions availed nothing and that its only chance lay in compelling the British Government to display its real intentions before all the British troops were landed, the Government of the South African Republic had recourse to extreme measures, and, on the 9th of October, wrote a letter to the British Agent—to so-called ultimatum.

"In this doument the Government once more set forth how England had not the slightest right to interefere in the internal affairs of the republic; how the republic had yet found occasion to discuss in a friendly fashion the franchise and the representation of the people with her Majesty's Government; how on the part of her Majesty's Government the friendly nature of those discussions had assumed a more and more threatening tone; how her Majesty's Government had finally broken off all friendly correspondence on the subject; how the republic was still waiting for the proposal which the British Government had promised to make for a settlement; how, in view of the British military force on the frontiers, the republic had been obliged, as a defensive measure, to send a portion of the burghers to protect the frontiers; how the unlawful intervention of her Majesty's Government in the affairs of the republic, in conflict with the London convention of 1884, had caused an intolerable condition of affairs to arise to which the Government felt itself obligred, in the interests not only of the republic, but of all South Africa, to make an end as soon as possible, and therefore felt itself called upon and obliged to press earnestly and with emphasis for an immediate termination of this state of things and to request her Majesty's Government to give it these assurances;

"(a) That all points of mutual difference shall be regulated by the friendly course of arbitration, or by whatever amicable way may be agreed upon by this Government with her Majesty's Government.

"(b) That the troops on the borders of this republic shall be instantly withdrawn.

"(c) That all reinforcements of troops which have arrived in South Africa since the 1st of June, 1899, shall be removed within a reasonable time, to be agreed upon with this Government, and with a mutual assurance and guarantee on the part of this Government that no attack upon or hostilities against an portion of the possessions of the British Government shall be made by the republic during further negotiations, within a period of time to be subsequently agreed upon between the Governments, and this Government will, on compliance therewith, be prepared to withdraw the armed burghers of this republic from the borders.

"(d) That her Majesty's troops which are now on the high seas shall not be landed in any port of South Africa.

"The despatch ended by requesting her Majesty's Government to return an answer before or upon Wednesday, the 11th of October, not later than 5 o'clock p.m., adding that in the event of no satisfactory answer being received within the interval the republic would with great regret be compelled to regard the action of her Majesty's Government as a formal declaration of war and would not hold itself responsible for the consequences thereof, and that in the event of any further movements of troops taking place within the above-mentioned time in the nearer directions of the borders of the republic, the Government would be compelled to regard that also as a formal declaration of war.

IMPOSSIBLE TO DISCUSS.

"On the 11th of October Mr. Greene brought the reply of the British Government, to the effect that the conditions demanded by the Government of the South African Republic were such as her Majesty's Government deemed it impossible to discuss. At the same time he asked for his passports, in order to enable him to leave the country. And so, in spite of all the concessions, all the patience and indulgence of the republic, the war broke out.

"The Volksraad, which was still sitting, adjourned when it became evident that hostilities were soon to begin; both our Volksraad and that of the Orange Free State unanimously declared themselves ready to risk their lives and properties for their rights and for their liberty; and both repeated this vow in their last session during the turmoil of war.

"The course and the vicissitudes of the war do not come within the scope of these memoirs, since I took no personal part in the fighting. I had a different work before me, which kept me for advice, hints and consolation. Daily I sent off telegrams to all the commandos, encouraging, advising and exhorting the burghers. These labors fully occupied the mornings from 8 to 12 and the evenings from 2 to 4 or 5 o'clock. Not till then did I leave the Government buildings.

"I went to bed at 8, only to get up again at 11 to go through the telegrams that had come to hand. I rose once more at 3, to inspect any despatches that had arrived in the meantime, and it was often 4 o'clock before I could seek my rest again. In the later stage of the war, when the Federal troops were being driven back on every side, my sleep was interrupted regularly three times every night, and frequently as often as four times, in order that I might deal with the telegrams without delay. I was thankful for every success and did not lose courage when reverses were announced, as many of my telegrams could show, had they not been scattered to the winds.

HIS VISIT TO NATAL.

"After the relief of Ladysmith I went myself to Natal to exhort the burghers to keep courage. At Glencoe, where the burghers had once more taken up their position, I addressed them in a long speech, pointing out the urgency of keeping up the fight. Gen. Joubert spoke to them to the same effect.

"I had scarcely returned to Pretoria, when I went to Bloemfontein in order to proceed thence, by wagon, to Poplar Grove, on the Modder River, where I intended also to address and encourage the burghers. But I could not come so far, for I had only just reached Gen. De Wet, when I was obliged to go back, as French, with his mounted troops, had effected a turning movement and I was in danger of being cut off.

"Heavy fighting took place on my arrival, for the English General in command knew of my presence, and I had only just time to retire; I had hardly crossed the Modder River when French arrived with his cavalry. Here, however, Delarey, who had just arrived with his staff, flung himself against him and held him in check until the laager and guns were safe. As I resumed my homeward course the shells were flying all around me, and one fell just behind the cart in which I was seated. I was, therefore, obliged to return to Pretoria but went straight to Kroonstad, there to encourage the burghers and attend a general council of war. It was on this occasion that the deeply lamented Col. de Villebois-Mareuil received his promotion to General of the Foreign Legion.

THE DEATH OF GEN. JOUBERT

"Shortly after I received a heavy blow through the death of Gen. Joubert, who had worked together with me for so many years in building up the republic. His death was profoundly mourned by the whole people, and there is no doubt that the decease of this upright lover of his country a discouraging influence upon his fellow burghers. Fortunately he had, before his death, appointed a successor in the present Commandant-General, Louis Botha, who has shown that the confidence placed in him by the dying General was well deserved.

FOR NICARAGUA CANAL

Secretary Hay Begins Negotiations With Nicaragua and Costa Rica

Washington, Nov. 25—In consequence of the attitude of the Colombian Government with regard to the terms of the treaty to grant the United States the right to construct the Panama Canal, Secretary Hay, by direction of the President, has begun informal negotiations with the Governments of Nicaragua and Costa Rica which have for their object the conclusion of a tentative canal treaty, to be submitted to the Senate if the Colombian Government does not show a more liberal disposition.

Mr. Hay has had conferences in the subject with Senor Corea, the Minister of Nicaragua, and Senor Calvo, the Minister of Costa Rica. He was closeted for a long time in the diplomatic reception room of the State Department today. Both the Central American countries are extremely anxious that the Nicaragua canal shall be built and are willing to make very liberal concessions to the United States. It is expected that Mr. Hay will enter into agreements with Nicaragua and Costa Rica by which the two countries will bind themselves to make canal treaties with the United States along the lines laid down in the protocols.

There has been no change in the virtual deadlock that has been caused in the Panama negotiations by the Colombian Government to grant the United States complete control over the territory through which it is proposed to dig the canal.

STATE OF ANARCHY IN WESTERN STATES

Armed Men to be Sent With All Passenger Trains

PLAN TO PREVENT HOLD-UPS

Oft-Repeated Robberies Have Caused Adoption of Drastic Measures For Defense

Chicago, November 25—Officials of railroad and express companies are much alarmed by the increasing prevalence of train robberies, and are planning drastic measures to remedy the evil. The plan most in favor is to send well-known, resolute men heavily armed, with each train. No fewer than 11 train robberies have occurred in the last year, and in each instance the thieves made way with their booty.

The Northwestern Road and the American Express Company suffered a loss estimated anywhere from $50,000 to $100,000 in the Tower "W" hold-up.

The hold-up last night was the third that has occurred on the Rock Island within a year. July 8 one of the company's express trains was robbed in Texas, and October 8 one more hold-up occurred in Oklahoma I. T.

The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railway has fared much worse than the rest in train robberies. On April 5, at St. Joseph, Mo., one of its trains was held-up, and May 27 another attempt to rob the same train was made at the same point. August 6, a Burlington train was stopped near Savannah, Ill., by masked men, and it is believed that they secured a large sum of money. The last hold-up on the Burlington occurred a little more than a month ago near Hubble, Neb.

A Denver and Rio Grande train was held up July 15, at Marshall Pass. The Northern Pacific overland limited train was held up at Bearmouth, Mont., August 5. The Santa Fe suffered as untold loss on the outskirts of Lajunta.

Three days ago a Colorado and Southern passenger train was held-up and the express messenger shot one of the bandits.

There are contradictory stories regarding the amount of money secured by the five men who robbed the Rock Island train last night. The Davenport (Iowa) officers of the United States Express Company say there was only $600 in the safe, while it is asserted that other officers of the company said $20,000 was stolen. No trace has been secured of the robbers.

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL

Results of the Vote for Mayor And Alderman

MAYOR DENNE STILL LEADS

With Ald. G. M. Roger an Exceedingly Close Second

Ald. Best, A. W. Cressman, Ald R. Rush and Wm. Madill Head the List for Aldermen—No more Labor Candidates Have as Yet Been Named

FOR MAYOR.

A summing up of Saturday's voting for candidates for Mayor gives the following results:

Mayor Denne	105
Ald. Roger	90
Ald. Best	85
R. F. McWilliams	70
Ald. Rush	60
H. LeBrun	60
Ald. Shortly	50
J. H. McClelland	35
Robert Nelt	25

FOR ALDERMAN.

Saturday's vote for alderman resulted as follows:

Ald. Best	140
A. W. Cressman	100
Ald Rush	95
Wm. Madill	80
Ald. Shortly	75
Ald. Batten	75
Ald. Corkery	70
Ald. Morrison	70
[illegible] F. Mason	65
Dickson Davidson	60
W. Salisbury	60
Ald. Clinkscale	55
Robt. Fair	50
A. E. Dickson	50
Geo. W. Morrow	45
Geo. Matthews	40
Ald. McGregor	40
John Howden	35
Geo. Elliott	30
R. E. Layfield	25
Kelsey Hall	20
H. LeBrun	20
A. Macfarlane	20

5 Votes

For Mayor of Peterboro

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For Alderman

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The state of the poll will be published occasionally, at the start, and later on, the result of each day's vote will be made known every morning.

HOW TO VOTE.

Each coupon will have the value of five votes. Cut the coupons out and either mail it addressed to The Times or leave it at our office.

VENEZUELA PROTESTS.

Sending of British Gunboat up the Orinoco Violation of Sovereignty.

Caracas, Nov. 25.—The Venezuelan Government has strongly protested to Great Britain that the sending of the British sloop-of-war Fantome up the Orinoco River is an infringement of Venezuela's sovereignty, it having been done without permission.

Great Britain has not yet replied to the protest.

LILIOUKALANI ON THE WAY.

Going to Washington to Press Her Claim Before Congress.

Chicago, Nov. 25.—Ex-Queen Liliuokalani of Hawaii and her party passed through Chicago this afternoon on their way from Honolulu to Washington, where the coming winter her claim for financial relief will again be urged before Congress.

The ex-Queen did not travel in a special car, but occupied a berth in an ordinary sleeper on the Northwestern railroad.

EXHIBITS TO BOOM CANADA

Attractive Window Shows Are Being Arranged for the New Emigration Office

London, Nov. 24—In view of the adoption at Quebec, Halifax and St. John of the United States methods for exclusion of diseased emigrants, the steamship companies are arranging more exacting medical examinations of passengers before leaving England. The companies are anxious to avoid the loss involved in bringing back unaccepted emigrants.

The New Canadian Offices.

Work is progressing slowly on the new Canadian Government Emigration Offices in Trafalgar Square, and the slackness of British workmen's methods will prevent the opening before January. Special arrangements are being made for attractive window shows.

SHOALS OF FISH MOVE TO NORTH

Immense Fishing Banks Discovered in the Polar Regions

Copenhagen, Denmark, Nov. 21—Owing to large catches of fish in waters adjacent to the Scandinavian countries, the fishing area has been moving northward to the Faroe Islands, Iceland and Polar regions. It has been discovered that immense quantities of fish, especially cod and herring, are to be found in those waters. On a recent trip of the Danish ship Dania sometimes ploughed through shoals of these varieties for a long distance, when they could be scooped without any fishing tackle. New banks were discovered, some of them of great extent. These appear to be new homes for the fish, and they possess the necessary requisites for feeding them and rearing their young. The eyes of English, French, German and Norwegian fishermen have been turned to Iceland, and they are beginning to go there in larger numbers for the purpose of participating in the catch.

As to Iceland proper, important changes have taken place among its people. Temperance has now made much progress among them.

Economically there is also an upward trend in Iceland. Salmon fisheries are being exploited in the country, plans are on foot for establishing large canning factories along the rivers, which furnish excellent water power, and English and Americans are taking an interest in this project.

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BRITAIN'S BIG CONTRAST ON BEHALF OF CHINA

Her Attitude All Along Has Been one of a Stern Character

THE NAVAL DEMONSTRATION NECESSARY

The Crisis Not Yet Reached in the East—England's Influence May Be Supreme

London, Nov. 25—Great Britain has a large contract just now on hand in China, but is discharging it with a vigor which may make rival nations in that quarter of the globe pause in their desire of aggrandizement at the expense of her interests. It was the settled purpose to have justice duly executed upon the muderers of the missionaries, Lewis and Bruce, at whatever consequence. It will be remembered that the Chinese authorities thought to mollify the British by decapitating some ignorant peasants, but vainly. The officials who countenanced the crime and shielded the criminals were required by the British to expiate justice in their own persons, and upon the refusal to deliver them up, the British Minister threatened to withdraw from all social recognition of the court at Pekin. This did not suffice, however. A naval demonstration was found necessary, and advices from China, via British Columbia, were that a fleet of battleships and cruisers had taken part in the menace, and that in consequence the Empress Dowager had issued an edict for the decapitation of the guilty officials.

So far so good. But while British attention was diverted by these occurrences, it is stated in the Victoria despatch from Tokio, that Germany took advantage of the opportunity "to formulate with regard to the evacuation of Shanghai, conditions which would completely obliterate all traces of England's share of influence in the Yang Tse Valley."

Japanese papers say that Germany has induced France to join in this manoeuvre. If this is anyway near the truth, the contract which the British have on hand can be understood as a formidable one, which may result in boundless complications. It has passed into an axiom that in China the British are between the devil and the deep sea. To the relentless policy of Russia which generation after generation pursues its way with a glacial certainty to its goal, is now added the "mailed fist" of the German Empire and the ambitious restlessness of France.

What the action of the last two named Powers, as reported from Tokio, means in the development of Chinese commerce by British agencies is shown in the vast natural resources of the Yang Tse Valley and the fact that this region has heretofore been regarded by the British as par excellence their "sphere of influence."

Mr. Archibald Little has been credited with more familiarity with the commercial aspects of Yang Tse than any other Britisher, and this is what he says about Szechuan:—

"The surface of this vast region lying mainly between the 28th and 32nd degrees of latitude is covered with every sub-tropical product which the most painstaking and capable agriculturalists on the globe can elicit from the soil in a succession of crops, two or three in succession during the year, forced on by the stimulating manure obtained from the thickly crowded towns and villages of the basin. Thus we have opium and wheat sown in November and gathered in April; rice sown in April and harvested in August; maize and the tal millet sown in May and gathered in September. The sugar-cane, an excellent tobacco, indigo, with the sweet potato, and the taro, also cotton, may be added to the list, which is still not half exhausted. All but the very lowest stratum of its thick population are clad in silk gown and woven in the province, which also yields a considerable surplus for exports to the coast and to France. The celebrated insect-wax is a production of Szechuan and of Szechuan alone. Coal and iron abound everywhere, the former mineral forming the sole fuel for the natives. Petroleum, accompanied by natural gas, which is led through the town in bamboo pipes, cooks the daily rice of the inhabitants of Tse-Liu-Ching, a town and district renowned throughout China for its productive brine wells, which have supplied the province with salt for two thousand years past, besides supplying many of the neighboring provinces. Thus Szechuan is self-sufficient, and we have here a province 220,000 square miles in extent, inhabited by some forty or fifty millions of industrious, intelligent and mostly prosperous people."

And to this promising emporium of trade the Yang Tse River is the only serviceable highway. Besides Szechuan the Yang Tse traverses, or serves, the large and populous province of Hupeh, Hunan, Kiangsi, Ngan-hui and Kiangsu. It is, roughly speaking, the main highway of an area of 600,000 square miles, inhabited by the most naturally industrious and commercial people in the eastern hemisphere, if not in the whole world. And the Yang Tse flows into the great Pacific basin at Shanghai—"the coming New York of the Far East"—whose foreign trade even at present exceeds £15,000,000 sterling per annum. If the Germans and French, profiting by the feelings excited at Pekin, have formulated conditions of evacuating Shanghai, if entertained, which would have the effect of "obliterating England's share of influence" in that portion of China, there will be doings in that quarter, which may furnish some startling headlines for the press in the near future. The entire trade of the towns in the Yang Tse Valley, is so far as reported to the Imperial Maritime Customs, exceeds £30,000,000 sterling per annum, but a very large trade is, in addition, carried on by the native junks, which do not report to the Maritime Customs. The population of that region is at least 180,000,000, and with such a population, with such natural resources, and with such a magnificent waterway to the outer world, it is not deemed extravagant of Mr. Little to predict that the annual value of the trade of the Yang Tse Valley will be soon not 30, but 300 millions sterling.

The prize at stake is one worth striking for!

ABOUT THE REFERENDUM

Who May Vote on the New Liquor Question on December 4th

Some Information Regarding the Measure That it is Well for the Public to Know

The Liquor Act calls, first, for a majority of the votes cast in the election of 1898. The total vote was 425,446, a majority of which will be 212,722. Besides securing this vote, the prohibitionists must, to succeed, have a majority of the votes actually cast on the referendum.

Those who may vote are the electors who were on the voters' list used in the last election, provided they have resided in the province from the date of the election.

In the provincial plebiscite of 1894 there were [illegible] ballots marked for prohibition and 110,720 against. These figures include 12,402 women who voted for prohibition and 2,226 against. Ontario voted again on the Dominion plebiscite in 1898. On that occasion there were 154,489 votes cast for prohibition in Ontario, and 115,284 against. Throughout the whole Dominion the vote was 278,380 for and 264,693 against.

Manitoba has declared itself three times on the question. In 1892 there were 19,617 votes for prohibition in that province, and 7,115 against. The Dominion plebiscite elicited 12,419 favorable votes in Manitoba, and only 2,978 that were unfavorable. Practically the vote went by default. When the question was submitted in the shape of a referendum 22,513 votes for prohibition were necessary to win. The result was that 15,607 votes were cast for prohibition and 22,464 against. This was a great surprise and appears to have silenced the agitation.

The Ontario measure prohibits the sale of intoxicants within the province, but does not affect the importation. If adopted it will go into effect on the 1st of May, 1904. Whatever may be the outcome, both sides agree to hope that it will be decisive.

Haultain's Visit.

Nothing can be learned regarding the outcome of the visit of Premier Haultain of the Northwest Territories.

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BRIGANDS PLUNDER TOWNS

Attacks by Bulgarian Bands and Troops of Gendarmes--Russia and Britain in Afghanistan

Wireless Stations on Jamaica Island — Government Arranging to Grant Facilities for Establishing a Service

London, Nov. 25—A despatch from Kingston, Jamaica, says the Government is arranging to grant facilities for the establishment of wireless telegraphic stations in Jamaica. A bill to enable the Government to issue licenses for stations will be introduced into the Legislative Council at an early date.

London Nov. 25—In spite of the comforting assurances that the Macedonian agitation is ended, says a despatch from Salonika, numerous armed bands continue to hold their ground in the more inaccessible districts and sporadic disturbances are constantly reported. In the course of the last fortnight there have been four encounters in Strumitz district, between Bulgarian bands and troops of gendarmes. Few were killed or wounded on both sides. In two instances the villagers fled and their houses were plundered during their absence. In another district the brigands captured and pillaged villages. The only result of this outrage was that twenty-seven of the villagers were arrested and taken to Salonika. In Salonika district an attack was made on the house of the head man of the village. He escaped, but his wife, two sons, and two daughters were bayoneted by emissaries of the Macedonian committee disguised as gendarmes. A band of 400 men, attempting to invade Turkish territory from Bulgaria, was repulsed with considerable loss. The invaders wore Bulgarian uniforms. Another band raided a Bulgarian village in Petritch district, which is obnoxious to revolutionaries, because it is subject to the jurisdiction of Patriarchate. One of the principal inhabitants was killed, and two others wounded.

London, Nov. 25—A St. Petersburg correspondent says that Viedomosti publishes a lengthy article on Afghanistan which seems to reproduce the views held in competent Russian quarters. The writer of the article is well informed, says the correspondent, but in referring to Lord Cranborne's recent statement, he completely ignores Russia's assurance that she regarded Afghanistan as outside her sphere of influence. The article says that the present state of affairs is an anomalous one, and that it can scarcely be possible to continue an arrangement making the Government of India a necessary medium for communication between Russia and Ameer. The writer warns the Ameer that it would be disastrous for him to allow himself to become a tool of British diplomacy. If he did so the British-Russian conflict would soon extinguish the independence of Afghanistan, which might also disappear if British-Russian differences were settled amicably. The Times correspondent says the writer of the article appears to believe the reports of Russian attempts to communicate with the Ameer directly, and says that this throws doubt on Russian assurances to the British Foreign Office.

London, Nov. 25—Speeches which were delivered yesterday by the Earl of Dudley, the new Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland, and by John Redmond, the Irish leader, have aroused much comment as a triking have aroused much comment as striking a more hopeful note of conciliation in the Irish question.

The Earl of Dudley at Belfast declared that he had come to Ireland with the same spirit of impartial inquiry that animated Mr. Chamberlain in going to South Africa. He suggested that a sort of round table conference of representatives of the landlords, tenants and others interested in Ireland should be held to endeavor to arrive at a mutual understanding.

Whilst Lord Dudley was speaking at Belfast, John Redmond was making an equally conciliatory speech at a demonstration of the London branches of the Irish League. He was intensely gratified he said, to find on returning from the United States the political situation in Ireland was more hopeful than he had known it for twenty-five years. While all rumors of Irish "deals" with the Government were untrue, the political situation in Ireland has undergone an extraordinary and radical change, and he believed that no English Minister since the union had had such a chance as the Irish Secretary, George Wyndham, now had. The time had arrived, as it did in every struggle, when the combatants were grown tired of the contest and were taking counsel as to whether it could not be brought to a satisfactory end. For the first time in Irish history the majority of landlords were speaking words of good sense, conciliation and reason. The tenants were united, and a moderate and quite limited use of the Imperial credit will enable a settlement of the land question to be brought about. At the same time, concluded Mr. Redmond, this would not affect the aspirations of the Irish people for Home Rule and he warned the Government that if last session's Land bill were re-introduced, the Irish members would "fight it line by line."

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TROUBLE IN CUBA BETWEEN THE RACES

The Negro Population are Likely to Go into Rebellion

ABOUT ONE THIRD IN NUMBER

And are Under a Clever Leader—President Palma's Difficult Work

Havana, Nov. 26. — It appears that Cuba has a negro question among its many questions. The negro has the same right of suffrage in Cuba as the whites, and the negroes and mulattoes together constitute about 32 per cent. of the total population of a little over 1,500,000. They are complaining of the treatment they get from the whites. They say that, while they did most of the fighting with Spain and most of the suffering during the war, it is extremely hard now to have the color line drawn upon them. They declare that they are not getting their share of the offices, and that the whites are making social distinctions on account of color. President Palma proposes holding a number of receptions this winter. If he invites negroes to them, it is said, the best classes of white society of Havana will refuse to attend. If the negroes are not invited it is expected that they will cause the government infinite trouble. The negroes are led by Senor Gomez, a mulatto, who is one of the ablest men of either race in the island, and who insists upon full social and political rights for the negroes. He is said to be a strong and brilliant writer, and promises to be a good-sized thorn in President Palma's side. The negroes say they are not asking for their rights, but are demanding them, and purpose to enforce their demands.

If the negroes of Cuba rebel against the whites, as there is talk that they will, perhaps the United States will have to do some more intervening. Cuba has had a strange and troubled past. Her future doesn't look as promising as it might.

WEATHER NOTES

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THE MAD MULLAH

The Mad Mullah has method in his madness. A story is told in the English papers of how he worked one of those "miracles" which drew many waverers to his banner. An English man-of-war was sent to demonstrate off the coast, and at night threw a searchlight on to the jungle covered mountains. Abdullah was in hiding there, and, knowing from his visits to Aden what it was that his followers hailed as a new star, told them that the light was seeking him. When the electric rays actually flooded his encampment he cried in triumph; "Will you deny now that I am under the eye of God? The Somali fell on their knees, beat the earth with their foreheads, and replied; "Thou art truly the Elect, the Chosen, the Mullah, the souls belong to thee. We place ourselves Master. Our goods, our existence, our entirely at the disposition of thy will." A few weeks later came the news of the rising of some four thousand of these Somali.

A REMARKABLE CHINESE WOMAN

A remarkable young Chinese woman is studying at the University of California. Sieh King King, sixteen years old, daughter of a liberal-minded merchant of Tien Tsin, has announced her intention to devote her life to the uplifting of her sex in China. Although the young woman has had the best of foreign teachers and advocates the introduction of western customs, she is not a Christianized Chinese. Her influence is all the greater for that fact, and she is able to reach a class of men and women who would hardly regard her with respect if she had repudiated the religion of her ancestors. Miss Sieh King King lectured recently in the Chinese theater in San Francisco before a large crowd of her compatriots of the better class. Men brought their wives and daughters to hear what the leaders of social revolution had to say. They listened courteously, and many seemed to approve her theories, that women should be educated to be their husbands' companions. She condemned the slave-girl system and the foot-binding custom in measured terms, and urged the abandonment of the old fashion of secluding women of position and wealth.

"A PEACEFUL CONQUEST."

Senator Moses E. Clapp, of Minnesota, is an optimist regarding the "peaceful absorption" of the Dominion of Canada by the republic. At a banquet in St. Paul the other day he said that forty years ago it was predicted that that city would yet be the seat of empire. This had not been fulfilled, but material advance had been made. Senator Clapp said:

"With the situation in view, it is easy to foresee the manifest destiny of the Dominion of Canada. There is no doubt that in the future," possibly within the lives of some here present, the United States will ultimately include the regions that stretch from the boundaries of the Northern states to the Arctic sea. It will be then that St. Paul will be the seat of empire, the capital of the greatest nation of the earth. One-third of the population of Canada is American born, and the stream of immigration is increasing year by year. The peaceful invasion is going quietly on. We will acquire the Dominion by the process of assimilation and not by conquest."

The worthy Senator has probably been deceived by the industrial appearances in his vicinity. The mills of Minneapolis are getting hold of a large portion of Canadian North-West wheat free of the United States duty to grind for export. And now an oatmeal mill has been bonded by the Washburn interest to grind Canadian oats under similar conditions. This will suit our free traders all right. But the mills of Northern Ontario and Keewatin will in time find ample scope and be able to deal with the wheat and and be able to deal with the wheat and oat crops on that line without the intervention of tariff tinkers. The water-powers available in those regions are enough when put in harness, to grind all the grain that the North-West can produce.

Senator Clapp is a little too sanguine in supposing that the mills of St. Anthony's fall are the whole question. The United States wheat farmers who are content to remain on their lands, while so many of their neighbors are "hiking" over into Canada, will take care that the duty on Canadian wheat is taken off for the export trade only. They have no desire to see their own markets flooded with Manitoba's future overflow. So the duty will remain. The senator is "barking up the wrong tree" when he imagines the farmers of the western states want assimilation on a free basis. But it may tickle the vanity of St. Paul to be promised the "seat of future empire." And the senator knows how to do this as well as he knows where to find good fishing on the north shore of Minnesota. At that he is a rare one!

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

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Still, if she hesitated in telegraphing her reply to Dick's imploring letter, it was not for long. Poor, foolish Dick! He had been but a cat's-paw from the first, as she had warned him; yet she would not remind him now of that warning. She would save him, and if she could not save herself when the time came, she must die.

To those who did not know of the silent battle waged for so many months it would seem a small, almost an absurdly small, sacrifice to make, that she should dine at the house of a man whom she disliked, when by doing so she could keep her brother from going to prison and spare her invalid mother a blow which might crush out her life.

But Winifred knew when she made the promise that it meant far more than a dinner at a house where she would have preferred not to go.

If Hope Newcome had been to her the man she had once thought him, she would have hesitated longer before sacrificing her reputation to save her brother from prison. She would have belonged to her lover, and would have had no right to put Dick before him. But the girl believed that she had done for ever with love and lovers. Since the only man to whom she had given her heart had been able to hide his baseness with seeming nobility, Winifred had lost faith in all men, and told herself that she hated every one. Except for her mother, it mattered little enough what became of the rest of her spoiled life.

She did not sleep much before the night when she would be called upon to keep her promise. The thought of what she must do was like a waking nightmare. It was always before her, whether her eyes were closed or open. Her imagination conjured up a hundred different methods by which Macaire might seek to entrap her; and the hours she should have slept were spent in striving to think how, while she kept her word to the letter, she might still contrive to thwart the ultimate designs which she suspected.

Winifred did not tell her mother of the trouble which had befallen Dick nor of her promise to Macaire. If all were well, Mrs. Gray never need know; if not, there was time enough for her to be made unhappy.

As the girl went out every evening soon after seven to keep her nightly engagement at the Salisbury, her mother would believe that she was absent upon her usual errand. It would be necessary to say: "I shall be later than usual"—for the dinner was to be at nine—and Winifred hoped, after keeping her hateful bargain to the letter, to reach home before midnight. Only there was such terrible indefiniteness in her hope. She did not know what danger she might be going to meet at Macaire's house, and unless Dick were there she would have no one to protect her.

At half-past seven she left the dismal lodging-house which was "home" now. She had kissed her mother even more tenderly than was her wont, and clung to the little frail woman yearningly for a moment, that was all; and Mrs. Gray suspected nothing. Winifred had made her promise not to sit up, as she must be late, but the girl knew that her mother would not sleep until she was safely back again. "Safely back again!" How much there was in those simple words! What would be her thoughts when she returned to the dull little rooms which appeared desirable in her eyes to-night for the first time? What would the next five hours hold of fear and humiliation for her?

Winifred had put on a very simple evening dress, which she covered with a long cloak even from her mother's eyes; for she was in the habit of walking to the Salisbury in a coat and short dark skirt. Her "turn" was one of the first on the long programme, a position not considered desirable by the artistes, since the nearer their names were to the middle the more unmistakable the hallmark of their importance; but on this particular night it was convenient for Winifred to finish early.

By half-past eight she had sung her song and satisfied the audience with a couple of encores. There was just time to change her stage dress for the evening gown she had worn, and drive to Park lane; and as the hour drew near the girl's heart grew cold as ice. She dared not be late, she dared not wish that some incident might delay or prevent her going lest Dick should be made to suffer.

She dressed with speed, and at twenty minutes to nine she was in a hansom on her way to Park lane. How sickeningly her pulses beat as the cab drove into the courtyard and stopped before the great brilliantly lighted house! Her knees trembled, and she almost fell as she stepped down to the pavement. The huge doors looked to her like the doors of a prison. If only Dick had written—if only she found Dick inside! But there had been no word from him save a few lines of thanks after receiving her telegram. She paid the cabman, and then—slowly, in spite of herself—moved towards the door which she feared might open before her knock. The hansom was driving away; it was all that she could do not to call after it and tell the man to stop—she had changed her mind and would go back.

As her eyes wistfully followed him a voice spoke almost in her ear: "Winnie! I've been waiting for you this last half-hour."

"Dick!" she thankfully exclaimed.

"Yes. We've only a minute to speak together. I can't go in; I'm not wanted inside that house any more, and I don't want to be there, Heaven knows, except for you. But I had to see you. Lucky for us your cab had rubber tires and didn't make much noise, or the door would be open now and you going in. I couldn't have got a word. Look here, Winnie, I am beginning to be afraid you were right about Macaire. He certainly is a villain—bad enough for anything, and the more I've thought of it the more I believe he did lay the trap to get us both to fall into it."

"I've never doubted that for an instant," said the girl.

"Yet you're here, Winnie. I'm a brute to let you come, but I didn't see it this way at first when I wrote begging you to consent. And how could I go to prison? For mother's sake, how could I go? I was sure I should be on hand to look after you and see that you came to no harm, so I let things slide when I began to realize that Macaire meant worse mischief. But I've been turned from the house, and told that if I tried to force my way in I should be pitched out by the footmen. I pretended to go, but I sneaked back here to wait for you, and give you a word of warning. I would say, don't go in after all, no matter what happened to me—"

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10,000 shares 7 per cent. Cumulative Preference Stock, par value $100 each	$1,000,000 00
Total Capitalization	$6,000,000 00

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The coal has been thoroughly tested and found to be suitable in every way for the manufacture of iron and steel, and the supply is practically inexhaustible. The following analysis was made by the Canadian Geological Survey :—

ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
	100 00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 tons above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

3.—FLUX.

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MARKETS.

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OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows :—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows :—

	ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows :—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000 00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000 00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

If the capitalization was increased to .... $20,000,000.00 this estimate would still show a dividend-earning capacity of 10 per cent. per annum.

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Reactionary, as we Outlined

New York, Nov. 25.—The set back in the market is trying to put itself in evidence. The short interest is materially reduced owing to last week's rapid rise, which naturally causes stocks to be less buoyant for the time being. Profit-taking brought stocks to market. A little set back will not only put the stocks thus sold back into the hands of strong holders, but likewise create another short interest which will be a lever for further lifting of values. We don't want to be misunderstood. We are still bullish upon American stocks for the future. The great railways have all the business they can possibly handle, and as rates are to be raised more than in proportion with lift in wages it does not require but a fraction of one per cent. advance in freight rates to more than counterbalance a ten per cent. advance in wages. The Standard Oil forces are probably the largest speculative long interest in the present market. They with their immense wealth and great allied banking interests are the most powerful force in Wall street. Some of western contingent have recently been made to feel the effectiveness of their power. They were shaken out of their holdings at low prices only to witness stocks go into the possession of the Standard party, then advance from 5 to 10 points in most cases. When we observed this state of affairs we quickly notified our clientele in these letters to their immediate profit if they followed them. Considerable stress has been laid by the bear forces upon the fact that we were at times so prosperous, that there were insufficient funds obtainable to keep up the bull structure. To get short of the market on such fallacious reasoning is extremely dangerous. It would be like a man hastening to dispose of some property or business proposition, now in his possession, because he saw it was going to pay him largely; too much so in fact for his comfort; it was too prosperous to have and to hold. In other words embarrassment through too much business, commonly known as prosperity, is poor ammunition to sell what one does not own, or even what one does own.

Summary—Today's market was in conformity with the weather, more or less depressing, and after a hesitating opening, with a few feeble advances led by a spurt in Manhattan and a sharp advance in C.F.I., the latter due to special reasons which for the time being separated it from the balance of the market, the general list became more or less weak and depressed, at times declining sharply. The set-back was due as announced in our letters of Saturday last and yesterday. At the lower levels support came in and the character of the buying improved greatly. It will probably be well to commence repurchasing, though prices may decline somewhat further before actual bottom is reached. One thing we believe certain that prices are again near the turning point. To-morrow's letter—Rearing Bull Market Structure. Money closed 4 per cent; sales 577,200.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, NOV. 26, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Wanted

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A Bazaar

The Faithful Workers' Mission Band of St. Paul's church intend holding a bazaar on Nov. 28th, in the school room. Refreshments will be served.

Had a Wooden Leg

A tramp with a wooden leg appeared before the Police Magistrate yesterday morning charged with vagrancy. It is lucky for him that the Police Magistrate has a good supply of wood on hand or he might have lost his leg. Owing to this he was given leg bail, and invited to seek pastures new.

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Information Bureau

A Bureau of information in regard to the referendum has been opened in the old post office block, George street, by a member of the men of the town. Mr Gus Sawyer is in charge of the rooms and will be glad to give any information regarding who are entitled to vote, and how to mark the ballots, etc.

Last Night's Concert

The Young Men's Guild of St Andrew's Church scored a great success at their concert last night. It was Miss MacLachlan's second appearance in Peterborough, and she sustained the excellent reputation obtained on the first visit. Miss Marietta Ladell is a charming elocutionist. Her articulation is clear and distinct and her protrayal of child life was never excelled in Peterborough. Every seat was taken and the Young Men of St. Andrew's have every reason to feel gratified at the public's recognition of their high-class entertainment.

The Berlin Trip

The Times is requested to state that all who desire to accompany the deputation to Berlin tomorrow to visit the Beet Sugar Factory in that town may do so. Return tickets are only $2.70. A special car has been secured for the party. The train will leave the Grand Trunk station at 8.30, returning on Saturday.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. W. H. Gordon is spending a few days in Cobourg.

—Mr. R. English, of Keene, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. George Holmes was registered at the Oriental yesterday.

—Miss Aggie Campbell enjoyed Sunday at the parental home in Havelock.

—Mr. F. J. R. Ferguson, of this town, will be married today to Miss R. M. McKeough of Lindsay.

—Mr. W. Ostrum, late of Trenton, has secured a position with Messrs. Alexander & Miller, town.

—Mr. Hanlan and Mr. Symonds returned to Oshawa, after visiting with Mr. J. T. Craig for the past few days.

—Mrs. Venn and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Thos. Hopkins, of Belleville, and two children have returned home, after attending the wedding of Mrs. Wm. Brown, of Peterborough.

—Mr. Frank Lush, formerly a resident of this town, is now conducting the Advertiser, a bright weekly published at Deloraine, Manitoba.

—Mr. Wm. Bunton, the genial Ticket Agent of the G.T.R. and Mr. G. W Hatton have returned from a trip to the mining districts of Arizona and California. They report having a delightful trip.

—Miss Clowes, of Fredericton, N.B., who is spending the winter in Peterborough at the residence of Mr. Jos. M. Symonds, No. 291 Reid street, was pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening by the arrival of a friend from New Brunswick, Mr. R. D. Wilmot, M.P. Other friends being present the evening was pleasantly passed. Mr. Wilmot took the midnight train for Ottawa on his way home.

—Capt. F. Verschoyle Young, of the Canadian Mounted Rifles and recently of the Army Medical Corp, South Africa, is in town, the guest of his brother, Surgeon-Major Young, of the 3d Dragoons. He is accompanied by Mrs. Young. His Honor, Judge McDougall, of Toronto, who has been in town, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Young, has returned to Toronto much benefitted in health.

A FALSE HEART

Coffee Does Not Act It Heart True

all he could eat was the white of an egg. I insisted on his trying Postum. He said the first cup he drank soothed his stomach and was nourishing; in a few days he was able to eat solid food again, and now he uses it altogether and does not use coffee.

My next door neighbor, another coffee drinker, had suffered with catarrh of the stomach, and for months could not eat anything—was just living on beef tea. I carried her some Postum and gave her directions for making it and now she can eat anything she wants and it does not hurt her. She says she feels better than she has for ten years.

I could tell you of dozens of people who have been benefitted by leaving off coffee and drinking Postum. It has done me so much good I tell everybody to use it. I have been using it now for two years and my digestion is fine, my complexion clear and everyone says I look ten years younger."

"Coffee served me a very hard turn about two years ago. My doctor said I had chronic dyspepsia with serious heart and nervous trouble and nothing would cure me unless I gave up coffee, said Miss Hattie Williams of Birmingham. My stomach got so bad that I could not eat any solid food without its nauseating me, and I was so nervous I could not sleep and my heart was in a dreadful condition. I had heard a great deal about Postum Food Coffee and how much good people had derived from changing from coffee to Postum, so one day I sent to the grocer for a package.

The first cup I drank helped me, for it removed all the gas from my stomach, or perhaps the quitting of coffee produced that result, at any rate, in less than a week there was a wonderful change; no more restless nights; no more pains around my heart that made me think I had heart trouble; no more sick stomach. This was two years ago. I am now entirely well and Postum cured me. I found it was not only medicine I needed but proper food and nourishment and to quit coffee entirely.

My brother-in-law (a coffee drinker) was very sick with stomach trouble and

BOARD OF TRADE WILL SEND A DEPUTATION

To-morrow To Inspect the Berlin Beet Sugar Factory

FACTORY TO COST $565,000

And will Pay a Dividend of at Least Ten Per Cent—Arrangements Already Made for its Construction—A Resolution of Congratulation to the American Cereal Company

The Board of Trade met in regular session last night when there were present President D. W. Dumble, presiding, and Messrs. R. J. Toker, Robert Fair, T. E. Bradburn, W. H. Meldrum, T. A. S. Hay, Dawson Kennedy, J. W. Garvin, D. Hughes-Charles, W. H. Bradburn, and A. P. Poussette.

The minutes of the preceding session were taken as read.

Communications.

From the Windsor Board of Trade, enclosing a resolution passed by the Maritime Board of Trade at Sydney, N.S., in favor of closer trade relations with Newfoundland and the West Indies. They asked for the co-operation of the different Boards of Trade to induce the Dominion Government to give their early and careful consideration of the whole matter, with a view to securing the trade of Jamaica and to arrange a basis of confederation between Canada and Jamaica, and between Canada and Newfoundland if practicable.—Received.

From the Halifax Board of Trade re a fast mail and freight service between Canada and Great Britain. Mr. W. H. Meldrum moved, seconded by Mr. Toker, that this Board heartily endorse and support the Halifax Board of Trade's attitude with reference to a fast steamship line between Canada and Great Britain and hopes the Federal Government will see that this service will be equal to the expectations of the country, and a credit to the Dominion.—Carried.

Beet Sugar.

Mr. T. E. Bradburn addressed the Board on the benefits to be derived from the establishment of a beet sugar factory in Peterborough, and asked, on behalf of the Peterborough Beet Sugar Company, that a deputation be appointed to accompany the Town and County Councils to Berlin tomorrow to inspect the splendid factory in operation there.

Mr. R. Fair moved, seconded by Mr. Hughes-Charles, That inasmuch as experiments widely conducted have demonstrated that Peterborough County is peculiarly suited for the growth of the sugar beet, and as the railways centering here and the Trent waters offer very great facilities for marketing the roots, a beet sugar factory should be established in Peterboro, and this Board urges upon the Town and County representatives the expediency of encouraging and aiding the efforts of any company disposed to locate a factory in Peterborough.—Carried.

Mr. Fair in moving the above resolution pointed out Peterborough's natural advantages for a Beet Sugar industry. We can grown the beets in our own county, and the erection and operation of a factory here will keep the money spent for raw material and in wages at home. He thought the Board should encourage the scheme in every way possible.

Mr. Hughes-Charles concurred with Mr. Fair in his opinion, and hoped the two Councils would do all in their power, to promote the industry.

Mr. J. W. Garvin, explained that the Peterborough Beet Sugar Company have already entered into an agreement with a construction company for the erection of a large factory with a capacity of 650 tons per day; the cost for building and plant to be $565,000. The construction company have agreed to take $175,000 in stock and to accept $275,000 in the Beet Sugar Company's bonds: this will leave only $115,000 to be paid in cash for the buildings and plant. The phenomenal growth of Beet Sugar Factories in the State of Michigan demonstrates that capitalists as well as farmers realize that this industry is a paying one. There need be no hesitation in regard to acreage for growing beets in the county of Peterborough, as that is already assured. As to the demand for this product the market for sugar is practically unlimited. It will take about twenty-five or thirty factories similar to that proposed for Peterborough to supply Canada with sugar, a large proportion of which comes at present from Germany. The money that goes to Germany and elsewhere might as well be kept at home. 70 per cent. of the sugar consumed in the Dominion is extracted from the beet root. The Peterborough Sugar Company are not going to ask for a cash bonus, but they expect the Town and County each to take $40,000 worth of stock. The proposed factory it is believed will pay exceptionally good dividends, certainly not less than ten per cent.; this will undoubtedly prove an excellent investment for the Town and County. In conclusion, Mr. Garvin felt that since the two corporations would be in pocket by their own investment; the Provisional Directors are putting a large amount of money in the concern themselves, and they think they should be substantially supported in their efforts, which must of necessity be a move in the interest of the whole community.

On motion of Mr. T. A. S. Hay, Messrs. Fair, Carnegie and Hughes-Charles were appointed a deputation to go with the Town and County Councils to Berlin to inspect the Beet Sugar Factory there.—Carried.

American Cereal Co.

Mr. Hughes-Charles moved, seconded by Mr. J. W. Garvin, that this Board congratulates the American Cereal Company on its splendid accomplishment in the erection of its magnificent factory at Peterborough, and now in operation. The Board hopes that the quick appreciation of Peterborough as a desirable site for its great industry may be more than justified, and that every prosperity may reward the achievement now in operation and in course of construction. Also that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mr. Stewart.—Carried.

Mr. Hughes-Charles in eulogizing the American Cereal Company as having already proved a good thing for the town, although not yet in full blast, incidentally remarked that this company's wage list is over $10,000 a month.

Insurance.

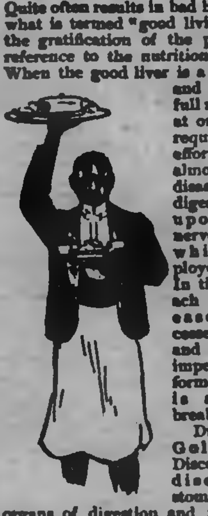
Mr. W. H. Meldrum moved, seconded by Mr. R. Fair, that the Insurance Companies having determined to vary their rates in proportion as insurers exercise precautions against fire, this Board urges all citizens to get the benefit of the lower rates by systematic and continued efforts to keep cellars, window areas, sheds and yards, clear of paper, rubbish and combustible material. — Carried.

Transcontinental Railways.

Mr. T. A. S. Hay moved, seconded by Mr. T. E. Bradburn, That the proposed construction of new transcontinental railways has the hearty appreciation and approval of this Board, as it realizes that every development of our western land ensures a corresponding development of eastern trade. That this Board is satisfied that the grain trade of the great west will be more and more largely via the great lakes from Port Arthur, and realizes that too much speed cannot be made in the construction of the Trent Canal to meet the great commerce destined to reach Midland City. Also that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Minister of Railways and Canals.—Carried.

The Board then adjourned.

GOOD LIVING



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—It is on record that an anthracite miner has coughed up coal dust fifteen years after leaving the mines. If the mines do not begin to "cough up" enough anthracite coal for what we need pretty soon, citizens of Peterborough will be coughing up soft coal for a decade to come.

—At the Ontario Cabinet Council meeting last Friday afternoon it was decided to proclaim the 25th of May, 1903, the official day for the celebration in Ontario of the birthday of his majesty, King Edward VII. The end November 9th is not a suitable time of the year for a holiday celebration. A proclamation of this nature will probably be issued each year instead of fixing permanently upon a date.

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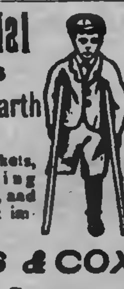

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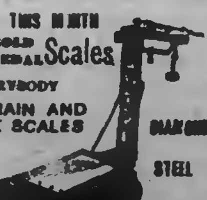

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MARTIAL LAW IN ARGENTINA.

Government Takes Firm Measures to Deal With Strikers

Buenos Ayres, Nov. 27—The strikes here are threatening a general paralysis of business and are affecting the handling of the crops.

The Government is thoroughly alive to the situation and has secured the passage of the expulsion bylaw that will enable it to deal with foreign agitators who are blamed for the labor troubles.

A state of seige has been declared, and it is believed that the new law, in conjunction with military government, will soon remedy the situation.

EARTHQUAKE CONFERENCE

German Government Proposes International Action on the Subject

London, Nov. 26—An international conference upon earthquakes is to be held early in 1903 on the initiative of the German Government, when the project of an international seismological association will be considered.

The question has arisen whether the scheme is not a matter clearly within the province of the International Association of Academies lately established. A reference to the latter body elicited an opinion against the unnecessary multiplication of international scientific organizations.

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GENERAL STRIKE IN HAVANA

Men of Many Trades Go Out to Back up the Cigarmakers

Havana, Nov. 26—Various labor unions have agreed to a sympathetic strike to support the cigarmakers on Monday. Today the coach drivers, cooks, carpenters and masons went out. On Monday, the longshoremen and cartmen will quit work.

The Mayor hopes to be able to settle the strike next week. The cigarmakers refused to treat with the Havana commercial body save through a central committee. The commercial people say they will deal with the men directly.

It is said that through lack of funds the men may be compelled to come to terms.

HANGED HIMSELF TO A BEDPOST

Suicide of a German Who Became Despondent Over His Wife's Death

Hudson, N.Y., Nov. 26—Louis Hedwig, a German, 62 years of age, committing suicide this morning by hanging himself to a bedpost. He was discovered by his daughter. His wife had been troubled with hallucinations for years, and two weeks ago became so violent that she had to be removed to the Poughkeepsie Asylum for the insane. She refused nourishment and died yesterday. Her body reached here last night and Hedwig made arrangements for the funeral. Her death preyed on his mind and getting up toward morning, he got a piece of rope, and, tying it about the bedpost and his neck, must have strangled to death slowly. There will be a double funeral.

FRANCE IS SLOWLY SUICIDING

Only One Section of That Country Is Increasing in Population

London, Nov. 26—Commenting on the Parliamentary debates on the population statistics, says the Paris correspondent of The Times, Paul Leroy Beaulieu points out that Brittany alone show an increase. Leroy Beaulieu says France is slowly committing suicide. If she wants to escape certain decline she must take Brittany as her model and cultivate a frame of mind resembling that of the Bretons.

WOMAN KILS A NEGRO

He Had Come to Assault Her So and Shot Pistol and Shot Him

Columbia, Nov. 26—Mrs. Mary E. Elliott living in the West Wateree region of Kershaw county, has won the congratulations of the Coroner's jury, as well as her neighbors for miles around for slaying Edward Kendrick, a negro, in her house last night. Mrs. Elliott is a widow and lives with her son, a boy in his teens in a lonely part of the country, the nearest white neighbor being beyond call.

Kendrick came to the house late last night and demanded assistance. He said he had friends with him and if the boy showed himself outside of his room he would be killed. The negro broke down the door with an axe.. Mrs. Elliott had no weapon.

The man declared that he would kill both mother and son if any resistance was made. Before the woman was forced to decide between her honor and her son's life, the boy dashed out of his room and at Kendrick. His mother threw herself before him and both grappled with the man with pistol in hand.

Mrs. Elliott pressed the negroe's pistol arm to his side. In the struggle all fell to the floor, and in exerting himself to hurl Mrs. Elliott from him let his pistol drop. The women seized the weapon and fired. Kendric died almost instantly.

MILNER WILL CONFER WITH NATIVE CHIEF

Uneasiness Over Report the Government Would Disarm Basutos

Finding Fault With Japan Ministry—Political Situation Becoming Daily More Complicated

London, Nov. 26—A correspondent at Johannesburg, says that Lord Milner left Monday on a three weeks' tour of the Orange Free State. He will return by way of Kimberly and the Western Transvaal, visiting the battlefields of Paardeberg and Magersfontein en route. He will meet Basuto Chief Lerothodi at Ladybrand. There has been for some time, says the correspondent, an undercurrent of uneasiness among the natives owing to reports that the Government was going to disarm the Basutos. Repatriation is progressing in all parts of the two colonies, and one cannot go far without seeing here and there a white tent or improvised dwelling of sod or sundried bricks. Despite their meagre surroundings the people are glad to get back upon their land, and seem fairly well contented, their lot being no worse than that of settlers in any new country. In the Thabanchu district which was lately visited, the farms showed 100,000 acres under cultivation, the crops being well advanced.

London, Nov. 26—A Tokio correspondent says the political situation in Japan is becoming daily more complicated. Seiyukai evidently desires the overthrow of the Cabinet, but being unwilling openly to oppose a naval increase, accuses the Ministry of failing to effect administrative and financial reforms. This hackneyed pretext has been employed against every Cabinet for the past ten years. Meanwhile Marquis Ito is keeping silent, which is attriubted to a design of effecting a compromise, whereby a naval increase may be secured simultaneously with a reduction in the land tax, a fund for a naval increase to be otherwise obtained. Undoubtedly he is unwilling to take office now, inasmuch as the successful administrative policy of the Katsura Cabinet has strengthened the opponents of party government, whose stronghold is in the House of Peers. Moreover, Ito is a consistent advocate of ministerial stability, which, in the interests of the country, he prefers to his own tenure of power.

London, Nov. 26—A Berlin correspondent says it is understood that negotiations between the Government and the Reichstag majority for a compromise in regard to minimum duties on grain in the Tariff Bill, have at last met with some measure of success. Many clerical constituencies especially those in Bavaria, it is pointed out, are interested in the barley growing, and the Government concessions regarding barley may be valuable to the clerical centre, but it remains to be seen how Conservatives forming the other wing of the majority will treat the proposal.

STARTLING NEWS FROM THE NORTHWEST MORMONS FLOCKING INTO CANADA

Where They Are Establishing Immense Colonial Industries

DOMINION AUTHORITIES SAID TO BE ALARMED

Dominion Politicians Fear the Influence of Their Vote on Questions of International Policy—A Live Question

Winnipeg Man., Nov. 26.—The rumor that the grandson of Brigham Young, now under arrest for a most brutal murder in New York, was married some time ago to a young Mormon woman in the Canadian Northwest, has attracted renewed attention to the followers of the Mormon faith in Canada.

Every little while one of the Eastern newspaper will publish an alarmist article about the astonishing influx of United States settlers into the Northwest Territories and the danger there is of these settlers gradually obtaining the balance of political power, and some day or other using their influence in favor of annexation to the United States.

In all these articles, however, the fact that the Mormons are gradually establishing a new Utah in the Territories is entirely lost sight of. And yet that is what they are doing, and that that is what they are doing, and that is what is their avowed intention. Headed by a visionary they have started to settle in the district around Lethbridge, and have founded a town called Raymond, which is destined to have a population of at least 30,000 souls.

They have selected a most fertile neighborhood, and a country which will be immensely benefitted shortly by the great irrigation ditch, which is now being constructed.

The man who is at the head of the Mormon movement is Mr. Jesse Knight, a Mormon capitalist from Utah, who says that in a vision saw the possibilities of the Northwest country, and who founded a town named Raymond, after his son, which he says will be the modern Salt Lake City of the Canadian West.

This vision, which he announced publicly, showed him and his son Raymond leading the ten lost tribes into the colony.

They carried sheaves of wheat, and their way led towards a stately tabernacle, which is to be the principal place of worship of the Mormon church in the North, and where thousands were worshipping.

Visions like these do not sound business-like, and are apt to be doubted; but the old Mormon leaders had alleged visions, which they say have come true, and Mr. Knight himself has had visions before which he says have turned out to be money-making dreams.

To one of these he is indebted for the money which enables him to bring his brethren of the poorer and working class here from Utah, and to give them comfort and independence.

It was a dream of a gold mine which was to be found at a certain spot; and, strange as it may seem, the mine was found, and gave him great wealth.

Four years ago the country around Lethbridge was bare. To-day there are already thousands there. Not only Mormons have come, but a great many other people, and they are increasing fast.

Four thousand acres comprises at present the Mormon property around the town of Raymond, and the returns from the preliminary crop of wheat and corn that has been grown up till now to prepare the land for its ultimate destiny have been much gratifying. Its ultimate destiny is the raising of beet roots for obtaining sugar.

In connection with this he is erecting an immense beet-root sugar factory, which will be the equal of anything of the kind now in America.

In all, by the end of next year Mr. Knight expects to have at least $1,000,000 invested in the settlement near Lethbridge.

This very same spot was a perfect wilderness a quarter of a century ago, only frequented by the Indians and buffaloes. It was right near the town of Raymond that the last great Indian battle of the Western Canadian plains was fought.

In 1876 the Crees had been on a buffalo hunt and had followed the game into the country of the Blackfeet. They met a small party of Piegans, who were an off shoot from the Blackfeet, and murdered them, not knowing how close they were to a large village of Blackfeet tepees. The inhabitants of these, however, became aware of the murders, and nearly exterminated the Crees.

Now there are virtually no Indians to be found there. There are Chinamen, however, and, strange to say, these Chinamen work as farm laborers. The Mormons have their acres of farming land some distance from the town of Raymond, but, according to Mormon custom, live within the boundaries of the town, and go to their farms each morning.

The town itself is built on the plan of a big circle, from which the principal streets radiate like the spokes of a wheel, and these streets are 122 feet wide.

The people seem all happy and contented, and there is enough land in the vicinity to accomodate the thousands which are expected within the next few years. Polygamy, so far as is known, is not indulged in.

HIS HEART PIERCED WHILE OPENING SAFE

In Compliance With the Demand of the Two Robbers

ONE OF THE FOULEST MURDERS

Clerk Deliberately Shot by Two Masked Highwaymen Who Ordered Him to Open Safe

Dayton, Ohio, November 26.—A daring hold-up, attended by the sacrifice of a human life, at the office of Allen & Eminger, who conduct a wholesale flour and feed establishment on Wayne avenue, occurred about 6 o'clock to-night.

Two young men passed through the office of the Allen & Eminger establishment, which at that time was unoccupied, and turned out the lights. Several minutes later presumably the same two men returned masked, one with a dark handkerchief and the other with a light handkerchief tied across their faces. They walked to the rear of the storeroom, where Joseph W. Shide and William A. Fischback, were at work, and, covering them with revolvers, demanded that they go with them into the office.

BARRED THE DOOR.

In the meantime Harry Brush, driver for the company, had returned from a trip and entered the office, and, divining the intention of the intruders, barred the door. The two men gruffly commanded the door to be opened, and it being done, they commanded young Shide, who was head clerk, to open the safe and turn over the money which it contained. Before he had time to reach the table where the keys had been placed one of the men fired a shot, which took effect in the left leg.

Although no resistance was offered to their commands the masked men seemed not satisfied with obtaining the money in the safe, but seemed to be controlled by a craving for human blood, and while young Shide was executing the command which they had given to open the safe one of the men fired, and the ball entered the back and pierced Shide's heart.

The robbers then turned upon William Fischback, who was with them alone in the office, and demanded that he open the safe. He promptly handed them the bunch of keys, with which they tried for a short time to effect an entrance into the safe, but failed. They then ransacked the pockets of the victim of their fiendish designs, and hurriedly left the office, obtaining as a result of their dastardly work about $30 in money. The affair was immediately reported to the police and the bloodhounds belonging to Dective Maguire were placed on the trail of the fleeing criminals.

While the two masked men were operating on the inside of the office another suspicious-looking individual was standing across the street, whom the two men are said to have joined in a short time after leaving the office. It is thought that the man was left on guard to give notice of the approach of an officer, should one appear.

Jos. W. Shide, whose life was sacrificed, was about 29 years of age, and had been employed by Allen & Eminger about five years. He was always faithful and showed such devotion to his work that when the proprietors were absent the management of the establishment was intrusted to him. He was the son of an aged and widowed mother who resides on Jones street, and who looked to him for her main support in her declining years. One married brother, Chas. W. Shide, is a member of the local police force and another brother lives in Alabama. Two sisters also reside in this city and with their aged mother and brother, are heart-broken over the sad fate that befell their brother.

THE GREAT VOLCANIC ERUPTIONS

Experience of a Missionary in Guatemala During the Eruptions

"The End of All Things Is at Hand," Wrote Missionary Secord From Guatemala During the Eruptions and Was Himself Destroyed

Omaha, Neb, November 26—Letters received in this city today from missionary C. F. Secord, formerly of Omaha, but late of Santo-Tomas, Guatemala, paint a graphic picture of the destruction and havoc wrought in that country by the volcanoes and earthquakes within the past month. Since the letters were written almost positive assurance of Mr. Secord's death has also been received here. The letter says:

"Friday, October 24.—Two volcanoes burst forth destroying a great many towns and plantations of cane and other property. Greate tones, fire, ashes and lava were thrown high in the air. For two days there was a contiguous shaking of the ground and large explosions in the bowels of the earth. Now the volcano near Lake Atitland is smoking. There are three others near which show signs of eruption. The end of all things is at hand. Luke 21. 24 and 25 is being fulfilled. The open doors are wide. Pray for us. We stay here even if all the mountains fall and the pit opened up. Corn is $10 per bushel. Santa Maria has destroyed everything for miles around and thousands are killed. It started with thunderings like cannon shots and earthquakes. Men, women, children and animals fled for their lives. Then smoke, stones and fire were belched out and the volcano's summit was veiled in dense clouds, from which flashed lightning continually and a great darkness was over all. The earth heaved like the sea in a storm. Many towns and cities were at once deserted and destroyed. We have built a dispensary and a preaching room and are not scared. The large city of Quezaltenango, which was partially destroyed by an earthquake in April, is completely destroyed and is a mass of ruins covered with ashes and lava. We are content to lay down our lives for our beloved Lord."

HOME RULE ALL ROUND FOR THE BRITISH EMPIRE

A Federation of the British Empire May be Accompanied

GREAT DIFFICULTIES MUST BE REMOVED FIRST

The Saturday Review of London Favors Closer Ties Binding the Empire

London, Nov. 26.—The detailed account of the colonial conference contained in the Blue Book issued in London shows that Mr. Chamberlain expressed to the colonial Premiers the conviction that a federation of the British Empire is within the limits of possibility. He regarded the conference itself as a first step in that direction, and the next step, he thought, should be a "council of the empire," which, though at first simply advisory, should gradually, and in a manner which he did not define, acquire executive functions. It appears that Lord Milner has advocated precisely the same scheme. The practicability of the project is denied by the Saturday Review, and an alternative plan is mooted which deserves notice, because that journal is one of the most rancorous opponents of the concession of home rule to Ireland.

To the Saturday Review the practical difficulties in the way of the "council of the empire," proposed by Mr. Chamberlain seem very considerable. While it remained advisory only, it would remain ineffective. On the other hand, the moment that it acquired executive power it would inevitably clash with the Cabinet and Parliament of the United Kingdom. Even if the people of Great Britain, devoted as they are to their historical House of Commons, could be persuaded to sanction an imperial council, which for certain purposes should override the authority of Parliament, that council would remain so long as it lacked control of the public purse, a centre of irritation and an example of anomaly. The Saturday Review takes for granted that never would the British people surrender to an imperial council the power to tax the United Kingdom. Without any power over the purse, however, the suggested council would be doomed to legislative impotence.

Is, then, imperial federation a dream? No such admission can be expected from the Saturday Review, which advocates with the utmost zeal a tightening of the ties that connect the mother country with her transmarine dependencies. It claims to have hit upon a practicable device for welding the disjected parts of the British Empire. Where, it asks, is the supposed insurmountable barrier to this election of over-sea members to the British Parliament? It holds that such large cities as Melbourne, Toronto, Johannesburg, and Auckland or the several provinces, or the Dominion of Canada and Commonwealth of Australia as wholes, might send representatives to England who would vote on all subjects not judged to be, as it were, parochial; that is to say, exclusively pertinent to the interests of the United Kingdom. In the opinion of the Saturday Review, such over-sea members would not only constitute a centre of knowledge and a bond of unity, but would have an opportunity of exerting a real and valuable influence on the course of imperial affairs.

CANADA WILL FURNISH SHIPS

But will Not Give Money to be Spent by the British Admiralty

Ottawa, Nov. 26—Speaking at a meeting held under Board of Trade auspices at which Mr. H. F. Wyatt dealt with colonial support of the navy, Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia, said in part:

"The Government of this country recognized its duty, as I am quite sure the people of this country recognize their duty, in maintaining or putting themselves in a position to bear their fair share of the defence of the Empire. As to how that can best be done comes the difficulty.

"The British Government takes the view, rightly or wrongly, that the absolute control—first, last, and all the time from beginning to end—of naval defence, or of naval matters, be under the Admiralty, and that anything that has to be done by the other parts of the Empire, known as colonies, must be done in the way of a substantial contribution in hard cash to the Admiralty. Well, now, I do not hesitate to say that I dissent from that view. I say that advisedly, because that is the position which the Dominion Government have taken.

A Canadian Navy.

"We have expressed in a State paper, which is public property today, our desire and intention to do everything that we can to assist the Mother Country in the matter of defence, and to take the first step at once in the formation of the nucleus, at any rate, of a navy in this country. What that shall be I cannot exactly say. I am quite sure that some understanding can be come to by which we can do a great deal.

"Mr. Wyatt has spoken in this connection of a scheme by which the Canadian Government will be saved the expense of purchasing guns and purchasing ships. I want to say that the Canadian Government are not trying to dodge or avoid any responsibility in connection with the purchase of guns or anything else. We are quite prepared and quite able to purchase our own guns, and if I have any thing to say about it, we shall do it too. But we are not yet ready, as I said a moment ago, —and this is the crucial point, and we may as well understand it first as last—to ask the taxpayers of this country to tax themselves to hand over a sum of money, any sum of money, to anybody, even the British Admiralty, to spend without our having one single word as to the way in which that money shall be expended."

Mr. Frederick said he did not share Mr. Wyatt's fears as to Canada's liability to instant destruction. Even if what Mr. Wyatt had suggested was to be especially dreaded, the speaker had an all-abiding faith in the good common-sense of nations as well as individuals, and he believed that the greater number of nations—those especially like our neighbors to the south—who know and believed that it was best for the world that Great Britain should occupy one of the first positions as a nation—would unite and prevent such a crisis as Mr. Wyatt had suggested was likely to happen.

A League Formed.

On motion of Lt.-Col. White, seconded by Rev. Saxon Bland, the formation of an Ottawa Branch of the Navy League was decided upon, and the mover of the resolution was elected president.

Mr. Wyatt rose to point out that it would not do for Canada to rest content with defending her coasts but she should be ready to furnish battleships to operate against the enemy in time of war.

This led Sir Fredick Borden to speak for the second time, in order, as he said, that there might be a thorough understanding. There was, he thought, too much alarm entertained. When Canada sent troops to South Africa they went and fought as part of a British army. When Canada possessed ships, as some day they hoped to have, one of those ships would be sent to old Britain should the emergency arise. When that time came they would work in harmony with the Imperial authorities.

ENGLISH WRITER FEARS CANADA WILL SECEDE

Says the American Invasion of the North-West is Serious and Blames Britain

The Fortnightly Review for December publishes an alarmist article, entitled "The Foreign Invasion of Canada." The text of the article is the recent declaration of "a devoted descendant of the United Empire Loyalist" that England is driving Canada into the arms of the United States by neglect to supply the people with money for Canada's rising industries. The writer, who toured Canada last autumn, declares that Quebec Province is becoming more French than France, more Roman Catholic than any part of the world. He declares the suggestions that French-Canadians are most loyal subjects of the throne to be a mere fairy tale and says no English-speaking Canadian but laughs at stories to this effect, published in the Old Country. He quotes statistics especially furnished by Ottawa departments to prove the inevitable Americanization of the Canadian West, while Canada's dependence on New York Channels for British news is working in the same direction.

Refused Leave to Appeal.

The Privy Council today refused leave of appeal in the case of Stanley versus the People's Building and Loan Association, at London, Ontario.

Attacks St. Lawrence Route.

The Times Lloyds' correspondent makes the grounding of the Sicilian the text of disparaging remarks on St. Lawrence navigation. He says the important strandings of the present season number eleven, and the number of recent casualties severely strained the dock-repairing resources of St. Lawrence ports. Underwriters doubt whether special favorable terms will now be granted, in view of the recent disasters.

THE LOVESICK LOCKS

Amount of Business Transacted at This Lock This Season

Mr. William Macfarlane the genial lockmaster at Lovesick, was in town yesterday and called on The Times. Mr. Macfarlane says the last season was a brisk one at his lock.

The total lockages were as follows, from April 25th to Nov. 25th:—Number of steamers locked through, 313; No. of cargoes, 77; No. of rafts, 24; total, 414. The number of trips made by the steamer Ogemah through the locks during the season was 122.

WEDDING BELLS

Nuptials of Miss Clara M. Bell and Mr. F. Walsh of Keene

The St. John's Roman Catholic church, Keene, was the scene of a very pretty and well attended wedding, seemingly regardless of the severity of the weather the church was packed to standing room only. The contracting parties were Miss Clara M. Bell and Mr. F. F. Walsh of Keene.

The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Lottie Bell, while the groom was assisted by his brother, Mr. F. Walsh, of Keene.

The Rev. Father Phelan officiated, and High Mass was celebrated in honor of the newly wedded couple.

After the ceremony many friends, accompanied by Rev. Father Phelan, adjourned to the bride's home, where they partook of a most inviting wedding breakfast.

The after entertainment was one which will long be remembered and cherished by all who were present, as there were many vocal and instrumental selections rendered by the sisters of the bride, Misses Lottie and Lillian Bell and recitations by Miss Lilla Bell, of Peterborough.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was elegantly attired in a travelling suit of castor brown corduroy velvet with white lace and felt trimmings, and wore a large black picture hat, while the bridesmaid was becomingly attired in a suit of green ladies cloth, with trimmings of white, and hat to match.

The bride, who was organist of St. John church, Keene, for a number of years, was presented with an address and a purse by the choir. She was also the recipient of a large number of other beautiful presents, and the happy young couple departed on the C.P.R. at 5.10 p.m., for Toronto, where they will remain for the winter.

Our New Station Agent

Havelock Standard —Mr. W. S. Dodds local C.P.R. agent, left for Peterborough on Thursday, at which point he has been transferred. Mr. R. J. Green, of Locust Hill, will succeed Mr. Dodds here and has already entered upon his duties. In Mr. Dodds Havelock loses a most respected and energetic citizen. He is exceedingly popular with the railway men and the citizens generally. He always took a prominent part in affairs and displayed sound judgement and business acumen in all matters. While all will be sorry to say adieu yet all will join in congratulating him on his promotion.

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YOUNG'S POINT.

—Our village this past week has been undergoing quite a number of improvements in sidewalks, buildings, etc. Our pathmaster has been repairing and extending the sidewalks, which was greatly needed, and will be much appreciated when completed.

—A new driving shed is being completed at the Methodist church, and Mr. J. Reid is building an addition to his new dwelling, and several other improvements are being made in the village.

—Rev. Father Phelan is absent in Keene this week.

—Rev. Mr. Creswick has returned home after spending the past week in Toronto.

—Miss Emma Scollard has returned home after an extended visit with friends in Rochester.

—Miss Jessy Phelan, of Lakefield, is visiting friends here.

—Miss Mary McPherson, Peterborough spent last week the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Jas. Carl.

—Miss McFarling, of Lovesick, is visiting with friends here.

—Mr. P. P. Young, is rebuilding his scow belonging to the steamer Majestic, the work being superintended by Mr. Hickey, of Peterborough.

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RAISING THE WAR CHEST

The way the American farmers are pouring into Canada to take up land might be thought to have introduced a panic on the other side. Fears are expressed that some day their fine cities may be over run by the spoiler from this side of the lakes, tempted by the loot that they hold. Hence an outcry for defensive coast defences along the great lakes and the St. Lawrence River, if Congress will provide the money.

A Washington despatch states that a great plan of fortification has been put on paper, but the board having the business in charge will not give up any information of what is intended. The information will, however, be included in the annual report of the Chief Engineer of the War Department, which will be submitted to Congress next month. Last summer General Gillespie and a staff of officers went from the Straits of Mackinac down Lake Michigan to Chicago, and located the forts to be erected. The straits connect Lakes Huron and Michigan, and are wholly within the jurisdiction of Uncle Sam, yet it is explained that "easy approaches may be made from the Canadian side." It is proposed to line these straits with fortifications and to fill them with torpedoes, in case the warships of the sanguinary foe should venture an attack.

A descent upon the ports of the lower lakes is also "considered in the war game." The Welland Canal would be made ready to be blown up to prevent the ascent of any warship of 14-foot draft, which might take the risk of making a descent upon Buffalo, Cleveland, Erie, Toledo or Sandusky, and "guns of heavy calibre will probably be mounted and submarine mines sunk at the localities mentioned."

The Washington despatch says in the event of failure to blow up the locks it would be a fortunate thing if our lake cities were defended by heavy batteries such as have been erected on the seaboard. And the big lake carriers would be converted into auxiliary cruisers, and these "would be very serviceable in harassing Canadian ports and commerce."

All this, if true, teaches us what we are to expect when the time comes to put on the war paint. In the meantime our friends mean to practice in a war of their own upon the overflowing United States Treasury. The lake ports do not relish the heavy outlays for ships and batteries on the sea coast, in which their work-people have no share. It is the "ward appropriation" system as our own cities have understood and practiced it in the past, applied to the great American nation. Each dollar expended in one part of the country where a work is necessary, has to be offset by a dollar spent on general principles somewhere else "to even up." But to get the taxpayers of the interior reconciled to these vast appropriations it is "good politics" to raise the patriotic cry. The saying, "Our cities are in danger from the British," is calculated to inflame all ill-informed minds and gain their sanction to any measure of defence however exotic, and the more costly the better for the engineering department ,and the chance for election boodle for next year.

This we take it is the true meaning of the war talk of late in American papers of even high repute. Some weeks ago an alarmist letter appeared in a great New York daily, dated from Toronto, and detailing the "startling preparations" for arming the Canadian people against the United States! It had not the least foundation in fact, but it was calculated to excite a fever of resentment, and stimulate the designs upon the War Treasury which have otherwise become evident.

With such a program on foot among our neighbors those of our politicians who indulge in the bellicose talk are but playing the game of the American campaigners who will quote the gratuitous sayings of Canadians to further their raids upon their own war chest.

—It is on record that an anthracite miner has coughed up coal dust fifteen years after leaving the mines. If the mines do not begin to "cough up" enough anthracite coal for what we need pretty soon, citizens of Peterborough will be coughing up soft coal for a decade to come.

DISTRICT NEWS

KEENE.

The roads in this vicinity are very bad at present. It is impossible to keep horses and vehicles clean that are driven over them.

—Mr. William Drummond, our tax collector, is again on the move, and property owners are warned to pay up and keep clear of arrears.

—Mr. Joseph Elmhirst, our village constable, who has been suffering from a sore leg, is, we are glad to notice, so far recovered as to be able to walk around without the aid of a stick.

—Mr. T. Wallace and Miss M. Campbell, our public school teachers, are training the children for a Christmas concert and entertainment. We trust the concert will be largely patronized, as it promises to be good.

—There is a good opening in our village for a harness maker and a tinsmith.

—Two more dogs in our village have been poisoned. We understand that means are to be used to detect the guilty wretch or wretches who belittle themselves by poisoning their neighbor's dogs.

APSLEY.

—In the spring people take the fever of moving, summer time it is boating or fishing on the back lakes, but in the fall everyone who can procure a club, rifle or shot gun hies away to the woods to kill something and our "Beaver Lodge" boys of Apsley had this latter fever bad, and they did good execution among the deer. The party consisted of Clinton Coones, commander-in-chief; T. W. Eastland, F. Builled, B. Jones, A. Smith, R. Pattison, and A. Pattison, all of Apsley, and J. W. Stewart, of Lakefield. Roy Coones, cook. The boys had a good time and secured 15 deer. Dr. Patterson met them on their way home at the head of Crab Lake and photographed the party with their deer and dogs. They have reason to be proud of their hunt, as very few parties succeeded as well. Before breaking up camp another resolution was added to the rules and regulations, viz.; Any member found guilty of enlarging too much on his prowess would be fined $17.00 or cut wood one day with a dull axe; the wood to be cut for a neighbor—and a heavier fine according to the heinousness of the crime. A few have had to comply with the rule and we hear J. W. S——t has to cut 3 1-3 days for Mr. Billy Leahy. T. W. has 3 days to put in. Applications for membership to the Beaver Club are coming in already for next year's hunt.

—A number of young ladies and gentlemen went out to the White Rock last Saturday and while there Dr. Patterson took several snap shots of that famous rock. It is well worth the trouble of climbing to the top, as one gets a splendid view of the surrounding country. To the north and west one can look for miles over an unbroken front,

"While to the south and east there lay
Extending in succession gay,
Deep waving field and pastures green
With gentle slopes and groves between."

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—The patrons of Apsley Cheese Factory gave their annual oyster supper Friday evening, 21st inst., which was a decided success. The concert advertised for that night did not take place, but rather than disappoint the many who waited, Mr. P. Coones kindly gave an exhibition of some very good views of local celebrities and places with his magic lantern.

—Tommy has moved into his new house and will soon be settled once more.

—It is not necessary to make any remarks about the roads as they are at present, it would only lead to profanity.

—There is every prospect of a brisk trade here this winter. Messrs. Tait and Lillycrap are buying logs, and jobbers will be busy both for them and the Rathbun Company.

—The electors are taking a lively interest in the referendum, and a large vote will likely be polled.

—It might be encouraging for you to know, now the cold weather is coming on, that you can buy good maple wood around here for $2.00 per cord. What are you going to do about it? Build a railroad and get cheap wood and many other things you require, move back to Apsley, or stay in town and pay your nice $7.00 a cord? But I think a progressive town like yours might make a push towards a railroad here. Try it.

—Our blacksmith was seen to be acting very strangely while the boys were at Wolf Lake. Dr. Bell was consulted and after a careful examination of the patient said it was a very severe attack of hunter's fever, so Jim borrowed two dogs and in company with a hunter from the north struck off for the wilds of Anstruther to kill several deer and a few bears just for fun and recreation. But, alas! he was doomed to disappointment, as on the first morning out he stationed his companion on several watches while he started the dogs, and if no one has not killed the deer out Haliburton way, both it and the dogs are running still, as they have not been seen by Jim since. So he came home a firm believer in a vegetable diet, and says some people may like venison, but he prefers cabbage.

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word. It would not be true to say I am not afraid of Lionel Macaire, for I am—horribly afraid. And I hate him, and shudder at him. But I do believe that I shall find protection from him."

"If ever a girl deserved such protection, it's you," cried Dick. "But listen: I was going to say that I'd tell you not to go in spite of everything if it weren't for Von Zellheim. He'll be here at Macaire's to-night. I know that."

"Baron von Zellheim!" repeated Winifred, bitterly, giving her lost lover the full title which he claimed. "What help can his presence give me? It only makes it all a thousand times worse that he should see me here in the house of the man he was bribed to aid in hunting me down."

"Winifred, I swear to you that Von Zellheim never did that," Dick asserted. "You must trust him. He's true as steel."

"So you once said of his master," retorted the girl, stung to desperation. "Oh, if this is all you have to tell me, let me go and get this horrible night over quickly—however it is to end."

Dick caught her arm and held her back when she would have fled up the three marble steps that led to the door of old green bronze. "You must hear me," he ejaculated. "It was all my fault that you distrusted Von Zellheim. I'll stake my life he'd have killed Macaire rather than be his friend if he'd guessed what a villain he was. He didn't even know that you and Macaire were more than the merest acquaintances — I'd swear that. If you had seen him, half a dozen words of explanation would have made everything right. But you refused; he couldn't understand why, or what he had done to offend you, and he was half mad. He's been a changed man since—older and graver in his ways. If I'd chosen I could have brought a reconciliation about, but I didn't want Von Zellheim to know what you thought of Macaire. If he did know, I was certain there'd be no end of a row, and I'd lose my chance as secretary. I couldn't give that up. And I was so sure, you see, that you were mistaken about Macaire."

"To keep your place you let me insult the man I loved!" cried Winifred. "You let me break my heart; you spoilt my life. Yet you are not ashamed to call on me to save you."

"For Heaven's sake, Winnie, don't look at me, don't speak to me like that! I am ashamed—I'm in the dust with shame. And I didn't dream you cared for Von Zellheim except as a friend. If I had—I hope I'd have been decent enough to do differently. But it's too late for that now. And I see I've ruined myself with you. Do as you like. Don't go into the house. I'll run away—be off somewhere, I don't know where—and escape from Macaire's anger when he finds that he's been tricked."

"No. I will go in—Heaven help me!" said Winifred, with a breaking voice.

"You will? Heaven bless you, then. But—some time, before long, I hope, Von Zellheim will be here. He doesn't know that you are to be in the house; but he wrote, sending me his address, and I wired, telling him that he must come if he would save me from shame. Already he has been helping me—and he will be here to-night without fail. I'm as sure of it as if I had his promise. You'll trust him now, Winnie, won't you?"

"If I have accused him falsely, he will never forgive me," said the girl, hopelessly. And then, without another word to her brother, she went up the steps and lifted the mailed glove which formed a knocker.

CHAPTER XXXIX.

Nero's Dinner-Party.

Instantly the doors flew open. Winifred saw a great hall, blazing with lights, which dazzled her eyes after the darkness. A footman in purple and gold livery showed her to a corridor branching off the main hall, and there she was met by a maid, who took her into a room which at first glance seemed walled with mirrors. Everywhere Winifred saw her own reflection—a slim little figure in a plain, long gray cloak, looking strangely incongruous against a background of such magnificence.

The maid helped to remove the cloak, and Winifred was thankful to see a collection of exquisite wraps belonging to other women. One of her fears had been either that she was to dine with Macaire alone, or that she would find herself the only woman among a crowd of men in the fast, reckless set which Macaire was said to lead. Courage came back to her at sight of these dainty evening wraps which suggested the inner heart of Paris.

She left the mirrored dressing-room, and gave herself again to a footman's guidance. Never had Winifred seen so marvelous a house, but she was scarcely conscious of admiration or surprise. Her nerves were tensely keyed for what might be coming.

"What name?" enquired the big footman, with a veiled glitter of impertinence under supercilious lids.

"Miss Winifred Gray," the girl answered mechanically, and then wished that she had refused to give any name at all.

A door was thrown open, and a chatter of voices suddenly buzzed in her ears. They were not sweet, gently modulated voices, but loud and vulgar in every note, though they were the accents of women.

The air was heavy with the scent of lilies, almost deadly in their keen sweetness. The room, which was all white and gold and palest pink, was decorated in the style of Louis Quatorze, and Winifred remembered how she had heard that each room in Macaire's town house was furnished after the fashion of a different nation and period.

Before her mind had had time to receive any other definite impression, save that there were a number of men and women in the room, the latter gorgeously dressed and blazing with diamonds, Macaire himself came forward, holding out his hand.

"We've been waiting for you," he said. "I'd begun to be afraid that you weren't coming after all." And this sentence he spoke with meaning.

"I had promised, and I never break my word," answered Winifred, haughtily, trying in vain to avoid his hand, which pounced upon and imprisoned hers like a hawk seizing a dove. "But you need not have waited for me."

"What!" exclaimed Macaire. "Not wait for the guest of the evening? Perhaps you didn't realize that this little dinner is being given in your honor? I've invited friends who have been especially anxious to meet you ever since last December, when you were playing Maneppa."

"I never did play Maneppa," Winifred answered him in a clear, distinct voice, that could be heard at the other end of the large room.

"Didn't you? Oh, I beg your pardon.

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ANALYSIS.

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Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
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COAL VEINS.

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TITLES.

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OUTPUT

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1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

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July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows :—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000 00	
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CHANDOS.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising that part of Chandos, from and including the 9th, Concession to the Northern and Eastern boundaries at Caldwell's School House.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising that part of Chandos, including Concessions 2 and 3, Concessions 4, 5, and 6 from Lot 1 to 19, Concession 7 from Lot 1 to 19, at Hales' School House.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising that part of Chandos, including Concessions 4 and 5 from Lot 17 to 32, Concessions 6, 10 and 11 from Lot 33 to 32, Concessions 7, 8, 9 and 12 from Lots 25 to 32 at Post's School House.

BELMONT AND METHUEN.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising the 9th, 10th 11th, 12th, Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from the South Boundary to the line between Lots 10 and 11 except the east 1/4 of Lots 7 and 8 in the 10th Concession, and the Northeast 1/4 of Lots 6 and 7, and the West 3/4 of Lot 8, in the 9th Concession, at School House Old Havelock.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Concessions of the Township of Belmont from the South Boundary to the line between Lots 8 and 9, the 6th, 7th and 8th Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from the South Boundary to the line between Lots 13 and 14, at Town Hall, Belmont.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising the 1st 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from Lot 8 to the North Boundary, the 1st and 2nd Concessions of the Township of Methuen, from the South Boundary to Lot 16, at Mount Zion School House.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising the 6th, 7th and 8th Concessions of the Township of Belmont from Lot 12 to North Boundary, except [illegible] in the 6th Concession, and the 9th, 10th, 11th and 12 Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from Lot 10 to North Boundary, and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, in the 11th and 12th Concessions of the Township of Methuen at Rush Point School House.

Polling Division No. 5—Comprising all the Township of Methuen, except the 1st, and 2nd Concessions from the South Boundary to Lot 16 and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, in the 11th and 12th Concessions, and to include Lots 21 and 22 in the 6th Concession of the Township of Belmont, at Oak Lake School House.

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Polling Division No. 1—Comprising the Village of Havelock, at Town Hall, Havelock.

ASPHODEL.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising the 1, 2, 3, and 4th Concessions on the River Trent, to the line between Lots 12 and 13 and Lots 10, 11 and 12 in the 5th Concession, at Town Hall, Westwood

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and the West Half of Concession 6, from Lot 12 to the Northen Boundary of the Township, at English's House, Lot 16, Concession 4.

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Polling Division No. 4—Comprising all the Lots South of Lot 10 in the 6th Concession, and all Lots South of Lot 12 in the 8th, 7th, 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th Concessions and the West 1/2 of Lot 12 in the 6th Concession, at Valleau's Cheese Factory.

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Polling Division No. 3—Comprising inclusive, all the Lots in the 1st Concession, West Half of 6, from 7 to 13 and West Half of 20 in the 2nd Concession. Lots 10 to 19 in the 3rd Concession and Lots 11 to 20 in the 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th Concession, at Town Hall, Warsaw.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising inclusive East Halves of Lots 20 & 21 to Stoney Lake, in the 2nd Concession. Lots 20 to Stoney Lake, in the 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th Concessions and Lots 24 to Stoney Lake, in the 8th, 9th, [illegible] on Stoney Lake in Dummer, at 10th, 11th, and 12th Concessions, and all 6th Line Orange Hall, Hall's Glen.

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Polling Division No. 1—Comprising that part of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Concessions South of Lot 22, at Villiers Post Office.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising that part of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, and East 1/2 of the 7th Concession North of Lot 21, at School House, Section 2.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising that part of the 6th, 7th and 8th Concessions South of Lot 22 and also Sugar and Harris Islands, at Forester's Hall, Keene.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising that part of the West 1/2 of the 7th Concession, and all 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th Concessions North of Lot 21, at Wm. Girvin's House, Lot 26, Concession 10.

Polling Division No. 5—Comprising that part of the 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th Concessions South of Lot 22, at Union Hall, Mather's Corners.

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TROUBLE IN CUBA BETWEEN THE RACES

The Negro Population are Likely to Go into Rebellion

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And are Under a Clever Leader—President Palma's Difficult Work

Havana, Nov. 26. — It appears that Cuba has a negro question among its many questions. The negro has the same right of suffrage in Cuba as the whites, and the negroes and mulattoes together constitute about 32 per cent. of the total population of a little over 1,500,000. They are complaining of the treatment they get from the whites. They say that, while they did most of the fighting with Spain and most of the suffering during the war, it is extremely hard now to have the color line drawn upon them. They declare that they are not getting their share of the offices, and that the whites are making social distinctions on account of color. President Palma proposes holding a number of receptions this winter. If he invites negroes to them, it is said, the best classes of white society of Havana will refuse to attend. If the negroes are not invited it is expected that they will cause the government infinite trouble. The negroes are led by Senor Gomez, a mulatto, who is one of the ablest men of either race in the island, and who insists upon full social and political rights for the negroes. He is said to be a strong and brilliant writer, and promises to be a good-sized thorn in President Palma's side. The negroes say they are not asking for their rights, but are demanding them, and purpose to enforce their demands.

If the negroes of Cuba rebel against the whites, as there is talk that they will, perhaps the United States will have to do some more intervening. Cuba has had a strange and troubled past. Her future doesn't look as promising as it might.

FOR NICARAGUA CANAL

Secretary Hay Begins Negotiations With Nicaragua and Costa Rica

Washington, Nov. 26—In consequence of the attitude of the Colombian Government with regard to the terms of the treaty to grant the United States the right to construct the Panama Canal, Secretary Hay, by direction of the President, has begun informal negotiations with the Governments of Nicaragua and Costa Rica which have for their object the conclusion of a tentative canal treaty, to be submitted to the Senate if the Colombian Government does not show a more liberal disposition.

Mr. Hay has had conferences in the subject with Senor Corea, the Minister of Nicaragua, and Senor Calvo, the Minister of Costa Rica. He was closeted for a long time in the diplomatic reception room of the State Department today. Both the Central American countries are extremely anxious that the Nicaragua canal shall be built and are willing to make very liberal concessions to the United States. It is expected that Mr. Hay will enter into agreements with Nicaragua and Costa Rica by which the two countries will bind themselves to make canal treaties with the United States along the lines laid down in the protocols.

There has been no change in the virtual deadlock that has been caused in the Panama negotiations by the Colombian Government to grant the United States complete control over the territory through which it is proposed to dig the canal.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

The complements of the warships of to-day are approaching those of the old three-deckers of Nelson's time. The British armored cruiser Drake, which will go into commission early in January, will carry 900 officers and men. Our California class of armored cruisers will have 777 officers and men when the complements are full. In the old days, when sanitation was unknown, ships much smaller than are used now carried as many men as the largest now afloat, and sometimes even more. The British Ville de Paris of 1795, of 2332 tons, carried 850 men; the Commerce de Marseille, a prize, carried 875 on a tonnage of 2747. In the middle of the seventeenth century the first rates of the English Navy carried from 710 to 815 men, though the largest ship of the rate was of only 1605 tons. Nelson's 11-gun ship, the Victory, carried more than 1,000 in her complement at Trafalgar.

THE MAD MULLAH

The Mad Mullah has method in his madness. A story is told in the English papers of how he worked one of these "miracles" which drew many waverers to his banner. An English man-of-war was sent to demonstrate off the coast, and at night threw a searchlight on to the jungle covered mountains. Abdullah was in hiding there, and, knowing from his visits to Aden what it was that his followers hailed as a new star, told them that the light was seeking him. When the electric rays actually flooded his encampment he cried in triumph; "Will you deny now that I am under the eye of God? The Somali fell on their knees, beat the earth with their foreheads, and replied; "Thou art truly the Blest, the Chosen, the Mullah, the people belong to thee. We place ourselves Master. Our goods, our existence, our entirely at the disposition of thy will."

The Berlin Trip

The Times is requested to state htat all who desire to accompany the deputation to Berlin tomorrow to visit the Beet Sugar Factory in that town may do so. Return tickets are only $5.70. A special car has been secured for the party. The train will leave the Grand Trunk station at 8.30, returning on Saturday.

Information Bureau

A Bureau of Information in regard to the referendum has been opened in the old post office block, George street, by a number of the men of the town. Mr. Geo. Sawyer is in charge of the rooms and will be glad to give any information regarding who are entitled to vote, and how to mark the ballots, etc.

The Travel Line

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Pace in Reading.

A common and trivial excuse given by those who read little is that they have no time for reading. One may have no time for eating or sleeping, but hardly no time to make love or to read. It is good will, concentration, and the habit of despatch, not leisure or unlimited opportunity, which have always performed the greatest wonders in both of these useful pursuits. Many persons in mature life are conscious of a gentle and luxurious sentiment in favor of reading, which comes to nothing because they do not know how to read. With all the good-will in the world, they lack concentration and the habit of despatch. The good-will was not applied early enough, or not applied at all to any other end than the lazy diversion of a moment. This naturally resulted in the formation of the newspaper habit, by which I do not mean simply the habit of reading newspapers, but the habit of mind which makes it possible for men to spend an evening in going through motions. There is no more reason for spending two hours in reading the newspaper than in having one's boots blacked. Some people never make their way into the great Establishment of Letters farther than the vestibule, where they spend their lives contentedly playing marbles with the hall-boys. Of course we do not call the newspaper worthless simply because some other things are worth more. The best reading is both intensive and extensive; one reads a little of everything, and a great deal of some things. The good reader takes all reading to be his province. Newspapers, periodicals, books old and new, all present themselves to him in their proper perspective; they are all grist to his mill, but they do not go into the same hopper or require the same process. On the contrary, one of the main distinctions of the clever reader is that without varying as to intensity, he varies almost indefinitely as to pace. This power of reading flexibly comes mainly, of course, with practice. For those who have lacked an early experience of books, the manipulation of them is never likely to become the perfect and instinctive process of adjustment which it should be. People often achieve a certain degree of education and refinement late in life, but seldom, I think, the power of the accomplished reading man. It is simply not to be expected. An adult who takes up the violin may get much amusement and profit from his instrument, but he cannot hope to master it. A certain increase of facility, however, the belated reader may surely expect to gain from some sort of observance of this simple principle of adjustment.

This anxious but unskilled reader is too likely to have a set gait, so many words to the minute or lines to the hour. An essay, an editorial, a chapter in a novel or in the Bible, a scientific article, a short story, if they contain the same number of words, take up just the same amount of this misguided person's time. No wonder reading becomes an incubus to him, with the appalling monotony of its procession of printed words filing endlessly before him. He really has time enough, if he knew how to make use of it. Eben Holden keeps him busy for a week or more; it should be read in a few hours. He plods methodically through Sir Walter, and finds him slow; the happy reader who can get Quentin and his Isabelle satisfactorily married in six hours does not. The trained reader readjusts his focus for each objective. Milton may be read in words or lines, Macaulay in sentences, Thackeray in paragraphs, Conan Doyle in pages. The eye, that is, readily gains the power of taking in words in groups instead of separately. How large a group the glance can manage varies with the seriousness of the subject. With the same degree of concentration, eye and mind will take care of a page of the "Prisoner of Zenda" as easily as they can absorb a line of Macbeth, or one of Fitzgerald's quatrains.

Of course this disposes of the indolent lolling style of reading—or rather makes a rare indulgence of it. When one occasionally comes upon the novel of his heart, or the poem he has waited for, he may well afford to [illegible] it at his luxurious leisure, [illegible] labor by dilatoriness. But as a rule the widely reading man is not an indolent person. Not that he is to be always keeping his nose in a book. By regulating his pace, he not only covers an astonishing amount of ground in reading, but makes room for other things. He knows how to get the most for his time, that is all. The bee does not eat the flower to get the honey out of it. The eye of the skilled reader acts like a sixth sense, directing him to the gist of the matter, in whatever form it may appear. Twenty minutes yields all that there is for him in the book which his neighbor, knowing that it would mean a week's spare hours, is careful to avoid.

This, it may be said, sounds very much like an advocacy of skimming. Skimming and rapid reading are different processes, but skimming is at times a good thing, too; even skipping becomes, on occasion, a sacred duty. We may go a step farther, for skimming implies cream, and skipping, a foothold somewhere; and many books deserve neither of these less and least complimentary modes of treatment. The eye brushes a page or two, and the mind is hardly called in to assist in a damnatory verdict which is informal, but summary. The experienced reader, in short, is an artist, and, like other artists, attains his highest powers only when he has learned what to subordinate, to slight, even to omit. The poor fellow whose conscience will not let him refuse an equally deliberate consideration to every six inches of black and white which comes in his way may be an excellent husband and father, a meritorious lawyer or merchant, and a model citizen; he is certainly not a good reader.—"Contributors' Club."

An Age of Scepticism.

"In my young days," said the Moro chief, bitterly, "everybody believed that a man who fell in battle had a passport to heaven." "And is it not so now?" "Evidently not. I have seen heretics skulking behind rocks and throwing away first-class chances of getting shot."—"Puck."

Sis Hopkins—Mis' Lummis, ma wants t' know 'f you can let her have a cup o' sugar, two eggs, 'n' a few raisins, 'n' some flour. Oh, yes!—'n' a little butter. Mrs. Lummis—Well, I never! Sis Hopkins, you go home 'n' tell your mother I said if she'd wait till I had time t' make it, she could come over 'n' take the cake.—Philadelphia "Bulletin."

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A Photographic Introduction.

Many years ago, when tintypes first came into general use, the booth where pictures were made "while you wait" was the center of a large crowd at every county fair and popular resort. An old-time photographer tells an experience he had long ago, before the secrets of the camera were known to everybody.

He had set up a tent at a county fair, and was trying to drum trade. He stood outside his tent, calling in true hawker fashion the merits of his pictures. The people who gathered around were interested and curious, but somewhat in awe of the little black box inside the tent. Finally the photographer thought he might set the sheep to running by singling out one of the crowd and taking his picture free. Standing near each other were a young man and a young woman. Thinking that they would like to be taken together, and that the two would have more courage to face the camera than a lone victim, the photographer called out:

"That gentleman right there and that lady, come inside and I'll give you pictures in two minutes, free of charge!"

The two looked at each other, grinned, and finally came inside the tent.

"Stand right there," said the photographer. "That's it. Now hold still a minute. There you are. Now wait till I finish 'em up."

In a few minutes he handed them each a tintype in a pink paper frame. They looked at the pictures curiously. Then the young woman blushed and her companion grinned and tittered.

"Like 'em?" asked the photographer, briskly, thinking of possible customers in the crowd outside.

"Waal," said the man, slowly, "it looks like her, and I guess it looks like me, but ye see, I didn't know and I guess she didn't know we was goin' to be in the same picture."

"Thought you'd like 'em that way," answered the photographer. "Pleasant souvenir of your visit to the fair together."

"Waal, yes, but you see we didn't come together. I never seen her before."

Then the two snickered, and the photographer bowed them out as quickly as he could.

That year he did a good business, and at the next fair he set up his booth again. One day a young couple came in and greeted him with smiles of doubtful recognition. It was the young man and woman of the year before.

"How do you do?" cried the photographer. "I—I see you know each other now."

"Yes," answered the man, looking sheepishly at the girl. "My folks know some folks of hers over to Hopkins, and when they seen her picture they reco'nized it. An' that's how we got acquainted."

"I'm very glad," said the photographer.

"So'm I; ain't you, Lizzie?"

"Yes," said Lizzie, shyly.

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Mainly About People.

The "Courier de Paris" relates that a party of men, sitting in front of a boulevard cafe, were recently approached by a man who had a clarionet in his hand, and who said: "Gentlemen, excuse me, I have to make my living, but I suppose you would rather give me a sou not to hear me." They took the hint. He repeated this performance several times, till, one day, one of the men said he felt like hearing a tune, and asked him to play. "I am sorry," said the man with the clarionet, "but I cannot play a note."

George Douglas, the author of "The House With the Green Shutters," says that once he met Froude in the house of an Oxford don. "It's astonishing," the historian remarked to Douglas, "it's astonishing! You're the living image of my dear friend, the late John Conington." Douglas said he was glad to hear he was so like the great authority on Virgil. For a moment Froude's thoughts seemed to be busy with the sacred past. "Conington," he then added, dreamily, "was the ugliest man I ever clapped an eye on."

A beginner in newspaper work in a Southern town who occasionally "sent stuff" to one of the New York dailies picked up last summer what seemed to him a "big story." Hurrying to the telegraph office he "queried" the telegraph editor: "Column story on so and so. Shall I send?" The reply was brief and [illegible] to the enthusiastic [illegible]. "Send 600 words," was all it said. "Can't be told in less than 1,200," he wired back. Before long the reply came: "Story of creation of world told in 600. Try it."

Several stories are told of Tennyson's thoughtless speeches. "What fish is this?" he once asked his hostess where he was dining. "Whiting," she replied. "The meanest fish there is," he remarked, quite unconscious that he could have wounded anyone's feelings. Yet his kindness of heart was such that when his partridge was afterward given him almost raw he ate steadily through it, for fear his hostess might be vexed. On one occasion Tennyson was very rude to Mrs. Brotherton, a neighbor at Freshwater. The next day he came to her house with a great cabbage under each arm. "I heard you liked these, so I brought them," he said, genially. It was his idea of a peace-offering.

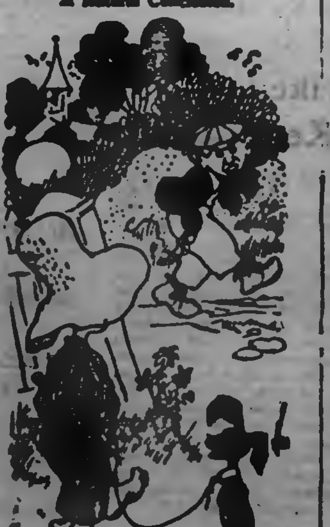
In a speech in London the other day, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman told an admirable story of the advice given by an Englishman, a Scotchman, and an Irishman, respectively, to a gentleman whose servant was constantly breaking articles in the household. The Englishman, in his blunt, honest way, said to the employer: "Oh, get rid of him—dismiss him." The Scotchman's advice was, "Stop the money out of his wages." "But," said the master, "he breaks more than his wages amount to." "Then," said the Irishman, "raise his wages."

An extremely stout, good-tempered Englishwoman once contrived to wedge herself into a gallery seat at the Adelphi Theater that would have accommodated a person of ordinary size, to the unconcealed annoyance of a smartly dressed youth next to her. She began to peel an orange, and the youth, with a gesture of complaint, removed his silk hat fussily to a safer position. "I suppose," said the good-tempered woman, "that you'd rather have had a gentleman sitting by the side of you, sir, wouldn't you?" The youth replied, snappishly, in the affirmative. "Ah!" said the woman, thoughtfully, "so would I!"

United States Senator Perkins says that once when he was a sailor, a tremendous storm came up, and it looked as if the vessel were doomed to go under. In the midst of the excitement a minister, who was one of the passengers, asked the captain if he could have prayers. "Oh, never mind about the prayers," said the captain; "the men are swearing too hard to stop for prayers, and as long as you hear them swearing," added the captain, "there is no danger." The minister went back to his cabin. A little while later, when the storm grew worse, the preacher went on deck to see what the sailors were doing. Then he went back to his wife. "Thank God!" he said, fervently, "those men are still swearing."

Lord Spencer of Althorp, one of the greatest of book collectors, was at home only in his own field. One day, in browsing about Bond street, London, he went into the shop of a dealer in bric-a-brac. The dealer, who knew him by sight, said, persuasively: "Here is a fine bit of pottery which your lordship really ought to have, and you shall have it very cheap—only two guineas." So Lord Spencer bought it and took it home, and set it in a high place. One day a connoisseur of china paid him a visit, and Lord Spencer showed his bargain. "What did you give for it?" asked the connoisseur. "Two guineas," answered Spencer, rather proudly. "H'm!" said the connoisseur. "At that price the marmalade should have been included." "What do you mean?" "Why, that precious piece of yours is nothing more nor less than a shilling marmalade pot, with a green thistle painted on it."

A Natural Conclusion.



Tommy—Where you goin', Jimmy?
Jimmy—Sunday school.
Tommy—Dug yer bait yet?

A Bazaar

The Faithful Workers' Mission Band of St. Paul's church intend holding a bazaar on Nov. 28th, in the school room. Refreshments will be served.

Had a Wooden Leg

A tramp with a wooden leg appeared before the Police Magistrate yesterday morning charged with vagrancy. It is lucky for him that the Police Magistrate has a good supply of wood on hand or he might have lost his leg. Owing to this he was given leg bail, and invited to seek pastures new.

Santos-Dumont Answers His Critics.

M. Santos-Dumont has at last answered his critics. He publishes in the "North American Review" for June his first article on aerial locomotion, and, despite the criticism of scientists, he makes good his case of the air-ship against the aeroplane. Most of the criticisms have been to the effect that Santos-Dumont has been on the wrong track; that no balloon—an apparatus lighter than the air, at the mercy, more or less, of the winds of heaven—could ever become a commercial success; that though he could guide it to a certain extent, he could never be sure of reaching any point; and, finally, that the birds of the air, being themselves heavier than the air, moved by means of dirigible planes—wings—and were held in space by means of locomotion, which went to prove that similar human machines could alone be successful. That was and is in the main good reasoning. But Santos-Dumont says: "Beginning with this year, I shall attempt to apply in the air the principles of aviation properly so called, in subjecting my air-ships to a continual evolution. In the same proportion that I increase the extent of the inclined planes symmetrically disposed at the right and left, I shall reduce the surface of the envelope of varnished silk, and, consequently, the volume of hydrogen relatively to the power of the motor. Thus I expect gradually to diminish the role of the hydrogen, making secondary its importance, which is now primary, and even completely doing away with the use of this gas. The air-ship will then have become an aeroplane in the absolute sense of the word, and I hope that some day we shall see it such. That day is undoubtedly not far distant, but the flying-machine will be achieved only by the way of evolution, by making the air-ship pass through a series of transformations analogous to the metamorphoses by which the chrysalis becomes the winged butterfly. My air-ship, which raises itself by pushing back the air, has already done better than the chrysalis, whose elongated form it resembles. It may be that very soon nothing will prevent it from freeing itself completely from its cocoon of silk lined with hydrogen, and from being wholly comparable to a butterfly."

In other words, he began his experiments with a large balloon and small motors and planes. Gradually from practical experience in the air he reduces the size of the balloon, the quantity of hydrogen, and enlarges the planes and motors, and he says he has carried this far enough to prove to his own satisfaction that it is only a question of time and careful study to reduce the balloon to a minimum and the aeroplane principle to a maximum. That sounds right; that is the method of the great entity which laid down the laws of evolution; that is the survival of the fittest. And meantime the great aeronaut is experimenting in the air and not in the laboratory, which in such evolution contains the essence of ultimate success.

Dowie's Crisis.

"Harper's Weekly."

"Dr. John Alexander Dowie, self-acclaimed reincarnation of the Prophet Elijah, banker and publisher, divine healer and absolute owner of a town with more than 4,000 residents, General Overseer of the Catholic Church in Zion, lace manufacturer, and founder and head of the Theocratic party, former Presbyterian preacher and present millionaire, who is said to draw regularly every week one-tenth of the total income of more than thirty thousand families in the United States and other parts of the world, has apparently reached a crisis in his career, which has so far been a remarkable demonstration of the power possible to a man who combines shrewd business methods with the audacity and fierce earnestness of a religious fanatic. The cardinal doctrine of Dowie's creed is divine healing through the prayers of himself and of his apostles. By preaching this doctrine and by denouncing physicians and all drugs as allies of the devil, he has brought about him hundreds of invalids, some of them bringing with them considerable sums of money. Two weeks ago his only daughter, Esther, was terribly burned by flames resulting from the overturning of an alcohol-lamp. Her wounds were dressed by one of Dowie's elders, after which the General Overseer and his chief men spent the whole day in prayers about her bedside. At nightfall the young woman was suffering terrible agony, and at last paternal love overcame the scruples of her father, and he sent for one of the despised physicians. The physician who responded says that from the first there could have been no hope for Miss Dowie's recovery. She died during the evening. And now the thousands who actually look upon the gray-bearded old Scotch-Australian as more than human, and who have listened to his terrible denunciations of medical men as words inspired, are asking what they shall think of his own act of heresy in the hour of personal distress. Dowie himself slipped off to his summer home, leaving behind him his apostles and a number of phonographic records of his own "inspired speech," to which 5,000 followers, gathered in the Chicago Auditorium on Sunday afternoon, listened midway between awe and incredulity. Within recent months Dowie and the great religious-business enterprises he has built up have received several other severe shocks. By a court decision he was forced to pay more than $100,000 to an English manufacturer he had persuaded to take up his residence in the holy city of "Zion," located forty miles north of Chicago, on the shore of Lake Michigan, and more recently there was a severe outbreak of smallpox in the Divine Healing College which he has established in Michigan avenue. Whatever the outcome of the present crisis, it is certain that Dowie and the strange and fanatic following he has built up in ten years are worthy of the serious study of sociologists.

"Mamma," said the fair bather, "declares that my bathing dress has not enough goods in it." "Your mamma is mistaken," asserted the young man; "it covers your shoulders completely, does it not?"

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MORGAN IN THE OIL INDUSTRY--NEW YORK FINANCIER AT THE HEAD OF A $20,000,000 COMPANY TO EXPLOIT CALIFORNIA FIELDS

Bakersfield, Cal., Sept. 27.—J. Pierpont Morgan is about to identify himself with the oil business in California. On October 12, or a few days later, surveyors will be put into the field, and will run lines to the ocean from Sunset, Coaling, McKittrick, Midway and Kern River fields to determine by which route it is most feasible to transport oil to tide water. The surveys will run over the coast range at a number of points, and also will go down the San Joaquin valley parallel with the line of the Standard.

A company having a capitalization of $5,000,000 has been organized for the construction of lines, pumping stations, storage tanks, and the like. Mr. Morgan and his associates have also formed a separate company, capitalized at $20,000,000, half of which will be invested in proven ground and the other half turned into a reserve fund.

It is stated that the Morgan syndicate will be prepared to handle 2,000,000 barrels the first year, and will increase that amount at the rate of 1,000,000 a year until the whole demand of the market is met.

THE ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL COMPANY own and control a large tract of absolutely oil proven asphalt land in the very heart of the best oil producing land of **Kern County, California**, the district where flowing wells are situated. We have a **bed of Liquid Asphalt** underlying a portion of our lands. Our property is situated right at Sunset Station. A new line of railway is surveyed and will be constructed in a very short time, putting us not only in touch with Eastern cities, but in touch with tide-water. This, in addition to the railroad facilities we now have. Remember that we own our land—it is paid for and entirely free from debt.

ST. PAUL & SUNSET OIL CO.'S GIGANTIC TRACT

will be developed and should prove a formidable rival for the new company.

PROFESSOR DR. RUD J. SCHIMPER, Analytical and Expert Chemist, of St. Paul, makes the following statement relative to the composition, what can be produced and the estimated profits of the Sunset Crude Oil. A copy of the original certificate can be seen at the office of the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Co., which is in substance as follows:

"This is to certify that the undersigned, Dr. Rudolph J. Schimper, Chemist expert, member of Parisian Academy, according to analysis made from the crude oil furnished me by the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company, I find the following valuable products and with each beg to submit my estimate of its value:

1. LIQUID RUBBER—2000 lbs of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 1,800 lbs. of liquid rubber, value of which is from 25c. per lb. and up. (Estimated value $450.00.)
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3. FUEL BRIQUETTES—2000 lbs. of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 2,000 lbs. (1 ton) of fuel briquettes, which, according to government tests made, is equivalent to two tons of best anthracite coal. (Estimated value $22.00)
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5. SOAP—2000 lbs. (1 ton) of crude oil and filling will produce over 2,800 lbs. of soap, value 3c. per lb. and upward. (Estimated value $60.00.)

In my opinion many other valuable products can be obtained from the oil of that famous field.
Respectfully, DR. R. J. SCHIMPER, Chemist Expert."

THIS goes to show the immense profits that will accrue from our products when refined. We expect to commence **Building Our Refinery** in the very near future. The sale of the next allotment of stock will be made for that purpose. **The largest flowing wells in California** were brought in adjoining our property and their stock was taken off the market. **We employ the best drillers** who report rapid progress on our wells and we expect to bring in gushers equal, if not to excel any in the Sunset field. **Our General Manager, Superintendent and Drillers, all are experienced oil men.** The officers of our company are all thorough, competent and efficient men who have always made a success of their undertaking in life and who will see that the welfare of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company is furthered, portected and promoted to the most advantageous extent possible.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS should be paid to the stockholders of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company when their property is fully developed, their refinery equipped and in full operation. ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS was paid by Kern County Oil Companies during the month of August alone.

SIX MILLION BARRELS is the consuming capacity of the Southern Pacific Railway engines, which are now equipped for burning oil. Outside of this consider other railway lines, smelters, factories, steamships, stationery engines, which are all heavy consumers of fuel oil and last but not least, hotels and private dwellings are falling in line with the procession in the use of fuel oil.

A GOOD REASON WHY YOU Should Invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. More fortunes have been made in oil than any other business. Consider the immense amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for its fortunate stockholders, and the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard Oil Company. Here is what $100 has accomplished for those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:

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Kern returned $2,200 on an investment of $100.
Peerless returned $1,800 on an investment of $100.
Dillon returned $2,500 on an investment of $100.
New York returned $30,000 on an investment of $100.
Union returned $150,000 on an investment of $100.
Home returned $50,000 on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Company's oil holdings and property, when developed and handled, should not bring like returns

CONTRARY to the general supposition the earth is the repository of all mineral wealth. When it is known and demonstrated beyond a question of a doubt where its wealth reposes and you put your money up to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people but creates new wealth. It is therefore an investment.

Wonderful Increase in Value of Oil Stocks.

The rapid rise in the value of shares in some oil companies will be seen from the following table:	Original price per share	Present Market price
Black Mountain Oil Co	$ .05	$ 1.50
Central Oil Co	.30	1.80
Home Oil Co. Whittier	.25	2.50
Monte Cristo Co	.10	2.80
West Shore Co	.50	4.50
Twenty-eighth Oil Co	.50	2.50
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	.50	1.90
Sterling Oil & Development Company	.50	2.25
Dillon Oil Co	.25	3.50
Peerless Co	.30	8.62
San Joaquin Oil Co	.50	16.00
Kern Oil Co	.25	10.00
Thirty-three Oil Co	.35	11.50
Kern River Oil Co	.50	26.00
New York Oil Co	.50	30.00
Oil City Petroleum Co	2.50	34.00
Hanford Oil Co	2.00	120.00
Krevenhagen Oil Co	.10	200.00
Columbia Oil Co	100.00	400.00
Union Oil Co	1.00	1500.00
Home Oil co	100.00	[illegible]

The time will come in the near future when stock in St. Paul and Sunset Oil Co., should bring prices equal to the last.

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PLAN TO PREVENT HOLD-UPS

Oft-Repeated Robberies Have Caused Adoption of Drastic Measures for Defence

Chicago, November 2.—Officials of railroad and express companies are much alarmed by the increasing prevalence of train robberies, and are planning drastic measures to remedy the evil. The plan most in favor is to send well-known, resolute men heavily armed, with each train. No fewer than 11 train robberies have occurred in the last year, and in each instance the thieves made way with their booty.

The Northwestern Road and the American Express Company suffered a loss estimated anywhere from $50,000 to $100,000 in the Tower "W" hold-up.

The hold-up last night was the third that has occurred on the Rock Island within a year. July 8 one of the company's express trains was robbed in Texas, and October 8 one more hold-up occurred in Oklahoma I. T.

The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railway has fared much worse than the rest in train robberies. On April 5, at St. Joseph, Mo., one of its trains was held-up, and May 27 another attempt to rob the same train was made at the same point. August 6, a Burlington train was stopped near Savannah, Ill., by masked men, and it is believed that they secured a large sum of money. The last hold-up on the Burlington occurred a little more than a month ago near Hubble, Neb.

A Denver and Rio Grande train was held up July 15, at Marshall Pass. The Northern Pacific overland limited train was held up at Bearmouth, Mont., August 5. The Santa Fe suffered an untold loss on the outskirts of Lajunta.

Three days ago a Colorado and Southern passenger train was held-up and the express messenger shot one of the bandits.

There are contradictory stories regarding the amount of money secured by the five men who robbed the Rock Island train last night. The Davenport (Iowa) officers of the United States Express Company say there was only $500 in the safe, while it is asserted that other officers of the company said $60,000 was stolen. No trace has been secured of the robbers.

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Sending of British Gunboat up the Orinoco Violation of Sovereignty.

Caracas, Nov. 26.—The Venezuelan Government has strongly protested to Great Britain that the sending of the British sloop-of-war Fantome up the Orinoco River is an infringement of Venezuela's sovereignty, it having been done without permission.

Great Britain has not yet replied to the protest.

LILIOUKALANI ON THE WAY.

Going to Washington to Press Her Claim Before Congress.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—Ex-Queen Lilioukalani of Hawaii and her party passed through Chicago this afternoon on their way from Honolulu to Washington, where the coming winter her claim for financial relief will again be urged before Congress.

The ex-Queen did not travel in a special car, but occupied a berth in an ordinary sleeper on the Northwestern railroad.

EXHIBITS TO BOOM CANADA

London, Nov. 24.—In view of the adoption at Quebec, Halifax and St. John of the United States methods for exclusion of diseased emigrants, the steamship companies are arranging more exacting medical examinations of passengers before leaving England. The companies are anxious to avoid the loss involved in bringing back unaccepted emigrants.

The New Canadian Offices.

Work is progressing slowly on the new Canadian Government Emigration Offices in Trafalgar Square, and the slackness of British workmen's methods will prevent the opening before January. Special arrangements are being made for attractive window shows.

SHOALS OF FISH MOVE TO NORTH

Immense Fishing Banks Discovered in the Polar Regions

Copenhagen, Denmark, Nov. 24—Owing to large catches of fish in waters adjacent to the Scandinavian countries, the fishing area has been moving northward to the Faroe Islands, Iceland and Polar regions. It has been discovered that immense quantities of fish, especially cod and herring, are to be found in those waters. On a recent trip of the Danish ship Dania sometimes ploughed through shoals of these varieties for a long distance, when they could be scooped without any fishing tackle. New banks were discovered, some of them of great extent. These appear to be new homes for the fish, and they possess the necessary requisites for feeding them and rearing their young. The eyes of English, French, German and Norwegian fishermen have been turned to Iceland and they are beginning to go there in larger numbers for the purpose of participating in the catch.

As to Iceland proper, important changes have taken place among the people. Temperance has now made much progress among them.

Economically there is also an upward trend in Iceland. Salmon fisheries are being exploited in the country, plans are on foot for establishing large canning factories along the rivers, which furnish excellent water power, and English and Americans are taking an interest in this project.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, NOV. 27, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Wanted

By a young man of good address, temporary employment. Can give good references. Apply at this Office for address.

Fire in Minden

A fire on Tuesday destroyed the dwelling and stock of John Boyne, merchant, of Minden village. The loss is about $2,000, with insurance in the Anglo-American Co., of $1,000.

Piano Tuning

Mr. James Maitland, representing Heintzman & Co., Toronto, will be in Peterborough, Dec. 1st and remain one week and would be pleased to tune and repair any persons piano or organ. Leave orders at C. B. Routley's store.

A Snap in Paper

Five quires of good quality writing paper, either plain or ruled, for only 20 cents This paper is as good as paper sold elsewhere at 10 cents quire. Times Bookstore, Market Block.

A Bazaar

The Faithful Workers' Mission Band of St. Paul's church intend holding a bazaar on Nov. 28th, in the school room. Refreshments will be served.

Teacher Wanted

Lady Teacher for Havelock Public School, second class professional. Applications must be in by December 15th.

WILLIAM MATHEISON,
1w Chairman P. S. Board.

To Build a Saw-Mill

It is said that a wealthy local company is contemplating the erection of a large steam saw mill, providing a site can be secured. It is proposed to build on the shore of the Little Lake, if arrangements can be made.

The Municipal Elections

Nomination day is only a few weeks away, and as yet there is only an undercurrent of interest showing in the personnel of our 1903 Council. Still waters run deep, however, and we understand that our local labor organization is planning to place several candidates in the field.

Off to Berlin

The members of the County and Town Councils and a deputation from the Board of Trade, together with other citizens, will leave this morning on the Grand Trunk for Berlin. The party will remain in Toronto until evening, reaching Berlin about 9 p.m. They will inspect the sugar beet factory tomorrow, and return to Toronto tomorrow evening, reaching home Saturday morning.

Grand Trunk Improvements

Mr. John Frame, master carpenter of the Grand Trunk Railway has erected a neat centre table in the station here, with circular ends. The top of polished oak, is supported upon a base of oiled centre table is flanked on each of its long sides by high backed curved seats in white birch veneer. The affair adds much to the appearance and convenience of the waiting room

Deer Becoming Scarce

Deputy Game Warden John Hines of Barrie, who has charge of the Moore River district, was at the Parliament buildings in connection with his report, says the Globe. His belief is that deer are becoming scarcer in Ontario, and from what he has heard many of the hunting clubs will not trouble to take out licenses another year, unless a region can be found where deer are more plentiful. Mr. Hines is strongly opposed to the use of hounds for deer-hunting and favors the prohibition of this and the shooting of deer in the water, which he characterizes as murder.

The Direct Line

From Peterborough to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and the South is via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley Railroad. Route of the "Black Diamond Express." Pullman sleepers and dining car service from Toronto. Everything first class. Scenery and service unsurpassed. Call at W. Bunton's ticket office Peterborough, for tickets, Pullmans

Turkeys are Down

Dressed turkeys are selling on the Toronto market for 10c and 10 1-2c, and live turkeys for 8 and 8 1-2c per pound. This is a considerable reduction from the quotations for Thanksgiving Day, but it is not expected they will go any lower before Christmas. Geese are quoted at from 7c to 8c. per pound in the city, ducks from 75c. to $1.25 a pair and chickens from 60c. to $1.25 per pair. Peterborough prices are away above this figure.

A Literary Treat

The Ladies Aid Society of St. Paul's church are to be congratulated on having secured Rev. Dr. Cleaver, of the Sherbourne street Methodist Church, Toronto, to deliver his celebrated lecture on Victor Hugo's masterpiece, "Jean Valjean," under the auspices of the Society on Thursday, Dec. 11th. The admission has been fixed at 25 cents. Further particulars later.

A Popular Cigar

Yesterday morning Mr. W. G. Stirton, representing Messrs. Stirton & Dyer, the well known cigar makers of London, Ont., left town on his way west, having booked some good orders for his celebrated "Booster" cigar. Mr. Stirton is a popular salesman and has, we believe the most popular cigar on the market. If you have any doubt as to this call at the Palace and procure one.

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Deafness and impaired hearing are due almost entirely to catarrhal inflammation of the eustachian tubes. Permanent cure is guaranteed to all who inhale Catarrhozone as directed. This vegetable antiseptic is inhaled at the mouth, and after traversing all the air passages of the respiratory organs is exhaled through the nostrils; it completely erradicates catarrh from any part of the system, clears the ears, nose and throat, and allays inflammation, congestion and soreness. For Deafness, Earache, Ringing in the Ears, Head Noises, Catarrh, Asthma and Bronchitis, medical science can devise nothing as beneficial as Catarrhozone. Complete outfit for two months' use, price $1.00; trial size 25c. Druggists, or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. T. C. Ivy, of Omemee, was in town yesterday calling on friends.

—Mr. A. Dailey, of Hastings, was calling on Peterborough friends yesterday.

—Mr. W. Craig, of Lakefield, was registered at the Snowden House yesterday.

—Mr. Albert M. Pomeroy, of Campbellford, was doing business in town yesterday.

—Mr. W. Macfarlane, lockmaster at Lovesick, is spending a day or two in town.

—General Manager McNichol, of the C.P.R., passed through Peterborough on Tuesday on a tour of inspection.

—Mrs. Thos. J. Ritchie, who has been the guest of Mrs. D. Ritchie, Dublin st., left for her home in Kansas City, Mo., yesterday.

—Port Hope Guide—Miss Isabel Hay, of Peterborough, is the guest of her friend Miss Maud Allen, Toronto Road. Miss Hay is the winner of the gold medal from the Royal Humane Society for the brave act in saving Miss Allan from drowning while bathing in Chemong Lake.

The Steamers Busy

The steamers on the Rice Lake waters are busy these days. On Tuesday the Water Lily arrived with a barge of grain for the Central Milling Co., and left the same evening for another load; the Star also arrived with a load for the McAllister Milling Co., and has still another tow. The Rainbow came in yesterday with two scow loads of lumber. It is expected the steamers will be forced into winter quarters this week.

SALESMEN'S TRIALS

Bad Food Is One Of Them

Road traveling is rather hard on salesmen Irregular hours, indifferent hotels and badly cooked food play smash with their digestion.

An old Philadelphia traveler tells how he got the start of his troubles by using Grape-Nuts. "For years I was troubled with a bad stomach, which gave me constant headaches and pains all through my body caused by eating improper food. I spent considerable money on doctors, who said I had indigestion, and after taking medicine for a year and it doing me no good, I decided to go on a diet, but the different cereals I ate did not help me. If it hadn't been for the advice of a friend to try Grape-Nuts, I might be ailing yet.

I commenced to feel better in a short time after using the food; my indigestion left me; stomach regained its tone so that I could eat anything, and headaches stopped. I have gained in weight, and had a better complexion than I had for years. At many hotels, the salesmen will have nothing in the line of cereals but Grape-Nuts, as they consider it not only delicious, but also beneficial for their health in the life they lead." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL

Results of the Vote for Mayor And Alderman

ALD. ROGER FOR MAYOR

With Mayor Denne and Ald. Best in Second and Third Places

Mr. A. W. Cressman Heads the List for Aldermen — Ald. Morrison Jumps from Eighth to Third Place.—Ald. J. J. Turner Added to the List Together with Mr. W. E. Conway

"The last two days voting moves Alderman G. M. Roger up to first place for Mayor, with our present esteemed head of the Civic Board 45 votes behind him. Alderman H. Best still remains a good third. For aldermen, Mr. A. W. Cressman heads the list of candidates, while Alderman Morrison has jumped to third place. The last count also shows Mr. E. F. Mason to have made substantial progress, having been voted into a good position among the leading members. Fifty votes were sent in for Alderman J. J. Turner, and this for a start is exceedingly promising. We welcome the name of Mr. W. E. Conway as a candidate for municipal honors; an energetic business man, he would make a very acceptable Alderman.

Many of our subscribers only send one name for Alderman. They should remember that ten are required for the Civic Board, so please fill in each time you vote the full number provided for on the coupon.

The state of the poll will be published occasionally, at the start, and later on, the result of each day's vote will be made known every morning.

FOR MAYOR.

Ald. Roger	175
Mayor Denne	130
Ald. Best	120
R. F. McWilliams	110
H. LeBrun	85
Ald. Rush	70
J. H. McClelland	70
Robt. Neil	65
Ald. Shortly	60

FOR ALDERMAN.

A. W. Cressman	175
Ald. Best	165
Ald. Morrison	150
Ald. Rush	140
Wm. Madill	120
E. F. Mason	115
Ald. Batten	115
Ald. Shortly	105
Robt. Fair	100
Ald. Corkery	100
Dickson Davidson	90
W. Salisbury	80
Geo. W. Morrow	70
A. E. Dickson	70
Geo. Matthews	65
Ald. Clinkscale	55
Ald. J. J. Turner	50
R. B. Layfield	50
A. Macfarlane	50
Jno. Howden	50
Geo. Elliott	30
H. LeBrun	25
Kelsey Hall	25
W. E. Conway	20

NEW BLOOD.

A ratepayer writes:—Please record my vote for Mr. W. E. Conway. We need a sprinkling of new blood in the Council, and I consider his eminently successful business career in Peterborough stamps him as a very promising Alderman

ONE OF THE TEN.

One voter for Ald. J. J. Turner says,—"Please count five for J. J. Turner, as I consider him one of the ten deserving the fullest consideration at the next election. He is one of those progressive business men we cannot afford to lose from the Aldermanic Board.

HOW TO VOTE.

Each coupon will have the value of five votes. Cut the coupons out and either mail it addressed to The Times or leave it at our office.

5 Votes

For Mayor of Peterboro

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For Alderman

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Yesterday's fall of snow was the first of the season.

—We publish a letter from Mr. J. Alex. Culverwell, in this issue, that is deserving of attention.

—Mr. Dodd, the new local agent of the C.P.R., has been duly installed, and is now on duty.

—A young lady was nearly run over by a horse and rig at noon yesterday, in the hands of a careless driver.

—The snow by-law will now be receiving attention. The chief says that he will enforce it, regardless of consequences.

—The advance in frieght rates by the railways was inevitable, in consequence of the increased expenses in the shape of wages.

—The referendum contest is getting a trifle warm. Those opposed to the act—and they are many—are not, however, making any fuss.

—Today is Thanksgiving day in the United States, and will be observed as a public holiday. The American colony in Peterborough will not observe the day.

—The storm yesterday put a damper on the work at the dam. Mr. O'Toole, the contractor, has, however, the work well in hand and can shut down any time without loss.

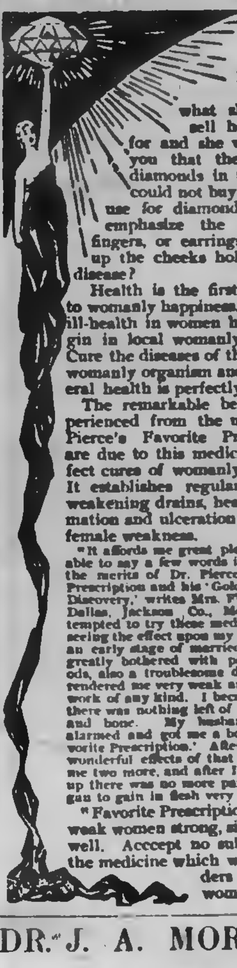
—The White Rose Club will give another of their delightful dances this evening in the Forester's Hall, Simcoe Street.

—One of the horses belonging to Mr. George Stevens made a dash for liberty yesterday, but was soon captured, not, however, until some damage was done to the wagon.

—Dog poisoners have been getting in their work in Keene, several valuable animals having been killed. Dr. Harrison lost a coolie valued at $150. There is a strong suspicion of who the guilty party is.

—Mr. Chas. Gilchrist, fishery overseer at Rice Lake, has purchased this season 7,500 pounds of wild rice harvested by Indians in the marshes, paying over $300 therefor. He disposed of the lot to Montreal dealers at 8c., a pound

—An esteemed contemporary says, If you have frequent headaches, dizziness, fainting spells, chills, cramps, epilepsy or jaundice it is a sign that you are not well and may die at any moment. Pay your subscription a year in advance and make yourself solid for a good obituary.



Ask a healthy woman what she would sell her health for and she would tell you that the choicest diamonds in the world could not buy it. What use for diamond rings to emphasize the shrunken fingers, or earrings to light up the cheeks hollowed by disease?

Health is the first requisite to womanly happiness. General ill-health in women has its origin in local womanly diseases. Cure the diseases of the delicate womanly organism and the general health is perfectly restored.

The remarkable benefits experienced from the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription are due to this medicine's perfect cures of womanly diseases. It establishes regularity, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness.

"It affords me great pleasure to be able to say a few words in regard to the merits of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and his 'Golden Medical Discovery,' writes Mrs. Flora Arn, of Dallas, Jackson Co., Mo. "I was tempted to try these medicines after seeing the effect upon my mother. At an early stage of married life I was greatly bothered with painful periods, also a troublesome drain which rendered me very weak and unfit for work of any kind. I became so thin there was nothing left of me but skin and bone. My husband became alarmed and got me a bottle of 'Favorite Prescription.' After he saw the wonderful effects of that one he got me two more, and after I used those up there was no more pain, and I began to gain in flesh very rapidly."

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HON. MR. STRATTON TO TESTIFY

The Provincial Secretary to Give Evidence at Napanee Trial

Hon. J. R. Stratton left Toronto yesterday for Napanee, where he will give evidence on the Lennox election trial. The Provincial Secretary has been subpoenaed by the Conservatives in connection with the charge in the opposition petition alleging the existence of a wholesale Liberal corruption agency.

THE "CITY" OF PETERBOROUGH

To the Editor of The Times:

Dear Sir,—I was pleased to see in the press lately the advocacy of making the Town of Peterborough—the City of Peterborough.

Considering the fact that the Town of Peterborough itself is more than qualified for that title, and also that Peterborough and the Village of Ashburnham together have now a population of some 16,000—Ashburnham being from a geographical and business standpoint part and parcel of Peterborough—I think that it is high time that our community should be entitled a city. I think it being entitled a town is a standing menace to future business possibilities of the community.

In Shakespeare, the question is asked, "What's in a name?" I may add that bankers are asking that question every day, and every business man well knows it behooves him to have as fold a name as possible.

In my endeavors to create a market for the Burleigh Falls and Buckhorn Falls water power, it keeps me busy in my correspondence and conversation with manufacturers—in my endeavors to induce them to locate in Peterborough—to evade the use of the words "Town of Peterborough." In fact, I use the word "community" when the word "Town" is necessitated in my remarks, rather than have it supposed that the enterprising people of Peterborough have too small a community to be a city, or are too narrow-minded in their business methods to make the little additional annual expenditure which a city's expense would necessitate.

How do we know that the Town of Peterborough has not been "turned down" many a time by manufacturers seeking location, without their even bothering to examine our importance, simply because they do not find it in the category of cities, and how much harder it is to impress a manufacturer or investor with this community's importance, when on the face of it we make ourselves appear "small," in more ways than the one of population.

Let some substantial candidate for municipal honors come forward and state he will advocate making the overgrown "Town of Peterborough" into the "City of Peterborough," and, although I am not a betting man, I am sport enough to lay odds that we will place him at the head of the polls.

J. ALEX. CULVERWELL.

CHRISTMAS IN ENGLAND!

Tunisian from Halifax Dec. 8th.

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Tunisian,	Dec 6	Dec. 8, 10 p.m
Corinthian,	Dec 13	Dec 15, 10 p.m
Pretorian,	Dec 20	Dec 22, 10 p.m

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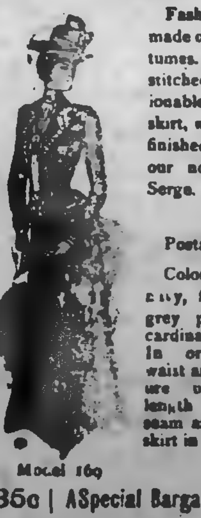

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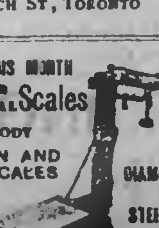

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What the Spaniards Failed to do 400 Years Sir William Has Accomplished

Ciego do Aavila, Cuba, November 26.—At 9.55 this morning, some forty miles to the east of Santa Clara, the golden spike that joined up the Van Horne Cuba Company Railroad was driven clear down out of sight into the tire by a representative and enthusiastic crowd. Special trains were run from Santa Clara and Ciego de Avila, and great enthusiasm was evinced. What the Spaniards failed to do in four hundred years, the Van Horne Syndicate has accomplished in a little over two, and within a short time commodious up-to-date trains will be put upon a regular service, bringing Havana and Santiago within 48 hours distance, instead of five days, as at present.

On December 21st, 1899, Mr. Frank P. Brothers, who, it will be remembered, died here shortly after his arrival, turned the first sod of the western division just outside Santa Clara, and since then work has gone on continually under the able management of Mr. R. G. Ward. The Cuba Company's railroad runs through Central Cuba from Santa Clara to Santiago de Cuba, a distance of some 355 miles, touching also many towns of some importance, and branching into Sancti Spiritus, and Ciego do Avila. In many places the line runs through an almost virgin country, the many difficulties that were encountered being only known to those who have engaged in similar construction work in tropical countries, fever, rainy spells, and general climatic conditions having to be grappled with and overcome. Your correspondent rode over in the train in eight hours, what this time last year took five days to do on horseback, and on roads, which are not roads at all, but mere cattle trails and sendas.

About ten millions have been spent, and it is the company's intention to expend a like sum in branch lines and other developments.

Mr. R. G. Ward, as manager for the western division, has earned fame for himself as a construction man and able diplomat, he having, in his two years, overcome Cuban prejudice and oppositions of all kinds, and from all quarters. Canadian engineers and construction men have been connected with the company, amongst whom are R. E. Hunter, W. D. Mann, J. K. Drury, Bruce McConnell, V. Brayley, P. Rawlings, R. J. Craig, Norman Rankin, G. Bignell, Theodore Harwood and others.

Cuba as a country for cattle raising is unsurpassed, while its reputation for sugar and tobacco growing is too well-known for me to add anything in this line. The line has opened up prospects and possibilities to the Cuban, which were undreamed of heretofore, and adds but one more laurel to the many that Sir William has already gained in similar constructions. Sir William, who arrived in Havana this morning, will shortly make a trip of inspection over the line, and demonstrations are being prepared for him at many points.

BOER GENERALS COME OUT SECOND BEST

Parliamentary Blue Book Dealing with Their Recent Appeal Shows Them in Poor Light

New York, Nov. 26—The correspondent of the Tribune in London, cables:

Mr. Chamberlain had an easy case in taking up the ill-judged appeal of the Boer generals to the civilized world and he naturally presented the British side with lucidity and force. His correspondence with Gen. Botha, published in details in a Parliamentary paper, issued yesterday, presents evidence of the humane treatment of the Boer families in the concentration camps and the magnanimity in dealing with the vanquished enemy. He naturally resented the misleading statements made by the Boer generals in the anti-British appeal to foreigners.

General Botha's replies were conciliatory rather than apologetic, and did not break the force of Mr. Chamberlain's powerful, if temperate, presentation of the case. The correspondence showed that the Boer generals welcomed the announcement of Mr. Chamberlain's mission to South Africa, and offered to co-operate with him in effecting the reconciliation of the races.

The correspondence is read here with satisfaction. The British people have felt that they never had sufficient credit for conducting the war with a degree of humanity, unparalleled in history, and in making the most generous peace ever known. The Boer generals, or rather, Dr. Leyds, who misled them, have enabled Mr. Chamberlain to emphasize these facts.

London, Nov. 25—These are some of the noteworthy sayings of prominent men during the past week:

I look forward to a great federation of the Anglo-Saxon elements, which shall include the British Empire, the United States and even Germany—Sir Harry Johnson.

Freedom of speech must have some limit—Earl Dudley, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

I am convinced that we are on the eve of a settlement of the Irish land question—John Redmond, Nationalist, M.P.

An enthusiasm for university teaching, which has slumbered for a good many centuries, is now waking up in London.—Earl Selborne.

Journal from Toulon says that the latest news from Tetuan, Morocco, in regard to the uprising of the Kabyles is not so favorable. The warships Pothuan and Chauzy will be completely equipped today and held in readiness to sail at a moment's notice.

THE LONDON FOG TO BE DISSOLVED

How Rollo Russell's Project to Alter the Climate of London

London, Nov. 25.—Ordinarily we should look skeptically, if not intolerantly, upon the Hon. Rollo Russell's project for altering the climate of London, as it is elaborately exposed, with much statistics and several diagrams in the Daily Mail. But a whimsical or fanciful attitude is forbidden by the kindly and serious interest of the British Meteorological Office toward the undertaking, the praise-worthy motive underlying which we cannot deny however much we might be constrained to withhold our approval of the manner in which the far-famed London fog is to be defeated and disintergated forever.

The Hon. Rollo Russell, having written a book on the subject, we shall not do him the injustice of inadequate review, nor would we desire to forestall the pleasure of our readers, but leave them free to study it in detail. We shall merely say that, in brief, Mr. Russell's scheme is for the erection of great rain walls, loft structures, which would act as barriers against the wind from the rainy quarter, and would cause precipitation of the moisture carried by the clouds at such points outside of London, that no clouds would hang over the city; hence there would eb no rain and no fog there. Mr. Russell indicates the best situation for these walls, which would be about 400 feet high and five or six miles in length. One would stretch from northwest to southeast across the neighborhood of Woking, to intercept the rainfall from that direction. The other, which would be a fog-wall as well as a rain-wall would extend from near the Thames a few miles east of London in a northwesterly direction, to cut the city off from the fogs that roll in from the Essex marshes, in addition to precipitating moisture from any stray clouds advancing on London from any other direction. The effect of these artificial barriers would be to drive the impinging air upward, wringing the clouds dry before they could pass over the heart of London.

A wealth of meteorological data, which we have studied faithfully in conjunction with the confirmation of the land about London, convinces us that Mr. Russell has a thorough grasp of the vast project to which no doubt he has devoted many years of his life. As is common with all really great undertakings, there will be considerable criticism, and a few vigorous objections, all of which Mr. Russell should be prepared to meet and destroy. It will be suggested, of course, that the scheme will entail an immense expenditure, and that when it is put into effect there will be no guarantee that London would be absolutely free from rain and fog.

We are not prepared to adopt the pessimistic views of Mr. Russell's daring designs. Like many conceptions which at their origination seem visionary, it is so extremely fascinating that we are powerfully attracted to it. We trust it will not collapse, as did the scheme of some American scientists, a few years ago, to compel precipitation of atmospheric moisture by the use of explosives. We cannot say we believe, but we do hope, that the scheme for dissolving the London fog will have better success, for instance, than "Brick" Pomeroy's plan to tunnel the Rocky Mountains, or the formula for extracting refined gold from sea-water; that it will add more to the sum of human progress than General Pleasanton's alluring theory that dwelling under a blue-glass roof would prolong life to 150 years; that Mr. Russell will not incur the senseless hostility which encounters inventors of perpetual motion, and that, when he shall achieve the triumph which he deserves, science also will answer the annoying question, What happens when an irresistible force encounters an immovable object?

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TEACH CASTRO A LESSON

Cologne Gazette Says That is England's Duty Now

Cologne, Nov. 27.—The Cologne Gazette which generally speaks for the Government, in commenting on the Anglo-Venezuelan affair, says that the attitude of President Castro toward Great Britain in regard to the Ban Righ, the made-over insurgent gunboat, and the sending of a warship up the Orinoco, is so little in accord with the relative strength of the two nations and with the demands of justice and equity, that England should certainly teach Venezuela a sharp lesson. Germany and other Powers also have serious grounds for complaint against Venezuela. The Gazette says the relations of Venezuela towards other nations should be clearly defined.

POURS OIL OVER BODY AND APPLIES MATCH

Terrible Method Suicide of a Minneapolis Girl

FATHER WITNESSES HER DEATH

And Makes a Heroic and Futile Struggle to Save His Child

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 25.—Powerless to interfere, W. A. Foster, [illegible] Clinton avenue south, early yesterday morning, saw his daughter, Grace Foster, aged 27, apply a match to her kerosene soaked body, which within a few seconds was a mass of flames.

All efforts of the father were unavailing and the daughter was dead within a very few minutes after she had started the fire.

Frantically the father labored to extinguish the flames in time to save his daughter's life, but long before he could smother them life became extinct.

Despondency, caused by long illness, is assigned as the reason for the terrible and unnatural deed. For the past three or four weeks she had been confined to her home with illness, and for a week the father has been especially watchful over her. For two nights he sat at her bedside attending to her wants. Saturday night he again began his vigil, but towards morning he fell asleep in his chair.

It was while in this condition that his daughter took advantage of her opportunity. Rising from her bed, the young woman went to the kitchen where she obtained a gallon of kerosene. This she poured over her body, from her head down. The father in the meantime had awakened, and missing his daughter at once surmised that something was wrong, and went in search of her.

Hardly had he reached the kitchen door when he was horrified to see the girl with a lighted match in her hand about to light the oil on her lower limbs. The air was full of kerosene odor, and he at once saw her purpose.

Not having time to reach her side, he sought to startle her, and cried, "Grace, stop that!" This had no effect, and she calmly and cooly applied the match to the oil on her left knee. The kerosene furnished ready fuel, and before her frantic father could secure rugs and blankets to smother the fire, her whole body was a burned and charred mass and her destruction was complete.

With the first application of the match the unfortunate girl gave one agonizing cry and fell to the floor. Not another sound was heard from her after the first cry, and it is thought that the gas thrown of by the burning oil, inhaled into the lungs, caused unconsciousness.

Her cry, and those of the stricken father, brought Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Ripley, who live on the first floor of the building, to the scene. They, in company with Mr. Foster, labored industriously and frantically to save the girl. The flames, however, seemed to remain unquenchable.

Every time a blanket would be wound around the prostrate body, the fire would creep out in some other portion. The oil had soaked so deeply into the skin that to smother the flames was an impossibility.

Mr. Foster, it is claimed by neighbors, had often feared his daughter would take her life, and to frustrate this intention on her part, had hidden all of the knives and other articles in the house with which she could possibly have done herself harm. The thought of her using kerosene never entered his mind, and the can had been left in its usual place.

Miss Foster had been a dressmaker in one of the fashionable downtown shops until a few weeks ago.

She has for several years acted as a housekeeper for her father, who is employed in a local florist's establishment in the city, and has also been prominent in church work.

The father was removed to the City hospital, where his burns are being carefully attended to. He will recover unless he sustains a stroke of apoplexy brought about by the great shock.

The house was damaged some by the fire, although the loss will not reach over $100.

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REV. DR. GALBRAITH AT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

AN ELOQUENT AND EARNEST LECTURE ON THE LIQUOR ACT OF 1902

The Rev. Gentleman Considers the Act the Best of Its Kind Ever Put on the Statute Book—No Loop Hole Through Which the Law Can be Evaded

The Temperance Rally in St. Paul's church last night was not very largely attended. The Rev. Dr. Galbraith, of Belleville, was the speaker of the evening and in the course of an exceedingly interesting and earnest address, he remarked that there are in the world today two stumbling blocks to man—the one is idolatory and the other strong drink. The former is the curse of heathen races; the latter is the curse of civilization. We cannot, he said, exaggerate the awful facts that stand behind the words "strong drink." Could I recall all the evil, sorrow, wrecked homes, poverty, crime, misery and all of the fearful consequences of this stumbling block to humanity our blood would run cold with horrow. All the liquor used on the continents of North America and Europe in one year would fill a canal 8 feet deep, 30 feet wide and 100 miles long. Four billions of dollars are expended annually to keep this flood going, while 400,000 people are engaged in its manufacture, sale and distribution. In these two civilized continents of North America and Europe there are three millions of confirmed drunkards, 300,000 of whom every year go down into drunkards' graves. It is not the weak mined who usually become victims of strong drink, but men of strong will, who usually have strong appetites. It is the intellectual and active man who is most likely to succumb to the baneful influences of this curse of modern times, for strong drink has a two-fold effect—it influences the appetite and enfeebles the will. The most terrible sight I ever saw was that of between thirty and forty drunkards in a large room, some lying on the floor in a state of stupidity, others blaspheming, some indulging in miserable jargon, while orthers were fighting, and the room was spattered with their blood. What did it? Strong drink! Bishop Benson is credited with having said that the whole nature of the British nation was changed, debased and degraded by strong drink. Continuing, the reverend gentlemen claimed there is scarcely a home in the Dominion of Canada, that is not touched, directly, or indirectly by the terrible curse of intoxicating liquors. A tree which bears such evil fruit, ought not to merely have its brances cut off, but it should be plucked up by the roots. It not only affects the generation that is, but also that which is coming, for the curse of strong drink is hereditary. Then, it produces poverty, insanity and crime, and we have to support in this country institutions which did not exist at the time of the children of Israel, whom God guided through the wilderness for forty years, but provided for them nothing in the shape of intoxicants. $7,000,000 are paid annually in Canada for the support of penal institutions, lunatic asylums, and pauper institutions, which are all largely filled through the effects of drunkeness. Touching the methods used for creating an appetite for strong drink, the reverend doctor claimed that "they are even putting liquor in the centre of some candies, so that the appetite may be kindled in children for strong drink." "I say that the devil himself would not resort to such means to create this fearful appetite in the children who are growing up around us." God had said that no drunkard can enter the Kingdom of Heaven, and there are four things which must be done to save the world:

1st—We must thoroughly purge the Church. Let it be distinctly understood that the use of intoxicating liquors as a beverage is a sin.

2nd—Educate the young so that they shall see the evil of strong drink. Teach them the true meaning of temperance. Temperance means the moderate use of what is proper to use, and total abstinence from that which is injurious. Teach the children the true meaning of liberty.

3rd—To save the poor drunkard.

4th—Let there be Legislative enactment putting an end to the use of intoxicants as a beverage. The Liquor Act of 1902 is the best of its kind that was ever placed on the statute book, outside of total prohibition. I do not see a loop hole through which the liquor men can crawl and evade the law. It is prohibition as far as this province can enact and has received the sanction of the highest court in the British Empire. It means that no liquor shall be bought for sold in the Province of Ontario. In conclusion, the speaker did not see why intelligent ladies should not be permitted to vote on such important measures, while men who can be bought for 50c or a dollar, are allowed to exercise their franchise.

After a hearty vote of thanks had been tendered to Dr. Galbraith, the meeting concluded by singing "God Save the King."

Another public meeting is to be held before the 4th of December.

SOUTH AMERICAN WAR

Venezuela and Columbia at Daggers Drawn

Great Britain will A'so Take a Hand in the Game

England Notifies the United States That She Will Use Force to Collect Its Debts—Germany Ready to Take the Same Course—Colombia Troops Repulsed, President Castro Says

Washington, Nov. 27.—With the ending of the civil war in Venezuela the victorious President Castro has become involved in fresh troubles. News comes from our Minister at Caracas that Colombian troops have invaded Venezuela, and it has been learned here that Great Britain and Germany have determined to bring Castro to terms for neglecting to liquidate certain obligations that have remained unfulfilled for several years.

Minister Bowen's message to the State Department says that an official bulletin has been issued that armed forces from Colombia invaded Venezuela on Nov. 10 and were defeated on Nov. 19.

The information contained in the bulletin may mean that war is on between Colombia and Venezuela. Each country has just concluded a long and exhaustive civil war, and it has been predicted that as soon as the internal strifes were over an international conflict would be on.

Colombia has accused Venezuela of furnishing arms, ammunition and men to the Colombian rebels, and it was openly charged that Gen. Uribe-uribe, the Colombian rebel leader, had organized his insurgent forces in Venezuelan territory, but it was never known here that they were furnished by the Colombian Government.

The feeling between the two countries is very bitter, but it was not supposed in Washington that, after each government had been crippled badly, financially and otherwise, by its own internal conflicts, and with Venezuela facing a crisis in her relations with England and Germany, there would be a renewal so soon of the difficulties that have threatened for a long time to involve the two Latin countries in hostilities.

Following the example set by the German Government several months ago, the British Government has inquired of the United States whether there is anything contained in the Munroe Doctrine that will serve to make obnoxious to this country any attempt by Great Britain to collect by force of arms debts due to its subjects by Venezuela.

Germany's similar inquiry was made directly to President Roosevelt by Herr von Holleben, the German Ambassador, early this year, at a time when the revolt against Castro's rule was beginning to assume formidable proportions. Obligations due to German railroad contractors and other German subjects by the Venezuelan Government had been virtually repudiated by Castro, and the imperial authorities at Berlin determined to collect them by force if the United States did not interpose objection.

The outcome of the inquiry was a declaration by the State Department that the Munroe Doctrine was intended only to prevent the acquisition of territory in the Western Hemisphere by any European nation through colonization or conquest, and that Venezuela, bring a sovereign State, could not rely on any assistance from the United States so long as the latter did not attempt to acquire Venezuelan territory.

Germany gave assurances to this Government that she intended only to seize Venezuelan custom houses and hold them until duties sufficient to indemnify her subjects had been collected, and that she had no intention of maintaining a permanent foothold on Venezuelan territory. As there is nothing inconsistent with the terms of the Munroe Doctrine in this expressed purpose, the United States Government let it be known that it would not instrfere with the German operations.

Shortly after this virtual understanding had been reached, the Venezuelan rebels made great advances, and the German Government determined not to carry out its debt-collecting policy until the internal disturbances of the South American country were over.

Great Britain, which also had scores to settle with Venezuela, did not then make any inquiries of the United States, but waited until the conclusion of hostilities to do so. She has now come forward with a request to be informed as to the views of this Government in regard to the projected seizure of Venezuelan custom houses for temporary holding, and has received the same answer as to the interpretation of the Munroe Doctrine as was given to Germany.

It is understood that both Great Britain and Germany will send squadrons to Venezuelan waters to back up demands for payment of the obligations alleged to be due to their subjects, and if Castro declines to comply, to land armed forces, seize custom houses and collect revenues until the amounts of the claims have been satisfied.

TO PUNISH CANADA FOR FANCIED WRONGS

Reason why Uncle Sam Gave Receprocity to New Foundland

Halifax, Nov. 27.—The St. John's (Nfld.) Herald is the official mothpiece of Herald is the official mouthpiece of reason it gives, therefore, for Mr. Bond's success at Washington is worthy of consideration in Canada. The Herald says:

"As a a matter of fact, Newfoundland is likely to secure reciprocity, for this reason, if no other, that it represents a slap at Canada. If the News man had any knowledge of foreign politics he would realize that the relations between the Republic and the Dominion are such that the granting of reciprocity to Newfoundland is regarded by a large section of the Americans as a means of revenging real or fancied grievances against the Canadians. The students of outside politics readily realize this fact.

In reply the St. John's News, the leading opposition journal in the ancient colony, observes:

"This, then, is the labor of love which has engaged the attention of Premier Bond all the past summer. The profit to the United States, on the one hand, or Newfoundland on the other, from the proposed treaty, is a matter of no moment as compared with the opportunity of affording to the United States a chance to have a 'slap at Canada,' and 'revenging real or imaginary grievances.' New and extensive markets for Newfoundland fish in the United States, improved trade relations for Uncle Sam with Newfoundland are as nothing compared with the advantages of punishing Canada for real or fancied wrongs.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 26—A special to The Express for Lorain, Ohio, says—

The propeller Quito last evening tried to make this port with iron ore from Escanaba. A heavy northeast gale was raging and the sea ran high. The propeller was on the beach outside the piers near the harbor. The tug Cascade immediately went to the rescue and took off twelve of the crew and the woman cook. Four other oboard, two engineers, and two mates, were in their cabins, packing up some things. The tug had to get away from the steamer, and the four men were left aboard.

Soon after the Cascade landed the rescued men, signals were made from the imperiled steamer. The men aboard feared she would go to pieces. The Cascade again went out into the storm, towing a lifeboat.

The sea was running so high by that time that the tug could not get near enough to the propellor for the men aboard to get into the lifeboat. That project was then abandoned.

Captain Bowen then took the wheel of the Cascade and shot her close enough to the propellor, so that the first mate, O. J. McGaw managed to jump to the tug's deck. The tug swept by before the other men had time to make the leap. The seas were so high that the tug did not dare to remain by the propellor any longer, and she turned and scudded for the harbor, leaving the men aboard to their fate.

Those left on board the steamer were John Anderson, second mate; B. Henry, chief engineer; W. Faulk, second engineer.

The three men were taken off the Quito early this morning by the life saving crew of Cleveland.

London, Nov. 24—The Servian outlook continues to attract considerable attention in Vienna, says a correspondent there. It is sincerely hoped, he says, that King Alexander will refrain from perilous experiments and that, above all he will not attempt another violent revision of the constitution, which would only increase the existing confusion and further endanger his own position. Russia has already manifested displeasure at the appointment of the new Cabinet and the instability of the King's character is a source of constant unrest and apprehension. It is alleged in Vienna that the King desires to secure succession for Lieut. Lunjevitza, the Queen's brother. The idea is repudiated by the King, but it repudiated by the King. but it is believed that it is being strongly advocated by the Queen.

Constantinople, Nov. 26.—Sixteen batteries of quick-firing field guns, numbering 96 in all, have been ordered from the Krupp works as the commencement of the rearmament of the Turkish artillery. The War Ministry is also authorized to purchase 230,000 small calibre Mausers, to complete the present establishment. With wagons and ammunition for the artillery the orders entail an outlay of $2,000,000.

The purchases were apparently accelerated in consequence of the recent developments of the situation in Macedonia and the Balkans, and the impression prevailing in many quarters here that a serious outbreak, possibly leading to a widespread European complications, may be expected in the spring.

Philippe, a spiritualist and hypnotist, who has had a great influence over the Czar, has been given his walking ticket by friends of the monarch.

THE NEW GERMAN NAVY BEING GREATLY RUSHED

Rhodesia is Adapted for Grand Future--G. T. R. Shares Fall in England

Berlin, Nov. 27—The German Emperor continues with feverish energy his policy of expansion. A few weeks ago, in this correspondence I presented official figures showing that the Kaiser's plans for the reorganization of the navy, making it formidable in new ships in guns and in men, have been pushed forward even faster than was prescribed in the act authorizing the work. While the Emperor has thus been preparing to defend his new possessions, against all comers he has added to them at a rate that would seem incredible but for the test of figures, whose truthfulness not even England has attempted to deny.

Up to 1884 Germany had no oversea territory to speak of. In that year she acquired Togoland with 33,000 square miles, and the Cameroons with 191,000 square miles.

That is to say, Germany has added 710,441 square miles to her empire, and increased her subjects by 8,330,000.

There is only one drawback to the Kaiser's complacency as to the future. And it is the existence of that body of politicians known as the Social Democrats, whom the Emperor, in one noteworthy oratorical exercise classed as the enemies of the nation and the Fatherland. The Social Democrats resent the Emperor's policy. And this fact is abundantly proved in the increase of the Social Democratic vote. In 1887, the year before the Kaiser's accession, the Social Democratic vote was 763,100; in 1898 it had jumped up to 2,107,100.

Reverting to the report on factory children, it is mainly these Social Democrats who are appealing to the Reichstag to end this shameful traffic in the lives of the innocents—for many of these child slaves, if the present system continues, will never reach maturity.

Germany legislators with their eyes on J. Pierpont Morgan, and the growing aggressions of trusts in the United States, are visibly agitated over signs that Germany cannot long hope to escape the combination octopus. At their head is Count Posadowsky, Prussian Minister of the Interior, who purposes soon to hold an enquiry preliminary to devising "protection for consumers made possible by the formation of trusts.

Montreal, Nov. 27th.—"The school question in Manitoba is not settled. It will be settled only when right will be done, and I say so, after conferring with the Bishops of Canada, at the conference held with Mgr. Falconi at Ottawa."

Such was the statement made to The Star correspondent today by Mgr. Langevin, Archbishop of St. Boniface, who left for the West to-day.

"Such a right was promised to the Catholics of the Province in 1870 by the imperial authorities. While it is true that we enjoy a certain degree of tolerance, we will not stop till we have legal recognition of our rights. We are more hopeful than ever, at the present time, because the principle of religious education, of denominational education, has received lately a new and more emphatic endorsation in the very heart of the powerful British Empire, England. We have every reason to believe that the influence of His Majesty Edward VII., our noble King, has been felt in this circumstance. We, however, appreciate the increasing good-will of the best thinking men. In the end, every true British subject will realize that what is good for England, good for Quebec, should be also good for Manitoba.

London, Nov. 27—The War Office is receiving bitter Australian complaints because the army orders deny the war medal and gratuity to troops landed in South Africa after May 31 last. The Canadian contingent is also affected. The complaint says the injustice is very great, for all those men were well on their way before the war ended.

G. T. R. Shares Fall.

The heavy fall of Grand Trunks is attributed to Provincial liquidation, which is taken to mean unloading on the part of shareholders who doubt the wisdom of the extension to the Pacific.

Canadian Pacific's friends here say the Grand Trunk's extension is not necessarily to throw the two roads into hostility. It is confidently expected that a rate agreement will be reached, affecting competive points.

Based on Supposition.

A correspondent of the Morning Post criticizes the Canadian Government for alleged readiness to grant benediction subsidies from the public purse to any scheme promoted to local political supporters. The particular reference is to Sir Wilfrid Laurier's alleged pledge to the new Canadian company for a railway from Gaspe. The correspondent adds: "Ask those who, misled by the scheme having Goovrnment support, sunk their money in the Chignecto Marine Railway and many other projects in maritime Canada."

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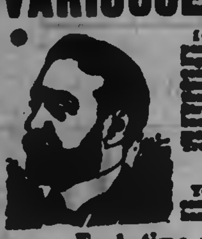

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TREATMENT OF DISEASE

The scourge of tuberculosis is being dealt with in a scientific way. The fact being established, to the satisfaction of every one, that the disease is infectious, that it can be spread by contact with the sufferers, the movement towards isolation is becoming general. The patients, must of course, be kindly cared for, but the sanitarium will afford them protection and care, and the public will be guarded from the danger of their presence.

Every city should have its consumptives' home, and every hospital its consumptives' ward. Toronto leads in its attempt to provide for the sick. It aims at erecting outside the limits — away from the dust and tumult of the city — a resort which will be gladly taken advantage of by many consumptives. Sometimes cures are effected by prompt and effective treatment. In any case relief is granted, and to a large and appreciable extent.

The campaign of the New York Charity Organization Society is highly commended. Its representatives visit the poor, in the congested quarters, and instruct and educate them in regard to the disease. Only a general movement under scientific and competent direction, can secure the protection which is desired, and reduce the dreadful mortality from tuberculosis. The experience of France is suggestive of what can be done in any country where the people receive the education which they need.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

A Buffalo barber who used one towel on two customers has been arrested and fined for the offence. This calls attention to the fact that a sanitary shaving law is in existence in New York State, but the question of how carefully it is unobserved in many quarters, is another matter.

A Missouri man who went to Washington, D. C., to sell horses, reports the following conditions there: "The people travel on electric cars and do not need roadsters; they ride bicycles and automobiles and do not need fast trotters; they gamble by wire and do not need race horses, and the government is run largely by jackasses, and there you are."

Everybody in the land of education will agree with John Mitchell that the proper place for boys up to the age of fourteen at least is the school. To rob a boy of the opportunity of getting a good elementary education, or to permit him to escape it, is to lay up so much trouble for the nation.

A photographer in Hoboken, N.J., took a flashlight picture of a crowd in a local theatre the other night and placed it on exhibition in his show case. A man passing by paused to look at it and saw the picture of his wife sitting affectionately next to a strange man. A divorce has resulted; which is an awful warning against the pernicious practice of public exhibition of pictures of private persons.

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Still holding her hand so tightly that she could not wrench it away, Macaire led her further into the room, nearer to the group of men and women, who had stopped their conversation to listen and look at the new-comer.

The men were already on their feet, but the women remained seated. Four or five painted faces under hair bleached golden or dyed to the sheen of copper stared up at her with bold, laughing eyes. Winifred shrank back with a horrified catching of her breath. She was an innocent girl who had known little of the world until she began to earn her living on the stage, but instinct rather than knowledge told her with one blinding flash of enlightenment what these women were whom Lionel Macaire had asked her to meet.

Some of the men she had seen before, though not to one had she ever spoken. There was a Frenchman with royal blood in his veins; there was a great city magnate; there was a young English earl who had lately been made bankrupt; there was a man better known on the racecourse than in drawing-rooms.

A word from Macaire to the Frenchman brought him to be introduced to "the Miss Gray of whom he had so often heard." He bowed with a broad compliment, and looked at Winifred from head to foot as no man had ever looked at her before.

"Dinner is served," announced a footman. Macaire pulled Winifred's resisting hand under his arm, and held it firmly as he made her walk by his side across the room. The girl was deadly pale, but she did not cry out, as Macaire's watchful eyes told that he half expected her to do.

They reached the marble dining-room, with its purple hangings, its pink granite pillars and blue-domed ceiling. Winifred's place was by Macaire's side, and she sank into the chair which a footman offered her. She must drink her cup to the dregs, or Macaire would say that she had not kept to the bargain. Having gone through so much, she must endure to the end, or she might better never have come to this horrible house. She could only hope that she knew the worst now. And perhaps, she told herself, even this was better than to have been forced by her promise to dine with Macaire alone.

"Why don't you eat?" asked Macaire, when she had let several courses go by untasted.

"I do not wish to," she answered in a low tone, lost in the babel of hilarious voices.

"Then I shall not consider that you have kept your word. To dine with a man is not merely to sit at his table, but to eat his food and drink his wine. If you can't bring yourself to do that in my house I am freed from my half of our bargain."

Desperately Winifred made a feint of eating something from her plate, not even knowing what she ate.

"That is better. Now drink some wine. I insist, or you know the consequences. Surely it isn't much to ask. I don't often have to urge my guests to touch the wine that comes from my cellars."

Champagne, in a jeweled Venetian glass, was sending up from its depths to the golden gleaming surface a stream of bubbles. Winifred raised her glass to her lips and drank. As she did so her tortured eyes met Macaire's, and the glint of satisfaction that darted from his, though he would have hidden it, startled her. She set down the glass quickly. What had that look meant? Was he pleased that she had drunk his wine only because of his triumph in compelling her obedience, or was there a more subtle reason?

Her heart knocked against her side, and her hands grew cold as her gaze traveled questioningly from one hard face to another. Was there one in this strange company who would sympathize or help her if she went down on her knees to implore it? She did not believe that there was one. And Baron von Zellheim did not come.

Fearful lest she had made a serious mistake, she watched her own feelings. Had she experienced any different sensations, she asked herself, anxiously, since she had drunk those few sips of wine?

At first she hoped that her excited fancy alone conjured up the imagined difference, but slowly she was obliged to acknowledge that she felt a slight giddiness, a weakness of the limbs of which she had not been conscious before. Her eyelids drooped, and she lifted them with an effort. There was a faint prickling in the palms of her hands and the soles of her feet. The beating of her heart, which had been like the wild fluttering of a bird against the bars of a cage, slowed to a heavy, measured throbbing at longer intervals. The shrill laughter of the women at the table sounded metallic, unreal, and far away. A mist rose between her and the faces to which a few minutes ago she had turned a vainly appealing gaze.

CHAPTER XI.

The Eye of the Moonstone.

How the dinner went on Winifred did not know, for she was like one in a dream. Macaire had talked to her and forced answers at first, but now he let her alone, well pleased, perhaps, with the progress of events. Some of the guests who appeared to know each other well, had addressed a remark to her now and then, but when she scarcely replied they turned their attention elsewhere.

"I've been drugged, I've been drugged," Winifred kept saying to herself, as if the repetition of the startling words must rouse her failing energies to some supreme effort. But, though her mind struggled with the creeping lethargy, the body would not answer the call to arms.

As the champagne went round the laughter grew louder, the women bolder. Strange jests were made, such jests as Winifred had never been forced to hear even behind the scenes at the Salisbury, nor did she hear them now. The words drummed upon her ears without conveying a meaning. All the voices seemed to join in a wild babble, inarticulate as the voice of a river fed from many rushing brooks.

Winifred was going to sleep, and so dulled were all her faculties that she no longer cared.

Her head, with its crown of bright, waving hair—so different from the artificial structure of her neighbors'—nodded on the slender throat, like a lily shaken on its stem by the wind. Her lashes fell.

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ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4 05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5 23
	100.00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

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OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows:—

		ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902,	to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2 70
July 1st, 1903,	" " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904,	" " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905,	" " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906,	" " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

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The Mayor hopes to be able to settle the strike next week. The cigarmakers refused to treat with the Havana commercial body save through a central committee. The commercial people say they will deal with the men directly.

It is said that through lack of funds the men may be compelled to come to terms.

HANGED HIMSELF TO A BEDPOST

Suicide of a German Who Became Despondent Over His Wife's Death

Hudson, N.Y., Nov 26—Louis Hedwig, a German, 62 years of age, committing suicide this morning by hanging himself to a bed post. He was discovered by his daughter. His wife had been troubled with hallucinations for years, and two weeks ago became so violent that she had to be removed to the Poughkeepsie Asylum for the insane. She refused nourishment and died yesterday. Her body reached here last night and Hedwig made arrangements for the funeral. Her death preyed on his mind and getting up toward morning, he got a piece of rope, and, tying it about the bedpost and his neck, must have strangled to death slowly. There will be a double funeral.

WOMAN KILS A NEGRO

He Had Come to Assault Her—Seized His Pistol and Shot Him

Columbia, Nov. 26—Mrs. Mary E. Elliott living in the West Wateree region of Kershaw county, has won the congratulations of the Coroner's jury, as well as her neighbors for miles around for slaying Edward Kendrick, a negro, in her house last night. Mrs. Elliott is a widow and lives with her son, a boy in his teens in a lonely part of the country, the nearest white neighbor being beyond call.

Kendrick came to the house late last night and demanded assistance. He said he had friends with him and if the boy showed himself outside of his room he would be killed. The negro broke down the door with an axe. Mrs. Elliott had no weapon.

The man declared that he would kill both mother and son if any resistance was made. Before the woman was forced to decide between her honor and her son's life, the boy dashed out of his room and at Kendrick. His mother threw herself before him and both grappled with the man with pistol in hand.

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Trip to Sugar Plant

About 600 people visited Berlin yesterday and inspected the Beet Sugar Factory in that town. The Peterborough deputation arrrived there last night, and will inspect the beet sugar plant today.

The Span of Life

The above was the play put on at the Opera House last night by the Donazetta Company. The play is a good one and the company made a very creditable presentation of the author's production. The scenic effects were good, and the acrobatic and tumbling performances were decidedly clever and entertaining.

The Fortnightly Club

The Fortnightly Club will meet next Thursday evening in the board room of the Y.M.C.A. The subject for this meeting will be "The Nationalization of Railways." The introductory paper will be read by Mr. F. D. Kerr and thediscussion led by Mr. R. M. Dennistoun and Mr. T. A. S. Hay.

Charged His Wife with Theft

Cobourg, Nov. 25—Acting on a telegram, Chief Constable Rush met the noon express from the east and arrested Thomas Faraides and Mary Ethel Sager. On the same train was George J. Sager, husband of the woman, upon whose information the couple were arrested. In his information Sager charges his wife with the theft of forty dollars. The parties gave their place of residence as Deseronto and held tickets to Toronto.

Charged with Theft

In the Police Court Wednesday morning Llewellyn A. Morrison, until recently engineer for the Sapphire Corundum Co., charged with the theft of $7 and of $12 from that company, elected to go to a jury and pleaded not guilty.

The Crown called evidence to show that in sending in his wage and expense accounts to headquarters, Mr. Morrison inserted items of expense which had not been incurred when the mines were in operation under the Crown Corundum Co. He was committed for trial on both charges.—Toronto Star.

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Subscribers to the Daily and also to the Weekly Times who will pay up arrears and also pay a year in advance, will be presented with a magnificent picture of the Coronation of Their Majesties, King Edward VII. and Queen Alexandra—(size 22x28, printed in 14 colors). They are splendid prints, and will serve as momentoes of that great historical event. The picture is now to be seen at The Times Bookstore.

The Girl Who Didn't

(a Fable.)

Once upon a time a girl decided that she would go in for health rather than fashion, and would be a true woman, such as men like to talk about in the abstract.

She wore spring heels on number seven shoes, and shivered at the very idea of corsets. Her waist measured thirty-six inches, while her hips and bust were only thirty-two. She wouldn't curl her hair, and as she thought powder vulgar, her face was always red and shiny. Her clothes were all made to hang from the shoulders, and she never bathed her spine. By the time she was twenty-five men ran when they saw her coming or going, they never knew which, and women looked at her through lorgnettes and said she was an unsexed-creature!

Moral—The easiest way is always the best if you are a girl!—N.Y. "Life."

Fire at the National

Last night shortly after eleven o'clock the fire alarm sounded and it was soon ascertained that the presence of the firemen was necessary at the National hotel. A defective furnace in the basement was the cause of the trouble. Luckily the fire was discovered in time, or the whole building would have been consumed. As it was axes had to be used and the whole lower part of the hotel deluged with water before safety was assured. It will take a considerable amount to repair the damage.

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Dr. Hamilton's Pills Cure Constipation.

Presented with Gold Watch

Previous to her departure for San Francisco last week, Mrs. Clark was presented with a handsome gold watch by the members of St. John's Woman's Auxiliary.

Mrs. Clark has long been identified with the congregation of St. John's church, and the gift was a small token of the esteem in which she is held. The watch presented was a handsome gold hunting case, engraved with Mrs. Clark's name, and the date, inside the cover, and her monogram on the outside.

Owing to Mrs. Clark's illness a public presentation was found to be impossible, and it was thought better to simply give her the watch in her home. On Tuesday at the Woman's Auxiliary sewing meeting in St. John's Guild Room, a letter was read from Mrs. Clark, acknowledging with "warm appreciation and thanks the beautiful gift."

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Hard coal is selling at $7 a ton in Myrtle.

—The iron work for the new rink is expected to arrive today.

—The Court of Exchequer met yesterday afternoon.

—Posters will be issued today by the Town calling for tenders for snow plowing.

—The Young Mens' Guild of the George street Methodist church will meet to-night in the basement of the church. A mock council meeting will be a part of the programme.

—Those who have not answered the last call made on rink stock will kindly do so at once,. The rink can not be built with promises and good wishes.

—There will be a meeting of all ladies interested in the temperance work at the Y.M.C.A. this afternoon at three o'clock to discuss the part they should take in the pending question.

—This great family journal don't object to being borrowed. It has got past that stage. It is desired by everybody in in this county, and especially those who are not subscribers, should read it whether they borrow it or steal it. By reading it, they are likely to want one for themselves, and subscribe.

—The following from an exchange applies to Peterborough: "Towns as well as merchants, must advertise in order to prosper. When a village is allowed to go out of public notice through lack of energy and enterprise, the decadence of that village has begun, and nothing but well directed advertising backed by an infusion of new life, can restore that place to its original standing. Thus it is found that every hamlet and village which is represented in the local newspaper becomes well known through that medium.'

POOR COMFORT

Cold Water Drinker Finds a Relief in Postum Coffee

Our American people, who are nervous and overstrained, would never drink coffee if they knew ho wwell and clear-headed they would be without it.

"When I was a little child," says Miss M. D'Am of Topeka, Kans., "I commenced the drinking of coffee. Naturally nervous, it made me as the years went on, a most miserable wretch, always in an unnatural state of excitement. I found as I grew older, that I would at times stagger as a drunken person. It was coffee, for I had no desire to drink anything in liquors.

My health was very bad and my brother and I were talking of quitting coffee, until I was stricken with typhoid fever. Upon my recovery, my brother wisely allowed me no coffee and said if I wished to be well again, I must stop its use.

For a number of years cold water was my only drink, but this was poor comfort until about three years ago a package of Postum Food Coffee was left at our house. We prepared it as directed and found a wholesome, delicious drink; more than this, it has strengthened me without causing those terrible 'after effects' formerly left upon me by coffee.

I recommended Postum to all my friends and in my varied experience, I find it a safe drink without effect on the nerves and the only one which with me has filled a long felt want."

Many people who have stopped drinking coffee because of its effect on the nerves, will find the pure food drink, Postum, a beverage that when properly made touches the spot, pleases eye and palate and fills the vacancy as no other drink can.

WEDDING BELLS

Miss Rose M. McGeough of Lindsay, and Mr. F. J. McPherson, of Town Married

St. Mary's Church, Lindsay on Wednesday morning was the scene of a very pretty wedding when Miss Rose M. McGeough, daughter of Mr. Michael McGeough, of that town, and Mr. F. J. R. McPherson, of Peterborough, were united in marriage. Venerable Archdeacon Casey performed the ceremony. Mass was celebrated at eight o'clock. The bridesmaid was Miss Kate O'Loughlin, of Lindsay, and the groomsman, Mr. Jas. J. McPherson, brother of the groom.

The wedding party, including a large number of guests partook of an enjoyable wedding breakfast at the residence of the bride's parents, after the ceremony.

Upon returning from a wedding trip in the west, Mr. and Mrs. McPherson, will take up residence at 432 George st. Friends will extend hearty well wishes.

A QUIET WEDDING

Peterborough Young Lady Weds a Lorneville Gentleman

On Wednesday a quiet wedding was celebrated at the residence of Mrs. John Grose, 148 Rubidge street, the contracting parties being her daughter, Miss Susan A., and Mr. Robert J. King, of Lorneville.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. J. Jolliffe, pastor of Charlotte street Church, in the presence of the family, and about forty relatives and guests. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. John Grose. Miss M. E. Gillen was bridesmaid and Mr. Wm. Grose, groomsman. The bride wore a white silk waist trimmed with chiffon and a blue skirt trimmed with white broadcloth; she carrried a boquet of white carnations. The bridesmaid's dress was a white silk waist with applique trimmings and a blue skirt, and she carried a boquet of pink carnations. The wedding march was played by Miss Wrightmore, Toronto. The many handsome and costly wedding presents given testified to the esteem in which the happy couple were held. After the ceremony all partook of a sumptuous dejeuner.

Mr. and Mrs. King left this morning for a trip to Toronto and Orillia and will afterwards reside in Lorneville.

WEDDED A WOODSTOCK

Nuptials of Mr. Ed. Simpson and Miss Beatrice Merrigold

The Woodstock Express has the following in reference to the marriage of a Peterborough boy, Mr. Ed. Simpson, to Miss Beatrice Merigold, of Woodstock:

"A very pretty but quiet wedding took place on Wilson street this afternoon, at the residence of Mrs. Merigold, when her only daughter, Miss Beatrice Merigold, was married to Mr. Edward Gordon Simpson, of Brantford, accountant of the Waterous Engine Works, of that city. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. R. H. Shaw, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the bride and groom. The bride was given away by her brother, R. H. Merigold, and she wore her going away gown of blue Venetian cloth, lined with white silk, with hat to match. The wedding march was played by Mrs. C. R. Merrigold, of Battle Creek, Mich. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion with carnations and chrysanthemums. Both parties are well known in Woodstock, Mr. Simpson in hockey circles, having played with the local team a couple of years ago, and Miss Merigold as milliner at John White & Co's. Their many Woodstock friends extend their best wishes for a happy future."

The young couple are in town, the guests of Mr. Simpson's parents.

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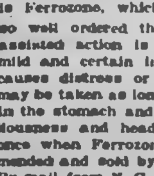

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A Bazaar

The Faithful Workers' Mission Band of St. Paul's church intend holding a bazaar on Nov. 28th, in the school room. Refreshments will be served.

IN OLD AGE the question of health becomes mainly a question of nutrition. If the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition are kept in a healthful condition there will be a well-nourished body, and little liability to disorders of the liver, bowels or such other disorders as may result from innutrition and lack of exercise.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. R. P. Gough, of Toronto, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. R. J. Henderson, of the Toronto Roller Bearing Co., was in town Wednesday.

—Mr. Angus McPherson was in Lindsay on Wednesday, attending the wedding of his brother.

—Misses Alice Woods, Della Connors and M. Kennealey are visiting Mr. B. Polson, Millbrook."

—Mr. James Oliver, 118 Maria st., Hamilton, spent yesterday in town and gave The Times a pleasant call.

—Miss Mamie Roberts, 140 Shuter st., Toronto, formerly of Peterborough, is in town on a visit.

—Mr. W. P. McLean, of Peterborough, representing the Geo. Matthews Co., was in town on Monday, calling on customers—Lindsay Post.

—Port Hope Guide:—Word was received by Miss Colman from Dr. Leeming, of Winnipeg, this morning, that Mr. C. C. Colman, formerly of Port Hope, was dangerously ill with typhoid fever. The letter was written last Friday, and as there has been no word since, it is thought that his condition must be improved. The doctor stated that every attention would be given him, and Charley's numerous friends here hope for a speedy recovery.

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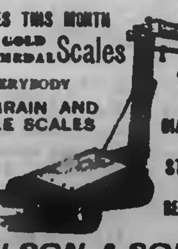

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The Liquor Act of 1902.

Synopsis of the Measure to be Voted Upon on Thursday Next by People of Ontario

As the day for polling on the referendum, Dec. 4th, approaches, an increasing number of electors are enquiring: "What are we asked to vote upon?" It is hard to give a statement of the provisions of that act of 223 sections, and several hundred sub-sections, enough to fill 60 columns of the Times, in the compass of a newspaper paragraph, but the following may serve to aid people in obtaining some knowledge of the measure to be voted on:

The Liquor Act of 1902 is divided into two parts. The first, which contains 104 clauses, has solely to do with the means by which the electors may bring the second, or prohibitory part, into force.

The question to be submitted to the electors is this: "Are you in favor of bringing into force the Liquor Act, 1902?"

All persons who were entitled to vote at the last general election may vote on this question, provided they have remained residents of the Province. If a majority shall vote in the affirmative, and if that majority exceeds one-half of those who voted in the Provincial general election of 1898, then the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council shall issue a proclamation calling the second prohibitory part into force.

A bare majority of the votes cast in 1898 would be 212,723, so that the supporters of the law must first equal that, and, second, have a majority of the vote actually cast on the referendum.

The Prohibitory Clauses.

In considering the second part of the Act we shall first deal with the prohibitory clause. Under section 151 no person shall keep or expose for sale or barter intoxicating liquors without first having obtained a druggist's wholesale or retail license. An infraction will render the culprit liable to a fine of not less than $200 or more than $1,000, or in default of payment, imprisonment from three to six months.

Another clause, 156, makes it an offence to use or consume liquor in the Province, purchased or received from any person within the Province unless it be purchased and received from a licensee." This clause does not apply to persons who, within a private dwelling, innocently use liquor not legally purchased. The penalty for the infraction of this section is a fine of not less than $50 or more than $200 for the first offence, or in default of payment, imprisonment for not less than two months or more than four months. For the second offence the fine may range from $100 to $500, with the alternative of imprisonment of not less than four or more than eight months.

No club or society may keep liquor on its premises for sale or for use. (Section 165.) No person may purchase any liquor, under pain of heavy penalties, from persons not authorized to sell. (Section 150.) No liquor may be drunk upon any licensed premises. (Section 159.)

Who May Sell.

Wholesale and retail druggists duly registered as such, may obtain licenses to sell liquors. (Section 107.) By an interpretation clause it is enacted that a wholesale druggist may sell alcohol not exceeding ten gallons at any one time to any one person for mechanical and scientific purposes. To a medical practitioner or a licensed druggist the wholesaler may not sell more than five gallons at one time. No liquor may be wholesaled from 7 p.m. on Saturday, until 7 a.m. on Monday, or from eight o'clock any other night, until seven in the morning. A record must be kept of all sales, each of which must be accompanied by an affidavit setting forth pose for which liquor is wanted.

Retailers may sell on the bona-fide prescription of a medical practitioner, (section 143.) No more than one sale of liquor may be made on one prescription. They may also sell one pint of liquor to a dentist for use in his profession, and one gallon to a veterinary surgeon for the same purpose. To ministers of of the Gospel retailers may sell wine for sacramental purposes. All prescriptions and requests must be retained for a year, and any person may inspect them. (Section 145.). A record must be kept of all transactions.

Who May Store Liquor.

No liquor may be kept or stored in any place, other than a private dwelling, unless in the premises of a licensed druggist. (Section 152.). It is provided however, that a person using liquor for mechanical or scientific purposes may have in his possession ten gallons. A clergyman may have two gallons of wine for sacramental purposes. A public hospital may keep a supply for patients. A sick person may have liquor in his room, but must see that nobody else drinks it. A physician may carry two quarts with him when he visits a patient. A dentist may have a pint in his office, and a veterinary surgeon may keep a gallon on hand.

Importations are Permitted.

The crucial point of the whole measure is section 223, dealing with importations. That section makes it clear that everyone may import whatever he wants. It is as follows: "While this act is intended to prohibit and shall prohibit transactions of liquor which take place wholly within the Province of Ontario, except under license, or as otherwise specially provided by this act, and restrict the consumption of liquor within the limits of the Province of Ontario, it shall not affect and is not intended to effect, bona-fide transactions of liquor between a person in the Province of Ontario and a person in another province or in a foreign country, and the provisions of this act shall not be construed accordingly."

To sum up, hotels and stores may not sell. Druggists may supply liquor for specific purposes. Anyone wanting liquor as a beverage must import it from another province or a foreign country. This is the meaning of the Liquor Act, 1902."

WILL RESIDE IN PETERBOROUGH

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lang, of Omemee Remembered by their Friends

Omemee Mirror:— A number of the members of the W.M.S. of the Methodist church, accompanied by their husbands, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lang on Wednesday evening, Nov. 19th, to bid them good-bye before their removal to Peterborough. A presentation was made to Mrs. Lang of a sterling silver salad fork and spoon, accompanied by the following address:

Omemee, Nov. 19th, 1902.

Dear Mrs. Lang,— The members of the Women's Missionary Society feel that they cannot allow you to leave Omemee without expressing their appreciation of the help you have been in their Society, as well as in every department of church work. You will be missed especially in the service of song, which has so often been enhanced by your skill as a player and leader.

We regret that you and your husband and family are leaving our church here, as we can ill afford to lose such loyal members, faithful workers, and liberal givers, as you have all proved to be, but we know that wherever your lot may be cast, the church will benefit by your liberality and labors.

We ask you to accept this salad fork and spoon as a remembrance of your Omemee friends, and trust that pleasant memories may ever be associated with them.

We pray that God's blessing may rest upon you, so that prosperity and happiness may follow you in your new home, and when life is over that we may all meet in the Home above.

Mrs. Lang was completely taken by surprise but Mr. Lang replied for her in a few well-chosen words.

Rev. Mr. Brown and some of the gentlemen present made short speeches, all expressing their regret at the loss of Mr. and Mrs. Lang and their family to the church and the community. Refreshments were partaken of, and a pleasant, social hour spent.

POISONED CHOCOLATES MAILED TO A WOMAN

Philadelphia, Nov. 27— Mrs. Harry F. Ackerhausen, wife of a liquor dealer at 2225 Ridge Avenue, is critically ill from eating a box of poisoned cream chocolate-covered mints, mailed to her on Sunday night. A narcotic had been injected into several of the candies, while in others small pins had been placed.

Mrs. Ackerhausen received the box yesterday morning. She had swallowed several of the creams before her teeth clenched on a hard substance. In the candy she found several small pins. Investigation showed that others contained pins. An hour later she became unconscious. When physicians arrived the woman was in a state of coma. Emetics were administered, and after vigorous treatment the woman was taken out of immediate danger. It is believed that she swallowed a number of pins, however, and an X-ray investigation will be made of her stomach.

The police have been able to find no clues. Mrs. Ackerhausen is a comely woman of 25, and is Ackerhausen's second wife.

—The many friends of Miss Vernie McFarlane, Young's Point, who has been seriously ill at St. Joseph's Hospital, will be pleased to learn that she is progressing favorably.

KRUPP LEAVES $75,000,000

Will Says the Gun Works at Essen Must Remain Property of His Family

Berlin, Nov. 28.—The Tageblatt says that under the will of the late Herr von Krupp the works at Essen become the property of his widow. There is a proviso that the works shall not be sold or transferred to a company within twenty-five years of the testator's death. On the death of the widow the eldest daughter will inherit the works.

Commenting on the sudden death of Herr von Krupp the Cologne Gazette says that during the last few years the great gunmaker, at the suggestion of the Kaiser, interested himself a great deal in naval affairs. The acquisition of the Germania dock yards at Kiel was due not only to business reasons, but also to the personal interest he felt in the development of Germany's naval power.

The newspapers estimate Herr Krupp's estate at 200,000,000 marks. The funeral, which will be an elaborate one, will take place on Wednesday. Emperor William will attend.

A NOTED SCIENTIST HAS LED A DOUBLE LIFE

Professor John Goodfellow the Last Man An Acquaintance Would Suspect.

London, Nov. 28.—One of the most startling stories of double life revealed for a long time has come out at Old Bailey. Who among his acquaintances would have dreamed that Professor John Goodfellow, eminent scientist, analyst, and author, of standard works, could have been guilty of anything of the sort! At the Police Court, where he pleaded guilty of forging a check for £500 ($2,500) on Messrs. Pink, for whom he did some work as an analyst, it was stated in the evidence that he had an income of £1,500 ($7,500) a year at least. While the Professor's wife and child were living in a small room at Westham, with hardly anything to eat, he himself was living luxuriously in a bungalow at Thames Ditton, where he had a steam launch on the river, and showered money lavishly on women friends. It also transpired that, for three years he had been in the clutches of money-lenders. He was sent to penal servitude for three years, a brilliant career thus coming to a sad termination.

THE BLIND TIGER

Temperance People in Indiana Baffled by Clever Device of Saloon Men

Paoli, Ind., Nov. 28.—The anti-saloon people here are encountering an obstacle in their fight against the saloons which places them in a position there they are undecided as to what course to pursue. The saloons of the town were all defeated by remonstrances, and the town was supposed to be "dry" for the first time in many years. But since license was refused all saloon applicants here, two have assumed undue privileges and fitted up their saloons with all the equipment of "blind tigers" and the patronage of these resorts has been very liberal by the saloon element. The device is so arranged that the person seeking a drink can put his money on a wheel and it turns around behind a tight inclosure where there is someone who fills the order, but cannot be seen. In this way it makes it impossible to prosecute the offenders, as they cannot be seen and there could be no convicting evidence as to who they are. The prices of all kinds of drinks are posted over the wheel so the customer has only to place his money on the wheel, call for what he wants, and the drink is soon forthcoming.

WEDDING BELLS

Nuptials of Mr. Adam H. Gillespie, of Town and Miss Mary E. Benn of Tweed

The Tweed News has the following on the marriage of Mr. A. H. Gillespie, a Peterborough boy, and Miss Mary Benn, of that place—

A very pretty wedding was solemnized yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Benn, when their daughter, Miss Mary Ethel, was united in marriage to Mr. Adam H. Gillespie, of Peterborough. The ceremony was performed in the drawing room, which was very prettily decorated with flowers and foliage, by Rev. J. W. Totten in the presence of about fifty invited guests.

The bride, who is one of Tweed's most estimable and popular young ladies looked her best in a gown of white silk organdie, wearing the regulation bridal veil and carrying a huge boquet of white chrysanthemums. The duties of bridesmaid were performed by Miss Hobert, who also wore a gown of white organdie, and carried a boquet similar to the bride. Mr. W. J. Bathgate, of Peterborough, assisted the groom. The bride was the recipient of many pretty and valuable presents, among which was a gold watch from the groom. The bridesmaid was the recipient of a brooch from the groom. After the ceremony the guests sat down to a recherche wedding dinner, to which ample justice was done. The groom, who was a resident of Tweed for some time and has many friends here, is to be congratulated on winning such an estimable young lady as his bride, and their many young friends unite in wishing them every happiness and prosperity. The happy young couple left on the 3.30 train for their new home in Peterborough. Among the invited guests from a distance who were present were—Mr. J. P. Lancaster, of the Havelock Standard; Misses Jamieson and Gillespie and Mr. W. J. Bathgate, Peterborough, and Mr. G. W. Houston, Buffalo, N.Y.

Completely Fagged Out

The world is full of sickly, despondent, tired, enervated people, all hoping to be well some day. The surest road to health is along the way of taking Ferrozone after meals. Ferrozone is a great appetizer and enables one to eat plenty of wholesome food without fear of indigestion or dyspepsia. This results in the rapid formation of an abundance of red vitalizing blood, which will restore the nerves, increase flesh and vigor, and nourish and feed every organ of the body. Ferrozone is an ideal restorative and invigorant. It is a tonic of unequalled merit that anyone can use with benefit. Price 50c. per box, or six boxes for $2.50, at Druggists, or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL

Results of the Vote for Mayor and Alderman

ALD. ROGER FOR MAYOR

With Mayor Denne but Five Votes Behind—Ald. Best in Third Place

Alderman Morrison Secures Second Place for Alderman, with Mr. A. W. Creasman but 20 Votes Ahead—The Position of the Other Candidates has not Been Materially Changed

Thursday's and Friday's voting for candidates for Mayor and Aldermen, leave Ald. G. M. Roger still ahead for the Chief Magistrate's position, with, however, but 5 votes ahead of Mayor Denne. For Alderman, Ald. Morrison has been voted into second place with Mr. A. W. Creasman still in the lead. Mr. R. F. McWilliams has notified the Times that, under any circumstances, he feels that he is too young to be considered a desirable candidate for Mayor, although he appreciates the interest manifested in him by those who have considered him worthy of that office. We have therefore taken the liberty to transfer his name name to the list of candidates for Alderman, and the 110 votes recorded for him for Mayor, together with 50 recently sent in with his name for both offices, places him sixth in the list. Once more we ask voters to fill up every blank in the coupon—1 for Mayor and 10 for Aldermen.

FOR MAYOR

Ald. Roger	200
Mayor Denne	195
Ald. Best	160
H. LeBrun	150
Robert Neil	120
Ald. Shortly	80

FOR ALDERMAN.

A. W. Creasman	220
Ald. Morrison	200
Ald. Best	185
Ald. Rush	175
R. F. McWilliams	160
E. F. Mason	150
Wm Medill	145
Ald. Dalton	135
Robert Fair	135
Ald. Shortly	130
Ald. Corkery	120
Dickson Davidson	110
Ald. J. J. Turner	100
Geo. W. Morrow	90
W. Salisbury	90
Geo. Matthews	90
A. E. Dickson	85
Ald. Clinkscales	80
R. E. Layfield	80
A. Macfarlane	70
Kelsey Hall	60
Jno. Howden	60
W. E. Conway	60
H. LeBrun	55
Geo. Elliott	45

HOW TO VOTE.

Each coupon will have the value of five votes. Cut the coupons out and either mail it addressed to The Times or leave it at our office.

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A NEW SHORT LINE

Completion of the Road From Whitney Station to Lake Opeongo

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—After fifteen months' continuous labor the railway from Whitney Station on the western division of the Canada Atlantic to Lake Opeongo, was completed last week. Lumber trains are now running daily on the new line, which connects the limits of the St. Anthony Lumber Co., bordering on Lake Opeongo, and the mill at Whitney. By the construction of the railway, which is 15 miles in length, a saving of 50 miles is effected in the transportation of the logs. Hitherto they have been moved to the mill by a round-about route which entailed a journey of many days duration. As this route was only accessible about seven months in the year the mill had to close down the rest of the time. With the transportation by rail the steam plant can be operated the year round, if necessary. Owing to the scarcity and high price of good lumber, it will probably be operated this winter. syndicates have been looking over Can-

Washington, Nov. 28.—Consul-General Bittinger, reporting ot the State Department from Montreal, says that millions of dollars of American capital have recently been invested in the Dominion in agricultural and timber lands and mining and manufacturing industries. Canada's internal development in the last few years has been remarkable. In addition to those investments Consul-General Bittinger adds that many American syndicates have been looking over the ground in Canada in the last few months.

ENGLAND AND GERMANY

Great Britain Has Nothing to Gain by Closer Friendship

London, Nov. 27.—Englishmen who keep their heads ask how a dangerous naval domination can possibly be built on such a commercial foundation. There is, moreover, the undoubted desire of England and France, and possibly also of Russia, to clear up outstanding disputes, coincident with which is the remarkable readiness of some French Ministers to slacken France's naval activities. If the Kaiser has designs on British interests this Anglo-French rapprochement must be sadly disconcerting. In any case, England has nothing to gain from a closer friendship with Germany than with France or Russia. Lord Lansdowne and Mr. Balfour show no signs of forgetting the central fact of British policy.

A MISSING CHILD

Posses of Men with Bloodhounds Scouring the Country

Petersburg, Va., Nov. 27.—Pretty little five-year-old Luna Joyner, daughter of Mrs. Ida V. Joyner, who resides about one mile and a half from Church road, Dinwiddie county, a station on the Norfolk and Western Railroad, has been missing from her home since last Monday, and nothing can be learned as to her whereabouts.

For days and nights past posses of men with bloodhounds have been scouring the country for miles around in search of the little one, but up to tonight no trace of her has been found. Mrs. Joyner is in a most precarious condition on account of the mysterious disappearance of her child, and to-day she published a notice in the newspapers of this city offering a reward for the return of the child, who, she believes, has been kidnaped.

Luna is a beautiful child with long auburn hair and curls in waving ringlets, has a bright tinted complexion and dark blue eyes. She was last seen by her mother about 11 o'clock on the morning of her disappearance.

BONES BROKEN

In Eight Places to Straighten Legs of Negro Boy, Who is Now Cured

McKeesport, Penn., Nov. 27.—An interesting operation has been successfully performed in the West Penn Hospital in straightening the limbs of Russell Hedrick, a negro boy of McKeesport. The boy's limbs were broken in eight places at the hospital in order to straighten them, as the legs were so crooked that he was unable to walk.

Physicians consider the case one of the most remarkable in modern surgery. Operations of the character are often performed, but none are on record as being successful where the patient was so badly crippled or where so many fractures of the limbs were necessary in order to straighten them.

In each leg two incisions were made to the bones. Then the bones of each leg were broken in two places, making in all eight separate fractures. The limbs were then set so as to straighten the bones, and the members encased in plaster casts. It required about the time of an ordinary fracture to heal until the bones had knit together again. youth of the patient and the pliability of the bones rendered it possible for the bones to unite at angles other than those at which they had been broken.

The child is now completely cured.

NEARLY EVERY CORPSE STOLEN FROM GRAVEYARD

A Cemetery in Indiana Almost Denuded of Its Dead

FORTY-ONE MEN ARE UNDER ARREST

On Charge of Robbing Graves and Selling Their Votes—All Have Pleaded Not Guilty

Indianapolis, Nov. 27.—The long-delayed report from the County Grand Jury came this afternoon, and 41 indictments were reported—the majority being in the grave-robbing and vote-selling cases. In addition to the indictments previously returned against the negro ghouls headed by Cantrell and now in jail, Albert Hunt, Walter and Leroy Williams, William McElroy, and Garfield Buckner, colored, and John McEndree, white, were indicted for taking and concealing corpses.

Hunt is accused of robbing the grave of Edward Pedigo; Buckner and McElroy with opening the grave of Jennie Hargrove; Leroy Williams with stealing the body of Meredith McMullen; Walter Williams that of Rosa Neidlinger, and McEndry that of Caroline Tyler.

All of these defendants were arraigned and entered pleas of not guilty. Other indictments against alleged grave robbers were withheld from publicity because arrests have not yet been made.

SAW IT DONE.

Charles Riggs, druggists, and Dr. Clarence Kincaid, former medical students, who accompanied a gang of grave robbers to see how a body was lifted, were dismissed. Immediately after the report had been received the attorneys for Dr. J. C. Alexander, demonstrator of the Central College, whose trial is set for December 1, appeared and demanded a change of venue from Judge Alford of the criminal bench, and this will be granted.

Two indictments for alleged vote-selling are reported as having been returned on the evidence of Jacob Miller and Emanuel Hull, who are openly charged with having worked a scheme in order to get $100 under the law offered to any one who furnished evidence to convict another of selling his vote. The accused say they supposed the money was given them for campaign expenses, and that the receipt signed was in earnest of the claim that the giver wanted something to show that he was using the candidate's money in good shape.

The farmers at Five Points, southeast of this city, have discovered that one of the cemetries in that vicinity has been plundered of nearly all its dead, and that the ghouls received "tips" from some one in that vicinity when burials were made. This evening Henry Hartman, representing the farmers, called upon Cantrell, requesting the names of the party giving the "tip," intimating that the case would be settled out of court if they found out who it was. Cantrell declined to tell, saying it would be unfair to the detectives, but he promised it would come out at the trial. Among the bodies purloined was that of Henry Harding, father-in-law of Hartman. The latter reported that all the farmers in his part of the country were favorable to giving Cantrell a light sentence, for, without his voluntary admissions, the grave robbing business would have gone on indefinitely.

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We the undersigned Druggists are fully prepared to give the following guarantee with every 50 cent bottle of Dr. Pettingill's Kidney-Wort Tablets, the only remedy in the world that positively cures all troubles arising from weak or diseased kidneys:—

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UNABLE SERIOUSLY TO RESIST THE BRITISH.

Turkey Accepts New Frontier Fixed by the British Foreign Office

London, Nov. 28—A Constantinople correspondent of the Deutche Zeitung, in a despatch quoted by a Vienna correspondent, says that the British are pursuing their old policy of intrigue in South Arabia. It is declared that they are aiming at the constant extension of Aden territory and the absorption of independent tribes, whom they support in resisting the authority of Turkey. It is alleged that a few days ago the British Ambassador at Constantinople informed Turkey that the British Foreign Office had fixed the frontier of southern Arabia, which question had been submitted to a boundary commission. Turkey accepted the new frontier, being unable to seriously resist the British.

London, Nov. 28—In an editorial article today The Times says that Alfred Mosely's industrial commission has met in the United States with true American hospitality and open-mindedness, and Mosely's idea is one that appeals forcibly to an alert and practical American intelligence. There can be no doubt that Mosely's excellent example will be followed in the United States as well as in England with immense benefit to all concerned. One of the things that delegates most certainly have everywhere noted is the superior alertness and business keenness of the average American employer. There is, indeed, great room for another Mosely commission to take masters about the United States and show them how far they are behind the Americans.

London, Nov. 28—It is announced that Lord Reay has been elected first president of the British Academy. Lord Reay has been Chairman of the London School Board since 1897. He was formerly Governor of Bombay, and afterwards Under Secretary for India. He is now President of the Royal Asiatic Society and of the University College, London.

London, Nov. 28—The bill for the municipalization of public services says a Rome correspondent, has been severely criticized in the Chamber of Deputies by Baron Sonnino. The bill is a comprehensive measure, including its scope bakeries—in case of a rise in the price of bread—every form of locomotion, and funerals. A serious blot on the bill is the method provided for valuing properties to be expropriated, the profits being reckoned on the average for the past five years. This is obviously unfair to new undertakings, which are often worked at a loss at first.

London Nov. 28—A Paris correspondent says that Frederick Passy, president of of the French Arbitration Society, has warmly congratulated the Presidents of the United States and Mexico on the fact that those countries were the first to motion The Hague tribunal.

London, Nov. 28—A Constantinople correspondent says that the Russian Ambassador at his audience with the Sultan on Wednesday, specially recommended the dismissal of the valis of Monastir and Kossovo. He also proposed the reorganization of Gendarmerie, so that it should include a Christian element, and not consist solely of Albanian Mussulmans. The Ambassador suggested the reform of the oppressive system of tithe collection, and generally urged measures to promote the contentment of the Macedonian population.

THE RICH LANDS OF THE FAR, FAR NORTH

Prof. Macoun Tells of Boundary Line where al Grains will Grow

Ottawa, Nov. 28—There is available in the work of the Geological survey of Canada an immense fund of information with regard to the northern belt of the Dominion which there is talk of opening up by means of another transcontinental railway. It has been surveyed by these men from Labrador across to the Pacific Coast. Two members of the staff who have, between them, covered the stretch from James' Bay to the Peace River Pass are Prof. John Macoun and his son, Jas. W. Macoun.

The former said this morning of the Peace River region: "It is a country capable of immense development. There is in it the very best alluvial soil to a depth of 150 feet, and there is being grown there today all the different grains."

"Will it grow wheat without danger of frost?"

"Yes, as well as the land further south. Some people imagine that the further north you go on this continent the heavier the snowfall. But I can tell you from experience that throughout a large part of the northern country the snowfall is lighter than here in Ottawa.

"Mr Ogilvie brought down with him a few years ago wheat that had been grown at Fort Providence, away up toward the Arctic circle, eight hundred miles north of the line that separates us from the States. I myself saw at Isle a la Crosse, further east than the Peace River, potatoes growing in the fields on the 22nd of September. That was thirty years ago.

"In 1876 I brought down with me from Athabasca wheat that took the prize at the Centennial Exhibition in Philadelphia, and was a revelation to the world. There is no question but wheat can be grown all the way across the northern belt to James Bay.

"I am just now preparing my report on my summer's work in the Yukon, and will supply proof that from the flora I saw there, wheat can be grown even in that region. For that matter, I brought some down with me this fall.

"I have taken for many years an intense interest in the northern belt of the Dominion, and am satisfied that it has before it a great future as an agricultural and grazing country, where you cannot raise wheat, you can get more money out of other crops or out of cattle raising."

James M. Macoun corroborated his father's statements. He mentioned several points in this northern district where he had seen wheat in cultivation. Among them were Brunswick House, half way between Lake Superior and James' Bay; Norway House, North of Lake Winnipeg, five hundred miles north of the international border; Montreal Lake, in a like latitude; Lake Isle a la Crosse, further north still. But there were many other settlements in which he saw flora and vegetation that could not exist in a climate too cold for wheat. Mr. Macoun, however, thinks far more money could be made by turning these fields to grazing.

Excursions to Guelph

The Provincial Winter Fair at Guelph this year should be visited by every farmer and stockman, and by every person interested in the advancement of agriculture and the breeding of live stock and poultry. $7,000 are offered in prizes. The new buildings have increased facilities both for exhibits and visitors. Daily lectures by well known and expert authorities on the different subjects, will be found both instructive and interesting. The Grand Trunk Railway will issue round trip tickets at single first class fare, from stations west of Kingston, good going Dec. 7th, to 12th, inclusive, and valid returning until Dec. 15th, 1902. Further particulars from Agents.

KEENE.

—A very interesting event took place at St. Mary's Roman Catholic church on Wednesday morning, when Clara Maude, daughter of Charles Bell, and Thomas J. Walsh, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by the Rev. Father Phelan, of Young's Point. Miss Lottie Bell, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. Frank Walsh assisted the groom. The bride was dressed in a handsome traveling gown, and carried a bouquet of white roses. The marriage took place at 9 o'clock, after which solemn high mass was celebrated. Mrs. Daniel McCarthy played the wedding march, and also for the mass. The church was tastefully decorated for the occasion with evergreens and flowers. After the marriage the immediate friends of the bride and groom were given a sumptuous wedding breakfast at the home of the bride. The presents were numerous and costly, testifying to the high esteem in which the bride is held. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Walsh drove to Peterborough, where they took the 5 o'clock train for Toronto, where they will reside. We join the many friends of bride and groom in wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

—Rev. Mr. Lawson, of Addison, Ont., gave a lecture in the town hall on Wednesday evening, on the temperance question. There was a small attendance on account of the inclement weather. Mr. Lawson is a talented orator, and brought out his side of the question in a masterly manner.

—Dr. Halliday, of Peterborough, was in the village on Wednesday attending little Harold Robinson, who is critically ill.

—Professor Dahlberg, eye specialist, was in the village on Wednesday and Thursday, at Dr. Harrison's office.

—The pupils of the public school are working hard to make their Christmas concert a success. Mr. T. J. Wallace principal, always takes great pains training the children, and the concert is always a financial success. The money raised is used for [illegible] the school room [illegible] books [illegible].

—Nothing new about [illegible]

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A CONCRETE IDEA

A correspondent of the Bricklayer and Mason, the official organ of the Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, mentions several instances of the use of concrete in classes of work that formerly required bricks and masonry.

An immense establishment, one of the largest engine works in Milwaukee, he writes, "has all the foundations as well as the foundations for machinery, all fly-wheel pits, and all the water tanks, built of concrete instead of brick and stone, as heretofore."

In another establishment, which he asserts is the largest engine works in the country, "all the foundations for the buildings, as well as the engine beds, the water tanks and every machine, sets on a solid mass of concrete. The entire foundation for this great building is done by the man with the shovel. In some of our largest buildings in the heart of our city, the floors are all arched with concrete, instead of tile or brick, as in former years."

A GOOD SUGGESTION

A correspondent writing to the Toronto World makes the following suggestion with which the many friends and admirers of Sir Sandford Fleming will heartily agree: "The suggestion has been made, and it is a good one, that the King should give a peerage to Sir Sandford Fleming of Ottawa. He is the one of all Canadians that is most worthy of the honor. We have two peers already hailing from Canada—Lord Strathcona and Lord Mountstephen—both grand men and grand in the disposal of their wealth in patriotic and philanthropic matters. Reflection shows that they were rewarded largely because of wealth generously distributed. But in Sir Sandford's case we have a man who was the engineer of the Canadian Pacific railroad and the first man who suggested the wonderful Pacific cable uniting us of the West to our fellows of the far East. He not only suggested this, but to my knowledge spent money lavishly on the matter, fought the question out against a host of opponents, and now has the thanks of the world and the solid satisfaction of its completion. He has not only been for years, but now is, the chancellor of Queen's university, and has all along been the pioneer in modes of thought, the helper of the worthy and the wearer of a blameless character in private life. It is time that Canada and England should see that all those coupled with the highest scientific attainments should receive the highest of rewards that the crown can give."

CONSOLIDATED COUNTRY SCHOOLS

The consolidation of country schools in some sections of the state of Massachusetts having been tried and proved a success, the question is now a live one in the districts where the old conditions still prevail.

Some time ago fifty letters were sent to the parents of pupils attending one of the new consolidated schools. With only three exceptions all the replies showed the parents were convinced of the great improvement that had been brought about by combining three or four of the former small schools into one large central school.

The following is a brief summary, from the private letters received, showing what the parents considered had been brought about by the consolidation of the schools:

1—Better education and more desire for it among children of school age.

2—More interest taken in the schools by the parents.

3—Better teachers and greater sympathy between schools and homes.

4—Better health among the scholars.

5—The social influence had been widened and reflected itself in reading circles and clubs for mutual improvement.

6—Better roads, necessitated by the transportation of the pupils.

Some of the parents replied that they found that the pupils from the consolidated schools were in greater demand for situations as clerks and positions of responsibility than the pupils from the small, poorly equipped schools.

Many leading Canadian agricultural papers are now discussing this question to demand attention from the different provincial governments.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

They are getting along nicely in South Africa. Martial law has been suspended throughout the country — a fact which speaks volumes for the loyal manner in which the Boers have accepted the new rule. Mr. Chamberlain will not find his job in South Africa to be very hard.

KEENE.

—A very interesting event took place at St. Mary's Roman Catholic church on Wednesday morning, when Clara Maude, daughter of Charles Bell, and Thomas J. Walsh, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by the Rev. Father Phelan, of Young's Point. Miss Lottie Bell, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. Frank Walsh assisted the groom. The bride was dressed in a handsome traveling gown, and carried a bouquet of white roses. The marriage took place at 9 o'clock, after which solemn high mass was celebrated. Mrs. Daniel McCarthy played the wedding march, and also for the mass. The church was tastefully decorated for the occasion with evergreens and flowers. After the marriage the immediate friends of the bride and groom were given a sumptuous wedding breakfast at the home of the bride. The presents were numerous and costly, testifying to the high esteem in which the bride is held. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Walsh drove to Peterborough, where they took the 5 o'clock train for Toronto, where they will reside. We join the many friends of bride and groom in wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

—Rev. Mr. Lawson, of Addison, Ont., gave a lecture in the town hall on Wednesday evening, on the temperance question. There was a small attendance on account of the inclement weather. Mr. Lawson is a talented orator, and brought out his side of the question in a masterly manner.

—Dr. Halliday, of Peterborough, was in the village on Wednesday attending little Harold Robinson, who is critically ill.

—Professor DeMilberg, eye specialist, was in the village on Wednesday and Thursday, at Dr. Harrison's office.

—The pupils of the public school are working hard to make their Christmas concert a success. Mr. T. J. Wallace principal, always takes great pains training the children, and the concert is always a financial success. The money raised is used for making the school room more habitable for human beings.

—The village improvement society held a meeting on Monday evening. It was decided to hold a series of concerts during the winter, for the purpose of raising money to improve the village.

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sleep! She would have us believe that she's in bed every night at ten."

"You've plied her with too much champagne, oh, generous host!" cried one of the women.

"Perhaps," confessed Macaire, while everybody laughed. "The child must not have any more to-night. Next time you meet her I warrant she'll do better. In a month she'll hold her own with any of you."

"To the next meeting!" Glasses were lifted, and much champagne was drunk.

"Poor little dear, she doesn't look very comfortable!" giggled a lady in many diamonds and a small allowance of bodice. "She won't be able to sit up with us bigger children for dessert."

"I'll give instructions for her to be taken away where she can have her nap out in peace," said Macaire, his eyes viciously bright. He nodded to a footman, who moved forward respectfully to take his master's order; and at this instant, without being announced, Hope Newcome came into the house.

"Von Zellheim!" exclaimed one of the men.

Winifred's closing eyes opened wide for the fraction of a second. They were no longer bright, but dull and curiously glassy. "Help!" she whispered, rather than spoke, straining to make her voice heard as one tries to scream and break the cold spell of a nightmare. Then her head fell forward again, and she would have slipped from her chair to the floor had not Macaire caught her.

It was the movement, not the scarcely audible whisper, which drew Hope Newcome's eyes to the drooping figure in white; and, seeing the lovely, pallid face of Winifred Gray, he sprang towards her, his eyes blazing incredulous horror at her presence here.

"This is a pleasant surprise, my dear Von Zellheim," said Macaire, his expression somewhat belying his words. "Your pardon for one moment while I see to Miss Gray's comfort, and a place shall be made for you. Our young friend's head is not as strong as it might be, and she has been overcome by a little more champagne than she's been accustomed to taking."

For an instant Hope Newcome had lost self-control; but in the short interval occupied by the millionaire's excuses he had regained it. He knew Winifred Gray; and he knew Macaire—at last! Never in his life of vicissitudes, perhaps, had he received such a shock as the sight of Winifred Gray at Macaire's house, dining in this company, had given; but, though he was absolutely ignorant of the circumstances which had led up to her coming, it took him no longer than a second to divine that she was the victim of some plot—possibly not the first web which this cunning spider had spun for her undoing. And at the end of that one second he had made up his mind how to act.

"Whatever had caused Miss Gray's indisposition it is certainly not due to champagne," he said, in a loud, cold voice, to be heard by everyone. "I know her well enough to vouch for that, since she is to be my wife. And as she is to be my wife it is my place to take care of her. I will relieve you of the trouble, Mr. Macaire."

As he spoke he stepped forward as if to remove her from Macaire's arms.

It was the first time that the millionaire had touched Winifred Gray more familiarly than to take her hand. The fragrance of her yellow-brown hair was intoxicatingly sweet in his nostrils; he had been half drunk with the joy of success at last; and with an oath he drew back from the younger man who had just announced himself his rival. There was no reason for holding his fierce temper in, so far as he knew, and he loosed it savagely.

"How dare you?" he demanded. "She's nothing to you, you liar. She's mine, or she wouldn't be here to-night."

Newcome did not answer, but grasping Macaire's wrist with one of his brown, strong hands, he twisted it back so that the joint cracked in its socket, and the millionaire gave a shrill, irrepressible squeal of pain.

Quietly Newcome took Winifred from him, holding her against his shoulder, and defying Macaire with the cold menace of his dark eyes.

Always hideous, the red, glazed face of Nero the Second was appalling in his rage. At sight of it the women sprang up from the table, pale under their paint. Glasses were overturned, and eyes that had gazed on many a strange scene opened wide to behold something of more than common interest.

"You dog; you common cur that I took from the gutter!" shrieked Macaire. "You puppet that I hired with my money to dance at my bidding! You thought you might presume on your brute strength to come here and insult me in my own house, I suppose, since our contract wasn't out yet. But it's got hardly a month more to run——"

"We'll call it cancelled now," said Hope Newcome. "You and I will have no more contracts in future."

"Everyone here shall know who you are," Macaire went on, furiously. "All the world that I've been laughing at shall know to-morrow, and where will you be then? Why, kicked back to your kennel by the women who've made you their pet."

"My kennel's rather a nice one," said Newcome, "Schloss Zellheim, on the Rhine. It is no longer a ruin. I have had it restored in these last few months. I hope to take Miss Gray there; only she will then be the Baroness von Zellheim, and any man who has told lies about her will have been horse-whipped into publicly apologizing."

"Schloss Zellheim!" sneered Macaire. "The money you've saved out of what I flung to you wouldn't have bought it."

"The ruined castle has been the property of my family for many years, though they were absentees, and too poor to restore it. That has been my privilege."

"Pshaw!" laughed Macaire, hatefully. "These friends will know how much to believe of that, and what to tell in their clubs to-morrow when I say that you've no more right to the name of Von Zellheim than I have. I gave you the name, to make sport for myself, and sport I've had, but there's better to come. For six months your pay for breaking Joey Nash and being at my beck and call was to continue—good pay, a thousand pounds a month, to say nothing of the sum you got down to start with——"

"It's trebled now," cut in Newcome, coolly. "You gave me such excellent advice as to speculations. I took it, and succeeded beyond my best hopes. That's the one thing for which I have to thank you."

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ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
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COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

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2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 ton [illegible] re above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

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OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4 00 per ton, total	800,000 00
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2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
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If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

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1907	85,000
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NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
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Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000 00	
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Then she will flit over to the apple tree close by and study it from the north-west. Then she will examine it from other points of the compass. At last she will hop up to it and pull it about—apparently accepting it, but rejecting it again, still uncertain as to its suitability for some purpose exactly defined in her foolish little mind. At last she will decide to use it, and, seizing it, she will fly up to her nest with the treasure; but, vacillating once again, she drops it at the very threshold, and sits upon the roof a little while, eying it and chattering, explaining to her lord, perhaps, that it would have done well enough if it had been longer or shorter, or thicker or thinner, or heaven knows what. Finally she will flit down and carry it away to use, and behold! to-morrow she has turned it out once more, and it lies upon the garden path a rejected thing. Not for long, however, for either she herself or some other bird has removed it next time one looks for the much considered scrap.

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He is anxious to help with the nest-making, and holds forth without ceasing while his lady builds. Occasionally he lends a hand. He catches sight of a straw, it may be, or a small piece of stick, and it occurs to him that here is the very thing his foolish wife has sought for days and failed to find. What does not occur to him is that he is a garrulous old incompetent, and knows no more about nest-building than he does about the laying of eggs. His wife knows all about him, however, and the straw is turned out of the nest again as soon as his back is turned. He has probably placed it in some impossible position, and—after explaining what a marvelous fellow he is, and what a treasure he has brought up in the way of building material—departed, forgetting all about the matter in a moment or two. Even when he sees that straw lying upon the garden path, so conceited is he that he does not recognize it, because he cannot contemplate the possibility of its rejection by the missus. He thinks he has found another treasure. "There," says he, dumping it down by her side as she sits resting, perhaps laying a little egg, in the semi-completed nest; "there's another splendid straw; how is it you don't come across them? I can find them whenever I like!"—"Longman's Magazine."

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The "Hen Deceiver."

A friend of mine, says "Pick-Me-Up," has invented what he calls a "hen deceiver," for the purpose of promoting industry amongst the ladies of the farmyard. The apparatus is simple, and consists of a box for a nest, with a trapdoor for the bottom, so that when the hen lays an egg it drops through into a receiver underneath, the door closing automatically. When the hen gets up to look for the egg—it has gone, and she thinks she has made a mistake, and lays another. A hen has been known in this way to lay fifteen eggs at a sitting.

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"What of it?" says Widdy.

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"I don't tink much of de plan," says Whiskers. "If I had two hundred millions I would do something more better dan dat."

The Drinking Orchid.

A plant termed by English "Public Opinion" the most extraordinary ever discovered has been brought to light by the exertions of Mr. R. A. Saverkrop of Philadelphia, who during his trips to South America has been for some years contributing to the collection of his friend, Professor N. E. Brown, of the Herbarium, Kew Gardens, London. The wonderful plant which Mr. Saverkrop has now found is an orchid that takes a drink whenever it feels thirsty by letting down a tube into the water. When not in use the tube is coiled up on top of the plant.

One hot afternoon, says Mr. Saverkrop, I sat down under some brushwood at the side of a lagoon on the Rio de la Plata. Near at hand was a forest of dead trees which had been choked to death by orchids and climbing cacti. In front of me, stretching over the waters of the lagoon and about a foot above it, was a branch of one of these dead trees. Here and there clusters of common plants del aire grew on it, and a network of green cacti twined round it.

Among the orchids I noted one different from the rest, the leaves, sharp lance-head shaped, growing all round the root and radiating from it. From the center or axis of the plant hung a long, slender stem about one-eighth of an inch thick and one-fourth of an inch wide. The lower end of this was in the water to a depth of about four inches.

I went over at once to examine my discovery, and was surprised when I touched the plant to see the center stem gradually contract and convulsively roll itself up in a spiral like a roll of tape. I found on examination that the stem was a long, slender, flat tube, open at the outer end, and connected at the inner end to the roots by a series of hairlike tubes.

By subsequent observation I found that when the plant was in need of water this tube would gradually unwind till it dipped into the water. Then it would slowly coil round and wind up, carrying with it the quantity of water that the part of the tube which had been immersed contained. When the final coil was made, the water was poured, as it were, directly into the roots of the plant. The coil remained in this position until the plant required more water. But should the plant be touched while the tube is extended, the orchid acts like the sensitive plant, and the coiling is more rapid.

I found many of these plants, all directly over the water, or over the place where he water had been. In the latter case it was almost pitiful to see how the tube would work its way over the ground in search of water that was not there.

High "Steaks."

In the grand gambling hall there was breathless silence.

A poker game between two of the billionaires was in progress.

About their table were packed and jammed hundreds of curious, excited people, watching their play with astonishment.

"I'll bet you a porterhouse steak!" says one.

Murmurs of awe rise from the watchers.

Clear and stern comes the answer:

"I'll see that porterhouse steak and raise you two rib roasts, a pig's knuckle and a can of ox-tail soup."

Here the onlookers gasped.

One of them, indeed, muttered:

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Bakersfield, Cal., Sept. 27.—J. Pierpont Morgan is about to identify himself with the oil business in California. On October 12, or a few days later, surveyors will be put into the field, and will run lines to the ocean from Sunset, Coaling, McKittrick, Midway and Kern River fields to determine by which route it is most feasible to transport oil to tide water. The surveys will run over the coast range at a number of points, and also will go down the San Joaquin valley parallel with the line of the Standard.

A company having a capitalization of $5,000,000 has been organized for the construction of lines, pumping stations, storage tanks, and the like. Mr. Morgan and his associates have also formed a separate company, capitalized at $20,000,000, half of which will be invested in proven ground and the other half turned into a reserve fund.

It is stated that the Morgan syndicate will be prepared to handle 2,000,000 barrels the first year, and will increase that amount at the rate of 1,000,000 a year until the whole demand of the market is met.

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will be developed and should prove a formidable rival for the new company.

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PROFESSOR DR. RUD J. SCHIMPER, Analytical and Expert Chemist, of St. Paul, makes the following statement relative to the composition, what can be produced and the estimated profits of the Sunset Crude Oil. A copy of the original certificate can be seen at the office of the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Co., which is in substance as follows:

"This is to certify that the undersigned, Dr. Rudolph J. Schimper, Chemist expert, member of Parisian Academy, according to analysis made from the crude oil furnished me by the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company, I find the following valuable products and with each beg to submit my estimate of its value:

1. LIQUID RUBBER—2000 lbs of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 1,800 lbs. of liquid rubber, value of which is from 25c. per lb. and up. (Estimated value $450.00.)
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5. SOAP—2000 lbs. (1 ton) of crude oil and [illegible] will produce over 2,000 lbs. of soap, value 3c. per lb. and upward. (Estimated value $60.00.)

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MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS should be paid to the stockholders of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company when their property is fully developed, their refinery equipped and in full operation. ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS was paid by Kern County Oil Companies during the month of August alone.

SIX MILLION BARRELS is the consuming capacity of the Southern Pacific Railway engines, which are now equipped for burning oil. Outside of this consider other railway lines, smelters, factories, steamships, stationery engines, which are all heavy consumers of fuel oil and last but not least, hotels and private dwellings are falling in line with the procession in the use of fuel oil.

A GOOD REASON WHY YOU Should Invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. More fortunes have been made in oil than any other business. Consider the immense amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for its fortunate stockholders, and the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard Oil Company. Here is what $100 has accomplished for those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:

Home Whittier $1,600 on an investment of $100.

Kern returned $2,200 on an investment of $100.

Peerless returned $1,800 on an investment of $100.

Dillon returned $2,500 on an investment of $100.

New York returned $30,000 on an investment of $100.

Union returned $150,000 on an investment of $100.

Home returned $50,000 on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Company's oil holdings and property, when developed and handled, should not bring like returns

CONTRARY to the general supposition the earth is the repository of all mineral wealth. When it is known and demonstrated beyond a question of a doubt where its wealth reposes and you put your money up to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people but creates new wealth. It is therefore an investment.

Wonderful Increase in Value of Oil Stocks.

The rapid rise in the value of shares in some oil companies will be seen from the following table:	Original price per share	Present Market price
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Home Oil Co. Whittier	.25	2.50
Monte Cristo Co.	.10	2.00
West Shore Co.	.50	4.50
Twenty-eighth Oil Co.	.50	2.50
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	.50	1.50
Sterling Oil & Development Company	.50	2.25
Dillon Oil Co.	.50	2.50
Peerless Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
San Joaquin Oil Co.	.50	[illegible]
Kern Oil Co.	.25	10.00
Thirty-three Oil Co.	.25	12.50
Kern River Oil Co.	.50	25.00
New York Oil Co.	.50	30.00
Oil City Petroleum Co.	2.50	24.00
Hanford Oil Co.	2.00	120.00
Kreyenhagen Oil Co.	.10	[illegible]
Columbia Oil Co.	100.00	400.00
Union Oil Co.	1.00	150.00
Home Oil Co.	100.00	[illegible]

The time will come in the near future when stock in St. Paul and Sunset Oil Co., should bring prices equal to the last.

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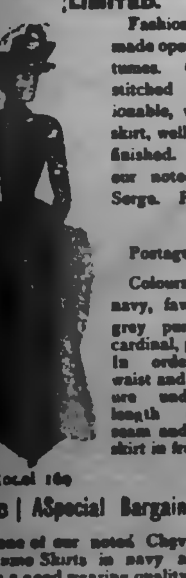

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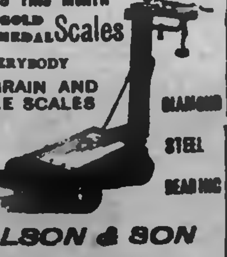

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ITEMS OF NEWS BY CABLE AND LETTER

London, Nov. 26—Political gossip in London among Nationalists assumes that on account of the King's personal friendship for Gladstone he has been a home ruler for years, but the idea has been termed a "fantastic invention," and equally fatuous is the theory that Mr. Wyndham has consulted with Messrs. Redmond, O'Brien and O'Connor respecting the scope and character of the new land purchase bill. It is believed, however, that great efforts will be made to conciliate the Irish party before the King visits Ireland.

Santiago, Chili, Tuesday, Nov. 25—The decision of the British Arbitration Commission in the boundary dispute between Chili and Argentina was received here with calmness, but with little satisfaction, because the new demarcatory lines have no scientific basis, and because, although Chili gets the largest amount of land, Argentina gets the best land.

The British award is a compromise between the claims of the two countries. The area in dispute was about 58,374 square miles. The award gives Chili about 33,534, and Argentina about 24,340 square miles

London, Nov. 26—A. Bertrand, a Chilian expert, who testified before the British Boundary Commission informed a representative of the Associated Press today that he regards the decision as generally rather favorable to Chili. More than half the disputed territory, although not the most valuable portion, is awarded to Chili.

London, Nov. 26—A Paris correspondent says that in the Senate the Minister of War yesterday drew attention to the unsanitary condition of the army, saying that since 1870 Germany had only lost 13,000 soldiers from disease, while France had lost 90,000 from the same cause. The War Minister said that consumption and typhoid were the principal factors in the death list. Conscripts joined the regiments in November, the very worst season for change of place, diet, and habits. The imprudence, the Minister said, had been dearly paid for, and he had issued a circular enjoining greater sanitary precautions.

London, Ont., Nov. 26—The price of oil in London has taken a sharp advance. Oil which sold some time ago to the consumer at 15 cents per gallon now retails at 20 cents. It is understood that the reason for this is the great increase in the quantity of oil being used. The scarcity of other fuel has produced an immense demand for oil stoves.

BETHOTLE RELIEVED.

Aden, Arabia, Nov. 27 — General Manning's flying column relieved Bohotle, Somaliland, November 19. He found 25 per cent. of the men composing the garrison suffering from malarial fever. The Mad Mullah is in the vicinity of Mudug, preparing to contest any advance of the British.

SOUFRIERE STILL ACTIVE.

Kingston, St. Vincent, Nov. 27 — A violent eruption of La Soufriere took place yesterday, making the fifth outburst since the catastrophe of May 7th. The crater has been smoking constantly since the terrific eruption of Oct. 6th.

DOG SAVED MASTER'S LIFE

Rockland, Me., Oct. 25—A dog to whose faithfulness and sagacity William T. Oberton probably owes his life, has become known all over the country, and the story of Mr. Oberton's sensational adventure will be told for years to come.

Mr. Oberton has a large farm on the side of Dodge's mountain, and among other stock owns a large bull. The animal had never displayed vicious tendencies, and Mr. Oberton was unprepared when the bull rushed upon him in the pasture.

Mr. Oberton had the presence of mind to obtain a firm hold of the bull's horns, but the enraged animal tossed him about with frightful energy. Failing to make Mr. Oberton release his hold, the bull pushed him toward a fence, and the man knew that unless help came he would soon be crushed to death.

Already his hands were bruised and swollen, and the strain wrought by the encounter was telling upon him.

At this critical juncture Mr. Oberton heard fierce barking and saw his bulldog coming in the direction of the struggle at full speed. The dog promptly sprang upon the bull, and fastening his teeth into the latter's throat, bit with such vigor that the bull's attention was diverted to the dog.

When Mr. Oberton reached a safe point the dog seized his attack, and trotted away, a hero.

HE FEARS FRAUD ON DECEMBER 4

Ald. Spence Says the Liquor Party Will Attempt Personation

Toronto Star.

There is a sound of a going in the Provincial headquarters of the Ontario Prohibition party in the Confederation Life Building. The click of the typewriters and the swish of the pastebrush and the rattle of tracts and papers. Ten tons of literature have gone out broadcast over the Province, comprising ten million pages of matter.

The office of the workers became too small some days ago, and two additional rooms have been pressed into the service.

From early morning till late at night a staff of 15 people have been busy sending out the stream which already has assumed the large proportion mentioned. The cost to the temperance people will be $40,000, and there are at least 10,000 people actively engaged in the work.

"The campaign has been a comparitively pleasant one, hasn't it? Not a bit like the time when the Scott Act was a live issue?" asked a Star reporter today.

"The reason for this," replied Mr. Spence, "is because the liquor interests have not shown their hand. We expect a lot of plugging from what we hear, and are appointing a strong body of scrutineers to meet it."

"What makes you think that personation is being arranged?"

"Oh, we have heard it. This will not be very difficult in cities and towns on account of the time of registration being so far from the time of voting. You see the voters were registered in May last and between May and December many people have moved away, and it is easily possible to secure a voter to take his place."

"You expect to win of course?"

"Well, we are organized thoroughly in each of the 97 constituencies. We are relying on three lines of work—first, the holding of meetings; second, the circulating of literature; third, the canvassing of votes."

"Have you hired any conveyances for election day?"

"No, that is illegal. We expect to poll a good vote, but we realize that the absence of personal leaders will make it smaller than usual. When John Brown and John Smith run the people are attracted to either of the men, but here you see, there is nothing like that as an element to attract votes."

Each canvasser is supplied with instructions. Two of the warnings are: Every polling sub-division chairman ought to select good men for inside and outside scrutineers. Do not try to canvass the whole of a sub-division yourself.

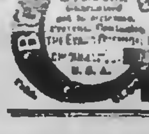
SOCIALISTS AND SOUTH ITALY

London, Nov. 27—The Socialist group in the Italian Chamber, says a Rome correspondent, declares that it is dissatisfied with both proposals of the Government and of Baron Sonnino, for the alleviation of the condition on Southern Italy and announce a third solution of the problem from a Socialist point of view.

CABLE CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

Big English Cable Steamer Expected to Begin Cable Laying on December 8th

San Francisco, Nov. 24.—Christmas greetings by cable will be exchanged between this city and Honolulu, unless something unforseen occurs in cable laying. The big English cable steamer Silverton is expected here on Dec. 6th. She will at once begin laying the cable. This ought not to consume over twelve days. The land cable here is laid, and is ready to connect with the ocean cable. The next span of the cable will be from Honolulu to Midway Island, 1,200 miles, and the next between that island and Guam. The last span is between Guam and Manila. If everything goes right, cable messages ought to be exchanged with Manila by next summer.



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STOCK MARKETS

Temporary Ups and Downs—Narrow Limits

New York, Nov. 28.—The market is preparing in our opinion for a considerable movement in the upward direction. Prior to the actual start there will be temporary small ups and downs, without a radius of from one to three points. Such a movement allowing a considerable move in the opposite direction is usually prefaced in this manner. The mid-week holiday also detracts to a great extent from the market. The market in all probability will also be inclined to await the outcome of the C. F. I. fight and the outcome of the deal in Manhattan stock. The announcement authoritatively of the lease of the Manhattan to the Interborough Co. for 99 years has been made. It will go far to establishing confidence, many people fearing that should it prove to have been only a speculative stock the effect upon the market would ultimately have been disastrous. The fight in the Colorado Fuel and Iron is becoming interesting. Some of the interested parties have concerned themselves in the matter owing to their strong interest in the disposal of the freight constantly offering by the concern. Colorado Fuel & Iron matters should speedily come to a finish however. The attitude of the anthracite carriers towards Mitchell also afford possibilities for working the coal shares up and down within comparatively narrow limits, which also tends to hold financial matters in statu quo, assisting in making a close up and down market such as we anticipate, for a few days at least. Such a market affords frequent and safe chances for profitable trading, however, by purchasing when weak and disposing of your holding at from 1 to 3 points advance. Many a five or ten per cent. profits has thus been credited to the account of a clever trader through the range of prices while he was making kept well within range of two or three points. It is usual safer to trade in such a market than in one more mercurial and inclined to rapid marches in the rear direction. The tangible and visible factory having a bearing upon prices, we are as bullish as ever that in time they must certainly have their effect upon values. Every week of bullish tendencies means so much more ultimate advance for stocks.

Summary—Tuesday's and Wednesday's advices of these letters veered to the bull side proved correct. To day's market witnessed improvement in prices. L. N. made the most notable advance among the railways from 124 to 130 1-2. St. Paul advanced in a lively manner, opening up 3-8 at 175 7-8, and selling up to 178 3-4. Southern Pacific, Mo. Pacific, Union Pacific and Reading issues were heavily purchased by inside interest. Manitoba was firm. The undertone of the entire list was excellent. In the industrial department sugar was the leader, recording an advance of over 4 points. Copper rose 2 points. Steels were stronger. Stocks are a good purchase at present, especially on every reaction. Money closed 4 per cent. Sales 641,2000.

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WRECK OF STEAMER VENTNOR

Victoria, B.C., Nov. 27—According to advices received from Sydney, by the steamer Aorangi, H.M.S. Sparrow has has returned from a protracted cruise through the South Sea Islands. During her cruise the warship's officers annexed Suwarrow Ysabel, and Choiseul Island for Great Britain. At Malieta Islands five villages of the natives were shelled to punish the islanders for having killed a Fijian woman because she embraced Christianity. With a view to impressing the natives with the seriousness of the crime committed by them, and of warning them against a recurrence of such acts, the Sparrow visited five places in the Island of Malieta, namely, Auki, Sio, Wrae, Kwai and Port Diamond, and at each place the villages were shelled and partially destroyed.

—Mr. H. P. Kennedy has removed from his late residence, King street, to his new home corner of Aylmer and Dalhousie streets, purchased from Hon. J. R. Stratton.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS

WHEAT	
Wheat	66 to 67
FLOUR AND MEAL	
Flour, patent process, cwt	$2 [illegible] to 2 [illegible]
Flour, bakers', per cwt	[illegible] to 2 [illegible]
COARSE GRAIN	
Barley, per bushel	40 to 45
Peas, small	55 to 58
Peas, mummies	65 to 70
Oats	30 to 34
Buckwheat	35 to 40
Rye	45 to 50
WOOL AND HIDES	
Wool, unwashed	08 to 07
Fleece Wool	11 to 13
Veal Calf Skins	[illegible] to [illegible]
Deakons	[illegible] to [illegible]
Beef Hides per cwt	5 50 to 7 [illegible]
Sheepskins	[illegible] to [illegible]
MEAT, POULTRY, AND DAIRY PRODUCE	
Beef by the quarter, per cwt	5 [illegible] to 6 [illegible]
Mutton, per lb	05 to 07
Spring Lamb, quarter	05 to 07
Dressed hogs, per cwt	7 00 to 7 50
Pork by the quarter, per lb	9 to 10
Lard	13 to 14
Chickens, per pair	50 to 75
Ducks, per pair	60 to [illegible]
Geese, each	75 to 1 00
Turkeys, each	75 to 1 50
Butter, fresh roll, per lb	18 to 20
Butter, crock	16 to 18
Eggs, per doz	17 to 18
Hay, per ton	9 00 to 10 00
LIVE STOCK	
Cattle, choice butchers (steers, exporters and heifers)	4 to 05
Medium butchers' (steers and heifers)	[illegible] to [illegible]
Light cattle and cows	[illegible] to [illegible]
Feeders, 1,000-1,100	[illegible] to [illegible]
Stockers	[illegible] to [illegible]
Hogs, select, 160-200	5 [illegible] to 5 75
Fats and heavies	5 [illegible] to 5 [illegible]
Lights	5 [illegible] to 5 [illegible]
Sows	4 00 to 4 25
Stags	[illegible] to [illegible]
Sheep	2 50 to 2 75
Lambs, per lb	3 to 3½
GENERAL	
Potatoes	1 00 to 1 25
Carrots	[illegible] to [illegible]
Wood, hard	5 00 to 5 [illegible]
Wood, soft	[illegible] to 4 00
Straw, per load	[illegible] 3 00
Tallow, rendered, per lb	[illegible] to 07

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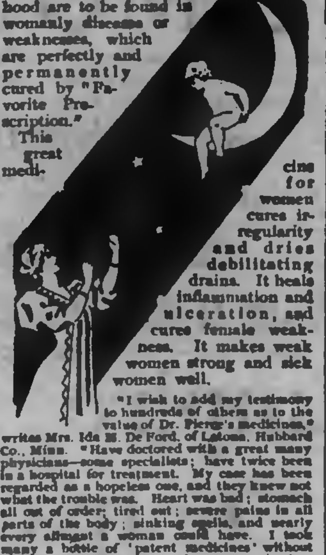

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Morning Times

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Temperance Parade

About 10,000 children will take part in the temperance parade in Toronto today.

For New Members

The social committee of the Y.M.C.A. met Thursday evening, and arranged for a social for new members to be held in the parlors on Friday evening, Dec. 5th.

Y. W. C. A.

The Victoria Club entertained their friends on Thursday evening. A very pleasant evening was spent. Miss Gussy Dally, president of the club, was presented with a handsome book before her departure from town.

Increased Freight Rates

The proposed increased freight rates of the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific Railways will not come into effect, but the Michigan Central railway has increased its freight rates, which will take effect on January 1st inst.

Grand Trunk New Repair Shops

Stratford is to be the site of the new central repair shops for the entire Grand Trunk system. Next to the shops for new locomotives in Montreal, the repair works will be the most important railway industry in Eastern Canada. This means a good thing for Stratford.

Rugby Club Dance

One of the interesting events to be looked forward to is the Rugby ball on Tuesday evening next, Dec. 2nd. It is expected that a large number of the friends of the Rugby Club will take part in the gathering..

It Pays to Raise Poultry

It is said that turkeys and geese are scarce in the surrounding country and will be a high price before Xmas. In Buffalo turkeys are bringing 15c and 16c a lb., with prospects for a still higher price.

The Quirk Inquest

The Quirk inquest at Irondford will be resumed on Tuesday next, after hanging fire for many months. It will be remembered that Quirk met his death in some unknown manner in the stable at the rear of his hotel late at night.

Teacher Wanted

Lady Teacher for Havelock Public school, second class professional. Applications must be in by December 15th.

WILLIAM MATHEISON,
1w Chairman P. S. Board.

Official Denial

At the Grand Trunk headquarters in Montreal official denial is given to the Toronto Mail's story that the G. T. R. was trying to buy the Northern Navigation Company. The arrangement existing between the railway and that company is said to be quite satisfactory.

No Medals or Gratuity

The Militia Department at Ottawa is in receipt of a letter from Joseph Chamberlain, forwarded through the Governor-General which makes it clear that no medals or gratuity will be forthcoming for the last four regiments of Canadian Mounted Rifles who arrived in South Africa too late for hostilities.

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Sugar Beets

The following article is taken from yesterday's Mail and Empire—

Peterborough people appear to be as prompt to act as they are quick to appreciate a good thing, and already a company has been formed in that enterprising city to operate a beet sugar industry somewhat on the lines of that so successfully conducted in Berlin. Like wise men, however, as the Peterborough people are (coming from the east) they decided to inspect the Berlin plant before doing anything, and for this purpose, a party of about 40 members of the county and town councils and board of trade arrived in town yesterday and registered at the Walker House for a few hours leaving in a special car at 5.28 p.m., for Berlin.

President Bradburn, of the Board of Trade, is head of the company. They will locate right in the city, and later on will ask for aid from the city and county. The new project is particularly interesting to the farmers in the district, a number of whom are with the deputation. The party will look over the factory this morning and return today."

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Interesting Items.

A young swell wore a new style evening coat at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York the other night. It was a swallow-tail, with velvet collar and a pocket for a handkerchief in the left breast. A tiny lace handkerchief peeped from the pocket.

A man advertises in a Syracuse paper for a job as general housework servant. He is a widower, familiar with all phases of housekeeping, and says that he can pickle, wash, and iron, enact the parts of the cook and the waitress, mind the baby, dust, and take care of the furnace.

It is a good advertisement for vegetarianism that a pedestrian who doesn't eat meat came in first in the international walking-match between Berlin and Dresden. The winner made the one hundred and twenty-five miles in the record-breaking time of twenty-seven hours, thirteen minutes, and fourteen and one-half seconds.

The New York "Commercial Advertiser" estimates that Andrew Carnegie's benefactions, up to date, amount to $63,000,000, distributed in the following order: United States, $35,361,673; Scotland, $12,078,750; Canada, $376,500; Cuba, $252,000; Ireland, $65,500. And yet, Mr. Carnegie's wealth is said to be increasing more rapidly than he can give it away, owing to the enormous earnings of the properties whose securities he holds.

In his book on "The Private Life of the Sultan," Mr. Georges Dorys says that during the Armenian massacres it cost the Turkish treasury the equivalent of about $1,000,000 for hush money, or "allocations," to certain European newspapers, besides the distribution of six hundred and forty costly decorations placed where they would do the most good. Abdul Hamid seemed to believe firmly in the cynical saying of Walpole that every man has his price.

Miss Azalene Earle, formerly of Portland, Oregon, but latterly a "hello girl" in San Francisco, is now Mrs. William Halleck Deming, and will travel in Europe with her husband this summer. Says the Portland "Oregonian:" "Mr. Deming, who is a man of wealth, was attracted by her soft and gentle voice in calling 'Number?' through the telephone, and acquaintance and marriage followed. If the voices of the telephone girls in this city have lately become indistinct through muffled sweetness, the above announcement accounts for it."

Thomas A. Edison thinks that in six or seven years horses will have disappeared from the streets as beasts of burden, and automobiles will be made so cheap as to be within the reach of all who wish or need vehicles. He declares this revolution will be brought about by a storage electric battery which he has invented. "The man that cannot quite afford to keep a horse and carriage is the man that I am trying to provide for," he said the other day; "the automobile will be the thing for him. Its first cost will not be great, it will not require care, and the cost of maintenance will come far below the cost of keeping a horse."

An interesting series of experiments has been tried by the school authorities in South Germany to test the faculty of observation as it is exercised by boys and girls. A man dressed as an ordinary workman and with ordinary features was placed in a room by himself. Classes of girls of different ages were sent through the room. All that the teachers told them was that they were to go into the room through one door and out through another. When they returned to their classrooms they were asked to describe the man in the room. Nearly eighty per cent. of the girls confined their attention to the man's clothes; the others described both clothes and features. The same experiments when tried with boys revealed the fact that nearly seventy per cent. of them confined their attention to the man's features, the remainder to both features and clothes.

The Stupidity of Instinct.

Are insects, bees for instance, so very intelligent after all, or does their instinct resemble automatism instead of reason? Mr. J. Carter Beard has assembled a number of interesting instances in the "Scientific American" which lead to the conclusion that the wonderful results often accomplished by insects are due, not to intelligence, but to automatic obedience to external or internal stimuli. We might as well, he thinks, call a watch intelligent as an insect.

In one instance it appears that house-flies exhibit more appearance of real intelligence than do honey-bees. Take a large glass jar with a wide mouth, says Mr. Beard, and imprison in it a bee and some flies. Put the bottom of the jar against a window-pane, draw the curtains around the jar and then uncork the mouth. The flies will quickly find their way out of the open mouth into the room, but the bee will stupidly continue to try to get through the glass where it sees the light and will never think of exploring in the other direction. But perhaps this shows, not superior intelligence on the part of the flies, but less attraction to the light or a greater variety of stimuli to motion.

The bee's whole existence seems to depend upon routine. She always does the same things in the same way and exhibits no capacity to profit by, or repair the effects of, accident. Mason-bees, for instance, build little thimble-shaped structures of mud, half fill them with honey and pollen, then lay their eggs therein and top off the construction with a roof. If a hole is made in the bottom of one of these thimbles while the building is going on, and the honey is allowed to run out, the stupid bee, even after discovering the hole, makes no attempt to stop it up, but continues to pour in the honey at the top, allowing it to run away at the bottom, until, the proper amount required by instinct having been put in, she lays her eggs and seals up the top, content with her vain labor.

Many other instances can be cited which tend to show that the instinct of insects does not resemble human reason.

On the other hand, insects sometimes do things which do not seem to be the result of pure automatism. Darwin found that even earthworms exhibit more adaptability to circumstances than was shown by Mr. Beard's imprisoned bee in the glass jar.

The Guelph Winter Fair

For the above, the Grand Trunk will issue round trip tickets at single first class fare from points in Canada west of Kingston. Good going Dec. 7th to 12th, inclusive, and valid returning until Dec. 15th. The Fair promises to be a great success this year. With new buildings and increased exhibits. $7,000 will be offered as prizes for cattle, sheep, swine and poultry. Further particulars, time tables, etc., on application to Agents of the Grand Trunk Railway.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Dickson Company are about to erect a new saw mill.

—More counterfeit $2 bills are in circulation.

—The Cattle Guard Commission met in the Court House yesterday.

—This is the sort of weather that drives the "Weary Willies" to town.

—St. John's Girls' Guild will meet Tuesday evening. The meeting will be of a literary character.

—The "Never Learn" club will not meet on Tuesday evening on account of the Rugby Club dance, but will meet on Thursday evening.

—Chief Clark found an upstairs bar in a Galt hotel on Sunday, and made charges, and Rev. Mr. Prescott, in his pulpit, prayed "God bless Chief Clark."

—It was announced at the meeting in St. Paul's church Thursday evening that another public meeting in the interests of the Referendum would be held before Dec. 4th.

—A despatch from Chatham says:—The Wallaceburg beet sugar factory shipped a trainload of sugar consisting of 25 cars to the Northwest yesterday. This is the first large shipment from the new factory. This factory has only been in operation for a couple of weeks.

—The men's rally meeting at the Y.M.C.A. on Sunday will in future begin at four o'clock sharp. The meeting on Sunday will be one of special interest. Rev. E. D. MacLaren, D.D., of Vancouver, will be the speaker, his subject being "Consequences." Mr. Wildgust, of St. Paul's, will sing.

—John Henderson, of Cordova, while driving a laundry rig home from Havelock on Saturday, 8th inst., sustained fatal injuries through the collapse of the seat, he falling on his head and back. He died on Wednesday.

—Our new citizen, Mr. Wm. Fisher blacksmith, says the Millbrook Reporter, late of Peterborough, having purchased Mr. Wm. Langton's business, is ready to meet everybody who has work in that line. He has not yet moved his family here, but will do so shortly.

The Times today gives a brief outline of the Liquor Act, to be voted upon on Thursday next. It is out of the question to think of giving it in full, as it would fill about twenty columns of the paper, but we think the outline given will convey an intelligent idea of the general provisions of the measure.

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Foot Badly Crushed

Master Stanley Cawthorne, the five-year-old son of Mr. Wm. B. Cawthorne, 230 Perry street, met with a painful accident yesterday morning on his way to school. It appears that while a train was passing the Grand Trunk crossing on King street, a larger boy present jumped on the rear car and the little fellow attempted to do the same. He was told by one of the trainmen to jump off, and in doing so had his left foot run over. Several toes were broken, and the foot badly crushed. He was removed to Nicholls Hospital and is doing as well as could be expected. It will not be necessary to have the toes amputated.

The People vs. Railways

The following is taken from the Cobourg Post, and speaks for itself:

"The councils of many of the counties in Ontario, having petitioned the House of Commons requesting that a best interests of the country demand commission should be appointed to deal with matters affecting the public in its relation with railway companies as follows: "We consider that the time has arrived when the House of Commons, requesting that an independent tribunal be appointed to adjust all differences arising between the people and the railway companies in reference to the freight rates, cattle guards, gates at public crossings and to enforce the provisions of the law in general." In response to these petitions, a cattle guard commission was appointed which will meet in the interests of the citizens of the Counties of Victoria, Peterborough Northumberland and Durham, at the County Buildings, Peterborough, on the 28th November at 2 o'clock p.m. It is in the interest of the public that a large number of the citizens of Northumberland

The Times interviewed the County Clerk, with reference to above, but Mr. Watt said that he knew nothing of the meeting.

Social and Personal

—Mr. Jace McCabe visited friends in Port Hope on Thursday.

—Mr. Jack McFadden, of Gough Bros., was in Port Hope on Thursday evening.

—Mr. G. Walter Green, of Peterborough, was in town on Tuesday.—Millbrook Reporter.

—Mrs. T. H. Hooper, of Peterborough spent Friday as the guest of Mrs. W. A. Russell, John street.—Port Hope Times.

—The late Dr. J. R. Dickson, who died recently in Port Hope was a son of Mr. Rae Dickson, of that town, and was born in Peterborough in 1856.

—Miss Pearl M. Walker, formerly of Peterborough and a niece of Miss S. Armstrong, who at one time conducted a millinery establishment here, was married on the evening of Wednesday November 26th, to Mr. Troy S. Miller, of Jackson, Minn., at 287 Grove street, St. Paul, Minn.

—Mr. W. C. Switzer, of Bethel, has sold his farm for a handsome sum to Mr. Henderson, of Manvers. His intention is to move to Peterborough in the near future. When the time comes for him to leave, Bethel will lose one of their most prominent and active members —Omemee Mirror

WEATHER NOTES

Saturday—Fresh to strong east to south winds; milder.

White Flour Starvation $20,000.00 Experiment

Post says that one pound of Grape Nuts furnishes more nourishment that the system will absorb than ten pounds of meal, wheat, oats or bread. He has a reason for the statement. The white flour makers issued millions of circulars denouncing him for the statement.

Post further says the excessive use of white bread causes disease of the bowels frequently ending in peritonitis and appendicitis.

Close under the shell of the wheat lie the phosphates, potash and other elements absolutely demanded by the body for its proper feeding, particularly for the nerve centers and the brain. Also close under the shell lie the elements of the diastase required by the body to change the starchy part of the wheat into Grape Sugar during the process of digestion

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But the white flour miller throws out these important elements because they darken the flour. The white flour of the present day is almost entirely composed of starch and the elements that will help digest that starch are left out; therefore when much starch, even in the shape of white bread, is put into the stomach it passes into the intestinal tract where, instead of being digested it ferments and causes trouble.

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It was to remedy this trouble that Grape-Nuts was invented, for practically the same methods that Nature uses to digest the starch are used in the manufacture of Grape-Nuts, so that the famous food goes into the body in the form of Grape Sugar—that is, the starch has been changed and the first act of digestion has taken place.

The result is that the human body is furnished with valuable food elements in the most perfect form.

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Now comes along the Maine Experiment Station to question Post's claim regarding the value of one pound of Grape-Nuts. They learnedly discuss the subject and produce a statement showing more calories of food value in ten pounds of bread than in one pound of Grape-Nuts.

That is not the question at issue. Like many other pseudo-scientific debaters they befuddle themselves and become lost to the maze of scientific effort.

How much food value will the system absorb, take up, make use of, that's the question. Suppose you feed a man 10 pounds of sugar, (which is nearly all pure nourishment). Would his system absorb 10 pounds? He would probably be made sick and really lose weight and strength. But suppose you prepared the sugar so he could quickly digest and assimilate it and absorb into his system the nourishing properties of it, is it not clear that 1-2 pound of such food would furnish him more nourishment THAT HIS SYSTEM WOULD ABSORB than the 10 pounds, or even 50 pounds of raw sugar?

That is exactly the case with Grape-Nuts. The elements of wheat and barley are scientifically treated in exactly the way the human body treats them to accomplish the first act of digestion, that is the change of starch into Grape Sugar.

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The makers of white flour sacrifice the most valuable part of the wheat in order to keep the flour white. A man fed on white bread alone will gradually become a shattered nervous wreck and die. He can't possibly live unless he is furnished with the food elements required by nature to sustain life, and some of the most powerful are entirely absent in white bread. Every element in the wheat and barley is kept in Grape-Nuts, and man or animal can live indefinitely on that perfect food. We have records of several thousand cases where people have been unable to maintain health, weight and strength on meat, wheat, oats or bread and have been able to increase weight, vitality and strength on the little portions of Grape-Nuts taken as a portion of each meal.

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We will place $10,000.00 in any designated bank against $10,000.00 to be deposited by the Maine Experiment Scientists(?) and the total $20,000.00 less cost of experiment, to be paid to them for their trouble and work if they prove our claim untrue. If they fail, the amount to be paid us for our time and labor of demonstration.

Common earth and air contains the raw elements necessary for man's food but even if a scientific state official should tell you that, would you therefore eat 10 pounds of earth and expect to extract its nourishment? It requires the curious and wonderful manipulation of the laws of the vegetable kingdom to select and combine and prepare these food elements of the soil in such a way that man and animals can absorb and make use of them. Hence we have vegetables and grains. So it still further requires the intelligence and skill of man to cook and prepare the vegetables and cereals to make them digestible and fit.

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The greater the intelligence and skill displayed in preparation and the more nearly the laws of digestion of food are followed the more perfect the result. We have the true scientific facts for the basis and the practical every day results with feeding millions of people for our proof and the statement stands on the solid rock of fact ONE POUND OF GRAPE-NUTS WILL SUPPLY MORE NOURISHMENT THAT THE SYSTEM WILL ABSORB than 10 pounds of meat, wheat, oats or bread.

We are at home every day, come and see us. If you are a Scientist(?) from Maine bring your wallet.

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The London Lancet one of the greatest medical authorities in the world, has to say: "The basis of nomenclature of this preparation is evidently an American pleasantry, since 'Grape-Nuts' is derived solely from cereals. The preparatory process undoubtedly converts the food constituents into a much more digestible condition than is the raw cereal. This is evident from the remarkable solubility of the preparation, no less than one half of it being soluble in cold water. The soluble portion contains chiefly dextrin and no starch. In appearance 'Grape-Nuts' resembles fried bread crumbs. The grains are brown and crisp, with a pleasant taste not unlike slightly burned malt. According to our analysis the following is the composition of 'Grape-Nuts': moisture, 6.02 per cent; mineral matter, 2.01 per cent; fat, 1.60 per cent.; proteids, 15.00 per cent. soluble carbohydrates, &c., 49.40 per cent.; and unaltered carbohydrates, (insoluble), 25.97, per cent. The features worthy of note in this analysis are the excellent proportion of proteid, mineral matters and soluble carbohydrates per cent. The mineral matter was rich in phosphoric acid. 'Grape-Nuts' is described as a brain or nerve food, whatever that may mean. Our analysis, at any rate, shows that it is a nutritive of high order, since it contains the constituents of a complete food in a very satisfactory and rich proportion and in an easily assimilable state."

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ATTEMPTS MURDER FOR THIRTY FIVE DOLLARS

Farmer Oliver Shot Cheesemaker Skellon--Police Cannot Find Him

Took His Intended Victim Out for a Drive and Put a Bullet in His Head—Wounded Man will Recover

Tweed, Nov. 29.—A shooting affray, which looks very like an attempt at murder, occurred near here last night, Oliver, a farmer about 40 years of age, living near Rednersville, Prince Edward County, the victim being Albert Skellon, a cheese maker from Cannifton, near Belleville. Skellon's story is that he had been visiting at Oliver's home since last Monday. Yesterday morning Oliver invited him to drive out to his (Oliver's) father's for a visit, and when they arrived at a lonely place on the road Oliver drew a revolver and shot him. The ball entered about an inch in front of the left ear, and came out just below the outer corner of the right eye. The wound is serious, but Skellon has good chances of recovery. Oliver would, no doubt, have finished his job, but for the opportune arrival of a farmer named David Lockwood. Lockwood drove the wounded man here. Oliver has not yet been secured. Skellon says he counted Oliver among his best friends, and can imagine no motive for the crime, unless it would be to escape a debt of $35 which Oliver owes him.

POLICE CAN'T FIND HIM.

Belleville, Nov. 29.—A shooting affray occurred at Bridgewater near this city, last night, which may end fatally. It appears that a man names James Oliver, hired a livery team in this city yesterday, saying he was going to Madoc. Instead of going there he went to Bridgewater, and this morning a message came that he had last night shot a man named Albert Skellon, and there was a possibility of the wound proving fatal. Oliver returned to this city about 2 o'clock this morning, and put abck his team in the livery stable. The police are now looking for him, but up to the present with no success.

UNITED STATES WARNING ALL EUROPEAN POWERS

Of Her Ability to Enforce the Obnoxoius Monroe Doctrine

Significance of the Great Fleet Gathering in the Carribean Sea—Her Powerful Navy

Washington, Nov. 29.—The greatest war fleet ever assembled under the American flag is gathering to-day in the the Caribbean Sea. More than 60 ships of war compose the fleet.

More than 15,000 men will be engaged in the war game.

The mobilization of this great war fleet at this time is regarded by foreign diplomats here as America's warning to all European Powers of her ability and readiness to defend any application of the Munroe Doctrine that she may make, to impress upon the world her political and commercial supremacy in the "American Mediterranean" and to demonstrate her absolute power of control over any interoceanic canal that may be built.

President Roosevelt himself is credited with having planned this master stroke in world politics.

With the assembling this month of our great war fleet in the East, which is to reveal to the world the true might of Uncle Sam, there comes together at the rndesvous selected, Culebra Island in the West Indies, the mightiest force of warships ever assembled under one flag.

From the North has gone the North Atlantic squadron, from the South the South Atlantic squadron, from across the ocean the European squadron, from the waters adjacent to Cuba and the Spanish main, the Caribbean division. Admiral George Dewey, the hero of Manila, will command the entire fleet.

Altogether the exercises will take up most of the winter months and the cost in maintenance of ships and ammunition will be upward of $1,000,000.

G. T. R. INCORPORATION

WAS ORIGINALLY CHARTERED BY PARLIAMENT IN 1851

Successive Changes and Extensions—Present Total Mileage 3,158 of Which 450 is Double Tracked—Total Cost $336,990,043

The Grand Trunk Railway Company passed the Canadian legislature in 1851, empowering the company to build a railway between Toronto and Montreal, a distance of 333 miles, the capital of the company to be three million pounds. But it was not until the amalgamation act of 1854 that the company really took the name of "Grand Trunk," the several chartered projects thus united in common enterprise being the construction of railways from Montreal to Portland, Me., from Quebec to Richmond, from Toronto to Sarnia and from Quebec to Trois Pistoles. Then sections were built between 1853 and 1858 and the original system completed Dec. 19th, 1859, when the Victoria Bridge was opened for traffic. The line from Detroit to Port Huron was leased in 1859; the Champlain lines in 1864. the Buffalo and Huron road in 1867. In 1873 the International Bridge at Niagara was leased.

In 1879 the Dominion Government purchased from the Grand Trunk the line from Levis to Riviere du Loup, 124 miles, for $1,500,000, and with this money the Grand Trunk purchased two railways in Michigan, and formed the Chicago and Grand Trunk system. In 1881 the Georgian Bay and Lake Erie system of 171 miles was incorporated into the Grand Trunk. In 1882 amalgamation with the Great Western railway, including 904 miles, took place. In 1893 the Welland line was leased, the Champlain lines extended and the Midland system of 473 miles absorbed. The Northern railway was leased in January 1888. In 1899 the Victoria Bridge was rebuilt at a cost of $1,810,553, the Dominion Government contributing $500,000 by way of subsidy.

The total length of the Grand Trunk system is 3,158 miles of which 450 is double tracked. In 1867 the Grand Trunk carried 2,950,165 passengers and 2,933,789 tons of freight. In 1896 5,977,071 passengers and 7,567,148 tons of freight were carried.

POISON WORKED AS HE SANG

Tragic Story Told by Mother of Dr. N. G. Ross

Detroit, Nov. 29.—The sad story of the suicide by strychnine of Dr. Norman Garibaldi Ross, son of the late Dr. A. M. Ross, of Toronto, was related to a reporter by the mother of the unfortunate young man.

"He was a brilliant young man," if I do say it myself," said Mrs. Ross. "I was always proud of him because of his intellectual attainments. Though only 27 years of age, he is said to have been a Gladstone in literary ability. But years ago my boy became addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors, and this really led to his untimely death. We have been living alone here for about six years, ever since we came from Toronto, where we lived before my husband died.

"My son liked jolly company, and he would often stay out very late at night. Wednesday night he went away and did not return. We had arranged to have a Thanksgiving dinner yesterday, just for ourselves, and I had prepared for it. But he didn't come. At 2.30 o'clock last night he walked in quietly, and almost the first words he said to me were 'Mother I wish I were dead.'

"I told him then that if he intended to dissipate like that it might be better if he were dead. He had often spoken to me about committing suicide, and had several times scared me.

"Last night I left him alone in the parlor and went upstairs. In a few minutes I heard him go down into the basement, and I could hear the water running from the tap. I was nervous, but, a few minutes later, I was glad to hear him playing on the piano. He was an accomplished pianist, and sang several songs, including 'The Shade of the Sheltering Palms,' from the Florodora Opera.

"As the last words of the song died away, I heard a moan, and my son's voice saying, 'It's beginning to work now.' Several minutes elapsed, and then his moans were frightful to hear. I found him lying on the floor. He had taken a cushion from the lounge, and placed it on the floor for his head to rest on.

"'Mother,' he cried, as I went into the room. 'I am dying; hurry and get the doctor!'

"I told him to get up and go to bed, but he got worse, and I hurried out for Dr. J. J. Mulheron. When I got back from the doctor he was lying quite still. I guess he was dead then. He never regained consciousness, anyway. That is exactly how my boy died."

The remains will probably be cremated, according to the expressed wish of the suicide, and the ashes taken to Toronto for interment.

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BAKING POWDER
All the Leading Teachers of Cookery use it. Why?
Does better work and goes further than any other.
MARION HARLAND, author Common Sense in the Household.

ONTARIO APPLE CROP

The Yield Large But Quality of Fruit is Inferior—Prices Make Advance

This year has been the best apple-producing year in this district, and in Ontario generally, for many years, the yield being fully 70 per cent. greater than last year. The quality is not so good as in small yields, owing to the ravages of the apple scab, caused by the oyster shell bark louse, assisted by the wet season, which caused much mildew. In many places apple crops were injured by hail. The market has been very satisfactory for the best fruit, but the apple buyers have found it difficult to get their applies in good shape. Last year about 40,000 barrels per week were shipped abroad from Canada, while the exports during the past season have reached as high as 140,000 barrels per week. The prices have not been so good. The buyers have been paying an average of about 75 cents per barrel but last week they advanced. A local buyer stated a few days ago that wherever the growers were in the habit of spraying and manuring they always expect to find perfect fruit and were seldom disappointed.

LUMBERING OPERATIONS

Times are Brisk in the Lumber Camps This Season

The Bobcaygeon Independent says: The lumber operations are now in full activity and throughout the great district north of this village there is a strong demand for men to work in the woods, and very high wages are paid. Only a few years ago the wages paid to a shantyman ranged from $18 to $24 a month, and there were crowds anxiously waiting to be hired, but to-day men are scarce, and hard to obtain and are paid from $28 to $30 a month. Only a few Frenchmen from the Province of Quebec are now employed in this district whilst formerly they formed a majority of the men engaged in the shanties. Those employed in the shanties which are now called "camps" are much better fed than they used to be, and are supplied with sugar, stews, pies, puddings and cakes, whilst formerly their only food was merely bread and salt pork. Thus we see that not only are the wages much higher, but the cost of feeding greatly increased. All the other expenses connected with lumber operation have also increased, and this season the cost of production will be still further advanced. As the area of lumber production diminishes and is pushed further back it is impossible to foresee what will be the price of sawed lumber a few years hence. It is noticeable that all lumber camps are now subjected to medical regulations, and are in consequence much healthier than was once the case. It is probable that within fifty miles north of this village there are twenty lumber camps or shanties containing fifty men each. The supply of men is inadequate to the demand, and more men are needed at once. If the demand for timber and lumber continues to increase as it has done of late, in twenty years all the trees for a hundred miles north of this village will have been cut and manufactured.

PETERBOROUGH GAS GOOD

Results of the Official Tests of Illuminating Gas

In forty-odd towns official tests of the gas were made each month, and the results are given in the annual report of the Inland Revenue Department. Sixteen candle-power is the standard which must be maintained by the gas companies. The tests show that the best gas in Canada is supplied in Woodstock the candle power of the Woodstock gas averaging 22.62 throughout the year; while the worst gas is that used in St. John, N.B., the candle power of which averaged only 16.45. The following are the net results of the official test:

	Candle-power.
Woodstock, Ont	22.62
Owen Sound, Ont	22.56
Kingston, Ont	21.81
Ottawa, Ont	21.47
Ingersoll, Ont	21.15
Berlin, Ont	21.11
Belleville, Ont	21.01
Listowel, Ont	21.01
Barrie, Ont	20.73
Sarnia, Ont	20.43
Peterborough, Ont	20.42
Winnipeg, Man	19.91
Toronto, Ont	19.85
St. Catharines, Ont	19.80
Guelph, Ont	19.76
Galt, Ont	19.70
Brantford, Ont	19.68
Montreal, Que	19.20
Yarmouth, N.S	19.10
Brockville, Ont	19.01
Charlottetown, P.E.I	18.97
Nanaimo, B.C	18.73
Vancouver, B.C	18.65
Dundas, Ont	18.60
Moncton, N.B	18.53
Cornwall, Ont	18.36
Victoria, B.C	18.25
Pictou, N.S	18.13
Cobourg, Ont	18.12
London, Ont	18.13
Windsor, Ont	18.00
Quebec, Que	17.94
Hamilton, Ont	17.93
Sherbrooke, Que	17.81
Port Hope, Ont	17.74
St. Thomas, Ont	17.50
Chatham, Ont	17.38
Halifax, N.S	17.15
Fredericton, N.B	17.07
Stratford, Ont	16.64
St. John, N.B	16.45

Revolution in Newfoundland

Since the introduction into Newfoundland of the new Inhaler Remedy, "Catarrhozone," the treatment of catarrhal diseases has been entirely revolutionized. The old-time snuff and internal medicine has been cast aside and everyone is inhaling Catarrhozone; it clears the head and throat in two minutes, and is very agreeable and pleasant to use. Catarrhozone is a wonderful cure for Coughs, Colds, Catarrh, Asthma, Bronchitis, Lung Troubles and Deafness. It relieves quickly and cures permanently. We advise our readers to try Catarrhozone. Price $1.00, trial size, 25c. Druggists, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont. Dr. Hamilton's Mandrake and Butternut Pills.

THE BERLIN SUGAR INDUSTRY INSPECTED

Large Delegation from Peterborough Visit the Beet Sugar Factory

THE BUILDINGS AND PLANT

The Deputation Returned on Saturday Delighted with what They Saw—Factory to be Erected in Peterborough

The deputation which on Thursday went to inspect the Berlin Beet Sugar factory, returned on Saturday morning, delighted with what they saw. The party included the following: Warden T. G. Eastland, County Councillors Wm. Anderson, M.P.P., E. A. Peck, G. W. Fitzgerald, P. Costello, R. Shaw, J. B. Pearce, Dr. Jeffs and W. H. Casement; His Worship Mayor T. H. G. Denne, Alderman G. M. Roger, H. Rush, Joe. Batten, J. J. Turner, B. Shortly, and Robert Clinkscale, John E. Belcher, County Engineer; R. P. Watt, County Clerk; E. M. Elliott, and Wm. Collins, President and Secretary respectively, West Peterborough Farmers' Institute; R. Fair, John Carnegie and D. Hughes-Charles, representing the Peterborough Board of Trade; George W. Bennett, Wm. Galton, T. M. Hunter, J. J. Lundy, Wm. Langford, E. H. D. Hall, Town Solicitor; John Smith, Reeve of Ashburnham; John McDonald, T. E. Bradburn, J. W. Garvin, W. H. Robertson, of the Times, F. H. Dobbin, of the Review, and E. S. Clarry, of the Examiner.

Through the efforts of Mr. Wm. Bunton, City Passenger Agent, a special car was placed at the disposal of the party by the Grand Trunk Railway. At Berlin the party were met at the hotel by President R. Smyth and Mr. G. M. DeBus, of the local Board of Trade.

Friday morning Mayor Eden called early to present the compliments of the local Council, and leading citizens tendered greeting. Through the kindness of Mr. S. J. Williams, Managing Director of the Ontario Sugar Company, a special car on the electric line was provided to take the party out to the works, and on arrival they were conducted over the plant and an intelligent and interesting explanation given of the various operations included in making from beets the finished product.

THE BERLIN FACTORY.

The preliminary work was begun in April, 1900, by the planting of test plots by local farmers. There was a sufficient percentage of sugar to interest capitalists, who came over from Scranton, Pa., and decided to locate in Berlin. The town gave a bonus of $25,000, and exemption from taxation for ten years. It had been proposed to ask the township for a bonus, but this not being entertained, the counter proposition was made and agreed to that next year the farmers should give to the company one point of the percentage, instead of bonus. This is explained by stating that the present season, farmers are paid $4 per ton, flat, next year they will be paid by percentage of sugar, the standard being set at 12 per cent. Should a farmer's beets show 14 per cent. of sugar he agrees to accept 13 per cent., giving the company the benefit of his extra one per cent. Fourteen per cent. of sugar would give nearly $4.75 per ton for beets.

The capital stock amounts to $600,000, $450,000 being held by outside capitalists, and $150,000 in Berlin. The stockholders are well satisfied with the prospects, and the distribution of about $150,000 among the farmers residing in a radius of eight or nine miles, has proved a thing for the merchant.

Delays in getting the factory completed prevented a start being made until October 7th, on which date beets were delivered. About 500 tons are now arriving daily, while nearly 10,000 tons are piled up in the sheds at the factory.

THE FACTORY BUILDINGS.

Constructed of white brick and steel, with cement floors, the factory is of a most substantial character. The operation of the plant is continuous, running day and night, week days and Sundays.

At one end of the factory are the beet storage sheds, each 350 feet in length and capable of storing 9,000 tons of beets in large bins. These bins have sloping bottoms, with a sluice running beneath, about a foot wide and two feet deep, covered with short planks. To convey beets to the factory a plank is removed; the beets, with a little persuasion, drop through the hole and are carried quickly forward by a rushing stream, which partly cleanses them. The arrangement of sluices is said to be the most perfect on the continent.

The beets are automatically picked out of the water and forced through a washing machine, which drops them into an immense wheel, with buckets on the inside of its perforated rim. This drains them and dumps them into an endless chain of buckets, which carries them to the automatic scale in the third story, a beautiful piece of mechanism, that dumps when it contains 1,000 pounds. With a roar the 1,000 pounds of beets fall into the cutting machine, where they are sliced into pieces about the thickness of large maccaroni. The outlet from the cutter is a great pipe revolving in the ceiling below, of which the lower end connects in turn with each of the fourteen cells of a "diffusion" battery. These "cells" which lie on a circle, hold each 2 1-4 tons of the sliced beets, and it takes 6 minutes to charge one with that quantity. In the cells the beets are subjected to a water pressure of 15 pounds to the inch, and 2,400 litre of juice is thus extracted, the litre being a little over a quart. The juice from the diffusion battery flows to the measuring tank and thence to the carbonators, square tanks of moderate size, in which it is saturated with carbonic acid gas, generated by the burning of lime in the company's kiln, and with slaked lime. From the carbonators it is forced by powerful pumps through a filter press of which there are thirteen, each containing ofwhich there are thirteen, each containing. The juice flows from the presses in a clear stream, and is carried off to go through a somewhat similar saturation with sulphuric acid gas, made by burning sulphur. Then it goes through a bag filter, and thence to the evaporators, four huge square boiling tanks of most ingenious construction.

The first evaporator is heated by waste steam from the factory, passing through coils beneath the tank. The air in this tank is exhausted to a vacuum of about five or six, so that the juice in it boils at about 95 degrees Centigrade. The steam from this boiler is drawn off by suction at the top and is utilized to boil the contents of the next tank by means of coils similar to those beneath the first tank. In this tank there is a greater vacuum and a lower boiling point, and so on, until in the fourth evaporator the temperature is only 60 degrees Centigrade, the vacuum being from 22 to 26. The juice is boiled down to about 1-75th of its original volume. From the evaporators it goes to the "strike pan," where it is grained into sugar. It flows from the strike pan in a great, heavy mass, which lies in a trough with a series of propelling screws agitating it, called the mixer. From the mixer it drops through the floor to the centrifugals, where the molasses returns to be treated again, and the sugar is washed with pure water before going to the dryer, an immense revolving tank, which emits the pure white sugar into barrels, ready for shipment or storage in the great warehouse at the end of the building remote from the beet bins. The whole process occupies about forty hours. The molasses thrown off by the centrifugals is placed in what is called crustallizers, great tanks kept at a certain temperature, in which it is agitated for sixty hours. Then it returns to the centrifugals, and more first-class sugar is obtained. This refuse mollases is taken to another part of his building, and put through what is called the osmos process, which depends on the use of a prepared paper, and still more sugar is obtained.

The water directly used in the making of sugar is obtained from artesian wells. But that used in the sluices, washers and other preliminary processes is furnished by the company's pumping plant, situated on the Grand river, about one mile from the factory.

The securing of contracts with farmers for the growing of 5,000 acres is no easy task, although it is believed that there will not be very much trouble experienced in Peterborough in this regard. The labor involved in thinning and harvesting the beet is the most serious aspect of the case.

The farmers to whom we talked, who had contracts with the company, spoke very hopefully of the future. They are, with a few exceptions, satisfied with their experience so far. The average crop is about 4 tons to the acre.

TESTING BEETS.

Each wagon load of beets is weighed as it reached the sheds. The wagon is afterwards weighed separately and the net weight of the load determined. From the centre of the load a sample basket of the beets is taken and the lot tagged and marked. They are carried to the test department and weighed as they stand. Each beet of the sample is gone over, and should not enough of the tops have been removed in topping, then the surplus is taken off. The sample of beets is thoroughly washed, sliced, the juice extracted, subject to test and the result determined. The difference between the weight of the sample as taken on the load, and afterwards as washed and topped, determines, as an average, the weight of the load. As a general thing to much soil is allowed to remain on the beets. This should be removed when pulling the beet, as the earth does not count in the load.

The company acts on the principle that its and the farmers' interests are identical. An industry that will expend $400,000 per annum among the growers and its staff is now worth encouraging.

QUEBEC WINS FROM PETERBOROUGH

At Montreal on Saturday by a Score of 8 to 0

The Peterborough and Quebec Rugby teams played off for the intermediate championship in Montreal on Saturday afternoon on the M.A.A.A. grounds. In the first half Quebec scored one point, while Peterborough failed to score. In this half Hal Burnham had the misfortune to have his knee injured, and was unable to continue the game, and weakened the Peterborough team considerably. In the second half Quebec added 7 more points to their favor. Peterborough failing to score. The following players represented the teams:

Peterborough—Back, Lee; half-backs, McPherson, Burnham, Rickey; quarter, Bell; scrimmage, Dennard, Hurtubise, Thornton; wings, Dillon, Revell, Asseltine, Meagher, Crowley, Craig Noble, Cameron.

Quebec—Pugh, Toffield, Stock, Drum, Wetmore McWilliam, Chambers, Carter, Goode, Lindsay, Scott, McGillivray, Power, Watson, McGreevy, Rattray, Ross Belanger and Salfort.

HOCKEY.

Galt, Nov. 29.—Mr. H. G. ("Dutchy") Morison, Captain of last year's Galt hockey team, received a telegram last night announcing his promotion from the Merchants' Bank here to the banks' branch at Winnipeg. He leaves Galt this evening for Toronto, and Toronto for the West on Monday or Tuesday. His departure has caused much regret, particularly in sporting circles, as he was counted on to captain this year's hockey team. The best wishes accompany him to his new field of labor.

London, Ont., Nov. 29.—At the organization meeting of the London Hockey Club held last night it was formally decided to apply for membership in the O.H.A.

Both officers, players and all connected with the hockey movement will be confined absolutely to locals. There will not be the least suspicion of anything but clean sport. Of the players likely to be on this year's line-up are said to be Smith, recently returned from South Africa; McMahon, of last year's team; and one or two others. A fast Stratford forward of the Classic City's junior team is also said to be in the city, and will be with the Londons this season.

Simcoe, Nov. 29.—The annual meeting of the Simcoe Hockey Club was held at the Battersby House, when it was decided to enter a team in the intermediate O.H.A. Mr. Arthur G. Slaght was chosen delegate to the annual meeting.

THE BRITISH TROOPS EVACUATE SHANGHAI

Orders State That Evacuation will Take Place About December 20th

Corruption is Increasing in China—Ingratitude of Present Administration—Religious Orders in France

London, Nov. 29.—The British troops have received orders to evacuate Shanghai, says a despatch from that city. The evacuation will take place about December 20.

London, Nov. 29.—A despatch from Pekin says that no effective attempt has been made to secure fiscal reforms, and corruption is, if anything, increasing. The Pekin Octroi under administration of Prince Su, yielded about $1,100,000, compared with about $230,000 previously, but Su was promptly transferred to another office, and condemned for exposing the true earnings of Octroi. Under his successor, Ching, the speculation is worse than ever. China has to pay in January about $30,000,000 on account of indemnity. At the present exchange rate she must remit an additional $5,300,000 to meet the deficiency. Ingratitude also marks the present Administration. While the British held the railway from Pekin to the Great Wall they built two extensions, paid two coupons of the loan, left a balance of $150,000, and restored the line to perfect condition. When Russia restored to China the line from the Great Wall to Niu Chwang, all the rolling stock was damaged, and China had to pay $1,500,000 for the expenses of maintenance. Yet adds the correspondent, China rewarded Russia by granting on favorable terms a concession for a railway from Ching Ting to Tai Yuen Foo, while refusing to the British leave to ubild a railway from Shan Si to Yangste, though this right was formally conceded in the agreement signed in September, 1898.

London, Nov. 29.—The French Government, says a Paris correspondent, will only recommend Parliament to grant authorization to the religious order, Cistercians of Lerins, on conditions that the members of the order give up their liquor distillery. The correspondent adds that the application of authorization by the monks of Grande Chartreuse, is among those that the Government proposes to refuse.

London, Nov. 29.—The order issued yesterday by the Board of Agriculture, prohibiting the importation of cattle from six New England States, is based upon the action of the United States authorities against the foot and mouth disease, and is simply a scientific sanitary precaution.

The order does not apply to shipments of cattle from New York, nor from Canadian ports, where there is no evidence of existence of the disease. About 150,000 beasts have been imported from Boston alone during the present year. This trade will be temporarily suspended, and the effect can hardly fail to be a rise in the price of meat.

Portland will also be included in the official order, and this will turn shipments usually made from that port to St. John and Halifax. The German authorities will probably follow the British example, since they have been enforcing rigorous laws of sanitary inspection against Russian cattle.

CANADIAN PRECAUTIONS.

Ottawa, Nov. 29.—The Dominion authorities are alive to the seriousness of the outbreak of the foot and mouth disease in the New England States. Orders have been issued by Dr. Rutherford, chief veterinary inspector of the Department of Agriculture that all stock cars coming from the Eastern States shall be thoroughly cleansed and disinfected before crossing the frontier into Canada. The officers of the department are strictly carrying out the new regulation.

Montreal, Nov. 29.—"Undoubtedly the problem of irrigating the large area of land in the Northwest Terrirories situated in Western Assiniboia, and Southern Albert, in which the rainfall during the majority of years is insufficient to bring crops to maturity, is one of the greatest problems the Canadian Pacific Railway is at present trying to solve in the Northwest. We have been studying it for some time past, and to-day we are in a position to submit a report to Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, the President of the Company."

The speaker was F. S. Dennis, for a number of years acting Deputy Minister of Public Works, who was appointed by the Canadian Pacific Railway to study the possibilities that would be effected by irrigation, and to-day he announced to a reporter the result of his investigations.

"Irrigation, I may say," Mr. Dennis went on to say, "has now passed beyond the experimental stage, and at the present time there are certain very large areas of land, particularly in Southern Albert, owned by the C.P.R. which only require the construction of irrigation canals to turn them from uninhabited districts into thriving villages. Among these there is in particular a district of some two and a half million acres lying east of Calgary which is traversed by the C.P.R., and which will be irrigated by water taken from the Bow River near Calgary. Its construction will mark a great advance in the development of Southern Alberta, and in large areas lying contiguous to the main line of the C.P.R."

MR. HULL GETS $10,500

Besides a Lot for Which the Crown Paid $1100

The Exchequer Court which has been in session here before Hon. Geo. W. Burbidge, in the case Rex. vs. Hull has concluded its labors. The question involved was one in reference to compensation for land expropriated from John Hull, of Lakefield, in the construction of the Trent Canal. After the case had been heard, judgment was given, in favor of Mr. Hull for $10,500, and he was also granted the absolute right in fee simple of a lot known as the "Davis lot," which cost the Crown $1,100, together with certain rights of way and privileges. This sum is in full compensation for lands, buildings and general injury by reason of the expropriation. It includes cost to the amount of $450 allowed by the judge.

G. F. Shepley, K.C., of Toronto, and R. R. Hall, Peterborough, for the Crown. D. W. Dumble, K.C., Peterborough, and George H. Watson, K.C., Toronto, for defendant.

Excursions to Guelph

The Provincial Winter Fair at Guelph this year should be visited by every farmer and stockman, and by every person interested in the advancement of agriculture and the breeding of live stock and poultry. $7,000 are offered in prizes. The new buildings have increased facilities both for exhibits and visitors. Daily lectures by well known and expert authorities on the different subjects will be found both instructive and interesting. The Grand Trunk Railway will issue round trip tickets at single first class fare, from stations west of Kingston, good going Dec. 7th, to 12th, inclusive, and valid returning until Dec. 15th, 1902. Further particulars from Agents.

WELSH COLONY DOING WELL

Body Blow to the Cobden Club—Canadian Trade Should Benefit

Ottawa, Nov. 29.—The Department of the Interior states that the reports as to destitution in the Welsh Patagonian colony, near Saltcoats, are very much exaggerated and practically unreliable. The latest information in the department is that these people have done very well, considering their financial condition on arrival in this country last spring, and have been able to earn a considerable amount in good wages this year. A departmental officer is, however, being sent to the colony to make a very close examination into the circumstances of the people.

London, Nov. 29.—Some dismay was felt in Cobden Club circles on the morning after their long-planned demonstration against Chamberlainism and Imperial protection at the disclosures in the Daily Mail, showing that the club is chiefly alien in membership. More than half the members are foreigners, living in France, Germany, Austria, the United States and Spain. Many others are foreigners living in England. What right, asks the Mail, have they to speak for England?

SUNDAY IN TOWN

Events Connected with the Church Services Yesterday

In the Charlotte street Methodist church yesterday Rev. J. J. Rae, of Oshawa, preached in the morning to a large congregation, and Rev. W. J. Jolliffe in the evening.

Rev. W. L. Armitage preached at both services at All Saints' yesterday. The subject in the morning was, "St. Andrew," and in the evening "Malachi and his age applied to the present," which was the first of a series on the Book of Malachi.

At St. Andrew's church yesterday the pastor, Rev. J. G. Potter, occupied the pulpit in the morning, and Rev. E. D. MacLaren, D.D., of Vancouver, one of the most prominent men in the Presbyterian church, in the evening. There was a large congregation at both services.

Rev. E. D. MacLaren, D.D., formerly of Vancouver, B.C., and recently appointed to succeed Dr. Robertson, as superintendent of Presbyterian Missions in the North-West, preached in St. Paul's Presbyterian church yesterday morning.

In the Murray street Baptist church yesterday, Rev. Mr. Bastow preached in the morning on "Searching the Scriptures," and in the evening dealt with "Our duty with regard to the coming referendum."

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STARVATION IN SWEDEN

France has a larger submarine navy than any other nation, but perhaps it will not be useful enough to give her any advantage. Captain Hellman, commander of the French submarine flotilla at Cherbourg, has forwarded to the proper naval authorities his report of the work of his boats during the recent fleet manoeuvres. He is said to have expressed the conviction that only the vessels known as submersibles are of any practical use, or can be depended upon at sea. The French submarines are divided into two categories. The first are the submersibles, which are fitted with engines that propel them on the surface, and, at the same time, charge the accumulators, which are brought into use when they plunge beneath the waters. Thus if their accumulators should give out below, they can come to the surface, set their engines at work, and remanufacture energy for another dive. The other class are simply fitted with accumulators, which contain all the energy at their disposal, and they are obliged not only to return to get their accumulators recharged, but to port before they become entire helpless. These vessels Captain Hellman condemns. He says that submarines of the Mors type can never be considered as more than auxiliaries, and he declares that the difficulties of navigating them are such that the crew are bound in the end to become the victims of alarming demoralization. With the submersibles, however, an attack upon an iron clad steaming at the rate of twelve knots an hour is possible.

PEACE IN THE MINES

Compromise is now the talk between the miners and the operators in the hard coal regions. Those most interested are inclining to the idea of making their own agreements with the Commission decides only such points as the contestants cannot determine for themselves without an arbitrator.

This is only following the natural course of events. Men who are deeply interested in a labor proposition, on either side of it, are seldom satisfied to adjust it until there has been a trial of strength over it; in other words, a good stiff fight. Then both sides find out in a definite was how strong they are, and, in modern times, learn how far public opinion goes with either party to the quarrel.

The coal question in the anthracite region is clearly one that had to be fought over strenuously. The latest struggle was but an incident in a long war. It may be that peace has returned to stay since the desperate contest of the past season, for no one can doubt that there is more of a feeling of mutual respect than has been known in a long time before. Such a sentiment usually precedes a final adjustment of a controversy, and it is the hope of the country now that both sides have had all the fight they want for a generation.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Mr. Joseph Gibson, of Ingersoll, in a recent public address on the referendum said he thought the vote required to carry it was not too high, and if that number (212,723) did not turn out in favor of the proposed law it would show that public sentiment was not sufficiently advanced. Mr. Gibson is a very pronounced prohibitionist, but in this opinion he is directly at variance with other leading advocates of the measure, who think that a bare majority of the vote cast should suffice.

The prevalent belief that suicide is a product of the higher civilization is contradicted by the fact that in India suicides by opium are committed by the natives for the most trivial reasons, even children destroying themselves after being scolded, and wives because husbands complain of their dinners. There are no regulations for the sale of poison, and anybody can go into a bazaar and buy as much as he wants.

White American forests are decreasing at an alarming rate. Germany had in 1900 356,173 acres of wood more than it had in 1882. Millions of feet of timber might be saved in this country annually if the German custom were followed of cutting trees about six to twelve inches from the ground, making logs a foot or two longer than they are here.

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Mr. Henry Loomis Nelson writes to the Boston Herald that the coming session of Congress is likely to adjourn without any definite action in regard to the Isthmian canal. No treaty with Colombia satisfactory to the administration has yet been negotiated, and even if one should be before the Senate meets in Mr. Nelson's opinion, Senator Morgan, who is as determined as ever that the Nicaraguan route shall be selected, will be able to prevent its ratification until the session of Congress has expired. Mr. Nelson firmly believes, however, that eventually the canal will be built, and will go by the Panama route, because of its great advantages over the Nicaragua route.

It is thought that the Chinese Government is planning another upheaval. It has become known that the Empress Dowager has received secret reports from all the viceroys and governors regarding the number of soldiers and the amount of war munitions that could be raised, and that instructions have been given to retain the instructors in the use of the rifle and in Western drill. If the Empress Dowager starts another anti-Christian movement she may find no escape from the penalty of her crimes.

Some of the Doukhobors have applied to the United States Government for permission to go over there, but the Americans will not have them. They are ours for better or worse.

Britain's 'little wars' keep on. Fighting on the Indian border is added to the fighting in Somaliland. The British Empire rubs shoulders with so many neighbors that digs in the ribs are always coming.

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"Let me first ask you a question" said Newcome. "Whose property is this?"

He supported Winifred's slender, white-clad body with his left arm, and pressed it close against his heart. With his right hand he held up a moonstone, cut in the shape of a Sphinx's head. As he raised it aloft the light touched the stone, and struck out a strange blue gleam, like an eye that peered through a cloud, searching, searching for something that sooner or later it would find.

"That is mine!" said Macaire, and sprang towards it. But Newcome lifted the stone beyond his reach.

"You are sure it is yours?" he asked again.

"I've had it for years, till it was stolen from me. Unless you want to be called 'thief' as well as dog and liar, you will hand it back."

"You have had it for years?" Newcome echoed. "I thought so. It was you who stole it from Harold Norman."

For once in his life Lionel Macaire visibly quailed. His hideous face seemed literally to wither, his body to shrink; but in a moment he was himself again, all traces of emotion gone, save for a quivering of the nostrils, a slight twitching of the marred eyelids.

"I don't know the name," he said.

Hope Newcome turned a sudden blaze of hatred and contempt upon him. "You know it as well as that of Leland Marmion, the Californian murderer!" he flung at the millionaire.

Speechless, Macaire stared at him, with mouth falling open, jaw dropped down. Then, his voice coming back, he gasped: "You scoundrel!"

"I am Harold Norman's son," answered the man who had called himself Hope Newcome. "His son, and the son of F. R. Z. I am Harold Norman's namesake, and I have lived for this night, lived to be his avenger."

"Great Heavens!" he heard Macaire mutter, beneath his panting breath. Even for that iron self-control, the stubborn courage that could inflict horrible self-mutilation for bare life's sake, and safety's sake, was broken down. But again it was only for a moment.

"I wonder if you know what you are talking about?" Macaire sneered, his voice coming back to steadiness. "I only know that you seem to be threatening. Take care or I will have you arrested."

Hope Newcome—or Harold Norman—laughed. "Try it," he said. "You will never have so good a chance. The police are outside now, for they have seen certain letters found long ago, but not too long for justice, in the pocket of a dead man—one of those whom you, Leland Marmion, murdered."

As that last word leaped like a sword from the accuser's lips, a strange thing happened. The women at the table cried out in terror, and in the same instant utter darkness fell. The brilliant lights that had made vivid the blue and gold and purple and marble-white vanished like a burst bubble, and the room was black as a night of plague. The screams and the sudden darkness came together. The quickest eye and ear could not have sworn with certainty which was first.

Someone had turned off the electric lights—how, nobody knew. There was a soft fluttering and rustling of women's dresses, hysterical exclamations, and the crash of breaking dishes and falling chairs as people pushed away from the table, blinded and confused by the black darkness.

Only Hope Newcome did not move. Even if he lost his revenge, he would not put Winifred away to recover the chance slipping from him. She was waking from her stupor, and clung to him, murmuring the name by which she had known him. And, stooping closer, he thought he heard her whisper:

"Partner, partner, if you could forgive!"

CHAPTER XLI.

The Mills of the Gods.

Never for one moment had Lionel Macaire been unprepared for the possibility of the blow which had fallen to-night.

He had not expected it; he had told himself a thousand times that it would never fall upon him—that it could not fall. Still he loved life, and he had worked hard to make it worth living. He had shed blood to make it worth living, and he did not mean that Nemesis should strike him from behind.

The millionaire had not a house nor a room of his in one of his houses where all electric lights could not be turned off by means of a single button. His steam yacht, waiting his orders in harbor, was always ready to start at ten minutes' notice. Once he would have had to depend upon horses for a dash to the sea, but now he had the means by which he could outdistance the fastest horse on earth.

In his stables stood a racing Daimler auto-car of fifty horse-power, though its seating capacity was but for two persons. Like the yacht, it was kept ready by its engineer for an instant start, filled with petrol and water, its machinery oiled.

To-night, as he switched off the lights from the dining-room, he flung himself at a swinging door behind the purple drapery—a door by which the servants entered through a passage leading to the huge kitchens. The door moved noiselessly, and Macaire's artificial foot limped over the thick felt with which the floor was covered faster than it had ever done before.

Half-way down the passage was a door which opened near the stables. A moment, and Macaire was in the room where the motor-car was kept, for the key was on his chain, and only the engineer, absent now, had a duplicate.

Macaire sprang to the car and lit the electric lamps, his heart pounding in his ear, for the great crisis had come, and he was working for life or death.

True, Hope Newcome might have lied; he might suspect, yet not have the proofs he hinted at. But it would not do to risk his having lied. If Macaire could reach Gravesend, where the "Diavolo" lay (he hoped that few knew she was there), before the police of London had warned the police of Gravesend by telegraph, there was a chance for him still. He would trust the yacht to show her heels to anything afloat. The seas were wide. There were countries where he could hide himself, and there was money on board the "Diavolo"—money and thousands of pounds' worth of diamonds which he kept there in a safe in case of such necessity as had arisen to-night. He

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100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
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NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
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Incidentals	25,000.00	
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STOCK MARKETS

Present Level Foundation for a New Rise

New York, Nov. 29.—matters marketwise are shaping properly for future prices. At the present time prices are below values. The present level at which stocks are again being accumulated by the original promulgators of past bull campaigns represents an extreme basis of solidarity, the most needful essential of any market. The people behind the present accumulation of stocks are not the crowd of new western speculative plungers, who are bulls to-day and bears to-morrow, proclaiming loudly at times their market opinions, with the view to inducing the public to or sell as best suits their own market situation; but they are the people that foster and encourage the course of prices during the market era of the two McKinley administrations. There are less brass band accompaniments to their market ventures, but the opportunities they afford in the market for money making are far superior and accompanied by indefinitely less risk to the outsider. Their recent success in shaking out the menacing and noisy interests lately in the market to a large extent, was their first act of preparation for a more or less extended bull campaign. It has removed the great market menace recently existing, and placed the floating supply of stocks into the strongest hands of Wall street. These people foster a growing speculation, and do not immediately destroy it whenever there are a few dollars in sight and to be made by so doing. Their profits are larger in the end. Directly ahead are strong existing facts, which will be the basis of sustained advance, and the magnet will steadily draw outside support to the campaign for advancing prices. Such market movements grow like the rolling snowball until they attain such dimensions and weight that they can be rolled no longer. Then comes the finis of the campaign. The best evidence of a nearing of the end is when everyone generally is engaged in buying stocks. The movement only ends with the absolute satiation of the public. Their satiation is merely limited to the full extent of their buying capacity. There can be no disputes as to the smallness of public holdings at present. Existant facts and the absolute certainty with which their maintenance for some months to come can be definitely figured warrant confident buying of stocks at present. The bullish tinge to the speculative kaleidoscope will again become visible to speculative vision, and very shortly.

Summary.—L. & N., B. R. T., and sugar were very strong, and considerable covering took place in the first hour. After the Bank statement prices declined from 1-2 to 2 per cent. The market rallied slightly at the close. Copper was freely purchased by Standard Oil interests. The market was in conformity with usual half holiday speculation. Traders evened accounts. The market next week should be higher. Monday's letter will deal with those two tractions. Money closed 3 and 4 per cent. Sales 235,100.

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Our Mr Fox has just returned from a trip of personal investigation to the NEW WONDERFUL OIL GUSHER field in the Township of Raleigh, in the County of Kent. He reports that the whole country is literally

ON FIRE

with excitement. Chatham—respectable, easy going old Chatham—stands amazed, while oil operators from Pennsylvania, Ohio, Texas, California and from the big refineries at Petrolia and Sarnia fill her streets and hotels to overflowing—all seeking OIL! OIL! OIL!—offering figures for land that would have been considered sheer madness a few weeks ago. The roads to the oil fields are lined with all kinds of carriages, wagons and loads of machinery and derricks. Several drilling rigs are already partly erected and contracts have been made for the sinking of at least FIFTY WELLS within the next thirty days.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Police Court

At the police court Saturday His Worship Magistrate Dumble disposed of a couple of drunks. Geo. Harris, of Belleville, paid $2, and a localman, aged 20, also contributed $2 to the police court.

Closing Campaign Meeting

Arrangements have been made for a temperance meeting in the interests of the Ontario Liquor Act, to be held in Bradburn's opera house, on Wednesday night. The speakers will give undivided attention to the explanation and defence of the Ontario Liquor Act.

Hand Badly Crushed

Mr. William Crowe, of Dummer, met with a severe accident a few days ago. He caught his hand in the carrier chain of a threshing machine at which he was working, and two of his fingers were badly crushed. Dr. J. R. Fraser amputated the injured members.

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Saturday Market

Saturday's market was well attended. The prices were as follows: Peas, per bag, 70 to 80c.; pork, per pound, 8 to 9c.; lamb, per pound, 6 and 7c.; apples, per bag, 50 to 60c.; dressed hogs, $7; onions, per peck, 15 to 20c.; butter, per pound, 20 to 22c.; eggs, per dozen, 20 to 22c.; chickens, per pair, 40 to 70c.; ducks, per pair, 70 to 80c.; geese, each, 65 to 80c.; turkeys, each, $1 to $1.25.

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Arrest For Forgery

Cobourg Sentinel-Star: Chief Ruse has received the following from Chief Roszel of Peterborough: — George C. Grupe, alias Sam Evans, alias G. W. Graham, alias Charles Gibson, alias Charles Evans; about 25 years of age, about 5 feet 8 inches high, medium build, very dark complexion, dark moustache cut short, round shouldered. Dressed in brown overcoat, stiff hat, or peaked cap. He passed six forged cheques here on Saturday, Oct. 18th, 1902. He used rubber stamp to number, date and sign the name of the firm per— Manager. No. and firm ed ink, date blue. Since here he has done Guelph, Woodstock, Chatham, Windsor, Brantford, Brockville and Belleville, all in same manner. Kindly keep sharp lookout for this fellow, he is evidently going the rounds. Warrant issued.

The Guelph Winter Fair

For the above, the Grand Trunk will issue round trip tickets at single first class fare from points in Canada west of Kingston, Good going Dec. 7th to 12th, inclusive, and valid returning until Dec. 15th. The Fair promises to be a great success this year, with new buildings and increased exhibits. $7,000 will be offered as prizes for cattle, sheep, swine and poultry. Further particulars, time tables, etc., on application to Agents of the Grand Trunk Railway.

Linton's Bank Failure

Lakefield News: The affairs of Messrs. James Linton & Co., private bankers, are being brought into shape, and in a short time the creditors may expect another dividend. Mr. Linton has transferred his assets into the hands of seven trustees, viz., Messrs. W. H. Casement, A. E. Kennedy, W. Young, W. J. Bullock, I. Church, and W. Sherin, subject to the approval of the creditors, in consideration of their giving him a release from all further obligations. In the event of the creditors accepting the proposition, Mr. Linton's family agree to abandon claims which they have against the estate amounting to $1200. A general meeting of the creditors is called for Friday, December 5th, at 2 o'clock, p.m., in the town hall, when this proposition will be submitted to them. If this arrangement is consented to by the creditors, a dividend will at once be declared of 20 cents on the dollar. It is expected that the balance of the assets will realize a dividend of about 15 cents on the dollar. We understand that the Trader's Bank is advancing money on the assets, and are doing all in their power to help Mr. Linton in his efforts to satisfy his creditors.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. Alex. Hamilton, of Warren, is in town for a few days.

—Mrs. J. McCracken, of Warkworth, is visiting relatives in town.

—Miss Jennie Isbister is spending a few days with friends in Lakefield.

—Mr. Albert L. Chambers, baker, of town, has accepted a position with Harry Webb, of Toronto.

—Mr. Robert Mahood, of Toronto, is visiting friends in Peterborough and vicinity.

—Mr. W. B. Bamford, formerly C.P.R. station agent here, was in town Friday and Saturday last.

—Miss Glover and Miss Magraw, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hartshorn for some months, left on Saturday for their homes in the States. During their sojourn here and at Chemong these charming young ladies made many friends, who will be pleased to know that they may return next season.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—This is St. Andrew's Day.

—The erection of the iron frame of the rink will be started to-day.

—The directors of the new skating rink are anxious to have the amount of unpaid calls handed over at once.

—The Misses Hurley supplied the music for an assembly in Marmora on Friday evening last.

—Chief Roszel has two shop door keys for which he would like owners. One has dog tag attached.

—Uncle Tom's Cabin gave a matinee Saturday afternoon and an evening performance to good houses.

—The monthly meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, will be held this afternoon at half past three, in the Y.M.C.A. building.

—Miss Myrtle Bacon, of town, was maid of honor at the wedding in Lakefield on Wednesday, of Miss Margaret Edith Paul, of that place, to Mr. Harry F. Parks, of Anson Station, Ontario.

—Miss White, of Peterborough, says the Havelock Standard, contributed a number of interesting and clever readings at the oyster supper and entertainment in the town hall on Friday evening last.

—Members of Lansdowne Lodge, No. 25, S.O.E., B.S., are earnestly requested to be present at the regular meeting this evening. Business, Election of officers.

—The Young Men's Guild of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will hold their regular meeting to-morrow, Dec. 2nd. A full attendance is requested. A very interesting debate will be the feature of the evening.

—At the close of the boy's meeting at the Y.M.C.A. the other evening, which was ably addressed by Mr. Harold Daly, both he and his brother Edwin were presented with addresses and handsomely bound hymn books, to mark the occasion of their departure for Kingston, where they will reside for the winter.

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL

Subscribers are Invited to Name Their Candidates for Mayor and Aldermen for 1903

The state of the poll will be published occasionally, at the start, and later on, the result of each day's vote will be made known every morning.

HOW TO VOTE.

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Interesting Items.

A salmon weighing 200 pounds is not to be found every day. It is therefore interesting to learn that such a huge fish was caught with hook and line off Gabarus Harbour, near Sydney, Nova Scotia, a short time ago. Being too large to be taken into the boat, it was towed from the fishing ground to the harbor. The men were codfishing at the time.

The State Legislature of New York has authorized the authorities of New York City to plant trees in the tenement districts. In this connection it is pointed out that it is not shade alone that makes it cooler under a tree in summer. The coolness of the tree itself helps, for its temperature is about forty-five degrees, Fahrenheit, at all times, as that of the human body is a fraction more than ninety-eight degrees. So a clump of trees cools the air as a piece of ice cools the water in a pitcher.

"Don't spit on the sidewalks!" is the new command of the New York Board of Health. Three years ago the board began its anti-spitting crusade by forbidding expectoration upon ferry-boats, trolley and elevated cars, and in car stations; and now the side walks are to be protected. The justification of these measures is the statement that twenty years ago almost six deaths in every hundred in New York City were caused by tuberculosis, whereas last year the deaths from this cause numbered only about two and a half in the hundred.

According to the statistics gathered by the United States Weather Bureau, 713 persons in the United States were killed or fatally injured by lightning during the year 1900. Of these 291 were struck under the open sky, 158 in houses, 57 under trees and 54 in barns. The circumstances attending the death of the remaining 151 victims were not ascertained. During the same year 973 persons were injured by lightning, but survived. The Bureau, upon statistics extending over 10 years ending with 1900, estimates the average annual number of deaths from lightning at from 700 to 800.

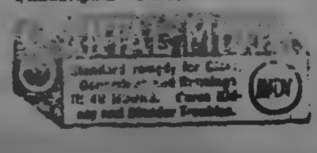
An engineer of Zurich, L. Thormann, reports, after a careful examination, that sufficient electric power could be developed from the waterfalls of the Alps to run all the railways of Switzerland. There would be little or no reduction of cost, he says, but the time may come when the change from steam to electricity may be desirable, because Switzerland has to import all the coal she uses. From 21 waterfalls, some of which are already partially utilized for industrial purposes, 38,000 horse-power could be developed, but only 60,000 horse-power would be required to replace the steam-power now used on the railroads.

Ruined by a Pig.

Fiction narrates many incidents wherein animal pets figure as causes of the ruin or salvation of their owners. In real life such instances are by no means rare. Not long ago there died in an English workhouse a man named John Evans, who, ten years ago, was a prosperous farmer, but who was brought to poverty by a pig. One day John discovered that his pigsty needed patching up, so he transferred his pigs to a hastily constructed enclosure under an old shed. The mother pig began rooting around and turned up some ancient gold pieces. There was a legend that the farm had once been the site of an old monastery, and that in the troublous times of the eighth Henry the monks had hidden their treasure in the garden. What more natural than that John should think his pig had discovered the hiding place of the monkish gold? He gave up working his farm and devoted all his time to digging about the barnyard, pulling down old walls and generally taking up the profession of a treasure-seeker. His spare time was spent in looking over old manuscripts, trying to find some records of the former owners of the place. His business went to pieces, his men robbed him and he was eventually a pauper and went to die in the poorhouse—all on account of that pig who turned up the gold pieces.

Has Been.

An Englishman went into a restaurant in a New England town, and was served for the first course with a delicacy unknown to him. So he asked the waiter what it was, and the waiter replied: "It's bean soup, sir," whereupon the Englishman, in high indignation, responded: "I don't care what it's been; I want to know what it is."—Philadelphia "Times."



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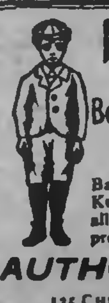

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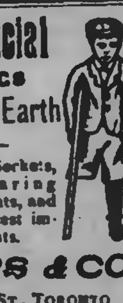

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PRESSURE IN BEHALF OF CANADIAN CATTLE

British Government Asked to Rush Through a Bill Suspending the Embargo--Still the British Public are Getting Cheaper Meat Than for Some Time Past

London, Dec. 1.—The Elder-Dempster Company write the Times, warning St. Lawrence navigators that, according to Captain Jones, of the steamer Lake Simcoe, Belle Isle light is not correctly sectored. He urges that either the chart of the light be altered, preferably the latter, for the consequence to some stranger might possibly be disastrous.

London, Dec. 1.—The stoppage of the importation of cattle from Boston has increased pressure upon the British Government to rush a short Act through Parliament admitting Canadian cattle. Hon. Mr. Hanbury, speaking on Saturday, repeated his refusal to relax the embargo on Canadian cattle, asserting that the Board of Agriculture must at least protect the British farmer against the importation of disease, though, of course, no one knows better than Mr. Hanbury, that, seeing that one million Canadian cattle have been landed without the smallest suspicion of disease, it is ridiculous to suggest any risk from Canadian herds. Large cattle arrivals at Liverpool are keeping prices below recent quotations. The highest prices obtained at Liverpool on Saturday for the best quality were five pence to five and a quarter pence per pound, against seven pence two months ago. Second-class beef also was never so plentiful, and the immense further supplies now on the sea make better prices improbable for the present.

DENY HAZING KILLED HIM

Diabetes Caused Death of a Young Student from Lakefield

A rumor has been circulated in Peterborough and Lakefield for some weeks, to the effect that Harry McKibbon, of Lakefield, had been so severely treated at college that death had resulted. Principal McCrimmon, of the College, says the student was suffering from diabetes, which troubled him shortly after he came to the school, on September 1st. Dr. Sinclair treated him for the disease, and the boy was confined for some time in the college hospital. He went bought $1.04 in goods and handed out November 1. Principal McCrimmon says there is no foundation for the rumor that McKibbon died from the effects of hazing. Dr. Sinclair's statements in regard to the case concur with those of the principal. The boy never told him that he had been hazed, but it appears that his grandfather, with whom he lived, suspected that the illness was brought on by hazing. The doctor says the disease was coming on before the unfortunate student entered the college.

A SHOCKING FATALITY

G. T. R. FIREMAN KILLED AT VICTORIA JUNCTION LINDSAY

The Unfortunate Man Was Underneath His Engine Extracting a Poker From the Fire Box When the Engineer Pulled Ahead

A most distressingly sad accident happened about 5.30 Friday morning at Victoria Junction, on the outskirts of Lindsay, when a man named Joe. Barnes, of Lindsay, formerly of North Toronto Junction, lost his life. The unfortunate man was a fireman in employ of the G.T.R. Early this morning he was called to go on a double-header train bound for Midland. This train pulled out at 5.25 in charge of Conductor R. Greenbury. Mr. J. Storey was engineer on the first engine, No. 114, and Mr. J. Costello, the engineer on the second, No. 467. At Victoria Junction a stop was made to allow the conductor to book the time of his arrival at that point. While waiting, Barnes who was fireman for engineer Storey, informed the latter that the poker had got caught in the grate of the fire-box and it would be necessary for him to go under the engine to shove it back. It is reported that Storey told Barnes to go and tell the engineer of the second engine that he was going under the engine, and that he failed to do so. While Barnes was underneath his engine the train moved and the poor fellow was run over, the large wheels passing over his head, one leg and one arm, amputating the latter two and killing him almost instantly. Deceased was only about twenty-two years of age, and has been in the service of the G.T.R. for about five months coming to Lindsay from Allandale. Previous to this Barnes was a fireman on the C.P.R. and is a very popular official. The crew of Conductor Greenbury's train, in addition to the engineers named, were Fireman G. Gerrod, Brakesman Geo. Harrison and G. Graham and deceased.

Coroner Burrows summoned a jury, but on account of several of the witnesses being out of Lindsay, the inquiry was adjourned till 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon next.

FARMERS TELEPHONES

Inauguration of a New System in Province of Ontario

The farmers of the States have, many of them, little independent telephone services of their own at small cost. The first of these is now being put in in Ontario.

The modern Telephone Company has signed contracts for the establishment of a rural telephone service embracing in its circuit Markham, Locust Hill, Whitevale, Green River, and Brougham. About thirty farmers will be benefitted by the service and have 'phones. Work on the installation has been started, and poles are now being erected. In thirty days the service will be running. Each farmer on the system pays $40, which completes the expenditure, with the exception of a small annual payment for maintenance. There is no central exchange on the system; subscribers have communication with each other through a code of signals. Privacy is secured in all conversations, although nine or ten can talk over the two wires at the one time. The instruments are of long-distance equipment.

ASHBURNHAM COUNCIL

In Regular Session Last Night—Accounts Ordered to be Paid

The following members were present at the regular meeting of the Ashburnham Council last evening: Reeve Smith and Councillors Adams and Pollock. The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and confirmed.

A communication was read from the secretary of the Peterborough Water Commissioners, re the payment of water rates before the 10th of December, and furnishing a statement of the number of water services in the village, and revenue received therefrom. The above communication was received and the clerk instructed to comply with their request in accordance with the terms of their agreement.

On motion of Councillors Adams and Pollock, the following accounts were ordered to be paid:

Peterborough Light & Power Co.	$ 1 80
Peterborough Examiner	1 50
W. Pocher	3 00
Pay Sheet No. 21	75 00
Pay Sheet No. 22	19 85
Peterborough Light & Power Co. (when certified)	325 00
Total	$425 35

The total expenditure from the 4th to the 29th November was $345.50, and the receipts $1273.86.

The following motion was passed by the Council: That the treasurer be authorized to pay the Peterborough Water Commissioners before the 19th inst. the amount due them under the terms of the agreement for hydrants and street watering, and for private water supply, one half the amount paid or to be paid for the year 1902, by the water consumers in Ashburnham.

The Council adjourned to meet again on the 15th inst., the statutory meeting being then held.

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A RICE LAKE LADY MURDERED IN PARIS

SHE WAS A MEMBER OF THE GORE FAMILY OF GORE'S LANDING

The Family were well Known in Peterborough – They Gave the Locality at Rice Lake its Name

Few doubtless who have read of the tragic shooting in Paris, France, of a lady named Mrs. Gore, on Wednesday last, would think of connecting the lady with the Gore family who years ago made their home at Gore's Landing, Rice Lake, and gave that picturesque place its present name. Mr. Tom Gore, the husband of the deceased lady, was one of the well known family of that name who will be remembered by many in this vicinity. Only last summer Mr. Gore visited his aunt, Mrs. Hunt, Cobourg, says the Post, and spent a few days before taking his departure for Europe. Mrs. Gore was the daughter of a very wealthy Mexican army officer and married Mr. Gore about fifteen years ago, the couple living for a time in Mexico City, where they built a magnificent residence, which they called "Gore's Court." She was a leader in both musical and social circles, her husband being noted for his interior exploratory tours into the wilds of the Canadian Northland. Mrs. Gore was then only budding into womanhood. One day the chance remark of the director of Emma Abbott's company then touring in the West, that a voice such as hers belonged to art and the public, rather than to the family circle, fired Mrs. Gore's ambition, and she determined to enter upon a professional life. Her husband opposed the step, and finally Mrs. Gore went to San Francisco, where a divorce was conveniently obtained upon a technical charge of cruelty and nonsupport. Then the divorcee drifted out of the orbit of her former husband's life and he had since heard only casual reports of her in Mexico, at Naples, St. Petersburg, and Leipzig. On July 12th this year Mrs. Gore sailed from New York for Europe, and has been a pupil of the famous composer, Moszkowski, until her death in the room of a Russian actor in the city of Paris. Her maiden name was Nellie S. Stegdall, and being orphaned at an early age she was brought up by an aunt in Alameda, California.

Mrs. Gore was wrapped up in her music, and her business interests were in constant charge. She is credited as being a refined woman of irreproachable character. Her husband made the money to [illegible] and [illegible], and although wealthy, is [illegible] supposed to be staying in [illegible]. The couple had one child, which died.

GREAT BRITAIN WILL REWARD THE LOYALISTS

Wonderful Strides Already Made in the Work of Repatriation

AT A TOTAL COST OF A MILLION A MONTH

Only About 30,000 Persons Now to be Provided for—The Colonial Secretary's Visit

London, Dec. 1—In the last speech made by Mr. Chamberlain upon South African affairs, after the decision had been made that he should visit the new dependencies, the Colonial Secretary endeavored to avoid all controversial points, stating that he desired to sail "with the mind as open and unprejudiced as possible;" but, incidentally in his advocacy of an Imperial grant of an additional eight million pounds to the Transvaal and Orange River Colonies, he stated some interesting facts which show that the re-settlement is proceeding at a rate which is a surprise both to Lord Milner and to the Home Government. At the close of the war, the number housed in the concentration camps was about [illegible] men, women and children; on October 1st, last, there remained only 34,000. "I marvel," said Mr. Chamberlain, "when I think of what the local administration has done. Within a few months of the close of the war we have been able to repatriate something like 70,000 persons. But let it not be thought that we retain one man, woman or child there against their will, unless we are convinced that to allow them to go would be to expose them to suffering, and, possibly death. In the 34,000 there are many people who have come since the end of the war to the concentration camps as camps of refuge and returning prisoners have also stayed there pending their return to their farms. We should see the dispersal of these camps, which are costing us £300,000 a month, with the greatest satisfaction, and we would have closed them on the day the war was over had we not known that it would involve the death of thousands and tens of thousands of the people we had been protecting."

The Colonial Secretary was very outspoken as to the proportion of assistance to be given, laying down the definite proposition that "the defeated must, as a general principal, suffer more than the victors," adding as regards Cape Colony: "In the case of the second invasion the responsibility lies with the Colony itself. With regard to Cape Colony, we have expressed in the clearest terms that not one penny of Imperial money shall be given to compensate those who have rebelled against the Imperial authority. That is independent of the vote to-night, which is for those loyal British and Dutch subjects—of whom there are many—who stood by us in the conflict and who suffered loss in the two Colonies. Lord Milner is of opinion that the sum will enable him to compensate these persons in a larger measure, with a greater percentage of their loss, than in the case of those who fought against us. That is fair and right. What are we giving to our enemies? It is right that the principle should be clearly stated, for here we are creating, for the first time in the history of the world a new precedent. We have often been referred to the great Civil War in America as an instance of the magnanimity which victorious troops and a victorious Government could show to those who had opposed them. Up to the war in South Africa no greater instance of magnanimity had ever transpired, but we are going much beyond that."

The North pensioned those who fought and suffered for its cause, but gave no farthing to those who fought against them; Britain is advancing the money to rebuild the homesteads, and to restock the farms of her late enemies.

Turning from this aspect of the war, it is interesting to note that time has already begun to prove that Britain had powerful European influences at her back even when the situation appeared most serious and the attitude of the Continental press was most menacing. Sir Horace Rumbold, the late Ambassador at Vienna is authority for the statement that in January, 1900, a date when "our plight in South Africa was almost at its worst—he was standing between the representatives of France and Russia in the official circle before a great Court ball in Vienna. The Emperor, Francis Joseph, came up to him and at once said: "In this war I am altogether on the side of England." Such an assurance so spoken, and at such a time is a very different thing from the private protestations of good will which Britain received freely enough from other quarters when the supremacy of her arms was established.

The poor response made to the appeals for pecuniary assistance by the Boer generals in their European tour is likely to facilitate the settlement which Mr. Chamberlain hopes to bring forward by his visit; despite the British blood shed it is from the British Government and from the charitable British public that the main contributions are being made to alleviate—so far as monetary aid can do so—the miseries the war has caused, and to engender that future good feeling between the two races which is evidently necessary to their mutual prosperity.

Bishop Wilkinson, of Zululand, also gives a timely reminder of another factor in the struggle between Boer and Briton which has too often been lost sight of. He says: We are now entering upon the third anniversary of the period surrounding our dark Christmas of 1899, when all seemed hopelessly going against us, and our hold upon South Africa hung upon a very slender thread indeed.

That we should have lost South Africa had they been against us there can be no doubt whatever. That they stood so firmly by us was undoubtedly owing not only to our just and equal rule, but to the amount of mission work we had done amongst them. As Bishop Baynes of Natal, testified, "The natives saved the British Empire in South Africa and I do not hesitate to largely attribute this loyalty to the result of Christian missions."

It was in the neighborhood of our oldest mission stations on the Zulu border, where I lived when in South Africa that one of the finest instances of native loyalty was recorded.

When Botha endeavored to bribe the native chief of that district with large herds of cattle—a bribe well nigh irresistible to a native—if he will join the Boers against us, he replied, "No; I will remain loyal to the British King; take your cattle and yourselves away, or I will drive you out of my country." As it was the same everywhere. Hundreds of warlike Zulus, Ama-Swazi, Basutos Matabele Bechuanas, all through the war, were only waiting a sign from the British Government to rise against the Boers and make short work of their commandos.

It may be years before the full effect of the South African war will be realized; its substitution of British for Boer methods of dealing with the enormously preponderating native races must inevitably beneficially influence an immense area of that "Dark Continent," which Livingstone gave his life to Christianize as well as to explore.

DEMANDS THE RECOGNITION OF SCHOOLS

British Ambassador's Request of the Porte--Tariff Affairs in Germany

Restrict Audience to Grown-Up People---Beerbohm Tree Wishes Only Adults to Witness Tolstoi's "Resurrection"

London, Dec. 1.—Mr. Beerbohm Tree, who announced that when he produces the English version of Tolstoi's "Resurrection," he will endeavor to restrict the audiences to grown-up people, has not yet determined how he will go about the attainment of that result. He was not prepared yesterday to say that he would refuse admittance to any person holding tickets, even if they have not reached the age of discretion. One thing Mr. Tree intends to do is to make known through the newspapers and other advertising mediums that "Resurrection" is a play that should be seen only by those of a certain age and experience.

London, Dec. 1.—A Politische correspondent, in an article quoted by the Vienna correspondent, says it hears that the British Ambassador at Constantinople has demanded recognition by the Porte of several Protestant schools established in Turkey, to which recognition has not previously been accorded, though the Porte promised to grant it. Turkey previously recognized the Russian and French schools founded without official sanction.

London, Dec. 1.—Notwithstanding the general disapproval of the recent obstructive tactics of the Social Democrats, says a Berlin correspondent, it is impossible to ignore the growing storm of indignation excited among the educated classes of Germany by the action of the present majority in Reichstag. This majority is but a thing of yesterday, a coalition of heterogeneous atoms which may be dispersed to all winds tomorrow. It has been arranged in secret behind the scenes and the uncertain and hesitating demeanor of some of its sectional leaders shows the shifting and fallacious nature of the foundations on which the crazy edifice has been erected. The oldest and most experienced National Liberals in the country are, in the words of the National Zeitung, appalled at the weakness which permitted the leaders of their Parliamentary party to trifle with their policy, in which the reactionary Prussian junkers greet the first signs of that attempt on the life and constitutional liberties of the German nation for which the reactionaries have seldom been able to conceal their longing. Almost every influential organ of the educated middle classes is up in arms, says the correspondent.

Boer Leaders Going to Africa

Kruger Has Another Application in to Get Back to His Old Associates

London, Dec. 1.—General Schalkburger and Messrs. Wessels and Wolmarans, the former Boer delegates, sailed yesterday for South Africa. The general carries a letter from Kruger asking that the ex-president be allowed to go back too. Messrs. Wessels and Wolmarans have been refused permits to proceed to the Transvaal colony, but they hope the prohibition will be rescinded after their arrival in Cape Colony.

A WARM WINTER PREDICTED

Man Figures It Out By Intervals of 13 Years

Mr. P. Jones, of West Bay City, Michigan, in writing to a local paper says a mild winter is in store for us, and gives his reasons for the prophecy as follows.—It may seem very strange, but in 1863, when I was only eight years old, my father came home from his first enlistment in the army. The winter beginning in 1863 was a very warm winter, rainy and soft, with some cold weather the last of February and the first of March. This was in Ohio. In 1876, thirteen years later, I was on the Northern Pacific Railroad in Minnesota. It was very warm until February and March then. There was some cold weather, but not long at a time, two or three days at the longest. Just thirteen years later, in 1889, in Ohio, it did not freeze to exceed two inches at any time all winter. The year 1902 brings it thirteen years later. Now when the sun crossed the line each of these years the wind was in the south or southeast. I have a perfect remembrance of these years, why it comes every thirteen years is a mystery to me. I think some of the lumbermen will remember some of these dates, as in [illegible] there were but few logs banked in Minnesota or Wisconsin. This fall the wind was about two degrees east of south when the sun crossed the line.

ITALY BRITAIN'S FRIEND

Will Give England Permission to Cross Her Territory

London, December 1 — An official connected with the Italian Foreign Office said the other day that the King would gladly welcome the request from Downing street for a passage of British troops across Italian Somaliland and would most cheerfully grant such a petition. At the same time, while several papers freely state that Italy must give every assistance to England in bearing civilization to the African barbarians, they maintain that she should, at the same time, form no complications for herself.

H. Succio, of Milan, warns the country against any adventurous proceedings in the neighborhood of Erythrea, while an article in the Mattino of Naples, demands that the Government shall only allow the passage of British troops through Italian territory if sufficient compensation is received. On the other hand, I find La Tribuna of Rome, calling attention to the insurrection in Arabia, and suggesting that it would be well for Italian warships to be on hand when the inevitable division of that part of the Ottoman dominion shall take place.

SHOT HIMSELF IN THE TEMPLE AT HIS BANK

Banker Howarth, of Oakville, Shoots Himself in the Presence of His Daughter

Oakville, Dec. 1.—This town was thrown into a state of excitement at noon today by the news that Mr. Thomas Howarth, of Howarth and Andrews, private bankers, had shot himself. The affair took place in the bank, the only person present being the banker's daughter. It appears that Howarth fired a bullet into his right temple with a revolver, the case being undoubtedly one of attempted suicide. The daughter at once gave the alarm, and Dr. Urquhart was called in to attend to the unfortunate man's injuries. At 2.15 o'clock Howarth was still living, though Dr. Urquhart stated that the wound will undoubtedly be fatal. He is about fifty years of age, and has been a resident of the town for several years. One of his sons is Rowland Howarth, of the Ontario Bank, Toronto.

Later.—Mr. Howarth died shortly after three o'clock. It is now common talk that he committed suicide, and that the rash act was the culmination of financial troubles.

Exclude Canadian Cattle

London, Nov. 29.—The order of the Board of Agriculture excluding live cattle from Boston because of the foot and mouth disease is bound to increase the prices of meat on the eve of the great meat-eating season, Christmas. Canada must benefit considerably, unless the board finds an excuse to include Canadian ports in the exclusion order.

ARE NOT RECEIVED LIKE PRODIGAL SON

Doukhobors Do Not Kill the Fatted Calf for the Pilgrims on Their Return Home

ANOTHER PILGRIMAGE IN VIEW

Government Agent Says Many are Sorry That They Left Their Villages

Winnipeg, Dec. 1—"The Doukhobor pilgrims did not receive a 'prodigal son' welcome on their return to their respective villages," was the remark made by C. W. Speers, general colonization agent for the Dominion Government, on his return from a visit to the colony of those settlers west of Yorkton, to a reporter.

"The 75 per cent. who remained at home are giving them the cold shoulder, and the large bulk of the wanderers now see the folly of their ways and they do not hesitate to admit that they were in the wrong."

"They have all returned to their homes?"

"Yes, and they are comfortable again. They are well supplied with vegetables and grain, and they have plenty of clothing. The police are patrolling the district as usual, and are, of course, keeping a little closer watch on them for a short time. Their reports are of the most favorable character. The Doukhobors who went out on the pilgrimage have undoubtedly gained by their experience.

THEY BUY HORSES.

"One thing is very noticeable, and that is the change in their opinions in regard to the working of cattle. One farmer I visited, Mr. R. B. McKenzie, of Fort Pelly, had sold them nine pairs of horses. I expect to see some of them eating meat before long.

Their grist mills are all in operation again. One mill I visited had ground 700 sacks of flour, and they said that this was not the largest mill they had.

"'When the Doukhobors left their villages their houses were in perfect order, and little harm was done by their wandering; in fact, I think in the long run, good will result from it, for it will open their eyes to the absurdity of their notions. Fully 75 per cent. of the Doukhobors who remained at home and could not be influenced by the agitators, recognize this already."

PREPARE FOR WINTER.

P. Harvey, immigration officer, also returned. Mr. Harvey went through the southern villages. Both officials took an inventory of the provisions of the Russian settlers to ascertain how they were prepared for the winter. They reported that the Doukhobors have a sufficient food supply for six months and their houses were in perfect order.

Mr. Harvey visited twelve colonies and found the inhabitants all happy. Some of them were still singing their dolorous chants, and still expected the Redeemer to come to them. At Blazovinska he found 14,000 bushels of grain in store with supplies of potatoes and other vegetables.

He found the villages where he stayed clean and the inhabitants hospitable.

Only twenty of thirty 'pilgrims' left each village, with the exception of the two largest, which contributed about seventy or eighty to the horde which started on the fanatical march. Those who remained at home, are remonstrating with the pilgrims and pointing out the error of their ways.

Some of the residents of the colony known as Spasoovka told Mr. Harvey that they were willing to register for their lands, and the twenty-four who left there with the fanatics promised not to do so again. Only those who went on the march gave up their animals; those who remained in their villages are purchasing more horses and animals, including a $3,000 stallion, which was brought from Brandon.

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THE DEFENCES OF LONDON

Periodically a wave of apprehension sweeps over Great Britain in regard to a possible foreign invasion. Of late it seems to have seized upon the public mind that Blucher's observation concerning London as "a good place to sack," might be translated into actuality, and accordingly proposals are afoot to provide defensive works in the vicinity at a cost of $15,000,000. Prince Bismarck was credited with the remark that an invading army might get into England, but the difficulty would be found in getting out again. As a fact, no foreign army has ever gained a footing in England when the nation was united. When the Armada was sent by Philip of Spain it was on the expectation of a rising that would paralyze resistance. Napoleon the First, Louis the Fourteenth, and Charlemange, each threatened Great Britain with invasion, relying on internal dissention. The latter wrote letters to Offa, King of Mercia, in a tone of menace, which led Offa to turn his thoughts to the proper method of securing his dominion from foreign attempts, which he concluded could be done in no other way than by keeping up a strong naval force. He raised so formidable a fleet that Charlemange was very glad to make terms of friendship. Offa left on his deathbed this useful lesson to his successors, "He who will be secure on land must be supreme at sea." He, rather than Alfred the Great, was the real founder of the British navy. King Offa was the originator of the first real answer to a threatened invasion, in the creation of a powerful fleet. Sir Walter Raleigh wrote three centuries ago, "Surely I hold that the best way is to keep our enemies from treading on our ground," which is as true now, as it was then, or as when Offa gave his immortal lesson over twelve hundred years ago. Yet Great Britain has been greatly addicted to spending money on her forts as well as on her fleets, to the extent, forgetful of the great principle that has been handed down from generation to generation, that preventing a landing is better than the cure of driving out an invader. Two great lessons appear in the record of history—first, that projected invasions of England have always been planned on the belief in a disunited nation, and have invariably been frustrated when ever she possessed an efficient navy; second, that the loss of naval supremacy implies ruin or decadence to a commercial people. The best system of defence against any enemy, is and always has been, a vigorous offensive. For this reason the phrase, "the first line of defence," as applied to the navy, is inaccurate and misleading. The British military frontier, like that of the navy, is not the shores of England. Beyond the naval frontier lies that of the army, whose true function is not defence against invasion, but a far flung offensive battle line, based upon and supported by a mobile navy. If the projected defences of London are based upon any theory of a divided people at home, then it is a phase of panic that must be inexplicable abroad.

THE TIMES LETTER-BOX

Letters from the People on Interesting Topics

NOTE.—The Times does not hold itself in any way responsible for the opinions expressed by its correspondents. —Ed. Times.

A KICK FROM A VOTER

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—As I understand the columns of your independent journal are open to the discussion of any subject, an opportunity presents itself for a ratepayer to express his opinion of our Peterborough Council. As election times are approaching it is all important that the voters publicly express their opinion, that the faults of the present council be corrected, or if they possess too many to correct, let us put others in their places. I think it would not be hard to get a better council than the present one. A council that ignores the voice of the voters should be fired out as soon as possible. This has been done by our present council, not once, but the second time, to my personal knowledge. Last summer a petition signed by twenty-three voters was sent to the council to have a ditch opened (this ditch was closed up and was the cause of flooding many cellars). Now these petitions were ignored, as if those twenty-three voters were of no importance. But when election day comes we will try to show them what we can do. Such a council deserves expulsion, and that's just what we will try and do on January first. Again, the streets of Peterborough were never in a worse condition, and nothing seems to be done to better them. I'd like to know what they are for, if not to keep our streets in repair, and listen to the voices of those who placed them there. Now let us make a change in the government of our city, by electing men who are able and willing to do their work. I know a few hundred at least, who intend to do all in their power to reform our council, or place in power one that is already reformed.

Yours respectfully,

A VOTER.

A TEMPERANCE SUGGESTION

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—I see that the temperance people have again taken up their case, and come to the country for help, which, sir, I am afraid, they will not get. But what I want to ask them is, Why do they not get something up in place of saloons? or in other words, some place where the young and old can go and spend their evenings in the winter time, and teach them the way in which they should go, for I may honestly say that seven out of every ten do not go out with the intention of going to a saloon; but you see they have to walk up and down the streets night after night, till they get tired and perhaps it may be too early to go home. They go and get a drink for a change. They may not stand at the corners, for if they do they only insult people.

Now, sir, to state one way that might be a good thing to help the cause—I suppose our church people have seen the Northern Messenger of some weeks back, with the likeness of one of the great clergyman of the city of London, Newman Hall, and if they read that article they will find other names, such as Roland Hill, and Mr. Murphy, the last named the great temperance gentleman. Now, what did he do? He did not keep getting the country to vote on temperance, but he turned round the other way and rented the Lambeth swimming baths during the winter months and had concerts every evening, free of charge. One night he would get soldiers to come and play and sing, another the policemen, and so on; then the newsboys to come and play on their tin whistles. The audience was the judge who played the best, and the chosen performer got a prize. Saturday nights were called newspaper reading nights, for which a penny was charged, that is, two cents, and no higher. The place got so it could not hold the people who wished to attend. Now they have temperance theatres the old Victoria, and lots of others. Temperance sentiment is growing every year.

Yours,

W. B. C.

LIQUOR LAW FINANCE

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—I would like to say a few words through the columns of The Times on the on the liquor question.

Among the early records in Canada was an Act for the payment of salaries to the members of the Legislature of Upper Canada in 1794. This fund to be raised by means of a license to sell liquors. Every person keeping a house of entertainment, or selling liquors, was compelled to take out a license, and pay therefor the sum of £2 16s, and to have written or printed over the door of his house the words:—"Licensed to sell wine and other spirituous liquors." He should also enter into a bond to keep a decent and orderly house. A failure to comply with these conditions was punishable with a fine of 5s, "to be recovered before any justice of the peace," one half of the fine to be paid to the informer.

The liquor trade has always been levied upon more or less for the expenses of Government. For Dominion purposes it is taxed about $9,000,000 a year.

In 1901 the Ontario Government collected $386,872.53 in license fees, or $80,000 more than the total Provincial charge under the head of "Legislation" for that year, and the total gifts to "hospitals and charities" combined.

This is a heavy tax, no doubt, but it is one which the trade has appeared willing to pay.

The municipalities received a share of the license money, instead of the whole of it, as formerly, but the municipal share is not included in the $376,000 returned to the Ontario Government.

The expenses of prosecuting infractions of the license law are now paid by the municipalities.

Were the liquor act of 1902 to be adopted by the referendum, the task of enforcing it would fall by its terms to the Ontario Government, which would have no control over municipal police, and would have to organize a special and very extensive detective service at Government expense. As the revenue from licenses would then not be a tithe of what it is under the License Act, the expenses would fall heavily upon the people, having to be collected in some other way than by license fees.

The loss in reduced license revenue, and the cost of enforcement together would probably foot up three-quarters of a million dollars.

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With its two electric lamps like great white dragon-eyes blazing in the night, the Daimler tore through the streets at the rate of thirty miles an hour. People flung themselves wildly out of the way, shrieking for the police, shouting that here was a madman on a motor-car; cabmen lashed their snorting horses up side streets to avoid destruction or drove in desperation on to the pavement, the wheels of their vehicles here and there smashing a window, adding the keen, high treble of crashing glass to the uproar.

Policemen yelled to the hatless man bent forward over the steering gear, bidding him stop on pain of desperate penalties, but Macaire only laughed. Rain had begun to fall, and the wind and the water, spraying against his hot face, cooled his brain, giving him a sense of power and exhilaration. He felt like Juggernaut, and longed for victims for the wheels of his rushing car, which flew faster than the flying minutes, bearing him out of danger to a new life.

He did not think of all that he had left behind, all that he must sacrifice, for that way madness lay. Yet Winifred's sweet girlish face would rise before him. He would not have had this thing happen until he had crushed the butterfly under his heel and broken its wings so that it must lie for ever in the dust. And Hope Newcome, the son of the man he had done to death; he would fain have sent him after his father.

"To think that she should have been Harold Norman's wife, and I never guessed it! Fool—fool!" he railed madly against himself.

He had passed the suburbs now. London and London's lights would soon be left behind. He would do the trick. The Daimler and his "Diavola" would save him yet.

Suddenly it was as if a figure rose out of the earth before him, flitting in front of the car as it rushed on along a white ribbon of winding road. It was radiant with a strange, pale radiance, and out of a faint golden mist gleamed a face—the face of F. R. Z.

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ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
	100.00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 ton re above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

3.—FLUX.

We are now negotiating for valuable deposits of dolomite and limestone of the most satisfactory quality, situated on the tide-water, within 100 miles of the works.

MARKETS.

For six months in each year the Canadian markets can be reached by water at low freight rates, and at all times by rail. As Cape Breton is distant from Liverpool only about 2,300 miles; is nearer to Pernambuco, Brazil, than any point in the United States, and also nearer to Cape Town, South Africa, it has the advantage, in point of distance, for export business over any American steel-producing points, which, with scarcely any exceptions, are situated some distance from tide water. Under any conditions of the world's market, it is believed that the output of these works can be disposed of at satisfactory prices.

OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows:—

	ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2 70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

If the capitalization was increased to ... $20,000,000.00 this estimate would still show a dividend-earning capacity of 10 per cent. per annum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Coal Co. is ... $20,000,000.00 earning fully 12 per cent., and is paying 8 per cent. guaranteed dividends on this enormous sum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co. is ... $28,000,000.00 on which it is believed 6 per cent. dividends will be earned.

The capitalization of the Canadian Steel & Coal Company is only $6,000,000.00 controlling, it is believed, equally valuable properties, and it is reasonable to expect much larger dividends.

Within the last few months Dominion Coal shares common rose in market value from $40 to $144 per share, and Dominion Iron & Steel Company's shares common rose over $30 per share in market value.

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A united states newspaper once announced that a notorious thief, well known locally, had been lynched for horse-stealing. The man called at the office, sound in wind and limb, and demanded a withdrawal of the unfounded statement. "We cannot retract," said the editor; "we never do." "But the 'Mail,' which published a similar report, has withdrawn it," said the man. "That may be," replied the editor. "The report appearing in the 'Mail' was no doubt without foundation; but our news is always true. However, we don't mind saying in the next issue that the rope broke, and that you escaped with a slight contusion."

If a story told in journalistic circles be well founded, a somewhat similar incident occurred in London. One day a gentleman called at the office of a well-known newspaper and said to the editor, a famous man in his time: "Sir, it is announced in your paper that I am dead." "Well," replied the editor, "if it is in our paper it is correct." "It is not correct, for here I am alive," rejoined the other. "Well, it can't be helped," said the editor. "But I expect you to contradict it," said the gentleman. "No, I cannot do that," said the editor, "as we never contradict anything that appears in our paper. I will do the only thing I can do to bring you to life again. To-morrow I will put you in the list of births."

Sometimes the editor gets the better of these unpleasant intruders into his sanctum. A friend of ours was seated in his editorial chair in a Yorkshire town, quietly snipping paragraphs from contemporary journals, when in walked, unannounced, a big, ferocious-looking man with a heavy stick in his hand. "Is the editor in?" he asked. The menacing tone in which the question was put showed that he had not come to make a friendly call, to insert an advertisement, or to pay a subscription to the journal. "No, sir," replied the editor, with admirable presence of mind—"he has just gone out. Take a seat and read the paper; he will return in a minute." Down sat the indignant visitor, crossing his legs, with his club between them, and commenced reading a paper. In the meantime the editor quietly vanished downstairs, and at the landing he met another excited man, with a cudgel in his hand, who also asked if the editor was in. "Yes, sir," was the prompt response, "you will find him seated upstairs, reading a newspaper." The second visitor, on entering the room, commenced a violent assault upon the first, which was resisted with equal ferocity. The fight was continued till they both rolled to the foot of the stairs and had cudgelled each other to their hearts' content.

New Round Dances.

Three new round dances have just been approved and adopted by the Normal Association of Masters of Dancing of the United States and Canada, which recently met in New York. They are the Military Dip Waltz, the Olympia Schottische, and the Antler's Gavotte. The Military Dip Waltz is said to be the simplest and most graceful of the three. It has been predicted that this dance will sweep the country, and may take the place of the two-step in the matter of popularity. The movements are thus described: Take a position facing your partner, as if for waltzing. The left foot of both lady and gentleman should be in the fourth position, front; that is, about the length of one step in front of the right foot. At the beginning of the strain the gentleman dips forward upon his left and the lady backward upon her right; then both reverse the movement. The gentleman next makes a quick change, stepping forward on the left and then on the right. The balance is repeated in this position, the two dip movements having occupied just four measures in all. From this point glide into the waltz, waltzing four measures; then repeat the balance movement again, and so on ad libitum. The dance is simple, easy, and fascinating. The Olympia Schottische is designed for the more agile and spirited dancers. It is begun in the open position assumed for any schottische, the gentleman holding the lady's left hand with his right, the two facing one another. The lady starts with the right foot, the gentleman with the left. Dip backward with a graceful bend of knee, then bring the rear foot forward and rise on the toes. Repeat the movement with the other foot; glide four times to the right, repeat both movements, face forward and hop on left foot, kicking right with toe touching the floor; then hop on right, kicking left. Next assume the closed position and take four glides, a half turn, finishing with four more glides in the same direction. The Antler's Gavotte is made up entirely of familiar steps. This is begun in the closed position. March two measures, two-step four, take three glides to the left, finishing on the right foot, and waltz to the close of the strain. This is a new combination of the two old favorites, two-step and waltz, with the march step for variety.

A Valuable Clue.

"Please, sergeant," exclaimed a lady, as she rushed into the police station, half out of breath. Then she hesitated.

"What is it, ma'am?"

"I don't like to tell you."

"Proceed. Have you been robbed, or ——?"

"Robbed, sir; cruelly robbed. Last night someone stole a lot of clothes from off my line."

"Just give me a list of the articles stolen."

"I couldn't do that, for they took two pairs of ——"

"What?"

"Oh, no; I really couldn't say; but, Mr. Policeman, if you see anybody wearing them, arrest them."

With this brief explanation she departed, and now she is telling all the neighbors that the police force of this country are too stupid to detect crime, even when they get a clue at first hand.

Verestchagin, the artist who is painting a large picture of the Battle of San Juan Hill, with President Roosevelt as the central figure, was very much depressed over New York's sky-line, when he visited the metropolis fifteen years ago. He said that the occasional skyscraper was a painful blot on the landscape; that it made the sky-line one terrible thing to behold. The other day, after long contemplation of it and the scores of big buildings which lead down the Island of Manhattan, he is said to have turned to a friend and remarked: "Really" (a pause), "it begins to be grand."

Interpreting Dreams.

"Can you interpret dreams?" asked Beatrice, eagerly.

I could not, but I saw no reason why I should make the confession.

"Certainly," I replied; "I never fail."

"Oh, I'm so glad," she returned. "Lately I've been dreaming such a lot, and—well, I'm sure there must be something in it."

"I haven't the least doubt about that," I said, thinking of those charming, if slightly indigestible suppers which we had been having.

"Perhaps if you could tell me some of the dreams," I suggested.

"Well, last night I narrowly escaped being burned to death in a fire in the house at which I was staying."

"No difficulty there," I said promptly. "It means marriage."

"Not—not death?" she asked, somewhat anxiously.

"Death? No. What put that into your head?"

"The night before I dreamed that I saw a coffin and ——"

"My dear Bea! You must allow me to congratulate you."

"Why?"

"It is quite evident that you are to be married soon. The coffin is—er—marriage again."

"A second marriage?"

"No—I mean it corroborates the fire."

She looked at me with some distrust.

"I hope you know what you are talking about. The coffin couldn't very well corroborate the fire, as it came first, and——"

"Ah, you don't understand dreams," I cut in, anxious to restore her faith in my powers. "In real life, of course, the corroboration couldn't come first, but it's quite different in dream life."

"Oh—oh!" She waited for a moment or two and then added: "I suppose dreams always mean something exactly opposite?"

She seemed anxious that I should answer the question in the affirmative, so, of course, I hastened to do so.

"That is the case. I never heard of a dream episode being enacted in real life."

She gave a sigh—of relief, I imagined.

"Three nights ago I dreamed that I was being married," she said. "What did that mean? That I am to be an old maid?"

"It meant——," I said, and then paused. It was my earnest wish that she should be married to me.

"I'm sure I have puzzled you now."

"Anything but," I returned. "I was only wondering whether—was the man fair or dark?"

"Dreams always go by contraries, you said," she remarked, studying my golden locks intently. "Yes; he was fair, very fair."

"Tall or short?"

She took in my six feet one.

"Tall."

"Stout or thin?"

"Medium."

"Very like——"

"Very like yourself," she interrupted. "But of course that doesn't matter, so far as I can see. All I want to know is, what does dreaming about marriage mean? You say that it can't mean marriage?"

"I didn't say anything of the sort, Bea. It—er—does mean marriage. The only question is as to the man you are going to marry. That's why I required a particular description of him."

"You certainly said that a dream must mean the opposite," she insisted.

"But surely you don't mean to hold me down to a foolish statement of that kind."

"A foolish statement! Why, Hugh, I thought—do you know anything about dreams at all?" she asked, suspiciously.

"To be candid, I do not, Bea. But ——"

"Well, I'm sorry that we have wasted so much time," she said. "I'm going now to see Aunt Sarah. I'm sure she knows all about dreams, and—and that coffin really troubles me."

"Don't go," I implored. "The fact is, Bea, I can help you—if you'll let me."

"I gave you the opportunity," she said.

"Oh, I know, but I can't—I mean—I ——"

"What do you mean?" she asked.

"I mean that I can interpret your coffin dream for——"

"But you admitted a moment ago that you couldn't," she said, looking at me tantalisingly.

"You might allow me to finish," I said. "The dream may mean marriage or not. But you can make it mean marriage if you like."

She looked mystified.

"Marry me," I said, "and then—and then the dream can't mean anything else."

"And if I don't?" she asked.

"If you don't I refuse to answer for the consequences. The dream might mean—something dreadful. In fact, I'm sure it would."

She gave a little shiver.

"Oh, anything rather than that. Hugh, I am yours."

I sealed the bargain with a kiss, but she did not respond to the caress. It was evident that she had something on her mind.

"What is it?" I asked presently.

"I suppose," she replied slowly, "that whether I had dreamed about a coffin or not you would have——"

"Have asked you to marry me?" I cut in eagerly. "Of course I should."

"And so—it doesn't really matter whether I dreamed or not."

"Bea! What do you mean?" I asked.

"I hate to have everyone wondering when we are going to become engaged," she remarked calmly, "so I hastened matters a little, and invented some dreams."

"But—how did you know that would —or——"

"When you said that you could interpret dreams, I knew," she replied. "A man nearly always makes out that marriage is the interpretation of"—she bowed mockingly—"a fairly good-looking young woman's dream. And when the would-be interpreter happens to be in love with the fairly good-looking ——"

"Bea," I interrupted, "you ran a great risk."

"Why?"

"Because you are not a fairly good-looking young woman," I replied, letting my eyes rest on her with open admiration. "And if it is only to women of that sort that men interpret ——"

"In all the great affairs of life one must run some risk," she remarked; and she looked so charming as she spoke that I was constrained to tell her that she had run no risk at all.—"The King."

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A company having a capitalization of $5,000,000 has been organized for the construction of lines, pumping stations, storage tanks, and the like. Mr. Morgan and his associates have also formed a separate company, capitalized at $20,000,000, half of which will be invested in proven ground and the other half turned into a reserve fund.

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MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS.

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SIX MILLION BARRELS is the consuming capacity of the Southern Pacific Railway engines, which are now equipped for burning oil. Outside of this consider other railway lines, smelters, factories, steamships, stationery engines, which are all heavy consumers of fuel oil and last but not least, hotels and private dwellings are falling in line with the procession in the use of fuel oil.

A GOOD REASON WHY YOU Should Invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. More fortunes have been made in oil than any other business. Consider the immense amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for its fortunate stockholders, and the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard Oil Company. Here is what $100 has accomplished for those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:

Home Whittier $1,000 on an investment of $100.
Kern returned $2,200 on an investment of $100.
Peerless returned $1,800 on an investment of $100.
Dillon returned $2,500 on an investment of $100.
New York returned $30,000 on an investment of $100.
Union returned $150,000 on an investment of $100.
Home returned $50,000 on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Company's oil holdings and property, when developed and handled, should not bring like returns.

CONTRARY to the general supposition the earth is the repository of all mineral wealth. When it is known and demonstrated beyond a question of a doubt where its wealth reposes and you put your money up to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people but creates new wealth. It is therefore an investment.

Wonderful Increase in Value of Oil Stocks.

The rapid rise in the value of shares in some oil companies will be seen from the following table:

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Monte Cristo Co.	.10	2.50
West Shore Co.	.50	4.80
Twenty-eighth Oil Co	.50	2.80
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	.50	1.90
Sterling Oil & Development Company	.50	2.25
Dillon Oil Co.	.25	3.50
Peerless Co.	.50	8.62
San Joaquin Oil Co.	.50	16.00
[illegible] Oil Co	.25	10.00
Thirty-three Oil Co.	.25	11.50
Kern River Oil Co.	.50	26.00
New York Oil Co	.50	20.00
Oil City Petroleum Co.	2.50	34.00
Hanford Oil Co	2.00	120.00
Kreyenhagen Oil Co	.10	200.00
Columbia Oil Co.	100.00	400.00
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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Electoral District afor said that in pursuance to Part 1, of the Liquor Act, poll will be opened at 9 o'clock in the fore noon, on the

4th Day of the Month of December,

IN THE YEAR 1902,

And close on the same day at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, in each of the Townships, Wards or Polling Subdivisions in which a Polling Place is to be opened and kept according to law, viz.:

BURLEIGH & ANSTRUTHER.

Polling Division No. 1—Consisting of the Southern Division of Burleigh, at Stone's School House.

Polling Division No. 2—Consisting of the Northern Division of Burleigh and the Townships of Anstruther, at Town Hall, Apsley.

CHANDOS.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising that part of Chandos, from and including the 9th, Concession to the Northern and Eastern boundaries at Caldwell's School House.

Polling Division No. 2.—Comprising that part of Chandos, including Concessions 2 and 3, Concessions 4, 5, and 6 from Lot 1 to 19, Concession 7 from Lot 1 to 19, at Hales' School House.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising that part of Chandos, including Concessions 4 and 5 from Lot 17 to 32, Concessions 6, 10 and 11 from Lot 23 to 32, Concessions 7, 8, 9 and 12 from Lots 25 to 32 at Post's School House.

BELMONT AND METHUEN.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising the 9th, 10th 11th, 12th, Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from the South Boundary to the line between Lots 10 and 11 except the east 1/4 of Lots 7 and 8 in the 10th Concession, and the Northeast 1/4 of Lots 6 and 7, and the West 3/4 of Lot 8, in the 9th Concession, at School House Old Havelock.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Concessions of the Township of Belmont from the South Boundary to the line between Lots 8 and 9, the 6th, 7th and 8th Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from the South Boundary to the line between Lots 12 and 13, at Town Hall, Belmont.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising the 1st 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from Lot 8 to the North Boundary, the 1st and 2nd Concessions of the Township of Methuen, from the South Boundary to Lot 10, at Mount Zion School House.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising the 6th, 7th and 8th Concessions of the Township of Belmont from Lot 12 to North Boundary, except 31 & 32 in the 6th Concession, and the 9th, 10th, 11th and 12 Concessions of the Township of Belmont, from Lot 10 to North Boundary, and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, in the 11th and 12th Concessions of the Township of Methuen, at Rush Point School House.

Polling Division No. 5—Comprising all the Township of Methuen, except the 1st, and 2nd Concessions from the South Boundary to Lot 10 and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, in the 11th and 12th Concessions, and to include Lots 31 and 32 in the 6th Concession of the Township of Belmont, at Oak Lake School House.

HAVELOCK.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising the Village of Havelock, at Town Hall, Havelock.

ASPHODEL.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising the 1, 2, 3, and 4th Concessions on the River Trent, to the line between Lots 12 and 13 and Lots 10, 11 and 12 in the 5th Concession, at Town Hall, Westwood

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and the West Half of Concession 6, from Lot 12 to the Northen Boundary of the Township, at English's House, Lot 18, Concession 4.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising the East Half Concession 6 and Concessions 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12, from Lot 11 to the Northern Boundary of the Township, at Geo. Patterson's House.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising all the Lots South of Lot 10 in the 6th Concession, and all Lots South of Lot 12 in the 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th Concessions and the West 1/2 of Lot 12 in the 6th Concession, at Valleau's Cheese Factory.

DUMMER.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising Lots 1 to 10, inclusive, in the 7th Concession, and Lots 1 to 23 inclusive in the 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th Concessions, and parts of shore along Stoney Lake (Summer Resort) 8th, 9th, and 10th Concession, at School House No. 2.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising Lots 1 to 5, inclusive and the East 1/2 of Lot 6 in the 2nd, Concession, Lots 1 to 9 in the 3rd Concession, and Lots 1 to 10 in 4th, 5th and 6th Concessions, at Cottesloe Post Office.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising inclusive, all the Lots in the 1st Concession, West Half of 6, from 7 to 19 and West Half of 20 in the 2nd Concession. Lots 10 to 19 in the 3rd Concession and Lots 11 to 19 in the 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th Concession, at Town Hall, Warsaw.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising inclusive East Halves of Lots 20 & 21 to Stoney Lake, in the 2nd Concession. Lots 20 to Stoney Lake, in the 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th Concessions and Lots 24 to Stoney Lake, in the 8th, 9th, lands on Stoney Lake in Dummer, at 10th, 11th, and 12th Concessions, and all 4th Line Orange Hall, Hall's Glen.

OTONABEE.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising that part of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Concessions South of Lot 22, at Villiers Post Office.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising that part of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, and East 1/2 of the 7th Concession North of Lot 21, at School House, Section 2.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising that part of the 6th, 7th and 8th Concessions South of Lot 22 and also Sugar and Harris Islands, at Forester's Hall, Keene.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising that part of the West 1/2 of the 7th Concession, and all 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th Concessions North of Lot 21, at Wm. Girvin's House, Lot 26, Concession 10.

Polling Division No. 5—Comprising that part of the 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th Concessions South of Lot 22, at Union Hall, Mather's Corners.

Polling Division No. 6—Comprising the 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th Concessions, at Union Hall, Stewart's.

DOURO.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising all Lots North of Lots 13 in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th Concessions, at R. H. Little's House, Lot 20, Concession 5.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising all Lots South of Lot 14, in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Concessions, at John Torpey's House, Lot 10, Concession 2.

Polling Division No. 3—Comprising all Lots South of Lot 14, in the 5th, 6th and 7th Concessions and the East halves of all Lots in Concession 8, at Town Hall; Douro.

Polling Division No. 4—Comprising the West halves of all Lots in Concession 8, and all Lots in the 9th, 10th 11th and 12th Concessions, at Thomas Tobin's House.

NORWOOD.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising all Village West of Victoria street, at Town Hall.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising all Village East of Victoria street, at Agricultural Office.

ASHBURNHAM.

Polling Division No. 1—Comprising all, that portion of said Village South of Elizabeth street and South of the line between the Lots Nos. 29 and 30 in the 12th Concession of Otonabee, at Council Chamber.

Polling Division No. 2—Comprising all that portion of said Village North of Elizabeth street and North of the line between Lots 29 and 30 in the 12th concession of Otonabee, at Mrs. Swanson's House, Lot 14, North Elizabeth street.

All of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Peterborough, this tenth day of the month of November, in the year 1902.

BERNARD MORROW,
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In 1879 the Dominion Government purchased from the Grand Trunk the line from Levis to Riviere du Loup, 124 miles, for $1,500,000, and with this money the Grand Trunk purchased two railways in Michigan, and formed the Chicago and Grand Trunk system. In 1881 the Georgian Bay and Lake Erie system of 171 miles was incorporated into the Grand Trunk. In 1882 amalgamation with the Great Western railway, including 904 miles, took place. In 1883 the Welland line was leased, the Champlain lines extended and the Midland system of 473 miles absorbed. The Northern railway was leased in January 1888. In 1899 the Victoria Bridge was rebuilt at a cost of $1,810,355, the Dominion Government contributing $300,000 by way of subsidy.

The total length of the Grand Trunk system is 3,151 miles of which 450 is double tracked. In 1867 the Grand Trunk carried 2,850,143 passengers and 2,011,700 tons of freight. In 1896 5,077,071 passengers and 7,867,148 tons of freight were carried.

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WELSH COLONY DOING WELL

Body Blow to the Cobden Club—Canadian Trade Should Benefit

Ottawa, Nov. 29.—The Department of the Interior states that the reports as to destitution in the Welsh Patagonian colony, near Saltcoats, are very much exaggerated and practically unreliable. The latest information in the department is that these people have done very well, considering their financial condition on arrival in this country last spring, and have been able to earn a considerable amount in good wages this year. A departmental officer is, however, being sent to the colony to make a very close examination into the circumstances of the people.

London, Nov. 29.—Some dismay was felt in Cobden Club circles on the morning after their long-planned demonstration against Chamberlainism and Imperial protection at the disclosures in the Daily Mail, showing that the club is chiefly alien in membership. More than half the members are foreigners, living in France, Germany, Austria, the United States and Spain. Many others are foreigners living in England. What right, asks the Mail, have they to speak for England?

POISON WORKED AS HE SANG

Tragic Story Told by Mother of Dr. N. G. Ross

Detroit, Nov. 29.—The sad story of the suicide by strychnine of Dr. Norman Garibaldi Ross, son of the late Dr. A. M. Ross, of Toronto, was related to a reporter by the mother of the unfortunate young man.

"He was a brilliant young man," if I do say it myself," said Mrs. Ross. "I was always proud of him because of his intellectual attainments. Though only 27 years of age, he is said to have been a Gladstone in literary ability. But years ago my boy became addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors, and this really led to his untimely death. We have been living alone here for about six years, ever since we came from Toronto, where we lived before my husband died.

"My son liked jolly company, and he would often stay out very late at night. Wednesday night he went away and did not return. We had arranged to have a Thanksgiving dinner yesterday, just for ourselves, and I had prepared for it. But he didn't come. At 8.30 o'clock last night he walked in quietly, and almost the first words he said to me were 'Mother I wish I were dead.'

"I told him then that if he intended to dissipate like that it might be better if he were dead. He had often spoken to me about committing suicide, and had several times scared me.

"Last night I left him alone in the parlor and went upstairs. In a few minutes I heard him go down into the basement, and I could hear the water running from the tap. I was nervous, but, a few minutes later, I was glad to hear him playing on the piano. He was an accomplished pianist, and sang several songs, including 'The Shade of the Sheltering Palms,' from the Florodora Opera.

"As the last words of the song died away, I heard a moan, and my son's voice saying, 'It's beginning to work now.' Several minutes elapsed, and then his moans were frightful to hear. found him lying on the floor. He had taken a cushion from the lounge, and placed it on the floor for his head to rest on.

"'Mother,' he cried, as I went into the room, 'I am dying; hurry and get the doctor!'

"I told him to get up and go to bed but he got worse, and I hurried out for Dr. J. J. Mulheron. When I got back from the doctor he was lying quite still. I guess he was dead then. He never regained consciousness, anyway. That is exactly how my boy died."

The remains will probably be cremated, according to the expressed wish of the suicide, and the ashes taken to Toronto for interment.

LUMBERING OPERATIONS

Times are Brisk in the Lumber Camps This Season

The Bobcaygeon Independent says: The lumber operations are now in full activity and throughout the great district north of this village there is a strong demand for men to work in the woods, and very high wages are paid. Only a few years ago the wages paid to a shantyman ranged from $18 to $24 a month, and there were crowds anxiously waiting to be hired, but to-day men are scarce, and hard to obtain and are paid from $28 to $40 a month. Only a few Frenchmen from the Province of Quebec are now employed in this district whilst formerly they formed a majority of the men engaged in the shanties. Those employed in the shanties which are now called "camps" are much better fed than they used to be, and are supplied with sugar, stews, pies, puddings and cakes, whilst formerly their only food was merely bread and salt pork. Thus we see that not only are the wages much higher, but the cost of feeding greatly increased. All the other expenses connected with lumber operation have also increased, and this season the cost of production will be still further advanced. As the area of lumber production diminishes and is pushed further back it is impossible to foresee what will be the price of sawed lumber a few years hence. It is noticeable that all lumber camps are now subjected to medical regulations, and are in consequence much healthier than was once the case. It is probable that within fifty miles north of this village there are twenty lumber camps or shanties containing fifty men each. The supply of men is inadequate to the demand, and more men are needed at once. If the demand for timber and lumber continues to increase as it has done of late, in twenty years all the trees for a hundred miles north of this village will have been cut and manufactured.

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STOCK MARKETS

The Other Two Tractions

New York, December 1—The doings in Manhattan stock draws scrutinizing attention to the shares of the other two great surface roads of New York and Brooklyn, namely—The Metropolitan and the B. R. T. The former is a seven per cent. guaranteed stock selling entirely too low at the present time. The latter has for some time past as well as on Saturday last, shown the strongest kind of indications of steady accumulation, which would portend something doing. In both instances it is quite logical and plain that their shares would be excellent purchases at the moment. The readers of these letters have known that we have always maintained that the underground company would operate Manhattan, we also maintain that they will be equally interested in the surface roads of Manhattan Island also B. R. T.. The tunnels under the East river will afford the connection. B. R. T. will have the right of way there, and the general combine through the controlling company will be master of the transportation facilities of greater New York. Common sense indicates that one great company can operate all this vast mileage infinitely cheaper than various independent organizations. Shareholders will be benefitted in the vast saving through decreased cost and the great stimulation of travel through increased transfers, and improved facilities. Electrical power to operate all furnished from one great source can be much more cheaply furnished than by each system providing its own power and plants. Metropolitan is absurdly cheap at present. In 1899 it sold above 250 and is worth far more today that it was then. B. R. T.'s outlook at present is far superior to what it was when it sold considerably above par. We believe no one can make any mistake in purchasing these two issues at present. The general market conditions are also greatly improved. In fact they are better at the present time than they have been any time since the beginning of September. We confidently expect an important and extended advance in both Metropolitan and B. R. T., consequently we earnestly urge their purchase immediately.

Summary—Today's market indicates better prices. Metropolitan and B. R. T. were favorites brought to the front and advanced sharply. They at present look like higher prices immediately, consequently they are good to purchase, especially on reactions. Louis & Nash., Rhode Island and Mo. Pacific were in good demand, while some realizing sales were apparent in Manhattan shares. The coalers were very strong, Reading selling up to 68 while Philadelphia advanced under investment purchases. Balt & Ohio and Norfolk closely followed. The Gould shares were all in good demand. Buying of A.C.P. was extremely good. We like its market appearance and recommend its purchase. A. B. rallied sharply upon a better understanding of its position on the silver market, which commodity has been very weak recently, making a new low record price. We favor the bull side. To-morrow's letter will deal with Continued Stock Accumulation. Money closed 5 per cent. Sales 660,-100.

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Our Mr Fox has just returned from a trip of personal investigation to the NEW WONDERFUL OIL GUSHER field in the Township of Raleigh, in the County of Kent. He reports that the whole country is literally

ON FIRE

with excitement. Chatham—respectable, easy going old Chatham—stands amazed, while oil operators from Pennsylvania, Ohio, Texas, California and from the big refineries at Petrolia and Sarnia fill her streets and hotels to overflowing—all making OIL! OIL! OIL!—offering figures for land that would have been considered sheer madness a few weeks ago. The roads to the oil fields are lined with all kinds of carriages, wagons and loads of machinery and derricks. Several drilling rigs are already partly erected and contracts have been made for the sinking of at least FIFTY WELLS within the next thirty days.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Nomination Meetings

Nomination meetings of the electors of the County Council will be held in the different districts on Monday, the 22nd December between the hours of one and two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the office of County Councillor for the ensuing term of two years.

Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society will be held on Friday afternoon at the Town Council Chamber, at 4 o'clock. All friends and members of the society are requested to attend. Reports of the past year will be presented and officers elected for the coming year.

A Large Increase

The revenue at the local customs office for November exceeded that of November a year ago, by a very large sum, being $16,140.83 and $8,236.00 respectively. The collections for the three months ended November 30th, 1902, were $51,827.-00, as against $32,272.36, for the corresponding three months of 1901, an increase over last year of $[illegible], or over 60 per cent.

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Got Their Medals

The local members of the Coronation Contingent have received their medals, as follows: Regimental Sergt.-Major Goldy, Sergt. Trumpeter Goldy, Sergt. Heaton, Squadron Sergt.-Major Cleghorn and Sergt. Duffus. The medals are of bronze guilt, and has a neat little red, white and blue ribbon attached to it. The inscription, "June 26th, 1902," is on one side of the medal, while the picture of the King and Queen is on the other side.

News for Farmers

Many farmers in this district are growing peas for American and French companies. Some years ago this was the principal products of some sections, but had to be discontinued, owing to the destruction caused by the pea weevil. This same insect is causing considerable trouble and the farmers will be glad to learn that energetic measures will be taken by the Department of Agriculture to stamp out the destroyer, and the best means will be communicated to the various Farmers' Institutes before spring opens.

Death of Harry Walters

Ex-Mayor Harry Walters, of Lindsay, died in the Hospital at Winnipeg on Friday of last week. The deceased was well known in Peterborough. He was in the employ of the Canadian Northern Railway, in charge of a construction gang, with headquarters at Fort Frances. About a week ago he was taken ill and went to the hospital at Winnipeg for treatment, his trouble being diagnosed as an attack of dropsy. A few days ago a letter was received from the head nurse, stating that he was progressing nicely, consequently the sad news received today came as a very great shock to the relatives. His death will be much regretted by many in Peterborough.

The Guelph Winter Fair

For the above, the Grand Trunk will issue round trip tickets at single first class fare from points in Canada west of Kingston. Good going Dec. 7th to 12th, inclusive, and valid returning until Dec. 15th. The Fair promises to be a great success this year, with new buildings and increased exhibits. $7,000 will be offered as prizes for cattle, sheep, swine and poultry. Further particulars, time tables, etc., on application to Agents of the Grand Trunk Railway.

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CHEQUE FAKIR CAUGHT

AND IS NOW BEHIND THE BARS IN KINGSTON

Swindler of Ontario Merchants Caught at Work in the Limestone City

Kingston, Ont., Nov., 30.—Saturday evening the man who has been passing forged cheques on the merchants in a number of towns and cities in Ontario and securing money in exchange was secured, and is now under lock and key at police headquarters. It was about 6.30 o'clock when he entered the store of Daniel Couper, grocer. He to his home in Lakefield, and died there a cheque on the Rathbun Company, per Chadwick, issued to Joseph Graham. He had endorsed it. Mr. Couper, knowing about the work of the forger, was suspicious, and said he could not cash it, but would go out and try and get the change. He telephoned the Rathbuns and was advised that no such cheque had been issued, and asked that the man be detained. The police were advised, and Sergeant Snodden took the man in charge. At police headquarters her was registered as Charles H. Carter. He had over 20 cheques on him, made payable to Graham, and signed by the Rathbun Co., Manager Chadwick being represented as the issuer.

Carter, who is about 22 years of age, admitted his guilt, and said he had been passing the forged cheques in many places in Ontario. He told the police that his home was in Toronto, that he frequently cleared up $100 in a town he worked. Ordinarily he is a fine looking man, well dressed, and quite business-like in appearance, but when at his work, he dressed as a working man, in overalls, peaked cap, black shirt, and shabby overcoat. He had $2.15 on his person.

Carter, who registered at the British-American Hotel as Charles Lee, had all the apparatus on hand to aid him in his business. The rubber stamps in making up a name were all secured, as well as dyes for fixing his complexion. He said that in Belleville and Peterborough he walked the railway station platforms while the police searched for him. His disguise was so good that he deceived the constables. He had Standard Bank cheques made out, and a big bunch of blank Bank of Montreal cheques. In other places he had gone under the name of Evans. He will be held here for trial.

Carter declined to give his address, in Toronto, as he did not want his friends to know about his incarceration, and it is thought the name he gave is a fictious one. His mother and sister reside, he said, in the United States. He is quite cheerful, saying that he is ready for punishment. He had enjoyed the fun resulting from the way he made the money, and having been caught, there was no need for crying. He said he frequented the Toronto theatres, and had good company, but the expense of suppers and kindred pleasures quickly used up the money he made by his dishonesty.

Telephone Company's Assessment

As a result of the newest change in the Ontario assessment law the valuation of the Bell Telephone Company's property in Toronto has been increased by $400,000. Consequently the city will collect $8,000 more in taxes on them it has previously received. The change is the result of about five years of efforts before and by the Ontario Legislature to draft a clause that would say what the movers desired. It means not only money to the municipalities, but that somebody in or about the Legislature has mastered the English language.

Death of a Promising Young Lady

We very much regret to record the death of Miss Georgina Lasure, daughter of Mr. Arthur Lasure, which sad event occurred at the family residence, 34 Parnell street, on Sunday evening, at 8 o'clock. The deceased was only 14 years of age, and her death is sincerely regretted by many. Of a loving disposition, her death at so early an age, is particularly sad. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the community in their irreparable loss. The funeral will take place this morning at 9 o'clock to St. Peter's cathedral, and thence to the Roman Catholic cemetery for interment.

A Night with Dickens

The "Evening with Dickens," presented in the opera house last night by Mr. H. S. Williamson, was a very enjoyable affair, and proved a rare intellectual treat. The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Peter's cathedral, under whose auspices the lecture was held, are to be congratulated on the success of their efforts. The hall was well filled, by an appreciative audience. During a brief intermission in the course of the evening an instrumental duet was rendered by the Misses Hurley, and recitations by Miss Carrie White. The choir of St. Peter's concluded the evening's entertainment by the singing of the National Anthem.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—The Hon. J. R. Stratton spent Sunday in town.

—Mr. F. M. Vanderwater, of the Thos. Barrie Co., is in Toronto to-day.

—Mr. D. J. Devine, District Manager of the National Life Insurance Company, is in Toronto on business to-day.

NEED TEETH

Serious Failure of Body Comes from Lack of a Good Grinding Mill

A few years ago Mother had her teeth all taken out, hoping in that way to relieve her suffering, but failed, and it left her gums so sensitive that the wearing of false teeth or the proper mastication of food were equaly impossible, so that in the spring of 1901 she failed rapidly, mind and body both giving way and for many weeks life and reason were despaired of.

At one call of her physician he said she absolutely must take more nourishment, something easily digested, "try Grape-Nuts." I immediately obtained a package, prepared with some good, rich cream, and fed her from a teaspoon. She began to take it regularly and liked the food so well she would ask between times if we had any ready for her. She began to improve at once.

It is now three months since she began eating the food. She has fully recovered her health, looks better and is fleshier and stronger mentally and physically, than for many months previous.

Grape-Nuts furnished the nourishment for her that it seemed impossible to get from any other kind of food." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek., Mich.

COBOURG BOY DROWNED

Andrew Dickson Drowned in the Yukon River Last Week

Cobourg, Ont., Dec. 1—A telegram was received this week by Mrs. James Dickson conveying the sad news that her son Andrew was drowned in the Yukon river on Saturday last. The young man was 27 years of age, and left Cobourg about ten years ago. A younger brother has been with him, and both expected to have been home to spend Christmas with their mother. The news was quite a shock to the mother and relatives, for whom the greatest sympathy is expressed.

MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION

The Regular Monthly Meeting Held Yesterday Morning

The regular monthly meeting of the Peterborough Ministerial Association was held in the Y.M.C.A. yesterday morning. In the absence of Rev. J. P. Wilson, the chairman, Rev. J. Bastow presided. The feature of the meeting was the paper which was read by Rev. Dr. Torrance, a resume of "Ecce Homo."

A special meeting of the Association will be held on December 15th to make arrangements for the week of prayer.

OFFICERS ELECTED

A Meeting Of Diamond L. O. L. No. 20 Last Night

The following officers were elected at a meeting of Diamond L. O. L., No. 20, held last evening:

Bro. Rob't. McGill.......W.M.
" Alex. Nesbitt.......D.M.
" W. A. Kindred.......Chap.
" W. H. G. Armstrong.......Rec. Sec.
" Geo. Bartley.......Fin. Sec.
" Jos. Jones.......Treas.
" W. F. Elliott.......D. of C.
" Rob't. Weir.......Lecturer.

Committee—Brothers John Cunningham H. T. Everett, James Garside, Wm. F. Eliott, Robt. Arnott.

The above officers were duly installed by Bro. John A. McWilliams, Past County Master.

TO PUBLISH THE ROLL

The Typographical Union Want Assessment Roll Published

At the regular meeting of Peterborough Typographical Union, No. 248, the following resolution was adopted:—"That the Secretary of Peterborough Typographical Union, No 248, be instructed to send a letter of commendation to Alderman McGregor for his timely efforts in a recent Town Council meeting to have the assessment roll of the town published, as that union is strongly of the opinion that there are grave irregularities existing in over and under valuating properties. We believe the rolls should be published so that we may be able to learn what our neighbor's assessments may be. It is but justice to every citizen. Also that a copy of this resolution be sent to the daily papers for publication."

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Board of Education will meet this evening.

—In Belleville a license of ten dollars is charged for selling cigars in that city.

—This is the time of the year when aldermen are aldermen for election purposes only.

—The annual dance of the Peterborough Rugby Club takes place this evening.

—The Christmas number of the Canadian Magazine contains a portrait of Miss Alma Frances McCollum, who is described as a promising Canadian poet.

—Bobcaygeon Independent: Mr. David Comroy, jr., of Peterborough, has been around the last few days buying horses and large steers. He has picked up quite a number.

—Mr. Charles Gilchrist, Fishery Inspector, Cobourg, gathered seven thousand five hundred pounds of rice at Rice Lake this season, which he has disposed of at 9 cents a pound.

—It is a mistake some newspapers and a great many people make in calling county councillors—commissioners. If one of the council is appointed to look after a bridge he becomes a commissioner; otherwise he is a councillor.

—The Times has had several complaints regarding the condition of Water street, above London. It certainly needs looking after, or there will be a heavy bill of damages some of these days for the corporation to pay.

—Mr. Ed. Brown's spirited nag got a trifle gay on Saturday. While the driver was delivering goods to a house on Charlotte street, the horse took a notion to have a little spurt. After running a short distance, it got mixed up with the harness, and was captured.

—We are pleased to learn that the health officers of Port Hope have succeeded in cleaning that town of the several cases of diphtheria, and now has been granted a clean bill of health. At one time it was feared that an epidemic would break out, but prompt action of the Board happily prevented it.

—On Tuesday last the grocer's section of the Retail Merchants' Association, of Toronto, passed a resolution asking the Minister of Inland Revenue to have a standard fixed for vinegar. Much bad stuff is sold now-a-days as vinegar, and it is in the hope of stopping this abuse that the standard is proposed.

—Port Hope is attracting an enamel ware industry to locate in that town through 65 of its citizens signing a guarantee bond for $10,000. The Council will borrow the money on the bond. One hundred men will be employed the first year, and two hundred the second, at wages ranging from $2.50 to $5 per day. These were the people who tried to deal with Peterborough.

THE OLD SAW MILL

The Dickson Company Saw Mill now Being Dismantled

Another old landmark is being removed from the bank of the river. The Dickson Company's sawmill at the foot of London street is to be taken down to make room for the Cereal Company's dam. Men began yesterday morning to remove the machinery, which will be stored until such time as a new building is erected to receive it. The present stage of operations upon the new dam is such as to demand the immediate utilization of the site occupied by the sawmill. The Dickson Company will probably locate on a site to the east of the canal on Little Lake. The company owns the two hundred acres known as Beaver Mead Farm, which will make very fine piling grounds and admit also of easy railway communication. A large building on the farm has been used by the company for some time past as a stable.

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RULES FOR LUMBER CAMPS

Regulations to Govern Employees of Labour and Employers

The Times is requested to publish the following regulations to govern employers of labor in unorganized districts of Ontario, with a view to preventing a recurrence of the smallpox outbreak of last season. They are as follows:

Shantymen, miners and other employees of lumbering camps, mining camps, saw mills, smelting works and other industries or any railway construction camp, are hereby notified and cautioned by the Provincial Board of Health under the Act respecting sanitary regulations in unorganized territories. It is required:

1. That all owners, managers, agents, or foremen, or other persons in charge employ only vaccinated persons; that all employees are equally required to comply with the regulations.

2. That all employers of labour shall contract with a medical practitioner for their employees and works, and are authorized to deduct from the pay due to any employee a sum not less that 50 cents and not exceeding $1 per month.

3. That a hospital for the care of the sick must be provided by every employer, and that the men are entitled not only or regular treatment therein, but also to have the camps and surroundings inspected regularly and maintained in good sanitary condition.

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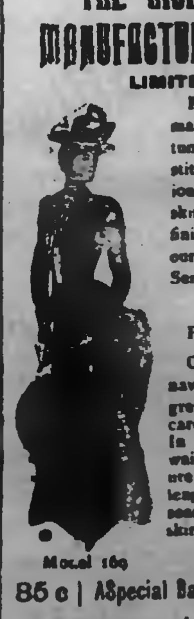

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PROCLAMATION

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Electoral District afo said that in pursuance to Part I. of the Liquor Act, poll will be opened at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, on the

4th Day of the Month of December,

IN THE YEAR 1902,

And close on the same day at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, in each of the Townships, Wards or Polling Subdivisions in which a Polling Place is to be opened and kept according to law, viz.:

GALWAY

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all Lots in Concessions 1 to 6 inclusive and Lots 1 to 15 in Concession A. inclusive, at John Coulter's House.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising Lots 16 to 45 inclusive in Concession A. and Lots 1 to 15 from Concession 7, inclusive, to Northern Boundary, at M. Hartnet's House

Polling Subdivison No. 3—Comprising Lots 16 to 35 from Concession 7, inclusive, to Northern Boundary, at the Swamp Lake Schoolhouse.

CAVENDISH

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all Lots in Concessions 1 to 11, inclusive, at John Cochrane's House.

Polling Subdivison No. 2—Comprising all Lots from Concession 12, inclusive, to Northern Boundary, at Austin Ford's House.

HARVEY

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all the Lots lying south of Pigeon Lake, in Concessions 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 of the Township of Harvey, also Big Island and Jacob's Island, at the Town Hall, Lakehurst.

Polling Subdivision No. 2 Comprising all that part of Concessions 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19, lying north of Pigeon Lake, in the Township of Harvey, at Ventress's Schoolhouse

Polling Subdivision No. 3—Comprising all the Lots and parts of Lots in Concessions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 of the Township of Harvey, at Jas. Pluard's House.

ENNISMORE

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all Lots north of a line dividing the north and south halves of Concession 5, at the Town Hall

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising all Lots south of a line dividing the north and south halves of Concession 5, at O'Reilly's Schoolhouse.

SMITH

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all Lots and parts of Lots in the 1st 2nd, and 3rd Concessions and all Lots and parts of Lots east and west of the Communication Road and south of Lot No. 7, at Milburn's Schoolhouse.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising all Lots and parts of Lots in the 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th Concessions, west of the road between Lots 18 and 19, and all Lots and parts of Lots east and west of the Communication Road, north of Lot No. 6, and including the Village of Bridgenorth, at the Town Hall, Bridgenorth.

Polling Subdivision No. 3—Comprising all Lots and parts of Lots in the 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th Concessions east of the road between Lots 18 and 19, and west of the line between Lots 31 and 32, at Ray's Schoolhouse.

Polling Subdivision No. 4—Comprising all Lots and parts of Lots in the 12th, 13th 14th, and 15th Concessions, west of the line between Lots 31 and 32, and all Lots and parts of Lots in the 16th, 17th and 18th Concessions, lying between Buckhorn Lake and Deer Bay, at the Temperance Hall, Selwyn.

Polling Subdivision No. 5—Comprising all Lots and parts of Lots in the 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th and 15th Concessions east of the line between Lots 31 and 32, and all Lots and parts of Lots in the 16th Concession east of Deer Bay, at Hurd's Hall, Young's Point.

VILLAGE OF LAKEFIELD

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising all that portion of the Village of Lakefield situate in the Township of Smith, and that portion of the said Village situate in Township of Douro, south of King street and west of Queen street, and that portion of the Mill reserve south of Water street and west of and including Lot No. 4 of said Mill reserve, at the Town Hall.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising all that portion of the Village of Lakefield situate in the Township of Douro, east of Lot No. 4 Mill reserve, east of Queen street and north of King street, at the Division Court Office.

NORTH MONAGHAN

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising Concession Nos. 10 and 11, east of Township Lot 8, Concession 12 east of Quarter Line, and the 13th Concession, at May's Schoolhouse.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising Concession No. 12, west from Quarter Line; Concessions 10 and 11 west from Township Lot 9, and Concessions 7, 8 and 9, at the Town Hall.

SOUTH MONAGHAN

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising Lots 1 to 8, inclusive, in Concessions B. F 1 and part of 2, at the Orange Hall, Baillieboro.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising Lots 1 to 8, inclusive, in Concessions 3, 4, 5, 6, and part of 2, at the Town Hall, Centreville.

Polling Subdivision No. 3—Comprising all Lots east of Lot No. 8, at the Beaufort Schoolhouse.

TOWN OF PETERBOROUGH

Polling Subdivision No. 1—Comprising that part of Ward No. 1 lying south of Lake street, at J McCarthy's House, 137 Lake street.

Polling Subdivision No. 2—Comprising that part of Ward No. 1 between Lake and Rink streets, at J. Booth's House, 39 Stewart street.

Polling Subdivision No. 3—Comprising that part of Ward No. 1 between Rink and Dalhousie and Paterson streets, at H. Darke's House, 124 Rubidge street.

Polling Subdivision No. 4—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 1 lying north of Dalhousie street and east of Stewart street, at L. Spry's Shop, Stewart street.

Polling Subdivision No. 5—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 1 lying north of Dalhousie and Paterson streets and west of Stewart street, at J. Miller's Shop, Rubidge street.

Polling Subdivision No. 6—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 2 lying east of George street, at the Council Chamber.

Polling Subdivision No. 7 Comprising that Part of Ward No. 2 lying between George and Bethune streets, at Paterson's Office, Aylmer street.

Polling Subdivision No 8—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 2 lying west of Bethune street, at M. Green's Shop, 352 Charlotte street

Polling Subdivision No 9—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 3 lying east of George street, at 452 George street.

Polling Subdivision No. 10—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 3 lying between George and Bethune streets, at Mothers's Shop, Aylmer street.

Polling Subdivision No. 11—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 3 lying between Bethune and Donegal streets, at Wm. McCall's Shop.

Polling Subdivision No. 12—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 3 lying west of Donegal street, at N. Routley's Shop.

Polling Subdivision No. 13—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 4 lying south of Antrim street, at 188 Edinburgh street.

Polling Subdivision No. 14—Comprising that Part of Ward No. 4 lying between Antrim street and Barnardo avenue and Inverlea street, at W. Lee's Shop, Smith street.

Polling Subdivision No. 15—Comprising that Part of Ward No 4 lying north of Barnardo avenue and Inverlea street, at Wm Detcher's Shop, 865 Water stree

All of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Peterborough, this sixth day of the month of November, in the year 1902.

JAMES A. HALL.
RETURNING OFFICER.

NOTICE

A COURT to hear the appeals from the decisions of the Court of Revision of the Town of Peterborough on the Assessment Roll of the said Town for the year 1902 will be held by His Honor the County Judge of the County of Peterborough at the Judge's Chambers in the Court House in the Town of Peterborough

Satur ay, the 13th day of Dec., 1902

at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon, of which all persons concerned will take notice.

Peterborough, Dec. 1st, 1902.

E. R. ARMSTRONG,
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THE COMPENSATION QUESTION ARISES IF PROHIBITION SHOULD CARRY

The Financial Aspect of Prohibition as it Really Exists

PREMIER ROSS IN FAVOR OF FULL PAYMENT

What It Will Mean to the State—Other Precedents Established For Compensation

Now that the possibility exists of carrying a measure of prohibition now before the people, it might be well to see what effect it will have, financially, upon the country. That Premier Ross contemplates compensating the brewers, distillers, hotelkeepers and all others engaged in the manufacture of ardent spirits, there is not the slightest doubt. When he introduced the Liquor Bill, Mr. Ross observed:

"Then there is the larger question of compensation. It has been said that any legislation dealing with the prohibition of the liquor traffic would not be just without compensation to those whose business it affected. The bill does not deal with this phase of the question, as it would be needless to provide the machinery for such purposes until the bill has passed. Some of England's greatest statesmen, Mr. Gladstone and Mr. Chamberlain, expressed their approval of the principle of compensation. My own view, as expressed on several occasions, and many years ago, is, if we could be entirely relieved for all time of the evil effects of the liquor traffic, the purchase of the vested interests of those concerned would not be too big a price to pay * * * * * I do not know as to some departments of the trade the compensation would involve considerable expenditure. That is a question we cannot ascertain or even guess at intelligently. The money invested in the trade is put at some seventy odd millions of dollars. How much of that ought to be recouped to those in the trade no one can tell at this distant point; the whole question is one that would have to be relegated to a commission, as a case is sometimes referred to the Master in Chambers, and threshed out."

LOSS IN CAPITAL.

To give one an idea of the vast amount of capital invested in industries affected by the passage of prohibitory liquor laws one has but to be reminded that there is invested in the distilleries and breweries of the Dominion 16 1/2 millions; in the real estate of the retailers, 58 millions; making 74 1-2 millions of money directly invested in the business. There was paid by the distillers and brewers to the farmers annually $2,282,000, and to the transportation companies, $460,000; wages, $1,200,000; other outgoings, $1,812,000. The retailers pay $10,500,000 in wages. There is an outgoing by the trade of nearly 15 1-2 millions annually. There is today in bond in the Dominion 14 million gallons of spirits, which, with the duty upon it represented $6 1-2 millions of dollars alone.

INTERESTS LARGELY IN ONTARIO.

Fifty per cent. of brewing interest of the Dominion are in Ontario, and only one distillery is situated outside of the province, so that the figures of the Dominion apply with equal force to the province.

The Board of Trade of Toronto, on February 10th, 1902, passed a resolution, which in part said:

"Further resolved, that this meeting petition the Government of the Province of Ontario that if it should decide to introduce a prohibition bill, such bill should contain provision for the just payment by the Government for that percentage of value of property which would be confiscated if such bill should provide for speedy application of the Act."

THE OTHER SIDE.

The temperance party, who are opposed to compensation claim that there are really no vested rights involved; that those who are engaged in the liquor traffic took all the risks in connectoin with a business that was as uncertain as it is impure, and that to "buy out" the liquor man would be nothing short of a crime.

ROYAL COMMISSION.

Equally as straightforward is the opinion expressed by the report of the Royal Commission on the Liquor Traffic:—

The question of making compensation to those engaged in the manufacture and those engaged in wholesale and retail vending of liquors, one or both classes, should the traffic be put an end to by legislation, has been frequently referred to and much evidence has been taken on the subject. The undersigned commissioners regarding the evidence given, and what has been proposed in other countries, as for instance, England, France, Germany and some of the British colonies, consider that the payment of compensation could not justly be avoided in the case of those who by such legislation, would have their business, which they have been carrying on under the sanction of the state, abruptly put an end to, and their capital in many cases almost swept away, and in many cases almost swept away, and in all considerably diminished."

From the report of this commission it is shown that the following capital is invested in the liquor business:—

	Capital.	Employees.	Wages.
Breweries ...	$ 8,211,453	1,724	$ 774,441
Distilleries ...	7,054,000	451	264,842
Malt Houses...	523,500	.....	....
Cider Mills ...	136,795	176	47,129
Wine Presses ..	306,475	150	27,565
Retail	60,000,000	20,000	10,500,000
	$75,122,223	22,500	11,744,0[illegible]7

It is true that these are Dominion figures, but by far the greater part of the business is done in Ontario. It should also be remembered that since these figures were compiled, improvements have been made, such as new buildings, etc, so that ten per cent. could be fairly added to them.

WILL ASK GOVERNMENT AID

Definite Statement by General Manager Hays

Montreal, Dec. 1.—"If anyone thinks we are not going to ask Government assistance for our Pacific Railway project, the sooner his mind is disabused the better," said Charles M. Hays, general manager of the Grand Trunk.

Mr. Hays also stated that they had this transcontinental railway project in mind when they made their recent terminal arrangements with the Government and harbor commissioners, and he expressed confidence in their facilities at this port.

Questioned regarding the Canadian Northern, he intimated that certain matters took time, but added, "The securing of the Canadian Northern is by no means essential to the success of the project which we now have on hand."

A despatch from Quebec says that the directors of the Trans-Canada Railway, which is chartered to run from Quebec directors of the Trans-Canada Railway which is chartered to run from Quebec to Port Simpson, are much incensed at the Grand Trunk's new transcontinental scheme, and have resolved to ask the Board of Trade to call a general meeting of all its members and of the representatives of the district for next week to discuss the whole question, and in the meantime to appeal to the Provincial Government to protect the interests of the Province, which are menaced by this new Grand Trunk scheme.

The Trans-Canada had a short time ago given a provisional contract for the first four hundred miles of its railway in this Province, and the financial negotiations fo the whole line are now in a very forward state, and the Grand Trunk have no charter whatever for any Western line. It was also pointed out that if the action of the Grand Trunk should stop the construction of the Trans-Canada, not only would the Province lose the immense revenue expected to be received from the forest lands of the James Bay territory, but the Quebec bridge, now under construction, might be imperilled by the prospective loss of traffic from the same service, and it was also pointed out that the Grand Trunk scheme would cut the Maritime ports out from the winter traffic, which would be diverted to Portland and New York.

Canadian Preference League

A circular has been issued by the Canadian Preference League outlining the object of the league, which is to encourage the purchase of home products. The circular signed by Mr. Wm. Wallace, Secretary, states that about 1,000 have already joined, and it is hoped to secure 100,000 by the spring, representing every part of Canada. There is no membership fee, as the organization expects to be supported by voluntary contributions.

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Niagara Falls, Dec. 2—The Canadian Niagara Power Company has just awarded a contract for three of the greatest turbines ever used in the development of a water power. Each unit will have an output capacity of 10,000 horse power or twice the amount of force developed by the mighty turbines in the two wheel-pits of the Niagara Falls Power Company on the New York side at Niagara.

It is estimated that an able-bodied laborer is capable of doing the work of one-tenth of a horse power for eight hours a day. Accepting this as a fact, it will be seen that the new turbines will be able to develop the force of an army of 100,000 men, and this not only for eight hours but constantly for twenty-four hours a day. The present day visitor to Canadian Niagara must stand amazed at the enterprises in progress there. Two great power projects are being rushed to completion. Hundreds of men are toiling night and day in order that part of the power of that famous Horseshoe Falls may be developed for the use of man.

The two projects contemplate the development of several hundred thousand horse power, and the flow of the river will be diminished to the extent the water is diverted. The hope is that the beauty of the cataract may remain unimpaired.

The Canadian Niagara Power Company has sunk a deep wheel-pit in Victoria Free Park, only a short distance back from the brink of the Horseshoe. This pit is now more than 100 feet deep and when finished it will have pierced the rocks of the Dominion 170 feet. It will be 400 feet long and 21 feet wide.

From the wheel-pit to the lower river a tunnel 2,200 feet long has been driven through solid rock, 170 or more feet below the surface of the earth. This tunnel is 25 feet high and 18 feet wide, four feet higher than the tunnel on the American side, and when the installation of the wheelpit is in full operation, the stream of water that will rush through this tunnel will be double the quantity carried by many rivers on which boats ply with the commerce of their localities.

The big power tunnel on the New York side is nearly 7,000 feet long and is lined with brick from end to end. It was proposed to line the Canadian tunnel in a similar manner, but the prevailing brick famine, has forced the adoption of concrete for a portion of the lining. In this way over 3,000,000 brick will be saved, but 30,000 barrels of cement will be used in making the concrete mixture. In the arch of the tunnel more than 1,200,000 brick will be used.

This seems like a large lumber of brick to bury underground. It is like returning earth to earth, but it is interesting to note that in the big work on the New York side more than 20,000,000 bricks are forever buried, together with thousands upon thousands of barrels of cement.

Great interest is manifested by scientists and others in a remarkable condition that has been developed at Canadian Niagara through the construction of an immense wing dam by the Ontario Power Company, another concern that has secured power development rights in Victoria Free Park.

This wing dam is a fine piece of work. It extends out into and down the river from a point on the mainland a distance of about 800 feet and it drives all the water that once flowed about the shores of the pretty Dufferin Islands, far out into the deeper channels.

Thus it has made the river bed for a vast area dry, and the rock spectacle is wonderful. For the first time since white man has known of the existence of the Falls of Niagara, he is able to inspect a large portion of the river bed. When the water was first diverted the barren rocks were crowded with relic hunters, who searched about the bed, in the potholes, the crevices and all depressions for strange things that the river in its flow had deposited there. Many were rewarded with such things as old army buttons, swords, guns, &c., which apparently had been dropped into the stream years ago when the Niagara border was the scene of warfare.

The Ontario Power Company will erect a power station at the water's edge in the Gorge, close up to the base of the Horseshoe Falls. Its water supply will be conducted through the boundaries of the park in pipes eighteen feet in diameter, and sent down to the wheels in the power house through many penstocks.

This building will be the closest footprint made by industry upon the Cataract of Niagara, and may be looked upon as significant of the probability that in time scenic Niagara will entirely be supplanted by industrial Niagara.

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THE CHEQUE FORGER

Charles Carter, the Cheque Fakir, Pleads Guilty at Kingston

Charles Carter, the cheque forger, pleaded guilty at the Kingston Police Court, to forgery and passing forged cheques.

His Peterborough victims will at least have the satisfaction of knowing that the sharper will receive ample punishment. It is not probable that any of the money will be recovered.

CHARLOTTE-ST. LEAGUE

Elected Officers for Next Year at Last Night's Meeting

At the Charlotte street Epworth League meeting Monday night the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Hon.-President—Rev. W. J. Jolliffe.
President—Mr. S. Armstrong.
Rec.-Secretary—Miss Collins.
Cor.-Secretary—Miss Forster.
Treasurer—Mr. Irwin.
Musical Directors—Mr. Prest and Miss Campbell.
Pianists—Miss E. Jolliffe and Miss Goard.

The following are the conveners of the different committees:

Prayer meeting—Miss Thomas.
Lookout—Mr. Cunningham.
Missionary—Miss M. Huffman.
Literary—Mr. Sorsoleil.
Flower—Miss Darry.

After the election of officers Mr. Sorsoleil gave a very instructive talk on the temperance question.

FACTS RE REFERENDUM

Voting Day—Voters and Other Features of the Measure

Voting—Thursday, Dec. 4.

Question on Ballot—Are you in favor of bringing into force the Liquor Act of 1902?

Number of votes in the affirmative necessary to bring law into force, 212,723, providing that number is a majority of total votes polled.

When effective.—May 1, 1904, if necessary vote is polled by prohibitionists.

Those entitled to vote.—Lists to be used are those of the last provincial election, an exception being made of persons who since that time may have ceased to be residents of the province.

Meaning of Liquor Act of 1902—It prohibits the sale of liquor within the province, except by licensed druggists, but does not prohibit the manufacture and export, or sale by manufacturer to licensed druggists.

Ontario Plebiscite, Jan. 2, 1894—For prohibition 192,489, against 110,720.

Dominion Plebiscite, Sept. 29, 1898. — For prohibition 278,380, against 264,693. In Ontario, for 154,498, against 115,284.

FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Peterborough's Board of Education Might Follow Toronto's Example

Peterborough educationalists will be interested in the new curriculum proposed for Toronto public schools. It appears that the special committee of the Public School Board of that City appointed early in the season to revise the existing curriculum have concluded their report and suggest that a course of English and commercial subjects be substituted for the present senior fifth book programme, the new class to be known as the English and commercial department. The committee, composed of Inspector Hughes, Trustees Douglas and Parkinson, have also recommended that nature study be added to the curriculum. Much is claimed for this study as a means of stimulating the pupil's interest and developing his powers of observation and reflection.

The junior children will be taken to the woods in the suburban districts and there given practical lessons in flowers, while the senior pupils will have their practical demonstrations in the fossil beds of the Humber, Don and Scarboro.' The revised curriculum will be presented at the meeting of the board on Thursday evening.

Barbers and the Board of Health

At a meeting of the Provincial Board of Health recently, a long discussion took place regarding the prevention of disease by the agency of barber shops. A number of Toronto barbers were present, and took part in the proceedings. Dr. Cassidy read a report to the committee on infectious diseases, which dealt entirely with the tonsorial aspect of the case. Barbers, said the report, should keep scrupulously neat and clean, and be careful to maintain a healthful condition of the mouth and hands. No barber suffering from any skin, scalp or contagious disease should be allowed to practice his trade. Nor should a barber go near any persons suffering or recovering from any contagious disease, or live in the same house with them. Persons suffering with, or recovering from such disease, should not be allowed to procure tonsorial attention save in their own homes. All instruments, and brushes, etc., should be kept clean and disinfected. Barber shops should be floored with hardwood, or covered with some impermeable material, and well washed, but never swept, as it raises dust.

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THE RUGBY CLUB BALL

The Affair Last Night a Splendid Success

LIST OF INVITED GUESTS.

The Opera House the Scene of a Brilliant Assemblage

DURING the existence of the Rugby Football Club in Peterborough, it has been their custom to wind up their season with a ball, and this year is no exception to the rule. Last night's function will long be remembered as one of the most brilliant of the Club's many successes. The opera house had been handsomely decorated for the occasion by Messrs. J. J. Turner & Son, and was a thing of beauty.

With their characteristic energy, the management secured the rooms in the flat below for the ladies, while refreshments were served in the large room adjoining the hall, the catering being done by Messrs. Long Bros., whose ability in this line is everywhere recognized.

Mr. A. J. McClelland very acceptably filled the onerous position of secretary, while the Misses Hurley, Peterborough's accomplished pianists, supplied the music.

The patronesses were: Mrs. T. A. S. Hay, Mrs. J. H. McClelland, Mrs. Dr. Bradd, Mrs. L. M. Hay, Mrs. T. H. G. Denne, Mrs. J. R. Stratton, Mrs. John Crane and Mrs. R. R. Hall.

The following is a list of the invited guests:

A.

Rev W D Armitage, Mrs. and Miss Archer, Mr and Mrs Ackerman, Miss G Ackerman, Will Ackerman, T P Attrill, H C Armstrong, Mr, Mrs and Misses Attwood, Dr C Amys, Miss Maud Adams, Thos Anderson, H E Ayers, Mr and Mrs R Armstrong, Mr Asselstein, Mr and Mrs V Austin, Mr and Mrs. J. A Aylmer, Gamebridge; R Armstrong.

B.

T J Begley, Mr and Mrs E Brown, Misses Barlee, Mr and Mrs T E Boddy, Mr and Mrs Blackwell, C N Brown, Miss Brown. Dr and Mrs Burnham, Mr and Mrs Fred Bell, Miss Dovie Bell, Mrs J Burnham, Misses Burnham, Mr and Mrs Z Burnham, Misses Burnham, Mr and Mrs H D Burnett, Mr and Mrs John Belcher, Misses Belcher, Mr J D Bailey, Room 26 James Bldg, cor King and Yonge, Toronto; Geo Ballard, Varsity; Mr Ballantyne, Miss Beamish, Port Hope; Dr and Mrs Boucher, Miss Boucher, Miss Laura Bekeghem, Dr and Mrs Bradd, Mr and Mrs D H Burritt, Mr and Mrs W H Bradburn, Dr and Mrs Brown, G L Bourchier, Miss Bourchier, W A Brundrette, A E Brundrette, Newmarket; Ormond Bradburn, C H Bradubrn, F L Bradburn, Rev J Bushell, Brantford; Norman Bell, Ottawa, Hal Burnham, Mark Burnham, Samuel Belcher. T E Bradburn, Miss Brown, Mr and Mrs Brownscombe, Mr and Mrs H. E Bradley, Mr and Mrs Barrie, Frank Bell, Mr and Mrs Hugh Bertram, Mr and Mrs Blanchette, Miss Effie Best, Mr and Mrs W Belcher, Mr and Mrs R H Bradburn, Miss Mabel Bradburn, Harold Brown, Misses Blomfield, Lakefield; Mr and Mrs A S Butchart, Mr and Mrs W Boswell, Miss Boswell, Mr and Mrs E A Bennett, Mrs Birdsall, R Bravender, Miss Beamish, Mr and Mrs A N Dailey Misses Brooke, E Best, Mr Best, Sergt.-Major and Mrs Britton, J Hampden Burnham, W Bunton, Mr Geo Brown, Port Hope; Mr T Brown, Gamebridge; Messrs and Misses Barnett, Renfrew; Messrs and Misses Burrow, 2 Czar street Toronto.

C.

Dr and Miss Caldwell, Harold Claxton, Mr and Mrs Ed Clegg, H Calcutt, E S Clarry, Mr and Mrs P Campbell, Mr and Mrs L F Clarry, Hastings; Mr and Mrs A W Creesman, Mr and Mrs J D Collins, Misses Collins, Mr and Mrs Crane, Mr and Mrs Carnegie, Miss Carnegie, Mr and Mrs Aaron Cox, Miss Margaret Cox, Mr and Mrs Ed Cox, Mr and Mrs Jas Connal, Miss Connal, Dr and Mrs Carmichael, Miss A Cameron, Miss Chamberlain, Mr and Mrs A N Clark, Miss Cameron, Mr and Mrs S Clegg, Miss M Craig, Ashburnham; Mr D K Colborne, Mr and Mrs J Alex Culverwell, Toronto; Mr W A Campbell, Rossin House, Toronto; Miss Cummings Miss Carney, Fred Clark, Will Crowley, Ross Cameron, Norwood; John Conners, Manson Comstock, Jack Comstock, Will Comstock, Miss G Clarry, Millbrook; Miss C Clegg, Frank Cox, Toronto; Alf Cox, Toronto; Misses Comstock, W G Cochrane, Mr and Mrs John Craig; F Collins, W H Carney, Mr and Mrs H Conway, Ross Cameron, Mr. Cochrane, A P Cheale, Miss Coleman, Mr and Mrs D Hughes Charles, Miss E and Miss Chuna, J Creugh, W Cavanah and Miss Cavanah, Mr and Mrs W T Clark, Mr and Mrs Geo Cox, D Conroy, Mr Coleman, T Coffee, Toronto; R Cotterell, B Cameron, Misses Crossley, Mr and Mrs W E Conway, Mr and Mrs H L Conway, Mr Carpenter, Gamebridge; Miss M G Colborne, 67 Grosvenor street Toronto, Mr Fred Curtis, Port Hope.

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EDWARD'S APPRECIATION OF THE JAPANESE

His Majesty Pleased with Oriental Celebration of His Coronation

London, Dec. 2.—A Tokio correspondent, says a despatch from the British Minister to a Japanese Foreign Minister, conveying King Edward's warm appreciation of the Japanese celebration of his Coronation and the very friendly comments of the Japanese press, has been submitted to the Emperor. His Majesty has ordered the publication of the despatch throughout the country.

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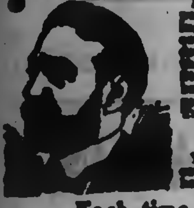

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THE REFERENDUM

In view of the approaching referendum vote, it may not be out of place to state again the main provisions of the Liquor Act of 1902, in accordance with which this vote is to be taken. The Act, to the extent of that part restraining the sale of liquor is copied from the Manitoba Act, which has been upheld by the Privy Council, and is thought to mark the extreme limit of Provincial power to suppress the liquor traffic. The Act is not a prohibitive one, because prohibition is not in the power of the Provinces. If it comes into force by reason of the vote on the 4th of December, the sale of liquor will pass entirely on the first day of May, 1904, from the present vendors wholesale, retail, saloon and tavern, to wholesale and retail druggists, holding diplomas from the Ontario College of Pharmacy. Liquor will only be sold for mechanical, scientific, medicinal, veterinary, and dental purposes. Not more than ten gallons may be sold to one person at one time for mechanical or scientific purposes, and retail druggists and doctors may only buy five gallons at one time. Retail druggists may sell on the bona fide prescription of a duly qualified physician, and they may sell to a dental surgeon a pint at a time, and to a veterinary surgeon a gallon at a time. Ministers of the Gospel may buy sacramental wine. A sick person may keep in his room the liquor duly prescribed for him by a physician, but such liquor shall not be consumed by anyone but the sick person. A dentist while pulling a tooth may, if he deem it necessary, give one drink to his patient. The veterinary surgeon may give liquor only to dumb animals. Liquor is not to be sold or consumed in clubs. Because the Province may not interfere expressly with inter-Provincial trade, anyone will be able to import liquor for his own use in his private dwelling. In short, the Act is valid because it has been adjudged regulative only and not prohibitive. Careful provision has been made for recording sales and assuring inspection and publicity.

It will come into force on two conditions. First, if the votes on the question, "Are you in favor of bringing into force the Liquor Act, 1902?" exceed those against the question. Second, if such majority affirmative votes exceed one-half of the votes polled for all the candidates at the Provincial elections of 1902. The total vote polled in 1902, making allowance for Ottawa, where each elector had two votes, is said to have been 425,446. The vote in favor of enforcing this Act must therefore reach 212,723. As evidence of the probable strength of the affirmative vote, it may be stated that the vote in Ontario in favor of prohibition in 1894 was 192,489, and the prohibition vote of Ontario in the Dominion plebiscite in 1898 was 154,498.

THE TIMES LETTER-BOX

Letters From the People on Interesting Topics

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"SOMETHING JUST AS GOOD"

To the Editor of The Times:

Dear Sir,—Probably the most noticeable feature in the present alleged temperance campaign, is its familiarity. When we meet it we are among old friends. Here is the man who the elaborate statistics, with whom we have shaken hands periodically for the last thirty years. There is the eloquent and unctuous philanthropist, generally a Yankee, who travels from one end of the continent to the other, bubbling over with sympathy for fallen humanity, and who adds a comfortable sum to his bank account every year through the iniquities of the liquor traffic. And then we have the lurid thunder wielded by that favored section of the pulpit that is acting under special power of attorney from the Almighty, in this matter.

"All, all are here, the old familiar faces."

Even the gold brick that forms the stock in trade differs little from previous ones. It is not prohibition, but it is something just as good and no doubt, if accepted, will prove just as satisfactory as the others. We have the same old assurances that the Act, if passed, will be rigidly enforced; that the "strength of the temperance sentiment of this Province will demand its enforcement form whatever Government is in powerr." The fact that the temperance sentiment of the province notoriously failed to secure the enforcement of the Dunkin and Scott Acts is blandly waved aside. These were Dominion Acts. The machinery was too cumbersome for practical use. the men at Ottawa were not in sympathy with the movement. But in a purely provincial matter it would be quite different. With Mr. Ross and—and some of the other Ministers, perhaps, in favor of the Act, there would be no official winking at its infraction. Let us see what grounds the temperance people have for this confidence.

When Hon. Mr. Mowat took office, he was at once called upon to redeem the pledges of his party to the temperance advocated. It is unnecessary to say that it is that party alone that has ever made a traffic of the business. Mr. Mowat asked for a free hand, and it was given him. He claimed that so long as the liquor traffic was under municipal control, it would be impossible to secure uniformity in its management or eradicate the abuses that had crept into it. The licenses would be granted by favoritism, and these favorites would be practically above the operations of the law. But if the Government had control everything would be different. They would give themselves full power to enforce the law, and they would be responsible for its enforcement. Well the Government took absolute control. They appointed commissioners to grant the licenses, they appointed inspectors to see that the conditions of the licenses were properly fulfilled, and they appointed magistrates to convict and punish offenders. Did all this responsible machinery, backed by the "temperance sentiment of the province," enforce the restrictions of a not too rigid license law?

? It is the fault of the temperance advocates themselves if their pledges and assurances are looked upon with something more than suspicion.

Yours respectfully,
URBAN

OPPOSED TO PROHIBITION

To the Editor of The Times:

Dear Sir,—I think the only true way to abolish the drink evil, which is drinking to excess, is by moral suasion. Educate the youth and then the problem is solved, which is fully endorsed by the Canadian Churchman, whose remarks are here attached;—

The Canadian Churchman, an organ of the Anglican church, is vigorously opposing prohibition, and in a recent issue, after recking the notorious failure of the repressive measures as the Scott Act, says: — "We would therefore implore our readers to think well—twice—three times before they bring such a measure, (Prohibition) into force * * * the spread of education and moral and religious influences will do far more and far better in this and in all other needs that compulsion or restraint. We cannot force people to be good, although we may influence them. A peculiar responsibility is laid upon members of the Church of England. Some other communities will go almost solid one way or the other. Members of our own communion are not pledged in this manner. It is to be hoped, therefore, that they will be guided by sound reason and reflection, and by a consideration of the consequences which will result from their action."

Amongst the results of the Scott Act, the Churchman enumerates the "deterioration in the quality of the liquor sold, the fostering of a habit of secret drinking, productive of all kinds of evils, the inaugurating of a system of espionage, conducted by the agents of the Prohibitionists— some of them very unscrupulous, a system of lying, contention, perjury, which produced the very worst effects in many districts; the secret and illicit manufacture of liquor, generally of the most abominable quality." Looking at it as a whole, the Churchman says of the Scott Act, and by implication indicates that general prohibition would be equally bad—"it was a failure; it did not promote temperance; it worried the respectable members of the community whom it was in no way necessary to restrain; it did not restrain those who seemed to need restraint. It did not good; it did much harm." It is evident that the Churchman is not afraid to speak its mind, and it is to be deplored that there is so little sensible thinking and honest speaking on this important question. The hysteria of well-meaning but unthinking people makes argument impossible, for when one endeavors to point out that Prohibition will not prohibit; that it is unnatural and impracticable, he is immediately set upon by the excited advocates of repression, denounced as a wine-bibber, the hireling of distillers and brewers and told to reflect how terribly agonized he will be if one of his own family should take to drink, or is exhorted to contemplate the excruciating remorse he will feel on his death-bed when visions of the countless drunkards his vote or opinion has made, torment his closing eyes. Of course such things do not constitute an argument nor an answer to an argument, yet they have great influence in exciting certain classes of people into a state of ephemeral zeal. It was such appeals that carried the Scott Act; it was hard common sense which caused the repeal of the ineffectual act, for in no case has it been urged by the Prohibitionists that between the passing and the repeal of the Scott Act, did public opinion suffer any real falling away from the standard which existed before the act was tried. If, then, the same people who carried the Scott Act and other local option laws in various localities

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The lamps had ignited the petrol with the falling of the car, and the whole fabric was on fire. Oh, the pain, the horror! Yes, it was true, and he must die here, like a rat in a trap.

In his agony faces crowded round him, faces that he had struck life out of long, long ago. For what they had suffered, for what he had made many suffer, was he paying now.

Heavens, how long it lasted! How long it took a man to die! Perhaps even now it was a dream. It was too horrible to be true.

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Yet the papers said next day that it had been true; and the world that had known Macaire was shocked. No one grieved for the man who was gone. But a girl, hiding her face against her lover's arm, shuddered, sobbing that in spite of all she would have saved him from so terrible an ending if she had had the power.

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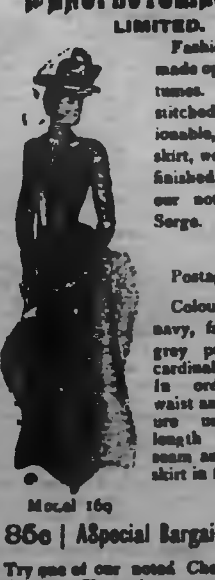

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ON FIRE

with excitement. Chatham—respectable, easy going old Chatham—stands amazed, while oil operators from Pennsylvania, Ohio, Texas, California and from the big refineries at Petrolia and Sarnia fill her streets and hotels to overflowing—all seeking OIL! OIL! OIL!—offering figures for land that would have been considered sheer madness a few weeks ago. The roads to the oil fields are lined with all kinds of carriages, wagons and loads of machinery and derricks. Several drilling rigs are already partly erected and contracts have been made for the sinking of at least FIFTY WELLS within the next thirty days.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Piano Tuning

Mr. James Maitland, representing Heintzman & Co., Toronto, will be in Peterborough, Dec. 1st, and remain one week and would be pleased to tune and repair any persons piano or organ. Leave orders at C. B. Routley's store.

Six Thousand Certificates Issued

Six thousand certificates have been mailed to veterans entitled to Ontario land grants and many applications are still being received.

The Referendum

We print to-day a number of letters on the referendum. The columns of The Times are always open to the discussion of public questions.

St. Paul's Ladies Aid Lecture

Rev. Dr. Cleaver, of Sherbourne street Methodist church, Toronto, will deliver his celebrated lecture on Victor Hugo's masterpiece, "The Story of Jean Valjean," on Thursday evening, December 11th, in St. Paul's church. Admission, 25 cents. 14

Finger Torn Off

P. Gorham, younger son of Mr. P. Gorham, of Ashburnham, an employee of the C.G.E. works, met with a very painful accident early yesterday afternoon, having the first finger of his right hand torn off in a slotting machine. Dr. Young attended to the injury, which required about twelve stitches.

The Direct Line

From Peterborough to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and the South is via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley Railroad. Route of the "Black Diamond Express." Pullman sleepers and dining car service from Toronto. Everything first class. Scenery and service unsurpassed. Call at W. Bunton's ticket office Peterborough, for tickets, Pullmans

The Guelph Winter Fair

For the above, the Grand Trunk will issue round trip tickets at single first class fare from points in Canada west of Kingston. Good going Dec. 7th to 12th, inclusive, and valid returning until Dec. 15th. The Fair promises to be a great success this year, with new buildings and increased exhibits. $7,000 will be offered as prizes for cattle, sheep, swine and poultry. Further particulars, time tables, etc., on application to Agents of the Grand Trunk Railway.

Horse and Buggy Stolen

Yesterday afternoon a horse and buggy were stolen from Havelock. Chief Roszel was notified, and P. C. McGinty was sent out to see if any trace of the horse or vehicle could be discovered. After some time it was found that the horse and buggy had been caught in Otonabee going home without a driver, and it was accordingly held for the owner. There is no trace of the thief.

Sons of England Elect Officers

At the regular meeting of the Lansdowne Lodge, No. 25, S.O.E.B.S., held Monday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Worthy President—Bro. J. J. Turner.
W. Vice-President—Bro. J. Richards.
W. Fin.-Secretary—Bro. G. H. Pratley.
W. Rec.-Secretary—Bro. A. Kingscote.
W. Chaplain—Bro. D. Curtis.
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Silk Sale on Thursday

2,700 yards of colored silk will be sold at 59c. yd. Regular price $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 up to $2.00. Your choice of any of that silk at 59c. yd. It is just the thing for Xmas presents.

BLANKET SALE.

Another big purchase by Bankrupt Stock Store. 7 cases woolen blankets, the clean up of a big factory, there are every kind, every style, every price, some of them slightly soiled. All of them will be sold much below the regular price. The Bankrupt Stock Store, 408 George street, Peterborough.

School Board Did Not Meet

The regular monthly meeting of the School Board was to have been held last night, but as the janitor did not open up the board room, and but seven trustees put in an appearance, no meeting was held. The janitor has been warned by Mr. W. G. Morrow, the secretary of the Board, to have the board room in readiness for business at 15 minutes past seven the first Tuesday in every month. This is one of his regular duties but during his short term of office last night was the third occasion on which he has failed to connect. The Finance Committee were to have met early last evening, before the regular meeting convened, and consequently some members were kept waiting outside for fully half an hour, till the clock struck eight, when they dispersed. It is needless to say that they felt considerably annoyed at these oversights on the part of the janitor. The Board will meet in special session at an early date.

Hearts That are Diseased

will never be cured by the false, unnatural stimulation of liquor. First increase your vitality, build up the system, strengthen and purify the blood — then the heart will respond and grow strong.

Ferrozone is precisely what to take, it gives you an appetite and a digestion that will look after everything that is eaten. Ferrozone improves nutrition, makes rich, vitalizing blood, and is positively the most powerful restorative and strengthener known to science; it improves the nerve tone, regulates the heart's action, makes the feeble strong and the sick well. Ferrozone will do you untold good and costs only 50c., at druggists, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont. Dr. Hamilton's Pills Stimulate the Liver.

Excursions to Guelph

The Provincial Winter Fair at Guelph this year should be visited by every farmer and stockman, and by every person interested in the advancement of agriculture and the breeding of live stock and poultry. $7,000 are offered in prizes. The new buildings have increased facilities both for exhibits and visitors. Daily lectures by well known and expert authorities on the different subjects, will be found both instructive and interesting. The Grand Trunk Railway will issue round trip tickets at single first class fare, from stations west of Kingston, good going Dec. 7th, to 12th, inclusive, and valid returning until Dec. 15th, 1902. Further particulars from Agents.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—One day more and then the deluge.

—The Town Council will meet this evening.

—Splendid progress is being made on the Cereal Company's dam.

—The bogus cheque man was checked at Kingston just near the penitentiary.

—Contractor Langford is hustling things at the new rink. The steel work is now in process of erection.

—The C.P.R. Telegraph Company are stringing a second wire between Lindsay and Toronto.

—The prohibition rally at the opera house this evening will be adressed by the local ministers. Rev. Mr. Potter will occupy the chair.

—Yesterday's weather indicates that Providence and the coal men are still at variance. Yesterday being a delightful mild day for December.

—The Peterborough Rugby Club desires to acknowledge the receipt of five dollars from an annonymous source towards the expenses of the team to Montreal.

—A number of merchants of the town have been receiving Mexican dollars in mistake for American dollars. Mexican dollars are only valued at 50 cents in Canada.

—A good many papers are down on the system of vertical writing, as taught in the public schools of the province. And no wonder. Vertical writing is much like a certain kind of horse—too much up and down motion, and too little speed!

—The people of Midland are contemplating the purchase and operating of the electric light plant of the town. The question as to the amount the corporation should pay the company has been left to a board of arbitrators, comprising Judge Ardagh, Of Orillia, Judge McCrimmon, of Whitby, and Mr. Chadwick, barrister, Barrie.

COFFEE DID IT

Put a Man Out of the Race

Coffee serves some people in a most atrocious manner.

"I was a veritable coffee fiend, until finally my stomach rebelled at the treatment and failed to work," writes a gentleman from New York.

"I had dyspepsia in its worst forms, blind, staggering headaches with vertigo about a half hour after each time I ate, and I finally grew so weak and became so thin that my mother advised me to stop coffee and try Postum Food Coffee. I did not like it at first, but after experimenting in making it, Mother soon got it just right, and I then liked it better than coffee.

I soon noticed my biliousness stopped and I lost the trembling effect on my nerves; Postum did not stimulate me but seemed to exhilirate. I gradually regained my wonted good health; my old appetite returned, and today I am well—dyspepsia, headache and vertigo all gone, and Postum did it.

When I began its use, I had been troubled for five years with all kinds of stomach trouble. I became a veritable walking apothecary shop, but I have not taken a dose of medicine since I commenced using Postum." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

THE TIMES LETTER-BOX

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repealed them at their earliest opportunity, and the public standard of morality was not lowered in the meantime, we find that common sense had ultimately to triumph. If, however, public sentiment was lowered in the meantime in the Scott Act counties, it was lowered during the existence of a repressive act which had been expected to improve public morals. Any way we look at this much distorted question we find those opposed to Prohibition looking at the matter either from the self-interested standpoint, as in the case of those engaged in the traffic, or in a purely disinterested way as in the case of those who are firmly convinced that Prohibition will do harm instead of good. Those who are in favor of Prohibition have done more or less good. Those who have been moderate in their expressions, energetic in their teachings, and upright in their example have done great good. Those who have been violent have done good in some cases, and harm in many instances where they have driven people who would like to see everyone temperate, into viewing the whole movement, with contempt. If all the energy and money which are being devoted to an attempt to force Prohibition on the country, were expended in an educational effort, great good, no doubt, would be done, for it is education, not legislation, which must ultimately be relied upon to bring about the practical extinction of the evil.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, I am
yours, etc.,
COMMON SENSE.

A CHEEKY PROPOSITION

To the Editor of The Times:

Dear Sir—Being canvassed by a prohibitionist for my vote on the referendum, I think the question was put to me in a very one-sided way. My friend said:

"You are not a teetotaler, I know, but you can vote for this act, and have all the liquor you want brought in from the Lower Provinces and drink it at home. It cannot be sold at retail in Ontario except in the drug stores, but you can bring it in from Montreal, so long as it is only for your own use."

I replied, "You assume that I am a whiskey drinker. I am not. What I take is a little good ale occasionally, mostly at the dinner table, but strong drink I have no use for. How am I to get a glass of ale if this law passes? Will you tell me that?'"

"'Oh,' said he, 'beer or ale is not provided for by the Liquor Act, because it is not alcohol, and therefore not needed in making up medicines, or in manufacturing. But under this act I guess you might order a dozen bottles at a time from the Lower Provinces."

Well, Mr. Editor, this struck me as a pretty cool proposition to a free man of Ontario, where the manufacture of beer and ale is a very large industry that employs many thousands of persons directly or indirectly.'

I asked my friend who is a very zealous canvasser for prohibition, what would become of the large brewing establishments in which a million dollars are invested if the Liquor Law carried?

"'Oh,' he replied, smiling, 'the breweries will be wiped out along with the distilleries if we succeed." And he went on to explain how it would be impossible for the breweries to carry on business if they had to send their product to the Province of Quebec before it could be sold in Ontario.

Now, sir, this struck me as a cruel thing, to deprive a man of a drink of beer, which would not hurt them, ever by a little over-indulgence, and to kill at one sweep the business in Peterborough and elsewhere on which so many people depend for their livelihood.

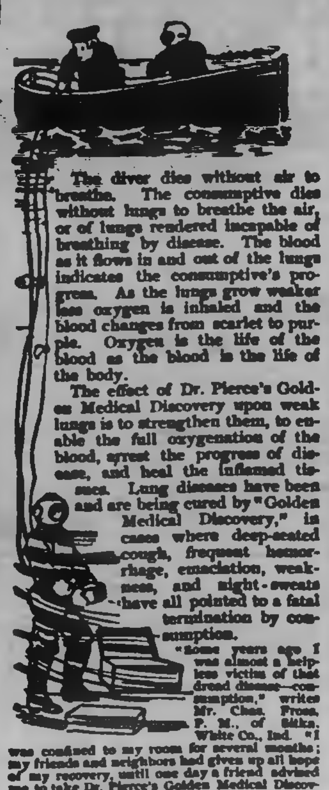
I told my friend that I regarded the outcry against "the Bar" as just a cunning trick to win voters over to stab the important business of brewing, as well as close up the wholesale and retail stores where liquor is sold. Under pretence of shutting up "the bar," their real aim was to strike at the manufacture of ale, as we have it in Peterborough, which many consider the best on the continent. I reminded him that the brewers contributed many thousands of dollars in taxation every year, and consumed vast quantities of native raw materials. But this seemed to make no impression upon him. He appeared to be delighted at the thought that all the money invested in these concerns might be swept out of existence, and laughed to scorn the idea that the owners should be compensated.

I recalled to mind, sir, what a popular minister prayed for in his pulpit not many years ago. He said in his pulpit that nothing would give him more gratification than to hear that all the breweries had "gone up in smoke." That was reported in the press at the time. I consider it a very evil thought, as it might be an incentive to some crack-brained fellow to set fire to the breweries. It shows what intolerance lies at the bottom of the crusade.

My friend the canvasser said he was much pleased to see that Premier Ross had come out at last and approved the Liquor Act. "Yes," I answered, "he said at the Toronto meeting that the act only took the liquor trade from the Bar to hand it over to the drug stores." But that refers to ardent spirits only. Mr. Ross is in favor of compensation to the brewers if their property is ruined, and this would mean millions of dollars to be paid by the taxpayers of Ontario.

This man's talk opened my eyes to the purpose of the Liquor Act more than anything else has done. Why, sir, I ask, should the liquor trade of Ontario be put wholly into the hands of Quebec men? Why should the citizens of Ontario have to send to a Montreal merchant for what he wants, and build up Montreal brewers and distillers instead of having the manufacture carried on under strict license in our own Province? Considering what my friend said, I, who was before an indifferent, have become an opponent of the proposed liquor law, and I intend to vote "No" when the time comes. Thanking you for such space.

Yours Sincerely,
A MODERATE



The diver dies without air to breathe. The consumptive dies without lungs to breathe the air, or of lungs rendered incapable of breathing by disease. The blood as it flows in and out of the lungs indicates the consumptive's progress. As the lungs grow weaker less oxygen is inhaled and the blood changes from scarlet to purple. Oxygen is the life of the blood as the blood is the life of the body.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[ED. TIMES]

—Mr. F. Judd Kennedy, Toronto, was in town yesterday on business

—Mr. Victor Martin, of Whitby, is the guest of Mr. Will Ackerman.

—Mr. W. Sherin, clerk of Lakefield, was in town yesterday on business.

—Miss Janet Wilson, Water street, is visiting with friends in Oshawa.

—Mrs. W. J. Green and her niece, Miss Mina D. Cavanah, are spending a few days in Lindsay, the guest of Mrs. J. C. Huntoon.

—Rev. Father McColl and Rev. Dr. O'Brien are in Montreal attending the funeral of the late Abbe Colin, superior of the Sulpicians, which took place yesterday morning.

—Lindsay Post: Mr. F. G. Drake, of the Wm. Hamilton Works, and Mr. T. O'Keefe, of the American Cereal Co., Peterborough, spent Sunday with their parents in town.

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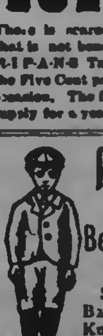

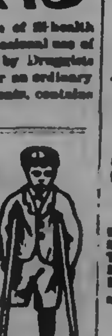

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PEACE TERMS WITH THE BERBER CHIEFS

Negotiations Likely to be Successful--Have Taken Refuge in the Mountains

World too Imperfect for Roosevelt's Ideal—Should be Kept in View but will Hardly be Realized

London, Dec. 3.—A correspondent telegraphing from the camp of the Sultan of Morocco, near Mekinez, says the Berber chiefs have taken refuge in a sanctuary near Mekinez. The correspondent says that peace negotiations are likely to be successful. The Sultan's army will remain among the Berbers until the terms of a peace treaty are carried out, when the Court will return and winter at Mekinez. The terms which the Moorish Government will accept include a heavy fine in money, a large number of hostages, and payment of several years' arrears in taxes. The entire district is deserted, and enemy having taken refuge with the women and flocks on mountain districts, where an attack during the winter weather is very difficult.

MR. ARMOUR'S GRATITUDE

He Will Endow an Institut Because of His Daughter's Cure

Chicago, December 3—While J. Ogden Armour was entertaining Professor Adolf Lorenz and Dr. Frederick Mueller, both of the University of Vienna, at his home yesterday, the first active step was taken toward the "Lolita Armour Institute of Bloodless Surgery." Mr. Armor will endow the institution with $2,000,000. This will insure an income of $100,000 a year.

It was announced that the institution shall be absolutely free to whomsoever may need treatment. There is not to be a knife in the place."

"I intend to establish a hospital or institute for your school of surgery" said Mr. Armour, addressing Dr. Mucker, "You must be at the head of it. It makes no difference what the cost may be. My daughter has practically been given back to me and I and my wife are grateful." Professor Lorenz nodded approval of his plans.

CHANGE IN POSTAL RATES

One Cent For Each Two Ounces Now Charged on Printed Forms

A postal notice issued on Monday states the rate on printed forms without writing of any kind has been changed from 2 cents for the first four ounces of fraction thereof and 1 cent for each additional 2 ounces or fraction thereof, to 1 cent for each two ounces or fraction thereof.

A single printed envelope for reply may be enclosed with a circular or printed form passing at the rate of 1 cent per 2 ounces without rendering these articles liable to the minimum prepayment of 2 cents, which is required on printed envelopes generally.

The rate hereafter, on seeds, cuttings (but not cut flowers), bulbs, roots, bedding plants, scions or grafts, is 2 cents for the first 4 ounces or fraction thereof, and 1 cent for each additional 4 ounces or fraction thereof.

SIX WAR SHIPS SAIL FOR VENEZUELA

Four Cruisers Ordered to Set Sail from Hamilton, Bermuda

War Sloop and Torpedo Boat—President Castro will be Compelled to Fulfil Obligations—Warships Assembled

Hamilton Bermuda, Dec. 3.—The British second-class cruiser Retribution sailed for Venezuela yesterday, and the second-class cruiser Charybdis, sloop of war Alert and Torpedo boat destroyer Quail followed to-day. The second-class cruiser Tribune and the first-class cruiser Adriane are under orders to proceed to the same destination.

An attempt is evidently to be made to force President Castro to fulfill his obligations to European creditors.

WARSHIPS ASSEMBLED.

London, Dec. 3.—It is officially announced here that Great Britain and Germany are taking naval measures to secure satisfaction from Venezuela, and that "for this purpose German warships have already assembled off the coast of Venezuela and those of Great Britain will shortly be there.

BRITAIN CALLS CHINA DOWN

Duplicity of Prince Ching Deeply Resented Says Landsdowne

London, Dec. 3.—A Parliamentary paper, issued to-day, giving the correspondence relative to the evacuation of Shanghai by the troops of the powers interested. The most striking point is the directness with which Foreign Secretary Lansdowne instructed Minister Satow at Pekin to inform Prince Ching, President of the Chinese Foreign Office, that "his duplicity in agreeing to Germany's conditions regarding the Yangste valley, while simultaneously informing Great Britain that he knew nothing thereof, "was deeply resented," and that Great Britain would not be bound by any pledges of the Chinese Government or the Viceroys whereby British freedom of action to maintain order and protect British interests in the the Yangtse valley be limited.

A similar notification was sent to Germany, Lord Lansdowne stating that the principle of the "open door" on which Germany based the proposed conditions was sufficiently safeguarded by the existing inter-agreements. Germany replied that she would drop the conditions since she had received satisfactory assurances from China.

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OPPOSED TO PROHIBITION

Many of the Leading Business Men Not in Favor of Liquor Act

Peterborough people will be interested in knowing that nearly all the leading financial institutions in the country are opposed to prohibition. Elsewhere will be found a protest from the business men of Hamilton. The Toronto papers yesterday had a similar protest from nearly all the leading financial and business men of Toronto, amongst whom were Messrs. Chas. McGill, General Manager of the Ontario Bank, W. D Matthews, President of the Board of Trade, and managers of the following banks: Molsons, Toronto, Commerce, Hamilton and Montreal.

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82 ACRES OF LONDON SOLD

Purchaser Believed to Have a Remarkable Bargain at $1,35[illegible],000

London, Dec. 4—A sale was made today of the largest freehold estate ever publicly auctioned in London. It consists of 82 acres, covered with 154 town houses and blocks of flats, shops and hotels situated in Earl's Court. The property was offered for sale by Miss Trollope. The total ground rent for the property is £13,279 per year.

The property was sold for £565,000. The name of the purchaser was not disclosed. It is considered that he has secured a remarkable bargain.

CHINA'S PROGRESS

Knowledge of Western Science a Qualification for Holding Office

Pekin, Dec. 4—An edict has been issued recommending that the literati study Western science and making a course therein at the Imperial University a qualification for holding office. A previous edict declared that Western knowledge was essential for military appointments; but the Throne, while urging Western knowledge, retains Chinese education.

The edict carefully dignify Chang Poh Se, Minister of Education, who is a conspicuous failure in that office.

The Throne plans to have provincial officials send apt and enlightened students to Pekin to qualify for public office, but this idea will fail, because it will interfere with the literati.

MRS. GORE'S DEATH ACCIDENTAL

American Doctors Approve the Report of the French

Paris, Dec. 4—Mr. Gowdy, the American Consul-General issued a statement today to the effect that Drs. Magnin, Whitman, Gros and Turner, the four American physicians appointed by him to investigate the death of Mrs. Ellen Gore, in the rooms of the Russian singer De Radzewski, had handed in their report.

The report, which is signed by all four physicians, is in accord with the autopsy of Dr. Socquet, who stated that Mrs. Gore's death was the result of an accident.

Mr. Gowdy hoped to be able to mail his report to the State Department at Washington to-morrow, but because of the numerous letters and documents found in Mrs. Gore's apartments and those in possession of the Juge d'Instruction, it will be impossible for him to go over the entire affair for several days.

COAL OIL IN PETERBOROUGH

It is Believed to Exist Here as Well as Natural Gas

The Times is in receipt of a letter from Mr. Harvey, the well known coal oil expert, who visited Peterborough some months ago, suggesting that a company be formed to sink one or more wells in Peterborough. Mr. Harvey says that he is quite sure that gas or oil exists, probably both.

The Trenton geological formation is almost a sure indication of gas or oil. Mr. Harvey examined the rock that was taken from the lower depth of the wells at the lift lock, and expressed himself as convinced that all had plenty of gas or oil, or probably both.

In view of the recent discovery near Chatham a few days ago, when over 2000 barrels of a very fine quality of oil has already been secured, it would be wise to act on Mr. Harvey's suggestion.

WEDDED IN NEW YORK

Mr. Duncan J. Urquhart, of Jersey City and Miss May E. Ritchie, of Town

The following is sent to the Times for publication:

Mr. Duncan J. Urquhart, of Jersey City, N.Y., and Miss May E. Ritchie, of Peterborough, Ont., were united in marriage on November 26th, by the Rev. Dr. Elliott, of New York City.

Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple started on a Southern tour and will visit several places of interest during their honeymoon. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Urquhart will reside in Jersey City, where Mr. Urquhart is engaged in the life insurance business, and well known as one of the leaders in the profession.

Their large circle of friends wish them a long life of wedded bliss.

WHERE TO VOTE TO-DAY

The Electors Have the Privilege of Voting "Yes" or "No"

To-day the vote will be taken throughout the Province of Ontario to decide whether the Liquor Act of 1902, shall, or shall not, become an operative statute. The following are the polling places in town:

No. 1, J. McCarthy's house, 137 Lake street, Angus McWilliams, Deputy.

No. 2, Booth's house, 23 Stewart street, T. Corkery, Deputy.

No. 3, Darke's house, 134 Rubidge street, T. J. Gillespie, Deputy.

No. 4, L. Spry's shop, 250 Stewart street, Jas. Lundy, Deputy.

No. 5, Miller's shop, Rubidge street, John Kelly, Deputy.

No. 7, Patterson's office, J. A. Paterson, Deputy.

No. 8, Green's shop, 352 Charlotte street, G. K. Martin, Deputy.

No. 9, Yelland's shop, George street, F. J. A. Hall, Deputy.

No. 10, Mothersil's shop, Aylmer street, John Kincaid, Deputy.

No. 11, J. McCall's shop, E. B. Wilson, Deputy.

No. 12, Routley's shop, T. Mahoney, Deputy.

No. 13, 138 Edinburgh street, Chas. Cameron, Deputy.

No. 14, Lee's shop, Smith street, W. Lee, Deputy.

No. 15, Wm. Dutcher's, 365 Water street, T. W. Robinson, Deputy.

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ENGINEERS UP TWO FLIGHTS OF STAIRS

Some Giant Locomotives Now in Use on American Roads

WONDERFUL MONSTERS TO PULL

Machines That are too Large to Go Through the Tunnels and Can Draw a Train a Mile Long

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 3—The Northern Pacific has received the last of a consignment of twenty-one of the biggest engines in America. The last one of the series arrived a few days ago, and Tacoma, the terminus, has the distinction of being also the greatest railroad centre in the world in this respect. There are as big engines elsewhere in twos and threes, but on no line, and at no point are there a score of engines like the 1,300 class just received in Tacoma. Any ten of those engines could have done all the railroad business there was to be done here ten years ago, when the "sage hens" used to crawl up to Weston with eight and ten small cars that could be loaded into five modern cars, wheels and all. The public sees little of these engines, since they are confined to freighting on the mountain division. Any one of them can pull on a level track all the cars that can be hung behind them. The only limit is the number of cars that can be handled by a single crew. In the graphic language of Master Mechanic Bruce, "You can string all the cars you can get behind one of these engines, chop the train off at a mile or so, and swing 'em into Portland easy."

Technical language will not convey to the average reader the immensity of these wonders of locomotive building. The name given them by common consent all over the road is "battleships," and a more descriptive name could not have been chosen. One goes up two flights of stairs to reach the cab, for the boilers are so big they cannot be squeezed between the drivers and perforce they must be put on top of them. Their height is of three men standing on each other's shoulders—just low enough to squeeze through the tunnels. Indeed many tunnels had to be raised to let them though from the East. The cylinders are double on each side, being arranged "tandem" the word "tandem" being adopted as the class name of the engine.

Five years ago the "Mogul" engine which could swing 506 tons up the 1 2-10 grade to Lester at the foot of the mountain, was considered a wonder and many believed the limit had been reached as to size. But the "Mogul" and its load is not a mouthful to the present "battleship," which weighs loaded nearly three times as much, and rolls along without apparent effort with 1,000 tons.

If freighting over the mountain were still done with horseflesh, as forty years ago, it would take 60,000 horses to do in a week what a battleship does in a day. She carries 210 pounds of steam. The "high-press" cylinders at the front of the tandem, looking like young 16-inch cannon, discharge into the "low-press cylinders at 70 pounds.

From end to end the engines are sixty-nine feet long, for, as the master mechanic says, "Since they can't build 'em any higher, the only thing they can do now is to build 'em longer." Roundly speaking one of the engines would run all the mills in Tacoma if it were not a locomotive.

Five years ago the company received the first of its "Klondike" engines, then considered a masterpiece of engine construction. Though monsters in size and power, the new engines exceed them just 30 per cent. in both dimensions. The "Klondike" exceeded the "Mogul" by 300 tons up the grade to Lester, and the "battleship" daily exceeds the "Klondike by 300 tons.

The engines are not comfortable for the engine crews, and have occasioned a great deal of kicking. A bulletin was posted recently cutting down the loads of engines, and till further orders the "battleship" will only be required to draw 900 tons—still far in excess of anything that has preceded them. The object of the order is the speeding up of trains during the great rush of business now on.

It is positively announced now, as oft-times before, that the limit of locomotive building has been reached. It remains to be seen how many months it will be before the limit sign is torn down and a higher one substituted.

A SUBSTANCIAL INCREASE

The Sum of $37,396 Collected in Peterboro in Five Months

The Times is indebted to Mr. Rudkins, collector of Inland Revenue, at Peterborough, for the following figures:

Inland Revenue returns of the Peterborough office for the five months ending November 30th, were $37,396.06, an increase over corresponding five months of last year of $6,741.22.

The money will have to be raised in some other way should prohibition exist probably by direct taxation.

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

The Dominion Express Company's Branch Here in New Hands

On account of illness Mr. McInnes has been obliged to resign his position as local manager of the Dominion Express Company, much to the regret of his many friends in Peterborough. He has been transferred to Toronto office, where he will begin his duties as soon as he recovers.

Mr. L. D. Oakley, of Orangeville, has been appointed his successor. Mr. Oakley is sure to become very popular with the business public of Peterborough, and the Times extends to him a hearty welcome to town.

LIVE LAKEFIELD LOCALS

Items of Interest from Our Pretty Northern Suburb

—The fact that the Epworth League debate on Prohibition vs. High License, the vote stood 17 to 14 in favor of Prohibition, shows that even in the Methodist church circles there are those who do not believe in prohibitive legislation.

—We extend the glad hand to Mr. T. H. Darcy, who is to become a resident of Lakefield. Mr. Darcy has purchased from Mr. R. Johnston the property he so recently bought from Mr. J. S. Madill. Mr. Darcy is moving to Lakefield in order that his grandson may have the benefit of the schools here. His son, Mr. Warney Darcy, will conduct the business at Burleigh as formerly.

—Our merchants are preparing for Christmas, and are displaying fine lines of holiday goods.

—Mrs. Benson left last week for Orono, where she will reside in future.

—The citizens of Lakefield are reminded that the cheapest place in Peterborough to purchase holiday presents is the Times Bookstore. The goods are imported direct, and are new and first class.

—The death occurred in Lakefield on Sunday last, of Mr. B. Hunter, saddler. His demise is universally regretted, as he was highly esteemed by all.

—Messrs. John and Jos. Madill left on Monday for Napanee, where they intend opening on the 1st of January a new dry goods store. While we regret to lose Messrs. Madill Bros. from our midst, we wish them every success in their new venture.

—Miss Mulligan, of Newcastle, who has been visiting in the village the guest of Mrs. E. A. Tanner, returned to her home on Tuesday.

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN.

Local Councils' Being Formed in Various Towns in Canada

The Times is requested to state that a branch of the National Council of Women of Canada is soon to be established in Peterborough.

The corresponding secretary has lately held meetings of the members of the various societies of women in Belleville, Whitby and Port Hope, in order to lay before them the work and aims of the National Council, and to enlist their sympathy. In all three places it was resolved to form a "Local Council," which is a federation of existing societies, and which will undertake needed work of common interest. These local councils are, in turn, federated with the National Council, and form a bond of union of women workers in all parts of Canada. As this National Council of Canada is again federated with nineteen other National Councils in the International Council, the practical good that is accomplished by this union is worldwide.

Chile Peru and Bolivia Negotiating

London, Dec. 4—The correspondent of the Sun learns that direct negotiations are going on between Chili, Peru and Bolivia for the settlement of the boundary dispute.

CANADA TRYING TO PERSUADE GREAT BRITAIN

The Intercolonial Has not the Facilities for Carrying Cattle

Ottawa, Dec. 3.—The C. P. R. would not be acting the part of wisdom if it tried to force the Government into a withdrawal of the order forbidding the transport of cattle for export through Maine. The fact is the Government has no desire to undertake their carriage over the Intercolonial. It has neither the cars nor the required accomodation at St. John.

The Minister of Agriculture is doing all he can to convince the Imperial authorities that it would be no real menace to the health of cattle to pass in sealed cars for a few miles through the State of Maine. If necessary our Government would provide an inspector for each train to see that no risk of infection is run. Yet the British Board of Agriculture has not so far intimated that they would be satisfied to permit the landing of cattle that traveled by the C. P. R. short line through Maine.

It is worthy of notice that the last train of stock from the Canadian West for export has been delivered at the seaboard. There would be no more coming down from the Territories anyway. The only cattle shipments that the C. P. R. carry for the winter are from Ontario and of American stock entering the Dominion at Sarnia and Windsor. If they refuse to handle these unless they are given the through haul down to St. John, the C. P. R. will be the greatest sufferer. This is the statement of one who has had something to do with the determining of the Government regulations.

AN INVESTMENT QUESTION

A Correspondent Says That Now is the Time to Settle

The Times is in receipt of the following letter. It is written by a well known business man, who ought to have more sense. He says:

"Will the Times try and remember an election if it can, (if only for aldermen) when the whole liquor party did not hire rigs and get out and bring in voters in opposition to the Conservatives? Now is the time to knife the liquor men and thus get even."

The Times can remember many elections in which the liquor men did nothing of the kind. It is well known for instance, that Mr. Wm. Croft, who for 20 or more years was identified with the hotel business in Peterborough, was always a staunch Conservative. There are many others besides, who, we believe are Conservatives, and who naturally resent the above. The hotel men of Peterborough are as a class honorable and respectable and are not addicted to the low-down methods suggested above.

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Ald. Best Makes a Move in the Right Direction to Improve Our Roads

By Permanent Road Beds and Improved Storm Drainage—The Municipal Fuel Yard Question to be Put in Tangible Shape—Ald. McGregor Scores Ald. Batten on Unionism

"I don't see why these boys are not kept at home at night," said Mayor Denne last night, when Ald McGregor reported that Mrs. Grundy, on Water street, complained of being considerably annoyed at night by boys.

Ald. J. J. Turner also reported that notwithstanding Mr. R. H. Bradburn's complaint some weeks ago of young men congregating around the opera house and in many ways proving a nuisance, that nuisance had not been so far remedied.

Both these questions were referred to the Committee on Appointments to see that the police enforce the law.

The Town Council met in regular session last night, when there were present Mayor T. H. G. Denne, in the chair and Aldermen Shortly, Roger, H. Rush, McGregor, J. J. Turner, Morrison, Clinkscale, Batten and Best. The minutes were taken as typewritten.

Communications.

From the Otonabee Power Co., asking permission to connect with R. Hicks & Co's premises.—Referred to Board of Works, with power to act.

From the Wm. Hamilton Mfg. Co., stating that in reference to their request to lower and fix their rate of assessment, they have decided to withdraw the petition for the present.—Received.

From property owners on Water street and Homewood Avenue, asking that an arc electric light be placed at the junction of those streets.—Fire, Water & Light Committee.

From the Dickson Co., objecting to the erection by the Otonabee Power Co., of a pole and braces in front of the vacant property owned by the Dickson Co., on the north side of McDonnell street, and asking the Council to take steps to have them removed.—This matter was referred to the Town Engineer to report to the Board of Works.

From J. Z. Rogers, of the Peterborough Canoe Co., stating that while the company thought that they should have exemption as well as other manufacturers coming to town, they did not think it advisable to submit a by-law in January—Received.

From J. J. Turner & Sons, stating that they wished to have a by-law submitted at the January elections in regard to the fixing of their assessment—Received.

From F. F. Garden, Secretary Trades and Labor Council, enclosing a resolution passed by that body in favor of having the assessment roll printed, and requesting the Town to have his done—Received.

From T. J. Begley, Secretary of Peterborough Typographical Union, No. 218, asking that the union label be put on all the corporation printing—Finance Committee.

From F. Robertson, secretary of the Iron Moulders' Union, enclosing a resolution endorsing Ald. McGregor's advocacy of a municipal fuel yard. Received.

From W. H. Meldrum, managing director of the Otonabee Power Co., applying for the right to cross Charlotte street, on the west side of the creek, to meet an application of the Lock Co. for power; also the right erect poles and wires on the north side of Hunter street, from Bethune street to the Colonial Typewriter building.—Board of Works.

From H. C. Baker, manager of the Bell Telephone Co., calling attention to the fact that four poles had recently been erected on the south side of McDonnel street, between George and Aylmer streets, in some cases between, and in others so close to the telephone wires as to encroach upon and interfere with the rights of the telephone system, because of the fact that the four poles would carry wires from those over which the power current of the Otonabee Power Co. was transmitted. A protest was made and the Council asked to prevent the use of the part of the street referred to for the erection of poles and wires interfering with those of the Telephone Company — Board of Works.

From W. J. Green, tax collector, in regard to a remission of interest on Mr. Robert Howden's taxes, made justifiable by delay through the post office of a letter containing the cheque.—Said remission was granted.

From R. Sheehy, stating that owing to shortage of cars he was unable to have pipe for Harvey street sewer delivered within contract time, and therefore requesting to be exempted from overtime charges.—This request was granted.

From Mrs Ellen Rogers, requesting remission of her taxes.—Court of Revision.

From R. Sheehy, in regard to the sidewalk on Charlotte street, and claiming that he could not fairly be held liable for necessary repairs thereto.—Referred to the Board of Works to investigate.

From S. R. Armstrong, enclosing copy of a resolution passed by the Board of health requesting the Council to have connection with the sewer made so as to drain the lane running from Water street west, in the rear of stores on Hunter street, and continuing north to Brock street. The work was necessary for sanitary reasons.—Board of Works.

From E. G. Patterson, General Superintendent of the C.G.E. Co., pointing out the necessity for more light in the vicinity of the Works at night, and also for a fire alarm box near by.—Referred to the Fire, Water and Light committee with power to act.

From Louis Mickam, calling attention to the necessity of raising the sidewalk on Rink street, between George and Aylmer streets. This walk also needs repairing.—Referred to the Board of Works.

From W. H. Hewson, town clerk of Penetanguishene, enclosing a resolution passed by that Council advocating action bringing to the attention of the Minister of Railways the necessity of having the G.T.R. live up to the demands of the country and make such provision in regard to freight cars as would do away with the annual shortage.—Received.

From John McClelland, in regard to dog tax.—Court of Revision.

From residents near the corner of Aylmer and Hunter streets, asking that some action be taken as will put a stop to the rowdyism and disreputable conduct of certain characters in that locality.—Referred to the Committee on Appointments with power to act.

From T. J. Henry, asking that the sidewalk be raised at the corner of Park and Parnell streets, where he has built a new store.—Board of Works.

From C. W. [illegible], local manager of the Bell Telephone Co., asking permission to erect poles on the east side of Lock street, between Ware and Lansdowne streets.—Board of Works.

From the members of the First Church of Christ Scientist, appealing for honorable justice and fair play in regard to the assessment of that church, and asking to have it put on the same basis as other places of worship.

In reference to the above communication Mr. A. P. Poussette addressed Council in behalf of the First Church of Christ Scientist. He remarked that the whole question hinged on "whether the building in question is a place of worship or not." If the Council are satisfied that it is a place of worship, they they have a right to be exempted. He could not see why this institution should not receive the same privileges as other religious bodies simply because they are not an incorporated body and have not regularly ordained ministers.

Ald. Shortly replied that the Court of Revision had not the power to write off their taxes as the property was entered on the assessment roll.

The matter was referred to the town solicitor to report to Council.

ACCOUNTS.

A big batch of accounts was referred to the Finance committee.

TOWN FUEL YARD.

Ald. McGregor submitted the following:

Gentlemen,—Your Committee of the Whole Council beg leave to report and recommend that a vote of the municipal electors be taken at the time of the Municipal Elections on January next on the question, "Are you in favor of the Council establishing a municipal fuel yard?" and that the clerk provide the necessary ballots and other materials for taking the vote.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Ald Morrison thought the details of the scheme should be threshed out in Council, so as to get something tangible to submit to the people. He thought the idea all right, but he wants to see it worked out. He advised referring the report back to the committee to work out a scheme embodying the probable cost of maintenance, the manner of procuring the fuel and an estimated price at which it can be retailed, and report to Council.

Ald. Batten remarked that everything was getting to be "union" now. The blacksmiths were getting a union, and he had heard it rumored that the coal men were going to form a union to prevent the town from getting a supply of coal for their proposed yard. In this event we would have to import our coal from across the sea. He thought it would be wise before starting into the coal business for the town to enquire whether they can get coal or not.

Ald. McGregor replied that Ald. Batten has had apparently changed his views regarding unionism. He had told him that he did not see any need for unions and would never be a union man. Ald. Batten had also made a statement to the effect that before fall we should see workingmen glad to get 75 cents a day as a result of unionism. Continuing, Ald. McGregor believed it would be a criminal offence for the coal men to conspire to shut off the corporation from a supply of coal.

Ald. Batten denied that Ald. McGregor had heard him say one word against the unions. What he did say was that he was opposed to every man being struck on the same basis for wages, believed a man should be paid what he was worth.

Ald. Best thought a prospectus should first be drawn up for the proposed fuel yard, when we should have something tangible to submit to the people.

Ald. Rush favored the scheme, but at the same time agreed with Ald. Best and Morrison.

Ald. McGregor wanted the question submitted to the people as it now stood. "We can all agree on it, and we are going to have a campaign of it and we are going to have a pretty lively one this year." As to an enquiry by Ald. Morrison as to whether the coal men would [illegible] compensation, they should [illegible] for relief [illegible] they claim to be [illegible] poorly paid."

Ald. Morrison moved, seconded by Ald. Turner, that this report be referred back to the committee with Ald. McGregor as chairman, to report back to Council some tangible scheme.—Carried.

THE ASSESSMENT ROLL.

Ald. Rogers submitted the report of the Finance committee, in which clause 5 recommended that no provision be made for the matter of publishing the roll until the statutory meeting, December [illegible], when the financial statement will be [illegible] the assessment [illegible]

Ald. McGregor moved, seconded by Ald. Turner, that clause [illegible]

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THE BARONS AFRAID

The sudden interruption of the sessions of the coal strike commission last week, created the impression that the commissioners were getting "warm" in their search after certain facts regarding the coal trust. The equally sudden breaking off of the negotiations between the operators and the miners' representatives evidently did not result from any hitch in the negotiations because they had not proceeded far enough to reach a deadlock on any point. It is just possible that the trust got an intimation from President Roosevelt that the independent settlement of the difficulty would not interfere with the ultimate intention of the commission to insist on the production of the books of the coal trust, or at least evidence as to the extent of the earnings. Congressman Hearst, of New York, is also after the trust and he announces that even if the coal commission does not get at the facts, the New York American will do so in connection with the suit now pending in the courts against the coal trust. Possibly, in one way or another, the public will at an early date get the bottom facts, which seem to be worth hiding.

WOMEN'S RIGHTS IN RUSSIA

An agricultural high school for women has been started by the Russian Government, and it is said to be the first of its kind in Europe. The object is to give women a general training as agriculturists. The students will also be permitted to restrict their attention to special branches, such as dairy farming, gardening, bee culture, poultry keeping and cattle and sheep breeding. It will be an indispensable condition of admittance to have passed through a gymnasium or similar institution for intermediate education. The Ministry has fixed the course for three years. It will include practical occupation on a model farm in addition to study and laboratory work.

The women who pass through this institution will enjoy the same rights as the successful male students of the existing high schools. They will, consequently, be capable of filling various posts under the Ministry of Agriculture, and will be further entitled to hold the position of administrators of the crown domains and of teachers in the intermediate agricultural schools.

Although the date on which the new institution will be opened has not yet been decided upon, 125 young women, who have had an intermediate education have announced their intention to follow the course.

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NOTE.—The Times does not hold itself in any way responsible for the opinions expressed by its correspondents.—Ed. Times.

REPLY TO THE REGULATION OF LIQUOR

To the Editor of The Times:

Dear Sir,—It is well that the public should thoroughly understand what "The Liquor Act, 1902," which will be voted on on Thursday really means. There is now a liquor act in force in the Province of Ontario, under which liquor is sold by a limited number of shops and hotels, and regulations made for the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors such as are used in all civilized countries. This is what is known as the licensing system, and although it is not perfect by any means, the present regulations are the result of many years of practical experience, and are the best that our lawmakers can devise for regulating the liquor traffic. It may be added that the licensing system is looked upon by the soundest students of sociology and by most level-headed friends of the temperance cause as the sanest and best method of dealing with the liquor question.

"The Liquor Act, 1902," is an entirely different proposition. It is called "The Liquor Act, 1902," and it means exactly what it is called. It is not called a Prohibition Act, simply because it is not a prohibitory measure. On the ballot the voter will read as follows: "Are you in favor of the bringing into force of The Liquor Act, 1902?" In other words you are asked whether you are in favor of doing away with the present licensing system and substituting for it the new liquor act, which would still permit the distiller to distil and the brewer to brew, in Ontario; which would permit them to sell in Ontario for mechanical, scientific, medical or sacramental purposes, which would permit them to export to any place outside of the Province; which would permit liquor to be imported into Ontario from outside Provinces; which would permit travellers from Montreal liquor houses to take orders in person in Ontario and deliver goods direct to the consumer; which would permit mail orders to be executed in Montreal or in other cities outside the Province for parties in Ontario; which would permit liquor to be kept in any private house in Ontario for consumption; which would allow doctors to carry round two quarts of liquor for their patients; and veterinary surgeons to buy a gallon at a time for their "patients;" which would permit druggists to fill orders; which would give the right to search your private house with a warrant, and which would compel wives to testify against their husbands and children to testify against their parents.

These are but a few of the ridiculous and demoralizing conditions that would prevail if "The Liquor Act, 1902," were put into operation. It is simply a law to harass and impede trade. It is a law which would increase the trade in Quebec at the expense of the Province of Ontario. It is a law which makes one law for the rich and another for the poor. For instance, if you are rich enough to have a private house of your own, you may keep all kinds of liquors in your cellar, but if you are compelled to keep boarders or lodgers, your home is placed in the hotel or livery stable class, where no liquor of any kind would be permitted. Again, if you use any part of your house as an office, store or workshop, you should not be permitted to have liquor on the premises. If you live in a flat or a tenement you would not be permitted to have a bottle of ale about. Neither in your club nor in your society hall would you be permitted to have a bottle of liquor. The penalties provided by the Act are: Forfeiture of the liquor and a fine of from $200 to $1,000, or imprisonment of two or four months.

The Province would lose an annual revenue of nearly $700,000 and be put to an annual expense of at least $500,000 for detectives, inspectors, spies and the general machinery that would be required to make an honest effort to enforce a ridiculous and unnecessary law. The Act would certainly result in the consumption of more spirits and less beer. It would encourage home drinking, secret drinking, and drinking in dives, which would flourish under this law as they flourished under the old Scott Act, for, as a matter of fact "The Liquor Act, 1902" is simply the old Scott Act applied to the whole Province. It would renew the demoralization of the community which existed in Scott Act times, and it would necessitate direct taxation. This is acknowledged on all sides. There is not a financier of any standing in the Province who will deny this.

We cannot imagine how any man who enjoys his glass of ale in a hotel or in his home can fail to vote "No" on Thursday next, nor can we imagine how any prohibitionist can accept this act, since it is in no sense a prohibitory measure, at least it cannot be considered a prohibitory law such as the prohibitionists have asked for. We feel confident that every sensible voter in this country will make it a point to go to the polls on Thursday next and vote "No." Yours very truly,

D. ABRAM.

THE PROHIBITION QUESTION — CONSISTENCY THOU ART A JEWEL

To the Editor of The Times:

Dear Sir,—I see by the press that the prohibition element in the Province has been importing agitators to assist them in the coming referendum, in the persons of the Rev. Charles Sheldon and others. If the following item from the Atcheson (Kansas) Daily Globe is true, I think the Rev. Mr. Sheldon's time could be better spent in his own home of Topeka, Kansas in trying to reform the state of affairs in that place, instead of wasting his time in Ontario. But there, where did you ever find consistency in the prohibition party. One would think from the way they keep up the agitation against the liquor traffic that their own condition was as that could be desired but one has only to be a casual observer to see that such is not the case; that their own position is weak, and their work ineffective. They should turn their attention to other abuses and not lead the public to suppose that all the evils mankind is heir to, are caused by drinking. Let them question their own hearts, and they will find they are in error. Yours very truly,

PLAIN SPEAKER.

The Atcheson, Kansas, Daily Globe prints the following article, which is well worth reading just now:—

The Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, of Topeka who has acquired some fame by his writings and sermons, is to go to Canada to assist the prohibition party there in securing prohibition in Canada. There is something about this that to the ordinary mind is incomprehensible. Kansas has prohibition, constitutional prohibition, and has had it for twenty years or more. And yet, in the town where Rev. Mr. Sheldon lives and works and preaches, there is a saloon on every corner, and frequently an extra one in the middle of the block. The prohibitory law is given no more heed than if such a thing had never been heard of in Kansas. The saloons are as open as they are in any city of the land. With such evidence as this right at his own door, does Mr. Sheldon undertake to say that prohibition prohibits, or that it is a success? Will he tell the Canadians that it is a success in Kansas? If he tells them it is a failure how can he urge them to adopt it? He can tell them of course that theoretically prohibition is a good and great thing; which it is. But will he not have to tell them, if he tells the truth, that practically it is a failure? It it as clear and distinctly local option as though it were designated that way in the constitution and the laws. Prohibition does not prohibit in any town or city where the sentiment is in favor of saloons. And where it does not favor saloons, saloons could not exist, even without prohibition. The constitutional amendment and the laws re-

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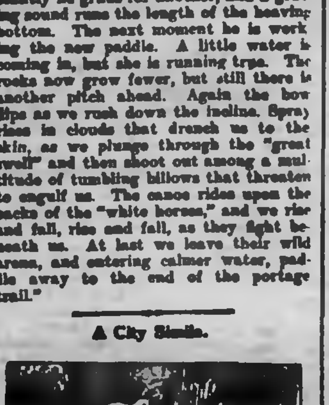
Running a Great Rapids.

"At the head of one of the great rapids a bowman, seeing that I mated well with a light-weight of his crew, invited me to take a paddle and help them through," writes Arthur Heming in the July "Scribner" in describing the Abitibi fur brigade. "While the brigade are shooting rapids light-weights are at a premium. Tossing in an extra set of paddles we stepped aboard, and with a gentle shove the current caught us and carried us out to mid-stream. Long before we sighted white water the roar of the cataract was humming in our ears. We two midmen sat upon dunnage sacks and braced our moccasoned feet against the ribbing. Presently the bowman stood up and scanned the river. Dark, ominous water raced ahead for a hundred yards, then disappeared, leaving nothing but a great, surging mass of white that leaped high and dropped out of sight in the apparently forsaken river-bed. Then the steersman stood up, too, and Indian words passed between them. Every moment we were gaining impetus, and always heading for the highest crest of foam. Waiting for the word to paddle was even worse than waiting for the starter's gun in a sculling race. At last it came, just as we were twenty-five yards from the end of dark water. With a wild shout from the bowman, we drove our paddles home. The great canoe trembled a little at first as our work was somewhat ragged, but a moment later we settled into an even stroke and swept buoyantly among the tossing billows. Now before us ran a strange, wild river of seething white, lashing among great, gray-capped, dark-greenish bowlders that blocked the way. High, rocky banks standing close together, squeezed the mighty river into a tumult of fury. Swiftly we glide down the racing torrent and plunge through the boiling waters. Sharp rocks rear above the flying spray, while others are barely covered by the foaming flood. It is dangerous work. We midmen paddle hard to force the canoe ahead of the current. The steersmen in bow and stern ply and bend their great seven-foot paddles. The bowman, with eyes alert, keenly watches the whirling waters and signs of hidden rocks below. The roar of seething waters drowns the bowman's orders. The steersman closely watches and follows every move his companion makes. Down we go, riding upon the very back of the river; for here the water forms a great ridge, rising four or five feet above the water-line on either shore. To swerve to either side means sure destruction. With terrific speed we reach the brink of a violent descent. For a moment the canoe pauses, steadies herself, then dips her head as the stern upheaves, and down we plunge among more rocks than ever. Right in our path the angry stream is waging battle with a hoary bowlder that disputes the way. With all its might and fury the frantic river hisses and roars and lashes it. Yet it never moves—it only frowns destruction upon all that dares approach it. How the bowman is working! See his paddle bend! With lightning movements he jabs his great paddle deep into the water and close under the left side of the bow; then with a mighty heave he lifts her head around. The great canoe swings as though upon a pivot; for is not the steersman doing exactly the very opposite at this precise moment? We sheer off. But the next instant the paddles are working on the opposite sides, for the bowman sees signs of a water-covered rock not three yards from the very bow. With a wild lunge he strives to lift the bow around; but the paddle snaps like a rotten twig. Instantly he grabs for another, and a grating sound runs the length of the heaving bottom. The next moment he is working the new paddle. A little water is coming in, but she is running true. The rocks now grow fewer, but still there is another pitch ahead. Again the bow dips as we rush down the incline. Spray rises in clouds that drench us to the skin, as we plunge through the "great swell" and then shoot out among a multitude of tumbling billows that threaten to engulf us. The canoe rides upon the backs of the "white horses," and we rise and fall, rise and fall, as they fight beneath us. At last we leave their wild arena, and entering calmer water, paddle away to the end of the portage trail."

A City Simile.



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The clerk, having done so, replies—I believe it is simply strong vodka.

The coroner (tossing off another glass)—No, really, it tastes like gin.

The clerk (tasting again)—I still think it is only strong vodka.

The bottle having gradually become empty, the coroner proceeded to dictate in a decisive tone: "Write: An empty bottle was found on the table, and all measures taken to ascertain what it had contained were of no use."

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COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 1350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 ton re above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

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OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows:—

	ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2 70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000

or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6⅔ years........ $670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000 00

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Influence of Names.

"We're going to name our newly arrived boy Reginald," remarked Phillips at the club the other evening.

"Do you want him to be that kind of person?" asked Jones, in a tone that he hoped would create discussion.

"What are you springing on us now?" asked several of the group, a little wearily.

"It is a great truth, my boy," continued Jones, aiming his remarks at Phillips, who looked a trifle worried about Jones' question. "The relation of name to character is an unexplored but most fertile region. Look up your fiction, and you will find that every great novelist has unconsciously obeyed the law. A man and his name gradually grow toward each other. He may fight his name for a long time, but by some long road at last he must bend to the significance of what he is called. I consider that parents have a sacred duty upon them in choosing out of all the names of history that name which they elect their child shall be. The name which he receives at baptism is the character part, up to which he must always live."

"Really, I don't follow you," interposed Clemmons of Harvard, with his drawl.

"Think back over your reading," went on Jones. "When Sheridan names a character Lady Sneerwell, it is obvious that his conception is of a character proud and cynical. Such a method of dubbing limits the character drawing to a few bold strokes. A frank avowal of love from her lips, a free handed generosity, would not be tolerated. She must remain cold and hard till the play ends. Bunyan was fond of a name that labelled. Surely you remember Mr. Backbite and Boastful? In the literature of the last century such cheap and easy naming is rare and confined to the minor characters. Thackeray uses it for the peerage alone—Lady Bareacres. It survives in our comic weeklies, with their 'Wandering Willy' and 'Alkali Ike.'

"But there is a rarer and finer use of names that is at the command of the big fellows in romance. The skilful novelist baptizes his creation with a certain name because he realizes its connotation. Annie is known of old for a good housewife and a true sister. She is pretty and social, but is not a society woman. Annie of 'Lorna Doone' is rightly called. Adam implies faithfulness, a quality of high conscientiousness, and Adam of 'As You Like It' and Adam Bede share the trait.

"Tom is mischievous and fast, strongly social, with most of the vices. Even his friends are forced to admit that he drinks, but his severest critics will concede him generous. Such is Tom Jones—splendid and strong, shaggily rough. Tom Brown is not cast in a like epic mould, but yet is justified of his name. Tom Sawyer is a Tom in the making. Joseph, of Genesis, has a deservedly high reputation for chastity, and this implication of the name has been remembered. Joseph Andrews is an apt name for Fielding's hero. Jack is a gay blade. Dorothy is sprightly, but warm-hearted. Dick is merry and out at heels.

"Authorities have split on Rebecca. Scott makes her a faithful soul with a hopeless love. Thackeray gives us an adventuress, heartless, brilliant, and detestable. A character of history often makes the atmosphere of a name. Bonnie Prince Charlie is perhaps responsible for a succession of prodigals who are permitted to bear no other name.

"You see that the novelists, who have looked truth in the face, have always done their naming in line with law. Is it any wonder, when once you realize the influence of a name on a person, that savages, ignorant persons, and children have felt that one who knew their name had power over them? Religion and chivalry have been in the right of it, when they make the act of naming the most sacred ceremony in a man's life. Rightly they felt that baptism and knighting determine the direction of character development and soul growth."—Ex.

"Book Boosting" in France.

The art of book advertising is thought to have made some progress of late both in England and in this country, but they do these things if not better, at least more energetically in France. A Paris newspaper has begun the publication of a romance which has eight leading personages, and the most successful guesser of the fate of each is to have a four-seated automobile as a prize. Portraits of the characters in the novel are carried about the streets, with such questions as these to be answered: "Catharine: Will Catharine marry? If so, whom will she marry?" Again: "Liane: Will her scheme to gain the Marquis be successful?" Next comes: "Germaine: Will she deceive her husband?" Then, "Marie: Will she marry or die before the end of the romance?" Lastly, "Zizi: How many men will she attract? Who will be her last lover?" These individual queries are followed by a group of general problems for solution. "Which of these five women will die of poison? Which of them will administer poison? To whom?" If these methods were to be generally followed by publishers' press agents the reign of the historical romance would take on new terrors.

A Victim.

"Where are you going this summer?"

"I'm going to a stretch of barren sand, where I can be surrounded by the luxuries of the seashore."

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"Cottage alone?"

"Oh, no. We shall be next to a lot of others. Each with an assortment of children."

"Nice people?"

"Well, they're people I wouldn't think of associating with on ordinary occasions, but of course——"

"Oh, certainly. Where do you get your vegetables?"

"From the city."

"And your water?"

"From the nearest well."

"Typhoid?"

"Probably."

"Flies?"

"Heaps."

"What are you going for?"

"Two reasons. Because I can't afford it and my wife wants to."—"Life."

Got Their Medals

The local members of the Coronation Contingent have received their medals, as follows: Regimental Sergt.-Major Goldy, Sergt. Trumpeter Goldy, Sergt. Hooton, Squadron Sergt.-Major Cleghorn and Sergt. Duffus. The medals are of bronze guilt, and has a neat little red, white and blue ribbon attached, to it. The inscription, "June 26th, 1902," is on one side of the medal, while the picture of the King and Queen is on the other side.

THE CHEQUE FORGER

Charles Carter, the Cheque Faker, Pleads Guilty at Kingston

Charles Carter, the cheque forger, pleaded guilty at the Kingston Police Court, to forgery and passing forged cheques.

His Peterborough victims will at least have the satisfaction of knowing that the sharper will receive ample punishment. It is not probable that any of the money will be recovered.

FACTS RE REFERENDUM

Voting Day—Voters and Other Features of the Measure

Voting—Thursday, Dec. 4.

Question on Ballot—Are you in favor of bringing into force the Liquor Act of 1902?

Number of votes in the affirmative necessary to bring law into force, 212,723, providing that number is a majority of total votes polled.

When effective—May 1, 1904, if necessary vote is polled by prohibitionists.

Those entitled to vote—Lists to be used are those of the last provincial election, an exception being made of persons who since that time may have ceased to be residents of the province.

Meaning of Liquor Act of 1902—It prohibits the sale of liquor within the province, except by licensed druggists, but does not prohibit the manufacture and export, or sale by manufacturer to licensed druggists.

Ontario Plebiscite, Jan. 3, 1894—For prohibition 192,489. against 110,720.

Dominion Plebiscite, Sept. 29, 1898.—For prohibition 278,380, against 264,693. In Ontario, for 154,498 against 115,284.

THE OLD SAW MILL

The Dickson Company Saw Mill Now Being Dismantled

Another old landmark is being removed from the bank of the river. The Dickson Company's sawmill at the foot of London street is to be taken down to make room for the Cereal Company's dam. Men began yesterday morning to remove the machinery, which will be stored until such time as a new building is erected to receive it. The present stage of operations upon the new dam is such as to demand the immediate utilization of the site occupied by the sawmill. The Dickson Company will probably locate on a site to the east of the canal on Little Lake. The company owns the two hundred acres known as Beaver Mead Farm, which will make very fine piling grounds and admit also of easy railway communication. A large building on the farm has been used by the company for some time past as a stable.

A WARM WINTER PREDICTED

Man Figures It Out By Intervals of 13 Years

Mr. P. Jones, of West May City, Michigan, in writing to a local paper says a mild winter is in store for us, and gives his reasons for the prophecy as follows.—It may seem very strange, but in 1863, when I was only eight years old, my father came home from his first enlistment in the army. The winter beginning in 1863 was a very warm winter, rainy and soft, with some cold weather, the last of February and the first of March. This was in Ohio. In 1876, thirteen years later, I was on the Northern Pacific Railroad in Minnesota. It was very warm until February and March then. There was some cold weather, but not long at a time, two or three days at the longest. Just thirteen years later, in 1889, in Ohio, it did not freeze to exceed two inches at any time all winter. The year 1902 brings it thirteen years later. Now when the sun crossed the line each of these years the wind was in the south or southeast. I have a perfect remembrance of these years. Why it comes every thirteen years is a mystery to me. I think some of the lumbermen will remember some of these dates, as in 1876 there were but few logs banked in Minnesota or Wisconsin. This fall the wind was about two degrees east of south when the sun crossed the line.

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Mainly About People.

Mr. Harry de Windt, in his book, "Finland As It Is," tells of a bon mot of Andree, the Arctic explorer. Just before his last voyage he was driven to distraction at a dinner-party by a talkative neighbor. "But how will you know, professor, when you have really crossed the North Pole?" was one of many silly questions. "Oh, that will be simple enough, madame," replied Andree, with his well-known dry humor. "A north wind will become a south one!"

It is related that when the Earl of Rochester, in the reign of Charles II., rose to make his maiden speech in the House of Lords, he said: "My lords, my lords, I rise this time for the first time—the very first time. My lords, I divide my speech into four branches." Here there was an embarrassing pause of some seconds. "My lords," the earl then ejaculated, "if ever I rise again in this House, you may cut me off, root and branches, and all forever."

The father of Earl Fitzwilliam, who died recently, was an excellent landlord. A London paper relates how once a farmer went to him with the complaint that the earl's fox-hunters had ruined a field of corn, or, as we should call it, wheat. The earl gave the man fifty pounds in payment for damage. After harvest-time the farmer returned the money, saying that the wheat had turned out well, after all. Earl Fitzwilliam drew a check for one hundred pounds and gave it to his tenant. "This is as things should be between man and man," said he. "When your eldest son comes of age, give him this, and tell him how and why you got it."

Wu Ting-fang, the Chinese Minister, told the ladies of the Washington Law College a story Saturday night that made them all laugh. "I was at a banquet a few nights ago," he said, "and I met the wife of one of the members of Congress. She sat near me at table. I tried to be entertaining. Finally she leaned over and said: 'Oh! Mr. Wu, we all think you are so brilliant. Isn't it a pity you are only Chinese?'"

The late Noah Davis, justice of the Supreme Court of New York, was one of the many judges and lawyers who make the court room the scene of some of our best wit and humor. Once a lawyer objected to a witness, but Judge Davis refused to sustain him. The lawyer cried, "But, Your Honor, I submit—" and here he broke off." "That's right," said the judge, quickly; "always submit. Crier, adjourn court!" In one case over which he presided there were fifty-five distinct offences, and four counts on each offence, two hundred and twenty in all. "Well," said Judge Davis, "there are more counts than in a German principality."

When Collis P. Huntington, the late president of the Southern Pacific Railway, was married for the second time, Henry Ward Beecher performed the marriage ceremony. Huntington's first wife had been dead less than one year, and he desired the second marriage to be kept secret until his return from Europe. He gave Mr. Beecher a marriage fee of $1,500. When Huntington returned, some months later, he went through a public ceremony, and Beecher again officiated. He gave Beecher another fee of $1,500. The great preacher had his humor aroused by this second fee. Turning to Huntington, he said: "Collis, I do wish you were a Mormon."

The butler in a Scotch family occupies a privileged and unique position. He sometimes assumes a freedom of speech which seems to American ears to border on impertinence; but to those who know him his frank speech is only one of the many evidences of his interest in the family welfare. A young New York woman was the guest at a house where a butler of that sort reigns. She submitted to his patronage with much amusement; but one day there were unexpected and important guests for dinner, and a little while before the meal was served the butler waylaid the young American in the hall. "I'm fearin' there'll no be quite enough soup," he whispered, "so when it's offered, ye maun decline it, lass." "Decline soup, James?" she said, laughing. "Why, that would not be polite." "Weel, not precisely," said James, with a benignant smile," but they'll a' make excuse for ye, thinkin' ye hae nae better."

Frith, the celebrated Royal Artist, once painted a portrait of himself, and in the course of years forgot all about it. But a friend entered his studio one morning and asserted that a capital picture of him was on view in a small shop in Great Portland street. "It's not a bit like what you are now," observed the friend, "but it may have resembled you some years ago. Go and look at it." Mr. Frith went, and found his own image after an estrangement of forty-five years. He determined to buy it, though he had not the faintest recollection of having painted it. "Ah, a portrait!" said Frith to the woman in charge of the shop, after he had pretended to examine several other works. "Whose likeness is that?" "That," said the lady, "is a portrait of the celebrated artist, Frith, painted by himself." "Why, he must be an elderly man," put in the artist. The woman remarked that he was young once. "Humph!" quoth the genial W. P. F.; "not much of a picture." To this the woman demurred, and asked £10 for the canvas. It was Frith's turn to appear surprised. "Well," replied the shopkeeper without moving a muscle, "it cost us nearly as much; we shall make a very small profit. You see, it is very valuable because the artist is diseased." "Deceased," exclaimed the astonished painter. "Dead, do you mean?" "Yes, sir; died of drink. My husband attended the funeral." Frith bought the picture, but did not revive for some time.

English.

A Washington lady who is so fond of her home that she stays in it sometimes all the year round, was assailed, says "Lippincott's Magazine," by a conventional friend in conventional language.

"I knew that you usually wintered here," she said, "but I was astonished to hear that you had summered here!"

"I have not only wintered here and summered here," replied the unfashionable one, "but I will astonish you still further when I tell you that I always fall here and have sometimes sprung here."

Toil and the Designer of Things.

A gray mist scudded in front of the patch of blue sky that all afternoon had been peering between the tall buildings into the studio window, and carried away most of the light with it.

The Boy was glad of this, for his faith in himself was about gone. He gathered up his brushes, throwing a few curses at the weather as he did so in a bravado sort of fashion. He was determined not to be a fool this time and seek unsatisfactory sympathy from people who could not understand. Instead, he would go down to the "Vesuvio" and allow its liquid flame to consume his mood.

"Better be drunk than foolish," he said to the Girl as he started for the door. "I'm tired of this breathless pursuit of the Ideal. After all, if I did overtake her, I don't suppose she'd be worth while. This torture of self-denial, of looking forever over the roof in vain desire for the things that may never be, while the hot blood of youth in your veins commands you to drink deep of the things that are, is insanity. To the devil with work and the dreams of doing."

"It is discouraging, isn't it?" said the Girl. "I felt that way myself until you spoke. I looked at your work this afternoon and envied you."

"Envied me? Don't laugh at a fellow because you've happened to find the way to success. Suppose you do manage to paint good canvases and win plaudits. Ten million people have had the same little reward for the same mighty struggle. Already the wear and worry is showing on you. In ten years youth will be gone from you and all you'll have for it will be the memory of heart's blood painted into canvas for trivial 'mention,' and tragic realization of your limitations. The wise man is he who refuses to do what he is able to do; our ability always seems so much greater to us until we put it to the test. Never give yourself a chance. That's the only way to escape heart-break."

The Girl was fragile in the gray light. She stood at the window looking into the twilight that fell in hopelessness among the crowding walls of unsightly buildings. The Boy took a step toward the door. Then the Girl turned.

"I wish you would not talk like that," she said. "It hurts. Have I ever said I expected to do great things? You know I haven't. I was mean to-day and half envied you for your gift. But I don't want to envy anybody. I try not to think of future or fame, for it is thinking of self-glory that brings pain and disappointment. I try to do my work as best I can because it is my work and because I must do it. I know it is delightful to win success. We can't help feeling that our effort has won approval. But I don't work for success. I put my heart into my pictures because I have to, and if by so doing I can soften, if only for an instant, some other heart; bring a look of wistfulness into a careless eye; waken a longing in a dreamless soul, I have the greatest of rewards. Work for work's sake demands no sacrifice. On the contrary, it leads our feet into the ways where perfect happiness may be gathered.

"I know how weak I am and how discouraged I grow even yet. But discouragement never lingers long. All I need do is remind myself that I am not an isolated toiler wearing out my own destiny in unsympathetic solitude, but one of many who are working to carry to completion the wonderful plan of the great Designer of things beautiful.

"There are no failures. Your discouragement helps me to catch the shadows my portion of the picture needs to-day; my rebellion shows you the glorious light of patience and sympathy your brush must depict."

"It's easy to talk hopefully when you're already in the sunlight of success," replied the Boy as he grasped the door-knob. "I'm tired of the shadows and am determined to get out of them. I'll enjoy myself in idleness for a while. I'll be on hand to help hang the Picture Beautiful when it is finished. I'm done with brushes."

The Girl laid her hand lightly on the Boy's shoulder. "What great work you are going to do," she said. "Some of the wonderful touches in the picture have been reserved for you. You are not 'tired of the pursuit of the Ideal.' You are only impatient that your hand has not yet the wonderful skill your soul demands of it. Be patient; there's not only Time but Eternity for our work."

They stepped into the corridor and passed in silence. From a room opposite some divine melody drifted to them. The Boy was glad of the darkness, for his eyes were wet. He grasped the Girl's hand.

"I thank you," he said. "I guess I was only impatient."—Leavenworth Macnab.

Their Steering-Gear.

A professor of a profound subject at Harvard University has a small son who is very observant and inquisitive, and a hired man who has all the Irish wit and good humor.

The other day Albert, the small boy, was playing with a cat in the stable while Larry cleaned the harness.

"Say, Larry," he asked, "why do cats always stand on their feet?"

"They shteer themselves wid their tail."

"Well, how do rabbits steer themselves? They haven't long tails; only a stub."

"Wid their ears. That's phwat they have their long ears for."

"Well, how does a bulldog steer himself? He doesn't have long ears or a long tail."

"Wid his bark."

The boy looked doubtful and was silent. Presently he ran in to his father's study, and in a few minutes came back to the stable.

"Larry!"

"Yis?"

"That's true what you told me about bulldogs. I asked papa, and he read something to mamma out of a book about 'barks that steer against the wind.'"

Fate.

Once there were two beautiful white eggs laid side by side in a nice new nest. A great big man gathered them up with his rough hands and sold them to a grocer. And one little egg was a good little egg, and went into an angel cake, but the other little egg was a very, very bad little egg, and got mashed on an actress.

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A company having a capitalization of $5,000,000 has been organized for the construction of lines, pumping stations, storage tanks, and the like. Mr. Morgan and his associates have also formed a separate company, capitalized at $20,000,000, half of which will be invested in proven ground and the other half turned into a reserve fund.

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West Shore Co	.30	[illegible]
Twenty-eighth Oil Co	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sterling Oil & Development Company	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dillon Oil Co	.25	[illegible]
Peerless Co	.30	[illegible]
San Joaquin Oil Co	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kern Oil Co	[illegible]	[illegible]
Thirty-three Oil Co	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kern River Oil Co	[illegible]	[illegible]
New York Oil Co	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oil City Petroleum Co	2.50	[illegible]
Hanford Oil Co	2.00	[illegible]
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New York, Dec. 3—It is to be deplored that in certain editorial departments, the creators of a large percentage of public sentiment, that so much adverse comments as to the trusts is formulated. Much fallacious and mischevious information is there constructed and disseminated, causing much mistaken opinion to be created. The borderland between a consolidation of interests and the exact point at which it would become a trust is hard to be determined. It is equal for two men to go into partnership, equally legal for a firm thus formed to take in two other partners, doing business in a similar manner, making thereby a consolidation of interests which will sell an equal amount of goods at less cost to themselves and at a lower price to the public, making in so doing more money for themselves. It is patent to the average mind that it is equally legal for two or more great companies to consolidate their interests in equal manner, being impossible to make the former case legal and the latter case illegal. Common law all over the civilized world recognizes the fact that the property of any person or company cannot be legally wrested from them. That would be radically wrong. The trusts that reduce the cost of its product under the figures required for its production before its existence is accomplishing good, benefiting the greatest number. All existing trusts have competition more or less severe, the ones receiving such prices as show the greatest profits naturally getting the keenest competition. Any combine that regulates its prices so that profits are inordinate brings about its own undoing through its own stimulation of opposition. Competition will regulate the trusts as well as it did all business before their conception; there is nothing that the government can logically do to legally restrain them. They are the modern method of doing business. Ex-Gov. Flower, that sterling Democrat, had the right idea when he said, "Young man, don't rail against the trusts; get into them; they have come to stay and will prove a benefit to all. The demagogue and agitator living upon the credulity of their listeners whom they misinform, are the primary shouters against the trusts. Trusts have come to stay. Don't fear the message of a President if you have any trust stocks. There will be nothing doing at Washington. It is impossible. Nothing but talk at the most.

Summary—Today's market felt the continued efforts of the Traders to realize on the announcement of the President's message. They disposing of their purchases made previously at lower prices, caused concessions and at a fractional lower range. The buying that ensued was most excellent. It was notable good in Sugar, A.C.P., Atch., St. Paul, Manhattan, B. & O., Canadian Pacific, N.Y.C., and the other Pacifics. Prices stiffened at the close and indications point to a higher range of prices before they are lower. Money closed 6 per cent. Sales 450,400.

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NEW OIL FIELDS OF ONTARIO

Our Mr Fox has just returned from a trip of personal investigation to the NEW WONDERFUL OIL GUSHER field in the Township of Raleigh, in the County of Kent. He reports that the whole country is literally

ON FIRE

with excitement. Chatham—respectable, easy going old Chatham—stands amazed, while oil operators from Pennsylvania, Ohio, Texas, California and from the big refineries at Petrolia and Sarnia fill her streets and hotels to overflowing—all seeking OIL! OIL! OIL!—offering figures for land that would have been considered sheer madness a few weeks ago. The roads to the oil fields are lined with all kinds of carriages, wagons and loads of machinery and derricks. Several drilling rigs are already partly erected and contracts have been made for the sinking of at least FIFTY WELLS within the next thirty days.

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PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 4, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Piano Tuning

Mr. James Maitland, representing Heintzman & Co., Toronto, will be in Peterborough, Dec. 1st, and remain one week and would be pleased to tune and repair any persons piano or organ. Leave orders at C. B. Routley's store.

South Africa War Medals

The Militia Department announces for the benefit of officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the 2nd Regiment, C.M.R., and the 10th Field Hospital, A.M.C., that arrangements are being made to obtain and distribute their South African war medals with the least possible delay, and that the receipt of the decoration cannot be facilitated by making application at the present time.

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Some Fine Horses

Mr. Percy Pearson, of Montreal, has been in town this week, and picked up an extra fine lot of heavy horses. These animals are a superior bunch, being selected with great care. One car load has already gone east, and another will go to-morrow. Mr. Pearson will return again on Wednesday next for the day. He always pays the highest prices and therefore gets the best stock.

The Price of Coal

A good deal of complaint is heard regarding the price of coal, it having last week advanced from $8 to $9 per ton. The trouble appears to be that dealers cannot get their coal except through a middle man, whose profits have to be added. Yesterday The Times called up several local dealers and was told that no coal was to be had. Along about Christmas the price will probably drop to $7 or $7.50.

Does Your Baby Cry at Night

If so, it is well to know the great value of Polson's Nerviline, a household remedy for stomach pains, cramps, sick headache, toothache, and the manifold ills peculiar to children. A few drops of Nerviline in sweetened water makes a pleasant drink and never fails to quickly relieve. Nerviline is as good as the doctor in emergencies and costs only 25c. a bottle. Get Nerviline from your druggist today.

Dr. Hamilton's Mandrake Pills for Headache.

The Guelph Winter Fair

For the above, the Grand Trunk will issue round trip tickets at single first class fare from points in Canada west of Kingston. Good going Dec. 7th to 12th, inclusive, and valid returning until Dec. 15th. The Fair promises to be a great success this year, with new buildings and increased exhibits. $7,000 will be offered as prizes for cattle, sheep, swine and poultry. Further particulars, time tables, etc., on application to Agents of the Grand Trunk Railway.

A Telephone System

The Bell Telephone Company has installed a system of 30 telephones in the Canadian General Electric Works here, the purpose of which is to connect the various departments. Before installation there was no system of communication save that of messengers. Some idea of its usefulness may be had from the fact that the operator at "central" which is located in the principal office, has an average of 400 calls daily. She has therefore very little time for doing fancy sewing or the like. Any 'phone on the system can be connected with either the town or trunk lines.

His Overcoat Taken

Belleville Daily Ontario, Monday: Mr. M. Austin, of Fenelon Falls, arrived in the city yesterday and registered at the Anglo-American hotel. He left a new fur overcoat in the parlor when he went to dinner, and when he went to look for it half an hour later it was gone. In the pockets were a new pair of gloves which were also taken. The police were notified of the theft and are at work on the case. They have a description of a man who was seen hanging about the hotel shortly before the coat was taken. They have hope of catching the thief.

—If the "rum traffic" is annihilated to-day the wicked will have to fall back on the awful cigaret.

MAYOR DENNE TO RETIRE

HE WILL NOT AGAIN BE A CANDIDATE FOR THE MAYORALTY

New Business Arrangements Compel Him to Decline Nomination—His Splendid Record

Mr. T. H. G. Denne, the Mayor, has been presented by a requisition signed by a very large number of the electors of the town asking him to be a candidate for the position of Mayor for next year, and Mr. Denne has made the following reply:

Gentlemen,—I thank you for the honor you have done me in asking me to again be a candidate for the position of Mayor, and I regret very much that I am unable to comply with your request. Certain business arrangements which I have recently made will require me to be absent from town frequently during the coming year, and I would not be able to give the time or attention to the business of the town that it should receive from any one who holds the position of head of the Council, and I therefore find that it will be impossible for me to again be a candidate.

I desire to tender my sincere thanks to those gentlemen who took the interest and time in the matter to circulate the requisitions that have been presented to me, and also to all who signed the request. I have felt it to be a high honor to be a member of the Council of this town, and especially to be chosen to fill the office of Mayor, and I feel keenly the kindness of the electors who have in such a large number signed these requisitions. I have, indeed, during the eight years I have been a member of the Council, and especially during the two years I have held the office of Mayor, received nothing but kindness at the hands of the people of Peterborough, and while I have to the best of my ability and opportunities endeavored to serve the town faithfully and to advance its interests in every way, I recognize that I have only endeavored to make some return for the kindness of the people and the honor the electors have conferred upon me. I cannot adequately express the gratitude I feel to the electors, and I regret very much that I am compelled for the present to decline the request to continue in the office of Mayor. If at some future time my business arrangements will permit and the people desire me to serve them I will be pleased to place my services at their disposal, but at the present time I can only return my sincere thanks to those who have again and express my regret that I cannot; and express me regret that I cannot do otherwise than retire from the Town Council.

I am, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
T. H. G. DENNE.

The above was handed the Times yesterday, and speaks for itself. The general feeling is that of regret, for Mayor Denne has been a success as Chief Magistrate. His progressive policy has been appreciated by the ratepayers, and it now behooves them to select a worthy successor.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Uneasy lies the head that owns a liquor license.

—The Times is again deluged to-day with letters on the referendum, for which we cannot afford the space.

—There will be another excursion to Berlin at an early date. This time the agriculturists are to go.

—The big American coal trust, no less than the smaller combines, seems to be having troubles of its own. If, as is apparently the case, anthracite coal is $3.50 at the mines, some people must get a substantial rake off to make the cost, for instance, $9 to the consumer in Peterborough.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. Jas. Spokman, formerly wine clerk at the Palace Hotel, has returned to town, having accepted a position as wine clerk at the National Hotel.

—The Times had a very pleasant call yesterday from Mr. D. J. McFaggan, of the Dominion Express Company, who was in town on business.

—Mr. Harris, of Montreal, representing Messrs. Harris, Harkness & Co., was in town yesterday taking orders for the firm's fine brand of cigars, known as "The Van Horne Cigar."

—Mr. Walter Alexander, formerly with Mr. Wm. Madill, who has been in the West for some time, has accepted the position of manager of the well known drug firm of Stott & Jury, Bowmanville.

—Mrs. W. Henderson and Miss Henderson have returned home after a visit with friends in Rockford, Illinois.

KEPT HER CHILDREN

The Right Food Brought Them Back to Health

Food purchased from curiosity saved the lives of two children in a family in Ulysses, Wis.

The mother says:—"We had bought a package of Grape-Nuts, attracted by its pleasant, suggestive name, and found it a pleasant food. As my five months old baby liked it, I fed it to her and found it as satisfactory as——Baby Food, which I had been using and paying 50c. for a much smaller package.

Shortly after this, three of the children came down with the whooping cough, my eldest one was taken with pneumonia, and the little three year old strained her stomach in some manner, so that she vomited blood, and could not retain anything on her stomach. She continuously cried with hunger, and it was terrible to see her grow weaker and weaker, until she did not have strength to keep her eyes open. I was so overworked nursing all of them night and day that I finally woke up to the fact that a change must be wrought, and that at once.

I shall always believe that divine inspiration whispered 'Grape-Nuts.' At first I did not give the solid part; I poured boiling water on it and let it stand until the water had drawn out some of the strength, added some rich, sweet cream, and gave the little one a few spoonfuls at a time. She kept it down and it nourished her, so that after awhile I could feed her the Grape-Nuts themselves until she got strong, and she is today as rugged as I could wish. Meanwhile, the eldest girl was unable to turn her head or swallow solid food, and for weeks her strength was kept up by Grape-Nuts, softened in cream, given a spoonful at a time, until she got strong enough to take other food. They are both well and strong now, and I feel that I owe Grape-Nuts for two of my hearty healthy children" Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Senator Cox on Top

The Montreal Star says it is expected that Senator Cox will be the first President of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, and that he will associate with him a company of "money magnates" which will make the financing of the new scheme an easy one, and will do much to make it certain that the new enterprise shall be distinctly Canadian in character, as contrasted with the original Grand Trunk Railway Company, which for so long was managed from the other side of the Atlantic. This will be pleasing news to the Senator's many Peterborough friends.

November was a Scorcher

The rejoicings of the citizens of Peterborough about the warm weather of November were well grounded, for since 1839 when the Meteorological Office at Toronto commenced making records, there has not been so warm a November. The mean temperature was 42.9 degrees, which is one degree above the highest previous record, in the year 1849. In that year it was 41.9, and in 1846, 40.8 degrees. The temperature this November was 6.1 degrees warmer than the average. The rainfall was 1.7 inches, which is one inch below the average. The highest temperature was 65 degrees and the lowest 16 degrees.

Elections of Officers

At the regular meeting of Royal Black Preceptory, No. 261, Royal Black Knights of Ireland, held last evening, the following officers were elected for the incoming year:

Sir Joseph Batten	W. P.
" Sir John A. McWilliams	D. P.
" Robt. Weir	Chap.
" W. H. G. Armstrong	Registrar.
" Robt. Wilson	Treas.
" Chas. Beauchre	1st Lect.
" Geo. W. Hall	2nd Lect.
" Joseph Jones	1st Censor.
" Robt. Maxwell	2nd Censor.
" John F. Leason	1st Std. Br.
" John A. Briggs	2nd Std. Br.
" R. N. Roddy	Persuviant.
" Samuel Johnston	Tyler.
" Thos. Houlden	1st Com.
" Robt. Campbell	2nd Com.
" Hugh Mackey	3rd Com.
" Sam J. Campbell	4th Com.
" James Trew	5th Com.

The above officers will be installed on the first Wednesday in January.

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lating to it are dead letters in all places where the sentiment is for licenses or saloons. Will Mr. Sheldon tell his audiences this indisputable truth? And if he does, how can he consistently urge them to adopt a law that he must admit is a failure here in his own home? If Mr. Sheldon is conscientious, he must tell his hearers up in the north country what prohibition ought to do in Kansas, not what it does do in Kansas.

THE TOWN COUNCIL

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by instructing the clerk to have the roll printed immediately.

Ald. Best opposed this motion. He could not see the necessity of having the roll printed. Any one wishing to examine it were at liberty to do so at the clerk's office. Besides the publishing of the roll would cost $500, which expenditure it would not be wise to incur in face of a possible increased taxation the coming year.

Ald. McGregor replied that there is a great demand for the printing of the assessment roll. It would be utterly impossible for every ratepayer to lose time by coming to the clerk's office to examine the rolls.

The mover and seconder were the only ones who voted for the motion, which was accordingly lost, and the report adopted as read.

A QUESTION OF WIRES.

The question of wiring the town by the power, 'phone and light companies elicited from Ald. Morrison the suggestion that the several companies come to some arrangement by which they could use each others poles and thus avoid making a forest of our streets. No action was taken in this matter, but from remarks made by Mr. A. Stevenson and W. H. Meldrum it appears that the companies are willing to do this if practicable.

A by-law was introduced by Ald. McGregor to exempt the manufacturing firm of J. J. Turner & Sons from certain taxes passed its several readings. A vote of the ratepayers to be taken on this by-law on the same day, and at the same polling places, as the municipal elections.

In reply to Ald. Best, the town clerk replied that this by-law would cost $50 or more to submit to the people. Ald. Best thought the firm of J. J. Turner & Sons should pay the cost.

Ald. J. J. Turner replied that he did not think it fair to ask his firm to do this when others had not been taxed for the putting through of similar by-laws.

Ald. Best pointed out that the Sheldon people would have had to pay for their by-law had it gone to the people. He thought J. J. Turner & Sons had been dealt with very leniently by the assessors, who had only assessed them for $2,000 on real estate and $300 for personal property.

Ald. Turner explained that at the time the assessment was made his new building had only just been started. The assessment on his present premises, as now completed, will be much higher next assessment. If we had applied for exemption before commencing work on the new building, which is a credit to the town, and has increased the value of adjoining property, we should have got it. He thought that under all circumstances his firm was not asking anything unreasonable.

The by-law then passed its second reading and will be submitted to the people.

Ald. Roger, who had been in the chair, on resuming his seat recorded his dissent from the carrying of the by-law. He wished Ald. Turner had seen his way clear to withdraw his petition like the Wm. Hamilton Co., and the Peterborough Canoe Company. The only way left open to this and any other Council in extending assessment privileges to local industries was to assess them at the lowest figure possible. He thought Ald. Turner will find his assessment compare favorably with the property across the street and other industries.

Ald. Turner replied that the other companies alluded to have not new buildings. If we want to build up the town we should try and encourage those who already in it. He had been offered a free building as large as his present one to remove his factory elsewhere. His business is a valuable medium for advertising the town, not only on this continent, but in Great Britain.

Ald. Rush moved that if the by-law carries the Town pay the cost; but should it not carry, than Ald. Turner to pay the cost.

As the by-law had already had its second reading the above was out of order.

STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Ald. Best introduced a by-law to borrow $30,000 to build a new bridge on Brock street and for permanent improvements. $10,000 of this money to be spent in constructing substantial and permanent road beds, and improved storm drainage, to remedy the excessively muddy condition of our streets in wet weather.—The by-law passed its several readings.

On motion of Ald. Best, the publication of this by-law in the Morning Times authorized.

RESPECTING BICYCLES.

Ald. Turner submitted a by-law regulating and governing persons riding bicycles in town. The by-law limits the speed at which wheels shall be ridden to 8 miles an hour, and enforces the carrying of a bell. A fine not exceeding $50 and costs will be imposed for any breach of the by-law, which comes in force January 1st, 1903. The by-law passed its several readings.

TO CORRECT AN ERROR.

A by-law to correct an error in the Water Works Debentures passed its several readings.

SNOW PLOUGHING.

The following tenders for snow ploughing were received:

Southern District—Wm. Breckenridge, $78.

Western District—J. H. Cameron, $120; Geo. McClennan, $110.

Northern District—Elmer Blodgett, $140.

The Board of Works recommended that the contract be awarded to the lowest tenderer in each case. This was adopted, and a by-law passed authorizing the execution of the contracts.

SOCIALISM.

Ald. McGregor invited the Council to attend a Socialistic lecture in the Maccabees Hall, on December 11th, by Jas. Simpson, of Toronto.

The Council then adjourned to the 8th inst.

Several reports are unavoidably left over till next issue.

Fantastic stories have been written of magic mirrors in which the future was revealed. If such a thing were possible many a bright-faced bride would shrink from the revelation of herself, stripped of all her loveliness. If there is one thing which would make a woman shrink from marriage it is to see the rapid physical deterioration which comes to so many wives. The cause is generally due to womanly diseases.

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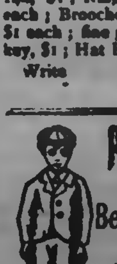

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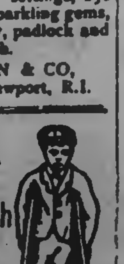

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By Hamilton Business Men

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We, the undersigned, actively engaged in business in the province of Ontario, are of the opinion that "The Liquor Act," which is to be submitted to the people on December 4 next, is an unwise and impracticable measure, since it permits importation in any quantity from other provinces and countries, and would, therefore, merely transfer the drinking of intoxicants from licensed and well regulated places to unlicensed and disreputable resorts, and to the homes of the people.

We believe that this measure would be detrimental to the best interests, both moral and commercial, of this province, and we therefore urge all voters to mark their ballots "NO."

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PEACE TERMS WITH THE BERBER CHIEFS

Negotiations Likely to be Successful--Have Taken Refuge in the Mountains

World too Imperfect for Roosevelt's Ideal—Should be Kept in View but will Hardly be Realized

London, Dec. 3.—A correspondent telegraphing from the camp of the Sultan of Morocco, near Mekinez, says the Berber chiefs have taken refuge in a sanctuary near Mekinez. The correspondent says that peace negotiations are likely to be successful. The Sultan's army will remain among the Berbers until the terms of a peace treaty are carried out, when the Court will return and winter at Mekinez. The terms which the Moorish Government will accept include a heavy fine in money, a large number of hostages, and payment of several years' arrears in taxes. The entire district is deserted, and enemy having taken refuge with the women and flocks on mountain districts, where an attack during the winter weather is very difficult.

MR. ARMOUR'S GRATITUDE

He Will Endow an Institute Because of His Daughter's Cure

Chicago, December 3—While J. Ogden Armour was entertaining Professor Adolf Lorenz and Dr. Frederick Mueller, both of the University of Vienna, at his home yesterday, the first active step was taken toward the "Lolita Armour Institute of Bloodless Surgery." Mr. Armor will endow the institution with $3,000,000. This will insure an income of $100,000 a year.

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"I intend to establish a hospital or institute for your school of surgery" said Mr. Armour, addressing Dr. Mueller, "You must be at the head of it. It makes no difference what the cost may be. My daughter has practically been given back to me and I and my wife are grateful." Professor Lorenz nodded approval of his plans.

CHANGE IN POSTAL RATES

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A postal notice issued on Monday states the rate on printed forms without writing of any kind has been changed from 2 cents for the first four ounces of fraction thereof and 1 cent for each additional 2 ounces or fraction thereof, to 1 cent for each two ounces or fraction thereof.

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SIX WAR SHIPS SAIL FOR VENEZUELA

Four Cruisers Ordered to Set Sail from Hamilton, Bermuda

War Sloop and Torpedo Boat—President Castro will be Compelled to Fulfil Obligations—Warships Assembled

Hamilton, Bermuda, Dec. 3.—The British second-class cruiser Retribution sailed for Venezuela yesterday, and the second-class cruiser Charybdis, sloop of war Alert and Torpedo boat destroyer Quail followed to-day. The second-class cruiser Tribune and the first-class cruiser Adriane are under orders to proceed to the same destination.

An attempt is evidently to be made to force President Castro to fulfill his obligations to European creditors.

WARSHIPS ASSEMBLED.

London, Dec. 4.—It is officially announced here that Great Britain and Germany are taking naval measures to secure satisfaction from Venezuela, and that "for this purpose German warships have already assembled off the coast of Venezuela and those of Great Britain will shortly be there.

BRITAIN CALLS CHINA DOWN

Duplicity of Prince Ching Deeply Resented Says Landsdowne

London, Dec. 3.—A Parliamentary paper, issued to-day, giving the correspondence relative to the evacuation of Shanghai by the troops of the powers interested. The most striking point is the directness with which Foreign Secretary Lansdowne instructed Minister Satow at Pekin to inform Prince Ching, President of the Chinese Foreign Office, that "his duplicity in agreeing to Germany's conditions regarding the Tangste valley, while simultaneously informing Great Britain that he knew nothing thereof, "was deeply resented." and that Great Britain would not be bound by any pledges of the Chinese Government or the Viceroys whereby British freedom of action to maintain order and protect British interests in the Tangtse valley be limited.

A similar notification was sent to Germany. Lord Lansdowne stating that the principle of the "open door" on which Germany based the proposed conditions was sufficiently safeguarded by the existing inter-agreements. Germany replied that she would drop the conditions since she had received satisfactory assurances from China.

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Many of the Leading Business Men Not in Favor of Liquor Act

Peterborough people will be interested in knowing that nearly all the leading financial institutions in the country are opposed to prohibition. Elsewhere will be found a protest from the business men of Hamilton. The Toronto papers yesterday had a similar protest from nearly all the leading financial and business men of Toronto, amongst whom were Messrs. Chas. McGill, General Manager of the Ontario Bank, W. D. Matthews, President of the Board of Trade, and managers of the following banks: Molsons, Toronto, Commerce, Hamilton and Montreal.

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London, Dec. 4—A sale was made today of the largest freehold estate ever publicly auctioned in London. It consists of 32 acres, covered with 154 town houses and blocks of flats, shops and hotels situated in Earl's Court. The property was offered for sale by Miss Trollope. The total ground rent for the property is £12,270 per year.

The property was sold for £565,000. The name of the purchaser was not disclosed. It is considered that he has secured a remarkable bargain.

CHINA'S PROGRESS

Knowledge of Western Science a Qualification for Holding Office

Pekin, Dec. 4—An edict has been issued recommending that the literati study Western science and making a course therein at the Imperial University a qualification for holding office. A previous edict declared that Western knowledge was essential for military appointments; but the Throne, while urging Western knowledge, retains Chinese education.

The edict carefully dignify Chang Poh Si, Minister of Education, who is a conspicuous failure in that office.

The Throne plans to have provincial officials send apt and enlightened students to Pekin to qualify for public office, but this idea will fail, because it will interfere with the literati.

MRS. GORE'S DEATH ACCIDENTAL

American Doctors Approve the Report of the French

Paris, Dec. 4—Mr. Gowdy, the American Consul-General issued a statement today to the effect that Drs. Magnin, Whitman, Gros and Turner, the four American physicians appointed by him to investigate the death of Mrs. Ellen Gore, in the rooms of the Russian singer De Radzewski, had handed in their report.

The report, which is signed by all four physicians, is in accord with the autopsy of Dr. Socquet, who stated that Mrs. Gore's death was the result of an accident.

Mr. Gowdy hoped to be able to mail his report to the State Department at Washington to-morrow, but because of the numerous letters and documents found in Mrs. Gore's apartments and those in possession of the Juge d-Instruction, it will be impossible for him to go over the entire affair for several days

COAL OIL IN PETERBOROUGH

It is Believed to Exist Here as Well as Natural Gas

The Times is in receipt of a letter from Mr. Harvey, the well known coal oil expert, who visited Peterborough some months ago, suggesting that a company be formed to sink one or more wells in Peterborough. Mr. Harvey says that he is quite sure that gas or oil exists, probably both.

The Trenton geological formation is almost a sure indication of gas or oil. Mr. Harvey examined the rock that was taken from the lower depth of the wells at the lift lock, and expressed himself as convinced that all had plenty of gas or oil, or probably both.

In view of the recent discovery near Chatham a few days ago, when over 2000 barrels of a very fine quality of oil has already been secured, it would be wise to act on Mr. Harvey's suggestion.

WEDDED IN NEW YORK

Mr. Duncan J. Urquhart, of Jersey City and Miss May E. Ritchie, of Town

The following is sent to the Times for publication:

Mr. Duncan J. Urquhart, of Jersey City, N.Y., and Miss May E. Ritchie, of Peterborough, Ont., were united in marriage on November 26th, by the Rev. Dr. Millett, of New York City.

Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple started on a Southern tour and will visit several places of interest during their honeymoon. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Urquhart will reside in Jersey City, where Mr. Urquhart is engaged in the life insurance business, and well known as one of the leaders in the profession.

Their large circle of friends wish them a long life of wedded bliss.

WHERE TO VOTE TO-DAY

The Electors Have the Privilege of Voting "Yes" or "No"

To-day the vote will be taken throughout the Province of Ontario to decide whether the Liquor Act of 1902, shall, or shall not, become an operative statute. The following are the polling places in town:

No. 1, J. McCarthy's house, 187 Lake street, Angus McWilliams, Deputy.

No. 2, Booth's house, 30 Stewart street, T. Corkery, Deputy.

No. 3, Darling's house, 134 Rubidge street, T. J. Gillespie, Deputy.

No. 4, L. Spry's shop, 330 Stewart street, Jas. Lundy, Deputy.

No. 5, Miller's shop, Rubidge street, John Kelly, Deputy.

No. 7, Patterson's office, J. A. Paterson, Deputy.

No. 8, Green's shop, 352 Charlotte street, G. K. Martin, Deputy.

No. 9, Yelland's shop, George street, F. J. A. Hall, Deputy.

No. 10, Metherell's shop, Aylmer street, John Kincaid, Deputy.

No. 11, J. McCall's shop, E. B. Wilson, Deputy.

No. 12, Routley's shop, T. Mahoney, Deputy.

No. 13, 126 Edinburgh street, Chas. Cameron, Deputy.

No. 14, Lee's shop, Smith street, W. Lee, Deputy.

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ENGINEERS UP TWO FLIGHTS OF STAIRS

Some Giant Locomotives Now In Use on American Roads

WONDERFUL MONSTERS TO PULL

Machines That are too Large to Go Through the Tunnels and Can Draw a Train a Mile Long

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 3—The Northern Pacific has received the last of a consignment of twenty-one of the biggest engines in America. The last one of the series arrived a few days ago, and Tacoma, the terminus, has the distinction of being also the greatest railroad centre in the world in this respect. There are as big engines elsewhere in twos and threes, but on no line, and at no point are there a score of engines like the 1,200 class just received in Tacoma. Any ten of those engines could have done all the railroad business there was to be done here ten years ago, when the "sage hens" used to crawl up to Weston with eight and ten small cars that could be loaded into five modern cars, wheels and all. The public sees little of these engines, since they are confined to freighting on the mountain division. Any one of them can pull on a level track all the cars that can be hung behind them. The only limit is the number of cars that can be handled by a single crew. In the graphic language of Master Mechanic Bruce, "You can string all the cars you can get behind one of these engines, chop the train off at a mile or so, and swing 'em into Portland easy."

Technical language will not convey to the average reader the immensity of these wonders of locomotive building. The name given them by common consent all over the road is "battleships," and a more descriptive name could not have been chosen. One goes up two flights of stairs to reach the cab, for the boilers are so big they cannot be squeezed between the drivers and perforce they must be put on top of them. Their height is of three men standing on each other's shoulders—just low enough to squeeze through the tunnels. Indeed many tunnels had to be raised to let them though from the East. The cylinders are double on each side, being arranged "tandem" the word "tandem" being adopted as the class name of the engine.

Five years ago the "Mogul" engine which could swing 600 tons up the 2 2-10 grade to Lester at the foot of the mountain, was considered a wonder and many believed the limit had been reached as to size. But the "Mogul" and its load is not a mouthful to the present "battleship," which weighs loaded nearly three times as much, and rolls along without apparent effort with 1,800 tons.

If freighting over the mountain were still done with horseflesh, as forty years years ago, it would take 50,000 horses to do in a week what a battleship does in a day. She carries 210 pounds of steam. The "high-press" cylinders at the front of the tandem, looking like young 15-inch cannon, discharge into the "low-press cylinders at 70 pounds.

From end to end the engines are sixty-nine feet long, for, as the master mechanic says, "Since they can't build 'em any higher, the only thing they can do no w is to build 'em longer." Roundly speaking one of the engines would run all the mills in Tacoma if it were not a locomotive.

Five years ago the company received the first of its "Klondike" engines, then considered a masterpiece of engine construction. Though monsters in size and power, the new engines exceed them just 20 per cent. in both dimensions. The "Klondike" exceeded the "Mogul" by 200 tons up the grade to Lester, and the "battleship" daily exceeds the "Klondike by 200 tons.

The engines are not comfortable for the engine crews, and have occasioned a great deal of kicking. A bulletin was posted recently cutting down the loads of engines, and till further orders the "battleship" will only be required to draw 900 tons—still far in excess of anything that has preceded them. The object of the order is the speeding up of trains during the great rush of business now on.

It is positively announced now, as oft-times before, that the limit of locomotive building has been reached. It remains to be seen how many months it will be before the limit sign is torn down and a higher one substituted.

A SUBSTANCIAL INCREASE

The Sum of $37,306 Collected in Peterboro in Five Months

The Times is indebted to Mr. Rudkins, collector of Inland Revenue, at Peterborough, for the following figures:

Inland Revenue returns of the Peterborough office for the five months ending November 30th, were $37,306.06, an increase over corresponding five months of last year of $5,741.23.

The money will have to be raised in some other way should prohibition exist probably by direct taxation.

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

The Dominion Express Company's Branch Here in New Hands

On account of illness Mr. McInnes has been obliged to resign his position as local manager of the Dominion Express Company, much to the regret of his many friends in Peterborough. He has been transferred to Toronto office, where he will begin his duties as soon as he recovers.

Mr. L. D. Oakley, of Orangeville, has been appointed his successor. Mr. Oakley is sure to become very popular with the business public of Peterborough, and the Times extends to him a hearty welcome to town.

LIVE LAKEFIELD LOCALS

Items of Interest from Our Pretty Northern Suburb

—The fact that the Epworth League debate on Prohibition vs. High License, the vote stood 17 to 14 in favor of Prohibition, shows that even in the Methodist church circles there are those who do not believe in prohibitive legislation.

—We extend the glad hand to Mr. T. H. Darcy, who is to become a resident of Lakefield. Mr. Darcy has purchased from Mr. R. Johnston the property he so recently bought from Mr. J. S. Madill. Mr. Darcy is moving to Lakefield in order that his grandson may have the benefit of the school here. His son, Mr. Warney Darcy, will conduct the business at Burleigh as formerly.

—Our merchants are preparing for Christmas, and are displaying fine lines of holiday goods.

—Mrs. Benson left last week for Orono, where she will reside in future.

—The citizens of Lakefield are reminded that the cheapest place in Peterborough to purchase holiday presents is the Times Bookstore. The goods are imported direct, and are new and first class.

—The death occurred in Lakefield on Sunday last, of Mr. B. Hunter, saddler. His demise is universally regretted, as he was highly esteemed by all.

—Messrs. John and Jos. Madill left on Monday for Napanee, where they intend opening on the 1st of January a new dry goods store. While we regret to lose Messrs. Madill Bros. from our midst, we wish them every success in their new venture.

—Miss Mulligan, of Newcastle, who has been visiting in the village the guest of Mrs. M. A. Tanner, returned to her home on Tuesday.

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN.

Local Councils' Being Formed in Various Towns in Canada

The Times is requested to state that a branch of the National Council of Women of Canada is soon to be established in Peterborough.

The corresponding secretary has lately held meetings of the members of the various societies of women in Belleville, Whitby and Port Hope, in order to lay before them the work and aims of the National Council, and to enlist their sympathy. In all three places it was resolved to form a "Local Council," which is a federation of existing societies, and which will undertake needed work of common interest. These local councils are, in turn, federated with the National Council, and form a bond of union of women workers in all parts of Canada. As this National Council of Canada is again federated with nineteen other National Councils in the International Council, the practical good that is accomplished by this union is worldwide.

Chile Peru and Bolivia Negotiating

London, Dec. 4—The correspondent of the Sun learns that direct negotiations are going on between Chili, Peru and Bolivia for the settlement of the boundary dispute.

CANADA TRYING TO PERSUADE GREAT BRITAIN

The Intercolonial Has not the Facilities for Carrying Cattle

Ottawa, Dec. 3.—The C. P. R. would not be acting the part of wisdom if it tried to force the Government into a withdrawal of the order forbidding the transport of cattle for export through Maine. The fact is the Government has no desire to undertake their carriage over the Intercolonial. It has neither the cars nor the required accomodation at St. John.

The Minister of Agriculture is doing all he can to convince the Imperial authorities that it would be no real menace to the health of cattle to pass in sealed cars for a few miles through the State of Maine. If necessary our Government would provide an inspector for each train to see that no risk of infection is run. Yet the British Board of Agriculture has not so far intimated that they would be satisfied to permit the landing of cattle that traveled by the C. P. R. short line through Maine.

It is worthy of notice that the last train of stock from the Canadian West for export has been delivered at the seaboard. There would be no more coming down from the Territories anyway. The only cattle shipments that the C. P. R. carry for the winter are from Ontario and of American stock entering the Dominion at Sarnia and Windsor. If they refuse to handle these unless they are given the through haul down to St. John, the C. P. R. will be the greatest sufferer. This is the statement of one who has had something to do with the determining of the Government regulations.

AN INVESTMENT QUESTION

A Correspondent Says That Now is the Time to Knife

The Times is in receipt of the following letter. It is written by a well known business man, who ought to have more sense. He says:

"Will the Times try and remember an election if it can, (if only for aldermen) when the whole liquor party did not hire rigs and get out and bring in voters in opposition to the Conservatives? Now is the time to knife the liquor men and thus get even."

The Times can remember many elections in which the liquor men did nothing of the kind. It is well known for instance, that Mr. Wm. Croft, who for 20 or more years was identified with the hotel business in Peterborough, was always a staunch Conservative. There and many others besides, who, we believe are Conservatives, and who naturally resent the above. The hotel men of Peterborough are as a class honorable and respectable and are not addicted to the low-down methods suggested above.

Advertise in The Times.

$200,000 FOR BRIDGES AND ST. IMPROVEMENTS

Ald. Best Makes a Move in the Right Direction to Improve Our Roads

By Permanent Road Beds and Improved Storm Drainage—The Municipal Fuel Yard Question to be Put in Tangible Shape—Ald. McGregor Scores Ald. Batten on Unionism

"I don't see why these boys are not kept at home at night," said Mayor Denne last night, when Ald McGregor reported that Mrs. Grundy, on Water street, complained of being considerably annoyed at night by boys.

Ald. J. J. Turner also reported that notwithstanding Mr. R. H. Bradburn's complaint some weeks ago of young men congregating around the opera house and in many ways proving a nuisance, that nuisance had not been so far remedied.

Both these questions were referred to the Committee on Appointments to see that the police enforce the law.

The Town Council met in regular session last night, when there were present Mayor T. H. G. Denne, in the chair and Aldermen Shortly, Roger, H. Rush, McGregor, J. J. Turner, Morrison, Clinkscale, Batten and Best.

The minutes were taken as typewritten.

Communications.

From the Otonabee Power Co., asking permission to connect with R. Hicks & Co's premises.—Referred to Board of Works with power to act.

From the Wm. Hamilton Mfg. Co., stating that in reference to their request to lower and fix their rate of assessment, they have decided to withdraw the petition for the present.—Received.

From property owners on Water street and Homewood Avenue, asking that an arc electric light be placed at the junction of these streets. —Fire, Water & Light Committee.

From the Dickson Co., objecting to he erection by the Otonabee Power Co., of a pole and braces in front of the vacant property owned by the Dickson Co., on the north side of McDonnell street, and asking the Council to take steps to have them removed.—This matter was referred to the Town Engineer to report to the Board of Works.

From J. Z. Rogers, of the Peterborough Canoe Co., stating that while the company thought that they should have exemption as well as other manufacturers coming to town, they did not think it advisable to submit a by-law in January.—Received.

From J. J. Turner & Sons, stating that they wished to have a by-law submitted at the January elections in regard to the fixing of their assessment.—Received.

From F. F. Garden, Secretary Trades and Labor Council, enclosing a resolution passed by that body in favor of having the assessment roll printed, and requesting the Town to have his done.—Received.

From T. J. Brigley, Secretary of Peterborough Typographical Union, No. 218, asking that the union label be put on all the corporation printing—Finance Committee.

From F. Robertson, secretary of the Iron Moulders' Union, enclosing a resolution endorsing Ald. McGregor's advocacy of a municipal fuel yard. Received.

From W. H. Meldrum, managing director of the Otonabee Power Co., applying for the right to cross Charlotte street, on the west side of the creek, to meet an application of the Lock Co. for power; also the right to erect poles and wires on the north side of Hunter street, from Bethune street to the Colonial Typewriter building.—Board of Works.

From H. C. Baker, manager of the Bell Telephone Co., calling attention to the fact that four poles had recently been erected on the south side of McDonnel street, between George and Aylmer streets, in some cases between, and in others so close to the telephone wires as to encroach upon and interfere with the rights of the telephone system, because of the fact that the four poles would carry wires from those over which the power current of the Otonabee Power Co. was transmitted. A protest was made and the Council asked to prevent the use of the part of the street referred to for the erection of poles and wires interfering with those of the Telephone Company — Board of Works.

From W. J. Green, tax collector, in regard to a remission of interest on Mr. Robert Howden's taxes, made justifiable by delay through the post office of a letter containing the cheque.—Said remission was granted.

From R. Sheehy, stating that owing to shortage of cars he was unable to have pipe for Harvey street sewer delivered within contract time, and therefore requesting to be exempted from overtime charges.—This request was granted.

From Mrs Ellen Rogers, requesting remission of her taxes.—Court of Revision.

From R. Sheehy, in regard to the sidewalk on Charlotte street, and claiming that he could not fairly be held liable for necessary repairs thereto.—Referred to the Board of Works to investigate.

From S. R. Armstrong, enclosing copy of a resolution passed by the Board of health requesting the Council to have connection with the sewer made so as to drain the lane running from Water street west, in the rear of stores on Hunter street, and continuing north to Brock street. The work was necessary for sanitary reasons.—Board of Works.

From E. G. Patterson, General Superintendent of the C.G.E. Co., pointing out the necessity for more light in the vicinity of the Works at night, and also for a fire alarm box near by.—Referred to the Fire, Water and Light committee with power to act.

From Louis Mishom, calling attention to the necessity of raising the sidewalk on Rink street, between George and Aylmer streets. This walk also needs repairing.—Referred to the Board of Works.

From W. H. Hewson, town clerk of Penetanguishene, enclosing a resolution passed by that Council advocating action bringing to the attention of the Minister of Railways the necessity of having the G.T.R. live up to the demands of the country and make such provision in regard to freight cars as would do away with the annual shortage.—Received.

From John McClelland, in regard to dog tax.—Court of Revision.

From residents near the corner of Aylmer and Hunter streets, asking that some action be taken as will put a stop to the rowdyism and disreputable conduct of certain characters in that locality.—Referred to the Committee on Appointments with power to act.

From T. J. Henry, asking that the sidewalk be raised at the corner of Park and Parnell streets, where he has built a new store.—Board of Works.

From C. W. Stringer, local manager of the Bell Telephone Co., asking permission to erect poles on the east side of Lock street, between Ware and Lansdowne streets.—Board of Works.

From the members of the First Church of Christ Scientists, appealing for honorable justice and fair play in regard to the assessment of that church, and asking to have it put on the same basis as other places of worship.

In reference to the above communication Mr. A. P. Poussette addressed Council in behalf of the First Church of Christ Scientist. He remarked that the whole question hinged on "whether the building in question is a place of worship or not." If the Council are satisfied that it is a place of worship, then they have a right to be exempted. He could not see why this institution should not receive the same privileges as other religious bodies simply because they are not an incorporated body and have not regularly ordained ministers.

Ald. Shortly replied that the Court of Revision had not the power to write off their taxes as the property was entered on the assessment roll.

The matter was referred to the town solicitor to report to Council.

ACCOUNTS.

A big batch of accounts was referred the Finance committee.

TOWN FUEL YARD.

Ald. McGregor submitted the following:

Gentlemen,—Your Committee of the Whole Council beg leave to report and recommend that a vote of the municipal electors be taken at the time of the Municipal Elections on January next on the question, "Are you in favor of the Council establishing a municipal fuel yard?" and that the clerk provide the necessary ballots and other materian for taking the vote.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Ald. Morrison thought the details of the scheme should be threshed out in Council, so as to get something tangible to submit to the people. He thought the idea all right, but he wants to see it worked out. He advised referring the report back to the committee to work out a scheme embodying the probable cost of maintenance, the manner of procuring the fuel, and an estimated price at which it can be retailed, and report to Council.

Ald. Batten remarked that everything was getting to be "union" now. The blacksmiths were going to organize, and he had heard it rumored that the coal men were going to form a union to prevent the town from getting a supply of coal for their proposed yard. In this event we would have to import our coal from across the sea. He thought it would be wise before starting into the coal business for the town to enquire whether they can get coal or not.

Ald. McGregor replied that Ald. Batten had apparently changed his views regarding unionism. He had told him that he did not see any need for unions and would never be a union man. Ald. Batten had also made a statement to the effect that before fall we should see workingmen glad to get 75 cents a days as a result of unionism. Continuing, Ald. McGregor believed it would be a criminal offence for the coal men to conspire to shut off the corporation from a supply of coal.

Ald. Batten denied that Ald. McGregor had heard him say one word against the unions. What he did say was that he was opposed to every man being struck on the same basis for wages. believed a man should be paid what he was worth.

Ald. Best thought a prospectus should first be drawn up for the proposed fuel yard, when we should have something tangible to submit to the people.

Ald. Rush favored the scheme, but at the same time agreed with Ald. Best and Morrison.

Ald. McGregor wanted the question submitted to the people as it now stood. "We can at any rate," he said, "make a campaign of it, and we are going to have a pretty lively one this year." As to an enquiry by Ald. Morrison as to whether the coal men would look for compensation, they should pension the town for relieving them of a business for they claim to be but poorly paid."

Ald. Morrison moved, seconded by Ald. Turner, that this report be referred back to the committee with Ald. McGregor as chairman, to report back to Council some tangible scheme.—Carried.

THE ASSESSMENT ROLL.

Ald. Roger submitted the report of the Finance committee, in which clause 2 recommended that no action be taken on the matter of publishing the roll until the statutory meeting, December [illegible], when the financial statement will be submitted showing the financial position of the board.

Ald. McGregor moved, seconded by Ald. Turner, that this clause be [illegible]

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I guarantee my Latest Method Treatment to be a permanent and positive cure for Varicocele and Stricture, without cutting, stretching or loss of time. In Varicocele it absorbs the bagging, or wormy condition, equalizes circulation, stops pain in the groin, dispels all doubts, thereby giving the organs their proper position, vitalizes the parts and restores lost powers. In Stricture it absorbs the Stricture tissue, stops smarting sensation, nervousness, weakness, backache, etc., while in all prostatic troubles it is the most [illegible] our experience. So positive am I that my treatment will cure you, you can

PAY WHEN CURED

You need pay nothing until you are convinced that a thorough and complete cure has been established. This should convince you that I have confidence in my Latest Method Treatment, otherwise I could not make you this proposition. It makes no difference who has failed to cure you, call or write me.

Each Time You Call You See Me Personally,

Or each time you write it receives my personal attention. The number of years I am established in Detroit, and the cures I accomplished after given up by other doctors, has placed me as the foremost specialist of the country. CONSULTATION FREE. Call or write for blank for blank for home treatment. Perfect system of home treatment for those who cannot call. BOOK FREE. All medicines for Canadian patients shipped from Windsor, Ont. All duty and express charges prepaid. Nothing sent C. O. D.

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PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 4, 1902.

THE BARONS AFRAID

The sudden interruption of the sessions of the coal strike commission last week, created the impression that the commissioners were getting "warm" in their search after certain facts regarding the coal trust. The equally sudden breaking off of the negotiations between the operators and the miners' representatives evidently did not result from any hitch in the negotiations because they had not proceeded far enough to reach a deadlock on any point. It is just possible that the trust got an intimation from President Roosevelt that the independent settlement of the difficulty would not interfere with the ultimate intention of the commission to insist on the production of the books of the coal trust, or at least evidence as to the extent of the earnings. Congressman Hearst, of New York, is also after the trust and he announces that even if the coal commission does not get at the facts, the New York American will do so in connection with the suit now pending in the courts against the coal trust. Possibly, in one way or another, the public will at an early date get the bottom facts, which seem to be worth hiding.

WOMEN'S RIGHTS IN RUSSIA

An agricultural high school for women has been started by the Russian Government, and it is said to be the first of its kind in Europe. The object is to give women a general training as agriculturists. The students will also be permitted to restrict their attention to special branches, such as dairy farming, gardening, bee culture, poultry keeping and cattle and sheep breeding. It will be an indispensable condition of admittance to have passed through a gymnasium or similar institution for intermediate education. The Ministry has fixed the course for three years. It will include practical occupation on a model farm in addition to study and laboratory work.

The women who pass through this institution will enjoy the same rights as the successful male students of the existing high schools. They will, consequently, be capable of filling various posts under the Ministry of Agriculture, and will be further entitled to hold the position of administrators of the crown domains and of teachers in the intermediate agricultural schools.

Although the date on which the new institution will be opened has not yet been decided upon, 25 young women, who have had an intermediate education have announced their intention to follow the course.

THE TIMES LETTER-BOX

Letters from the People on Interesting Topics

NOTE.—The Times does not hold itself in any way responsible for the opinions expressed by its correspondents.—Ed. Times.

REPLY TO THE REGULATION OF LIQUOR

To the Editor of The Times:

Dear Sir,—It is well that the public should thoroughly understand what "The Liquor Act, 1902," which will be voted on on Thursday really means. There is now a liquor act in force in the Province of Ontario, under which liquor is sold by a limited number of shops and hotels, and regulations made for the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors such as are used in all civilized countries. This is what is known as the licensing system, and although it is not perfect by any means, the present regulations are the result of many years of practical experience, and are the best that our lawmakers can devise for regulating the liquor traffic. It may be added that the licensing system is looked upon by the standard students of sociology and by most level-headed friends of the temperance cause as the sanest and best method of dealing with the liquor question.

"The Liquor Act, 1902," is an entirely different proposition. It is called "The Liquor Act, 1902," and it means exactly what it is called. It is not called a Prohibition Act, simply because it is not a prohibitory measure. On the ballot the voter will read as follows: "Are you in favor of the bringing into force of The Liquor Act, 1902?" In other words you are asked whether you are in favor of doing away with the present licensing system and substituting for it the new liquor act, which would still permit the distiller to distil and the brewer to brew, in Ontario; which would permit them to sell in Ontario for mechanical, scientific, medical or sacramental purposes, which would permit them to export to any place outside of the Province; which would permit liquor to be imported into Ontario from outside Provinces; which would permit travellers from Montreal liquor houses to take orders in person in Ontario and deliver goods direct to the consumer; which would permit mail orders to be executed in Montreal or in other cities outside the Province for parties in Ontario; which would permit liquor to be kept in any private house in Ontario for consumption; which would allow doctors to carry round two quarts of liquor for their patients; and veterinary surgeons to buy a gallon at a time for their "patients;" which would permit druggists to fill orders; which would give the right to search your private house with a warrant, and which would compel wives to testify against their husbands and children to testify against their parents.

These are but a few of the ridiculous and demoralizing conditions that would prevail if "The Liquor Act, 1902," were put into operation. It is simply a law to harass and impede trade. It is a law which would increase the trade in Quebec at the expense of the Province of Ontario. It is a law which makes one law for the rich and another for the poor. For instance, if you are rich enough to have a private house of your own, you may keep all kinds of liquors in your cellar, but if you are compelled to keep boarders or lodgers, your home is placed in the hotel or livery stable class, where no liquor of any kind would be permitted. Again, if you use any part of your house as an office, store or workshop, you should not be permitted to have liquor on the premises. If you live in a flat or a tenement you would not be permitted to have a bottle of ale about. Neither in your club nor in your society hall would you be permitted to have a bottle of liquor. The penalties provided by the Act are: Forfeiture of the liquor and a fine of from $200 to $1,000, or imprisonment of two or four months.

The Province would lose an annual revenue of nearly $700,000 and be put to an annual expense of at least $500,000 for detectives, inspectors, spies and the general machinery that would be required to make an honest effort to enforce a ridiculous and unnecessary law. The Act would certainly result in the consumption of more spirits and less beer. It would encourage home drinking, secret drinking, and drinking in dives, which would flourish under this law as they flourished under the old Scott Act, for, as a matter of fact "The Liquor Act, 1902" is simply the old Scott Act applied to the whole Province. It would renew the demoralization of the community which existed in Scott Act times, and it would necessitate direct taxation. This is acknowledged on all sides. There is not a financier of any standing in the Province who will deny this.

We cannot imagine how any man who enjoys his glass of ale in a hotel or in his home can fail to vote "No" on Thursday next, nor can we imagine how any prohibitionist can accept this act, since it is in no sense a prohibitory measure, at least it cannot be considered a prohibitory law such as the prohibitionists have asked for. We feel confident that every sensible voter in this country will make it a point to go to the polls on Thursday next and vote "No." Yours very truly,

D. ABRAM.

THE PROHIBITION QUESTION—CONSISTENCY THOU ART A JEWEL

To the Editor of The Times:

Dear Sir,—I see by the press that the prohibition element in the Province has been importing agitators to assist them in the coming referendum, in the persons of the Rev. Charles Sheldon and others. If the following item from the Atchison (Kansas) Daily Globe is true, I think the Rev. Mr. Sheldon's time could be better spent in his own home of Topeka, Kansas in trying to reform the state of affairs in that place, instead of wasting his time in Ontario. But there, where did you ever find consistency in the prohibition party. One would think from the way they keep up the agitation against the liquor traffic that their own condition was as that could be desired but one has only to be a casual observer to see that such is not the case; that their own position is weak, and their work ineffective. They should turn their attention to other abuses and not lead the public to suppose that all the evils mankind is heir to, are caused by drinking. Let them question their own hearts, and they will find they are in error. Yours very truly,

PLAIN SPEAKER.

The Atchison, Kansas, Daily Globe prints the following article, which is well worth reading just now:—

The Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, of Topeka who has acquired some fame by his writings and sermons, is to go to Canada to assist the prohibition party there in securing prohibition in Canada. There is something about this that to the ordinary mind is incomprehensible. Kansas has prohibition, constitutional prohibition, and has had it for twenty years or more. And yet, in the town where Rev. Mr. Sheldon lives and works and preaches, there is a saloon on every corner, and frequently an extra one in the middle of the block. The prohibitory law is given no more heed than if such a thing had never been heard of in Kansas. The saloons are as open as they are in any city of the land. With such evidence as this right at his own door, does Mr. Sheldon undertake to say that prohibition prohibits, or that it is a success? Will he tell the Canadians that it is a success in Kansas? If he tells them it is a failure how can he urge them to adopt it? He can tell them of course that theoretically prohibition is a good and great thing; which it is. But will he not have to tell them, if he tells the truth, that practically it is a failure? It is as clear and distinctly local option as though it were designed that way in the constitution and the laws. Prohibition does not prohibit in any town or city where the sentiment is in favor of saloons. And where it does not favor saloons, saloons could not exist, even without prohibition. The constitutional amendment and the laws re-

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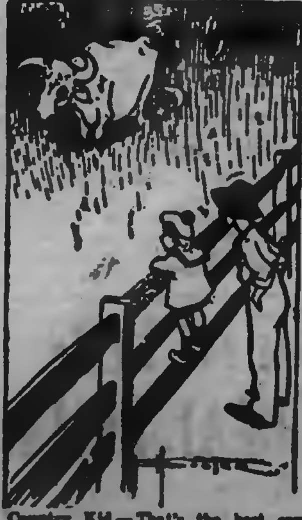
Running a Great Rapids.

"At the head of one of the great rapids a bowman, seeing that I mated well with a light-weight of his crew, invited me to take a paddle and help them through," writes Arthur Heming in the July "Scribner" in describing the Abitibi fur brigade. "While the brigade are shooting rapids light-weights are at a premium. Tossing in an extra set of paddles we stepped aboard, and with a gentle shove the current caught us and carried us out to mid-stream. Long before we sighted white water the roar of the cataract was humming in our ears. We two midmen sat upon dunnage sacks and braced our moccasoned feet against the ribbing. Presently the bowman stood up and scanned the river. Dark, ominous water raced ahead for a hundred yards, then disappeared, leaving nothing but a great, surging mass of white that leaped high and dropped out of sight in the apparently forsaken river-bed. Then the steersman stood up, too, and Indian words passed between them. Every moment we were gaining impetus, and always heading for the highest crest of foam. Waiting for the word to paddle was even worse than waiting for the starter's gun in a sculling race. At last it came, just as we were twenty-five yards from the end of dark water. With a wild shout from the bowman, we drove our paddles home. The great canoe trembled a little at first as our work was somewhat ragged, but a moment later we settled into an even stroke and swept buoyantly among the tossing billows. Now before us ran a strange, wild river of seething white, lashing among great, gray-capped, dark-greenish bowlders that blocked the way. High, rocky banks standing close together, squeezed the mighty river into a tumult of fury. Swiftly we glide down the racing torrent and plunge through the boiling waters. Sharp rocks rear above the flying spray, while others are barely covered by the foaming flood. It is dangerous work. We midmen paddle hard to force the canoe ahead of the current. The steersmen in bow and stern ply and bend their great seven-foot paddles. The bowman, with eyes alert, keenly watches the whirling waters and signs of hidden rocks below. The roar of seething waters drowns the bowman's orders. The steersman closely watches and follows every move his companion makes. Down we go, riding upon the very back of the river; for here the water forms a great ridge, rising four or five feet above the water-line on either shore. To swerve to either side means sure destruction. With terrific speed we reach the brink of a violent descent. For a moment the canoe pauses, steadies herself, then dips her head as the stern upheaves, and down we plunge among more rocks than ever. Right in our path the angry stream is waging battle with a hoary bowlder that disputes the way. With all its might and fury the frantic river hisses and roars and lashes it. Yet it never moves—it only frowns destruction upon all that dares approach it. How the bowman is working! See his paddle bend! With lightning movements he jabs his great paddle deep into the water and close under the left side of the bow; then with a mighty heave he lifts her head around. The great canoe swings as though upon a pivot; for is not the steersman doing exactly the very opposite at this precise moment? We sheer off. But the next instant the paddles are working on the opposite sides, for the bowman sees signs of a water-covered rock not three yards from the very bow. With a wild lunge he strives to lift the bow around; but the paddle snaps like a rotten twig. Instantly he grabs for another, and a grating sound runs the length of the heaving bottom. The next moment he is working the new paddle. A little water is coming in, but she is running true. The rocks now grow fewer, but still there is another pitch ahead. Again the bow dips as we rush down the incline. Spray rises in clouds that drench us to the skin, as we plunge through the "great swell" and then shoot out among a multitude of tumbling billows that threaten to engulf us. The canoe rides upon the backs of the "white horses," and we rise and fall, rise and fall, as they fight beneath us. At last we leave their wild arena, and entering calmer water, paddle away to the end of the portage trail."

A City Study.



Country Kid—That's the best cow we've got.

City Kid—Why don't you get his handle-bars straightened?—Drawn by D. H. Souter for the Sydney "Bulletin."

An Oriental Inquest.

The following little scene at an inquest upon the body of a murdered man is reported from Astrachan:

The coroner (dictating to his clerk)—On the table was found a bottle—no, stop a moment, we must ascertain its contents.

The coroner (tasting the liquid)—The bottle contained English gin. Perhaps not, I am not sure. Taste it yourself.

The clerk, having done so, replies—I believe it is simply strong vodka.

The coroner (tossing off another glass)—No, really, it tastes like gin.

The clerk (tasting again)—I still think it is only strong vodka.

The bottle having gradually become empty, the coroner proceeded to dictate in a decisive tone: "Write: An empty bottle was found on the table, and all measures taken to ascertain what it had contained were of no use."

Horse and Buggy Stolen

Yesterday afternoon a horse and buggy were stolen from Havelock. Chief Bennett was notified, and P. C. McGinity was sent out to see if any trace of the horse or vehicle could be discovered. After some time it was found that the horse and buggy had been caught in Otonabee going home without a driver, and it was accordingly held for the owner. There is no trace of the thief.

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ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
	100.00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 1350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 tons ore above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

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For six months in each year the Canadian markets can be reached by water at low freight rates, and at all times by rail. As Cape Breton is distant from Liverpool only about 2,300 miles; is nearer to Pernambuco, Brazil, than any point in the United States, and also nearer to Cape Town, South Africa, it has the advantage, in point of distance, for export business over any American steel-producing points, which, with scarcely any exceptions, are situated some distance from tide water. Under any conditions of the world's market, it is believed that the output of these works can be disposed of at satisfactory prices.

OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.	200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
	200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
	100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.	600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.	Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
	Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows:—

	ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000 00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

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We are investigating these propositions now and if it is decided to make the purchase the stock will immediately advance to $1.50 per share at least in the open market.

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Influence of Names.

"We're going to name our newly arrived boy Reginald," remarked Phillips at the club the other evening.

"Do you want him to be that kind of person?" asked Jones, in a tone that he hoped would create discussion.

"What are you springing on us now?" asked several of the group, a little wearily.

"It is a great truth, my boy," continued Jones, aiming his remarks at Phillips, who looked a trifle worried about Jones' question. "The relation of name to character is an unexplored but most fertile region. Look up your fiction, and you will find that every great novelist has unconsciously obeyed the law. A man and his name gradually grow toward each other. He may fight his name for a long time, but by some long road at last he must bend to the significance of what he is called. I consider that parents have a sacred duty upon them in choosing out of all the names of history that name which they elect their child shall be. The name which he receives at baptism is the character part, up to which he must always live."

"Really, I don't follow you," interposed Clemmons of Harvard, with his drawl.

"Think back over your reading," went on Jones. "When Sheridan names a character Lady Sneerwell, it is obvious that his conception is of a character proud and cynical. Such a method of dubbing limits the character drawing to a few bold strokes. A frank avowal of love from her lips, a free handed generosity, would not be tolerated. She must remain cold and hard till the play ends. Bunyan was fond of a name that labelled. Surely you remember Mr. Backbite and Boastful? In the literature of the last century such cheap and easy naming is rare and confined to the minor characters. Thackeray uses it for the peerage alone—Lady Bareacres. It survives in our comic weeklies, with their 'Wandering Willy' and 'Alkali Ike.'

"But there is a rarer and finer use of names that is at the command of the big fellows in romance. The skilful novelist baptizes his creation with a certain name because he realizes its connotation. Annie is known of old for a good housewife and a true sister. She is pretty and social, but is not a society woman. Annie of 'Lorna Doone' is rightly called. Adam implies faithfulness, a quality of high conscientiousness, and Adam of 'As You Like It' and Adam Bede share the trait.

"Tom is mischievous and fast, strongly social, with most of the vices. Even his friends are forced to admit that he drinks, but his severest critics will concede him generous. Such is Tom Jones—splendid and strong, shaggily rough. Tom Brown is not cast in a like epic mould, but yet is justified of his name. Tom Sawyer is a Tom in the making. Joseph, of Genesis, has a deservedly high reputation for chastity, and this implication of the name has been remembered. Joseph Andrews is an apt name for Fielding's hero. Jack is a gay blade. Dorothy is sprightly, but warm-hearted. Dick is merry and out at heels.

"Authorities have split on Rebecca. Scott makes her a faithful soul with a hopeless love. Thackeray gives us an adventuress, heartless, brilliant, and detestable. A character of history often makes the atmosphere of a name. Bonnie Prince Charlie is perhaps responsible for a succession of prodigals who are permitted to bear no other name.

"You see that the novelists, who have looked truth in the face, have always done their naming in line with law. Is it any wonder, when once you realize the influence of a name on a person, that savages, ignorant persons, and children have felt that one who knew their name had power over them? Religion and chivalry have been in the right of it, when they make the act of naming the most sacred ceremony in a man's life. Rightly they felt that baptism and knighting determine the direction of character development and soul growth."—Ex.

"Book Boosting" in France.

The art of book advertising is thought to have made some progress of late both in England and in this country, but they do these things if not better, at least more energetically in France. A Paris newspaper has begun the publication of a romance which has eight leading personages, and the most successful guesser of the fate of each is to have a four-seated automobile as a prize. Portraits of the characters in the novel are carried about the streets, with such questions as these to be answered: "Catharine: Will Catharine marry? If so, whom will she marry?" Again: "Liane: Will her scheme to gain the Marquis be successful?" Next comes: "Germaine: Will she deceive her husband?" Then, "Marie: Will she marry or die before the end of the romance?" Lastly, "Zizi: How many men will she attract? Who will be her last lover?" These individual queries are followed by a group of general problems for solution. "Which of these five women will die of poison? Which of them will administer poison? To whom?" If these methods were to be generally followed by publishers' press agents the reign of the historical romance would take on new terrors.

A Victim.

"Where are you going this summer?"

"I'm going to a stretch of barren sand, where I can be surrounded by the luxuries of the seashore."

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"Nice people?"

"Well, they're people I wouldn't think of associating with on ordinary occasions, but of course——"

"Oh, certainly. Where do you get your vegetables?"

"From the city."

"And your water?"

"From the nearest well."

"Typhoid?"

"Probably."

"Flies?"

"Heaps."

"What are you going for?"

"Three reasons. Because I can't afford to and my wife wants to."—"Life."

Got Their Medals

The local members of the Coronation Contingent have received their medals, as follows: Regimental Sergt.-Major Guidy, Sergt. Trumpeter Gaidy, Sergt. Heaton, Squadron Sergt.-Major Cleghorn and Sergt. Duffus. The medals are of bronze gilt, and has a neat little red, white and blue ribbon attached to it. The inscription, "June 26th, 1902," is on one side of the medal, while the pictures of the King and Queen is on the other side.

THE CHEQUE FORGER

Charles Carter, the Cheque Fakir, Pleads Guilty at Kingston

Charles Carter, the cheque forger, pleaded guilty at the Kingston Police Court, to forgery and passing forged cheques.

His Peterborough victims will at least have the satisfaction of knowing that the sharper will receive ample punishment. It is not probable that any of the money will be recovered.

FACTS RE REFERENDUM

Voting Day—Voters and Other Features of the Measure

Voting—Thursday, Dec. 4.

Question on Ballot—Are you in favor of bringing into force the Liquor Act of 1902?

Number of votes in the affirmative necessary to bring law into force, 212,723, providing that number is a majority of total votes polled.

When effective—May 1, 1904, if necessary vote is polled by prohibitionists.

Those entitled to vote—Lists to be used are those of the last provincial election, an exception being made of persons who since that time may have ceased to be residents of the province.

Meaning of Liquor Act of 1902—It prohibits the sale of liquor within the province, except by licensed druggists, but does not prohibit the manufacture and export, or sale by manufacturer to licensed druggists.

Ontario Plebiscite, Jan. 3, 1894—For prohibition 192,489, against 110,720.

Dominion Plebiscite, Sept. 29, 1898. —For prohibition 278,380, against 264,693. In Ontario, for 154,498, against 115,284.

THE OLD SAW MILL

The Dickson Company Saw Mill Now Being Dismantled

Another old landmark is being removed from the bank of the river. The Dickson Company's sawmill at the foot of London street is to be taken down to make room for the Cereal Company's dam. Men began yesterday morning to remove the machinery, which will be stored until such time as a new building is erected to receive it. The present stage of operations upon the new dam is such as to demand the immediate utilization of the site occupied by the sawmill. The Dickson Company will probably locate on a site to the east of the canal on Little Lake. The company owns the two hundred acres known as Beaver Mead Farm, which will make very fine piling grounds and admit also of easy railway communication. A large building on the farm has been used by the company for some time past as a stable.

A WARM WINTER PREDICTED

Man Figures it Out by Intervals of 13 Years

Mr. P. Jones, of West Bay City, Michigan, in writing to a local paper says a mild winter is in store for us, and gives his reasons for the prophecy as follows.—It may seem very strange, but in 1863, when I was only eight years old, my father came home from his first enlistment in the army. The winter beginning in 1863 was a very warm winter, rainy and soft, with some cold weather, the last of February and the first of March. This was in Ohio. In 1876, thirteen years later, I was on the Northern Pacific Railroad in Minnesota. It was very warm until February and March then. There was some cold weather, but not long at a time, two or three days at the longest. Just thirteen years later, in 1889, in Ohio, it did not freeze to exceed two inches at any time all winter. The year 1902 brings it thirteen years later. Now when the sun crossed the line each of these years the wind was in the south or southeast. I have a perfect remembrance of these years. why it comes every thirteen years is a mystery to me. I think some of the lumbermen will remember some of these dates, as in 1765 there were but few logs banked in Minnesota or Wisconsin. This fall the wind was about two degrees east of south when the sun crossed the line.

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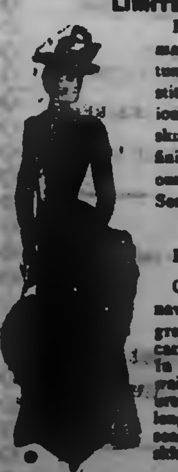

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It is related that when the Earl of Rochester, in the reign of Charles II., rose to make his maiden speech in the House of Lords, he said: "My lords, my lords, I rise this time for the first time—the very first time. My lords, I divide my speech into four branches." Here there was an embarrassing pause of some seconds. "My lords," the earl then ejaculated, "if ever I rise again in this House, you may cut me off, root and branches, and all forever."

The father of Earl Fitzwilliam, who died recently, was an excellent landlord. A London paper relates how once a farmer went to him with the complaint that the earl's fox-hunters had ruined a field of corn, or, as we should call it, wheat. The earl gave the man fifty pounds in payment for damage. After harvest-time the farmer returned the money, saying that the wheat had turned out well, after all. Earl Fitzwilliam drew a check for one hundred pounds and gave it to his tenant. "This is as things should be between man and man," said he. "When your eldest son comes of age, give him this, and tell him how and why you got it."

Wu Ting-fang, the Chinese Minister, told the ladies of the Washington Law College a story Saturday night that made them all laugh. "I was at a banquet a few nights ago," he said, "and I met the wife of one of the members of Congress. She sat near me at table. I tried to be entertaining. Finally she leaned over and said: 'Oh! Mr. Wu, we all think you are so brilliant. Isn't it a pity you are only Chinese?'"

The late Noah Davis, justice of the Supreme Court of New York, was one of the many judges and lawyers who make the court room the scene of some of our best wit and humor. Once a lawyer objected to a witness, but Judge Davis refused to sustain him. The lawyer cried, "But, Your Honor, I submit—" and here he broke off." "That's right," said the judge, quickly; "always submit. Crier, adjourn court!" In one case over which he presided there were fifty-five distinct offences, and four counts on each offence, two hundred and twenty in all. "Well," said Judge Davis, "there are more counts than in a German principality."

When Collis P. Huntington, the late president of the Southern Pacific Railway, was married for the second time, Henry Ward Beecher performed the marriage ceremony. Huntington's first wife had been dead less than one year, and he desired the second marriage to be kept secret until his return from Europe. He gave Mr. Beecher a marriage fee of $1,500. When Huntington returned, some months later, he went through a public ceremony, and Beecher again officiated. He gave Beecher another fee of $1,500. The great preacher had his humor aroused by this second fee. Turning to Huntington, he said: "Collis, I do wish you were a Mormon."

The butler in a Scotch family occupies a privileged and unique position. He sometimes assumes a freedom of speech which seems to American ears to border on impertinence; but to those who know him his frank speech is only one of the many evidences of his interest in the family welfare. A young New York woman was the guest at a house where a butler of that sort reigns. She submitted to his patronage with much amusement; but one day there were unexpected and important guests for dinner, and a little while before the meal was served the butler waylaid the young American in the hall. "I'm fearin' there'll no be quite enough soup," he whispered, "so when it's offered, ye maun decline it, lass." "Decline soup, James?" she said, laughing. "Why, that would not be polite." "Weel, not precisely," said James, with a benignant smile," but they'll a' make excuse for ye, thinkin' ye ken nae better."

Frith, the celebrated Royal Artist, once painted a portrait of himself, and in the course of years forgot all about it. But a friend entered his studio one morning and asserted that a capital picture of him was on view in a small shop in Great Portland street. "It's not a bit like what you are now," observed the friend, "but it may have resembled you some years ago. Go and look at it." Mr. Frith went, and found his own image after an estrangement of forty-five years. He determined to buy it, though he had not the faintest recollection of having painted it. "Ah, a portrait!" said Frith to the woman in charge of the shop, after he had pretended to examine several other works. "Whose likeness is that?" "That," said the lady, "is a portrait of the celebrated artist, Frith, painted by himself." "Why, he must be an elderly man," put in the artist. The woman remarked that he was young once. "Humph!" quoth the genial W. P. F.; "not much of a picture." To this the woman demurred, and asked £20 for the canvas. It was Frith's turn to appear surprised. "Well," replied the shopkeeper without moving a muscle, "it cost us nearly as much; we shall make a very small profit. You see, it is very valuable because the artist is deceased." "Deceased!" exclaimed the astonished painter. "Dead, do you mean?" "Yes, sir; died of drink. My husband attended the funeral." Frith bought the picture, but did not revive for some time.

English.

A Washington lady who is so fond of her home that she stays in it sometimes all the year round, was assailed, says "Lippincott's Magazine," by a conventional friend in conventional language.

"I know that you usually wintered here," she said, "but I was astonished to hear that you had summered here!"

"I have not only wintered here and summered here," replied the unfashionable one, "but I will astonish you still further when I tell you that I always fall here and have sometimes sprung here."

Toil and the Designer of Things.

A gray mist scudded in front of the patch of blue sky that all afternoon had been peering between the tall buildings into the studio window, and carried away most of the light with it.

The Boy was glad of this, for his faith in himself was about gone. He gathered up his brushes, throwing a few curses at the weather as he did so in a bravado sort of fashion. He was determined not to be a fool this time and seek unsatisfactory sympathy from people who could not understand. Instead, he would go down to the "Vesuvio" and allow its liquid flame to consume his mood.

"Better be drunk than foolish," he said to the Girl as he started for the door. "I'm tired of this breathless pursuit of the Ideal. After all, if I did overtake her, I don't suppose she'd be worth while. This torture of self-denial, of looking forever over the roof in vain desire for the things that may never be, while the hot blood of youth in your veins commands you to drink deep of the things that are, is insanity. To the devil with work and the dreams of doing."

"It is discouraging, isn't it?" said the Girl. "I felt that way myself until you spoke. I looked at your work this afternoon and envied you."

"Envied me? Don't laugh at a fellow because you've happened to find the way to success. Suppose you do manage to paint good canvases and win plaudits. Ten million people have had the same little reward for the same mighty struggle. Already the wear and worry is showing on you. In ten years youth will be gone from you and all you'll have for it will be the memory of heart's blood painted into canvas for trivial 'mention,' and tragic realization of your limitations. The wise man is he who refuses to do what he is able to do; our ability always seems so much greater to us until we put it to the test. Never give yourself a chance. That's the only way to escape heart-break."

The Girl was fragile in the gray light. She stood at the window looking into the twilight that fell in hopelessness among the crowding walls of unsightly buildings. The Boy took a step toward the door. Then the Girl turned.

"I wish you would not talk like that," she said. "It hurts. Have I ever said I expected to do great things? You know I haven't. I was mean to-day and half envied you for your gift. But I don't want to envy anybody. I try not to think of future or fame, for it is thinking of self-glory that brings pain and disappointment. I try to do my work as best I can because it is my work and because I must do it. I know it is delightful to win success. We can't help feeling that our effort has won approval. But I don't work for success. I put my heart into my pictures because I have to, and if by so doing I can soften, if only for an instant, some other heart; bring a look of wistfulness into a careless eye; waken a longing in a dreamless soul, I have the greatest of rewards. Work for work's sake demands no sacrifice. On the contrary, it leads our feet into the ways where perfect happiness may be gathered.

"I know how weak I am and how discouraged I grow even yet. But discouragement never lingers long. All I need do is remind myself that I am not an isolated toiler wearing out my own destiny in unsympathetic solitude, but one of many who are working to carry to completion the wonderful plan of the great Designer of things beautiful.

"There are no failures. Your discouragement helps me to catch the shadows my portion of the picture needs to-day; my rebellion shows you the glorious light of patience and sympathy your brush must depict."

"It's easy to talk hopefully when you're already in the sunlight of success," replied the Boy as he grasped the door-knob. "I'm tired of the shadows and am determined to get out of them. I'll enjoy myself in idleness for a while. I'll be on hand to help hang the Picture Beautiful when it is finished. I'm done with brushes."

The Girl laid her hand lightly on the Boy's shoulder. "What great work you are going to do," she said. "Some of the wonderful touches in the picture have been reserved for you. You are not 'tired of the pursuit of the Ideal.' You are only impatient that your hand has not yet the wonderful skill your soul demands of it. Be patient; there's not only Time but Eternity for our work."

They stepped into the corridor and paused in silence. From a room opposite some divine melody drifted to them. The Boy was glad of the darkness, for his eyes were wet. He grasped the Girl's hand.

"I thank you," he said. "I guess I was only impatient."—Leavenworth Macnab.

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A professor of a profound subject at Harvard University has a small son who is very observant and inquisitive, and a hired man who has all the Irish wit and good humor.

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"Say, Larry," he asked, "why do cats always stand on their feet?"

"They shteer themselves wid their tail."

"Well, how do rabbits steer themselves? They haven't long tails; only a stub."

"Wid their ears. That's phwat they have their long ears for."

"Well, how does a bulldog steer himself? He doesn't have long ears or a long tail."

"Wid his bark."

The boy looked doubtful and was silent. Presently he ran in to his father's study, and in a few minutes came back to the stable.

"Larry!"

"Yis?"

"That's true what you told me about bulldogs. I asked papa, and he read something to mamma out of a book about 'barks that steer against the wind.'"

Fate.

Once there were two beautiful white eggs laid side by side in a nice new nest. A great big man gathered them up with his rough hands and sold them to a grocer. And one little egg was a good little egg, and went into an angel cake, but the other little egg was a very, very bad little egg, and got mashed on an actress.

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Appertaining to the Trusts

New York, Dec. 3—It is to be deplored that in certain editorial departments, the creators of a large percentage of public sentiment, that so much adverse comments as to the trusts is formulated. Much fallacious and mischevious information is there constructed and disseminated, causing much mistaken opinion to be created. The borderland between a consolidation of interests and the exact point at which it would become a trust is hard to be determined. It is equal for two men to go into partnership, equally legal for a firm thus formed to take in two other partners, doing business in a similar manner, making thereby a consolidation of interests which will sell an equal amount of goods at less cost to themselves and at a lower price to the public, making in so doing more money for themselves. It is patent to the average mind that it is equally legal for two or more great companies to consolidate their interests in equal manner, being impossible to make the former case legal and the latter case illegal. Common law all over the civilized world recognizes the fact that the property of any person or company cannot be legally wrested from them. That would be radically wrong. The trusts that reduce the cost of its product under the figures required for its production before its existence is accomplishing good, benefiting the greatest number. All existing trusts have competition more or less severe, the ones receiving such prices as show the greatest profits naturally getting the keenest competition. Any combine that regulates its prices so that profits are inordinate brings about its own undoing through its own stimulation of opposition. Competition will regulate the trusts as well as it did all business before their conception; there is nothing that the government can logically do to legally restrain them. They are the modern method of doing business. Ex-Gov. Flower, that sterling Democrat, had the right idea when he said, "Young man, don't rail against the trusts; get into them; they have come to stay and will prove a benefit to all. The demagogue and agitator living upon the credulity of their listeners whom they misinform, are the primary shouters against the trusts. Trusts have come to stay. Don't fear the message of a President if you have any trust stocks. There will be nothing doing at Washington. It is impossible. Nothing but talk at the most.

Summary—Today's market felt the continued efforts of the Traders to realize on the announcement of the President's message. They disposing of their purchases made previously at lower prices, caused concessions and at a fractional lower range. The buying that ensued was most excellent. It was notable good in Sugar, A.C.P., Atch., St. Paul, Manhattan, B. & O., Canadian Pacific, N.Y.C., and the other Pacifics. Prices stiffened at the close and indications point to a higher range of prices before they are lower. Money closed 6 per cent. Sales 400,000.

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Our Mr Fox has just returned from a trip of personal investigation to the NEW WONDERFUL OIL GUSHER field in the Township of Raleigh, in the County of Kent. He reports that the whole country is literally

ON FIRE

with excitement. Chatham—respectable, easy going old Chatham—stands amazed, while oil operators from Pennsylvania, Ohio, Texas, California and from the big refineries at Petrolia and Sarnia fill her streets and hotels to overflowing—all seeking OIL! OIL! OIL!—offering figures for land that would have been considered sheer madness a few weeks ago. The roads to the oil fields are lined with all kinds of carriages, wagons and loads of machinery and derricks. Several drilling rigs are already partly erected and contracts have been made for the sinking of at least FIFTY WELLS within the next thirty days.

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Morning Times
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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Piano Tuning

Mr. James Maitland, representing Heintzman & Co., Toronto, will be in Peterborough, Dec. 1st, and remain one week and would be pleased to tune and repair any persons piano or organ. Leave orders at C. B. Routley's store.

South Africa War Medals

The Militia Department announces for the benefit of officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the 2nd Regiment, C.M.R., and the 10th Field Hospital, A.M.C., that arrangements are being made to obtain and distribute their South Africa war medals with the least possible delay, and that the receipt of the decoration cannot be facilitated by making application at the present time.

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Some Fine Horses

Mr. Percy Pearson, of Montreal, has been in town this week, and picked up an extra fine lot of heavy horses. These animals are a superior bunch, being selected with great care. One car load has already gone east, and another will go to-morrow. Mr. Pearson will return again on Wednesday next for the day. He always pays the highest prices and therefore gets the best stock.

The Price of Coal

A good deal of complaint is heard regarding the price of coal, it having last week advanced from $8 to $9 per ton. The trouble appears to be that dealers cannot get their coal except through a middle man, whose profits have to be added. Yesterday The Times called up several local dealers and was told that no coal was to be had. Along about Christmas the price will probably drop to $7 or $7.50.

Does Your Baby Cry at Night

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The Guelph Winter Fair

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A Telephone System

The Bell Telephone Company has installed a system of 30 telephones in the Canadian General Electric Works here, the purpose of which is to connect the various departments. Before installation there was no system of communication save that of messengers. Some idea of its usefulness may be had from the fact that the operator at "central" which is located in the principal office, has an average of 400 calls daily. She has therefore very little time for doing fancy sewing or the like. Any phone on the system can be connected with either the town or trunk lines

His Overcoat Taken

Belleville Daily Ontario, Monday: Mr. H. Austin, of Fenelon Falls, arrived in the city yesterday and registered at the Anglo-American hotel. He left a new fur overcoat in the parlor when he went to dinner, and when he went to look for it half an hour later it was gone. In the pockets were a new pair of gloves which were also taken. The police were notified of the theft and are at work on the case. They have a description of a man who was seen hanging about the hotel shortly before the coat was taken. They have hope of catching the thief.

—If the "rum traffic" is annihilated to-day the wicked will have to fall back on the awful cigaret.

MAYOR DENNE TO RETIRE

HE WILL NOT AGAIN BE A CANDIDATE FOR THE MAYORALTY

New Business Arrangements Compel Him to Decline Renomination—His Splendid Record

Mr. T. H. G. Denne, the Mayor, has been presented by a requisition signed by a very large number of the electors of the town asking him to be a candidate for the position of Mayor for next year, and Mr. Denne has made the following reply:

Gentlemen,—I thank you for the honor you have done me in asking me to again be a candidate for the position of Mayor, and I regret very much that I am unable to comply with your request. Certain business arrangements which I have recently made will require me to be absent from town frequently during the coming year, and I would not be able to give the time or attention to the business of the town that it should receive from any one who holds the position of head of the Council, and I therefore find that it will be impossible for me to again be a candidate.

I desire to tender my sincere thanks to those gentlemen who took the interest and time in the matter to circulate the requisitions that have been presented to me, and also to all who signed the request. I have felt it to be a high honor to be a member of the Council of this town, and especially to be chosen to fill the office of Mayor, and I feel keenly the kindness of the electors who have in such a large number signed these requisitions. I have, indeed, during the eight years I have been a member of the Council, and especially during the two years I have held the office of Mayor, received nothing but kindness at the hands of the people of Peterborough, and while I have to the best of my ability and opportunities endeavored to serve the town faithfully and to advance its interests in every way, I recognize that I have only endeavored to make some return for the kindness of the people and the honor the electors have conferred upon me. I cannot adequately express the gratitude I feel to the electors, and I regret very much that I am compelled for the present to decline the request to continue in the office of Mayor. If at some future time my business arrangements will permit and the people desire me to serve them I will be pleased to place my services at their disposal, but at the present time I can only return my sincere thanks to those who have again and express my regret that I cannot ; and express me regret that I cannot do otherwise than retire from the Town Council.

I am, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
T. H. G. DENNE.

The above was handed the Times yesterday and speaks for itself. The general feeling is that of regret, for Mayor Denne has been a success as Chief Magistrate. His progressive policy has been appreciated by the ratepayers, and it now behooved them to select a worthy successor.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Uneasy lies the head that owns a liquor license.

—The Times is again deluged to-day with letters on the referendum, for which we cannot afford the space.

—There will be another excursion to Berlin at an early date. This time the agriculturists are to go.

—The big American coal trust, no less than the smaller combines, seems to be having troubles of its own. If, as is apparently the case, anthracite coal is $3.50 at the mines, some people must get a substantial rake off to make the cost, for instance, $9 to the consumer in Peterborough.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. Jas. Spellman, formerly wine clerk at the Palace Hotel, has returned to town, having accepted a position as wine clerk at the National Hotel.

—The Times had a very pleasant call yesterday from Mr. D. J. McFaggan, of the Dominion Express Company, who was in town on business.

—Mr. Harris, of Montreal, representing Messrs. Harris, Harkness & Co., was in town yesterday taking orders for the firm's fine brand of cigars, known as "The Van Horne Cigar."

—Mr. Walter Alexander, formerly with Mr. Wm. Medill, who has been in the West for some time, has accepted the position of manager of the well known drug firm of Stott & Jury, Bowmanville.

—Mrs. W. Henderson and Miss Henderson have returned home after a visit with friends in Rockford, Illinois.

KEPT HER CHILDREN

The Right Food Brought Them Back to Health

Food purchased from curiosity saved the lives of two children in a family in Ulysses, Wis.

The mother says;—"We had bought a package of Grape-Nuts, attracted by its pleasant, suggestive name, and found it a pleasant food. As my five months old baby liked it, I fed it to her and found it as satisfactory as——Baby Food, which I had been using and paying 50c. for a much smaller package.

Shortly after this, three of the children came down with the whooping cough, my oldest one was taken with pneumonia, and the little three year old strained her stomach in some manner, so that she vomited blood, and could not retain anything on her stomach. She continuously cried with hunger, and it was terrible to see her grow weaker and weaker, until she did not have strength to keep her eyes open. I was so overworked nursing all of them night and day that I finally woke up to the fact that a change must be wrought, and that at once.

I shall always believe that divine inspiration whispered 'Grape-Nuts.' At first I did not give the solid part; I poured boiling water on it and let it stand until the water had drawn out some of the strength, added some rich, sweet cream, and gave the little one a few spoonfuls at a time. She kept it down and it nourished her, so that after awhile I could feed her the Grape-Nuts themselves until she got strong, and she is today as rugged as I could wish. Meanwhile, the eldest girl was unable to turn her head or swallow solid food, and for weeks her strength was kept up by Grape-Nuts, softened in cream, given a spoonful at a time, until she got strong enough to take other food. They are both well and strong now, and I feel that I owe Grape-Nuts for two of my hearty healthy children" Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Senator Cox on Top

The Montreal Star says it is expected that Senator Cox will be the first President of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, and that he will associate with him a company of "money magnates" which will make the financing of the new scheme an easy one, and will do much to make it certain that the new enterprise shall be distinctly Canadian in character, as contrasted with the original Grand Trunk Railway Company, which for so long was managed from the other side of the Atlantic. This will be pleasing news to the Senator's many Peterborough friends.

November was a Scorcher

The rejoicings of the citizens of Peterborough about the warm weather of November were well grounded, for since 1839 when the Meteorological Office at Toronto commenced making records, there has not been so warm a November. The mean temperature was 42.9 degrees, which is one degree above the highest previous record, in the year 1849. In that year it was 41.9, and in 1846, 40.3 degrees. The temperature this November was 6.5 degrees warmer than the average. The rainfall was 1.7 inches, which is one inch below the average. The highest temperature was 65 degrees and the lowest 16 degrees.

Elections of Officers

At the regular meeting of Royal Black Preceptory, No. 361, Royal Black Knights of Ireland, held last evening, the following officers were elected for the incoming year.

Sir Joseph Batten	W. P.
" Sir John A. McWilliams	D. P.
" Robt. Weir	Chap.
" W. H. G. Armstrong	Registrar.
" Robt. Wilson	Treas.
" Chas. Beauchre	1st Lect.
" Geo. W. Hall	2nd Lect.
" Joseph Jones	1st Censor.
" Robt. Maxwell	2nd Censor.
" John F. Leason	1st Std. Br.
" John A. Briggs	2nd Std. Br.
" R. N. Roddy	Persuivant.
" Samuel Johnston	Tyler.
" Thos. Houlden	1st Com.
" Robt. Campbell	2nd Com.
" Hugh Mackey	3rd Com.
" Sam J. Campbell	4th Com.
" James Trew	5th Com.

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THE TIMES LETTER-BOX

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lating to it are dead letters in all places where the sentiment is for licenses or saloons. Will Mr. Sheldon tell his audiences this indisputable truth? And if he does, how can he consistently urge them to adopt a law that he must admit is a failure here in his own home? If Mr. Sheldon is conscientious, he must tell his hearers up in the north country what prohibition ought to do in Kansas, not what it does do in Kansas.

THE TOWN COUNCIL

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by instructing the clerk to have the roll printed immediately..

Ald. Best opposed this motion. He could not see the necessity of having the roll printed. Any one wishing to examine it were at liberty to do so at the clerk's office. Besides the publishing of the roll would cost $500, which expenditure it would not be wise to incur in face of a possible increased taxation the coming year.

Ald. McGregor replied that there is a great demand for the printing of the assessment roll. It would be utterly impossible for every ratepayer to lose time by coming to the clerk's office to examine the rolls.

The mover and seconder were the only ones who voted for the motion, which was accordingly lost, and the report adopted as read.

A QUESTION OF WIRES.

The question of wiring the town by the power, 'phone and light companies elicited from Ald. Morrison the suggestion that the several companies come to some arrangement by which they could use each others poles and thus avoid making a forest of our streets. No action was taken in this matter, but from remarks made by Mr. A. Stevenson and W. H. Meldrum it appears that the companies are willing to do this if practicable.

A by-law was introduced by Ald. McGregor to exempt the manufacturing firm of J. J. Turner & Sons from certain taxes passed its several readings. A vote of the ratepayers to be taken on this by-law on the same day, and at the same polling places, as the municipal elections.

In reply to Ald. Best, the town clerk replied that this by-law would cost $50 or more to submit to the people. Ald. Best thought the firm of J. J. Turner & Sons should pay the cost.

Ald. J. J. Turner replied that he did not think it fair to ask his firm to do this when others had not been taxed for the putting through of similar by-laws.

Ald. Best pointed out that the Sheldon people would have had to pay for their by-law had it gone to the people. He thought J. J. Turner & Sons had been dealt with very leniently by the assessors, who had only assessed them for $3,000 on real estate and $300 for personal property.

Ald Turner explained that at the time the assessment was made his new building had only just been started. The assessment on his present premises, as now completed, will be much higher next assessment. If we had applied for exemption before commencing work on the new building, which is a credit to the town, and has increased the value of adjoining property, we should have got it. He thought that under all circumstances his firm was not asking anything unreasonable.

The by-law then passed its second reading and will be submitted to the people.

Ald Roger, who had been in the chair, on resuming his seat recorded his dissent from the carrying of the by-law. He wished Ald. Turner had seen his way clear to withdraw his petition like the Wm. Hamilton Co., and the Peterborough Canoe Company. The only way left open to this and any other Council in extending assessment privileges to local industries was to assess them at the lowest figure possible. He thought Ald. Turner will find his assessment compare favorably with the property across the street and other industries.

Ald. Turner replied that the other companies alluded to have not new buildings. If we want to build up the town we should try and encourage those who already live in it. He had been offered a free building as large as his present one to remove his factory elsewhere. His business is a valuable medium for advertising the town, not only on this continent, but in Great Britain.

Ald. Rush moved that if the by-law carries the Town pay the cost; but should it not carry, than Ald. Turner to pay the cost.

As the by-law had already had its second reading the above was out of order.

STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Ald. Best introduced a by-law to borrow $20,000 to build a new bridge on Brock street and for permanent improvements. $10,000 of this money to be spent in constructing substantial and permanent road beds, and improved storm drainage, to remedy the excessively muddy condition of our streets in wet weather.—The by-law passed its several readings.

On motion of Ald. Best ,the publication of this by-law in the Morning Times authorized.

RESPECTING BICYCLES.

Ald. Turner submitted a by-law regulating and governing persons riding bicycles in town. The by-law limits the speed at which wheels shall be ridden to 8 miles an hour, and enforces the carrying of a bell. A fine not exceeding $50 and costs will be imposed for any breach of the by-law, which comes in force January 1st, 1903. The by-law passed its several readings.

TO CORRECT AN ERROR.

A by-law to correct an error in the Water Works Debentures passed its several readings.

SNOW PLOUGHING.

The following tenders for snow ploughing were received;

Southern District—Wm. Breckenridge, $70.

Western District—J. H. Cameron, $120; Geo. McClennan, $110.

Northern District—Zimri Blodgett, $140.

The Board of Works recommended that the contract be awarded to the lowest tenderer in each case. This was adopted, and a by-law passed authorizing the execution of the contracts.

SOCIALISM.

Ald. McGregor invited the Council to attend a Socialistic lecture in the Maccabees Hall, on December 15th, by Jas. Simpson, of Toronto.

The Council then adjourned to the 15th inst.

Several reports are unavoidably left over till next issue.

Fantastic stories have been written of magic mirrors in which the future was revealed. If such a thing were possible many a bright-faced bride would shrink from the revelation of herself, stripped of all her loveliness. If there is one thing which would make a woman shrink from marriage it is to see the rapid physical deterioration which comes to so many wives. The cause is generally due to womanly diseases.

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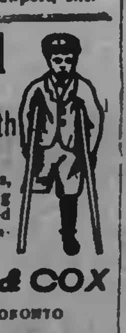

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We believe that this measure would be detrimental to the best interests, both moral and commercial, of this province, and we therefore urge all voters to mark their ballots "NO."

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Will Our Cattle be Barred Out ?—Indications are not Lacking That the board of Agriculture Would Like to Prevent Them being Landed in England

London, Dec. 4.—Punch scores Canada in the following fashion ; "A feature of recent times is the way in which the colonies have been drawn closer to the Mother Country. One or two of them now promise to be especially close in the matter of contribution to the national navy."

WANT CANADA'S HELP.

The same point was insisted on in speeches at the Canada Club dinner last night, which was attended by sixty Anglo-Canadians, including British M.P.'s. The idea of the speakers was that Canada was neglecting its duty to the Empire by the attitude of the Canadian Ministers at the Colonial Conference. The creation of a pretty Canadian local navy was declared to be of little real service in imperial defence, for the Empire's navy must fight the Empire's enemies wherever found. The speeches also insisted that the policy of preferential tariffs was bound to come if the Empire was to be kept together. Sir Alfred Jones went so far as to declare that what was once considered free trade was now merely foolish trade.

The warmest approval was expressed for the suggested memorial of 6,000 colonials—Canadians, Australians and South Africans—who lost their lives in South Africa. It was hoped the memorial would be permitted in Westminster Abbey, otherwise arrangements will be made at St. Paul's, where Sir John Macdonald's memory is commemorated.

CATTLE TRADE.

British supplies will be greatly affected if the Canadian export cattle trade is stopped, for during the first ten months of this year no fewer than 75,877 Canadian cattle were imported. The British Government is most disinclined to give Canada any advice upon the question whether to permit the importation of cattle yb the Canadian Pacific's short line to St. John through Maine. British official opinion is that Canada must take her own risk, and, being protectionist friends of the British farmer, the British Board of Agriculture will probably not be sorry to see Canadian ports scheduled like Boston, and Canada made an exporter of dead meat only.

14 PERISHED IN 'FIRE TRAP

Visitors to the Fat Stock Show in Chicago Over come by Smoke in Burning Hotel

Chicago, Dec. 4.—Fourteen persons met death in a fire in the Lincoln hotel, 176 Madison street, at 6 o'clock this morning. Nineteen of the bodies have been recovered. Little damage was done to the hotel, but the smoke was so dense that the persons who met their death were overcome, and died before assistance could reach them. Many jumped from the fourth-storey windows, others tried to save themselves by climbing down the fire escapes in the front of the building, only to lose their grasp on the cold iron bars and fell to the street. The persons sleeping in the rear of the building on the top floor had no chance for their lives. A narrow stairway leading to all floors of the structure was afire, and the escape of the lodgers in the rear of the building was cut off.

IN A FIRE TRAP.

The firemen and policemen in speaking of what they witnessed at the catastrophe condemned the building as a "fire trap."

All but fourteen of the guests at the hotel were out-of-town persons. Most of them came to Chicago to attend the International Live Stock Show. By 10 o'clock last night every room in the hotel or place in which a cot could be erected was in use. At that time a large number of stockmen, with their families, were turned away. The hotel was filled.

Shortly after the fire broke out the firemen rushed up the stairway into the place, and began the work of rescue. Men, women and children were carried down ladders, fire escapes, and smoke-filled halls.

The building is constructed of brick, with one stairway leading to the upper floors, and a fire escape in the front of the building.

M. C. Weber, the night clerk, was taken to the Central station, where he is being detained.

A short time after the fire was discovered consternation reigned on the upper floors. A Mrs. Sheppard's son was one of the first to be awakened by the presence of smoke. He awakened his mother and both began screaming. Many persons were thus warned of the danger, and made their escape. The woman was so panic-stricken, however, that she was not among the first to attempt to escape, and she was making her way into the most dangerous part of the building when a fireman seized her and her son, and conducted them to the floor below, where he dropped them out of a window. J. H. Herbert of Salesville, Ohio, jumped from the fourth floor, where he had been sleeping. He struck on the roof of 178 Madison street. His right leg was broken and he suffered internal injuries. He was taken to the County Hospital. W. J. Thomas, a mail clerk of Cedar Rapids, jumped through a window on the fourth floor.

The dead are, so far as identified; H. K. Woods, Lebanon, Ind.; P. V. Slocum, Oconda, Ill.; Samuel Yocum, T. C. Yocum, Davenport; Edward Turner, Milwaukee; — Van Fleet, Richardson, Ind.; R. N. Fardick, Janesville, Wis.; George Morris, Richmond, Wis.

From what could be learned from persons who escaped from the building, it appeared the fire was started probably by the dropping of a lighted cigar on the carpet in the hallway of the second floor.

Allen Olderff of Milwaukee made a perilous descent from the fourth floor by scaling the wall by means of the iron shutters. Olderff stated that he had seen at least a dozen persons on the top floor, vainly endeavoring to make their way from the building by means of the front stairs.

Many of the bodies were found in the beds in positions of slumber. Others were found in the hallways, lying face downward, in positions that mutely portrayed how they had vainly endeavored to save their lives. Some were half-clad and others wore nothing but nightclothes. It was by means of articles and letters in the pockets of what little clothing some of the dead persons wore that many identifications were made.

THREE REPORTS

Which Were Submitted and Adopted at the Council Meeting Wednesday Night

The following reports were unavoidably omitted from our report of the recent council meeting.

Ald. Shortly submitted the following report:

COURT OF REVISION.

Gentlemen,—Your Court of Revision beg leave to report as follows:

1. In regard to the application of the Y.W.C.A. for the remission of taxes for 1902 on No. 168 Brock street, and No. 411 George street, we recommend that the taxes be remitted with the exception of the school tax.

2. With respect to the application of Messrs. Stratton and Hall for reduction of the taxes for 1902 of the Peterborough Underwear Company we have no power to deal with this matter as the Underwear Company has not complied with the terms of the Bylaw granting the exemption.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The report was adopted as read.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Best submitted the following report.

Gentlemen,—Your Board of Works beg leave to report as follows:

1. Your Board has appointed S. Fairbar inspector of the construction of the sewer on Dalhousie street at a salary of $2 a day, to be paid on the certificate of the Town Engineer and recommend that this be confirmed.

2. We recommend that an application of the Bell Telephone Co., for permission to open Lock street from Ware street to place five poles be granted, the poles to be placed subject to the approval of the Town Engineer.

3. We recommend that the payment of $63.25 to S. Kennedy for gravel, as certified by the Town Engineer be confirmed and that other gravel procured for covering the street railway track, etc., be paid for on the certificate of the Town Engineer.

4. We recommend that the Otonabee Power Co. be charged for their poles from the time the Engineer has reported that the line was completed, namely, Sept. 20th, 1902.

5. We recommend that the cost of drawing gravel to fill in under the sidewalk on London street amounting to $14.25 be paid on the certificate of the Town Engineer.

6. Your Board authorized a sidewalk to be raised and repaired at the corner of Park and Parnell streets and a crossing to be placed opposite 580 Water st.

7. That the request of the Otonabee Power Co., asking permission to cross Charlotte street on the west side of the Creek and Simcoe Street at the Lock Works, and also to place a pole line on Hunter street from Bethune street to the factory of the Colonial Typewriter Co., be granted on the usual terms, including the placing of the poles subject to the approval of the Town Engineer and subject to any safeguards that the Town Solicitor and the Town Engineer may think advisable to protect the Town.

8. Your Board advertised for tenders for snowploughing and received the following:—

The Southern District—Wm. Breckenbridge $75.

The Western District—J. H. Cameron, $120, and Geo. McClennan $115.

Northern District—Elmer Bloodget, $140

We recommend that the contract be awarded to the lowest tenderer in each case subject to compliance with the regulations.

9. We recommend that an account from Thos. Wilson amounting to $12.25 for gravel drawn on London street be paid.

All of which is respectfully submit-

The report was adopted as read.

FINANCE REPORT.

Ald. Roger submitted the following report:

Gentlemen,—Your Finance Committee beg leave to report as follows:

1. Your Committee, acting on the advice of the Town Solicitor, cannot recommend that that part of the County of Peterborough's account for work done on the crib work and sidewalk near the Ashburnham end of the Ashburnham bridge be paid, the total amount for this work being $309 of which $104.50 was charged to the Town, and we recommend that the County accounts be paid, namely, for the Locks bridge, $229.12 for the Pigeon Creek Bridge $616.41, and for the Ashburnham bridge $47.65, a total of $892.07.

2. We recommend that the County be requested to render to the town any accounts it has against the town every six months.

3. We recommend that no action be taken on the matter of publishing the assessment roll until the Statutory meeting on December 15th, when the Financial statement will be presented, showing the financial position of the town.

4. We recommend that the following accounts standing in the books of the town be written off:—The late R. S. Davidson, $4.26; Jos. Mills, $4.36 and A. P. Poussette $7.77.

5. We recommend that the following accounts be paid:

Times Printing Co.	$ 21	74
J. E. A. Fitzgerald	84	06
Peterboro Examiner	154	82
T. Williams	2	00
Wm. Hetherington	3	10
The Kingan Hardware Co.	14	17
C. B. Routley	3	00
Duncan & Doupe	4	72
The McClellan Co.	6	50
Salisbury & Co.	5	20
J. H. Savigny	6	10
John Nugent	2	00
R. M. Roy	1	25

All of which is respectfully submitted

The report was adopted as read.

YOUNG'S POINT.

On Friday evening of last week the young ladies and gentlemen of the village with a few invited guests, assembled at Heard's hall for a social evening. Music, games and dancing were indulged in, and after a few hours spent in merry enjoyment, the party dispersed, all much pleased with the evening's entertainment.

—Mrs. J. E. Kearney, of the Lakeview House, is at present visiting with friends in Buffalo.

—Messrs. R. Young and P. Young, Sr., spent Sunday with friends in Douro.

—Mr. F. J. Young has returned home after spending a few days with some friends in Peterborough.

—Master Oswald Brooks, while sleigh riding in company with some other small boys, fell on the ice and cut his ear badly, but we are glad to say that it did not prove serious.

—Some of the steamers are still busy towing wood through here.

—Mr. Edward Young has engaged a number of men to cut wood at Deer Bay this winter.

A TERRIBLE TRAGEDY NEAR RUSSEL, MAN.

House Burned Down and Five Inmates Perish in Flames

MAY BE A TERRIBLE CRIME

Mother and Four Young Children the Victims—Theories of the Holocaust

Russel, Man., Dec. 4—Word was brought to town yesterday of a terrible accident, or what may prove to be a crime of fiendish conception, whereby five Galicians, comprising a mother and four children, lost their lives. The names of the victims are Mrs. Hartook aged 34; Mary Hartook, aged 9; MaKay Hartook, aged 7; John Hartook, aged 4, Baby Hartook, aged five months.

The family lived in a log house with a stable near, ten miles east of Russel. The father, Hartook, had been working at Silver Creek. He went home as usual on Saturday night, and as he neared the place found that his house had been partially burned down. It was dark, and never thinking but that his family would be somewhere in the neighborhood, he tramped over to a neighbor's place, only to learn that none of them knew that his house been burned, much less the whereabouts of his family. Returning to his home with lanterns, the terrible sight met his eyes of his wife, with a baby clasped in her arms, lying on the floor of the unconsumed portion of the house, and the three older children lying under a mass of charred sticks, which had fallen on them. These children were all more or less burned, but the mother and baby were not marked in any way. A dog, too, was found dead on the floor. All had been dead some time, as the bodies were frozen hard. Considerable mystery surrounds the affair. It seems the fire was near to the doorway, and escape was probably cut off at that point, but the window was intact and could have been used as an avenue of escape. So unexplainable was the tragedy, that Dr. Wright, the coroner came out from Winnipeg and heard the story. He decided to communicate with the Attorney-General's department with a view to having the matter investigated. It is understood that Dr. Rogers has sent the the stomach of the dogs and one of the children to Winnipeg for analysis. Poisoning, followed by an attempt to cover all traces of the crime by burning the home and the bodies is suggested.

Another theory is that the mother was away from the house and returned to find it burning, and perished in the attempt to save the children This is the more credible, as when found she was fully dressed, and had on an outdoor coat. Other circumstances do not fit in so well with this. However, a theory that will include all the circumstances is very hard to form.

The father is crazed with grief. He is highly regarded as an industrious, careful and sober man, making every effort to succeed in the land of his adoption.

Advertise in The Times, the best medium in the district.

COAL OUTLOOL SERIOUS

Anthracite Now Brings $9 a Ton at Suspension Bridge

Mr. J. H. McClellan returned last night from Buffalo, and in conversation with the Times, said that it was impossible to purchase coal at anything like normal prices. He secured a few cars at $9 per ton at Suspension Bridge. The coal will cost $10.50 on the track in Peterborough, and would be supplied to customers at $11 per ton.

Mr. McClelland regards the coal situation as more serious for Canada than at any time since the trouble began. He says that Toronto, Hamilton, London, and many other cities are in great distress, and with little hope of relief. The scarcity of cars is one of the greatest difficulties in the way. A year ago there was 25,000,000 tons of coal stored in the country dependant on the Pennsylvania mines for their supply. This includes Canada. Not only has this disappeared, but the mines are being worked partially—probably not more than 40 or 50 per cent, of their normal output.

Mr. McClellan thinks that it will be well on in January or February before regular supply can be had.

A PRETTY WEDDING

Nuptials of Mr. D. E. McKenty of Glasgow, Montana, and Miss Susan Smith

On Tuesday morning, St. Joseph's church, Douro, was the scene of a very interesting event, when Mr. D. E. McKenty, of Glasgow, Montana, formerly of Madoc, Ont., and Miss Susan, daughter of the late John Smith, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony, by Rev. Father Kielty.

The bride who wore an elegant travelling suit of blue gray Venetian cloth trimmed with white silk chiffon and applique and white picture hat to match, was attended by her sister, Miss Lucy Smith, while Mr. A. L. McKenty, dentist, Toronto brother of the groom, was best man.

A sumptuous dinner was partaken of by the bridal party, at the conclusion of the ceremony at the residence of the bride's mother.

The bride was the recipient of many choice and useful presents, which testifies to the high regard in which she is held by her many friends. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome cheque, and to the bridesmaid a gold bracelet.

Mr. and Mrs. McKenty will reside at Glasgow, Montana. Their many friends in this community wish them a long and happy married life.

T. M. HUNTER CHOSEN

North Monaghan Selects Mr. Hunter for County Council

A public meeting was held in the town hall, North Monaghan, on Wednesday evening, called by the Reeve. There was a large attendance of electors. Mr. T. E. Bradburn, Reeve, occupied the chair, and stated the object of the meeting, which was to select a candidate for the County Council

It was decided to make a selection by ballot, which was done with the following result:

T. M. Hunter, 26 votes.
T. E. Bradburn, 13 votes.
J. McIntosh, 8 votes.
H. Foster, 1 vote.
P. Costello, 1 vote.

Mr. Hunter was at once declared to be the candidate, and the choice was made unanimous by the meeting.

Mr. Hunter, in a well worded speech, thanked the meeting for the honor conferred upon him, and promised, should he be elected, as he hoped to be, that he would serve his constituents to the best of his ability.

After some further remarks by several ratepayers present, the chairman closed the meeting with cheers for the King.

It is understood that Mr. Costello, who is a member of the County Council, has pledged himself to retire at the end of this year in favor of Mr. Hunter. Should this prove correct, and no other candidate or candidates appear, the election will probably go by acclamation to the present efficient and capable representatives of No. 3 District, Mr. Geo. W. Fitzgerald, and to Mr. Hunter. We believe they would be entirely satisfactory to a large majority of the electors.

The Cause of Dyspeptic Pains

Improperly digested food usually forms gases that cause a painful distention of the stomach and pressure against the heart. This results in much pain and distress, but Nerviline will relieve the distention, dispel the gas, and cure the dyspeptic pains very quickly. Polson's Nerviline is really an excellent remedy for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Cramps, Summer Complaint, and all Stomach and Bowel Troubles. No household is complete without Nerviline. Try a 25 cent bottle.

MOUNT PLEASANT.

—Farmers are engaged in hauling their grain to market, and on their return will have well filled wallets.

—There was very good sleighing for about two days last week, and very little snow will make it good, as the roads are in a good condition.

—The friends of Mr. John Sutcliffe will be glad to learn that his eyesight has improved greatly during the last two or three weeks.

—Report says that the Dixon clan at the time of the flood had no boat of their own, yet we find some of that name as pushers in business.

—The congregation in the Presbyterian church was pleased with the sermon delivered by Rev. W. Kanawin on the Apostle Paul, as also were those of the Methodist church by the very eloquent discourse on the text, "David Served His Generation According to the Will of God, and Fell Asleep."

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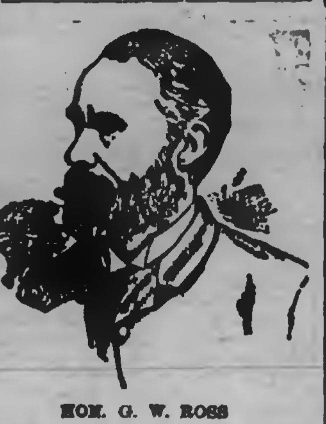
THE BARS WILL PROBABLY REMAIN THE VOTE BELOW REQUIRED NUMBER



HON. G. W. ROSS
the author of the "Liquor Act of 1902."

Peterborough Goes in Strong for the New Liquor Act

And Registers a Majority of 524 for the Temperance Policy

The Result in the Province will Prove a Great Setback to Prohibition

There was little excitement or Commotion yesterday over the polling of the vote on the Liquor Act. One would scarcely know, on passing through the streets, that there was a vote being taken. Few rigs were out, and those that were on duty appeared to be working half-heartedly. The bars were all closed, and prohibition existed at least for one day. In Toronto there was considerable excitement, both parties working very hard. The attitude of the leading business men of the city, as expressed in the protest which appeared in the Toronto papers of Wednesday, must have had a far-reaching effect, and turned the tide against the proposed change in the liquor laws.

It is evident that the failure of the temperance party to poll the required number of votes, viz., 212,723—that and the apathy shown by the people, that prohibition has received a decided set back.

Ontario has voted twice on the abstract principle of prohibition. On Jan. 1, 1894, at the municipal elections, the Ontario Government took the plebiscite of the voters. The question was, "Are you in favor of the prohibition of the liquor traffic?" and 192,489 answered "Yes," and 110,720 "No." The percentage of votes polled to the number of votes on the list was 55.21.

Again in 1898, Sept. 29, the voters were asked to say if they preferred the prohibition of the traffic to the existing state of affairs. The Dominion Government asked for the expression of opinion and in Ontario the affirmative answers numbered 154,498 and the negative answers 115,284. The total vote in the whole Dominion was: Yeas, 278,380; nays, 264,693; majority for prohibition, 13,687.

On the present occasion it looks as though the showing in favor of prohibition was not as strong as on the former occasions. Late returns show that about 152,000 votes were polled in favor of the prohibitory measure, and 147,004 votes went the other way, leaving the temperance people short about 60,000 votes

Some of the other provinces have also had the question voted on independent of the Dominion plebiscite. Manitoba grappled with the question twice. On July 23, 1892, a plebiscite was taken with the result: Yeas, 18,637; nays, 7,115: proportion of votes polled to number of the list, 65.13. Then on April 2 of this year the Roblin Government submitted a referendum after passing a prohibition bill in the house, the same bill that was pronounced valid by the Privy Council, and adopted by the Ontario Government as the Ross Liquor Bill. There was a good deal of dissatisfaction with the referendum, and when the votes were counted the result stood: Yeas, 11,187; nays, 17,404. Consequently the Manitoba Liquor Act does not come into force. Prince Edward Island submitted a plebiscite on Dec. 12, 1893, 10,585 votes being for prohibition, and 3,881 against. The percentage of votes polled to number on the list was 57.82. Nova Scotia voted on March 15, 1895, with the following result: For, 43,756; against, 12,355; percentage of votes polled to number on list 50.40.

APPROXIMATE FIGURES

Votes polled for the Act	101,033
Against	60,469
Majority	40,564
Number of Votes Required	212,723
Votes Polled in Favor of Act	101,033
Short	111,690

The above figures are not correct the returns not being all in, but they are believed to be fairly close.

The following is the result in Peterborough.

PETERBOROUGH.

Div.	For.	Agst.
1—J. McCarthy's	40	42
2—Smith's	43	26
3—Drake's	65	31
4—L. Spry's	72	68
5—Miller's	96	35
6—Council Chamber	73	45
7—Patterson's	64	31
8—Green's	55	26
9—Yelland's	73	27
10—Metheral's	110	27
11—J. McCall's	57	39
12—Routley's	89	29
13—Cameron's	64	34
14—Lee's	39	34
15—Delcher's	49	16
	1065	641

Majority for—424.

ASHBURNHAM.

North Division—64 for, 34 against.
South Division—48 for, 30 against.
Total majority for—48.

OUTSIDE VOTE.

Mattawa, 750 for against, 34 for.
Brockville, 607 for, 543 against.
Port Hope, 278 for, 307 against.
Cornwall, 423 for, 335 against.
Guelph, 1063 for, 714 against.
London, 161 against.
St. Thomas, 861 for, 885 against.
Hamilton, 2068 for, 2225 against.
Lindsay, 1150 for, 640 against.
Woodstock, 228 for, 685 against.
St. Mary's 221 for, 155 against.
Kingston, 25 majority against, (over 300 votes polled.)
Deseronto, 212 for, 172 against.
Arnprior, 177 for, 156 against.
Picton, 165 for, 170 against.
Brampton, 343 for, 123 against.
Toronto Junction, 616 for, 275 against.
Barrie, 478 for, 402 against.
Millbrook, 124 for, 30 against.
Welland, 162 for, 108 against.
Watford, 206 for, 42 against.
Seaforth, 137 for, 312 against.
Waterloo, 100 for, 625 against.
Galt, 606 for.
Palmerston, 179 for, 94 against.
Ridgetown, 268 for, 72 against.
Simcoe, 192 for, 126 against.
Walkerville, 13 for, 235 against.
Perth 214 for, 269 against.
Chatham, 678 for, 658 against.
Paris, 224 for, 246 against.
Mitchell, 196 for, 140 against.
Listowel, 274 for, 168 against.
Hamilton, 2414 for, 2275 against.
Owen Sound, 852 for, 556 against.
St. Catharines, 222 against.
Sarnia, 601 for, 141 against.
Lincoln County, 400 for.
Oshawa, 426 for, 142 against.
Brantford, 1250 for, 946 against.
West Durham, 1150 for, 100 against.
Toronto, 470 for.
Ingersoll, 510 for, 298 against.
Fort William, 363 for, 212 against.
Arthur, 112 for, 73 against.
Prescott, 400 against, 254 for.
Belleville, 500 for, 885 against.
Berlin, 419 for, 1138 against.
Trenton, 250 for, 82 against.
Toronto, 4000 for Act.
North Bay, 215 for, 100 against.
Dufferin, 419 for, 1120 against.
Stormont, 423 for, 333 against.
Ottawa, 3874 for, 4178 against.
West Lambton, 1125 for, 310 against.
Windsor, 947 against.
Delora, 30 for Act.
Rat Portage, 373 for, 333 against.
Port Arthur, 343 for, 222 against.
South Norfolk, 796 for, 388 against.
North Norfolk, 883 for, 155 against.
North Hastings, 806 for, 284 against.
West Hastings, 1004 for, 719 against.
Napanee, 335 for, 30 against.
West Victoria, 1277 for, 673 against.
Napanee 335 for, 30 against.
East Hastings, 834 for, 341 against.
East Simcoe, 2006 for, 1006 against.
East Kent, 912 for, 388 against.
East Middlesex, 1340 for, 255 against.
North Hastings, 836 for, 247 against.
West Northumberland, 1007 for, 408 against.
North Bruce, 1286 for, 465 against.
Prince Edward County, 838 for 277 against.
West Huron, 1062 for Act.
East Northumberland, 1008 for, 275 against.
South Perth, 720 for, 338 against.
South Essex, 874 for, 330 against.

MINERAL WEALTH OF WEST COAST

Montrealer Tells Glowing Story of African Gold Discoveries

MR. BALE ARRIVES IN SYDNEY

Chief Difficulty At Present Moment is That of Transportation — Klondike Miners There

Sydney, N.S., December 4—On the steamer Ulunda, which arrived in port yesterday from Liverpool, was T. S. Bale, of Montreal, who is on his way home from the west coast of Africa, where he has been prospecting in the gold mines, which have been opened up since the seige of Kumasi some three years ago. Mr. Bale states that the prospects of West Africa are beyond conception. Along the Gold coast, which is over six hundred miles in length, gold is everywhere found. Quartz averages 4 1-2 ounces to the ton, and the ore is principally decayed, and therefore easily mined. The gold brings $17.75 per ounce, which is fifty cents more than Australian gold commands, and twenty-five cents more than the best gold in the Klondike. Mining heretofore has been all placer, but an English syndicate has secured concessions is now sending a stamp mill and other machinery, and the first shipment will be made in March.

Coal and iron have just been discovered for over 120 miles from the coast. The transportation problem is the chief difficulty which confronts gold miners, as everything has to be transported by negroes. A railroad is, however, now being built running in a half circle through the gold field from Secnida to Ashanti. Many famous gold miners of Australia and Klondike, Mr. Bale says, are now flocking to the Gold coast. He also states that there is a great demand at good wages for coal miners to work in the gold fields.

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IRELAND'S VICEROY OUTLINES HIS POLICY

Further Passages of Now Famous Speech of New Lord Lieutenant

TO RESPECT NATIONAL WILL

British Empire Cannot be run as a Huge Regiment—Promise to Irish People

Dublin, December 4—The annual dinner of the Incorporated Law Society of Ireland was held in Dublin, Mr. Stanuell, president of the society in the chair. The guests included the Lord Lieutenant, the Lord Chancellor and Sir Antony MacDonnell. The Lord Lieutenant replying to the toast of his health, said that opinions were sometimes expressed with regard to public feeling in Ireland, which would lead one to take a very gloomy view of the situation. He believed that this view was absolutely fallacious. The violent language used in the heat of political controversy very often constituted the greatest obstruction to the progress and development of Ireland, but he thought it very unwise to jump to the conclusion that every apparently disloyal expression necessarily represented the true sentiments either of those who used it or of those to whom it was addressed. It was, however, obvious that freedom of speech must have some limit, and there were occasions in Dublin when it was not the result of Celtic exuberance, but was deliberately used for ends which could not be tolerated. On such occasions the hand of the law must be firm and unflinching, or individual liberty would become a mockery and a snare. He held that a Lord Lieutenant in Ireland should keep as clear as possible from political controversy, but he had allowed himself to say these few words because he wished to make clear at the outset of his political life in Ireland the spirit in which he hoped to approach the responsibilities of his office. At the head of these responsibilities was the duty of maintaining law and order and the upholding at all times of the Government of the King. He was however, most anxious that his relationship with the Irish people should be one of mutual confidence and trust, and he hoped always to have a true and constant regard for their national deeds and traditions. He did not hold the view that a great Empire should be run as a huge regiment, in which each nation should lose its individuality and be brought under a common system of discipline and drill. Individual characteristics formed an essential portion of a nation's life, and sympathetic treatment would help them to enable her to provide her own constitution and to play her own special part in the life of the Empire. It was upon that principle that he should try, as far as he could, to proceed during his term of office, believing firmly that any national development to be lasting and healthy must be spontaneous and must be promoted in the full and constant regard to the special conditions of the country which it affected.

Coasting on the Streets

It has been said that "the ways of men are narrow," but verily they will be narrower if the young ideas do not cease sleigh-riding down Hunter street sidewalk between Rubidge and Bethune streets. All tender thoughts of youth are banished when one is compelled to take to the ditch and, with bated breath, witness the triumphant descent of a sleigh-load of youngsters, who are so full of the joy of life that they are quite careless of the nerves of their elders and also of their own personal safety.

WEATHER [illegible]

Friday—[illegible]

NERVOUSNESS

Or despondency caused by weak unhealthy nerves, are responsible for more sickness and suffering than any other disease. If you have a secret drain from early abuse, later excesses or exposure, you cannot expect healthy nerves while your vitality is being wasted. Do not live out a miserable existence on account of your follies, you are not safe until cured—nature never excuses—no matter how young, old or innocent one may be.

KIDNEYS AND BLADDER.

Have you pain in the back, a dull feeling in the region of the kidneys? At times your water comes freely, a large quantity light in color, while at other times you do not make it quite so freely, it is dark in color, you make a small quantity, or you may have a mucous deposit or brick dust colored sediment; give your condition immediate attention or more serious complications will set in. My treatment is guaranteed as a positive cure for such conditions, and remember you

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PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 5, 1902.

THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK

The outlook for business for the fall and winter is generally favorable. Now that the crops in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories have been safely harvested and are known—both in quality and quantity—to be superior to those in any previous year, a great factor for activity in Canadian trade for some months to come is assured. An immense sum of money will come into the possession of the farmers and stockraisers of Canada for their grain and cattle, and other agricultural products. There will be a large demand for all kinds of manufactures; mortgages on land will be paid off; the deposits in the banks will increase, and the general prosperity of the community will stimulate business in every direction. The influx of population into the country will also have an important and favorable effect on the situation, a large proportion of the immigrants had considerable means and their settlement means an immediate addition to the financial resources of the districts in which they locate. In the course of another year they will largely increase the producing power of the country, and with ordinary weather and other conditions during next summer and autumn, this considerable addition to the population will have a marked effect on the magnitude of the agricultural products of an immense area of rich prairie country. The millowners of Western Ontario have for several months realized the importance of the Northwest as a market for lumber, shingles and other articles.

All reports show that general business in Ontario is in a satisfactory condition. The number of persons employed in the various mills, shops and factories in the Province is larger than at any previous time, and the amount of money disbursed in wages is correspondingly large. The Customs returns; weekly reports of the Clearing House, and other statistics show continuous increases—a clear indication that the general trade and commerce are steadily growing. The agricultural communities in Ontario are in a much more prosperous condition than they were a few years ago. They have had good crops, and prices have been generally satisfactory.

DISTRICT NEWS

SOUTH MONOGHAN.

After a long life of 81 years, Mr. William Emberson departed this life at his home on lot 11 in the 2nd concession of South Monoghan on Friday morning last.

Deceased was an old resident of Monaghan, having lived in the township since 1844, and was respected by all who knew him, as his life was as full of good deeds as it was full of years. He leaves to mourn his loss six sons and one daughter. They are Alexander, James, William, John and Maggie, of Monoghan, Thomas, of York, and Robert, who is now a missionary in Japan, but they find comfort in the blessed assurance of meeting him on the bright resurrection morn.

The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon last to the Methodist cemetery and was largely attended.

BENSFORT.

V class—Jessie Emberson, Henie Chambers. Senior IV—Frank Buckham, Scott Kerr, Stuart Thompson. Junior IV—Millie Thomson, Hazel Thompson, Alma Finnie, Nettie Finnie. Senior III.—Miss Smith, Jennie Harvey, Sidney Smith, Sterling Wedlock, Maggie Emberson, Harry Finnie, Mary Nicholson. Junior III—Harry Thompson, Jennie McLaurin, Senior II—Violet Thompson, Willie Merriton, Laura Finnie, Della Emberson, Lawrence Finnie. Senior Part II —Ezra Fletcher, Della Wedlock, Wilson Crowling, Jim Finnie, Harry Nicholson. Part I— A—Ethel Buckham, Marjorie Finnie. B—Maggie Thompson, George Nurse, Tom Nurse C—Rachel Finnie, Edmund Merriton, Janie Hughson.

Lillian M. Murrel, teacher.

S. S. NO. 1, OTONABEE.

IV. Class —Jessie Harvey, Maggie Dickson, Gavin Shearer. III. Class, Sr —Lizzie Dickson, Jennie Wood, Aggie Wood. III. Class, Jr.—Willie Hastie, Annie Sims, Vina Shearer. II Class Sr—May Steele, Aggie Dickson, Mary Robertson. II Class Jr —Stuart Richardson, Rena Shearer, Bessie Hastie. Part II Class—Bessie Shearer, Jimmy Fortune and Jenny Walker, equal; Gordon Wood. I. Class — Bella Wood, Mabel Steele and Stanley Walker, equal; John Richardson.

S. A. Smitham, teacher.

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THE TIMES LETTER-BOX

Letters From the People on Interesting Topics

NOTE.—The Times does not hold itself in any way responsible for the opinions expressed by its correspondents.—Ed. Times.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE DEFENDED

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir—In a recent issue of your paper a correspondent signing himself "M. M" criticizes Mrs. Eddy's recent advice to Christian Scientists to refrain from treating contagious diseases for the present. As Mrs. Eddy has just issued an explanation of her position on the subject, I can do no better than to quote her own words.

"When, under the protection of State or United States laws, good citizens are arrested for manslaughter because one out of three of their patients, having the same disease and in the same family, dies while the others recover, we naturally turn to Divine justice for support and wait on God. Christian Scientists should be influenced by their own judgement in the taking of a case of malignant disease, they should consider well as to their ability to cope with the case—and not overlook the fact that there are those lying in wait to catch them in their sayings; neither should they forget that, in their practice, whether successful or not, they are not specially protected by law. The above quotation stand for this: inherent justice, constitutional individual rights, self-preservation, and the Gospel injunction, "Cast not your pearls before swine, lest they trample them under foot and turn again and rend you."

And it stands side by side with Christ's command, "Whosoever shall smite thee on thy right cheek, turn to him the other also." I abide by this rule, and triumph by it. The sinner may sneer at this beatitude, for "the fool hath said in his heart, No God." It is known that the good young student, Mr. Lathrop, after he was prosecuted for practising Christian Science, finished healing the cases of diphtheria that he had on hand. Statistics show that this Science cures a larger per cent. of malignant diseases than does materia medica.

"I call disease by its name, and have cured it thus; so there is nothing new on this score. My book Science and Health names disease, and thousands are healed by reading its name and learning that so-called disease is a sensation of mind, not matter. Evil minds signally blunder in Divine Metaphysics; hence I am always saying the unexpected to them. The evil mind calls it "skulking," when to me it is wisdom to "overcome evil with good." I fail to know how one can be a Christian, and yet depart from Christ's teachings."

Thanking you for your courtesy, I remain, Yours respectfully,

Toronto, Nov. 28.

C. R. MUNRO.

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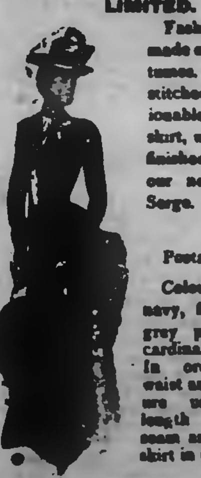

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Ash	5.23
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TITLES.

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100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
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July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

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1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000

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NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
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Incidentals	25,000.00	
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Secretary and Treasurer, 721 Equitable Building, Denver, Col.

When writing mention this paper.

Money in Oil

Special Despatch to the Ontario & California Oil Co, Limited:

Chatham, Dec. 1, 1902.

The Gusher was turned on to-day, and in five hours filled up all the Standard Oil Company's available tankage—so far has given one thousand barrels, at the rate of fifty barrels per hour.

Talk about dividends, talk about advance in value—what investment will compare with this?—Figure it out—OIL two dollars per barrel—means earning one hundred dollars per hour—ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS invested in this Syndicate a few weeks ago—NOW ACTUALLY WORTH FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

REASONS WHY	REASONS WHY
Stock in the Ontario and California Oil Co. may prove just as profitable within the next few weeks.	Prompt action on your part is required

1.—The Ontario and California Oil Co., Limited, is a home company, organized under the laws of Ontario, shares fully paid and non-assessable, built and equipped on the right principle—TO PAY PROFITS AND DIVIDENDS—when earned from the ground, and this object attained—NO STOCK FOR SALE BY THIS COMPANY.

2.—Owns the oil leases on one thousand acres, and are next door neighbors of the Big Gusher owners.

3.—Several drilling rigs NOW at different points on the Company's properties under the direction of the best oil men in Petrolea, men who are oil men in the full sense of the word (not speculators)—connected with oil refineries and the largest oil interests in Canada, and these oil men came to this Company, made their offers, put their money in, and are joining in the development of a large block of the Company's properties.

4.—Ten days to two weeks will complete a well. FIVE WELLS are being put down as fast as men and money can do it.

5.—One may be a gusher, or all may be gushers; in either case the advance will be REAL, and a few weeks will bring you greater profits than you ever dreamed of.

RISK! Yes—so there is in everything—otherwise you would not have the chance of buying One Thousand Shares for Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars, which in Thirty Days may be worth One Thousand to Ten Thousand Dollars. Masterly inactivity has missed many an opportunity to make a fortune—don't wait now and wish later on.

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An investment is offered in Boston which combines safety, [illegible] with BRADLEY, [illegible] South Market Street, Boston, Mass.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 5, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Beet Sugar Meeting

A mass meeting of all interested in the establishment of a beet sugar factory in Peterborough, will be held in the market hall to-morrow, Saturday afternoon, at 1.30 o'clock p.m., to receive the reports from the delegates who visited Berlin last week. It is to be hoped that there will be a large attendance not only of farmers but also of citizens.

Sergeants' Mess

At the regular monthly meeting of the Non-Coms. in the Sergeants' Mess on Simcoe street, no business of importance was transacted. The next business meeting will be held on the first Wednesday of January next. The Mess this year is highly appreciated by all and should be a huge success.

Wants Another Husband

Lindsay Post: Mrs. Davies, the woman who corresponded with a Michigan man a couple of weeks ago, and whose four children were taken by the Children's Aid Society, as an act of charity, passed through from Haliburton yesterday to Toronto. Although her husband is still living in Haliburton, she is in search of another man. She may visit Michigan in search of the old sport who was so anxious to get married last summer.

The Guelph Show

The Times is in receipt of an official program for the Ontario Provincial Winter Fair. The fair will include the Provincial Fat Stock and Dairy Show and the Ontario Show. The affair will take place at Guelph from December 8th to 12th. Mr. A. W. Smith is president, and Mr. A. P. Westervelt, secretary.

The Golf Club Dance

It has been decided to hold the annual dance of the Peterborough Golf Club on the evening of December 29th. This has always been one of the most prominent social functions of the season, and the coming event will be looked forward to with great interest by the lovers of terpsichorean art in Peterborough. Further particulars will be announced later.

DISCOVERY OF COFFEE

Made By An Arabian Shepherd

Coffee was discovered in the sixth century by an Arabian shepherd, who having observed the goats of his flock skip about and show other signs of intoxication, after eating the coffee berry, concluded to try its effects on himself, and thus discovered its exhilarating property.

This discovery proved the poor shepherd's undoing, for he indiscriminately used large quantities, green, for its exhilarating effect and soon died, poisoned by its use.

In the sixteenth century, it was introduced into France, and was used so strong and excessively, particularly by the Parisians that it was found to injure alike the complexion and digestion. This discovery prevented its general introduction into other European countries for the next century.

Since that period, its growth has gradually spread through the civilized world, despite the fact that pain and destruction follow its path, dyspepsia having been hardly known before its introduction. It is a "nerve stimulant" and narcotic poison, and though in no sense a food, is used for its stimulating principle. Caffeine which excites the nerves unnaturally and wastes the reserve force of the body. Coffee drives the nerves for a time, stimulating them beyond their natural function, and using up all their reserve force. After the first effects are past, comes breaking down of the nerve centre and general nervous derangement. Following this in many but not all cases, is a long train of misery, among which the principal symptoms are dryness in mouth and throat, headache, biliousness, pains in stomach, or abdomen, pain in eyes and head, loss of appetite, dyspepsia, and so on through a long, long list, but the one cause of all the different symptoms is the same.

The nerves have been broken down; their reserve force is gone. Many of the symptoms of poisoning are —extreme nervousness, restlessness and anguish of mind and heart, excessive relaxation of body and brain, gloominess, inability to think correctly, sleeplessness at night, drowsiness in the morning etc.

A lady from Sebastopol, Cal., writes, "I was a sick and poisoned woman when I began to use Postum Food Coffee in place of coffee and after two years' steady use, I find that Postum soothes the nerves and builds them up, storing reserve strength and force for time of need, enabling one to sleep well, awake refreshed and bright for each day's task; it digests easily, builds and tones up the stomach and also builds up a good strong brain, ready for any mental strain or toil." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

A Quiet Wedding

At St. Luke's church Wednesday morning, Mr. Alfred Gill, jr., son of Mr. Alfred Gill, of Nassau, was united in marriage to Miss Rebecca Dixon, daughter of Mr. David Dixon, of Smith. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, Rector of St. Luke's. Miss Dixon, sister of the bride, performed the duties of bridesmaid, while Mr. Bert Byers supported the groom. The happy young couple have taken up their residence in Ashburnham.

A Well Kept House

The delegation who visited Berlin last week put up at the Walper House, and were delighted with the way they were treated. This first class hotel is under the management of Mr. J. T. Ellis, brother of Mr. James Ellis, formerly with the C.P.R. here. "Jack" as he is familiarly known by his many friends, left no stone unturned to make it pleasant for the Peterborough crowd. They all came away carrying with them pleasant recollections of their visit, and the famous Walper hostlery. It is proposed to make another trip to the pretty German city in a short time, to give those who did not go on the last, an opportunity of visiting Berlin. To all such we would say, go to the Walper House, and you will come away delighted.

Died Shovelling Snow

Francis Adams, Omemee, who has lived alone for a number of years, was shovelling snow off his verandah on Tuesday morning. He was observed lying in the snow by passersby, and was dead when carried into the house. Heart failure was the cause of death. Deceased was unmarried and had considerable property. He is survived by two brothers, William Adams, of Omemee County, councillor and John Adams, of Winnipeg, manager for Massey-Harris Company.

Mr. Jeffries Honored

On Tuesday evening last, Mr. J. J. Jeffries, of the Collegiate institute staff, was presented on the occasion of his 50th birthday, with an address, accompanied by a unique piece of silverware, in the shape of a shaving strop and holder by a number of his personal friends in town, who invaded his handsome home for the purpose. The address, which referred in eloquent terms to Mr. Jeffries' excellent qualities was read by Mr. A. W. Cressman, who punctuated the subject matter with comments of a humorous character, to which Mr. Jeffries replied in suitable terms. The party separated after spending a delightful evening, not, however, before wishing the popular host many happy returns of the auspicious occasion, coupling his name with that of Mrs. Jeffries, whose charming manner makes her an ideal hostess.

Piano Tuning

Mr. James Maitland, representing Heintzman & Co., Toronto, will be in Peterborough, Dec. 1st, and remain one week and would be pleased to tune and repair any persons piano or organ. Leave orders at C. B. Routley's store.

The Guelph Winter Fair

For the above, the Grand Trunk will issue round trip tickets at single first class fare from points in Canada west of Kingston. Good going Dec. 7th to 12th, inclusive, and valid returning until Dec. 15th. The Fair promises to be a great success this year. with new buildings and increased exhibits. $7,000 will be offered as prizes for cattle, sheep, swine and poultry. Further particulars, time tables, etc., on application to Agents of the Grand Trunk Railway.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature either by phone or in writing—[Ed. Times]

—His Lordship Bishop O'Connor was in Toronto yesterday.

—Rev. Father McColl and Rev. Dr. O'Brien have returned from Montreal.

—Mr. J. W. Learn, representing the Canada Metal Company, Toronto, was in town yesterday, calling on the many customers of the company here.

—The many friends of Mr. Alex. Rutherford, of Ashburnham, are pleased to see him again on the streets, after his serious illness. His visit to Toronto was very beneficial.

—Rev. J. H. Oliver, of Listowel, who was one of the temperance speakers Wednesday night, was the guest of Mr. R. A. Hamilton.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. Wills and Mr. and Mrs. E. Good, are spending a few days in Toronto, where they will attend the marriage of Miss Lovina Wills, niece of Mr. H. Wills.

—Mr. J. Middleton, of Smith, who was mentioned a few days ago as having moved to town, has purchased the residence of Mr. J. T. Lang, on Water street, and will, with his family, shortly take up his residence there. The Times extends a cordial welcome to citizen Middleton.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The brickwork on the new rink has been completed.

—All the steamers have now gone into winter quarters.

—There is said to be good sleighing in the north country.

—Work on the new rink is progressing splendidly under the management of Contractor Langford.

—The Times has a batch of letters on the referendum that came in too late for publication.

—Many complaints are being made regarding the condition of the streets of the town. They were never in worse shape.

—A Chicago firm proposes to build a large shoe factory in Lindsay, provided the town will advance $10,000 by way of loan.

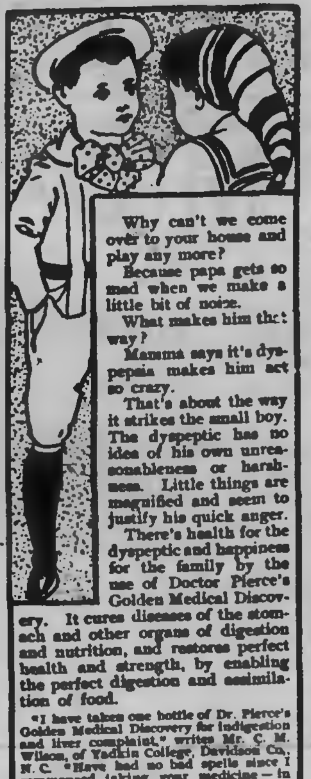
—A splendid line of Christmas goods has been opened out at the Times Bookstore. The cheapest place in town for holiday presents.

—The Ladies' Reading Circle of St. Peter's T.A.S. will hold their next literary evening to-night. An interesting paper will be read by Miss K. McGrath.

—The annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society will be held this afternoon in the Town Council Chamber. All friends and members of the society are requested to attend.

—The members of Labor Union, No. 9200, are requested to be present this evening at the meeting, when important business will be transacted.

—On account of the pressure on our columns, a considerable amount of local matter that should have appeared in our issue of yesterday, has been held over till to-day.



Why can't we come over to your house and play any more?

Because papa gets so mad when we make a little bit of noise.

What makes him that way?

Mamma says it's dyspepsia makes him act so crazy.

That's about the way it strikes the small boy. The dyspeptic has no idea of his own unreasonableness or harshness. Little things are magnified and seem to justify his quick anger.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cleanse and regulate the bowels.

BY LAW NUMBER ____

A By-law to Borrow Twenty Thousand Dollars for Public Works and Permanent Improvements in the Town of Peterborough

Passed the day of December, 1902

WHEREAS it is necessary to rebuild and repair certain bridges over the creek in the Town of Peterborough, and for paying the cost thereof it will be necessary to borrow the sum of Five thousand dollars.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient in order to relieve the sewerage system on George Street at Hunter, Simcoe, Charlotte and Dalhousie Streets from the burden of carrying away storm and surface water, and to prevent the injury of the sewers by the deposit of sediment to construct a separate system of sewers or drains to carry away such storm and surface water, and it is also necessary to change the height of certain of the manholes in the present sewer system and for paying the cost of the said works it will be necessary to raise the sum of Five thousand dollars.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to adopt a system of street improvements for portions of the Town by putting down a more permanent road bed than has hitherto been done and to pay for the same by the issue of debentures instead of out of the current year's revenue and it will be necessary to raise the sum of ten thousand dollars for that purpose.

AND WHEREAS in order to raise the sum of twenty thousand dollars required for the purposes aforesaid it will be necessary to issue the debentures of the said Corporation for the said amount.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the Municipality according to the last revised assessment roll being for the year 1902 is the sum of four million three hundred and sixty-eight thousand one hundred and fifty dollars ($4,368,150.)

AND WHEREAS the amount of the existing debenture debt of the Municipality, exclusive of local improvement debt, but including the debt of $230,000 incurred for the purchase of the waterworks, is the sum of Five hundred and five thousand, eight hundred and eleven dollars and fifty-eight cents ($505,811.58) and there is no part of the principal or interest in arrear.

AND WHEREAS for the purpose of paying the interest on the said Debentures, and providing a sinking fund for the payment of same at maturity, it will be necessary to raise each year during the currency of the debentures by special rate the sum of $1544.38.

The Corporation of the Town of Peterborough by the Council thereof, therefore enacts as follows:—

1. This Bylaw shall take effect on the date of the final passing thereof.

2. It shall and may be lawful for the Corporation of the Town of Peterborough to borrow the sum of twenty thousand dollars, and to issue debentures of the said Corporation for the said sum, such debentures to be sealed with the Corporate Seal of the town of Peterborough, and to be signed by the Mayor and Treasurer and countersigned by the Secretary of the Commissioners of the Peterborough Town Trust, to be payable within twenty years after issue thereof and to bear interest at the rate of four per cent. payable half yearly on the thirtieth day of June and the thirty-first day of December in each year and to have coupons attached thereto for the payment of such interest. Such debentures, as to principal and interest, to be payable at the office of the Secretary of the Commissioners of the Peterborough Town Trust in the Town of Peterborough.

3. There shall be raised and levied during each year of the currency of the said debentures by a special rate upon all of the property in the Town of Peterborough liable thereto the sum of $800 for payment of the interest and $744.38 as a sinking fund for the payment of the said debt at the maturity thereof, making together the sum of $1544.38.

4. The proceeds of the said debentures when sold shall be applied as follows:

A sum not exceeding five thousand dollars for the rebuilding and repair of bridges over the creek in the Town of Peterborough;

A sum not exceeding five thousand dollars for the construction of sewers or drains to carry off storm and surface water from Hunter, Simcoe, Charlotte and Dalhousie streets and in changing the height of such manholes in the present sewerage system as may be necessary;

A sum not exceeding ten thousand dollars in permanent road construction.

5. The votes of the duly qualified electors of the Town of Peterborough shall be taken upon this By-law on MONDAY, the FIFTH DAY of JANUARY, 1903, commencing at the hour of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and closing at the hour of 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, at the following polling places and before the following Deputy Returning Officers respectively, that is to say:

WARD NO. 1

Polling Sub-division No. 1.—At M. H. Halpin's shop, corner of George and Perry Streets. Angus Williams to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 2.—At Lewis Spry's shop, Stewart Street. Joseph Lundy to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 2

Polling Sub-division No. 3.—At the Town Council Chamber. Charles Cameron to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 4.—At Greene Bros.' store, Charlotte Street. J. M. Greene to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 3

Polling Sub-division No. 5.—At J. & W. Metheral's shop, Aylmer Street. Joseph Metheral to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 6.—At Wm. McCall's shop, McDonnell Street. John Irwin to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 4

Polling Sub-division No. 7.—At Wm. Lee's shop, Smith Street. George W. Powell to be Deputy Returning Officer.

6. The 6th day of January 1903 at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, and the Town Council Chamber are hereby fixed as the time when and the place where the Clerk will sum up the number of votes given for and against the By-law.

7. The 3rd day of January, 1903, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, and the office of the Town Clerk are hereby fixed as the time and place for the appointment of persons to attend at the various polling places and at the final summing up of the votes by the Clerk respectively, on behalf of the persons interested in, and promoting or opposing the passing of the By-law respectively.

NOTICE

Take notice that the foregoing is a true copy of a proposed By-law which has been taken into consideration and which will be finally passed by the Council of the Town of Peterborough (in the event of the assent of the electors being obtained thereto) after one month from the first publication hereof in the Morning Times newspaper, the date of which first publication is the fifth day of December, 1902, and that at the hour, day and places therein fixed for taking the votes of the electors the polls will be held.

S. R. ARMSTRONG.

Town Clerk.

A Correction

Through a typographical blunder our heading of yesterday's report of the Council meeting was made to read "$300,000 for bridges and street improvements." It should have read as written and specified in the body of the report, "$20,000 for Bridges and Street Improvements."

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Closing Navigation

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NO RECOGNITION OF THE MINERS UNION

Government Coal Strike Arbitrators Seem to Make This Plain

THE COMMISSION ONCE MORE RESUMES WORK

Judge Gray Announces That the Proceedings Are Based Entirely on the Operators' Letter to the Public—That Barred Out Recognition—Judge Gray Says It Has the Force of a Contract

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 6—A declaration that is too plain to be misunderstood that it is not the intention of the anthracite strike commission to recognize the union and the introduction of the testimony of the first woman to be called in the inquiry were the features of the session of the commission held today.

After a few additional questions had been asked of John Mitchell, the counsel for the miners took up the task of examining miners and other witnesses summoned here from the Hazleton regions. A matter that excited considerable interest was the relation that the mining firm of Coxe Bros., incorporated, bears to the inquiry of the commission. This was brought in question as soon as witnesses from the Hazleton region were called. Coxe Bros. are not represented before the commission. They have, however, sent a letter to the commission saying that they will abide by the decision that the arbitrators reach.

Mr. Wolverton, representing other companies that have filed statements, objected to the introduction of testimony relative to conditions at the Coxe Bros.' mines, saying that he did not think that they were parties to the controversy. He wanted a decision from the commission covering that point.

There was considerable hesitancy upon the part of the arbitrators before this was answered. Judge Gray announced that the commission would hear the testimony and if it was decided that Coxe Bros. are not parties to the controversy then the evidence could be stricken out.

In opening the session Judge Gray announced that all who desired to become parties to the hearing and expect to be bound by its decision must enter their appearance on record by 10 o'clock tomorrow morning and not later.

Judge Gray then said that the recess was declared by the commission for the purpose of giving time to prepare statistics on such matters as could be ascertained with a certainty by proper accountants. He added:

"The commission also wishes to say that parties to the investigation and award may not withdraw from here without the consent of the other parties to the controversy. We shall be glad to have the entire field represented in this investigation, and the entire subject covered before any award can be made."

"We have already said that the power of the commission rests upon the letter of the operators to the public and accepted by the miners through Mr. Mitchell. Each party who has appeared under the terms of that letter, must remain until the matter is concluded, or until the other side says he may go. They have all entered into contract to arbitrate, and one side cannot abrogate that contract without the consent of the other side."

This remark was taken to represent the attitude of the commission toward the matter of the recognition of the union. The letter of the operators referred to barred from the consideration of the operators the matter of granting to the union the recognition that it craved.

Mr. Darrow, for the miners, said that up to date the counsel for the miners have only received figures from the Deleware and Hudson company. He said that he mentioned this so that the commission would excuse them if they put in their evidence out of the proper order.

John Mitchell was here recalled to the stand and questioned as to how much an increase of 10 per cent. in wages would increase the price that each company would have to pay for a ton of coal. Mr. Mitchell said it would mean an increase of about 20 cents a ton. Some figures show it to be 17 cents and some as low as ten cents. Mr. Darrow then had several miners sworn who will be called later to testify.

Mr. Mitchell was then questioned very closely by several attorneys as to his reasons for saying that the companies since the strike of 1900 had increased the price of coal to a figure much beyond the increased cost of production. Mr. Mitchell admitted that his figures might not be absolutely correct. One of his statements was to the effect that the companies do not object so much to increasing wages as they do to recognizing the union.

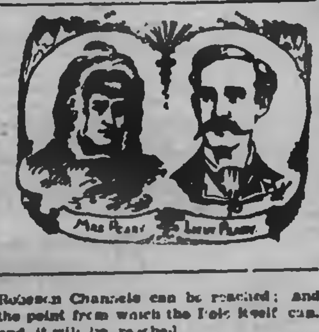
Photographs were introduced to identify pictures of miners' homes taken near Hazelton. Gen. Wilson asked Mr. Darrow if they were pictures of the worst homes. Mr. Darrow answered that they were, but his colleague, Mr. McCarthy, of Hazleton, answered that they were not.

POSSIBLE TO REACH POLE

Lieutenant Peary Says That it Can Be Done With Proper Care

It is the Duty of America to Discover the World's Prize

But Canada May get There First Just the Same



Washington, December 5—Lieutenant Robert E. Peary, the Artic explorer, delivered an address before the National Geographical Society on the subject of Arctic exploration.

After discussing the Arctic exploration of the past, Mr. Peary, speaking of the future said—

"In spite of the amount of work which has been done in the North polar regions during the past few years, the work is not completed. The Archipelago of Franz Josefland has, it is true, been delimited, and its northern terminus removed from the field of uncertainty. The lands north of the North American Archipelago and west of Ellesmere Land, have also been delimited as to their north coasts. The northern terminus of the Greenland Archipelago has been rounded, and America holds the record for the most northerly land in the world, the northern point of the largest of the North Polar land groups. But there are still several gaps to be filled before the North Polar work can be considered as finished.

And the head of the Smith Sound "gate way to the Pole" is the central point from which to close this work. It is the point from which can be reached and determined the stretch of still unknown coast on the eastern shore of Greenland, reaching from Cape Bismarck to Cape Parish; the point from which can be reached and determined the interior ramifications of the great Fjord; system of Northern Greenland;; the point from which can be reached and determined the gap in the coast line on the west coast of Grinnell Land, between Aldrich's farthest and Sverdrup's farthest, the point from which the practically unknown land along the eastern side of Kennedy and Robeson Channels can be reached; and the point from which the Pole itself can, and it will be reached.

It may seem to indicate over confidence to state today that the Pole can be reached and yet it is a fact, even though the struggle for it has been going on unsuccessfully for years and years. Each time we have come a little nearer and each time we have learned a little more.

I say to you here tonight that it is not an impossibility; that it can be done: that it is no more difficult than any of the great projects which we see being pushed to completion every day, and which require money, persistence, hard work and some ability to bring to full fulfilment.

The man who has the proper party, the proper equipment and the proper experience and can start fresh from the northern coast of Grinnel Land, with the earliest light of February, will hold within his grasp the last great geographical prize that earth has to offer, a prize which ranks with the prize which Columbus won, and will win fame for himself and for his countrymen fame that will last as long as human life exists upon the globe. Granting this, shall we let others win the prize from us?

It should and must be won by American dollars, American energy and American ability.

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NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL.

Results of the Vote for Mayor and Alderman

ALD. ROGER STILL LEADS

For Mayor.—Ald. Morrison in Second Place for Alderman

The Names of Messrs. Thomas Barrie and Alex. Gibson Added to the List.—Mr. Robert Fair Named for Mayor.

Up to date Ald. G. M. Roger still leads for Mayor, while Mayor Denne, by his refusal to accept a third term, retires from the field. Mr. Robert Fair's name has been added to the Mayoralty list as a result of recent voting.

For Alderman the three leaders retain their place, while Mr. R. F. McWilliams secures fourth place. Mr. Geo. Matthews has made substantial progress toward the head of the list, and the names of Messrs. Alex. Gibson and Thos. Barrie have been added.

FOR MAYOR

Ald. Roger	250
Ald. Best	235
Robert Neil	190
H. LeBrun	165
Ald. Shortly	120
Robert Fair	35

FOR ALDERMAN.

A. W. Cressman	275
Ald. Morrison	260
Ald. Best	240
R. F. McWilliams	220
Ald. Rush	210
E. F. Mason	200
Robert Fair	185
Ald. Shortly	180
Ald. Corkery	170
Wm. Medill	165
Geo. Matthews	150
Ald. Batten	140
Dickson Davidson	140
Geo. W. Morrow	130
W. Salisbury	130
Ald Turner	125
Ald. McGregor	125
A. E. Dickson	120
A. Macfarlane	115
R. R. Layfield	100
W. E. Conway	100
Ald. Clinkscale	100
H. LeBrun	90
Jno. Howden	85
Geo. Elliott	85
Kelsey Hall	75
Alex. Gibson	40
Thos. Barrie	35

A LEVEL HEAD.

A merchant writes:—"Please record my vote for Ald. Morrison, whom I consider one of the level heads of the council. He at all times has the courage of his convictions, and looks at both sides of a question before venturing on an opinion."

THE COMING MAYOR.

A mechanic writes:—"I vote for Ald. G. M. Roger for Mayor. I believe him to be the most able man on our present council and in every way worthy to be Mayor Denne's successor. His whole public career stamps him a man who believes in safeguarding the interests of the citizens without fear or favor."

GOOD ROADS.

A ratepayer writes:—Ald. Best has struck the key-note of economy in the matter of our roads. His by-law to spend $30,000 on roads and bridges is indeed a move in the right direction. $10,000 spent in constructing sensible road beds and for storm drainage, will avoid a continual waste of money on our roads to no purpose, and at the same time give us decent roads which will also be of a permanent nature. I take much pleasure in making my coupon for Ald. Best for Mayor."

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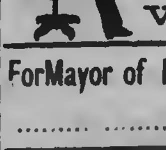

5 Votes

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LILIUOKALANI SEEKS MONEY

Former Queen of Hawaii in Washington to Make Demands on Congress

Washington, Dec. 6.—Mrs. Dominis formerly Queen Liliuokalani of Hawaii arrived in Washington tonight, accompanied by John D. Aimoku, her secretary and Myra Heleluhe, her companion. She will renew her effort this winter to secure reimbursement from Congress for the loss of the Crown Lands in Hawaii.

A "SEA-SAW" OF DEATH

Americans Driven One Way By Cossacks the Other Way By Turks

Vienna, Dec. 6—Die Information reports that 50,000 Armenians are being done to death on the Turko-Caucasian frontier. They fled from Turkey during the recent massacres, but a decree of the Czar expelled them from Russian territory, and the Cossacks drove them to the frontier.

Now Turkey refuses to permit them to cross the border. With Cossack knouts behind and Turkish sabres before them, the refugees are unable to move. They are exposed to severe cold, and are deprived of the barest necessities of life. Their sufferings are terrible, and they are said to be dying by hundreds from exposure and starvation.

BILLION BUSHELS OF WHEAT A YEAR

Manager of Great Northern Prophesies About Our North West

ROOM FOR MANY RAILWAYS

Vast Region Has Great Future But at Present They are Not Invading It

Montreal, Dec. 5—"Just at present we are staying at home and looking after our own business, which keeps us pretty busy. No, I do not know that it is Mr. Hill's intention just at present either to invade your Northwest wheat belt, or the Province of British Columbia."

The speaker was Mr. J. F. Stevens, the genreal manager of the Great Northern Railway, of which Mr. J. J. Hill is president, and who was passing through Montreal today paid, as he called it, a friendly visit upon Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and Mr. McNicholl, of the Canadian Pacific.

"What do you think of the Grand Trunk's new Pacific project?"

"I think it is a grand thing for the Grand Trunk and a grand thing for Canada; it's just what you want to open up your country."

"You consider than there is ample room for more railway expansion in our western country?"

"Room? Why that country up there is so vast you Eastern people have no conception of its possibilities. Do you know that within a few years they will be producing a billion bushels of wheat a year there? Room for another road! I should think so; room for half a dozen roads to open up, settle and develop that vast region."

"Is it more fertile than your western prairies?"

"Well, it is just as fertile, anyway."

"Did you have a good crop out West this year?"

"Splendid. We have carried over a hundred million bushels ourselves for local consumption and exports."

"What do you think of the American exodus into the Canadian Northwest?"

"It's a good thing for Canada, I guess, but there's plenty good people left behind, enough to keep the Great Northern doing all the figuring it can to keep them attended to."

"The statement has been made by Mr. J. N. Greenshields, solicitor for the Canadian Northern that you intend building from your present terminal at Midway into Vancouver."

"As I have stated, we are staying at home at the present; that's all I can say."

"How is your trans-Pacific trade doing. You are building some new steamers to compete with the Canadian Pacific, are you not?"

"At present we are doing our Pacific business by means of the Japanese company to Manilla, but we are building two vessels at London, Conn., for the service."

"They are pretty large, are they not?"

"The largest in the world."

"What tonnage?"

"They will have a registered tonnage of 28,000 tons and develop a speed of 12,000 horse power."

"Then they are principally for freight?"

"Yes."

"What kind of freight do you expect to carry between the Pacific coast and Manilla?"

"We don't know yet but we anticipate doing a regular trade with the Orient, with India, Japan, China, and the East Indian Islands."

General trade, Mr. Stevens said, was exceedingly brisk in the West, and he saw no signs of a let-up in the prosperity which the United States and Canada was enjoying. The Great Northern was continuing that policy which Mr Hill had enunciated so forcibly developing the resources of the country tributary to it.

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PART OF CREW LEFT THE SHIP IN MID OCEAN

A Strange Occurrence on the British Ship Leceister Castle

Queenston, Dec. 6.—The British ship Leicester Castle, Captain Peattie, from San Francisco, July 26, arrived here today. Her commander reported that on September 3, three American seamen mutinied, and Captain Peattie and his second officer were shot, the latter fatally, after an encounter with the mutineers, who left the ship on a raft in mid-ocean.

FURTHER DETAILS.

Queenstown, Dec. 6.—Captain Peattie gives the names of the mutineers as W. A. Hobbs, Earnest Sears, and Turner. They were all shipp d in San Francisco.

The second officer, Mr. Nixon, was shot while attempting to rescue the captain. In the darkness the mutineers got a few planks and coops, formed a raft, and launched it from the ship, which was then about 300 miles north of the Pitcairn Islands. The captain searched for the raft next day, but it was not sighted, and it is surmised that it went to pieces.

NOT MUCH FEAR OF ANY SERIOUS DIFFICULTY

Possibility of Trouble Between the States and Britain and Germany

Washington, Dec. 5.—There is no ground for alarmist stories which are being printed over the possibility of collision between the United States on the one hand, and Germany and Great Britain on the other, over the coercive measures about to be applied by the two last mentioned powers for the purpose of collecting debts due German and British subjects. Naturally, the Administration is a little nervous lest some untoward act should precipitate a serious situation which might involve the United States. But if Germany and Great Britain keep within the lines indicated in the correspondence, which preceded the present demonstration, there will be no infraction of the Munroe Doctrine, and consequently, no trouble for the United States. The attitude of the Administration with reference to just such a state of affairs as has arisen with reference to the Venezuelan Government, was stated by Roosevelt in his first message to Congress, in which he said: 'The Monroe Doctrine is a declaration that there must be no territorial aggrandizement by any non-American power at the expense of any American power on American soil. It is in nowise intended as hostile to any nation in the Old World. This doctrine has nothing to do with the commercial relations of any American power, save that in truth it allows each of them to form such as it desires. We don't guarantee any State against punishment if it misconducts itself, provided that punishment does not take the form of acquisition of territory by any non-American power.'

HER PARROT GAVE THE ALARM

It Shouted, "Mamma Get Up; a Burglar is Trying to Get In."

Syracuse, Dec. 6—Mrs. C. E. Pratt, of the Kenyon awoke early this morning to the call of her parrott, who was shouting, "Mamma, get up; a burglar is trying to get in. At the same time she heard some one trying to get in a window. She leaped out of bed, grabbed a revolver, and, running to a side door fired three shots. The whole neighborhood was aroused and two policeman came running to her assistance. Polly continued to scream, "Shoot them." Mrs. Pratt stood cooly in the doorway, but no burglars appeared.

Mrs. Pratt is the wife of a South American tobacco grower and her husband is away. She says her parrott is almost human and has been all over the world with her. That the bird was not deceived is proved by a woman who lives upstairs in the same department. She saw a man running away when the shots were fired.

—Mr. Edward Young has engaged a number of men to cut wood at Deer Bay this winter.

LEOPOLD IS GRATEFUL FOR PUBLIC SYMPATHY

Marks of Attachment Following His Escape from Anarchist

Wool Combers and Spinners' Case Against the German Tariffs as Revised—Italian bill Met with Disaster

London, Dec. 5.—The following message from King Leopold, in regard to Anarchist Rubino's attempt upon his life has appeared in the Belgian Official Gazette, and is quoted by a Brussels correspondent: "The King is profoundly touched by the marks of attachment to our institutions emanating from all parts of the country, and by the numerous tokens of sympathy from abroad on the occasion of the danger he incurred on November 15. The sentiments expressed have evoked in his Majesty a feeling of profound gratitude, and he offers most sincere thanks to all who so kindly gave utterance to them.' The correspondent says that M. Nagel's procureur Du Roi, who has returned to Brussels from London, dispels the notion of a concerted plot. He says that Rubino was employed by the Italian Consulate in London to spy upon the doings of Anarchists. He betrayed both Anarchists and his employers, and wished to regain the confidence of his colleagues by a single-handed plot.

DIVORCE BILL DEFEATED.

London, Dec. 5.—The Italian Government's Divorce and Affiliation Bill has met with disaster at an early stage of its career, says a Rome correspondent Five out of the nine preliminary committees have declared against the measure. The verdict is not necessarily final, but the bill will probably share the fate of previous Divorce Bills in spite of the that it occupied a prominent place in the Government program and the King's speech. The correspondent says that better fortune has attended the more important Government measure for the relief of taxation, which is attended to alleviate the condition of Southern agriculturists. The same committees have given majority in its favor of seven, eight voting against.

PROTESTS OF GERMAN SPINNERS.

London, Dec. 5.—The Association of German Wool Combers and Spinners, says a Berlin correspondent, has addressed a protest to the Reichstag against the adoption of the Tariff Bill en bloc. It points out that the adoption of the wool tariffs as altered by the Tariff committee will possibly involve in ruin the whole German woollen industry. The correspondent says that mass meetings were held by social democrats throughout Berlin last evening to protest against violence done to the sole Parliamentary representative of the city by a majority in the Reichstag. The halls were crowded to the doors with thousands of orderly working men.

WANT MONASTERY AUTHORIZED.

London, Dec. 5.—Ninety-seven thousand inhabitants of the Grande Chartreuse district, says a Paris correspondent, have signed a petition to Parliament asking for authorization for a monastery. The Grenoble municipality has joined in this demonstration.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 4.—Investigation into the fire at Russell which resulted in the death of five Galicians, mother and four children, has so far only shrouded the tragedy in deeper mystery. Everything indicates there was fould play, but the apparent lack of motive strengthens the theory that Mrs. Hartook had become tired of life, and, after taking the lives of her children, she set fire to her domicile, took a deadly poison herself, and lay down to die beside the lifeless bodies of the children, and to be burned to a crisp in the flames that were destroying with furious rapidity the cabin she had called her home.

The Attorney-General to-day received the following communication from Dr. Wright, coroner at Russell "I wired you a few days ago regarding an accident by which five people lost their lives, either by suffocation or by poisoning. I called a jury together and then adjourned until I had the stomach of one child and that of a dog examined. I am sending them by tomorrow's express. It is thought by the neighbors that the house may have been set on fire to cover up some dreadful act. I found the five bodies lying on the floor, partly burned and frozen. I think they had been there two days before being discovered. The family were Galicians, and the husband seemed distracted. He can account for where he was during his absence. When the tragedy occurred he was working for a neighbor. All who perished had their boots and clothing on when death overtook them. I should say the fire was started either in the daytime or early in the evening. I found the bedding in the cellar. The house had a thatched roof. I cannot understand the dog being dead under the bed, as no fire had been near it.'

THE BEET SUGAR MEETING

Prof. Harcourt, of the Guelph Agricultural College, will be Present

Prof. Harcourt, of the Guelph Agricultural College, will address the meeting in the opera house this afternoon in reference to the beet sugar industry. Prof. Harcourt is an able speaker and is well fitted to treat with all phases of a subject which is of great interest to the farmers. Other addresses are expected from a number of the delegates who visited the Berlin factory last week.

DOUBLE HEADERS CONDEMNED

By the Coroners' Jury at Lindsay on Death of Mr. Jos. Barnes

The coroner's jury, in the case of Joseph Barnes, who was killed in Lindsay on the Grand Trunk Railway, on Nov. 29th, have rendered their verdict. It does not find any fault with the train crew and exonerates them from any blame, but the jury were of the opinion "that Barnes came to his death through the double-header system, and that the G.T.R. should discontinue the double-header system, as there appears to be more accidents happening and loss of human life from the said system than there is from any other cause known to the jurymen, consequently, we do largely condemn the running of double-headers as strong as we can.' To this intelligent verdict was affixed the signature of Thos. Connolly, foreman.

VETERANS' LAND GRANT

Already Many of the Veterans Have Received Their Papers

Most of the veterans of the Fenian raid in 1866 in Peterborough, as well as elsewhere, have received their certificates from the Ontario Government. The remainder of them will be forwarded as fast as the claims can be verified and the certificates filled in. Accompanying each certificate is a circular giving full information as to the mode of procedure for the selection of lots, as well as a statement showing the townships in which locations can be made, with the name of the Crown lands agent under whose direction each of these townships is. The six thousand certificates do not comprise all who are entitled to land as there are a considerable number of claims to be considered. A room has been fitted up at the Parliament buildings, Toronto, for veterans, and hung with maps, so that veterans, while visiting Toronto, may become acquainted with the country in which their land is located. It will be under the general charge of Mr. Southworth.

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Execution of Moorish Fanatic

An article describing the arrest and execution of the Moorish fanatic who murdered Dr. Cooper, a British missionary at Fez, on October 17, appears in the London Times from the Fez Correspondent of that journal. After mentioning the arrest of the assassin in the shrine where he had taken refuge, the correspondent says:

"Within half an hour the assassin was brought into the Sultan's presence. His Majesty, who was seated in a chair under a tall archway, in full sight of all his viziers, officials, and some hundreds of troops, ordered the prisoner to be brought before him. Mr. Hastings and myself stood by his Majesty's side in order that we might hear what passed. The murderer was a man of apparently some forty years of age, of tall stature, and not unpleasant countenance.

"He confessed to deliberately shooting Dr. Cooper because he was a Christian. Up to this time the news of Dr. Cooper's death had not been received. The Sultan therefore ordered the man to be publicly flogged for his attack upon Dr. Cooper, and the man received several hundred blows from leather thongs across his hips and thighs, administered by soldiers in the presence of his Majesty and the entire court and troops. He bore his thrashing with great fortitude, and on its completion was able to rise up without assistance and walk.

"He was then ordered to be publicly exhibited in the streets; and, mounted upon a donkey and guarded by soldiers, he was taken from the palace for this purpose.

"It was at this moment that the news of Dr. Cooper's death was received. The Sultan, who was still seated in the great courtyard of the palace, ordered the public exhibition of the murderer to be stopped and, after consultation with his viziers, he commanded the man's immediate execution, requesting Mr. Hastings and myself to be present, together with all the viziers.

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PRIVILEGE OF SMALL POWER

Without going into the merits of the question in dispute between Venezuela, and Britain and Germany, the situation in the matter affords an opportunity to call attention to the measure of independence which a small and weak power can enjoy in this wicked world as it is constituted at present. Undoubtedly, Venezuela is wrong in this affair, but it does not think so. If it were a great power it would refuse to be dictated to by either Britain or Germany, or both combined. It would have its alliances; and a British-German "demonstration" at one of its ports, or an attempt to take possession of its customs would mean a great war. But Venezuela is a small power; and when Britain and Germany agree that it should take a certain course, and the United States agrees to keep out of the affair, it has no choice but to take it. Yet it is "independent. Now if two of the great powers should want Canada to do something which we did not want to do, would we be in as helpless a position? Most assuredly not. Britain would be at our back, and a hostile "demonstration" against Halifax would mean war with the British Empire. Yet we are not "independent." People who are shouting out for Canadian independence that we may feel our national manhood, should think of these things.

MINISTERS' SALARIES

The proposal to collect a purse of $5,000 to be presented to Premier Ross brings into prominence the question of the remuneration of public men. Mr. Ross is not the first instance of a Premier, who has been the recipient of contributions from his colleagues and supporters after many years spent in public life. Sir John A. Macdonald, Hon. A. S. Hardy, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier were all the recipients of presentations similar to that suggested for Mr. Ross.

It is neither dignified for the recipients, nor creditable to the country that such contributions should be found necessary. A country of the wealth and importance of Canada is able to and should pay those who occupy the chief positions in its service sufficient to enable them to dispense with charitable gifts at the end of a long period of public life, and a wealthy Province such as Ontario is equally able to provide for the support of those whom it entrusts with the conduct of its affairs. No Minister after serving the state for many years should be driven to accept charity from his friends. The State which accepts his services should recognize its obligation to provide for his support.

As a mere matter of policy the country should insist upon paying its Ministers adequate salaries. At present the pecuniary rewards to be obtained in private business are far greater than anything which public life offers and, so long as this continues, there will always be a danger that the ablest men will not be attracted to the public service. And while the salary of those whom the country places in the most responsible positions are so inadequate, the temptation of the Ministers to use their public positions to augment their salaries will be greater and in some cases, the interests of the country may suffer. This temptation should be removed as far as possible, and it should be impossible for a Minister to accept assistance from those who, in many cases, have accepted favors at his hands. The present condition is neither seemly, creditable to the country nor good business policy.

A SPLENDID PROPOSITION

The Gold Hammer Mines and Tunnel Company

The foregoing is a recently organized company for the development of a group of properties in the famous Clear Creek district, a section that has been steadily growing in popularity as a center of mining investment for the past five years.

The Gold Hammer company management comprises some of the best known leading business men of Denver. Among these the president, J. J. Joslin, and vice-president, Frank A. Joslin, his son, are at the head of one of the largest dry goods houses in Denver, Mr J. J. Joslin, having founded the house twenty-five years or more ago, and seen it grow into one of the large and substantial concerns of Colorado, and occupying probably the best corner in the city for the purpose.

Col. W. H. Combs, the secretary and treasurer, whose offices are in the Equitable building, is one of the moving spirits in a number of important mining enterprises, whose promotion has secured the investment of several hundred thousand dollars in Colorado mines. The colonel enjoys the distinction of having received the appointment on the staff of several successive governors of Colorado, and is at present occupying that position by Governor Orman's appointment. He has been engaged in mining operations for a number of years, and seems to have a faculty of getting hold of his share of the good things in that line.

Mr. J. F. O'Brien, the manager of the mines, and one of the directors, has had thirty years' experience in mining and expects to devote his entire time to making the Gold Hammer properties dividend producers.

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It would seem from the above as if precaution had been taken by the Gold Hammer company to protect the investor from losing his investment, and is a gratifying departure in the line of promotion to note these evidences of good faith.

—Rev. J. H. Oliver, of Listowel, who was one of the temperance speakers Wednesday night, was the guest of Mr. R. A. Hamilton.

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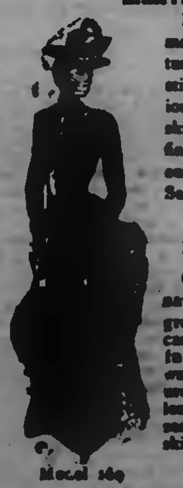

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North Monaghan Selects Mr. Hunter for County Council

A public meeting was held in the town hall, North Monaghan, on Wednesday evening, called by the Reeve. There was a large attendance of electors. Mr. T. E. Bradburn, Reeve, occupied the chair, and stated the object of the meeting, which was to select a candidate for the County Council.

It was decided to make a selection by ballot, which was done with the following result:

T. M. Hunter, 26 votes.
T. E. Bradburn, 13 votes.
J. McIntosh, 5 votes.
H. Foster, 1 vote.
P. Costello, 1 vote.

Mr. Hunter was at once declared to be the candidate, and the choice was made unanimous by the meeting.

Mr. Hunter, in a well worded speech, thanked the meeting for the honor conferred upon him, and promised, should he be elected, as he hoped to be, that he would serve his constituents to the best of his ability.

After some further remarks by several ratepayers present, the chairman closed the meeting with cheers for the King.

It is understood that Mr. Costello, who is a member of the County Council, has pledged himself to retire at the end of this year in favor of Mr. Hunter. Should this prove correct, and no other candidate or candidates appear, the election will probably go by acclamation to the present efficient and capable representatives of No. 3 District, Mr. Geo. W. Fitzgerald, and to Mr. Hunter. We believe they would be entirely satisfactory to a large majority of the electors.

Some Fine Horses

Mr. Percy Pearson, of Montreal, has been in town this week, and picked up an extra fine lot of heavy horses. These animals are a superior bunch, being selected with great care. One car load has already gone east, and another will go to-morrow. Mr. Pearson will return again on Wednesday next for the day. He always pays the highest prices and therefore gets the best stock.

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ANALYSIS.

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100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
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July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000

or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years........ $670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
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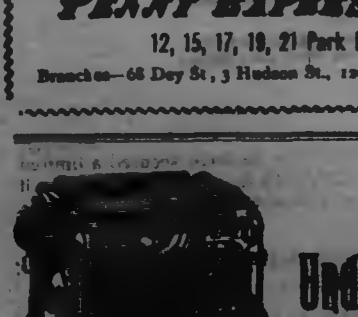

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DISTRICT NEWS

VILLIERS.

The long-looked-for has come at last. The patrons of Villiers cheese factory will hold their annual meeting on Friday of the present week.

—Rev. Mr. Lawson, of Addison, Ont., gave an excellent temperance lecture to a full house in the Villier's school house on Thursday evening of last week. The chair was occupied by Mr. John Lancaster. Rev. Mr. Secombe, of Keene, delivered a fine address on the evils of intemperance, and was followed by Mr. Lawson, who was able to keep his audience in the best of humor for over an hour.

—The farmers of this section are all busy threshing this week. The box carrier has to hustle.

—Miss Nellie Renwick, of Ashburnham, is the guest of Mrs. Geo. Renwick this week.

—Miss M. Weir spent Sunday at the home of her parents.

—An infant daughter of J. B. Wood was badly scalded last week, but we are glad to hear that she is improving under the care of Dr. Redmond, of Westwood.

—Mr. A. Wood, sr., who was taken ill on Sunday is recovering. Dr. Redmond thinks that he will have him out again soon. We all hope so.

—Mr. James Bathgate has returned from a visit to friends in Haliburton.

—Mr. J. C. Weir has returned from the west, where he has spent the last seven months. Jim has brought a few of those western burrs with him also.

KEENE.

—Mr. John Miller, of Toronto, is spending a few days here, the guest of Mr. William Campbell.

—Miss Florence Miller, of Peterboro, is at present visiting at Mrs. T. J. Wallace's.

—Professor Bell is at present making Keene his headquarters. He has a troupe of nine people, and intends rehearsing here for a couple of weeks, before starting the season.

—Mr. V. McCarthy left for Toronto on Monday to purchase a team of horses, for conveying the hockey club to the matches during the winter.

—Mr. Robert Brown is at present repairing the house on Main street, which he purchased recently from Thos. McIntyre.

—Mr. John English has been confined to the house for a couple of weeks with a severe cold.

—Mr. Charles Bell, jr., is at present visiting his father.

—Mrs. Pue is having an addition built to her house. Robert McCamus is doing the work.

—Mr. Andrew Dickson, an old Keene boy, was drowned in the Yukon river a short time. It is about ten years since he left here.

—The Farmers' Institute held a meeting here on Thursday afternoon and evening, which was very well attended.

—Mr. Herb. Newton, who has spent the past few months in Manitoba returned home on Tuesday.

—Mrs. James Miller and family left on Monday for Strathcona, N.W.T., to join her husband, who has started a dairy in that town.

MOUNT PLEASANT.

—Farmers are engaged in hauling their grain to market, and on their return will have well filled wallets.

—There was very good sleighing for about two days last week, and very little snow will make it good, as the roads are in a good condition.

—The friends of Mr. John Sutcliffe will be glad to learn that his eyesight has improved greatly during the last two or three weeks.

—Report says that the Dixon clan at the time of the flood had no boat of their own, yet we find some of that name as pushers in business.

—The congregation in the Presbyterian church was pleased with the sermon delivered by Rev. W. Kanawin on the Apostle Paul, as also were those of the Methodist church by the very eloquent discourse on the text, "David Served His Generation According to the Will of God, and Fell Asleep."

YOUNG'S POINT.

On Friday evening of last week the young ladies and gentlemen of the village with a few invited guests, assembled at Beard's hall for a social evening. Music, games and dancing were indulged in, and after a few hours spent in merry enjoyment, the party dispersed, all much pleased with the evening's entertainment

—Mrs. J. E. Kearney, of the Lakeview House, is at present visiting with friends in Buffalo.

—Messrs. R. Young and P. Young, jr., spent Sunday with friends in Douro.

—Mr. F. J. Young has returned home after spending a few days with some friends in Peterborough.

—Master Oswald Brooks, while sleigh riding in company with some other small boys, fell on the ice and cut his ear badly, but we are glad to say that it did not prove serious.

—Some of the steamers are still busy towing wood through here.

—Mr. Edward Young has engaged a number of men to cut wood at Deer Bay this winter.

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V class—Jessie Emberson, Ilenie Chambers. Senior IV—Frank Buckham, Scott Kerr, Stuart Thompson. Junior IV—Eliza Thomson, Mabel Thompson, Anna Finnie, Myrtle Finnie. Senior III.—Eliza Smith, Jennie Harvey, Sidney Smith, Sterling Wedlock, Maggie Emberson, Harry Finnie, Mary Nicholson. Junior III—Harry Thompson, Jennie McLaurin, Senior II—Violet Thompson, Willie Morrison, Laura Finnie, Bella Emberson, Lawrence Finnie. Senior Part II—Eva Fletcher, Della Wedlock, Wilson Crowling, Jim Finnie, Harry Nicholson. Part I—A—Ethel Buckham, Marjorie Finnie. B—Maggie Thompson, George Nurse, Tom Nurse. C—Rachel Finnie, Edmund Morrison, Jessie Hughson.

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S. A. Smithson, teacher.

SOUTH MONAGHAN.

After a long life of 81 years, Mr. William Emberson departed this life at his home on lot 24 in the 2nd concession of South Monaghan on Friday morning last.

Deceased was an old resident of Monaghan, having lived in the township since 1851, and was respected by all who knew him, as his life was as full of good deeds as it was full of years. He leaves to mourn his loss six sons and one daughter. They are Alexander, James, William, John and Maggie, of Monaghan, Thomas, of York, and Robert, who is now a missionary in Japan, but they find comfort in the blessed assurance of meeting him on the bright [illegible] there more.

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"That man used to be in the army," he said.

"How do you know?"

"See how he puts his hand into his trousers pockets. He lifts up the side of his coat—look! he's doing it now—instead of pushing the coat back as we do. He acquired the habit from wearing a fatigue coat in the army. A fatigue coat, you know, is cut square about the body. To put the hand in the trousers pocket, one must lift up the side."

Some discussion followed, with the result that one of the reporters volunteered to lay their speculations before the stranger. He proved to be a worthy real estate dealer. After listening to the reporter's explanation, he replied, with much amusement:

"I'll tell you why I put my hand in my pocket that way. I used to be a butcher in New York thirty years ago, and I got that habit raising my butcher's apron to make change."

Cunning Siberian Natives.

When compelled to travel all night, the Siberian natives always make a practice of stopping just before sunrise and allowing their dogs to go to sleep. They argue that if the dog goes to sleep while it is yet dark and wakes up in an hour and finds the sun shining he will suppose that he has had a full night's rest and will travel all day without thinking of being tired. One or even two hours stop at any other time is perfectly useless, as the dogs will be uncontrollable from that time forward until they are permitted to take what they think a full allowance of sleep.

A Hopeless Case.

There was a brilliant reception at the house of Mrs. Amory. Among the guests was a certain Mr. Mackenzie, a man of grave and somewhat taciturn demeanor, whom several of the young ladies present had tried to engage in conversation, but without much success.

One of them spoke to the hostess about him.

"He seems to be rather uneasy and out of place at a party like this," she said.

"Yes," replied Mrs. Amory, with a bright smile, "he can't talk anything but sense."

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Mr. J. H. McClellan returned last night from Buffalo, and in conversation with the Times, said that it was impossible to purchase coal at anything like normal prices. He secured a few cars at $9 per ton at Suspension Bridge. The coal will cost $10.50 on the track in Peterborough, and would be supplied to customers at $11 per ton.

Mr. McClelland regards the coal situation as more serious for Canada than at any time since the trouble began. He says that Toronto, Hamilton, London, and many other cities are in great distress, and with little hope of relief. The scarcity of cars is one of the greatest difficulties in the way. A year ago there was 20,000,000 tons of coal stored in the country dependant on the Pennsylvania mines for their supply. This includes Canada. Not only has this disappeared, but the mines are being worked partially—probably not more than 60 or 50 per cent. of their normal output.

Mr. McClellan thinks that it will be well on in January or February before regular supply can be had.

A Well Kept House

The delegation who visited Berlin last week put up at the Walper House, and were delighted with the way they were treated. This first class hotel is under the management of Mr. J. T. Ellis, brother of Mr. James Ellis, formerly with the C.P.R. here. "Jack" as he is familiarly known by his many friends, left no stone unturned to make it pleasant for the Peterborough crowd. They all came away carrying with them pleasant recollections of their visit and the famous Walper hostlery. It is proposed to make another trip to the pretty German city in a short time, to give those who did not go on the last an opportunity of visiting Berlin. To all such we would say, go to the Walper House, and you will come away delighted.

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Cattle, choice butchers (steers, exporters and heifers)	4 to [illegible]
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Stockers	[illegible] to [illegible]
Hogs, select, 160-200	5 [illegible] to 5 75
Fats and heavies	5 25 to 5 50
Lights	5 25 to 5 50
Sows	4 00 to 4 25
Stags	[illegible] to [illegible]
Sheep	2 50 to 3 75
Lambs, per lb	3 to [illegible]
GENERAL	
Potatoes	1 00 to 1 25
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Mainly About People.

"What can we do with Rosslyn?" Disraeli once asked of Salisbury. "Make him master of the buckhounds, as his father was," suggested the latter. "No," replied the Premier, "he swears far too much for that. We will make him high commissioner to the Church of Scotland."

Senator Proctor of Vermont says the finest speech he ever made consisted of only four words. It was a retort to Senator Hoar's sarcastic little thrust in a speech directed at the Green Mountain senator. He said: "No man in Vermont is allowed to vote unless he has made five thousand dollars trading with Massachusetts people." Whereat Proctor said: "And we all vote."

The principal of a high school tells the following anecdote: One day at school I gave a bright boy a sum in algebra, and, although the problem was comparatively easy, he couldn't do it. I remarked, "You ought to be ashamed of yourself. At your age George Washington was a surveyor." The boy looked me straight in the eyes and replied, "Yes, sir; and at your age he was President of the United States."

A good story comes from the Davidson Theater, in Chicago, and runs to the effect that a man from up the State went in to see the opera the other night, pulling his money from his pocket before he reached the box-office window. "I want tew git a good seat," he said, loud enough to be heard all over the lobby of the theater, "and I want it right down the middle aisle, and close up tew the exercises." He got it.

A hunting party of ladies and gentlemen were detained by a storm at the hut of a Virginia backwoodsman. Dinner being served, there was an embarrassing paucity of knives. The mother, wishing to impress her aristocratic guests, called in a commanding tone to her young daughter, "Fetch some more knives, Sairey; you know we've got thousands of 'em." "Law, no, ma'm; they're all thar! Thar's 'Big Butch,' and 'Little Butch,' and 'Razor-Back,' and 'Bunty.'"

David Lloyd-George, a member of Parliament from Wales, tells a good story on himself in connection with a Disestablishment meeting in which he has been taking part in Wales. A few days previous, it seems, there had been a Church Defense meeting held in the same place, at which a certain prominent dignitary of the Establishment had spoken, referring to whom Mr. Lloyd-George's chairman observed: "In my opinion that Churchman is one of the biggest liars in North Wales, but, thank goodness, we've got a match for him here to-night!"

"Chums" tells of a certain wild beast tamer who had been on bad terms for some time with one of his neighbors, and the other day, as the result of a violent quarrel, the latter, with a friend, attacked the former just before he was timed to give his performance. The tamer, unwilling to make a scene, took refuge in the lion's den. Judge of the amusement of the spectators when they beheld the two men standing in front of the cage and shouting through the bars at regular intervals: "Come out of that, you big coward; come out of that!"

Some little while ago a rather eccentric cotton manufacturer, owning large mills not a score of miles from Halifax, England, and who was familiarly known in the district round about as "Owd H——," overheard one of the lads in his employ remark to somebody: "Aw wish Aw had 'Owd H——'s' brass, an' he wer i' th' warkhause." Quickly retiring, "Owd H——" sent for the offender into his office, and asked him what he would do with the money, supposing his wish were to be fulfilled. The youngster was quite equal to the occasion, promptly replying: "Whey, th' furst thing Aw'd do wod be ta fetch ye aat (out), maister." This clever reply so appeased the old gentleman that the boy was sent back to his work with half a sovereign in his pocket.

The other afternoon, says the New York "Tribune," when President Roosevelt reached Dupont Circle, a "seeing Washington" electric car hove in sight, and the guide continued his lecture through a megaphone in this way: "On the left we see the elegant residence of Mr. George Westinghouse, the millionaire inventor and electrician, formerly the home of the late James G. Blaine; a little to the left of front we perceive the palatial mansion of Mr. L. Z. Leiter, the Chicago millionaire, and father of the famous beauty, Miss Mary Leiter, now Lady Curzon, the wife of the Governor-General of India; in the park in front we are confronted by the statue of Admiral Dupont, and also in front we see the President of the United States on horseback." The crowd looked, and one woman said, "Whose statue is it, McKinley's?" "It's Roosevelt," the guide responded. "He ain't a statue yet."

Something Wrong With the Chamois.

There is a prominent doctor in Germantown who is busy telling a little joke on himself, says the Philadelphia "Evening Telegraph." It appears that he employed an Irish servant who had just arrived from the "ould sod." Starting out one morning, he noticed his office windows were rather dirty, and calling Bridget, he instructed her to clean them before he returned. At the same time he told her that he would stop and purchase a new chamois skin and send it home, and with this she was to clean the windows. After he had gone his rounds he found them thickly streaked with grease. He called Bridget, and the following colloquy took place:

"Bridget, didn't I tell you to clean the windows?"

"Yes, sor."

"And didn't I tell you to use the new chamois?"

"Yes, sor."

"Well, did you use it?"

"Sure I did, sor."

"Let me see the chamois," said the doctor, and Bridget promptly brought it. Then for the first time he learned that his wife had left the house a half hour before he did in the morning and had sent home some tripe. The doctor declines to say what happened to the chamois skin.

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Jack—It is mighty hard to be the son of a self-made millionaire. Tom—Why so? Jack—A fellow can't decide whether to go into business and live up to his father's reputation, or go into society and live it down.—"Town Topics."

Their Vacations.

The musicians will live on the Sound, and the ping-pong players will go to Table Bay, suggests New York "Life." The summer girls will naturally go to the Isle of Man, and those too old to be loved will seek the Isle of Pines. Dipsomaniacs will go to Bar Harbor, brewers to Behring Straits, while all reformed drunkards will go to Haddam. The coal men will flock to Asheville, poets will go to Attica, geometricians to Cuba, tramps to Bath, horseback riders to Canterbury, funny men to Chestnut Ridge, golf players to Bunker Hill, philanthropists to the Bounty Islands, Boston girls to Chili, and chiropodists to Cornwall.

Printers will go to Ems, aurists to Erie, pawnbrokers to Hocking Valley, spiritualists to Knoxville, burglars to Lock Haven, Pullman car porters to Palm Beach, but there is some doubt about the Filipinos going to Liberty. Those who linger too long will go to Tarrytown.

All the stuffs will go to Turkey. Prohibitionists will go to the Water Gap, and all practical jokers to Cape Cod. Some Wall Street men will go to Great Bear Lake and others to Bull Run. Folks troubled with insomnia will go to Sleepy Hollow. Roulette players will go to Wheeling, and poker players to Council Bluffs. Fat men will go to Great Neck, thin men to Littleton, and melancholy men to Sulphur Springs.

The cooks will go to Pottstown, the anarchists to Bombay, cabmen to Hoboken, vivisectionists to the Catskills, and all the shoppers to Paw Paw.

Pool players will go to the Pyramids, leather men to Morocco, magnates to the Rockies, while those whose fortunes are falling will go to Sag Harbor.

All the peach growers will go to Pittsburg, and the lace-makers will go to Old Point. The confectioners will flock to Mt. Desert, and the gossips to Pekin.

And finally, those whose thoughts are fixed on Heaven will go to St. Petersburg.

And those whose thoughts are in the other direction will go to Fire Island.

Catabolic Man.

According to a writer in the "Lancet," the male human needs more food than the female, not only on account of his larger stature, but also because he is the more catabolic of the two. The man tends to expend energy and the woman to store it up in the form of fat; he burns the faster. This sexual difference shows itself in the very blood; the man has a larger percentage of chromocytes than the woman, showing that he needs a proportionately larger quantity of oxygen in order to maintain his more active combustion—a fact which one may associate with his comparative freedom from chlorosis; moreover, weight for weight, his pulmonary capacity is greater than that of the woman, whose smaller respiratory need is further shown by the facility with which she can without discomfort diminish her breathing power by means of the corset. "The great contrast between the metabolic activity of the two sexes," continues the writer, "was forcibly brought home to me by a military display given by a troupe of dusky Amazons, with whom were also a few male warriors. The women, in spite of their daily exertions, were all rounded and plump, some very much so, no single muscle showing through the skin, and it was noticed that their movements, though full of grace, lacked energy and 'go.' The men, on the other hand, were spare, their muscles standing out plainly under the shiny skin, and they, in further contrast with the women, displayed a truly amazing agility, bounding about and whirling round in a most astounding fashion; the women, in short, were essentially anabolic and the men were catabolic. I may here draw attention to the fact that men are apt to be larger meat-eaters than women, just as they are, possibly in consequence of this very fact, more prone to drink alcohol and to smoke tobacco."

Price of a Shave.

A man walking through the suburbs of a certain large town noticed a barber's pole to which was attached a signboard with the inscription, "Shaving One Halfpenny."

His chin being rough and his funds low he promptly entered the shop, seated himself in the chair, and asked to be shaved.

The knight of the razor carefully lathered and scraped away at one side of the customer's face, sponged it, and drew the cloth away with the usual flourish.

"But you don't call this finished?" expostulated his victim, keeping his seat.

"Beg pardon, sir, do you want the other side done as well?" said the barber with a hair-oily smile.

"Cert'nly I do. Do you think I can go out in the street half-shaved?" replied the other.

And the barber proceeded to operate on the other side of his customer.

When the job was finished the man, who began to smell a rat, fumbled in his pockets and fished out a halfpenny, which he tendered to the barber.

"Another halfpenny, if you please, sir," said the latter.

"What? You've got on your board outside, 'Shaving a ha'penny.'"

"Very true. But if you will have the goodness to observe, you'll find that that inscription is on each side of the board."

"I know that."

"Very good, sir. There are two sides to my board—and two sides to your face."

"I see," replied the man, with his hand on the door-knob, "and, if you will have the goodness to observe that ha'penny, you will find there are two sides to that as well."—"Tit-Bits."

The Proper Term.

Martha, the colored washerwoman, was complaining of her husband's health to one of her patrons. "He's ve'y po'ly, ma'am, ve'y po'ly. He's got dat exclamatory rheumatism." "You mean inflammatory, Martha. Exclamatory is from exclaim, which means to cry out." "Yes, mim," answered Martha, with conviction, "dat's what it is. He hollers all de time."

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A company having a capitalization of $5,000,000 has been organized for the construction of lines, pumping stations, storage tanks, and the like. Mr. Morgan and his associates have also formed a separate company, capitalized at $20,000,000, half of which will be invested in proven ground and the other half turned into a reserve fund.

It is stated that the Morgan syndicate will be prepared to handle 2,000,000 barrels the first year, and will increase that amount at the rate of 1,000,000 a year until the whole demand of the market is met.

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PROFESSOR DR. RUD J. SCHIMPER, Analytical and Expert Chemist, of St. Paul, makes the following statement relative to the composition, what can be produced and the estimated profits of the Sunset Crude Oil. A copy of the original certificate can be seen at the office of the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Co., which is in substance as follows:

"This is to certify that the undersigned, Dr. Rudolph J. Schimper, Chemist expert, member of Parisian Academy, according to analysis made from the crude oil furnished me by the St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company, I find the following valuable products and with each bag to submit my estimate of its value:

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3. FUEL BRIQUETTES—2000 lbs. of this crude oil (6 bbls.) will produce 2,000 lbs. (1 ton) of fuel briquettes, which, according to government tests made, is equivalent to two tons of best anthracite coal. (Estimated value $22.00)
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MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SHOULD BE PAID STOCKHOLDERS.

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS should be paid to the stockholders of the St. Paul and Sunset Oil Company when their property is fully developed, their refinery equipped and in full operation. ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DIVIDENDS was paid by Kern County Oil Companies during the month of August alone.

SIX MILLION BARRELS is the consuming capacity of the Southern Pacific Railway engines, which are now equipped for burning oil. Outside of this consider other railway lines, smelters, factories, steamships, stationery engines, which are all heavy consumers of fuel oil and last but not least, hotels and private dwellings are falling in line with the procession in the use of fuel oil.

A GOOD REASON WHY YOU Should Invest in the stock of St. Paul & Sunset Oil Company. More fortunes have been made in oil than any other business. Consider the immense amount of money the Standard Oil Company has made for its fortunate stockholders, and the California oil companies have done better in proportion to their capitalization than the Standard Oil Company. Here is what $100 has accomplished for those who invested that amount in the following California companies in the beginning of their career:

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Kern returned $2,200 on an investment of $100.

Peerless returned $1,800 on an investment of $100.

Dillon returned $2,500 on an investment of $100.

New York returned $30,000 on an investment of $100.

Union returned $150,000 on an investment of $100.

Home returned $50,000 on an investment of $100.

THERE is no reason in the world why the St. Paul and Sunset Company's oil holdings and property, when developed and handled, should not bring like returns.

CONTRARY to the general supposition the earth is the repository of all mineral wealth. When it is known and demonstrated beyond a question of a doubt where its wealth reposes and you put your money up to take it out, your money is invested. Hence you are an investor, not a speculator. A proven oil producing property does not draw its profits from the people but creates new wealth. It is therefore an investment.

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Monte Cristo Co.	.10	2.00
West Shore Co.	.30	4.50
Twenty-eighth Oil Co.	.30	2.50
Fullerton Consolidated Oil Company	.30	1.50
Sterling Oil & Development Company	.30	2.25
Dillon Oil Co.	.30	2.50
Peerless Co.	.30	8.42
San Joaquin Oil Co.	.30	26.00
Kern Oil Co.	.35	30.00
[illegible]-three Oil Co.	.35	13.50
Kern River Oil Co.	.30	26.00
New York Oil Co.	.30	30.00
Oil City Petroleum Co.	2.00	34.00
Hanford Oil Co.	2.00	120.00
Kreyenhagen Oil Co.	.10	[illegible]
Columbia Oil Co.	100.00	[illegible]
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WRITE TO-DAY, TO-MORROW MAY BE TOO LATE.

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Money in Oil

Special Despatch to the Ontario & California Oil Co, Limited:

Chatham, Dec. 1, 1902.

The Gusher was turned on to-day, and in five hours filled up all the Standard Oil Company's available tankage—so far has given one thousand barrels, at the rate of fifty barrels per hour.

Talk about dividends, talk about advance in value—what investment will compare with this?—Figure it out—OIL two dollars per barrel—means earning one hundred dollars per hour—ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS invested in this Syndicate a few weeks ago—NOW ACTUALLY WORTH FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

REASONS WHY	REASONS WHY
Stock in the Ontario and California Oil Co. may prove just as profitable within the next few weeks.	Prompt action on your part is required

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2.—Owns the oil leases on one thousand acres, and are next door neighbors of the Big Gusher owners.

3.—Several drilling rigs NOW at different points on the Company's properties under the direction of the best oil men in Petrolea, men who are oil men in the full sense of the word (not speculators)—connected with oil refineries and the largest oil interests in Canada, and these oil men came to this Company, made their offers, put their money in, and are joining in the development of a large block of the Company's properties.

4.—Ten days to two weeks will complete a well. FIVE WELLS are being put down as fast as men and money can do it.

5.—One may be a gusher, or all may be gushers; in either case the advance will be REAL, and a few weeks will bring you greater profits than you ever dreamed of.

RISK! Yes—so there is in everything—otherwise you would not have the chance of buying One Thousand Shares for Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars, which in Thirty Days may be worth One Thousand to Ten Thousand Dollars. Inactivity has missed many an opportunity to make a fortune—don't wait now and wish later on.

ACT AT ONCE—The block of stock which the Company is offering at Twenty-five Cents per Share is daily getting [illegible]. Send for November report. Application Forms, etc., and get your order in ON TIME. Apply J. L. FINCH, Secretary Ontario & California Oil Company, Limited, Toronto, or

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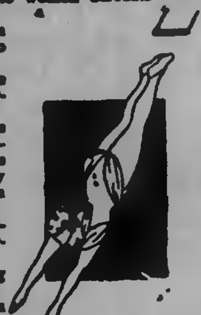

A WOMAN'S RISK

As a trapeze performer is greater than a man's. She must have a man's courage and a man's muscle to succeed. But she must also work under conditions of which a man knows nothing. Many an accident to women acrobats must be attributed to the sudden weakness to which all women are subject at certain times.

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PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 6, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

County Police Court

At the County Police Court yesterday morning there was but one case up for trial. A man from Havelock was charged with the theft of two pigs, but on hearing the evidence His Honor acquitted the accused.

The Late Thos. Sullivan

The funeral of the late Mr. Thos. Sullivan took place from the residence of Mrs. John Callaghan, 47 Elm street, yesterday afternoon. The deceased, who was well and favorably known here, passed away at Wilberforce on Wednesday morning, from Bright's disease.

The Veterans' Locations

Major Robertson, manager of the Veterans' Locating and Colonization Association, Toronto, states that he has sent up to their explorers in new Ontario four hundred applications for locations. These will all be located this week. Those whose lands have been located are principally veterans of 1866 and 1870.

Joint Old Boys' Banquet

Toronto Globe The Peterborough Old Boys held a meeting last night in St. George's Hall and spent a pleasant evening. Mr. L. A. Morrison occupied the chair. President McConnell of the Peel Old Boys was present, and asked the association to join with the various other Ontario Old Boys in holding a joint banquet. The association accepted the suggestion enthusiastically. A meeting for the purpose of organization for the joint banquet will be held on Wednesday next at 8 o'clock, at the Queen's Hotel.

CAN WRITE THEM

Calkins, the Story Teller

Mr. Franklin W. Calkins, of Wyoming, Wis., who writes many interesting stories for the "Youth's Companion" says:—

"Food can make or unmake a writer. For a number of years, living the sedentary life of the writer and student, I suffered all the ills of nervous dyspepsia. I could eat nothing in the morning save a dry crust of toasted bread and a cup of weak coffee. For my dinner at 6 o'clock I had been in the habit of eating rare beef steak, the only food from which I seemed to get proper nourishment, but no meal was taken without the after pangs of indigestion; I was beginning to get disgusted with life.

About a year ago a friend suggested Grape-Nuts telling me of the benefit he had received from the food and I began with it as directed; I found immediate relief from my indigestion and in a short time my dyspepsia left me entirely. I have now used Grape-Nuts for a year and have no trouble with my stomach having eaten many enjoyable dinners.

I find in fact that all you say for Grape-Nuts is true and is certainly the food for brain workers, and the truth of your claims is proved in my own case. I have no appetite for meats."

A Successful Bazaar

The bazaar which was held on Thursday and Friday in the assembly room at the Y.M.C.A., under the auspices of the Girls' Guild of the George street church, was a decided success. The room was artistically decorated with flags and bunting of various colors. The tables were laden with dolls, fancy work, calenders, etc. On the platform were about three dozen beautifully made sofa pillows of various designs. The class room to the north was used as the tea room and was nicely decorated in the Japanese style.

Presentation and Address

A very enjoyable social evening was held in St. Andrew's school room on Thursday evening at the close of the choir rehersal, the occasion being the presentation of a handsome couch to Mr. Adam Gillespie. A very large company were present, and Rev. J. G. Potter, who presided, read an address, prepared by Mr. Davies, organist and choir master, on behalf of the choir, congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie on their marriage, and wishing them prosperity and happiness.

Banqueted at Guelph

Mr. W. G. McClellan, of the Dominion Bank, was entertained by the citizens of Guelph to a banquet on Tuesday evening, on the eve of his departure from that city. The Mayor occupied the chair, and in proposing the toast of "Our Guest," took occasion to refer to the many high qualities of Mr. McClelland, whose departure was universally regretted. Mr. McClellan will spend Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McClellan, 19 Gilmour street, and Monday he will go to Brampton for a couple of weeks, after which he will go to head office.

Imposing on the Press

Some individual, who evidently has no regard for the truth, wrote a letter to our little local contemporaries a day or two ago, enclosing what purported to be a resolution of the Bricklayers' Union, No. 17, protesting against the proposal to have the assessment roll printed. The "resolution" appears to have been a fake of the first water. It is understood that the labor unions of the town are united in their desire to have the assessment inequalities shown up, and this can only be done by having the roll printed, so that ratepayers may look it over and compare the assessments at their leisure.

The Late Mr. James White

The death occurred yesterday morning, about eleven o'clock, of Mr. James Whyte, 368 Charlotte street. The deceased had been ill for about three years with Bright's disease. He was born in Scotland nearly 60 years ago, and came to Canada when very young. After residing in Toronto for a short time, he came to Peterborough, where he engaged in the foundry business. He was highly esteemed and had many personal friends who will exceedingly regret his demise. He leaves a wife and brother, Mr. John Whyte, of Campbellford, to mourn his death. The funeral which takes place from his late residence, on Monday, at 3 o'clock, will be private, and it is requested that no flowers be sent.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Norwood schools are again closed on account of diphtheria.

—Rice Lake is now frozen over, being nearly a month later than last year.

—There was a social time in the parlors of the Y.M.C.A. last night in honor of the new members.

—Don't forget the mass meeting this afternoon, at 1.30, on the sugar beet industry. Citizens of town and country should attend.

—Yesterday work on the Cereal Company's dam and the skating rink was practically suspended on account of the cold snap.

—A recital by Mr. Gliddon's pupils, assisted by his orchestra, will be held in St. John's school room on Monday evening next.

—The steel work for the new rink has arrived at last and men are busily engaged in moving it from cars to Brock street, where the building is being constructed.

—Hastings Star: We are informed that a man from Peterborough will be given a hearing before a magistrate for selling cloth in Hastings without a license.

—An important meeting of St. John's Sunday school teachers was held last night to arrange for the Christmas Sunday school entertainment and other business.

—The five year old lad who arrived in town by C.P.R. yesterday morning, was sent back to Toronto. The Chief received a message with information regarding the boy from his aunt, who resides in the city.

—A despatch from Vancouver, B. C., states that at a meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, which was held on Wednesday night, it was decided to send an unanimous call to Rev. W. J. MacMillan, of Lindsay, Ont., and formerly of Mount Pleasant church, that city. Stipend offered is $1,000.

Speedy Cure For Cramps and Colic

The most reliable cure for Cramps, Colic, Dysentery and Summer Complaint is ten drops of Polson's Nerviline in a little sweetened water. Nerviline removes the pain and distress at once, insures prompt relief and a speedy cure in every case. Nerviline is an excellent remedy for all pain, whether internal or external, and should be in every household. All druggists sell and recommend Nerviline. Price 25c.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature either by phone or in writing—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. Washington Caldwell, of town, has been visiting his brother, Mr. T. M. Caldwell, Bethel.

—Miss McAlpine, daughter of Dr. McAlpine, Lindsay, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Harris McClellan, 19 Gilmour street.

—Mrs. George Dunsford left yesterday for a visit to Germany, where she will join Miss Daisy Hamilton, and her mother, who are spending the winter there.

—Omemee Mirror: Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lang and family have moved to their new home near Peterborough. Mr. Lang has been one of our best and most active citizens, having been a trustee of the Omemee high and public schools for several terms and always alive to the best interests of the town, and both he and his estimable wife have been enthusiastic workers in the Methodist church and Sabbath school, and they will be greatly missed. Omemee's loss is Peterborough's gain. We wish them every success.

BY-LAW NUMBER _____

A By-law to Exempt the Manufacturing Establishment of J. J. Turner & Sons from Certain Taxes

Passed the day of

WHEREAS Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons have lately extended the business carried on by them in the Town of Peterborough as manufacturers of tents and awnings, and for that purpose have erected a manufacturing establishment in the said Town of Peterborough, on part of lot number three on the west side of Water street and north of King street, and part of lot number five on the east side of George street and north of King street, described as follows:—Commencing at the southwest angle of said lot number 5, thence northerly along the western limit thereof forty-five feet, thence easterly in a line parallel with the southern limit of said lots, to the eastern limit of said lot number three, thence southerly along the eastern limit of said lot number three to the southeast angle thereof—thence westerly along said southern limit of said lots numbers three and five to the place of beginning; and continuously employ at least twenty hands therein, and have applied to the Council of the said Town for exemption of the said manufacturing establishment from taxes (except school taxes and local improvement rates) upon the terms and for the time hereinafter mentioned and it is advisable to grant same.

The Corporation of the Town of Peterborough by the Council thereof therefore enacts as follows:—

1.—THAT PROVIDED this by-law receives the assent of a sufficient number of the duly qualified ratepayers of the Town of Peterborough entitled to vote thereon, the manufacturing establishment of Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons erected on the land above described shall while the terms of this by-law are complied with be exempt from municipal taxes (except school taxes and local improvement rates) for ten years from the first day of January, 1903—provided however that such exemption shall cease and this by-law shall have no effect if the said J. J. Turner & Sons shall during any portion of the said term fail to carry on on said land their manufacturing business and employ at least twenty hands therein during at least ten months of each year or shall fail to file with the Town Clerk before the first day of January in each year after the year 1903 a Statutory Declaration proving that such number of hands were so employed.

2.—The votes of the duly qualified electors of the Town of Peterborough shall be taken upon this by-law on MONDAY, the FIFTH day of JANUARY, 1903, commencing at the hour of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and closing at the hour of 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day at the following polling places and before the following Deputy Returning Officers, respectively, that is to say:

WARD NO. 1

Polling Sub-division No. 1. At M. H. Halpin's shop, corner George and Perry streets. Angus Williams to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 2. At Lewis Spry's shop, Stewart street. Joseph Landy to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 2

Polling Subdivision No. 3. At the Town Council Chamber. Charles Cameron to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 4. At Greene Bros.' Store, Charlotte street. J. M. Greene to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 3

Polling Sub-division No. 5. At J. & W. Motheral's shop, Aylmer street. Joseph Motheral to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 6. At Wm. McCall's Shop, McDonnell street. John Irwin to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 4

Polling Sub-division No. 7. At Wm. Lee's Shop, Smith street. George W. Powell to be Deputy Returning Officer.

3.—The 6th day of January, 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon and the Town Council Chamber are hereby fixed as the time when and the place where the Clerk will sum up the number of votes given for and against the by-law.

4.—The 3rd day of January, 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, and the office of the Town Clerk are hereby fixed as the time and place for the appointment of persons to attend at the various polling places and at the final summing up of the votes by the Clerk respectively, on behalf of the persons interested in, and promoting or opposing the passing of the by-law respectively.

NOTICE

Take notice that the foregoing is a true copy of a proposed by-law which has been taken into consideration and which will be finally passed by the Council of the Town of Peterborough (in the event of the assent of the electors being obtained thereto) after one month from the first publication hereof in the Morning Times newspaper, the date of which first publication is the sixth day of December, 1902, and that at the hour, day and place therein fixed for taking the votes of the electors the polls will be held.

S. R. ARMSTRONG,
Town Clerk.

The Guelph Winter Fair

For the above, the Grand Trunk will issue round trip tickets at single first class fare from points in Canada west of Kingston. Good going Dec. 7th to 12th, inclusive, and valid returning until Dec. 15th. The Fair promises to be a great success this year, with new buildings and increased exhibits, $7,000 will be offered as prizes for cattle, sheep, swine and poultry. Further particulars, time tables, etc., on application to Agents of the Grand Trunk Railway.

STANDING OF THE REFERENDUM VOTE

MAJORITY FOR THE LIQUOR ACT WILL PROBABLY REACH 50,000

Had the passage of the Liquor Act depended on a simple majority, the prohibitionists would have won a great victory throughout the Province Thursday. As it was, they failed to secure the 212,723 votes which were necessary to make the bill law, and their splendid majority of over 40,000, which may, when all the returns are in, be increased to 50,000 or more. The latest returns are as follows:

For Act	107,502
Against	65,363
Majority	42,139
Vote required	212,723
For Act	107,502
Shortage	105,221

THE LATE JOHN TENEY

Death of an Old and Esteemed Citizen of North Monaghan

There passed away on Wednesday morning last, at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Herman Wilson, Lock street, (just outside the Corporation in north Monaghan) Mr. John Teney, in the 83rd year of his age.

Mr. Teney had been a resident of North Monaghan for almost six years, and was in good health up to two years ago, when he became feeble. During the past three months he was confined to his bed. He was a former resident of Haldimand township, where he lived most of his life, and where he was highly esteemed and respected. He was a consistent member of the Methodist church.

The deceased leaves three sons and two daughters, as follows: Robert A., Cobourg; William, Deseronto; Hampton, Illinois; Mrs. Jewell, Garden Hill; and Mrs. Wilson, North Monaghan.

The funeral will leave the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Wilson's, Lock street, North Monaghan, this afternoon at 2.30 p.m., and proceed to the Little Lake cemetery, where interment will take place.

SOUTH MONOGHAN.

After a long life of 81 years, Mr. William Emberson departed this life at his home on lot 24 in the 2nd concession of South Monoghan on Friday morning last.

Deceased was an old resident of Monaghan, having lived in the township since 1844, and was respected by all who knew him, as his life was as full of good deeds as it was full of years. He leaves to mourn his loss six sons and one daughter. They are Alexander, James, William, John and Maggie, of Monoghan, Thomas, of York, and Robert, who is now a missionary in Japan, but they find comfort in the blessed assurance of meeting him on the bright resurrection morn.

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Childrens' Aid Society

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Public Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Court will be held pursuant to The Ontario Voters' Lists Act, by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Peterborough,

AT THE JUDGE'S CHAMBERS,

ON THE

17th Day of Dec., 1902

at 3 o'clock p.m.,

to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of the Town of Peterborough for 1902.

All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place.

Dated Dec. 5th, 19 2.

S. R. ARMSTRONG,
Clerk of Town of Peterborough

Legal

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HATTON & BRADBURN, BARRISTERS Solicitors, Notaries Public. G. W. Hatton H. C. Bradburn, B.A.

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ALICE O'NEIL.

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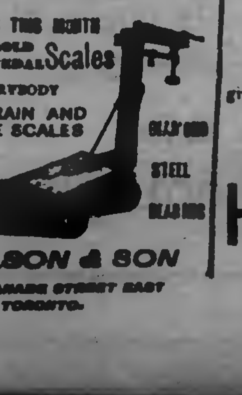

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WHAT BRAINS AND MUCH ENERGY CAN DO

A New York Paper's Description of the Great Work of Mr. Clergue

New York, Dec. 7—The Brooklyn Eagle today prints the following:

The original idea with which Mr. Clergue went to Sault Ste. Marie was very simple. He merely proposed that his company should develop the water power and sell it to manufacturing companies. The rapids at the outlet of Lake Superior, called Sault Ste. Marie, have a fall of 20 feet. The total power of the rapids is estimated at 130,000 horse power at low water. A local company had undertaken to build a canal that would furnish 20,000 horse power, but had encountered financial difficulties and was forced to stop. Mr. Clergue and his associates bought the canal and completed it. When it was ready for use they found they had an elephant on their hands, for no one wanted to buy their power. Mr. Clergue proposed that the company build its own factories, particularly as the mottled sandstone taken out of the canal made such splendid building material it was a shame to let it go to waste. All the stone was promptly put into buildings, while the dirt was used for filling in ground along the lake front. Not a spadeful of anything was wasted. Right here is the keynote to Mr. Clergue's policy: utilize the by-products.

The unbroken forests stretching for hundreds of miles to the north soon settled and fully determined the first factory. It would be a pulp mill to furnish wood pulp for making paper. It was decided to build a mill with a capacity of 20 tons a day. But it was scarcely in running order before it was found that the cost of operating was almost as great as a mill of 10 times that size. So the mill was promptly enlarged to a capacity of 150 tons of pulp a day. But the paper manufacturers of the United States promptly marked the price down as soon as this large output appeared and the anticipated profits vanished into thin air. Then began the marvelous evolution wrought out by Mr. Clergue.

IMPROVEMENTS IN CONSTRUCTION.

Up to this time the method of producing ground wood pulp was be holding a block of spruce wood against a grindstone. The product was a liquid called mechanical pulp. The liquid was taken to another machine which squeezed out about half the water leaving a sheet of pulp like a sheet of blotting paper. But this pulp could not be shipped to distant markets profitably; the freight charges on the water in it forbade that. Furthermore the grinding process left the resinous matter in the pulp, which decomposed on exposure to the aid and spoiled the pulp. The undertaking, which had cost a million dollars, was merely an annoyance and a source of loss.

The next step in the evolution was to produce a dry pulp. Paper men said it could not be done. No one would undertake to make the necessary machine. So some mechanical experts were called in who designed a machine which would work in theory. Having had a long training in mechanics, Mr. Clergue gave the machine his personal attention. A foundry and machine shop became necessary to build the new machine. This was the next step in evolution. Finally at a cost of $125,000 the first machine was turned out. After six months of experimenting a machine was evolved that was an entire success. Now no other style of machine is used. The mill immediately began earning a profit and today its output is 170 tons of dry pulp a day is shipped all over the world.

DIFFICULT PROBLEMS SOLVED.

Having solved the problem of making mechanical pulp at a profit, it was decided to increase the profit by making chemical pulp, which is a higher grade. Chemical pulp has a longer fibre and is mixed with mechanical pulp to produce the higher grade papers. To make chemical pulp sulphur is needed. At that time all the sulphur used in chemical pulp making came from Sicily. Being a monopoly the price was exorbitant and freight rates to Canada were prohibitive.

Mr. Clergue found that at Sudbury, Ont., were nickel mines. In treating this ore sulphurous acid gas worth $2,000 was allowed to pass off into the air every day at an expense and loss. Mr. Clergue wanted to save this gas, but chemists didn't think it could be done. He set his corps of experts at work on the problem. They found a process for saving the sulphur, a mine was bought the ore was shipped to Sault Ste. Marie and the manufacture of sulphite pulp was begun.

KRUPP MAKES A CONTRACT.

Next the chemical laboratory was ordered to inspect the residue remaining after the sulphur had been driven off and see what could be done with it. They found an alloy of nickel and steel so superior to anything else then known that Krupp, the great German gun maker, made a contract for five years' supply as soon as the matter was laid before him. Result, the addition of reduction works and a ferro nickel plant to the industries of the water power company.

Then it was found that certain alkalies from salt which was cheap and ready near at hand. They found the way. Result, the establishment of a chemical works. New methods were found for saving chlorine which is used in bleaching and in pulp making by which a much larger percentage was saved than was ever before possible, thus increasing the profits.

It was soon found that the sulphite mills could not use all the sulphur from the supply of nickel ore available so the manufacture of sulphuric acid and sulphurous acid was begun—another source of profit added. No sooner was this nicely settled than it was found that the nickel steel was too rich in nickel. The proper propotrion was only 3 1-2 per cent. of nickel, whereas the reduction works was turning out a product containing 7 per cent of nickel.

STEAMSHIPS AND RAILWAYS.

Mineralogists were at once sent out to find a mine of red hematite iron ore. Geologists said there was no such thing in Canada, but Clergue's experts stuck to their task until they found an extremely rich deposit of red hematite at Michipicoten, 150 miles from the Soo and only 12 miles of Lake Superior. It lies at the surface, so that it can be scooped up with steam shovels. A railroad was at once built to the lake. No steamships were available to carry the ore. So Mr. Clergue sent to England, where he bought four vessels, meanwhile beginning the building, ship building and railroad construction to Clergue's industries. Now the company has a fleet of 22 vessels, some of which will carry 6,000 tons of ore, and 400 miles of railroad under construction to bring wood to the pulp mills, nickel ore from the east and iron ore from the north to the banks of the power canal.

The ore in the mine, which has been named the Helen, assays 58 to 64 per cent iron, which is richer than the famous mines of Michigan and Minnesota. It is estimated that there are 30,000,000 of ore in sight. At first the output of the mine was sold to American furnaces but the sale of raw material is no part of the Clergue policy. The erection of blast furnaces and steel mills was at once begun. Now the company is rolling the rails for its own railroads, and filling liberal orders for others beside. These mills when completed will turn out 1,000 tons of material a day, including Bessemer steel, nickel, steel, armor plate, steel rails and structural steel, and will give employment to 4,400 men. The mills are the most up-to-date to be found anywhere; everything is done by electricity. The mills already use 4,500 power from the Canadian canal.

A PRAIRIE TODAY A TOWN TOMORROW

Eagle City Oklahoma is Being Built in a Hurry Today

A THOUSAND INHABITANTS

Wonderful Growth of the Latest Boom City of the Prairie Country

Eagle City, Okla, December 5— Over a thousand people arrived in Eagle City today on excursions from Northern Kansas, from Missouri and Arkansas accompanied by brass bands and glee clubs. The excursionists are all purchasers of lots in the new town and have come down to see the drawing, by which the location of their purchase is to be decided. The drawing commenced today and will be continued until all lots are drawn.

A structure, called Convention hall, 140 feet long, has been built for the accomodation of the visitors and arrangements for feeding them have been made. One thousand cots will also be placed in the hall, in order that excursionists may have a place to sleep.

The development of the new town has been somewhat retarded by the extreme difficulty of getting lumber and material on the ground. The bank is finished, all but the painting, and is doing business. There are four saloons in full blast. The pioneer store of Everhart & Buskirk, has been moved into its new building, and is ready for business. Everhart has had the Dilloh postoffice for some time, and the office happened to be situated right on the town site. The name of the office will be changed as soon as possible. Two grain firms have put in scales, and are buying poultry grain and produce.

The first building put up is Eckert's hotel and restuarant, a one-storey structure, floored with rough boards and sided and roofed with tar paper. The menu is very good, considering the difficulties under which it is prepared. Lodging is furnished by double bunks, placed along the wall in which the guests sleep head to head or feet to feet. There is plenty of the purest water here, and plenty to eat.

A wooded tract near town furnishes fine squirrel hunting, and jack rabbits sit on the hills and laugh at men with guns while the quail are remarkably numerous. Excellent black bass fishing is furnished by the North Canadian, and sportsmen from Kansas City and other large towns are taking advantage of the various opportunities to hunt and fish.

The first ball in Eagle City was held Monday night and dances will take place every night this week. To-morrow Governor Ferguson or some other prominent citizen of the territory will address the people, and Friday Chief Blue Bird and his Indians will give a war dance.

Stores are being opened up in tents and shanties of all kinds and what was yesterday a prairie will be a frontier town tomorrow. The first number of the Eagle City Star was issued yesterday by R. W. Hemphill, formerly of Marysville Kan.

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PAY OF RAILWAY MEN

No Concerted Move for Increase in the West

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 3—Grandmaster P. H. Morrissey of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen who returned here yesterday from Chicago, where he was in conference with prominent representatives of his organization in the west and north-west, gave the request, a signed statement, which reads in part:—

"The reports emanating from Chicago that 170,000 men, represented by the established railway labor organizations, were forming a federation, or combination for the purpose of making a concerted demand for increased wages on the railwya companies in the Territory west of Chicago, are not authorative, and no such movement is in contemplation. Conferences of representatives of some of the classes of railway labor have recently been held in Chicago, but have had no relation to the formation of a plan for united movement.

"It is true, as has heretofore been officially stated, that the conductors and trainmen contemplate presenting requests for increased wages to lines in the western territory, within a short time but the procedure will be regular and orderly and in accordance with the established rules and customs of the Order of Railway Conductors, and Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen.'

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A FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT

Three Persons Killed at Havelock on Saturday Evening

FATHER, MOTHER, AND SON

Two Others are Seriously Injured and May Not Recover

Inquest to be Held To Day by Dr. Gray, Coroner—The Father and Son Die at Nicholls Hospital

A frightful accident occurred at Havelock on Saturday evening by which three persons lost their lives. It appears that a farmer named James Rogers, with his wife, two sons and a daughter, who had been in the village shopping, were on their way home, and when they reached the C. P. R. crossing, just outside the village, the two seated carriage in which they were seated was struck by the local, which is due in the village at 8.10. Mrs. Rogers was killed instantly, and the others badly injured. Medical assistance was at once procured, and the injured ones taken to the station where their wounds were temporarily dressed. The father, daughter and one of the sons were placed on a freight train and brought to Peterborough, where they were taken to the Nicholls Hospital, arriving about midnight. The younger son, whose injuries were no so serious, was left at Havelock. The father died soon after reaching the hospital, and the son passed away yesterday about noon.

The daughter, whose injuries are also severe, is expected to recover. Both her jaws were broken, besides other wounds. Dr. Young, C. P. R. surgeon, was promptly notified, and had preparations made at the Hospital for their reception. The wounds were dressed by Drs. Young and Greer, assisted by Dr. Oldcroft, of Havelock, who did everything in their power for the sufferers.

The father was about 40 years of age, the mother 37, the injured boy at Havelock 9, the girl at the hospital 12, and the dead boy 11.

Dr. Gray, coroner, was notified, and had the two bodies shipped to Havelock last night. An inquest will be held this afternoon at Havelock, on the body of Mrs. Rogers.

Last night the condition of the remaining two were favorable.

DEADLY ATTACK ON RAIDERS

Villagess Attempt to Chastise Horse Thieves But Are Repulsed with Telling Effect

London, Dec. 6.—An extraordinary affray took place a few days ago at Lopatchevo, a populous village in the government of Kieff, Russia. This place has latterly earned an evil repute as harboring a band of cattle and horse thieves, who systematically raided the cattle of the village and hamlets in the adjoining district.

The rural police took little notice of the compaints of the victims, and the latter therefore took the matter of chastisement into their own hands. They organized an overwhelming attack upon Lopatchevo, which they approached in three columns from various points. They were no firearms among the attacking parties, but they were well equipped with stout cudgels. The enemy had, however, received warning, and were prepared for the onslaught, which was delivered with desperate vigor.

The conflict lasted a couple of hours, when the attacking party had to retire, leaving five of their number behind beaten to death. The defenders lost three killed, making eight fatalities altogether. There are 38 of the combatants in hospital, many of them injured for life.

Year by year, as soon as the dark nights of autumn begin, a veritable plague of horse stealing breaks out in the rural districts of Russia. There seems to be no means of checking this evil, which is now at its yearly zenith.

When one considers that the peasant's horse is almost his only property, and his chief instrument of labor, one can understand his bitter hatred of the horse thief. His hatred is nourished and fanned to fury by the knowledge of the light punishment which the Russian law provides for horse stealing. This is the explanation of the presence of lynch law in Russia and of its recent violent manifestation.

FATE OF THE HORSE THIEF.

The mode of lynch law most prevalent in Little Russia is this: When a horse thief is caught the men in the village club him to death, each trying to strike in such a way as to influct no injury more serious than a bruise. Far more horrible is the method of binding the feet of the criminal to the tail of a young and active colt. A lads leaps upon the animal's back and gallops away over ditch and meadow. A very few minutes of a ride like this and little is left of the horse thief.

A similar punishment is to bind the thief's feet to the axle of a cart and and then drive away as fast as the horse can travel.

Less general is the refined method of severing the knee tendons, which makes the thief a cripple for life.

A death of fearful agony is that by pin-pricks. For this mode of execution the thief is bound hand and foot to a bench or log, and the women of the village are then called together, and proceed to thrust needles and pins into the soles of the wretched victim's feet and other sensitive parts.

If the horse thief is short of stature his hands and feet are grasped by a number of peasants. One of the biggest and strongest of them then approaches from behind, seizes his head, and presses it backwards in the direction of the spinal column until the vertebrae snap.

Pitcairners Signal a Ship.

Belief that Mutineers are on an Island--Inhabitants Want them to Go

New York, Dec. 6.—The captain of the British ship Howth, from Australia, reports, according to a Herald despatch from San Francisco, that on September 25, when off Pitcairn Island, fire signals were noticeable. He says he made every effort to take his ship in, but was baffled in his attempts by the severe weather.

The captain is of the opinion that the mutaineers of the Leicester Castle, whose story was told yesterday in a despatch to the Associated Press from Queenstown, and that the signals were due to the desire of the inhabitants to get rid of the undesirable visitors.

REITZ IN NEW YORK

Ex-Transvaal Secretary of State Talks to Please the Clan-na-gael

New York, Dec. 8— F. W. Reitz, former secretary of state of the South African Republic was one of the principal speakers at a meeting tonight in Madison Square Garden concert hall, held under the auspices of the Clan na Gael, in commemoration of Manchester "martyrs." His remarks were confined chiefly to the last war in South Africa, which he charactreized as brutal and inhuman. He said the only reason peace terms were signed lay in the fear that the race would be exterminated through the deaths of the women and children in the concentration camps, where 25,000 had perished.

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GUATEMALAN EARTHQUAKE

Loss of Life Now Placed at Three Thousand

San Francisco, Dec. 8—From the Gualemala coast the Pacific mail steamer City of Sydney brings news that the deaths resulting from the recent eruption of Santa Maria volcano numbered about 3,000. This is accompanied by the statement of Guatemalans that reliable information was still difficult to obtain. This estimate is considerably smaller than that previously reported.

BITE KILLS A BOY

Mad Dog on Rampage in Stanton Wis. and Runs Amuck

New Richmond Wis., Dec. 7.—Two fatal cases of hydrophobia in the town of Stanton were traced to a tramp dog, that was shot there after having bitten several animals and at least one person. Fred. Dedtike's 3 year-old son is dead. The family pet dog was bitten at the same time. No other cases have yet developed.

GERMAN CAPITAL FOR BRAZIL

Syndicate After a Railroad Concession in Rio Grande do Sul

Berlin, Dec. 8—A German syndicate is negotiating with the concessionaires for a railway in the state of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil, for the purchase of their rights. The road is to run from Novo Hambyrgo to Caxias and will connect directly with Porto Alegre. It will be 150 kilometres long and is expected to cost ten million marks. The State of Rio Grande do Sul is to guarantee 4 per cent. interest on the expenditure.

CURED BY PROF. LORENZ

Only Case of "Wry Neck" He Treated in Chicago Result Successfully

Chicago, Dec. 8—Meyer Kreeger, the seven-year-old son of L. Kreeger, who was operated on by Prof. Lorenz for "wry neck," has recovered the use of his neck. This was the only case of the kind treated by Prof. Lorenz during his first visit to Chicago.

The heavy wrappings that encased the child's neck have been removed, and he can now move his head and control the muscles of his neck as freely as if he had never suffered from an affliction.

WORLD'S BIGGEST RANCH

Americans Buy Millions of Acres of Ranching Land in Mexico

Salt Lake, Utah, Dec. 8— The purchase of millions of acres of Mexican territory along the borders of the United States for the purpose of creating one of the largest cattle-raising ranches in the world is the result of negotiations of American capitalists with Utah men as principals.

The purchased land comprises nearly 4,000 square miles of territory and extends along the border for 150 miles from a point sixteen miles west of El Paso, Texas.

The purchase price involves an initial expenditure of $21,000,000.

YUKON TELEGRAPH SERVICE

Hon. Mr. Sutherland Explains Cause of Interruption

Ottawa, December 5—Hon. James Sutherland, in consequence of the adverse criticism which has been passed on the working of the Yukon telegraph line, and the present breakdown, has had a memorandum prepared concerning the present delay in the transmission of messages. The memorandum includes a number of messages received from Mr. Phelan at Ashcroft, and Mr. Rochester, who is in charge of the line. The messages show that severe sleet and wind storms, which set in on the 26th ult., caused numerous breaks and that these storms have been frequent since. The men have been out constantly since, endeavoring to locate and repair breaks, but fresh breaks have occurred from day to day. Yesterday Mr. Phelan reported excessive storms with rain and sleet, followed by snow and heavy winds, bringing down great timber and causing continuous breaks over a section of 400 miles. Commenting on these despatches, the memorandum dwelt on the difficulty of maintaining an interrupted telegraph service in the face of storms of sleet and wind, which are the operators' chief drawbacks.

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RUSSIAN AGITATORS ARE BEING PUNISHED

A Prince Has Been Deprived of His Official Position--Protecting Capital Invested in Italy

Agents of the Bond Working in the Transvaal—Have Seen an Undercurrent of Disloyalty Against Constituted Authority

London, Dec. 6.—With reference to the recent charges in the Afrikander Bond a Johannesburg correspondent says they should deceive none but those who wish to be deceived. The agents of the bond have for some time been working in the Transvaal, and it is believed that they have reported to the leaders of the organization that certain nominal changes would make possible a footing in what has hitherto been the enemy's stronghold. These agents have seen an undercurrent of disloyalty, not against the Crown, but against constituted authority which might be utilized to their own ends. Certain members of a prominent coterie has been making overtures resembling the course adopted in Cape Town. The movement is very small, but the machinations are of a kind which should be ignored.

PUNISHING THE AGITATORS.

London, Dec. 6.—A St. Petersburg correspondent says that the local committees which were appointed to inquire into the condition of agriculture, and which have been voicing widespread discontent with political and economic conditions in Russia, are now being made to suffer. Prince Dolgorouhoff has been punished for his action in connection with the Sudzha Committee, of which he was chairman. He has been deprived of his official position, placed under police supervision for five years, and forbidden to take part in public affairs for the same period.

PUTTING MONARCHY ON STABLE BASIS

London, Dec. 6.—In spite of the great obstacles to a definite understanding between Germany and the Czechs in regard to language in Bohemia, Vienna correspondent says there is reason to hope that the perservering efforts of the Cabinet will not have been quite in vain. A truce would suffice to avert the danger apprehended from Germany in connection with commercial treaties, and would place the economic relations of the dual monarchy on a stable basis for another ten years.

PROTECT CAPITAL.

London, Dec. 6.—A Rome correspondent says that the expropriation clause of the Municipalization of Public Services Bill, as amended in committee, proves that Signor Giolitti, Minister of the Interior, has a genuine desire to redeem his promise to protect capital whether foreign or Italian, invested in existing enterprises. It is provided that no business or enterprise shall be expropriated before the expiration of one-third of the peroid of the original concession, such time not to be less than ten years. There is also a rather complicated system of valuation for safeguarding the interests of shareholders and concessionaries, and appeal is allowed from the Board of Arbitration to a further board to be cominated by the president of the Court of Appeal.

INCOME FROM SUGAR BUSINESS

London, Dec. 6.—With the adoption of the French Sugar Duty Bill, says a Paris correspondent, the excise duty will be reduced from 75 to 36 per hundred kilos. M. Rouvier, Minister of Finance, thinks that in four or five years increased consumption of sugar will cover loss of $13,500,000 in revenue, but some people fancy that the refiners will pocket a large share of the reduction, and that consumption will not appreciably increase. Unless, however, the consumption does increase the output must be reduced from 1,100,000 to 400,000 tons. The State will in any case be relieved of ties, which in 1897 amounted to $13,800,000; and last year to $26,000,000.

London, Ont., Dec. 7.—It does not fall to the lot of many men to practically die and come to life again in the midst of funeral preparations, yet such is said to have been the experience last week of Mr. Frederick Horne, Clarence street, this city.

He had been ill for some time with bronchitis, and on Tuesday night his respiration ceased. His wife states positively that Mr. Horne ceased to breathe and had all the appearances of a corpse.

The sorrow-stricken group of anxious watchers as soon as they perceived this to be the case at once began preparations for the arrival of the undertaker. Warm water was procured and the body washed and bathed. It was while this was being done that the body was seen to quiver slightly, and presently the pulse beat feebly. The application of water and stimulants soon set the blood again in circulation, and as the minutes flew by the heart-beats grew stronger, until Mr. Horne slowly opened his eyes. He relapsed into a sleep, out of which he became stronger and better than he has been for some time. His condition improved gradually, and to-day he is on the road to recovery.

The application of warm water stirred the blood cells and won back the life that was slowly expiring. Undoubtedly if Mr. Horne had remained in the unconscious condition for a minute or so longer he would not be living to-day.

London, Dec. 6.—The past few months have found in the United Kingdom an unprecedented number of American buyers of thoroughbred cattle, whose purchases of high-class breeding stock aggregate many thousands of pounds. A number of the animals bought are intended for exhibition at the St. Louis Exposition. The prices paid range from $2,100 to over $4,250 per head. Scores of high-priced bulls and cows have been shipped during the past summer and fall. A number of purchases have also been made of tiny Dexter and Kerry cattle in Ireland, the breeding of which has recently become quite the fashion in England.

The ruling allowing the importation of Jersey and Guernsey cattle into the United States without the tuberculin test is expected to greatly stimulate purchases in those islands. The Agriculture Department's agents during the past ten years have inspected over twenty thousand head of cattle in Jersey and Guernsey and have not found a single case of tuberculosis. On the other hand, England and Scotland are badly infested, and breeders here on that account apprehend the early adoption of more stringent quarantine measures by the United States.

FOUND WIFE HAD MARRIED

MAN WHO DESERTED HIS BRIDE OVER THIRTY YEARS AGO

Gave no Reason for His Actions and Went Back Again—An Episode in Career of an Ohio Man

Benton Harbor, Mich., Dec. 7.—After thirty years absence and supposed to be dead, Mrs. Martha Conrad met at her home in this city her first husband.

Mrs. Conrad, thirty years ago, was the daughter of Dr. Samuel Thompson, a prominent physician of Dowagiac, now dead, and was wooed and won by Frank Berry, whose home was in Ohio. Three months after the wedding Berry bade his wife good-bye for a business trip to Benton Harbor, assuring his wife that he would return in twenty-four hours. After six months' absence the heartbroken wife was driven to anguish by a message from a woman claiming to be Berry's wife, informing her that Berry was in a dying condition at his home in Ohio and in his delirium called "Martha" so frequently that if she wished to see him alive to come atonce.

Though urged to go by her family and friends the young bride met her fate with an iron will, and remained in Dowagiac, leaving the unfaithful man to his fate.

Ten years later Mrs. Berry became the wife of Peter Conrad, at Decatur, Mich., to whom four children were born. Three years ago the Conrad home was established in Benton Harbor, where the husband has since conducted a profitable celery business.

Mrs. Conrad Sunday afternoon, on her return to the little farmhouse adjoining this city, was confronted by a tall bearded stranger, whom she readily recognized as her once devoted husband, but long ago supposed to be dead.

Berry had not known of his wife's marriage, and had come to get her, and if not properly cared for to provide her such comforts as desired.

Like Enoch of old he left never to return to mar the happiness of the woman he had all these years loved, but whom he deserted. Berry left for Dowagiac, thence to his business in Ohio, but will give no reason for his action of thirty years ago, when he deserted his young bride. The above was given out by Mrs. Conrad here yesterday afternoon.

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Dr. Lorenz in Washington

Washington, Dec. 7—Dr. Adolph Lorenz the distinguished Vienna surgeon, whose operations in cases of congenital dislocation of the hip have made him world famous, accompanied by Dr. Frederick Muller, his operating assistant, arrived in Washington late this afternoon. So far the local association of physicians has been unable to discover a case of hip dislocation in Washington that would be susceptible of operation by Prof. Lorenz's method, and the prospects for a clinic at which the distinguished surgeon could show his skill are not bright.

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THE STRIKE MAY AGAIN BE DECIARED ON

It is Doubtful if the Labors of the Commission will Have a Peaceful Termination

Every day it becomes more apparent that the trouble at the pennsylvania mines is by no means settled. It is even doubtful if the labors of the commission will have a peaceful termination. In fact, there seems the ever-present danger of the strike being again declared on, and in even greater ferocity than before. An attempt has been made to arrive at an agreement outside the commission, but it failed. The men appear to be standing loyally to their bargain, but if there is substantial truth in the statement of union miners that nearly 3,000 men have been black-listed and denied employment in the anthracite district because of their prominence in the strike, the coal operators would seem to have broken faith with the public, President Roosevelt and the miners. It was an essential condition of the truce agreed to by the coal trust and the United Mine Workers that the strikers should return to work, and conversely the operators bound themselves to take the strikers back into their employ. Discrimination against strike leaders, under such circumstances, is dishonorable and contemptible. The coal trust, however, has shown a readiness to dishonor its agreements and obligations that is entirely compatible with the breach of faith charged by the black-listed miners.

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A FANTASTIC RUMOR

We have become accustomed to a variety of reports during the agitation for temperance reform, which we have ignored as both unlikely and pernicious, but we cannot allow currency to the rumor that the anti-prohibitionists intend presenting Mr. Ross with a purse, without giving it as our very decided opinion that such rumors tend to no good, even if wholly foundationless. The antis have won the day, but we do not think that so complete a victory after all represents the wishes of the Province. We are of opinion that a stricter and more impartially administered license law is what is wanted by the people, and not a reversal, as would seem of their verdict of four years ago. There is no doubt that the liquor interests feel grateful to Mr. Ross, but that they intend to reward him or that he would accept it we decline to believe.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Some contemporaries are calling it the Grand Trunk Pacific railway. Why the Pacific? Grand Trunk is a good enough name for the whole system, no matter how it may grow.

Away back in Shakespeare's time Puck said: "I'll put a girdle round about the earth in forty minutes." The commercial and Pacific Cable Company ask only thirty-nine minutes in which to flash a message around the world by July, 1903. It now takes thirty-nine hours to accomplish the same thing, but that is too slow in these twentieth century days.

Attacks upon the "rummage sale," still a popular institution in American cities, continue in one form or another. The trouble and vexation to those in charge of it may be at once conceded. Only last year an officer of a Brooklyn charity, went out of his way to record a protest against this way of raising church debts. The labor organizations also have threatened, because the bits of "rummage" sold competed with the new-made products of union labor. Nevertheless, the sales were not suppressed. It remained for the microbe to accomplish what all other agencies had failed to do. The Federated Trades of Milwaukee are submitting to the city board of health evidence which goes to show that the abandoned articles of bric-a-brac, partially worn carpets, and antique house furnishings, the staples of "rummage counters," are the homes of numberless colonies of bacteria. At present the case is still pending.

A big development of the peat industry is likely to take place in Newfoundland next summer, and the movement has been hastened owing to the high prices prevailing this fall in imported coal. A local company has been organized and Mr. Rubey has been sent to Toronto to acquire the necessary information about the manufacturing and preparing the peat for fuel. About one-fifth of the whole surface of the island, it is estimated, is covered with peat, which is said to be very well suited for fuel when properly manufactured. The company referred to have acquired from the Government a grant of a twenty-square mile area, in the vicinity of Cape Freels, on the coast, where they will begin development operations next spring. Should they succeed their example will, no doubt, be followed by others.

Captain Morrison, the clever editor of the Ottawa Citizen, who went through a campaign in South Africa, puts it this way:—Dewet will not enhance his reputation in the public estimation by abusing the men who served under him. While the ignorant commando Boers of the rank and file may have got tired of the hunting to which they were subjected in the last two years of the war sooner than did a man like De Wet who was building up a world-wide reputation the longer he was able to elude the British, still the fight which the Boer people put up against an army of nearly half a million men should prevent the word cowardice being associated with their name. De Wet also shows petulance rather than good judgment in referring to Kitchener's blockhouse system as the "blockhead system." It only took two or three "drives" after the system was completed to convince the Boer leaders that it was time to negotiate for peace.

Mr. E. F. T. Griffin, the C.P.R. Company's land commissioner in the northwest, is quoted as saying that "the influx of Americans into our country been enormous. Up to the end of June we sold 1,000,000 acres, and since then I suppose we have sold probably another 100,000. Pretty nearly one-half of this has gone into the hands of the Americans. Our sales this year have been three times what they were last, and people here have no conception of the tremendous development which is going on. Of course, prices are going up. I should estimate that land has increased 50 per cent. over this time last year, and it will continue to rise. The people are becoming prosperous and wealthy, and all property is advancing rapidly."

Rarely do you find material for a pathetic story on man's inhumanity to man like the following from a bulletin issued by the Chicago health Department:

While the Thanksgiving dinner of turkey was being prepared for the seventy fortunate inmates of the Chicago Home for Friendless Dogs and Cats last Thursday, an unfortunate father—Charles F. Maloney, of 650 State street—was trudging through the South Division, carrying his diphtheria-stricken 3-year-old daughter in his arms in search of some asylum, home or place where she could be taken in and cared for. Refused admission at hospital and dispensary, one after another, he finally reached a police station, whence he was directed to the health department, but the child died before he arrived at the commissioner's office.

—The five year old lad who arrived in town by C.P.R. yesterday morning, was sent back to Toronto. The Chief received a message with information regarding the boy from his aunt, who resides in the city.

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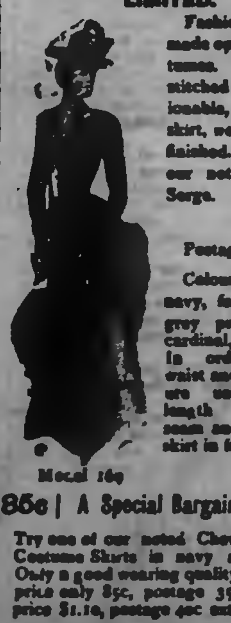

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—Hastings Star: We are informed that a man from Peterborough will be given a hearing before a magistrate for selling cloth in Hastings without a license.

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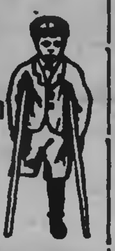

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ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
	100.00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 tons [illegible] above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

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OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

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		ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st,	1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " "	1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " "	1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " "	1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " "	1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000 00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

If the capitalization was increased to .... $20,000,000.00 this estimate would still show a dividend-earning capacity of 10 per cent. per annum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Coal Co. is .... $20,000,000.00 earning fully 12 per cent., and is paying 8 per cent. guaranteed dividends on this enormous sum.

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Summary—The market was without particular feature running after the opening and recovering in the last hour. A. C. P., Sugar and Norfolk and Western particularly resisting any declining tendency. B. R. T. and Manhattan, and N.Y.C. were firm. Deposits decreased over $4,000,000, while loans increased about $1,000,000 and a half. Indications for the coming week promise but little more than a traders' market. Either purchase when weak or sell on the bulges, looking for only comparatively small profits. It matters but little which side you make first, if done as outlined above. Money closed 5 1-2 and 6 per cent. Sales 168,300.

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4.—Ten days to two weeks will complete a well. FIVE WELLS are being put down as fast as men and money can do it.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

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The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Y.W.C.A. will be held this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock.

Mr. Gliddon's Recital

A recital will be given by the pupils of Mr. Rupert Gliddon, in the school room, St. John's church, this evening. The pupils will be assisted by an orchestra of some twenty pieces. No pains will be spared to make the recital a splendid success and lovers of music as well as friends of the pupils will be cordially welcomed.

About Bonusing

Orillia News-Letter: The bonusing by towns to get manufacturing establishments is getting played out, although the practice is still kept up. Some towns are staggering under the burden of taxes to pay bonuses to manufacturers which are really not worth the price. Most of the companies looking for bonuses are depending to a large extent on the town's money to start them in business.

Winter Race Meet

The Turf Club Association will meet on Thursday afternoon, when a program for the races on the 21st and 22nd of January will be arranged. The Club contemplate having a gentleman's race and all those desiring to enter horses are requested to send in their names to the secretary, Mr. Rowntree, at once, so that a meeting can be called to arrange for that particular race.

Saturday's Market

Saturday's market was a large one with prices about the same as usual, some of which were as follows: Lamb, per pound, 6 and 7; pork per pound, 8 and 9; apples, per bag, 40c. and $1.00; onions, per bushel, 80c.; chickens, per pair, 45 and 70c.; ducks, per pair, 70 and $1.00; geese, each, 65 and 85c.; turkeys, each, 90 and $1.25; butter, per pound, 20c.; eggs, per dozen, 25 and 30c.

A SOLDIER'S FOE

Knocked Down by Unexpected Enemy

Coffee so affects the brain and nerves that proper nutrition is interfered with and the final ending is frequently nervous prostration.

"During the Spanish-American war I went with my troop to Chickamauga," says Lieut. J. G. Talbott, of Springfield, Ills. "If there is any one place on earth where one drinks more coffee than another it is in the army. It is a soldier's 'back bone' and I can assure you that I drank my share. After several months of hard drilling my health gave out, the chief cause being coffee, bad food, over-exertion and heat.

On the advice of the surgeon, I tendered my resignation and with my heart full of regret and my nervous system shattered, I returned home. Almost the first thing the doctor whom I consulted advised me was to quit coffee. That was the first intimation I had that coffee had anything to do with my condition. The next thing was, 'What shall I drink?'

My wife's mother used your Postum Food Coffee and knew how to make it right, so I tried it and grew very fond of it. My nervous trouble soon left; my old time health came back, and that Fall I gained so in flesh that the boys on returning from 'muster out' hardly knew me. Quitting coffee and using Postum did wonders for me

BEET SUGAR MEETING

Addressed by Prof. Shuttleworth, of Guelph Agricultural College

A meeting of those interested in the erection of a beet sugar factory in Peterborough was held in the market hall on Saturday afternoon, and was fairly well attended. The meeting was addressed at some length by Prof. Shuttleworth, of Guelph Agricultural College, who gave an interesting talk on the growth and cultivation of the sugar beet and the advantage it would be to the farmer if a factory was erected in Peterborough. Prof. Shuttleworth also spoke of the success of the Berlin and Wallaceburg factories, and the great advantage the farmers were deriving from them.

It was proposed to run another excursion to Berlin at an early date and to charter a special train so as to start early in the morning and return the same day or stop over if desired, the fare to be about $3. Nothing definite as yet has been arranged.

About Beet Sugar

Now that the Ontario Sugar Company is making sugar, and very pretty sugar, from beets at Berlin, people are naturally taking more interest in the concern and are talking and asking about it. We recommend to such as are curious that they send to Berlin and secure a copy of the "News Record" of November 8th, or the "Daily Telegraph" special issue of November 22nd. These are both illustrated and both devoted to a sketch of the rise and progress of the beet sugar industry. Views of the works at different stages are given, and portraits of most of the directors, as well as of the indefatigable managing director, Mr. Williams.

Increase in Lockage

Bobcaygeon Independent: The season of navigation has been a longer one than usual, commencing early and closing late. As an excursion season it was not good, the weather being too wet, and cool. June, July, August and September were very near even in number of boats passing through, and for scows, August, September and October were the best months. The total lockages for the season were 569, and of these 404 were boats, 119 scows, and 246 cribs. Mr. McFarlane reports a large increase in traffic through his lock at Lovesick. When he first went there three years ago, the lockages were only 170, this season they totaled 514. The number made for steamers was 353, for barges 77, rafts 84. The development by the T. V. N. Co'y, of the Kawartha Lakes, with their steamer service, has much to do, of course, with the increase of traffic.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE.—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. James McRoberts, Millbrook, was in town Saturday.

—Mr. John Miller, Evening News, Toronto, spent Saturday in town.

—Rev. Mr. Yule, of Bethany, was in town Saturday.

—The Rev. Canon Harding, of Apsley, was in town last week.

—Mr. Joseph LeMay, of Rapid City, Man., is home visiting his sister, Mrs. Joseph Batten, 251 McDonald street.

—Lakefield News: Mrs. A. Wilson and family have removed to Peterborough where they will reside in future.

—Miss Mamie Roberts, 146 Shuter street, Toronto, who has been visiting friends in town for the past couple of weeks, returned home Saturday.

—His Lordship the Bishop of Toronto passed through town on Saturday on his way to Hastings, where Confirmation services were held yesterday.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Board of Works will meet this evening.

—It is not true that barkeeps are putting more shirt collar on the beer to make up for the referendum expenses.

—A blaze in the house occupied by Dr. Blanchard, corner of Louis and Charlotte streets, early on Saturday morning, gave the fire brigade a run. There was little damage done.

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—Bankers are complaining that they cannot get enough money to supply their customers. Those of us who have had the same experience with our creditors will know how to sympathize with the poor bankers.

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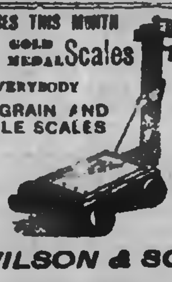

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KRUGER'S VERSION OF HOW THE WAR STARTED

He Says that Great Britain is Wholly Responsible for the Trouble

BLAMES MR. CHAMBERLAIN AND SIR A. MILNER

He Had Already Publicly Announced his Attention of Reducing Residence Period

London, Dec. 8.—We now come to the period immediately preceding the serious crisis. In the meantime the English and the English press, both in South Africa and England, were agitating and vociferating against the Republic. An election had taken place in the previous year in Cape Colony, in which the Afrikander party had gained the victory, a fact which drove Rhodes and all his jingo clique to fury. Sir Alfred Milner, instead of confining himself to his role of Governor, showed himself in his true colours and openly espoused the side of the jingoes in Cape Colony. It was evident to all that a crisis was near at hand, which, if not carefully treated, could only end in catastrophe. But where there are two parties it avails nothing that one is yielding and compliant when the other at all costs pushes matters to extremes, and, as in this case, to a war. That the Government of the South African Republic, in the negotiations that preceded the war, was yielding and compliant is shown by the manner in which the correspondence with England was conducted at the time.

The question of the franchise was that which Sir Alfred Milner and Mr. Chamberlain employed as a pretext to force a war upon the Republic. Before, therefore, discussing the negotiations concerning the franchise question, it is well to mention the fact that as early as the beginning of 1899 I had held meetings of the burghers at Rustenburg and Heidelberg in order to obtain their support for my proposal to reduce the period for securing a full franchise from fourteen years to nine years. From there I went to Johannesburg, and there declared at a public meeting that I hoped later to reduce the period of nine years' residence to a still shorter period.

FORCED BY CHAMBERLAIN.

This fact deserved special mention, because it was probably that which startled Mr. Chamberlain and Sir Alfred Milner and impelled them to hurry on the crisis. Firmly determined as they were to force a war on the Republic, these two men saw that they must lose no time, since I myself had begun to introduce reforms which might presently deprive them of their pretext for going to war. Sir Alfred Milner was in England at that time, and doubtless turned his stay to account to arrange with Chamberlain how they must set to work to carry out their Imperialist programme. By the time he returned the whole thing was settled [illegible] arranged.

[illegible] league at Johannesburg began by drawing up a petition to the Queen in which they enumerated a mass of grievances which, as British subjects, they claimed to have against the Republic, and ended by asking for the intervention of the British Government. Mr. Fraser, the acting British Agent, refused to receive the petition. For this he was rapped over the knuckles by the Colonial Secretary, who was just seeking an opportunity to meddle with the internal affairs of the Republic, with the result that on a later occasion, Mr. Conyngham Greene, the real representative of the British Crown at Pretoria, who had also been to England with Sir Alfred Milner, knew better what was expected of him. In the meantime Sir Alfred Milner had declared that an anti-British movement existed among the Afrikander population in South Africa. This, mark you, after he had cabled to England in 1897, on the occasion of the Queen's Jubilee, that the Afrikanders in Cape Colony were very loyal to England.

A second petition was drawn up by the league and signed by 21,684 British subjects. The signatures were collected by every kind of fraud. The Government of the Republic obtained many sworn declarations which stated that individuals had signed as many names as came into their head. In the same way, the names of deceased and absent persons were placed on the lists. This is easily understood, when one realises that the persons who went round with the lists were paid according to the number of names which they obtained. A few days later the Government at Pretoria received a petition with nearly 23,000 signatures, in which the signers, Uitlanders of every nationality, declared that they were satisfied with the administration of the country. But it was not Mr. Chamberlain's object to receive a genuine petition, so long as he could obtain a weapon with which to attack the Republic, and this weapon was afforded him by the aforesaid petition which was speedily despatched to him by the British Agent, Mr. Greene.

THE BLOEMFONTEIN CONFERENCE

Meanwhile at the commencement of May, Sir Alfred Milner had sent a cablegram to England, which would have done credit to a sensation mongering journalist. In this despatch he declared that Her Majesty's Government must give some striking proof of its intention not to be ousted from its position in South Africa, that thousands of British subjects were kept permanently in the position of helots, and that the case for intervention was overwhelming. Mr. Chamberlain thereupon sent a despatch, dated May 10, 1899 in which he acknowledged the receipt of the petition to the Queen, recapitulated all the grievances of the Uitlanders, and ended by suggesting to Sir Alfred Milner that a conference should take place between him and myself at Bloemfontein, at which the question would be discussed. In the meantime, prompted by a sincere desire to put an end to the prevailing disquiet, President Steyn, before the receipt of this despatch, had made the same proposal to both myself and Sir Alfred Milner. We both accepted the invitation and the well known Bloemfontein conference met on the 31st day of May, 1899, and lasted several days. With me were Schalk Burger and A. D. Wolmarans, members of the Executive Raad, and J. C. Smuts, the State Attorney. Mr. Abraham Fischer, a member of the Executive Raad of the Orange Free State, kindly offered to act as interpreter.

The conference came to nothing. Sir Alfred Milner showed from the commencement that he had not the least desire to come to an agreement. He demanded:

1. Franchise after five years residence.
2. An alteration in the oath of naturalization
3. Increased representation of the new burghers in the Volksraad.

After several day's discussion I offered:

1. Naturalization after two year's residence. Full franchise after five years more (or seven years in all, instead of fourteen, as the law then stood.).
2. Increased representation of the Uitlanders in the Volksraad.
3. An oath of naturalization similar to that in the Orange Free State.

I demanded, however, that the franchise should be made to depend on the possession of a certain amount of property and naturalization on the production of proof that the individual concerned possessed civic rights in his own country. I also asked that, as a compensation for the concessions which I was making, the British Government should accept the principle of arbitration in the case of differences between the two States. Sir Alfred Milner, however, declared that the concessions were quite insufficient.

During this conference I pointed out to Sir Alfred that a quantity of the signatures appearing on the petition to the Queen were spurious, whereupon the latter answered:

Very well, we will investigate the matter.

He asked me whether the petition which had been addressed to the Government of the Republic did not also contain false signatures. I denied this positively, and I said I was prepared at once to appoint a committee to enquire into the genuineness of both petitions. I said I was further prepared to grant the British Government the right of nominating Englishmen to act as members of this committee. Only the committee must not be appointed from England, or acquire an official character, as this might make it appear as though the Republic were under British suzerainty. Hereupon Sir Alfred would hear no more, and said:

"Let us drop the subject."

For the rest, he continued to insist upon what he called "his irreducible minimum." He declared that he had other grievances, which would remain, even if the franchise question was settled, and refused to produce them until the franchise question had been settled in his way.

The same evening I went to Sir Alfred, asking him to meet me again for further deliberation; but Sir Alfred answered that he "considered this unnecessary and that the conference was ended."

THE HAVELOCK ACCIDENT

INQUEST ON THE REMAINS BEGAN YESTERDAY AND ADJOURNED

Further Particulars of the Tragedy—The Boy and Girl Doing Nicely—How it Occur[red] No Blame Attached to the Railway

Further particulars of the distressing accident at Havelock on Saturday are at hand. It appears that Mr. Rogers, his wife, two sons, and a girl—Edith C. Smith by name—were seated in a sleigh. When they approached the track they heard the train, and Mr. Rogers, instead of waiting till it had passed, whipped his horses up and attempted to cross in front of the train. In the front of the sleigh was seated Rogers, his wife and the girl, who is 12 years of age. The two boys occupied the rear seat. The engine struck the rig square in the centre, between the two bob-sleighs. The little girl was thrown over into a vacant lot, having both jaws broken. Rogers and his wife were carried on the cowcatcher a considerable distance—probably an eighth of a mile. The elder boy was also thrown some distance.

It was probably fifteen or twenty minutes after the accident that a man happened to see the body of Mrs. Rogers, lying on the side of the track. The alarm was given, and moans were heard coming from the 9 year old boy, Walter, who was lying behind a pile of wood, and suffering from a dislocated ankle. When found he said that he had just woke from a sleep, having been stunned.

After arriving at Nicholls Hospital Rogers died, and a few hours later the elder boy passed away. The girl, who was taken from the Barnardo Home last May, will recover, as also will the youngest boy, Walter, who is only slightly injured. Dr. Young, assisted by Dr. Greer, (who is the hospital physician this month) and Dr. Oldcroft, of Havelock, did everything in their power to save the boy, but without success. He was frightfully hurt, having his skull fractured, besides many other injuries.

Yesterday Dr. Gray, coroner, accompanied by County Crown Attorney Wood, went down to Havelock and opened an inquest on the remains of the three victims. After empannelling a jury, the inquest was adjourned until Thursday, when evidence will be taken, and a verdict reached.

Not the slightest blame is attached to the railway. The boy says that they all heard the whistle of the engine, and it was then that Rogers whipped his horses into a run to get across the track.

Coroner Gray issued permits for burial and the funeral of the three victims will take place this afternoon.

KAISER HAS EYE TROUBLE

A Case of Inflammation—He Puts off a Proposed Trip

Berlin, Dec. 8—The Tageblatt says that Emperor William is suffering from inflammation of the eyes and has cancelled his proposed visit to Trachenberg.

CHOSEN TO KILL THE KING

Anarchist Says His Society Ordered Him to Murder Alfonso

Madrid, Dec. 8—The alleged Anarchist Antonia Pulgar, or Perez, who was arrested at Orense yesterday and who said he had come from Buenos Ayres to assassinate King Alfonso, was examined by a Magistrate today.

He said he was a member of a society which had deputed him to murder the King. He produced a dagger which was to have been used in accomplishing his purpose.

DIES ON WEDDING DAY

An Iowa Man Kills Himself at His Home

Des Moines, Iowa, December 8—Bert. McNutt was to have married Miss Magdalene Guth at noon Thursday, but failed to appear.

When his parents went to their home an hour later they found him writhing in death agony.

He had shot himself and died in three hours, leaving a letter to his fiancee protesting his affection for her, but not explaining the reasons for his suicide. His relatives believe he was mentally deranged.

A TOUCHING TRIBUTE

Written by a Husband to His Aged Wife

This touching tribute by a Peterborough husband of three-score and ten to his wife on her seventieth birthday, which occurs to-day, helps wonderfully to revive our faith in human nature in these days, when matrimonial unhappiness is so freely exploited on all sides:

"Thy hand hath led me to the light,
And life is new to me,
And all I hoped so sweet and bright,
And beautiful with thee.

'Twas thus I sang one day in June,
Far in our honeymoon,
And now at seventy say in tune,
It was not sung too soon.

Upon your cheeks the roses' tint,
For me will bloom away,
For time's slow changes on us print
So imperceptibly.

I see to-day your auburn hair,
And swear I see no gray,
Nor wrinkles on your face, still fair,
As on your wedding day.

So here this little bunch of flowers,
I hand you as a pledge,
In memory of our wedded hours,
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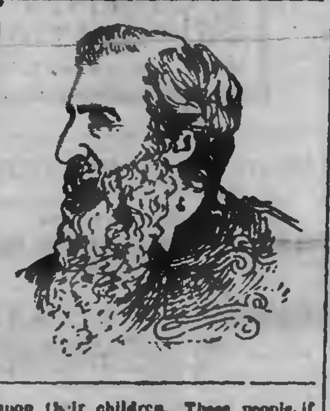

Winnipeg, Dec. 8—A representative of The Times called upon General Booth at the officers' quarters of the Salvation Army yesterday and was given a genial reception by the veteran salvationist, and founder of the Army, who, notwithstanding the weight of many years, is standing the fatigue of his journey remarkably well, especially considering the amount of work he is doing and the number of public meetings he is addressing.

"I landed in New York," he said, "nine weeks ago, and struck this country at St. John, N.B. I visited Halifax, Montreal, Kingston, Ottawa, Hamilton and Toronto. Crossing into the United States I addressed meetings at Buffalo, Columbus, Toledo and Chicago. I visited St. Paul and Minneapolis and from there came to Winnipeg, by way of Duluth and Grand Forks. I was here twice before so that the metropolis of the Great West is not entirely new to me. From here I go to Des Moines and then right on to 'Frisco. From there I will take my way back to New York by a southern route, leaving for England about the first of March. My next tour will be through Europe and on to India, Australia and South Africa, finishing up," he characteristically added, "in heaven, where I hope to meet you."

TOUR A GREAT SUCCESS.

"Are you satisfied with the results of your trip?"

"Yes, very much so. I have had very good meetings all the way through and not a single gathering that could be put down as a failure. Everywhere they have been great crowds fighting for admission. There has always been a kind feeling and great sympathy, and, so far, the campaign may be regarded as a somewhat remarkable success."

"In what condition do you find your army of followers?"

"I find the army greatly advanced in every respect as a whole in the States, and in every department in Canada. I hope we are going to do even better in the future than we have in the past. The difficulties in Canada are in common with the difficulties in any other movement in this new country—we want more people to work with."

"Have your colonization projects developed satisfactorily yet?"

"Not in Canada. I spent a great deal of money in inspection of land in the Edmonton district and sent three officers out to look over the country. I made a proposition to the Dominion government, but they did not see fit to give me the assistance that I required, so nothing further has been done here but I hope that we will be able to establish some of these colonies in Canada, which have proven to be such a great success elsewhere. I have fifteen land colonies now at work, some in Australia and some in South Africa, and a very large one at the mouth of the Thames in England. One in Colorado has been a most marked success. We took up 2,000 acres there and settled people upon the land from the American cities. They are all doing well and are paying back the money advanced to get them started.

HIS PLANS OF COLONIZATION.

"My idea," continued the general, "is this. You offer a man 160 acres of land and you might as well offer him a white elephant. But you give him some sort of a shanty to live in, a cow and a few of the necessaries of life, and you can get what you want most of all in the West—peasant farmers. These are the people who have made England, and they are the backbone of a country. They are living upon meagre wages in the Old Country, with no prospects for their old age, excepting dependence upon their children. These people, if aided to a certain extent, would come out here and do very well. They would soon pay back what money was advanced them, and from the standpoint of a money-making venture alone, if you are not influenced by humanitarian motives, it is a good movement. I have just bought 22,000 acres in Western Australia and spent a good deal of money on it. I have three farms in South Africa and one in Natal, to which the people and the government have subscribed with great liberality. I spent $750,000 upon the colony at the mouth of the Thames, and today I could, if I wished, sell land that I bought there for $100 an acre, for $2100. We are going to make a city there, and the Army will get back every cent it has expended."

Terrific Gale and Snowstorm

Despatch from Collingwood Tells of Demoralized Traffic--Steamers Frozen In

Collingwood, Ont., Dec. 8.—Dense snowstorm and terrific gale from Northwest has demoralized traffic on road and railway in the northern district. The second train from Collingwood broke down eight miles south of here while pushing through drifts, and had to return. The north-bound freight engine became disabled near Stayner, and the engine was despatched to bring train through. Gale and blinding storm also cause much uneasiness in marine circles because of non-arrival of last vessels out. Word comes that the Germanic is frozen in at Richards Landing, on north shore, and two tugs have been sent from the Sault to her rescue. The City of Midland arrived at Owen Sound last night. The steamer Atlantic is still somewhere on northshore, having left a few days ago with a big load of freight. Huronic is also on Lake Superior on her last trip from Sarnia. Boats running ten days later than last year, because of pressure of freight business.

THE OFFICIAL RETURNS

SUBSTANTIAL MAJORITY FOR THE LIQUOR ACT IN WEST PETERBOROUGH

Only Two Divisions Not Heard From—These will Slightly Increase the Majority, which is now 1066

	For.	Against.
Galway, No. 1	5	0
Galway, No. 2	6	9
Galway, No. 3	1	37
Cavendish, No. 1	0	3
Cavendish, No. 2	5	1
Harvey, No. 1	61	0
Harvey, No. 2	76	7
Harvey, No. 3	35	20
Ennismore, No. 1	3	63
Ennismore, No. 2	5	13
Smith, No. 1	71	4
Smith, No. 2	20	27
Smith, No. 3	76	4
Smith, No. 4	16	6
Smith, No. 5	20	54
Lakefield, No. 1	62	12
Lakefield, No. 2	71	21
S. Monaghan, No. 1	65	4
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S. Monaghan, No. 3	65	2
N. Monaghan, No. 1	67	8
N. Monaghan, No. 2		—
TOWN OF PETERBOROUGH		
Div. No. 1	60	43
Div. No. 2	68	26
Div. No. 3	65	41
Div. No. 4	72	56
Div. No. 5	96	35
Div. No. 6	73	43
Div. No. 7	64	31
Div. No. 8	55	36
Div. No. 9	12	37
Div. No. 10	110	37
Div. No. 11	57	39
Div. No. 12	63	29
Div. No. 13	64	34
Div. No. 14	50	34
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SCENE OF DISORDER WAS ALL PREARRANGED

Scheme of Nationalists to Raise the Deadweight of Public Indifference

Suppression of Chinese Piracy—Sir Ernest Satow Urged to Use His Influence to Make the Chinese Government Adopt Strong Measures

London, Dec. 8.—The Paris correspondent of the Times says it would be a mistake to think that Saturday's violent scene in the Chamber of Deputies was improvised. It was a scandal prearranged by the Nationalists and members of the right, in which the Republican majority artlessly became an involuntary accomplice. It was one of those schemes of which Nationalism has the secret, a scheme for raising the deadweight of public indifference, which is beginning to bear the party down. Parliamentarism is the great enemy of the Nationalists, and of the right, because it thwarts their ambition. After cheering Boulanger crying "Panama," and shouting "Vive l'Armee," during the Dreyfus affair, they are now trying to make the Humbert fraud the battering-ram against the walls of the Republic.

TO STOP CHINESE PIRACY.

London, Dec. 8.—The Hong Kong correspondent of the Times says that Sir Ernest M. Satow has conferred with the China association on the illegal Chinese duties, the increase of piracy and the further opening of the southern waterways to foreign craft. The local bodies urged Sir Ernest to use his influence in order to make the Chinese Government adopt strong measures for the suppression of piracy and lawlessness in Southern China. Information has been received that the Chinese have abandoned the illegal tax on opium at Canton and Swatow.

COMMERCIAL TREATIES.

London, Dec. 8.—The Vienna correspondent of the Times says public opinion is preoccupied with the question of commercial treaties. It is believed that the Hungarian Premier's arrival at Vienna is connected with the same subject. Emperor William has sent to Count Goluchowski, the Austro-Hungarian Minister of Foreign Affairs, a richly framed photograph of himself, "as a momento of the renewal of the triple alliance." Nieue Freie Presse interprets this gift as a sign that the Austro-German negotiations will be conducted with all friendliness.

The correspondent says the treaty with Italy is irrevocably doomed, mainly because the Hungarians want to destroy the wine clause, on which subject Austria-Hungary has made formal engagements with France. Italy will not take offence, knowing that the treaty will be denounced by Austria-Hungary regretfully, as an unavoidable concession to Hungarian sentiment.

A NEWSPAPER FICTION.

Berlin, Dec. 8.—The announcement that Prince Henry of Pless is to succeed Dr. Von Holleben as the German Ambassador, is a newspaper fiction. In fact, the Kaiser has no intention of recalling Dr. Von Holleben, who does not express any desire to retire from his post. Prince Henry of Pless has recently chosen a diplomatic career and is still very young. He is at the disposal of the Kaiser, and it is well known that the monarch is holding him in reserve for some good diplomatic post.

SULTAN NEARLY CAPTURED

His Troops Suffer Heavily But Repulse the Tribesmen

London, Dec. 8—A despatch from Tangier, Morocco, says the Zemmour tribesmen, who attacked the forces of the Sultan of Morocco, have suffered a crushing defeat. The troops lost heavily, however, and the Sultan himself narrowly escaped capture.

LABOR UNIONS IN POLITICS

Organizations in New Orleans to Pay Poll Taxes So That All May Vote

New Orleans, Dec. 8—The labor unions of New Orleans have announced their intention to enter actively into politics. Their action is the result of the recent street car strike, the men holding that they would have won a signal victory had not Gov. Heard and Mayor Capdevielle taken the side of the company.

The Street Car Men's Union had adopted resolutions calling upon all members to take part in politics, in all primaries and elections. The key to the political situation in Louisiana is the poll tax. No one can vote in the next State and city elections which occur in 1904, unless he pays the poll tax for 1902 before Jan. 1. In order to vote the entire strength, the Street Car Men's Union has offered to pay out of its treasury all the poll taxes of its members, 1,500 in number. The other unions have followed its example and now it is certain that every union man in New Orleans will have his poll tax paid for him and thus be entitled to the ballot.

Some objection has been raised to the union paying these individual taxes but the city treasurer has overruled all objections and accepted the money tendered him. This ensures the enrolment of the entire union vote of the city. There is no one to pay the poll taxes of the non-union voters, and unless they do so themselves they will be disfranchised. Only 10,565 citizens have so far fitted themselves for the franchise, of which nearly half are union men, who hope for a similar victory to that recently won in San Francisco.

Germany's Claim Against Venezuela

Berlin, Dec. 8—It is stated officially that Germany's claim against Venezuela amounts to 3,000,000 Bolivars ($600,000).

The semi-official Cologne Gazette today prints a very strong anti-Venezuelan article. It says that in the face of German patience, Venezuelan boldness has become insolence, and it is necessary that Germany step forward vigorously or lose the esteem in which she is held, not only in Venezuela, but in all America.

Dr. Lorenz at the White House

Washington, Dec. 8.—Dr. Adolph Lorenz, the eminent Vienna surgeon, was presented to President Roosevelt this morning by Baron Hengelmuller, the Austrian Ambassador. Dr. Lorenz was warmly greeted by the President, who expressed great interest in the work which the specialist has accomplished for the benefit of humanity.

An Ultimatum to Venezuela.

Premier Balfour Makes the Announcement in the Commons

Britain and Germany to Act—To Enforce Their Claims Against the President

London, Dec. 8.—Premier Balfour announced in the House of Commons today that an ultimatum had been sent to Venezuela, and that, in the event of a satisfactory reply not being received the British and German Governments will take measures to enforce the claims against that country, which are being pressed by merchants and others, and have not been met owing to the state of unrest of the South American Republic.

KAISER'S ADVICE TO WORKMEN

Have Nothing to Do with Socialists, He Tells Them

Berlin, Dec. 8.—Although Emperor William has cancelled his shooting and other engagements owing to his inflamed left eye, he to-day received a deputation of workmen of Breslau, who were on their way to Potsdam. The leader of the deputation presented a patriotic address thanking the Kaiser for his address to workmen at Essen on the occasion of the funeral of Herr Krupp.

In replying to the address the Emperor said that the working classes had always been objects of great interest to him. German workmen abroad were always deservedly respected. Socialist agitators had been for years trying to persuade the workmen that if they did not belong to the Socialist party they would be incapable of guarding their own interests. This was a gross lie. A serious mistake of the agitators was that they tried to sow class hatred by disseminating cowardly libels in order to strengthen their own power.

"Workmen must have nothing to do with such men. They should send simple honest men from the workshops to Parliament, and they would be welcomed as representing German labor, not as Socialists, and the representatives of other classes would work with them willingly for the country's good.

Denmark for Arbitration

Copenhagen, Dec. 8.—The lower house to-day passed a resolution to the effect that it would be desirable hereafter in making treaties with foreign powers to insert a clause similar to the one in the recently proposed treaty with the United States, that all differences arising therefrom should be referred to The Hague Arbitration Tribunal.

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New Viceroy of [illegible]

Pekin, Dec. 8.—An edict has been issued appointing Wu Kuang the Governor of Yunnan, Viceroy of [illegible] in succession to the late [illegible]. This will enable Viceroy [illegible] who was temporarily [illegible] to return [illegible] continue to [illegible] his [illegible]

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UNION LABEL

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THE REFERENDUM RESULT

The vote on the referendum has been accepted by the prohibition party as a sign of advancement for their cause. To gain a goodly majority of the votes cast is of little account, however, if the total vote does not come within eighty thousand of that required to put the Act into effect. The net result has been but so much time and effort and public money wasted. It was said on prohibition hustings, and stated in black type in prohibition literature, that those who did not vote would be counted by the party as "in favor of the open bar." If that were true, the Act was buried out of sight by the anti-voters and abstainers on Thursday. But we do not so understand the matter. The apathy of non-voters was more reasonably to be accounted for on the theory that they had no faith in the efficacy of the Act as a temperance measure, believing that it would lead to worse evils than the bar itself. That they abstained from voting shows that were the Act to be made operative by a majority vote only, there would not be behind it that strong weight of popular sentiment that would insure its being observed. Then it has been said, with how much truth we know not, that the vote of Thursday was largely of a political character; that the Conservatives turned out in force at certain unexpected points, voting less from good will to the Act than from a desire to make their influence felt on tactical grounds. We prefer to believe that both Conservatives and Reformers voted purely from conscientious conviction and a sense of duty.

Another aspect of the vote is a warning to the bar-keepers that they must observe the law as it exists. One half the odium attaching to the bar business in the minds of even moderate drinkers, is the defiance of law, by a few persons in the trade, whose greed for money gets the better of their discretion. A public house on one of the principal streets of Peterborough is noted for the number of its Sunday frequenters. Why is the law not enforced against that house? Whose duty is it? Without a doubt, the vote "Yes," in Peterborough was largely augmented by men not dissatisfied with the license law of the Province, as it stands, but who have been irritated by the breaches of the law as to Sunday selling. If the men in the trade will misbehave in that fashion, public irritation arises against them, and incidentally against the traffic in general. The innocent are made to suffer in public esteem with the guilty. A distinct gain would be made by enforcing the present liquor law.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Eight of the fifteen Ontario cities gave a majority for prohibition, the aggregate being 2,262. Seven cities gave 1,809 against. In 1898 Brantford was the only city that gave a temperance majority.

A fond wife down in Ohio surprised her husband the other day by presenting him with a pail full of money which she had extracted piece-meal for a year from the receipts of his general store, and which he had never missed. And now he is in doubt whether to make her treasurer of the concern or keep her away from the cash drawer entirely, for fear the habit will grow on her and she may absorb all the receipts without his knowledge.

The Military Gazette speaks approvingly of Col. Buchan's pamphlet, "With the Infantry in South Africa," which was given as a lecture before the Canadian Military Institute. Col. Buchan urges that in any future emergency of the kind some provision be made for "Wastage," or losses by wounds, disease, death and other happenings, such as the depot system. Another lesson learned in the war by our men was the lack of training in "signalling," in sending and receiving heliograph messages by day, and lantern messages by night. At out-stations they had to requisition men and instruments from the Imperial troops for this purpose. This work should be a part of the training of the Canadian militia.

GERMAN CAPITAL FOR BRAZIL

Syndicate After a Railroad Concession in Rio Grande do Sul

Berlin, Dec. 8—A German syndicate is negotiating with the concessionaires for a railway in the state of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil, for the purchase of their rights. The road is to run from Novo Hamburgo to Caxias and will connect directly with Porto Alegre. It will be 110 kilometres long and is expected to cost ten million marks. The State of Rio Grande do Sul is to guarantee 4 per cent. interest on the expenditure.

BEET SUGAR MEETING

Addressed by Prof. Shuttleworth, of Guelph Agricultural College

A meeting of those interested in the erection of a beet sugar factory in Peterborough was held in the market hall on Saturday afternoon, and was fairly well attended. The meeting was addressed at some length by Prof. Shuttleworth, of Guelph Agricultural College, who gave an interesting talk on the growth and cultivation of the sugar beet and the advantage it would be to the farmer if a factory was erected in Peterborough. Prof. Shuttleworth also spoke of the success of the Berlin and Wallaceburg factories, and the great advantage the farmers were deriving from them.

It was proposed to run another excursion to Berlin at an early date and to charter a special train so as to start early in the morning and return the same day or stop over if desired, the fare to be about $2. Nothing definite as yet has been arranged.

About Beet Sugar

Now that the Ontario Sugar Company is making sugar, and very pretty sugar, from beets at Berlin, people are naturally taking more interest in the concern and are talking and asking about it. We recommend to such as are curious that they send to Berlin and secure a copy of the "News Record" of November 8th, or the "Daily Telegraph" special issue of November 22nd. These are both illustrated and both devoted to a sketch of the rise and progress of the beet sugar industry. Views of the works at different stages are given, and portraits of most of the directors, as well as of the indefatigable managing director, Mr. Williams.

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The heavy wrappings that encased the child's neck have been removed, and he can now move his head and control the muscles of his neck as freely as if he had never suffered from an affliction.

BITE KILLS A BOY

Mad Dog on Rampage in Stanton Wis and Runs Amuck

New Richmond Wis., Dec. 7.—Two fatal cases of hydrophobia in the town of Stanton were traced to a tramp dog, that was shot there after having bitten several animals and at least one person. Fred. Dedtike's 8 year-old son is dead. The family pet dog was bitten at the same time. No other cases have yet developed.

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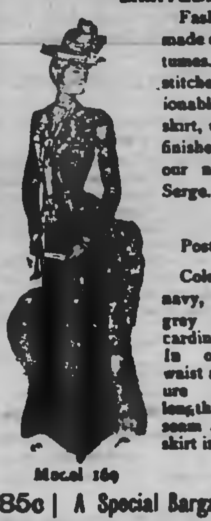

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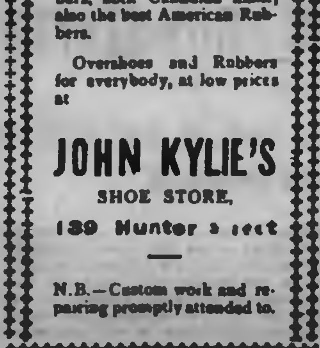
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CAPITAL.

50,000 shares Common Stock, par value $100 each, issued and fully paid	$5,000,000 00
10,000 shares 7 per cent. Cumulative Preference Stock, par value $100 each	$1,000,000 00
Total Capitalization	$6,000,000 00

PREFERENCE STOCK

This Stock is preferred both as to Capital and Dividends.

The shares are entitled to cumulative preferential dividends from the net earnings of the Company, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, payable half-yearly on the first days of April and October. They may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged for common shares. They are subject to be called in, in whole or in part, by the Company, at $115.00 per share, at any time on or after 1st January, 1909.

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Subscriptions for 10,000 shares of $100 each of the 7 per cent Preferred Stock of the CANADIAN STEEL AND COAL COMPANY will now be received at par, that is, $100 for each $100 share as follows:—

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One share of common, par value $100.00, given with each share of preferred.

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Notice of allotment will be sent promptly by ordinary letter.

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The CANADIAN STEEL AND COAL COMPANY was organized to mine and manufacture iron and coal, coke and steel in Canada at Atlantic tidewater.

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1.—COAL. 2.—IRON. 3.—LIMESTONE.

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The Company controls 3,000 acres of excellent coal areas in the Province of Nova Scotia, and efforts are being made to increase this to 10,000 acres by the purchase of some very valuable additional coal fields.

The coal has been thoroughly tested and found to be suitable in every way for the manufacture of iron and steel, and the supply is practically inexhaustible. The following analysis was made by the Canadian Geological Survey:—

ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
	100.00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 1350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 ton re above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

3.—FLUX.

We are now negotiating for valuable deposits of dolomite and limestone of the most satisfactory quality, situated on the tide water, within 100 miles of the works

MARKETS.

For six months in each year the Canadian markets can be reached by water at low freight rates, and at all times by rail. As Cape Breton is distant from Liverpool only about 2,300 miles; is nearer to Pernambuco, Brazil, than any point in the United States, and also nearer to Cape Town, South Africa, it has the advantage, in point of distance, for export business over any American steel-producing points, which, with scarcely any exceptions, are situated some distance from tide water. Under any conditions of the world's market, it is believed that the output of these works can be disposed of at satisfactory prices.

OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows:—

	ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000

or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years........ $670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000 00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000 00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

If the capitalization was increased to .... $20,000,000.00 this estimate would still show a dividend-earning capacity of 10 per cent. per annum.

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LOCATION—The mines are located from 18 to 21 miles southeast from Tucson, a railway station on the Southern Pacific Railroad, in Olive District, Pima County, Arizona, in the foothills of the Santa Rita Mountains, being in the largest mineral belt in Arizona for gold, silver and copper.

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STOCK MARKETS

Poor Crops from Abroad

New York, Dec. 8—Evidence is coming to the surface, indicating that European crops will not be good. This will greatly benefit our exports. Previous reports were that European crops were going to prove to be above the average indicating that demands upon America would be less than usual. Now comes the reports of shrinkage in previous estimates covering all producing parts of Europe. These revised reports come from the United Kingdom, Germany and France and are open confessions of shortage. Foreign purchases from America must consequently be liberal this coming year. This will cause international exchange rates to shortly be much more favorable, also greatly increase the quantity and value of our exports. It will prove to be a factor that will have a most beneficial effect. The American crop picture is a far different one; an enormous crop already harvested, with prices at excellent figures. The railways are struggling to move same. It will put large amounts of additional cash in the hands of the farmer and the communities around him, swell railway earnings most enormously and cause consumers to have greatly increased purchasing capacity. There is already a locomotive famine on hand, the Pennsylvania has hired over 100 additional locomotives, while the manufacturers of the iron horse are working night and day, being absolutely overwhelmed with business. It is idle to expect that a dull and drooping stock market can last for any great time. The longer delays the more intense and rapid will be the upward movement once it starts. On top of the new business offering through transportation of the crops, mercantile business has already hampered the roads with the prodigiousness of the amount of business they are transacting. Freight movements are beyond all precedent and some of the roads have been absolutely blocked with loaded cars. Never in their history have they been called upon to handle so large a business and at such lucrative rates. The advance in freight rates going into effect on January 1st will greatly increase net earnings, more than off-setting the advance in wages.

Summary—The market opened up in some instances, notably St. Paul, Manhattan, Metropolitan and Copper. Slight recessions were afterwards recorded, then advances took place throughout the list. Variations were infinitesimal and in many stocks the market was a nominal one. The undertone was firm and the buying, what little there was, was considered good. Selling was spasmodic and small in volume. Nothing much can be said about such variations and dealings as occurred today. It is simply a waiting market. The next activity should lead to better prices. Tomorrow's letter will deal with "Activity will soon follow present dullness."

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

A. R. M. Bible Club

The regular meeting of the A.R.M. Bible club will be held to-morrow evening in the Y.M.C.A. at 7.30. The subject led by Mr. M. A. Sorsoleil, "Who proved neighbor to him?" All young men invited.

St. Paul's Ladies' Aid Lecture

Rev. Dr. Cleaver, of Sherbourne street Methodist church, Toronto, will deliver his celebrated lecture on Victor Hugo's masterpiece, "The Story of Jean Valjean," on Thursday evening, December 11th, in St. Paul's church. Admission 25 cents.

An Interesting Address

An interesting address was delivered last night in the lecture room of the George street Methodist church, before the Epworth League, upon "London at the Time of the Coronation," by Mr. John J. Jeffries, of the Collegiate Institute staff. At the conclusion of the address a vote of thanks was passed for the great treat afforded.

Re-Union Social

A re-united social was held in the school hall of St. Andrew's church last night, under the auspices of Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, when a very interesting and enjoyable programme of vocal and instrumental music was presented. There was a good attendance of the members and their friends. Refreshments were served during the evening.

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Died in North Monaghan

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barnard will sympathize with them in the death of their darling baby boy, who passed away yesterday morning, aged 17 months, from pneumonia after a brief illness. The funeral will leave the family residence, lot 7, con 11, North Monaghan, to-morrow, Wednesday, 10th instant, and proceed to the Little Lake cemetery for interment.

The Late Senator O'Donohoe

Senator John O'Donohoe, whose death was announced yesterday, contested East Peterborough in 1871, in the interests of the Liberal party, against Mr. George Read, of Keene, being defeated on that occasion. The Senator was a fluent speaker, and an active politician. He was given a Senatorship by the late Hon. Alex. Mackenzie, who held power from 1873 to 1878.

Good Skating at Chemong

On Saturday night those who were fond of skating had an opportunity of enjoying themselves at Chemong, to their hearts' content. The lake is one vast sheet of glassy ice, and the young people of Bridgenorth and neighborhood built a huge bonfire on the shore, and enjoyed themselves skating until quite late. The ice on the lake is now several inches thick, so that there was no danger of accident.

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For C. H. Charter, the Bogus Cheque Man Sentenced in Kingston

C. H. Charter, the bogus cheque swindler, who operated so successfully in Peterborough and other western towns, but who ran up against it in Kingston, was sentenced to seven years in the Kingston Penitentiary. Charter claims that his home is in Toronto.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH NOTES

The Entertainment and Lecture on Friday Night—Other Meetings

A meeting of the Men's Guild took place last night to make arrangements for the entertainment and lecture on Friday night.

The fortnightly cottage meeting at Auburn will be held this evening in the Auburn chapel at eight o'clock

Remember the lecture to be given by Dr. Holmes, of Toronto, on Friday evening at eight o'clock in the Sunday school, on "Lay work in the Church." It will be an open meeting of the Men's Guild, and non-members and ladies are welcome.

RECITAL IN ST. JOHN'S

By the Pupils of Mr. Rupert Gliddon a Successful Affair

The quarterly recital of the pupils of Mr. Rupert Gliddon was held in St. John's school room last evening, under the auspices of the Girl's Guild. The excellent music furnished on the occasion goes far to show the ability of Mr. Gliddon. The following pupils took part in the recital: Adult members of the orchestra, Miss Florence Butcher, Miss Marguerite Burnett, Miss Kathleen Wallis, Miss Geraldine King, Miss Ethel Best, Miss Rubina Elliott, Miss M. Robertson, Miss Mollie Meldrum, Miss Daisy Sawyers, Miss Annie McFarlane, Frank Halpeny and Max Cuncannon. The proceeds went to the "Piano Fund," in the Girl's Guild.

A SUCCESSFUL ENTERTAINMENT

Bridgenorth Football Club Gives a Pleasing Concert

The Bridgenorth Football Club closed their season on Friday night by giving a grand concert in the town hall. They have had a very successful season, out of eight matches in which their team took part they were winners in seven, and their popularity was well shown by the way the hall was filled on Friday night. After paying the expenses of the season and of the concert, the club has $32.25 cash on hand to begin business in the spring. Among other selections on the programme were solos by Miss B. Kelly, Miss P. Udy, and Mr. A. Morrison, and a speech by Mr. E. Brumell, secretary's statement read by Dr. J. A. Morgan, recitation by Mr. J. Jopling. There were also a number of tableaux, dialogues, etc., and everybody had a good time.

All Bridgenorth wants now is a rink to be able to put out a good hockey team, and it will have it if the boys take hold in earnest.

Wallace Point Bridge

On Friday last Mr. Wm. Anderson, M.P.P., chairman of the Committee of the County Council on Roads and Bridges, accompanied by Mr. J. E. Belcher, County Engineer, inspected the bridge at Wallace Point. This bridge is in rather bad shape, the piers not being of sufficient strength to hold up the superstructure. It is understood that the necessary piers will be placed in position during the present winter.

A Sad Affliction

Four children of Mr. Wellington Alsting, boot and shoe merchant, opposite the George street Methodist church, were stricken with scarlet fever and, consequently, were removed to the Hospital. Since their removal two of the little ones have succumbed to the dreaded disease, one on Sunday and one yesterday. The remains were interred yesterday, both bodies being taken to the cemetery in one hearse. To add to the affliction of the family the mother of the little ones lies ill at the hospital

Mr. Breese Gets Light

Yesterday morning Mr. David Breese, who is evidently very popular with the guests of "Glenwood Island," Stony Lake, was the recipient of a powerful Solar gas search light for his steam yacht, "Flash," of the newest design, beautifully nickled plated, with green and red side lights, all ready for attaching. The gift came as a token of esteem from two enthusiastic American guests, Messrs. Greol and Wilkinson, of Detroit, who spent a pleasant holiday at Mr. Breese's charming cottage.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—(Ed. Times)

—Mr. Robt. Ruddy, Millbrook, is in town.

—Miss A. J. Brown leaves to-day to attend the Central Art School in Toronto.

—Miss Maud Allan, of Port Hope, who has been in town, the guest of Miss Isabel Hay, returned home yesterday.

—Mr. Harry Grubbe, of the Bank of Toronto, Millbrook, spent Sunday in town, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Grubbe.

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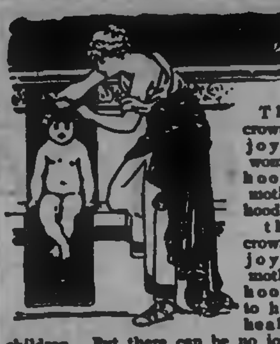

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—A house on London street is placarded with a diphtheria card.

—A drunk at the police court yesterday was let off with a reprimand.

—On Saturday afternoon the death occurred of Daniel Mildon, who died at the Nicholls Hospital. The cause of his death was gangrene of the foot. He was 80 years of age. His remains were sent to his home in Havelock on Saturday evening for interment.

—Belleville Council has decided to impose a license bill of $10 on all dealers in cigars, cigarettes and tobacco. The drugstore men objected, and were told that they were going outside their legitimate business in handling cigars and confectionery.

—At the coming municipal elections the people of Collingwood will vote on a by-law to grant a bonus of $25,000 and a fixed assessment for 10 years to a wire nail and fencing industry, to employ at least 100 men.

—Orillia Collegiate classes are now being instructed in the metric system, a chart and a full set of apparatus having been supplied by the Education Department free of charge.

—Diphtheria has again broken out in Haliburton County. Eight members of one family in Hindon Township are down with the dread disease, and it has also appeared in Anson Township. The infection is said to have been brought from a lumber camp, but it is known that it has made its appearance almost periodically for the past twelve or fifteen years, and it would seem that the germs are always present. The county health officials should ask the aid of the Provincial Health Board and make a determined effort to stamp out the disease.

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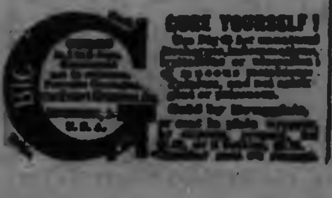

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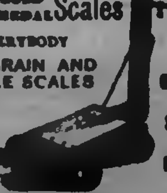

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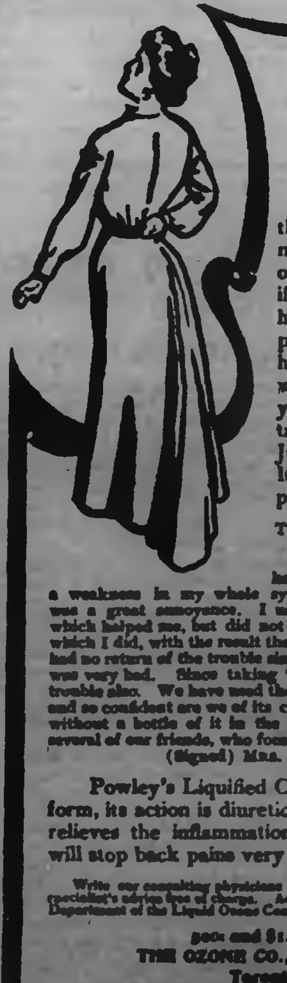

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His Welcome in France and His Snubbing by German Emperor

Interesting Events Described by the Old Man in His New Book

London, Dec. 9—Lord Roberts had at last pushed forward to Johannesburg, and, as we were informed that he intended, with a flying column, to cut the Delago aRailway line to the east of Pretoria, it was resolved that I should leave Pretoria with the Government and transfer the seat of government, to the East of the Republic. On the afternoon of my last day in Pretoria, May 29, 1900, while my things were being packed, I received the American lad, Jimmy Smith, who brought me an address in which thousands of schoolboys in Philadelphia, the city which was the first to declare its independence of Great Britain, "sent a message of sympathy to the leader of the people which was now engaged in defending its independence against the same nation." He also handed me a Transvaal flag which had been embroidered in America. I thanked the boy and the American gentleman who had accompanied him, and one hour later, when it was already dark I drove with a few faithful friends to Eerste Fabrieken, the first station on the eastern line. From here I went by railway, over Middelburg, to Machadodorp, where the seat of government was provisionally established. I lived in my saloon carriage, to which a telegraph apparatus had been fitted; my work was no less arduous than at Pretoria, and I was constantly sending telegrams to encourage the burghers in the fight.

As Machadodorp is one of the coldest places in the Transvaal, and at that time I was suffering greatly from my eyes,

I YIELDED TO THE PRESSURE

of the burghers and moved on to Waterval Onder, which lies on the Eland River, among high mountains and enjoys a very mild climate in winter. Here I occupied a scantily-furnished little house, where I spent the happiest two months I have known since my departure from Pretoria. The seat of government however, remained at Machadodorp; and the State Secretary and the members of the Executive Raad also remained there, but came every morning by train to Waterval Onder to the sittings of the Executive Raad, in order to attend to the current business. From here, too, were issued the decrees and requisitions, the provisions for furlough, the enactments against dilatory burghers and officials, the orders for the reorganization of the army, and the necessary measures were taken to frustrate the proclamations of the enemy and their consequences. Toward the end of August President Steyn and his escort arrived at Waterval Onder to discuss the position in the country.

The result of Dalmanutha made it clear to the Commandant-General and the other officers that it was not possible for their small force of burghers to repel the enemy or to continue to fight him in the way they had done hitherto, and that it was better to

SEND THE PRESIDENT AWAY,

so as to leave the commandos freer in their movements. We moved on to Nelspruit, a station of the Delagoa Railway, about half-way between Waterval Onder and the Portuguese frontier. The removal of all the baggage, wagons, carts, horses, mules, and so forth, gave great difficulty but the excellent manner in which the Netherlands South Africa Railway Company had so far satisfied every demand made upon it was now repeated. On arriving at the spot which had now been selected as the seat of government, we received Lord Roberts' proclamation annexing the South African Republic. I at once issued a counter proclamation.

Meanwhile it became evident that the hope that we should be able to arrest the enemy's progress in the mountains was futile, thanks to his overwhelming superiority of numbers; and, when the enemy began to advance from every side on Nelspruit, a decisive step became necessary. A council was called, consisting of the members of the Transvaal and Orange Free State Governments and a number of officers, including the commandant-General, and resolved to

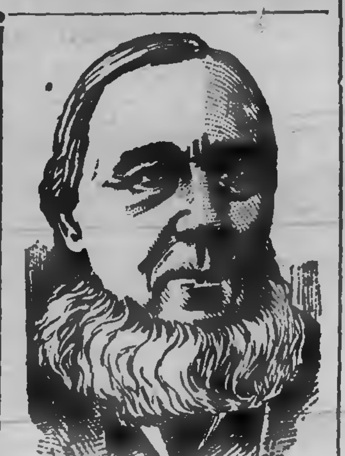
DELEGATE ME TO EUROPE,

to endeavor to promote the cause of the Republics. General and Vice-President Schalk W. Burger was to hold office as Acting State President during my absence.

If my departure from Pretoria was a bitter blow to me, my departure, under such sorrowful circumstances from the land to which I had devoted my life, was doubly bitter. I saw it swarming with the enemy, who, in his arrogance, was already declaring that the war was over and that only guerilla bands now infeste the country. I had to bid good-bye to the men who had stood beside me for so many years and to leave my country and my people, my gray-haired wife, my children, my friends, and the little band of lion-hearted fighters who, surrounded as they were on every side, had now to make their way through an uninhabited district to the north of the Republic, there to reorganize and re-commence the struggle. My age prevented me from riding and it was, therefore, impossible for me to accompany the commandos further. On the other hand it was a consolation to leave the government in the hands of such true men as Schalk Burger, Reitz, Louis Botha and De la Rey, and I knew the loyal support which they would receive from the noble President Steyn. On the evening of September 10, we took leave of one another at Nelspruit, and I was left alone with the escort which the Executive Raad had given me for my protection.

THE JOURNEY TO EUROPE.

On the next day, after spending the night at Crocodile Poort, I began my long pilgrimage to Europe, a journey the result of which neither had nor could have been anticipated. From Crocodile Poort I travelled in the private railway carriage of the manager of the Netherlands South African Railway Company. At Hectorspruit I waited a few hours for President Steyn and a few other friends, who had come there to take leave of me, and then continued my journey to Lorenzo



Marques over Komati Poort, the last station in the Republic, and past the frontier station, Ressano Garcia, where the director of the Portuguese Railway took charge of the train. At Lorenzo Marques, the train was not stopped at the station, but shunted to a siding, so that, as darkness had already set in, I was able to reach Consul-General Pott's house unobserved. It was my intention to remain there until I could embark for Europe on board the first outgoing steamer, which would have been the steamship Herzog, of the German East African line. But on the next day the Portuguese Governor arrived, and said that he had been instructed to take me to his own house as the guest of the Portuguese Government. When I showed some hesitation the Governor declared that I must accompany him at once, and that, if I refused, he must employ force. This action must undoubtedly be ascribed to the pressure brought to bear upon it by the British Government, for the Portuguese Governor governed only in name; the real governor was the British Consul at Delagoa Bay. Governor Machada, who was probably fulfilling a disagreeable task, greatly against his own wish, treated me with great kindness, but would not allow me to move without accompanying me. None of the members of my escort, who were also quartered at the Governor's house, was allowed to set foot in the town unless accompanied by an aide-de-camp, and even then they were not permitted to enter into conversation with anyone. At first, the two gentlemen who travelled with me, as well as a few other friends, were at least allowed to visit me; but this, too, was very soon forbidden, on the ground as we were informed, that the British Consul had complained. This position lasted some weeks during the whole of which time I was practically a prisoner in the Governor's house, and it was there that I kept my seventy-fifth birthday. I was not allowed to receive the congratulations of the burghers who thronged the town, and who were reduced to shouting good luck to me from the street outside.

THE FRIST RAY OF LIGHT.

that broke through this night of affliction was the Queen of Holland's offer to carry me to Europe on a man-of-war, an act which was appreciated in the highest degree by the whole Boer nation. Now, at least, all uncertainty was removed as to my being able to pursue my journey. As the ship however was still some distance from Delagoa Bay, I was not able to embark until October 21, and then the Gelderland, whose captain and officers received me with every mark of friendship and loving kindness, had first to take in coal. The journey from Delagoa Bay to Dar-es-Salam, where the Gelderland arrived on the morning of the fifth day, passed off very well. It is true that, at first, I suffered a little from seasickness for the first time in my life, but I was soon able to light up my pipe again, a certain proof that the sickness was past. At Dar-es-Salam some German officials came on board and invited me to a dinner which they wished to give in my honor. I begged, however, to be excused, in view of the sorrowful circumstances of my country. The same thing happened at Djibouti, where we arrived on November 2. From here the journey was continued to Suez. Every ship that passed the Gelderland saluted, and I was cheered by the passengers on board those which came close enough. One French ship even went out of her course to salute the Gelderland the the only exceptions were most of the English ships, of which, at one time, as many as five were in sight near Sardinia. From Suez we proceeded to

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THE WEALTH OF THE FARMERS INCREASING

While Their Debt is Decreasing at an Amazing Rate

SOME INTERESTING STATISTICS

Comprehensive Report on Agricultural Conditions in Ontario

Toronto, Dec. 9—The Ontario Department of Agriculture has published a comprehensive report giving details of the values of the agricultural resources of the Province in 1901, with tables showing the comparative values during the last ten years, a number of other valuable statistics are given, with regard to crops, weather, mean temperature etc., which would prove extremely useful to all students of Canada's growing agricultural resources.

In quoting the average value of live stock one of the reasons for the country's prosperity is easily seen. The average value of working horses was $85, about $13 higher than the price in 1892 Cattle figured at $36.21, the highest since 1886; and all classes of live stock had increased in value at about the same ratio. The price of farm labor had also risen, the average rate per year being $165 with board, and $263 without, or for the working season $17.78 per month with board, and $27.05 without, which were considerably higher than the average for any time during the previous ten years.

ACRES UNDER CULTIVATION.

There were assessed in the province 23,436,173 acres of which 56.8 per cent was cleared, as compared with 22,885,464 acres and 53.4 per cent. cleared in 1892.

The production of wheat was 15,943,229 bushels, from 911,557 acres. This means a crop of 17.4 bushels, worth $11.56 per acre, a fairly strong argument against extensive wheat growing in this mixed farming country. The production of oats was considerably less than any year since 1894, both in total and yield per acre; the crop amounting to 78,334,490 bushels, or 32.5 bushels, worth $11.77 per acre. Although the crop was smaller the high prices prevailing, owing to the war in South Africa, made it worth several millions of dollars more than the larger crops of several previous years. Similiarly the potato crop, although only 18,116,367 bushels, nearly three million bushels less than in 1900, had a gross market value of over $3,000,000 in excess of the 1900 crop. The value of the potato crop was in marked contrast to that of the wheat, being $50.06 per acre, or $13.31 higher than the average for the previous nine years. Hay was also a splendid crop, averaging 1.81 tons, with a value of $14.47 per acre, a very much more valuable crop than it had proved for ten years before. The total hay crop was 4,632,317 tons, worth $37,012,213.10.

LIVE STOCK FIGURES.

There were in the province 620,340 horses, worth $50,033,465; 2,507,830 cattle worth, $59,527,119.10; 1,761,790 sheep, valued at $7,722,793; 1,491,885 hogs, worth $9,256,712; while the poultry numbered, in all species, 9,746,226, valued at $3,896,172.

There were in the province 1,167 cheese factories, which produced 134,942,517 lbs. of cheese from 1,434,840,530 pounds of milk. The cheese was worth $12,200,073, while $10,614,538 was paid for the milk. This represent d a decline of nearly a million dollars in value of both cheese and milk since the previous year, although over 7,000,000 more pounds of cheese were made, the value of the cheese declining from 10.19 cents to 9.09 cents per pound

There were registered against the farmers of the province 5,757 chattel mortgages, as security for $2,854,759, a decrease of over a quarter of a million dollars in this line of liability since the previous year.

VETERANS OF 1866

COL. MCMILLAN OF GUELPH HAS A WORD TO SAY

He Speaks Strongly in Favor of the Veterans Locating and Colonization Association

The following from the St. Catharines Star, will be of interest to the Veterans of Peterborough.

Col. J. P. McMillan, of Guelph, is one of the recent arrivals at the Welland House, where he will remain for a few days to enjoy the comforts and the invigorating advantages of that popular hostelry.

Knowing that Col. McMillan is one of the prominent, most enthusiastic and energetic of the Veterans of 1866, and that it was he who, some years ago, instituted the movement to secure medals and land grants for the veterans of those stirring times, the Star called upon him this morning and asked for his opinion regarding the Veterans' Locating and Colonization Association as a means of assisting those entitled to grants of land, in selecting suitable locations at a minimum of expense.

"I believe that it is an organization that will prove of inestimable benefit to the Veterans," was the colonel's answer to the question. "There is, I am aware," he continued, "a movement on foot in some of the Veteran Associations to send out one or more of their own members to select the grants. But my firm opinion is, and I have gone into this matter thoroughly—my opinion is that this would be a costly move, and would not be in any way so satisfactory as having the grants selected by the Locating and Colonization Association. If members of the different Veterans' Associations were sent out, those chosen would have to be live, up-to-date business men. Now men of this class cannot spare the time for such a trip unless they are well paid for it. And in order to pay them sufficiently to induce them to undertake the duty, the local associations would have to tax their members very heavily, and one-half—say—of the members of each association would be in a position to contribute to a fund for this purpose, while the remaining half would be unable to do so. The Veterans' Locating and Colonization Association offers to do the work for $10 a member—$5 down, and $5 when the grant has been located. Moreover, the men sent out by the local associations would have no knowledge of the new country, and would be at a great disadvantage in that respect, whereas the Locating and Colonization Association has had men out prospecting for mineral land for two years past. These men know the new country perfectly, and can make first-class selections at once. They could commence the work as soon as the certificates are issued, while the representatives of the local associations could not be ready to start for some time later. The Veterans' Locating and Colonization Association has for its president Col. L. Buchan, C.M.G., for vice-president Mayor Hendrie, Jr., of Hamilton, and for Secretary-treasurer, Major Donald M. Robertson, of Toronto. These men could not afford to deal unfairly with the veterans even if they wished to do so. But we can loon confidentially for the fairest and most impartial treatment from them all. They are all well-known soldiers, men of the strictest integrity, to whom we can trust our interests with the utmost assurance of receiving all that is our due."

"I attended the meeting of the St. Catharines Veterans' Association last evening and received most hearty and comrade-like treatment. The association is a fine one, and its members are thoroughly intelligent, progressive men."

Col. McMillan was formerly a resident of Cornwall. He is devoted heart and soul to the cause of the Veterans, and is ever ready and anxious to forward their interests by any and every means in his power.

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THE GERMAN AND THE BRITISH NAVY

The Two Great Sea Fighting Nations Compared

IMPROVEMENTS BEING MADE

The Feverish Haste of Germany to Get Her Navy Strengthened

Berlin, Dec. 9—To enable the reader to draw a proper comparison between England and the other powers, the year 1906 is selected, when the French and Russian programmes will be carried out as well as the new additions voted in the other states this year. Only battle ships and large cruisers of over 5,000 tons which were not launched prior to 1883 and 1884 respectively, are taken into consideration. According to this reckoning, in 1906 England will have 57 battleships, 52 of them over 10,000 tons, with an aggregate displacement of 765,000 tons, and 70 large cruisers, 29 protected, with an aggregate displacement of 648,440 tons. France will have 32 battleships, 23 over 10,000 tons, totaling 349,720 tons, and 28 cruisers, 22 protected, or 243,171 tons. Russia will have 25 battleships, 19 over 10,000 tons, or 247,241 tons, and 18 cruisers, 5 protected, of 100,606 tons. The United States will have 20 battleships, 19 over 10,000 tons, of 247,241 tons, and 18 cruisers, 13 protected, of 176,155 tons. Germany will have 19 battleships, 18 of over 100,000 tons of 212,405, and 11 cruisers, 5 protected, of 51,750 tons. Japan will have 7 battleships, 6 over 10,000 tons, of 93,501 tons and 6 cruisers, all protected of 58,776 tons.

It is evident that England alone is, as far as battleships are concerned, superior to the combined Franco-Russian forces. France shows considerable progress in a strong fleet of protected cruisers, being only a little behind that of England while Russia and Germany lay principal stress on battle ships. The United States are quickly proceednig in both directions, but will hardly be able to man their ships as rapidly as they build them.

A Wonderful Tonic and Strengthener

Said a druggist today, "No doubt about it, the tonic that gives the best results is the biggest seller, and that is Ferrozone. It enriches and purifies the blood, restores strength and energy to the feeble, and is a scientific reconstructor that was always popular. In Chlorosis, Anaemia, Tiredness, Langour, Brain Fag, Indigestion and Dyspepsia its action is prompt, and satisfactory cures always follow. Yes, I recommend Ferrozone to my customers because I believe it is the best tonic and strengthening medicine that money can buy." Large boxes cost 50c.

WHAT TEACHERS WANT

The Minister of Education Agrees With Them

The deputation appointed by the Ontario Educational Association waited on Hon. Richard Harcourt, Minister of Education, and presented the recommendations of the association in regard to Public school matters. Favorable consideration was promised of the request to lengthen the Model school term to one year, and to increase the representation of the Public school section of the O. E. A. on the Educational Council to three. The resolution requesting that no teaching certificates be granted to persons under twenty-one years of age, was, it was stated by Mr. Harcourt, covered by the extension of the Normal school term recently announced. The Minister was also disposed to grant the request that all new text books before authorization be subject to review by a committee of the O. E. A.

C. P. R. PENSION FUND

Circular Notifying Employees Will be Issued This Week

Montreal, Dec. 9—The C.P.R. new pension fund, it is announced, will go into force on January 1st. The trustees of the fund, Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and Mr. D. McNicoll will issue a circular this week notifying the employees of the rules and regulations governing the fund, which are based on the most liberal terms, being exceedingly advantageous to the men upwards of 20,000 of whom will benefit thereby. It differs from the Grand Trunk, the Pennsylvania and other systems in the fact that it is a pension fund pure and simple, and has no insurance department connected therewith. A quarter of a million dollars was set aside as a nucleus to the fund at the annual meeting of the shareholders in 1901.

LAW TO BE INFORCED

Liquor Selling During Prohibited Hours to Be Stopped

We are requested by Mr. Cochrane to publish in The Times the following letter which has been received from the License Department.

Mr. Cochrane says that if any hotelkeeper is found violating the law at any time, and particularly on Saturday nights and Sundays and is convicted, after this published notice has been given to him, he must place the responsibility upon himself and not upon the Inspector, as it is his intention to carry out the instructions of the Department rigidly and strictly.

Toronto, Dec. 8, 1902.

Dear Sir,—I am directed by the Honorable the Provincial Secretary to inform you that complaints have reached the Department with regard to the lax enforcement of the License law in your License District, particularly relating to violations on Saturday nights and Sundays.

It is the desire of this Department that you shall see to it that the License Law is strictly observed. If you find that you are unable, by your efforts, to bring about a proper observance of the law, you should communicate with this Department, and state what additional assistance is required. I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,
J. K. STEWART,
Provincial Inspector.

Geo. Cochrane, License Inspector,
Peterborough, Ont.

FIFTY-FOUR SAILORS HAVE BEEN DROWNED

Record of Disaster on Great Lakes--To Press for Settlement

Cleveland, Dec. 9.—The record of disaster on the great lakes for the past two weeks shows a greater number of drownings than have occurred in any two weeks for many years. No less than fifty-two sailors have been drowned. It is significant that all the vessels wrecked belonged to the old wooden schooner class, with the exception of the Bannockburn, owned by the Montreal Transportation Company. She was modern and staunch in every particular, and built where they knew how to build vessels from dire necessity—in England. She is the greatest loss of the season, being worth with her cargo of grain $210,000. Moreover, he crew numbered 20 men.

This record of disaster will probably continue for two weeks longer. Coal has jumped to $1 a ton for upper lake ports, and it is a tempting morsel. Insurance has expired, so that all vessels that are now putting out do so without financial protection. The season from the commercial standpoint has been the heaviest ever known. The commerce which has passed through Sault Ste. Marie canals up to December 1 measured over 26,000,000 tons greater than last year. The amazing growth of lake commerce will be appreciated when it is related that as late as 1894 the total ore movement was only 7,000,000 tons.

Ottawa, Dec. 9—Professor Asser, the Dutch jurist who was appointed arbitrator to settle the amount of damages due the four United States schooners which were seized off Copper Islands in 1892 by Russian cruisers, has decided that the seizure was illegal, as became made outside of Russian waters. The claims of five Canadian sealers also seized by the Russians are based on exactly the same grounds as those of the American vessels, and it is expected that the Government will now push for a settlement. The amount involved is about $65,000 with interest.

According to the St. Petersburg correspondent of the London Morning Post, however, the Russian Government is not satisfied with the award. Russia has no objection, of course, to paying the stipulated sum, but she objects entirely to the principle of the award, whereby she is not allowed to chase trespassers beyond the limits of her territorial waters. She regrets the decision, especially since it serves as a sort of precedent for the settling of a similar dispute between Russia and Great Britain, which is to be tried by The Hague tribunal.

CZAR WAS AFFECTED

Signed First Death Warrants for Four Penitent Murderers

Livadia, Dec. 9—For the first time since the beginning of his reign, Czar Nicholas signed a death warrant, or rather four of them at once, for the Russian law imposes the death penalty only in a very few extreme cases. The hangman's victims were deported criminals, who on the way to Siberia had murdered several guards.

A telegram from the place of execution, Krasnoyarsk, informed Nicholas that the murderers were very penitent, and on the scaffold begged the forgiveness "of the little white father," asking that he write to their parents that they died by disease, "as the news of their execution might kill the old folks." The Czar caused this last request to be carefully executed, and personally placed a hundred rouble note in each letter.

He was very much affected by the criminal's penitence, and told the court that he would never have signed the the death warrants had not the Governor advised him that it was absolutely necessary in the interests of discipline.

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GREAT BRITAIN WILL END INTOLERABLE SITUATION

The Nation's Only Object in Proceeding Against Venezuela

Found Germs of Sleeping Sickness—Scientists Have Discovered the Cause of a Peculiar Disease in Uganda

London, Dec. 9.—In an editorial article to-day the Times says that in President Roosevelt's recent message to Congress there is a sentence which can scarcely fail to recur to any one thinking of the position of Venezuela and the threatened action of Great Britain and Germany. It would be difficult to conceive a better illustration of the President's remarks about the proper policing of the world than that afforded by the Caracas authorities. The Times says no one supposes that Great Britain has any other object in regard to Venezuela than to put an end to a state of things which has become intolerable. It is to be hoped that President Castro will be brought to his senses without the use of extreme measures by British and German warships. Whatever the result of the present controversy, adds the Times, the situation not merely in Venezuela, but with large differences and reservations in one or two other South American States, is discouraging to those who hoped much from the establishment of self-governed communities in South America.

CAUSE OF "SLEEPING SICKNESS."

London, Dec. 9.—The Commission sent out by the British Foreign Office and the London School of Tropical Medicine to investigate the disease called "sleeping sickness" in Uganda, has already discovered the germ and cause of the disease.

OBSTRUCTION IN AUSTRIAN PARLIAMENT.

London, Dec. 9.—Unfortunately, says a Vienna correspondent, it is not probable that the Czechs will suspend their obstructive tactics. The Reichsrath meets to-day, and sits until about December 20. There seems little chance that the Austro-Hungarian Tariff Bill or the Ausgleich can be presented in the course of this short period, but there is time for a vote on account of next year's estimates, if the Czech's would consent to withdraw or suspend their multifarious urgency motions with which they have blocked Parliamentary business since October. This concession the Czechs are apparently unwilling to grant; firstly, because it is understood that they demand the immediate introduction of the Czech language as the official language in Bohemia before they will allow Parliament to work; and secondly, because they make it a matter of personal pique that the Austrian Premier, Dr. Von Korber, shall not be able this year to obtain provisional sanction for the estimates by Parliamentary means. If, when the Tariff Bill and Ausgleich are introduced, an understanding has not been reached between Czechs and Germans, the situation will be so knotty that unless it is resolutely treated, it may strangle Austrian Parliamentary institutions for good.

London, Dec. 9.—The King of Portugal concluded this morning a visit of three weeks to England, and started home-ward by way of Paris.

SEVEN KILLED IN ACCIDENT

Dreadful Consequences of Derailment of an Intercolonial Train

Halifax, N.S., Dec. 9.—Seven persons were killed and a dozen injured, some of them seriously, in an accident on saturday afternoon, at Belmont station, on the Intercolonial Railway, eight miles from Truro. The victims of the disaster were passengers on No. 26, one of the fastest trains on the road. It had arrived at Truro from Halifax an hour and twenty minutes late and left there behind time. Just opposite Belmont station it is supposed that the pilot of the engine became partly detached; at any rate, the big locomotive jumped the track and plunged along the ditch a distance of three lengths of itself, when it toppled and fell, burying Engineer Samuel Trider underneath its boiler, and hurling Fireman Harry Campbell fifty feet away. The engine and baggage cars telescoped and along with the mail and express car, lay along the track a mass of wreckage. A second class carriage, containing a dozen passengers, had its top and sides completely separated from the bottom, and the passengers were thrown with terrible force to one end, where the dead, dying and wounded lay among a pile of splintered wood and twisted irons when all was over. The moans and cries of the injured and dying were heart rending and the sight they presented appalling to the stoutest heart. No time was lost in starting the the rescue work, and the dead and injured were soon carried into the station. Three were dead when taken out of the car and four others succumbed a few minutes afterwards.

It was some time before Engineer Trider could be got out. When reached at last he was found with his feet jammed up against the firebox and his body buried in the sand and mud. He was quite dead, but there was not a single mark upon him, and it was evident that he had died from suffocation by the mud and steam.

A GHASTLY SIGHT.

The waiting room of the station presented a ghastly sight, with the dead covered with sheets and the injured suffering unimaginable agonies. In one corner Frank Kennedy, a passenger, lay dying, his legs broken and his hips crushed. A little further along was an old man, with a dreadful gash in his head, and a girl of twenty terribly mangled. The only woman killed was Miss Minnie Crooks, who was on her way to Boston, where she lives, after a visit to her mother in this city. She was a nurse in Waverley Hospital. Engineer Trider was born near Windsor, N.S., and had been on the Intercolonial for 25 years. He was considered one of the most careful and competent engineers on the road. He and Conductor Milligan, who was in charge of the wrecked train, were both in the Palmer Pond accident which happened on the Intercolonial near Dorchester, in 1896.

Curiously enough, the passengers on the first class carriages escaped unhurt, though some of them were shaken up.

Brief Period for Venezuela

President Castro Must Settle Quickly or Take the Consequences

Berlin, Dec. 9.—While the limit of time given to Venezuela in which to make an answer to the ultimatums of Germany and Great Britain is not disclosed, the correspondent of the Associated Press was officially informed that it is very brief. The German Foreign Office still hopes that President Castro will recognize the gravity of the situation, and yield at the last moment.

Telegraphic communication with La Guaira is slow. Events happening to-day are not likely to be translated from the cipher until to-morrow.

The morning papers here made absolutely no comment on the Venezuelan situation, with the exception of the Verwaerts, which says; "Although President Castro has expressed his willingness to satisfy the German and British demands, military action against him has begun," and the Lokal Anzeiger, which remarks that "President Castro's efforts to drive a wedge between Germany and Great Britain have failed."

Premier Balfour makes the following statement:

"For the past two years we have had grave cause of complaint on various occasions of unjustifiable interference by the Venezuelan Government with the liberty and property of British subjects. No efforts have been spared by the British Government to obtain an amicable settlement of these cases, but in none of them have satisfactory explanations been forthcoming.

"Latterly, the representations of the British Minister have been practically unnoticed. There are also cases in which British subjects and companies have large claims. We have been acting in conjunction with the German Government, which also has large claims against Venezuela."

The Foreign Office says: "There is not the slightest desire to coerce Venezuela, and if any answer had been made to our repeated protests and demands, no such action as now taken would have been proceeded with. It was the persistent and insulting disregard to all representations which compelled us to move. It's now too late in the day for anything but purely diplomatic arrangements to be accepted in satisfaction for our injuries."

London, Dec. 9—One of the largest English creditors of Venezuela informed a representative of the Associated Press to-day that the ultimatums of Great Britain and Germany had a 72 hours limit, and therefore will expire on Wednesday. The Foreign Office, while not denying the correctness of this statement, intimated to-night that the period is liable to extension. There are indications of a possible settlement, although, apparently, nothing definite has yet been decided upon.

T. Baider, of Cayuga is appointed Asso-

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 10, 1902.

DEATH OF A GREAT AMERICAN

Thomas Brackett Reed, one of the greatest of American statesmen of the past half century, died in Washington yesterday morning, after an illness of only a few days. He was a native of the state of Maine, and was as sturdy and vigorous a man as ever came from the state of robust men. He was a man of strong intellectual power and made good use of the education that it was his good fortune to acquire, having worked his way through college by teaching during vacations, and dropping out a year occasionally. While teaching he kept up his studies, and in 1860 he graduated from Bowdoin college, and then again taught school and studied law. He came into active life at the beginning of the civil war, and naturally entered the army. Like all young lawyers he was an enthusiastic politician, and in 1877 was elected to congress from Portland, Maine, and served till 1899, when he retired to make some money. Politics and money-making did not run together in the case of Mr. Reed, and at the end of twenty-two years' service he was literally as poor as the proverbial church-mouse. During the last six years of his term in congress he served as speaker of the house of representatives, and no abler man ever filled the chair. He was an autocrat in his rulings, and he was always right. One of his celebrated decisions was that every member present should be counted to make up a quorum whether or not he answered roll call. Mr. Reed had the ambition to become president of the United States, but like Clay and Blaine, who had also filled the speaker's chair, he could not rally the necessary political strength to ensure the nomination from his party. This defeated ambition soured his otherwise genial nature, and since his retirement from Congress he has been a cynical critic of his old party associates. He moved to New York and at once became one of the leading corporation lawyers of the country, and was in a fair way to make an independent fortune. Thomas B. Reed was a statesman and a scholar, and in his death another of the great Americans of the war and reconstruction periods has been mustered out.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Perhaps the north pole may yet be discovered, as lots of other things have been, by accident. A company of Alaskan prospectors were caught in an ice drift several years ago, and were carried almost within reaching distance of the coveted spot; but, strange to say, they were more interested in getting out alive than in adding to the scientific knowledge of the world, and sailed away as rapidly as they could.

The infamous anonymous yellow circular issued broadcast in Chatham on Tuesday night was of a piece with the slander-mongering of the anonymous letter writer. The circular was headed, "A Prohibition Manifesto," and gave a list of the names of citizens who had signed the Business-men's Manifesto against the Liquor law, classified under offensive headings. One hundred dollars reward has been offered for the discovery of the author, who, if he is known, will not reside in Chatham any more. The feeling excited is intense.

The income of the following powers is said to be: Russia, $[illegible]; France $710,[illegible]; United States $[illegible]; Great Britain, $[illegible]; Austro-Hungary, $[illegible]; Germany $[illegible]; Italy, $[illegible]. It will thus be seen that the government of Russia has the largest income, France coming next, while Uncle Sam is third in the list. Of course this does not imply that Russia is richer than the United States, the fact being that she is relatively poor; while France, though a very prosperous country, does not approach the Colossus of the West in riches. Uncle Sam's expenses for the year 1901 were exceeded by those of three other nations—Russia, France and Great Britain—as will be shown by the following statement—Russia, $752,276,522; France, $710,354,475; Great Britain, $683,000,000; United States, $621,588,506; Austro-Hungary, $539,543,961; Germany, $537,000,000; Italy, $333,360,320.

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Kruger Tells How He Fled From South Africa

(Concluded from page one.)

Port Said, where we stopped to take in coal. The voyage from here to Marseilles was exceedingly unpleasant, quite apart from the numbers of newspaper correspondents who made fruitless attempts to interview me. A storm raged which sent the waves flying over the ship, and the vessel pitched and rolled to such an extent that my sickness returned.

At the end of the voyage, the captain of the Gelderland invited my friends and myself to an official dinner. The saloon was decorated with the Dutch colours and with a Transvaal banner, the same flag which the American schoolboys had sent me, with an address, from Philadelphia. In consequence of the bad weather, we arrived one day late, on November 22, in the harbour of Marseilles.

THE WELCOME IN FRANCE.

I went on shore after cordially thanking the captain of the ship and his officer for the kindness and consideration which they had shown me; I still retain the pleasantest recollections of my voyage on the Gelderland. Thousands of people were shouting their greetings with the loudest enthusiasm. The president of the committee for the Independence of the Boers which had lately been formed, "interpreted the feeling of all Marseilles," as he himself said when he welcomed me and added that the enthusiasm which I beheld around me would convey more to me than any words which he could utter. I declared that I gratefully accepted the welcome offered me, although, in view of the sorrow in which my country was wrapped, I had not come in order to be festively received.

"The war in South Africa," I continued, "has exceeded the limits of barbarism. have fought against many barbarous Kaffir tribes in the course of my life; but they are not so barbarous as the English, who have burnt our farms and driven our women and children into destitution, without food or shelter. I hope that God will not abandon the Boer nation. But, if the Transvaal and the Free State are to lose their independence, it shall only happen when both nations have been annihilated with their women and children."

On the road to the hotel stood thousands of people, who cheered me continually, as I passed, and during the afternoon, a number of deputations came to welcome me.

This splendid reception was a thorn in the side of the English at Marseilles, and they tried to spoil the procession by throwing coppers from the windows of an hotel among the populace, in order to raise tumult. But this proceeding narrowly escaped having serious results, as the people, furious at this behavior, stormed the hotel, so that police protection had to be sent for.

After receiving a series of deputations left Paris on December 1, amid scenes of undiminished enthusiasm and escorted by the authorities and private societies for Cologne. On the way to the French frontier the same scenes were repeated which had marked the journey from Marseilles to Paris. At every station where we stopped I was received by great crowds. The same thing happened in Belgium. The enthusiasm which I witnessed in France, not only delighted me, but confirmed me in my hope that my journey would not be in vain.

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This hope, however, was doomed to be very soon frustrated. On the evening of the same day we reached Cologne, where an enthusiasm reigned such as Cologne has, perhaps, never beheld before.

Here, shortly after my arrival, I received a telegram from the German Emperor saying that his Majesty could not receive me at that time as he had a hunting engagement. We then resolved to proceed to The Hague; but, before leaving Cologne I received a series of deputations who gave me every mark of sympathy.

For the rest, I had, throughout the war replied to every inquiry from the scene of war that my confidence was still unshaken, but that it must be left entirely to the Generals in the field to decide whether and how, under the stress of circumstances, they wished to alter their previous resolutions. During the peace negotiations I had only one answer to all the questions put to me as to what I thought of peace—namely, that all would happen as God wished. And, when peace was at last concluded, I applied to the Generals the text in the Bible, II. Cor., viii., 3:

"For to their power, I bear record, yea, and beyond their power they were willing of themselves."

Nor, in so far as I myself am concerned, will I consent to lose courage because the peace is not such as the burgers wished it. For, quite apart from the fact that the bloodshed and the fearful sufferings of the people of the two Republics are now ended, I am convinced that God does not forsake his people, even though it may often appear so.

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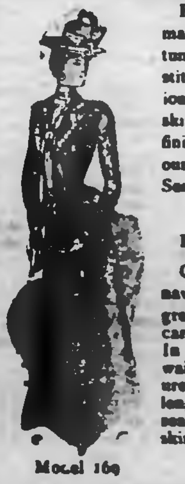

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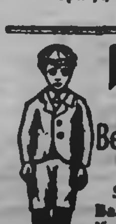

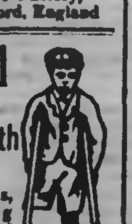

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REASONS WHY
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2.—Owns the oil leases on one thousand acres, and are next door neighbors of the Big Gusher owners.

3.—Several drilling rigs NOW at different points on the Company's properties under the direction of the best oil men in Petrolea, men who are oil men in the full sense of the word (not speculators)—connected with oil refineries and the largest oil interests in Canada, and these oil men came to this Company, made their offers, put their money in, and are joining in the development of a large block of the Company's properties.

4.—Ten days to two weeks will complete a well. FIVE WELLS are being put down as fast as men and money can do it.

5.—One may be a gusher, or all may be gushers; in either case the advance will be REAL, and a few weeks will bring you greater profits than you ever dreamed of.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 10, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

At the Police Court

Two vagrants faced the scratch yesterday morning at the police court. One man given four months on the hill and the other one month.

Furnished House and Rooms to Rent

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Provincial Appointments

Edward Donald of Montreal is appointed a commissioner for taking affidavits in Quebec for use in Ontario; R. T. Snider, of Cayuga, is appointed Associate Coroner for Haldimand and D. P. Bogart of Whity Associate Coroner for the County of Ontario.

An Instructive Address

Dr. Jessie Birnie delivered a very instructive and interesting address before the Epworth League of Charlotte street church on Monday evening. The subject was "Seeing and Hearing." At the conclusion of the lecture a vote of thanks was tendered Dr. Birnie.

The Official Returns

Official returns of the referendum vote show that in West Peterborough 1919 persons voted "yes," and 235 voted "no," giving a majority of 1684 for the Act. In East Peterborough there were 1768 yeas and 460 nays, having a majority for the Act of 1308.

A Literary Treat

"The history of the workingmen in England, from the earliest times." A lecture on the above subject will be given by Mr. Burnham in the large new hall of St. Peter's T.A.S. on Monday evening next, at 8 o'clock. Workingmen and the public generally are invited.

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The Kindergartners Busy

The pupils in the kindergarten classes in the local schools are hard at work making presents for their parents and friends, and getting ready for the usual entertainment. We learn that a Christmas tree will be one of the attractions for the little folks at one of the schools, and in each room it will be laden with the gifts their little fingers have been so carefully taught to make. The parents will be invited to these entertainments.

To Dismiss Water Commissioners

The Belleville waterworks has been administered by a Board of Water Commissioners for a number of years, and that the plan has not given entire satisfaction is made plain by the fact that at the coming municipal elections the people will be asked to vote on a by-law to dismiss the commissioners and place the plant in charge of the Council. During the discussion on the subject one of the aldermen pointed out that the city has only 800 consumers, yet the consumption is 320,000,000 gallons, as compared with St. Thomas, where 2,000 consumers use only 200,000,000 gallons. The statement was also made that although Belleville's flat rate of $10 is the highest in the Province, it is the only plant worked at a loss.

Evangelist Kennedy's Success

The many friends of Mr. H. D. Kennedy will be pleased to read the following, which was taken from the Sault Ste. Marie Star, and which speaks for itself: "For the past five weeks Gordon Lake and Leeburne have been the scene of a great religious awakening. Notwithstanding bad roads and weather crowds have driven in for miles around to attend the services conducted by Evangelist Kennedy, of Peterborough, who is with us. Upwards of eighty persons have been soundly converted, whole families swept into the Kingdom, and the churches gloriously revived. Mr. Kennedy's work in the district the last few months has proved very successful, over four hundred have been converted and the work still goes on. Mr. Kennedy leaves us this week for Richard's Landing, where Evangelist Maclachlan will join him in services there."

ANOTHER CHILD DEAD

One More of the Ailing Children Succumb to Scarlet Fever

Another of the children of Mr. Aisling died at Nicholls Hospital about three o'clock yesterday. This makes the third death in the family during the past three days. There are still three children left, all down with the dread disease. There is no blame attached to the death authorities in connection with the outbreak. Every precaution had been taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

THE COUNTY COURT

There were no Cases for the County Court to Consider

When his honor Judge Edmison opened the County Court yesterday afternoon there was not a case for consideration, and after the Grand Jurors were empanneled, addressed and despatched upon their duties, the Court adjourned until this morning, when the Jury will make a presentment.

The Grand Jury is as follows: Messrs. Frank Mason, foreman, florist, Peterborough; Geo. A. Bullied, farmer, Chandos; Thomas Edgar, farmer, Smith; John Fairbairn, farmer, Smith; Christopher Howson, farmer, Otonabee; George Milne, machinist, Peterborough; Paul Payne, farmer, Dummer; Frank Perry, book-keeper, Peterborough; Thompson, farmer, Harvey; J. J. Turner, tent-maker, Peterborough.

A Literary Gem

BUTTER SWEET, by J. G. Holland, has just been issued by the well-known cheap book publishers, Hurst & Co., New York. This fascinating poem, illustrating the author's gifted talent is truly a marvel in point of literary merit. Critics agree that this work represents the author's best effort. We publish it in the dainty 16mo. style, 216 pages, postpaid; Cloth binding, 50c.; padded leather, boxed, $1. Both editions suitable for gift purposes or the parlor table. Send for a copy at once. A complete catalogue of Holiday books will be mailed upon request. HURST & CO., Publishers, 395-399 Broadway, New York.

Dr. Cleaver's Lecture

Mr. J. W. Flavelle, Toronto, writes regarding the lecture in St. Paul's church on Thursday evening, December 11th, at 8 o'clock, sharp: "I have particular pleasure in saying to you that the story of Jean Valjean, as told by the Rev. Dr. Cleaver, is one of the most striking and forceful character sketches that I have ever been privileged to hear from the platform. You can with the greatest confidence assure your friends that Dr. Cleaver's interpretation of Victor Hugo's masterpiece is so worthy and forceful that they cannot afford to miss hearing him." Tickets 25c.; don't miss this treat.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing—[Ed. Times]

—Mr. Robt. Hicks was in Toronto yesterday on business.

—Mr. J. B. McWilliams was in Toronto yesterday.

—Mr. Jack Ross, of the C.P.R. District Agent's staff, was in town yesterday, and gave the Times a friendly call.

—Mr. J. H. McClelland left yesterday for Toronto. He will return in a day or two, on his way to Ottawa and Montreal.

—Toronto Globe: Mr. and Mrs. J. Alexander Culverwell, of Peterborough, are en pension while in Toronto, at 66 St. George street. Mrs. Culverwell, (nee Miss Hill) will receive on Tuesdays when on visits to Toronto.

OLD FOGY NEW

Experience Teaches People

"My parents considered coffee simply a harmless beverage for old and young, so when a mere baby I commenced to drink it, and when I reached womanhood, found myself troubled with nervousness, headache and an irritable temper and to obtain relief, I drank more and more coffee, thus adding fuel to the fire.

I grew worse until life was one black night of pain. My nerves were shattered, body wrecked with suffering, my stomach gave out and utterly refused to digest the most simple foods, and finally I lay for weeks starving and longing for food, but unable to eat more than just enough to keep me alive.

While in this state, my next door neighbor brought in a fragrant cup that I supposed was some new grade of coffee, and although I had suffered so terribly from its effects, the temptation was too strong to resist, and I drank it with relish. I noticed it had a rich agreeable taste and I drank it without distress. She repeated the kindness two or three mornings.

I began to congratulate myself that it was not coffee that hurt me after all. I was assuring my friend of this one day when she astonished me by saying that I was not drinking coffee, but a pure food drink called Postum Food Coffee, made from nourishing grain for building up the system and nerves instead of tearing them down.

I then began to drink Postum regularly, and to get well slowly, but surely. Today I am a strong, hearty woman; my nervous system is entirely rebuilt and with a reserve force of strength in time of need; I sleep well and awake refreshed and feel bright for each day's task, with no indigestion or stomach trouble, and a good, strong active brain ready for any mental strain or toil. There is no doubt on earth that coffee nearly killed me.

A friend of mine was obliged to resign her position as school teacher, because of extreme nervousness caused by coffee drinking. I induced her to use Postum in place of coffee, and at the end of four months she began teaching again, her nervousness gone and feeling and looking ten years younger; her sallow complexion having become a beautiful healthy bloom." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

DEATH OF MRS. MEHARRY

A Highly Respected Resident Passed Away Yesterday Morning

There passed away, at [illegible] Aylmer street, yesterday morning, Mrs. Letitia Blackstock Meharry, widow of the late Robert Meharry. Deceased lady was a resident of Peterborough for many years and was a daughter of Rev. Moses Blackstock, one of the first Methodist ministers in this district. She was born in the year 1815 at Bailey Jamesduff, County Cavan, Ireland.

In 1818 she came to Canada with her parents and settled in the township of Cavan, and in 1835 was united in marriage to Mr. Robert Meharry, who predeceased her 24 years ago.

Eleven surviving children — seven daughters and four sons — mourn the loss of a kind and loving mother. They are: Mr. H. B. Meharry, Peterborough; Mr. J. Wesley Meharry, Port Perry; Mr. Jesse Meharry, Colfax, Illinois; Mr. Edward Meharry, Winnipeg; Mrs. Wm. Byres, and Miss Meharry, Peterborough; Mrs. Meharry, Indiana; Mrs. Slater, and Mrs. Wickens, Toronto; Mrs. McClung, Winnipeg, and Mrs. Ferguson, of Stratford. The late Mrs. Meharry was a lifelong member of the Methodist church.

The funeral will take place on Friday morning at ten o'clock, from the residence, [illegible] Aylmer street, to Cavan cemetery. Funeral private.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—A new social club has been organized in town.

—The Little lake and portion of the river is frozen over.

—Novelties in Xmas cards and calendars at Times Bookstore.

—The Council met last night in Committee of the Whole.

—Best sleighs for boys and girls, at Times Bookstore.

—If there's anything good in the Christmas stocks, it is advertised in the Times.

—Work on the Cereal Company's dam is practically suspended during the cold dip.

—The present cold dip covers the whole of Canada, and all the Western and Atlantic sea board States.

—The contractors for the new skating rink say that the building will be in shape for skating on Christmas Day. The first span of the roof was raised yesterday.

—The committee of management of the Peterborough Protestant Home beg to acknowledge the receipt of $31.41 from St. Paul's church, being one half of collection from Thanksgiving service.

Children's Day

Saturday will be children's day at Times Bookstore, and we invite the mothers as well as the children to come and see our display of dolls, games and toys. We are showing all new goods, and by buying here will save money. Come and see our display whether you buy or not. Times Bookstore, Market Block, Peterborough. (Saturday, the 13th instant, we will have on sale a large display of dolls. Mothers should buy early and have first choice Times Bookstore.)

ELLEN FRANCIS, THE PALMIST

Married a Whitby Man and Has not been Seen Since

The following despatch from Buffalo indicates that palmists do not always tell their subjects as much as they might about the future. There is no doubt that the Ellen Francis referred to is the palmist who was here recently:

Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 7.—R. G. Lynn, of Whitby, Ont., met a woman known as Madam Ellen Francis, a palmist, in October. She read his palm and told him that the lines indicated that he was to be married before Christmas. Later he proposed to the palmist and she accepted. Lynn sold his boarding-house in Whitby and came to Buffalo with the woman. They hadn't been here four minutes before the woman disappeared and with her went about $300 belonging to Lynn.

They arrived in Buffalo at 6.30 o'clock last night. When they got to the street Madam Francis spied a green car stopping near the station and she said to Lynn: "Run over and ask the conductor where we might find a good hotel."

Lynn did as he was told. When he came back Madam Francis had disappeared.

"I'm really annoyed about this," said Mr. Lynn to a number of reporters. You mustn't mention this in your papers; if you do, I shall be provoked."

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL

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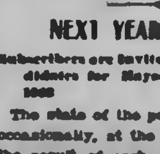

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ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION

To Mr. T. J. Tilly, of the Bell Telephone Company, Yesterday

Mr. T. J. Tilley, foreman for the Bell Telephone Company, who was away all summer repairing the long distance lines of the company, and who returned here with his men to install the telephone exchange at the Canadian General Electric Company's Works, was yesterday morning made the recipient of the following address, on the occasion of the separation of the gang for winter:

Thos. J. Tilley, Esq.,

Dear Sir, — As we are about to leave you we thought the least we could do was to show you we appreciated your kindness since our connection with you, and ask you to accept this small token in remembrance of us. Wishing you the compliments of the season, we remain,

Yours respectfully,
R. C. MERRIFIELD,
C. W. HALSTEAD.

Accompanying the address was a handsome pipe and case, with a plug of Mr. Tilly's favorite tobacco, and a box of Vestas.

Mr. Tilly replied in felicitous terms, and hoped that they would have a pleasant time in the city to which they were going. The men leave for Kingston this morning, while Mr. Tilly remains to take charge of this section.

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F. W. DOAN,
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Peterboro', Dec. 8th, 1902.

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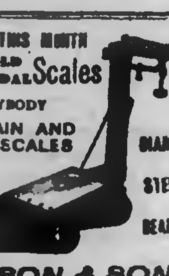

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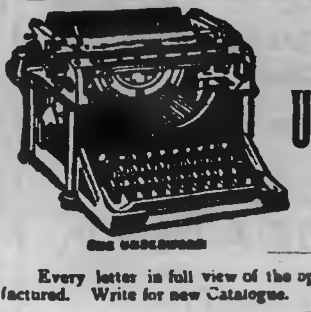

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IN CANADA'S GREAT AND VAST NORTHERN WILDS

Government Surveyor's Report on a Great Undiscovered Region

A WONDERFUL COUNTRY TO BE OPENED UP

Report of a Memorable Region—About Great Slave Lake—A Great River Discovered

Ottawa, Dec. 10—The Canadian Department of the Interior has just published J. W. Tyrrell's report of his survey of the wide region between Great Slave Lake and Hudson's Bay, across the Barren Grounds. In this journey he crossed an area of about 30,000 square miles to the north of Doobaunt Lake, that had never been mapped till he brought home rich material for this purpose.

He accomplished 1,720 miles of surveys and in doing this he and his small party travelled 4,000 miles with sledges, and canoes. He fixed the geographical position of many hundreds of points; obtained 300 photographs, the larger part of which appear in the volume now published; discovered a river, hitherto unknown, that is navigable for hundreds of miles; and found the position of the Height of Land that separates the rivers flowing to the Arctic from those which run to Hudson's Bay.

It was a very notable journey lasting from April to December, 1900, involving considerable hardship and the hardest kind of work, but it was enjoyed by every man in the party. There remain very few opportunities to carry out exploratory work in North America on so large a scale.

The journey to Hudson's Bay led Tyrrell straight to Chesterfield Inlet, the long, narrow bit of sea that penetrates far to the west. About one hundred and fifty years ago two ships were sent from England to try to discover the Northwest Passage to China.

After sailing across Hudson's Bay, they found this deep inlet, up which they pushed, believing that these waters would certainly carry them to the Pacific Ocean. They ascended about one hundred miles when they discovered that the water was growing fresh, and finally they proved that it was only a deep narrow bay; so they went back very much disgusted.

The Height of Land, or water-parting between the rivers of the Arctic and the Atlantic systems is not far east of Great Slave Lake, and is only 1,234 feet above the sea at the place where Tyrrell crossed it. A great deal of the country traversed was comparatively level. Series of lakes were met extending in an east and west direction which greatly assisted the explorer, for travel by water in his light canoes was easier than land travelling.

In the photographs taken of the region near Great Slave Lake, a large amount of timber is seen. In some places there was timber of important size.

"He tells of a nice grove of "white spruce trees containing trees of ten and twelve inches in diameter." This was the last timber of importance seen on the journey east, for this grove is not far from the Barren Lands.

Spruce and birch trees are the chief timber in this northern region. Where the timber ceases the landscape is indeed a picture of desolation, although it produces much grass, mosses and other vegetable life for the support of the numerous herds of caribou and musk oxen which wander over the country.

We have little idea of the large lakes of Northern Canada. Great Slave Lake for example, is almost as large as Lake Erie or Lake Ontario. One of Tyrrell's pictures shows high waves on this lake in which small boats could scarcely survive, another shows ice ridges piled up by ice pressure on the frozen surface of the lake to a height of twenty to thirty feet.

When Alexander Mackenzie floated down the river named after him, into Great Slave Lake, he followed the shore of the lake for many days, searching for its outlet. It was a long and difficult task to find it, and so his journey to the sea on the northern coast of the continent was considerably delayed.

One hundred and fifty miles east of Great Slave Lake the explorer found the junction of the Hanbury and Thelon rivers, the Thelon being the great discovery of the trip. He followed the Thelon to the east and found that for 134 miles it had an average width of 300 yards, a depth of 6 feet and a current of three miles an hour.

The depth of the channel in most places was from ten to fourteen feet, but in a few places there were sand bars over which the water was not more than three feet deep. Not a single rapid worthy of the name exists. At several points the current is very swift, but not too swift for canoes going either up or down the river.

Tyrrell says that the Thelon River is one of the finest in Canada and is navigable for river boats or other boats of light draught all the way from Hudson's Bay through Chesterfield Inlet to the forks of the Hanbury, a distance of 550 miles, excepting perhaps, at two rapids on the River above Baker Lake, where some improvements in the channel might be made. He believes that this large, navigable highway, extending far into northern Canada, is open for navigation during the months of July, August, September and October.

While descending the Thelon he found at one place the putrefying carcasses of hundreds of deer on both sides for a mile or more, where they had apparently been slaughtered by Esquimaux as was shown by the fact that many of them were carved and deprived of the choicest cuts of meat. The Esquimaux at an encampment not far away asserted that this fearful destruction of deer was due to the fact that they had been caught in the spring ice floe and drowned. This statement, however, was not believed.

The chief food supply of the country consists of the great herds of Caribou, and the fish of various kinds which are abundant in all the lakes and streams. There are a large number of musk oxen also, but the natives find it so easy to slaughter them that they are rapidly diminishing in number.

The photographs which accompany the report are large, and, though not of the very best quality, they vividly illustrate the aspects of that little-known region. We see the dog sledges that carried the supplies for the party to Great Slave Lake; the forts of trading posts of the Hudson's Bay Company that are scattered far and wide; Great Slave Lake spreading away like a sea, with its wooded shores and the buildings of traders on its banks; views of the little lakes stretching eastward; fine waterfalls in some of the rivers, and wide and noble stretches of the Thelon river.

Among the valuable features of the report are the tables of the determination of latitude and magnetic declination, tables of distances and elevation, and a complete meteorological record, all of which cover many pages.

CUT WILL BE LARGE

Nearly Nine Hundred Million Feet to be Taken Out

The Department of Crown Lands has made an estimate of the probable cut of pine sawlogs and square timber during the present season on territory held under timber license from the Crown. The quantities which are based upon the report of the respective agencies are as follows, in feet, board measure:

Sudbury	121,000,000
Parry Sound	171,000,000
Biscotasing	40,000,000
Whitney	50,500,000
Webbwood	150,000,000
Sault Ste. Marie	130,000,000
Port Arthur	13,000,000
Arnprior	40,000,000
Pembroke	100,000,000
Peterborough	44,000,000
Rat Portage	25,000,000
Total	884,500,000

In addition to this quantity, there will be a large number of railway ties, probably 1,500,000 taken out, as well as telegraph poles and fence posts, hardwood, etc., and a considerable cut of hemlock and hard woods, the last mentioned for fuel and charcoal purposes, as well as for use in furniture making, etc. The quantity of pine cut during the winter of 1900-01 under authority of timber license was 652,000,000 feet, and during last winter 850,000,000 feet. From the reports of the timber agents it is apparent that the chief difficulty the lumbering firms are experiencing is scarcity of labor, men being hard to get and wages high. Provisions and other supplies are also dear, and the expenses of operating are correspondingly greater. The cut during the present winter will be a heavy one, as the demand for timber is good and prices rule high. The only thing that will tend to keep down the cut is the difficulty in obtaining labor.

CHILD MURDER IN B C

Police Make a Ghastly Find where a Chinaman was seen Burrying Something

Vancouver, Dec. 10.—A man reported to the police to-day that ten days ago he saw a Chinaman burying something in the bushes at the east end of the city at night.

He said he had forgotten the incident in the interval, but he thought it should be investigated.

Police were sent to the spot with spades, and dug up a child with its throat cut from ear to ear. No particulars are known, but it is undoubtedly a case of murder.

A rigid investigation is being prosecuted.

THE NEW WORLD WONDER OPENED BY ROYALTY

The Great Dam Over the River Nile Formerly Completed

WHAT THE WONDERFUL STRUCTURE MEANS

The Dam's Proportions—Immense Benefits to Be Derived From Its Construction

London, Dec. 10—H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught, formerly opened the great dam of the River Nile at Assouan today. He represented His Majesty, the King, just as he officiated at the emissary of the late Queen on February 12, 1899, when the corner-stone of the wonderful work was placed in position.

This enterprise, of which Sir John Aird, M.P., was contractor, and Sir Benjamin Baker, and Mr. Fitzmaurice chief engineers, is one of the many boons conferred on Egypt by British rule. Splendid engineering feat as it is, the economical results to be affected by it are even more beneficial. It is an epoch in Egyptian history.

WHAT THE DAM MEANS.

Briefly, this dam will store up, and control the waters of the Upper Nile, thus increasing arable land by one million acres and providing irrigation during the dry seasons for an immense area of territory. The Nile is the chief source of Egyptian agriculture. It gathers in its course to the sea millions of tons of rich mud and silt, and during the rainy season, overflows its banks, and deposits this fertilizing material over a large strip of territory on each side of the river. When the water recedes it leaves a fertile area from which great crops of cotton, sugar, tobacco, etc., are obtained.

A REVIVAL OF WISDOM.

In the time of the Pharaohs works of this kind were constructed, and one channel, dating from the rule of Joseph the Israelite, still survives. For thirty centuries Egypt has been declining under misrule, incapacity and poverty. At different periods undertakings to increase the utility of the Nile were set on foot. But none were of much value.

Twenty years ago, when the overlordship of Egypt passed to Great Britain the repair and extension of the Nile dams was at once begun. The restoration of the Cairo barrages was the first step. Engineers then declared that the Nile supply of water would have to be stored if additional results were to be achieved. Recognizing the ability and administrative success of Lord Cromer's rule in Egypt, London capitalists offered to construct two large dams across the river at Assouan and Assiout, thus creating two large reservoirs of water, which could be used as required for irrigation purposes. The cost would be $25,000,000 not to be paid for until successfully completed. Sir Ernest Cassel, the financier furnished the money.

THE DAM'S PROPORTIONS.

At Assouan the river is over a mile wide. The dam is a solid granite wall, ninety feet above low water, and sixty feet wide at the top. In some places the foundations go down one hundred feet below the surface. The dam is pierced by 180 sluice gates to regulate the flow of water. It stores up over 1,000,000,000 tons of water. The water thus dammed back will affect a strip of country 140 miles long. The work has employed 8,500 natives working in day and night shifts. Owing to two successive low Niles, which has not happened before for forty years, progress was greatly facilitated.

The Assiout dam is not yet completed. It will be half a mile long. It will store up water for the Ibrahimieh Canal. The two dams will add 2,500 miles of cultivatable land to Egypt, valued at $400,000,000 adding $2,000,000 yearly to the national revenues. As the navigation by river is thus closed, a canal with four locks has been made at Assouan for the river boats.

EFFECTS ON EGYPTIAN OPINION.

These immense irrigation works have done much to cause native appreciation of British rule. The officials in charge are looked upon by the simple natives and benefactors and friends. An Egyptian statesman, bitterly hostile to England's occupation, said to Lord Milner several years ago: "Do not suppose that if Great Britain were to retire from Egypt we would let the engineers go. I myself should be the first to do everything I could to retain them."

A touching story is told of native devotion. In 1888, when the Nile was very low, the people of Girga province saw their lands unflooded and starvation staring them in the face. A British resident official, an engineer, decided to try a temporary dam. It was a doubtful undertaking, a desperate remedy. But by working night and day, with willing native helpers, it was built. When the people saw the water with its rich deposits flooding their land their joy and gratitude knew no bounds. They called for a religious thanksgiving in the mosque of the chief town of Girga. Now, the presence of a Christian in the mosque is offensive to devout Mohammedans. For him to attend a religious service in the mosque is abhorrent to their minds. But in this case they insisted on the Englishman attending the service, their thankfulness overcoming the traditional exclusiveness and intolerance.

WHAT EGYPT OWES TO BRITAIN.

Lord Milner, in his famous book where this remarkable episode is recorded says: "Any improvement in his water supply is a thing which goes straight home to the heart of every Egyptian. It is the one sort of benefit which you can confer upon him, of which the value is not only indisputable, but universally recognized. The most successful, the most creditable, the most unquestionably useful of all the services rendered by our country to Egypt have been connected with this vital problem of water."

This was written in 1893 as a plea for the Assouan reservoir. Today the reservior with its store of blessing for the poor fellaheen, or native cultivators, is an accomplished fact. He has not only been relieved from oppression and semi-slavery, but put in the way of making a comfortable living. He does not object to honest taxation for beneficent purposes.

During the construction of the dam thousands of Europeans and Orientals have flocked to the scene. Hotels have been built to accommodate tourists. The dam has been the talk of three continents. It is one of the greatest triumphs of British industry, power and foresight in rejuvenating and reforming a down trodden country.

CANADIAN PULP COMPANY

Will Conduct Operations in Vicinity of North Bay

London, Dec. 10.—The prospectus is published of the British Canadian Pulp Company, with a capital of £500,000, formed to acquire freehold limits at North Bay, Ontario. The company will manufacture and sell pulp. The President will be F. A. Ritchie, President of the Kinleith Paper Company, and the Vice-President, Judge McDougall, Toronto.

TO RECLAIM ALBERTA LANDS

Canadian Pacific will Use Waters of the Bow to Irrigate the Land

Montreal, Dec. 9.—The Canadian Pacific Railway officials have planned considerable work for next year in connection with their Western extensions. They include double-tracking, the building of a number of new lines West of Winnipeg, and a scheme of irrigation which will reclaim two and a half million acres of land between Calgary and Medicine Hat, a scheme which has been brought out for some time past, and which will be carried into effect just as soon as the plans are approved by the executive.

In the scheme of irrigation the water will be taken from the Bow River, and it is calculated it will take three dollars per acre to turn the water upon the land, which is otherwise admirable in quality, and which needs this application to make it profitable.

100,000 ADDED

Western Population by End of Year will Thus be Augmented

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 10.—The reports issued by the Dominion immigration department indicate that the population of Manitoba and the Territories will by the end of the present year have augmented by fully 100,000 souls.

From January to October 31 the number of immigrants registering at Winnipeg was 64,000. The returns for November have not yet been completed by the authorities, but it is estimated that the number will be in the neighborhood of 5,000, making a total of 69,000, with another month's arrivals to be added. These figures do not, however, show the total arrivals. The officers were wont to estimate that fully 35 per cent. of the immigrants were of the independent class, and do not register at the immigration office. This percentage is, therefore, added to the net total.

TO WORK THE MINES

The Molybdenite Deposits in Hastings County

An important discovery has been made of molybdenite in Hastings County, which created considerable interest among certain people who are looking for Canadian minerals. A Toronto syndicate has purchased the property, and will soon commence to operate the same, as large deposits have been discovered on the properties purchased. They have also secured an adjoining property, which contains very fine qualities of corundum. The samples brought to Toronto show that the ore is very rich, and experts who have seen the samples say that it is a very rich discovery. The Toronto syndicate intends to organize a Canadian company, take out a charter, and carry on the work of development.

It is said that this metal also abounds in the northern part of Peterborough County, and a search for it will probably be made in the spring and summer. It is worth $400 per ton.

Lightning Remedy For Cramps

Some people have cramps pretty often, others only now and again, but when you do have them it's a mighty quick relief you want. Polson's Nerviline is as sure as death to relieve cramps in five seconds, it's instantaneous, just a few drops in sweetened water and the pain is gone. Buy a bottle of Nerviline today, and keep it handy. Nerviline is a common household necessity and only costs 25 cents.

Dr. Hamilton's Mandrake Pills cure Constipation.

COMBINED BRITISH AND GERMAN FEETS, TAKE THE FIRST WARLIKE STEP

Seized the Vessels of the Venezuelans--Towed them Out of the Harbor

British and German Subjects in Caracas Arrested by Order of President Castro—Given 48 Hours

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 10.—At four o'clock this afternoon the combined British and German fleet seized and towed outside the harbor of La Guayra all the vessels which were then there. These were the warships General Crespo, Totumo, Oseun, and Margarita. The ships were manned by 300 men. The news of the capture of the warships is not yet generally known in the capital. Great excitement will undoubtedly prevail when it is announced.

Must Start at Once For Caracas.

Paris, Dec. 10.—Owing to the gravity of the situation in Venezuela, the Foreign Office has directed M. Wiener, newly appointed French Minister to Venezuela to start immediately for Caracas without waiting for the arrival here of the Venezuelan Minister, Gen. Velutini, as at first intended. The Foreign Office has selected Count De Peretti De Rocca as the French representative in the arbitration with Venezuela, and has ordered him to proceed to Caracas immediately with M. Wiener. The arbitration covers the losses sustained by French citizens whose houses were burned and whose plantations were destroyed during the revolution. The sessions of the arbitrators will be held at Caracas. The French officials probably will depart within two days. On their arrival at Caracas there will be a formal resumption of diplomatic relations between the two countries.

Arrest Britishers.

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 10.—All British and German subjects in Caracas were arrested yesterday.

Doubt the Arrests.

Berlin, Dec. 10.—The officials here have no confirmation of the announced arrest of all the German and British subjects at Caracas, and discredit the statement. They say that possibly a Germans and Englishmen have been arrested under some pretext by President Castro.

Castro is Defiant.

Kingstown, St. Vincent, Dec. 10.—The British cruiser Indefatigable brings reports that President Castro is defiant and indifferent to the threatened blockade.

Blockading La Guayra.

Cologne, Dec. 10.—A despatch to the Cologne Gazette says three German warships and the British cruiser Indefatigable are now blockading at La Guayra, the port of Caracas, Venezuela.

Why They Were Arrested.

London, Dec. 10.—At the Foreign Office the arrest of the British subjects is thought to provide against their ill-treatment.

Gunboat Seized.

London, Dec. 10.—The Admiralty has received information of the seizure of the Venezuelan gunboat Bolivar at Port of Spain, Island of Trinidad.

Given Forty-eight Hours.

Caracas, Dec. 10.—It is said on good authority that the captain of the British cruiser Retribution this afternoon sent a special courier from La Guaira to Caracas with an ultimatum for compliance with the note deposited yesterday by the British and German Ministers at the home of the Foreign Minister before their departure from Caracas. It is said the ultimatum gives a maximum of 48 hours in which Venezuela is to accede. The note, it is said, requests the immediate cash payment of $34,000 each to Great Britain and Germany, and for the settlement of claims arising from past revolutions by a mixed tribunal, the same as the last agreement made with France.

THE COUNTY COUNCIL

The Probable Candidates in Several Divisions

The elections for members of the County Council will take place this year, and considerable interest is being taken in connection with the matter in several divisions.

In the First Division, Mr. William Anderson, M.P.P., and Mr. E. A. Peck are likely to be returned by acclamation. Both gentlemen are able and popular representatives. Indeed The Times is of the opinion that it would be a great mistake if any change were made in this division. Mr. Anderson, by reason of his being in the Legislature, would prove a valuable man to the Council. In Mr. Peck's case, there are many reasons why he should be returned. He is likely to be the next warden; he is convenient to the County officials and can be consulted at any time when important matters arise which require quick attention; he has an intimate knowledge of county affairs, and best of all, is at all times willing to work unsparingly in the interests of his constituents and the whole county.

In the Second Division, represented by Mr. Geo. W. Fitzgerald and Paul Costello. Mr. Costello, it is said, will retire. Mr. T. Hunter, of North Monaghan, will be the new man. Mr. Hunter is well qualified for the position, and his election is fairly certain. Mr. Fitzgerald has been in the County Council for three terms and has proven himself to be one of the best men at the board. He is progressive and at the same time careful as regards the expenditure of County monies. Mr. Fitzgerald is sure to be returned with a sweeping majority.

In the Third Division there is not likely to be any contest. Warden Eastland and Mr. Robert Shaw will come back to the Council next year, with the confidence of their large constituency substantially renewed. During Mr. Eastland's term as Warden the affairs of the county were never more ably managed. He is ever watchful of the interests of the ratepayers, more particularly of those living in the north. It would be a great loss, not only to the north country, but also to the whole county, if Mr. Eastland was to be left out. This also applies to Mr. Shaw. However, The Times is pleased to say that there is little danger of this.

In the Fourth Division Dr. Jeffs, of Havelock, retires. Mr. Pearce will again be a candidate, and should be returned. He has been identified with the County Council for many years, as well as his father before him, and is therefore familiar with the work. We have not heard who is likely to succeed Dr. Jeffs.

In the Fifth Division there will be a sharp contest. The present members are Messrs. W. H. Casement, of Lakefield, and Richard Crowe, Dummer. Mr. Casement is one of the ablest men that ever sat at the County Council board, and we hope to see him returned. Mr. Crowe is also a worthy representative. The new men spoken of are Messrs. Dennis Maloney, Reeve of Douro; and R. Hawthorne, Dummer. In this division certainly the ratepayers have good material to choose from. Mr. Maloney has made his mark as a capable and progressive Reeve, and would be a good man in the higher council. Mr. Hawthorne is an ex-member of the County Council, where he served with credit to himself.

THE TIDE STILL RISES.

REFERENDUM VOTE GOES OVER 162,000 FOR THE ACT.

A number of Counties and Districts Yet to Come that Will Add Probably Ten Thousand

For	162,130
Against	86,874
Majority for	75,256

The vote in favor of the liquor act now exceeds one hundred and sixty-two thousand, and there are more returns to come, probably enough to make the final figure over 170,000 for the act, and the majority 80,000. In the total reported above there is nothing for Addington, East Peterborough or the Nipissings, and very incomplete returns from Parry Sound, East Huron, Centre Grey, North Hastings, South Ontario, East Victoria and other ridings. It would not occasion surprise, therefore, were the aggregate vote for the act to be increased by over 10,000 on a final statement.

The Day of Miracles Not Past

A Toronto "Star" reporter investigated the case of Mr. Geo. Warner, and found that after thirteen years of almost total deafness, he had been cured by inhaling Catarrhozone.

This proves that where Catarrhozone treatment is employed, impaired hearing and deafness can be cured. Catarrhozone always brings quick relief and is warranted to give lasting satisfaction. All suffering from impaired Hearing, Deafness, Head Noises and Ringing in the Ears are advised to inhale Catarrhozone and derive the great benefit it is capable of affording. Price $1.00, small size, 25c. Druggists of N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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HARD CASE FOR DR. LORENZ

Austrian Professor Performs the Most Difficult Operation He Has Had Here

Baltimore, Dec. 10.—Bloodless surgery was demonstrated for the second time in Baltimore to-day by Dr. Adolph Lorenz. The demonstration took place in the amphitheatre of Johns Hopkins Hospital. Two little girls with congenital hip dislocation were operated upon.

May Lehman, daughter of Police Officer Lehman of the Northeastern district, was the first child. The case was pronounced the most difficult that the specialist had treated in this country, and some doubt was expressed as to whether the results would be satisfactory. Annie Hanf was the second case, and Dr. Lorenz hopes for better results. The age of each child was announced as 7 years, but in the case of May Lehman, an attendant who heard the announcement corrected the age to 5 1/2 years. The child was fully large enough for one of 7.

DEAD MAN'S ISLAND

Mr. Theodore Ludgate Has Got a Settlement

Mr. Theodore Ludgate, of Vancouver, formerly a resident of Peterborough, has offered to erect a saw mill to cost $300,000, and to cut one hundred million feet annually, from which the stumpage dues to the province would be $400,000 a year, in order to get a settlement with the city.

It will be remembered that Mr. Ludgate some years ago secured a lease of Dead Man's Island, in Vancouver Harbor, from the Militia Department, Ottawa, but has been unable to build his mill, owing to legal proceedings instituted by the province as to the ownership of the island.

SOCIALISTIC MEETINGS

Addresses to be Delivered on Saturday Night and Sunday Afternoon

A public meeting will be held on Saturday evening in the Maccabees Hall on Water street, under the auspices of Peterborough Socialistic League No. 22, to be addressed by Mr. James Simpson, Provincial Chairman of Ontario Socialistic League. Subject: "Socialism and Trades Unionism." Silver collection.

On Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the same Hall, another address will be delivered by Mr. Simpson, entitled "Socialism Inevitable," to which the public are cordially invited.

Mr. Simpson is a prominent trades unionist and socialistic worker. He was a candidate at the last election for the Ontario Legislature in one of the Toronto constituencies, and has done much to elevate the condition of the laboring classes. He is a fluent speaker, and interesting and instructive addresses may be expected.

VOTE OF THANKS

Passed by Harmony Lodge I. O. G. T. to Ministers

At the regular meeting of Harmony Lodge No. 457 I.O.G.T., the following resolution was adopted:

That this lodge desires to place on record its appreciation of the very valuable services rendered to the cause of temperance by the ministry of our town and county in the late referendum fight, and also to all our lay temperance friends, both Conservative and Reform, who worked hand in hand to poll the grand majority of some 2,800. Especial praise should be given to the Rev. Mr. Potter and his executive for the grand work they did in organizing the county in so short a time they had at their disposal. We are glad to note that East Peterborough polled more than the required vote, and West Peterborough would have done the same had the temperance votes been anything like fairly polled. We also hope that some permanent organization shall be formed in the county to further the good work done, and see that all temperance laws are enforced.

ENGLISH BUY ALASKAN MINES

Pay $2,467,500 for a Low Grade Ore Group at Rodman Bay

London, Dec. 10.—E. H. Power, a Mississippian, has completed the sale here of nine claims in the Dewey group of gold mines on Rodman Bay, Alaska, together with stamp mills, equipped with water power and electricity, and seven miles of railroad, for £397,500.

The purchaser is an English company that was registered to-day as the Alaskan Rodman Bay Company. George B. Hudson, M.P., is chairman, of the new company. The shares have been privately subscribed for.

Mr. Powers says he has already spent $92,500 in the development of the property, which yields low-grade ore.

COURT STANLEY A. O. F.

Officers Elected at a well Attended Meeting on Tuesday

At a large attendance of members of Court Stanley, No. 7,180, A.O.F., held on Tuesday evening, December 9th, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

R. D. Whatley	Chief Ranger
H. McWha	Past Chief Ranger
George F. Mein	Sub Chief Ranger
George R. Record	Secretary
S. Adiam	Sub. Secretary
R. J. McWilliams	Treasurer
P. Lowes	Sr. Woodward
Thomas James	Jr. Woodward
A. Upton	Sr. Beadle
J. O. Moss	Jr. Beadle
E. W. R. Williams	Chaplain
Dr. W. D. Scott	Medical Officer

Correspondent Ancient Forester—S. Adiam.

Trustees—J. Carey, George Tremain, W. J. Johnston.

Auditors—Chas. Akey, E. Williams, J. Malane.

Arbitration Com.—R. Whatley, George Record, R. J. McWilliams, J. Carey, Thos. James, A. Gilbert, W. H. Blanchard, F. Ferguson, J. Malane.

LOYAL ORANGE LODGE NO. 321

Colonel Sanderson Lodge, Otonabee, Disposes of Considerable Business

At the regular annual meeting of L.O.L. No. 321, held on Tuesday night, after disposing of considerable business the following officers were elected:

W. Master—Bro. John Waldie.
D. Master—Bro. Thos. Huston.
Chaplain—Bro. Allan McCarthy.
Rec.-Sec.—Bro. C. F. Kitney
Fin.-Sec.—Bro. L. S. Downer.
Treasurer—Bro. C. Kitney.
D. of Ceremonies—Bro. Rich. Girven.
Lecturer—Bro. T. C. Hobden.
1st Com.—Bro. W. Clifford.
2nd Com.—Bro. W. McCland.
3rd Com.—Bro. W. Doudle.
4th Com.—Bro. C. Crow.
5th Com.—Bro. T. Mitchell.
Auditors—Bros. R. F. Grieves, and T. Simson.

The newly elected officers were then installed by Bro. Grieves, P.M. Bro. Waldie, the Master-elect, then made some very encouraging remarks. The treasurer's report showed the lodge to be in excellent condition. The meeting was then brought to a close, a large majority of the members being present. A re-union of the members and families is to be held on the 18th.

PROTECTION WRIT FOR JOHN L.

Federal Court Gives Him Immunity From Arrest for Debt in Massachusetts

Boston, Dec. 10.—John L. Sullivan is to be exempt from arrest on civil action during his stay in this State. He obtained a writ of protection on his own petition from Judge Lowell in the United States District Court to-day. Sullivan alleged that he has filed a petition in bankruptcy, now pending, and that he believes persons whose debts are dischargeable in bankruptcy intend to arrest him for the debts on the ground that he intends to leave New York.

The petitioner said that he is here temporarily and intends to return to New York and he wished to be protected by the court from any arrest while here.

Sullivan was at the Federal building all the forenoon and did not leave until he had in his pocket the writ of protection issued by the court.

How to Beautify the Complexion

To have a soft, smooth skin, free from eruptions and pimples, the blood must be healthy and pure. Ferrozone invigorates unhealthy blood, and cleanses it of all impurities and poisons; it brings color to the lips and cheeks, brilliancy to the eyes, whitens the teeth, and sweetens the breath. No tonic compares with Ferrozone in rapid action and permanent results. Try it. Price 50c., at druggists, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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Morning Times

UNION LABEL

PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 11, 1902.

CANADA'S CHEESE TRADE

The Montreal Gazette has prepared its usual season's report of the exports of Canadian cheese and butter, which, for the season just closed, shows most gratifying results, both as to volume of shipments and values both here and at the point of destination. Further pleasing features of our growing exports of dairy products are, that all indications point to a continuance at least for the next season, of the comparatively high prices now ruling, particularly of cheese.

The season of 1902 has been a record one in cheese, but three particulars stand out prominently, the increase of over 15 per cent in the aggregate volume of exports, the fact that this increased output did not lower prices, as farmers realized on the average $1.50 per box more this season than last, and the marked improvement in quality, compared with recent years. These influences has resulted in one of the most successful years in the history of the trade, for not only have the farmers made big profits, but the middlemen also have come out well. Since the opening of navigation there have been exported from Montreal 2,400,171 boxes of cheese, which have returned to the Canadian producer in round figures about $17,-287,000, an increase of $5,400,000 over the returns of the previous season. Three factors were operative in creating and maintaining the high average prices—First, the fact that the season opened with the markets bare of old cheese; second, the remarkably high average quality of the cheese; and, thirdly, consumption kept up throughout the season, despite the higher prices. Well into July the imports into Britain were absorbed almost as fast as they arrived, with little or no accumulation of stocks; which naturally made for steadiness. In fact before the end of June, it became evident that English buyers would have to depend almost exclusively on Canada for their supplies from this side, as there had been a decrease up to that period of over 50 per cent. in the exports from New York. The great bulk of the cheese produced in Northern New York also which formerly came to Montreal, is now being shipped to Chicago and the Western States, and large quantities of Wisconsin cheese, which formerly found a market in Montreal are now required for consumption in the manufacturing districts springing up in the Southern States. Indeed, many in the trade believe in this connection that before many years Canada will be experiencing a demand for cheese from the United States. It does not of course, follow from this that the U. S. is making less cheese, but rather that it is consuming more, and this increase in home consumption is growing year by year. This is a fact for which British importers will have to reckon more in in future.

The Canadian exports for the season, and their value, compared with previous years, were as follows:

Year	Boxes	Cost Value	Spot Value
1902	2,400,171	$17,287,253	$18,400,300
1901	1,781,072	13,541,591	13,165,856
1900	2,077,000	16,500,000	17,97[illegible]
1899	1,896,496	14,025,000	16,171,3[illegible]
1898	1,900,000	12,000,000	12,500,000
1897	2,102,985	14,126,000	14,720,000
1896	1,726,237	11,000,000	12,000,000

The improvement in the quality of the cheese was largely due to the strong note of warning sounded by some of the leading authorities at last winter's dairy convention, which has had some effect in waking up the manufacturing branch of the industry.

CANADA AND THE EMPIRE

The decision of the English Government to permit the import of cattle from Argentina on the most favorable terms, i. e., —practically free from vexations and frequent embargoes, is far-reaching in its effect. Canada is nominally in the same favored class, but only nominally so. We suffer long and severely from scares and productive embargoes for that their aim is to protect the English cattle trade is plain to even the most loyal. Now if England and Canada are going to treat each other in this way there will be very little room left for the play of Imperial sentiment. A blow like this will be one more set back to Anglo-Canadian trade, which is low enough at the present without further decrease. The attack of Lloyds on our fast Atlantic service from Halifax, also is not calculated to promote friendly feeling. What right has an insurance exchange to say that we cannot compete with New York, when even the Americans themselves admit that we can?

DISTRICT NEWS

SPRINGVILLE.

—Miss B. Ellison, of Brantford, and Mr. Fred. Allison, of Ashland, Wis.; were visiting their sister, Mrs. D. V. Trew, last week.

—Miss Nita Raper returned home on Saturday, after a few weeks visit to friends in Millbrook.

—Mr. Albert Reynolds has become a resident of our village.

—Mr. Jas. Baptie attended the Fat Stock Show at Guelph this week.

—Rev. Mr. Yule exchanged pulpits with Mr. Sinclair, of Port Hope, last Sunday.

—Mr. Jas. Graham has sold his house and lot to Mr. F. Harding, who intends taking possession in the spring.

C. P. R. PENSION FUND

Circular Notifying Employees Will be Issued This Week

Montreal, Dec. 9—The C.P.R. new pension fund, it is announced, will go into force on January 1st. The trustees of the fund, Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and Mr. D. McNicoll will issue a circular this week notifying the employees of the rules and regulations governing the fund, which, are based on the most liberal terms, being exceedingly advantageous to the men upwards of 30,000 of whom will benefit thereby. It differs from the Grand Trunk, the Pennsylvania and other systems in the fact that it is a pension fund pure and simple, and has no insurance department connected therewith. A quarter of a million dollars was set aside as a nucleus to the fund at the annual meeting of the shareholders in 1901.

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Chicago, Dec. 8.—The discovery of a new means of causing rhythmic beats in a strip of heart muscle is announced from the University of Chicago. The stimulus is oxygen, and Dr. David J. Lingle is the discoverer. He has been working on the lines of Prof. Jacques Loeb's announcement made two years ago that a solution of salt would start a heart to pulsating.

It has long been known that the heart is extremely sensitive to oxygen and to carbon dioxide, the gas produced in vitiated air. But heretofore the action of oxygen has been thought to be confined to the purification of the blood. Dr. Lingle shows that this gas has the power directly to sustain the beats of a strip of heart muscle removed from the body of a turtle, and to keep it going for from 24 to 72 hours. Even then the muscle stopped only because dissolution set in, and, in fact, the strip continued to beat for 24 hours of the 72 with part of it already dead.

New York, Dec. 8.—John Dillon, one of the leaders of the Irish Nationalist party, is at the Hoffman House with his wife, who arrived on the Umbria from Europe. Mr. Dillon, who had been ill at Chicago, and who had just arrived here, was affected materially by his trip, and was obliged to take to his bed at th was obliged to take to his bed at the hotel and deny himself of all callers.

While his condition is not considered serious, Mrs. Dillon said that he was too ill to see anybody.

—There is a heavy demand for coal these days, which sells at $11 per ton. People only get half a ton or a ton at a time in the hope that it will come down in price.

London, Dec. 10.—In rebuking Sir Horace Rumbold for what he had written in the National Review concerning his conversation on official matters with the Emperor of Austria, Lord Lansdowne said that new regulations would be issued which would render it impossible for members of the diplomatic service, even after their retirement, to publish observations on their experiences in the countries in which they had been employed.

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Struck Oil!

Mr. LeBRUN has returned after a successful visit to the wholesale houses, where he secured large quanties of New Goods from manufacturers who where stock-taking and cleared out their winter lines to him at Half.

WORTH DOUBLE

The following are a few of the lucky snaps which Mr. LeBrun picked up:

	WORTH DOUBLE
Heavy Woollen Socks	10c, 15c
Fine Heather Mixed Socks	25c, 30c
Fine Cambric Regatta Shirts	50c, 65c
All-Wool Heavy Undershirts	20c, 40c, 50c
Heavy Working Pants	90c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50
Fine Tweed and Worsted Pants	$1.50, $1.75, $2.00, $2.50
Holiday Neckwear only	10c, cheap at 25c
Heavy Wool Underwear	25c, 35c, 50c
Fleece Lined Underwear	25c, 35c, 50c

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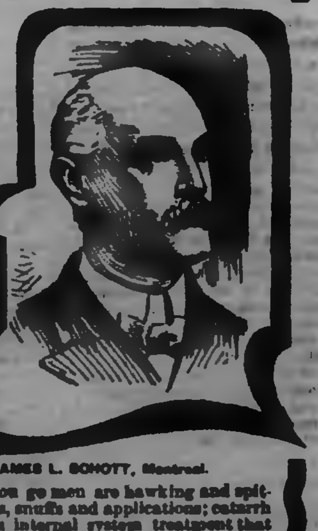

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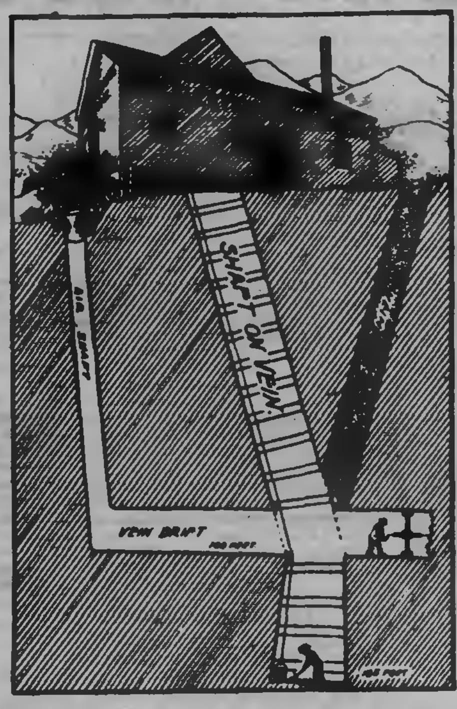

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STOCK MARKETS
Nothing to Liquidate

New York, Dec. 10—From now on stocks should be bought whenever weak. We are nearing the end of a long period during which money was scarcer than stocks. We are approaching a period when stocks will be scarcer than money. The two months' depression with more or less high money rates have caused a most drastic liquidation. Stocks carried upon margin are now of a very small quantity. The great wire houses with extreme western connections report their holdings to be at exceedingly low ebb. The stocks not taken up and paid for by their clients have been disposed of by them in the open market. Even the eastern commission houses are carrying less stocks than for any time since the decline of May 9th, 1901. These facts account for the absence of any marked liquidation during so dull a period. Stocks are in possession of people able to care for them, people not easily frightened, the veterans of Wall Street. A vast amount of stock has also been purchased for cash by investors who were attracted by the bargains offering, and has been taken entirely from the street.

The floating supplies are therefore limited. Such buyers hang on to their holdings permanently. We spoke in yesterday's letter of certain stocks being especially active during a close money dull period, thereby attracting what activity there is in the market to them. Such stocks at present are copper and Sugar. Both of these issues are now very strong, showing strong indications of going higher. We feel inclined to advise our clients to purchase them. To do so at the present, we believe will prove profitable. Some slight money flurries will be likely between now and the first of the year; they will cause the market reactions as they occur. On these reactions you should purchase the better issues courageously—they will be but temporary at the best, merely affording splendid opportunities to make a bargain purchase. The facts and conditions are directly ahead of us to warrant a splendid advance in prices after the first of the year. They are bound to have a certain effect upon prices once temporary factors are eliminated. The men who will buy when stocks are down due to temporary factors, will make more money than those who buy when the unfavorable features cease to exist.

Summary—After early inactivity a sharp drive was made against the market by the bears, accompanied by stories of a likely general calling of loans preparatory to semi-annual interest and dividend disbursements; also considerable pessimistic talk was engendered by reports of possible American embroilment over the Government's foreign complications of Venezuela, recalling another unpleasant episode through the politics in that country during the Cleveland administration. Declines ranged from 1 to 3 points. Stocks were bought on a scale by inside interests and investors. Sellers were principally the trading element; the market becoming generally oversold. A sharp advance on the short interests should be near. To catch same buy on any further declines. Copper, Metropolitan, Manhattan, Missouri, Pacific, St. Paul, Baltimore and Ohio, Reading, Pennsylvania, New York Central and the Pacifics. Money closed 4 per cent; sales 553,200.

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PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 11, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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An Illustrated Lecture

Last night the Rev. C. J. Cameron, Baptist Home Mission Secretary, delivered an interesting and instructive lecture beautifully illustrated by stereopticon views on Baptist Home Missions in the two Provinces. There was a small admission fee charged.

Women's Foreign Missionary Society

The annual meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society will be held in the school room of St. Paul's church, on (to-morrow) Friday, December 12, at 3.30 p.m. Mrs. McClelland, of Toronto, will address the meeting, basing her remarks on the character in "Via Christi."

Action Against Mining Men

Llewellyn A. Morrison, a mining engineer of Toronto, has instituted an action against J. Carling Kelly of Ottawa and Charles E. George and Martin Rucker, of London, England, for $5,000. This amount he claims to be due him for work done in drawing up plans and estimates in connection with certain corundum lands in Methuen Township, Peterborough County.

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Exquisite invitation cards for children's parties with envelopes. These are very novel and the latest thing out. Parties desiring first choice of Xmas cards or calendars can now see them. We also have a large assortment of up-to-date birthday cards. Times Bookstore, Market Block.

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Saturday will be children's day at Times Bookstore, and we invite the mothers as well as the children to come and see our display of dolls, games and toys. We are showing all new goods, and by buying here will save money. Come and see our display whether you buy or not. Times Bookstore, Market Block, Peterborough. (Saturday, the 13th instant, we will have on sale a large display of dolls. Mothers should buy early and have first choice Times Bookstore.)

A Literary Gem

BITTER SWEET, by J. G. Holland, has just been issued by the well-known cheap book publishers, Hurst & Co., New York. This fascinating poem, illustrating the author's gifted talent is truly a marvel in point of literary merit. Critics agree that this work represents the author's best effort. We publish it in the dainty 12mo. style, 216 pages, postpaid; Cloth binding, 50c.; padded leather, boxed, $1. Both editions suitable for gift purposes or the parlor table. Send for a copy at once. A complete catalogue of Holiday books will be mailed upon request. HURST & CO., Publishers, 395-399 Broadway, New York.

The Old Rink

The work of reconstructing the old rink is progressing satisfactorily, and Mr. Angus McIntosh expects to have the ice in shape for curling by Saturday. Any one desirous of joining the Curling Club for this winter should send in their names to Messrs. G. N. Brown and G. W. Morrow, the secretaries, as early as possible, who will see that they are scheduled on a rink, ensuring them the full privileges of the ice. All new members and beginners will thus have the same privileges as old members.

The Late Mrs. Little

We are sorry to be obliged to chronicle the death of Eva Bell Jones, beloved wife of Mr. David W. Little, local manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Company, which occurred on Tuesday evening. The deceased was born in New York State 31 years ago, and leaves no children. For the past six years she has been an invalid, and an operation performed two years ago was unsuccessful in restoring her health. She was a member of the George street Methodist church. The funeral service will be held at Mr. Little's residence, 380 George street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock, and will be private. The remains will be taken to Kingston for burial, where her parents are living.

Grace Darling Group in Lake District

The Grace Darling Group is being operated by the Electric Spark Gold Mining company, with Omaha, Neb., parties being largely interested. A steam plant of machinery has been recently installed and a new and commodious shaft building of 20x40 feet dimensions has been erected. It is one of the most convenient shaft houses in the county, the ore bins being located under the building so that they can be filled at any time and under any conditions of weather. Since installing the machinery and putting up the new building, the shaft was thoroughly retimbered from top to bottom so as to make it safe as possible for mining operations, and a first class job was done. Sinking operations are under way and the shaft is being sunk on a 100 foot lift which will put it down 200 feet in all. A depth of 130 feet has been reached and there is a change and an improvement noticeable in the shaft with almost every round of holes fired. The vein is being followed down in the shaft and the crevice is now fully three feet in width, and it shows signs of making solid mineral at an early date. Assays have been taken and the mineral in the shaft has shown increasing values as depth is being gained. Only one shift is engaged in sinking but the company may decide to put on a night shift to hasten the work.

Before sinking was commenced the 70 foot level was extended and they had a nice pocket of surface ore at that depth shipments from which were made to the local sampling works and to the Golden smelter, and the returns in each case were entirely satisfactory. Connections were made between the 100 foot level and the surface, which furnish splendid ventilation throughout the mine workings, as well as an additional outlet for the miners in case of danger. The company will, no doubt, decide to sink the shaft 200 and possibly 300 feet deeper, as they realize that depth has been necessary in all the well known surrounding mines such as the Williams, Clay County, Justice and others, equally as well known, which, in the aggregate, have produced hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of gold and silver ores, and most of which are actively producing today. All of these mines had their surface pockets but it was necessary to go down several hundred feet in order to get the mineral body in solid form, and at these depths each of the properties paid handsomely for the cost of sinking and developments. The Electric Spark company realize that there is no exception to the rule in mining in this county and will deepen their shaft and carry on liberal developments and there is hardly any doubt but that before next spring the property will be developed in such shape as to enter the list of producers in that section of Gilpin county. The interests of the company are being looked after by John C. Martin, of Black Hawk, as agent, with George Rogers, an experienced practical mining man in charge as superintendent.

A Good Cheese Season

Mr. George W. Fitzgerald, the popular cheese buyer for Hodgson Bros., Montreal, states that the season just closed was the best in the history of the local cheese board, the number of boxes shipped by the board being 65,562, representing 5,123,394 pounds or $571,151.28. Mr. Fitzgerald states that he shipped during the season 15,000 boxes or 1,080,000 pounds representing $134,510.20. There were sold to the local trade from 300 to 3500 boxes. The sales of the board this year are over $100,000 above those of last year.

Mr. Fitzgerald has just returned from Montreal, where he has been winding up the season's affairs with his firm, whom he will represent next year.

Domestic Science Course

Hon. Richard Harcourt, Minister of Education, has endorsed the proposal of the University Senate for a course in domestic science leading to the degree of bachelor of household science. The course includes a good stiff English course, along with a special course in biology, chemistry, physics, and theoretic and labratory work in household science, including cookery, construction, care and conduct of the house, hygiene. Bachelor of arts may obtain the diploma and teachers' certificate in two years, and will be exempted from all examinations except those in household science, and such of the scientific subjects as they have not already taken in their undergraduate course.

Must be Fyled This Month

The attention of veterans is called to the fact that all applications for land must be fyled with the Crown Lands Department, Toronto, before the end of this month. The applicants have two years in which to locate after their application has been granted and a location certificate issued. About 7,000 location certificates have already been issued. The Municipal committee room at the Parliament buildings is open each evening for the convenience of the veterans desirous of obtaining information relative to location of their land grants. Plans showing the route of the Temiskaming Railway and the location of lands already taken up in that district are on view there and an official is in attendance to give any information veterans may require.

—At the Charlotte street Guild to-morrow evening there will be a debate on "Resolved, that Trusts should be Abolished." There will be an interesting musical program.

GLASS OF WATER

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People that don't know about food should never be allowed to feed persons with weak stomachs.

A little over a year ago a young woman who lives in Mercer, Mo., had an attack of scarlet fever, and when convalescent was permitted to eat anything she wanted. Indiscriminate feeding soon put her back in bed with severe stomach trouble and inflammation of the kidneys.

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THE MAYORALTY

Now that Mayor Denne has announced his retirement from that honorable position so ably filled by him during the past two years, the question arises, "Who will be our next Chief Magistrate?" While Alderman G. M. Roger has not yet given a definite reply to a large number of prominent citizens who are urging him to accept the nomination for Mayor, still he has promised to give the matter his serious consideration. The Times hopes, in the interests of our progressive town, that his answer will be in the affirmative. Alderman Roger has had considerable experience in municipal affairs, and during a long term of office has always had the courage of his convictions, and never swerved from his duty as a representative of his fellow citizens. "The interests of the town first and always," has ever been his motto on all momentous questions, and his legal acumen and sound judgment has on more than one occasion been no mean factor in securing the adoption of profitable and progressive municipal legislation when thousands of dollars were at stake. Mr. Roger has undoubtedly every qualification necessary to transform a valuable Alderman into an able and model Chief Magistrate, and it is to be hoped that his well-known interest in this go-ahead Town of Peterborough will at this crisis in our town's history, when the best are none too good to compose the personal of our civic board, submit to that personal sacrifice necessarily entailed by an acceptance of the Mayoralty position, and allow his name to stand as a candidate for Mayor. Mr. Roger's many friends and supporters feel strongly that their welfare and that of the town in general demands that he should acquiesce to their earnest solicitations and they are consequently impatiently awaiting his reply

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[ED. TIMES]

Mr. John Whyte, who has been in town in connection with the burial of his brother, Mr. James Whyte, will return to Campbellford this afternoon.

—At Cobourg on Tuesday Mr. F. J. Butland, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Butland, Toronto, was married to Miss Alice Howie, daughter of Mr. G. A. Howie.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Children's Aid Society acknowledge with thanks the receipt of $25 from Mr. A. P. Choate towards the funds of the Society.

—At a meeting of the Committee of the Whole Council held Tuesday evening, Ald. McGregor's municipal fuel yard project was discussed. His proposal was that the question be decided by a vote of the people at the municipal elections. The decision of the meeting was that the question be submitted to a vote of the electors qualified to vote on a money by-law, and that if they be favorable, the necessary legislation be applied for.

—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson, who live at No. 13 Parnell street, will sympathize with them in the great loss which they have sustained through the death of their darling two year old son, Charles, which occurred on Tuesday evening. The funeral will take place from the family residence this afternoon.

At a meeting of St. Paul's Young Men's Guild Tuesday evening, Mr. Horace E. Ayers resigned the position of president, and Mr. Jas. Connall, vice-president, was chosen as his successor. Mr. R. F. McWilliams was elected vice-president, and Mr. Fred Houston added to the executive. The evening was marked by a series of interesting one-minute speeches by all present on subjects drawn from a hat.

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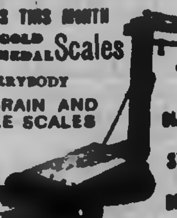

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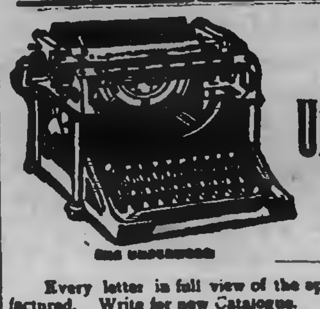

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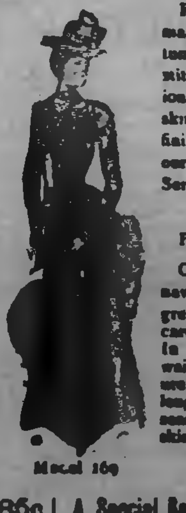

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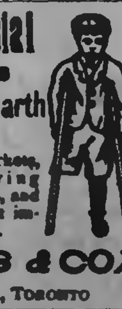

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FIGHTING REPORTED BETWEEN THE SOLDIERS AND VENEZUEANS.

Capture of Bolivar was Made Peacefully--Want Present Land Tax Stopped

Two Great Japanese Political Parties United—Authorization to Certain Religious Orders in France

Port of Spain, Trinidad, Dec. 11—The surrender of the Venezuelan flagship Bolivar to the British was made peacefully. Three o'clock was the hour when the time limit of forty-eight hours given by England and Germany to Venezuela expired. No reply to the ultimatum was received and the exact terms were unknown. A boat crew all armed left the British cruiser Charybdis at nine o'clock in the evening and went on board. The four officers and twenty-five men of the captured vessel were taken on board the British sloop Alert, which then towed the Bolivar alongside the Charybdis. Seals were affixed on the effects of the captain and officers. The Bolivar was commissioned three weeks ago and supplied with arms and ammunition. All the British warships except the Charybdis sailed out of port at four o'clock Wednesday morning. The sloop Fantome has gone to Barrancas to command the Orinico, and open it to the trade of all nations. The cruisers Indefatigable and Retribution are bound for the northern coast of Venezuela, and the Alert for the Gulf of Paria. The captured Bolivar, manned by British sailors from the Charybdis, and flying the British flag, sailed for Venezuela to aid in the capture of the rest of Castro's fleet. Commodore Montgomerie of the Charybdis, refused to disclose his plans to even his own officers. All the vessels left under sealed orders. The flagship Ariadne arrived yesterday, and Commodore Montgomerie went on board to consult with Vice-Admiral Douglas. been sent to La Guayra to run messages, as an interruption of the cable isThe torpedo boat destroyer Quail has feared. The British Minister from Caracas is expected here.

London, Dec. 11—Two great Japanese political parties, says a Tokio correspondent, are united in opposition to the Cabinet, and are strenuously combatting the continuance of the present rate of land tax, though they are indorsing the Cabinet's policy in regard to a naval increase. The two parties have held general meetings, at which this policy was declared, and Count Okuma and Marquis Ito have agreed on a method for producing an unanimous vote in the Lower House, so as to make opposition by the House of Peers difficult. The resulting situation is similar to that existing in the early sessions of the Diet, when the whole Lower House combined to attack the so-called "Clan Cabinet." The correspondent says the great basis of the present dispute is not fiscal, but a question of party government versus bureaucracy. Marquis Ito considers that the land tax is theoretically sound, but unseasonable. He recommends that funds be obtained for the naval increase by a reduction of the Cabinet schemes for extending the railways, telegraphs, and telephones, and by other economies. The Cabinet is unwilling to alter the budget, so that no ground for a compromise is at present visibel.

London, Dec. 11—A Paris correspondent says that five religious orders which the Government recommends for authorization include the Algerian White Fathers and St. John de Dieu Brothers. The Government's recommendation states that the schools of the former diffuse the French language and civilization among the Arab children. St. John Brothers assist the state in caring for the sick and homeless, and are necessary in the relief of the poor.

NEW ZEALAND HELPS THE AUSTRALIAN SUFFERERS

Will Pay Freight on Fodder to be Sold for Their Benefit

London, Dec. 10.—A correspondent at Wellington, New Zealand, says the New Zealand Government has resolved to pay freight on fodder, to be sold for the benefit of the sufferers from the drought in Australia. The Premier considers this no more than a neighborly action.

Greater Speed for Tariff Bill.

London, Dec. 10.—A Berlin correspondent says the changes in the rules of the Reichstag will doubtless expedite the second reading of the Tariff Bill, and perhaps the scheme may be so modified that the third reading of the measure may be reached, and become a more efficient weapon for treaty negotiations. At present the main feature of the situation is the coalition of Conservatives, Clericals and National Liberals. The extreme Agrarians calculate that the Government can be driven to an attitude of irreconcilable hostility to the liberal elements resulting from the situation, similar to the last years of Bismarck's Chancellorship, with the differences that the present Government is more dependent upon the reactionaries than that of Bismarck. However the political Liberals will be able to influence the general population depends upon the economic conditions of the next few years. There is reason to believe that the Government appreciates the danger of giving too free rein to the reactionaries tendencies of the present majority.

Better System of Communication.

London, Dec. 10.—A Brussels correspondent says that the international conference of the representatives of the leading railways in Europe opened yesterday. The proceedings were private, but the object is understood to be the establishment of a better system of communication between England and the continent. In consequence of the late delivery of the London Morning Mail in Brussels, Paris morning papers containing telegrams published in the London morning papers of the same day, arrive in Brussels seven hours before the arrival of the London papers, from which the telegrams are reproduced.

Loyally Support Their Bishop.

London, Dec. 10—A Paris correspondent says that $5,000 have been raised in the diocese of Dijon to make up for the bishop's stipend of $150 suspended by the Government. The organizers of the movement announce that, if necessary, they will make a fresh appeal every three years.

The Duel Has Been Cancelled.

London, Dec. 10.—A Paris correspondent says there will be no duel between M. Vallé, Minister of Justice in the Cabinet, and M. Syveton, member of the Chamber of Deputies, in consequence of last Saturday's disorders in the Chamber. There are equal recriminations on both sides, but in any case it is as well that the Minister of Justice should not violate a law which, though seldom enforced ought especially to be a law for him.

Prince of Monaco's Army.

London, Dec. 10.—A despatch from Monte Carlo says the Prince of Monaco has decided to abolish his army by July 1, 1904. The entire army, thirty-two strong, will discard picturesque uniforms wherein they are now seen strolling about the terraces and gardens of Monte Carlo.

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The Political Slate

The following is the latest sum on the legislative slate:

Seats in Legislature......	98
Liberal members......	48
Conservative members... ...	46

VACANT SEATS.

North Renfrew (L).
North Grey (L.)
North Norfolk (C.)
North Perth (C.)

AWAITING JUDGMENT.

Lennox (C.)
East Middlesex (L.)

PETITIONS TO BE HEARD.

Centre Bruce (C.)
Sault Ste. Marie (C.)
North York (L.)

WILL HUMAN LIFE BE PROLONGED?

It Would Appear That Science will Soon Solve the Mystery

OXYGEN AN IMPORTANT FACTOR

The Vital Forces of Life May Soon be Under Human Control

Chicago, Dec. 12—New discoveries are being made by physiologists associated with Dr. Jacques Loeb of the University of Chicago. The latest one is by Prof. David J. Lingle one of the men who for several years has been one of Prof. Loeb's chief assistants in his experiments into the question of what causes the heart to beat and what sustains its action when once started.

Prof. Lingle now comes forth with the theory that it is not only the salt known as sodium chloride which stimulates and causes heart action, but that oxygen gas is even a more important factor in sustaining heart action.

According to the results of the experiments by the university professors the time is not far distant when physicians will know just how much sodium chloride and how much oxygen and how much of something else to inject into a dead person's veins in order to restore him to life. The question is asked by some of those who have learned of the recent discoveries made in regard to the heart beat.

"How long will it be until scientists will know how to promote longevity?"

Prof. Lingle wanted the result which he has attained partly by accident. While experimenting with a strip of turtle's heart which he was moving from one vessel containing sodium chloride, he noticed that the beating of the strip was greatly increased when it came into contact with the air.

Noting this, the professor took a piece of strip cut from the ventricle of a turtle that had ceased to beat as a result of violence inflicted in preparing it for experiment, placed it in a solution of salt and then put the beating strip of heart in a jar of oxygen gas.

Here the beating was sustained for seventy-two hours. No one had been successful in maintaining the beat of a single strip of heart for so long a time as this.

OUR FIRST MINING COMPANY

How Our Ancestors Started Out to Look for Minerals

Through the courtesy of Mr. W. H. Cluxton, The Times was shown a document marked with age, giving a list of the stockholders of "The Ontario Mining Company," a corporation formed for the purpose of exploiting the mineral deposits in the back part of Peterborough County. It will be seen that a large majority of those whose names appear below have passed away.

The Company existed away back in the fifties or sixties and spent considerable money prospecting. The following is the list:

Hon. S. H. Blake, Toronto, 4 shares...	$100
James Campbell, merchant...	100
J. S. Carver, postmaster......	200
Wm. Cluxton, merchant......	300
Samuel Dickson, lumberman...	400
J. H. Dickson, lumberman...	100
D. W. Dumble, barrister	1300
Jas. W. Dunnett, merchant......	300
D. S Eastwood, Mgr. Ontario Bank...	100
James Edwards, town clerk...	100
T. M. Fairbairn, barrister......	400
John Greene, merchant...	100
James Hall, Sheriff......	500
Wm Hall (Nicholls & Hall)	100
William H. Harper, Manager Commercial Bank	100
F. W. Haultain, Registrar......... ...	1700
Robt. Nicholls (Nicholls & Hall)......	100
W. C. Nicholls, Lakefield......	50
Chas. Ormond, druggists......	400
Edw. Pearse, County Clerk......	100
R. Richardson, Manager Bank of Montreal......	400
J. M. Seger, Crown Timber Agent...	50
W. A. Scott, lumberman......	100
Alex. Smith, Mgr. Bank Toronto... ...	100
G. A. Stewart, P. L. S......	100
H. T. Strickland, merchant......	250
Robt. A. Strickland, Lakefield...... ...	100
Wm. Toole, manufacturer...	730
John Walton, farmer......	100
Robt. Walton, merchant......	400
Wm Wood, farmer...	240

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REMEMBER MONROE DOCTRINE

Paris Newspapers' Advice to England and Germany

Paris, Dec. 10.—Referring to the Anglo-German demonstration against Venezuela the Temps says the day is past when for the purpose of compelling the payment of a debt old Europe can put its hand on any portion of the soil of the new world outside of what already belongs to it.

The American giant is ready to uphold the Monroe Doctrine against all and is determined to have no tutor or master outside of Washington.

WESTWOOD CHEESE FACTORY

Business of the Season Wound Up—A Very Good Record

The patrons of Westwood Cheese Factory held their meeting for winding up the business of the season in the factory on Friday, November 28th. The amount of milk delivered at the factory was 2,340,468 pounds or 782,468-3,000 standards, from which was made 216,940 pounds of cheese, being an average of 10.83 pounds of milk per pound of cheese. The amount received from sales of cheese was $21,817.75, being an average of a little over 10 cents per pound. The interest received on this sum was $61.35, and the value of the whey at 50 cents per standard was $462.06, making the total value of the business of the season $22,323.16. The total value of the milk per standard was $22.53 and the value to the patrons after paying all expenses was $23.94. The four patrons sending the greatest amount of milk were John C. Breckenridge, 94,575 pounds; Ben. Cardwell, 83,086 pounds; and Wm. John Harrison, 80,367 pounds; Graham, 60,137 pounds, and the average for each of the 82 patrons was 27,065 pounds. The factory has had a very very prosperous season's business showing, in every respect an increase over the business of the previous season.

C. P. R. PENSION SYSTEM

The System is Officially Defined by President Shaughnessy

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific issued today his circular in connection with the pension department. The administration is under a committee composed of the president, vice-presidents and the chief solicitor.

The benefits of the pension fund apply only to those persons who have been required to give their entire time to the company, estimated upon the proportion of salary or wages received. The age limit is 65 years. The usual physical examination when retirement is asked is provided for.

The pension allowance authorized shall be granted upon the following basis:

For each year of service an allowance of one per cent of the average monthly pay received for the ten years preceding retirement. For instance, an employee has been in the service for forty years and received on an average for the last ten years 50 dollars per month the pension allowance would be forty per cent. of fifty dollars or twenty dollars per month.

The acceptance of a pension allowance does not debar a retired employe from engaging in other business, but such retired employee cannot so engage in other business nor re-enter the service of the company, except with the consent of the committee without forfeiting his pension allowance.

PREDICT HIGH MEAT PRICES

Westerners tells of Shortage in Packing Houses and on the Ranges

Omaha, Neb. Dec. 10—The provision supply at the South Omaha packing houses is nearly 10,000,000 pounds short as compared with this date last year. The figures mean high prices for all classes of meats next year, whether or not the packing house merger goes through.

The stocks of provisions at South Omaha today aggregate 10,139,366 pounds, as against 20,307,415 pounds on the same date last year. The falling off, while largely due to the shortage in cattle, is more largely due to the remarkable decrease in the receipts of hogs. The term "provisions" includes only the cut and prepared meats and the great staples of the retail markets outside of beef quarters.

The western ranges have been almost denuded of cattle, which were hurried to the markets during the fall just closed because of the high prices they brought.

Robert Foote, of Johnson county, Wyo., one of the best-informed men in the State on range conditions, declares that Wyoming herds are reduced until only those required for breeding purposes are left. Western Nebraskans bring similar reports, while the new cattle territory of the Belle Fourche district, S.D., is put in the same class with Colorado and Montana, that of having closed the present season with most unfavorable signs for the coming year.

The shortage in hog receipts is due to the partial drought last year. The receipts of all stock yards of the country this year have shown a falling off of nearly 20 per cent. An improvement is expected next season.

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Dr. Hamilton's Pills cure Constipation.

INDIAN RIVER.

—Mr. Thomas Londergan, of Norwood was visiting friends in Douro last Sunday.

—Mr. John Londergan has sold his cheese factory to Mr. Pegwick, of South Dummer. The patrons were well pleased with the return from their factory this year as well as the three former years during which Mr. Londergan was proprietor.

—Mr. Charlie McNulty, of Caughnawa, was visiting at the O'Leary House on Sunday last.

—Mr. Maurice O'Leary and his two sisters were visiting at Mr. Crowley's on Monday of last week.

—Mr. John Fife, our worthy councillor, is putting plenty of encouragement to accept the candidature for Reeve.

OFFICERS AND MEN OF THE CAPTIVE WARSHIP TAKEN ON THE ALERT

Venezuelan Situation in Brief

The principal British creditors whose claims are enforced by the ultimatum against Venezuela are the railway and harbor improvement companies. Some of these complain of defaults in interest guarantees by the Venezuelan Government. Another corporation which took up an issue of bonds, claims a considerable amount of unpaid interest. There are also claims for damages to railways and other properties from war losses and also for unpaid charges for freight.

The German claims are larger in amount and more varied in nature and responsibility.

The fact that Britain and Germany have each presented a separate ultimatum to Venezuela, although acting in common in other respects is due to the circumstance that their claims on Venezuela are not identical.

Germany will co-operate with Britain on every point. Venezuela will therefore, not be able to play off one power against the other.

Identical declarations were made by the German and British Ambassadors at Washington to the effect that the interests of United States citizens would be strictly respected, and that no measures taken by the squadrons in Venezuelan ports would have results of a permanent nature.

The pressure to be exercised on Venezuela is of a temporary character, and Customs seizures will form the immediate objective.

CANADIANS IDLE; GERMANS BENEFIT

Steel Rail Mills at Sault Ste. Marie Closed Down

FIVE HUNDRED OUT OF WORK

Germany Won't Buy Any Canadian Goods, Yet she is Allowed to Flood this Market with Steel Rails.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., December 12—The following official statement of the reason for the closing down of the steel mills of the Algoma Steel Company has been handed out by the president of the company, Mr. F. H. Clergue: "The rail mill has shut down, having filled all orders booked, which have amounted to something over 30,000 tons. The company hope to secure the Temiscaming Railway order, on which to start up again. There being no duty on rails coming into Canada, the present slaughter price of German rails has enabled the Canadian roads to supply their requirements at prices less than cost at the Soo mills owing to great difference in labor conditions. The Soo mills in every step of their processes, from the mines to the finished product, pay American wages, amounting on the average to 100 per cent. more than German wages. Canada is now sending abroad over $5,000,000 annually for rails, of which amount more than $4,000,000 would be expended in Canadian wages and materials if these orders were given to the Soo mills. The Soo mills have cost over $3,000,000, and over 500 men are thrown out of employment by their closing down."

ESCAPED MURDERER CAUGHT

Charles Grether, Who Got out of Stroudsburg Jail, Found in a Barn

Stroudsburg, Pa., Dec. 10 — Charles Grether, the murderer and burglar, who escaped from jail here on Saturday, was captured last night. As was the case several years when Puryear, the negro murdered, broke jail and was lynched by a mob of boys, Grether was captured by boys.

The best men of the town, disgusted with Sheriff Mervine's neglect, were indifferent about the capture, and many expressed the hope that the criminal would not be captured. Grether was found by David Smoke, a young bootblack, and four friends near Spragueville, late in the afternoon. They discovered him in a barn and pulled him out of a haymow.

Smoke and Charles Mansfield, son of ex-Judge Barnett Mansfield, led the fight in the barn. Grether was armed with a gun which was supposed to have been given him by Van Duskirt, the other escaped murdered who parted with Grether at the Stroudsburg brewery. Van Duskirt gave Grether all of his clothes that he could spare, and they shook hands and parted. VanBuskirt has not as yet been found.

Grether's bold dash for the second time for liberty showed him in his true light. His second escape was even more daring than the first. Near Spragueville Grether, at the point of a pistol, ordered a farmer to give him his horse. He had some difficulty in mounting, and gave up the attempt when he saw Smoke and his friends close to him. It was then he took refuge in the barn. He was brought to the Stroudsburg jail.

Sheriff Mervine is away in Maine cutting Christmas trees, and upon his return he is likely to be asked for the second time by the Monroe county bar to resign his office. Gov. Stone is likely to fix the day soon for Grether to be hanged.

SOCIALISTIC MEETINGS

Addresses to be Delivered on Saturday Night and Sunday Afternoon

A public meeting will be held on Saturday evening in the Maccabees Hall on Water street, under the auspices of Peterborough Socialistic League No. 20, to be addressed by Mr. James Simpson, Provincial Chairman of Ontario Socialistic League. Subject: "Socialism and Trades Unionism." Silver collection.

On Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the same Hall, another address will be delivered by Mr. Simpson, entitled "Socialism Inevitable," to which the public are cordially invited.

Mr. Simpson is a prominent trades unionist and socialistic worker. He was a candidate at the last election for the Ontario Legislature in one of the Toronto constituencies, and has done much to elevate the condition of the laboring classes. He is a fluent speaker, and interesting and instructive addresses may be expected.

—The curlers will get to work next week, as the ice is expected to be ready to-morrow.

A MILK COMPANY

A Good Prospect That One will be Formed in Peterborough

Those engaged in the milk business in Peterborough propose to unite and form a joint stock company, and the matter is so far advanced that the success of the scheme is almost assured.

A meeting was held some time ago which was attended by most of the milk vendors. A committee was appointed to investigate and see what could be done. The committee reported to a meeting held on Wednesday night, recommending that a joint stock company be formed This would place all the vendors on a business foundation, and if each and every man in the business now would take shares and an interest in the company, it would surely be a success. The plant to clarify the milk, at a central distributing point, would cost about $3000. Several men were willing to sell out their business, and this would require a little extra money. The different routes would have to be valued, in order that the company might be able at any time to take over any routes offered them.

After some discussion, a provisional Board of Directors were appointed, among whom were Messrs. Stothart, Wilson, Hooper, Milburn and Cox. These men will take all steps possible to make successful arrangements.

The scheme is a good one, and was first proposed, we think, by Dr. Halliday, Mr. H. P. Kennedy, and others Now that the milkmen themselves have taken the matter up, there is every hope of success. The advantages to the consumer is being served with pure milk, free from contagion, is a sufficient guarantee that the business will go to the company. It means purer milk, and more prompt service, with less labor on both sides. If the proposal goes through all milk will be clarified, and all cans, etc., will be thoroughly sterilized.

A meeting will be held in the near future to hear the report of the directors, and for the making of final arrangements.

THE FIRST CANADIAN BANK

The Bank of Montreal Was Launched Eighty Five Years Ago

The Times is indebted to a subscriber for the following concerning the Bank of Montreal, which will be read with interest:

In the summer of 1817 a number of prominent merchants of Montreal after holding several meetings, formed a company with a capital of $1,000,000 and started the Bank of Montreal. They had no charter, for in those days the obtaining of rights for private companies was a very difficult and tedious undertaking, as, after the necessary legislation had passed the Provincial Government, the whole matter had to be sent to the British Government for sanction. It was a great puzzle to the bank how to issue bills for circulation without making each stock holder personally liable for their payment, but at last the following form for the reading of their notes was adopted:

"The President and Directors of the Bank of Montreal promise to pay A.B., or bearer, the sum of five dollars (or other amount) out of the joint funds of the Association, and no other."

This form was of course dropped when the charter was obtained. Several years ago one of these old notes was presented for payment to the Metropolitan Bank in Montreal. John Grey, a retired drygoods merchant, was the first President of the Bank; Robert Griffin the first cashier. The Directors were some of the most prominent business men of the city. They were Hon. John Richardson, Samuel Gerard, Thomas Thain, Horatio Gates, George Auldjo, John Molson, Thomas A. Turner, William Ermatinger, Zabdiel Thayer, and David David. On the 1st of October, 1817, the first bank note ever issued in Canada was issued by the Montreal Bank. Notwithstanding the prejudice of the habitants against paper money, the Bank prospered until 1824, when Samuel Gerard was made President. He, by his mismanagement, had lost the one-third of its capital by 1827. John Molson then became President, and the losses were redeemed in a few years, but for five years at that time the bank paid no dividend. It occupied for the first few years of its existence a small building in St. Paul street, and then moved into a much larger one where the present Montreal post-office stands. Forged $5 notes appeared in 1820

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Conflicting Statements Made Regarding the Britishers and Germans

Hostages Held by Castro

Another Venezuelan Vessel Seized and Another Being Sought For

London, Dec. 11.—The Central News says it was reported in the lobby of the House of Commons this afternoon that the allies have landed bluejackets at La Guayra for the purpose of effecting the capture of President Castro, and that fighting is going on in the streets. The Foreign Office here has no information to this effect.

London, Dec. 11.—Under Secretary Cranborne has announced that the British Vice Consul at La Guayra and some women and children were taken on board a British man-of-war yesterday evening, and added that it was reported that President Castro held the British and German prisoners as hostages.

La Guayra, Venezuela, Dec. 10.—The British cruiser Indefatigable arrived here at 6 o'clock this evening, from Guanta, the port of Barcelona, where she is believed to have been in search of the Venezuelan gunboat Restaurador.

The German cruiser Vineta and the British cruiser Retribution left here at 6 o'clock this evening. It is supposed they have on board Venezuela's answer to the demand of the foreign powers, which arrived on a special train from Caracas at 3 o'clock. The German Charge d'Affaires, Herr Von Pilgrim-Baltazzi, the British Minister Haggard, and the personnel of the British Legation, are still on board the warships.

What is termed an inopportune demonstration and the strange method resorted to in the transmittance to the Venezuelan Foreign Minister of the demands of Great Britain and Germany are freely criticised here.

The Government has sent 2,000 men and 12 guns from Caracas to reinforce the garrison at La Guayra. These troops are camping to-night at Cuaracuti, distant one hour from La Guayra. All day and all night ammunition has been carried to Fort Lavigia, which crowns the harbor and preparations are being made to resist the foreign forces. Volunteers to the number of 800 men, all from La Guayra, have been armed to-day and are are requesting arms. It is asserted here that the Government can find sufficient men to resist the foreign forces as the movement is popular. Everywhere one meets men of all classes and conditions carrying Mauser rifles.

The news of the capture at Port of Spain, Trinidad, of the Venezuelan gunboat Bolivar by the British cruiser Charybdis was communicated to President Castro by a representative of the Associated Press. The event created intense excitement.

Curacao, Dec. 11.—There was a great patriotic demonstration in Caracas Tuesday night. On receipt of news that the Venezuelan warships had been seized by the British and German squadron, large crowds paraded the streets carrying banners. Violent speeches were made, and a mob attempted to break in the doors of the German Legation and Consulate shouting "Death to the Germans!" The police made no attempt to disperse the demonstrators.

All the British residents were arrested except Messrs. Cherry and Willis, the latter being director of telephones. They escaped to a place of safety. Ninety-seven Germans were arrested.

Violent speeches were delivered at various points. The populace marched to the palace of President Castro, who made an address. The mob then moved on to the German Legation, shouting "Death to the Germans!"

The windows were shattered with stones and attempts were made to force the doors, but the latter resisted these efforts, and Mme. Von Pilgrim-Baltazzi, the wife of the German Charge d'Affaires, who has been ill in bed for the past two months, and therefore could not leave Caracas with her husband, was thus saved from the violence.

The crowd then marched to the German Consulate and to the residence of Dr. Koehler, again stoning the windows and attempting to force an entrance.

The excitement was still intense when at 10 o'clock at night the Government ordered the arrest of all German and English residents. One hour later 205 persons prominent in social and commercial life were crowded together in the police station.

The United States Minister, Bowen, addressed himself to President Castro to secure their release. He represented that he had been charged with their care. Finally he convinced Castro that he was acting within his rights, and the President consented reluctantly to release the principal prisoners.

Paris, Dec. 11.—A Venezuelan Government communication to the representative here protests that Great Britain and Germany, acting in concert, have committed an act of hostility in a manner as arbitrary as it is unprecedented by the seizure of the Venezuelan vessels lying at La Guaira. The communication says that indignation in Venezuela is at its highest pitch, and the Government is resorting to justifiable reprisals. At the same time, adds the communication, President Castro has appealed to the Venezuelan people to take up arms. It has decreed a general amnesty for all political offenses, and has ordered the restitution of the confiscated property of Venezuelan citizens.

La Guaira, Dec. 10.—All the British and German subjects arrested yesterday were released this afternoon.

Dr. Cleaver's Lecture

A large audience attended the lecture last night at St. Paul's church by the Rev. Dr. Cleaver, of the Sherbourne street Methodist church, Toronto, on Victor Hugo's masterpiece, "The Story of Jean Valjean." The intensely cold weather no doubt kept many away, but those who attended were well repaid for coming out, as the lecture was eloquent, interesting and instructive. The ladies of the church under whose auspices this grand literary treat was given are deserving of much credit.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 12, 1902.

A UNITED STATES AVOWAL

The agitation which has been started in the Northwestern States in favor of some system of reciprocity between Canada and those States finds little or no support in Canada. For this there are several reasons. At present the United States tariff on Canadian produce is far higher than the duty imposed on American goods brought to Canada. There must be a greater equality in the two tariffs before a satisfactory basis could be found for reciprocity negotiations. Canada has already given to the United States almost everything she can afford to give while she has received nothing in return, and she is not at present in a position to make any satisfactory bargain. It is also evident that the Northwestern States would gain at Canada's expense if the reciprocity which they suggest were carried into effect. They propose to reduce or abolish the duty on Canadian wheat. The effect of this would be to assist the United States to control the Canadian wheat crop and to enable American millers to grind Canadian wheat. This would not be to the advantage of Canada, for it is to Canada's interests for her to grind her own wheat and to control the marketing of her own crop for her own advantage. A reduction in the American duty on Canadian wheat is not therefore very strongly desired in Canada, and in return for this reduction it is proposed in the United States that the Canadian market should be thrown open to the American manufacturer. Canada cannot afford to do this to any greater extent than she has already done. She cannot afford to allow the American trusts to gain control of the Canadian market to the destruction of Canadian industries and let the American trusts to gain consumers.

Canada has learned that she can be self reliant and that it is better for her to manufacture her own raw materials to supply her own market. And the tariff policy of the United States has done much to teach her this lesson. This is now being recognized in the United States. An interesting interview recently given to the Washington correspondent of the New York Evening Post reviews the history and causes of the failure of reciprocity with Canada and expresses the opinion that the exclusive tariff policy of the United States has strengthened an anti-American sentiment in Canada in regard to commercial questions. This official dates the beginning of the bad tariff relations between the two countries at a period just after the Civil War, when the protective interests then growing stronger rapidly, secured the repeal of the treaty under which the United States was sending manufactured goods to Canada to exchange for raw materials. "The result was," he says, "that whatever anti-American sentiment existed in Canada was strengthened, and the raw products which formerly had come here she sent abroad to enter into direct competition with products from this country, while her attention was turned for the first time in the direction of manufacturing. The rapid extension of the anti-American spirit in Canada, and her determination to become independent of American manufacturers led to her adoption of a protective tariff which seriously curtailed the demand for our goods. Then our tariffs began to discriminate against Canada, widening the breach, and the situation had become tense when the Joint High Commission went to work in 1898."

In the selection of the Joint High Commission he is of the opinion that another mistake was committed. The commission was composed chiefly of politicians instead of diplomats, and there was no surprise when it failed to achieve its object. In the meantime the American tariff had caused a change in Canadian industries which was a remedy for the ill-effects of the tariff in Canada. "Our tariff he says, "ruined the market for Canadian barley, and as a result Canada had to abandon that crop, but her ingenuity was equal to the emergency. She converted her barley fields into pastures, and her Government undertook to direct the promotion of the dairy industry on a large scale. In a few years a most remarkable change had taken place in the country districts. Barley was a forgotten crop, and in its place was high-class dairying. A market was found in England for Canadian butter and cheese, and our dairy products, which up to that time had practically monopolized the English market, so far as imports from this side of the water were concerned, received a damaging and, perhaps permanent, backset."

As a result of the American tariff policy, he says, "we have made Canada our commercial enemy." At present this official is of the opinion that concessions on lumber offer probably the only avenue of commercial approach to Canada, and that "we shall get nothing whatever from her without lumber concessions of some sort." But he does not believe that the United States will give any concessions on this line. "The strong opposition of the American lumber trade to such concessions," he says "is well known, and as we continue to mix our economic with our partisan politics, no abatement of that opposition is in sight, or even in prospect as far as we in Washington can judge." In the meantime, Canada can afford to watch with equanimity the discussion in the United States regarding reciprocity. She can get along very well without any reciprocity treaty and the demand for it is to be found in the United States rather than in Canada. When the two tariffs are more upon an equality it will be possible to arrange a reciprocity treaty which would be satisfactory to both countries, but, at present, Canada can afford to make no concessions without receiving far more substantial advantages than the United States is likely to be willing to give.

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Despite its premature chilliness, yesterday was thoroughly enjoyed by horsemen and those who could secure horses. From noon until dark the merry jingle of the sleigh bell was heard on the streets, and the wolf robes flared out behind the cutters as jauntily as if they had not been closely associated with moth balls all summer. Nearly every livery stable had all its cutters out, and there were many who waited too long and were forced to see more fortunate neighbors dash by with merry chimes and loud crunching of the frozen road.

As a result of the sleighing wood is beginning to move. An odd load is seen on the market, for which $6 is asked for hardwood. Farmers who bring wood in are usually waylaid before they reach the market, and the wood purchased.

TO COPE WITH LABOR UNIONS

Chicago Employers' Association Formed to Ward Off Strikes

Chicago, Dec. 10.—The Employers' Association of Chicago, an organization to deal with labor problems, has been formed and Frederick W. Job, formerly chairman of the Illinois State Board of Arbitration, will be at its head.

The work of organizing the large employers of labor, including every branch of industry in the city, has been going on for some time, but the men connected with it refuse to give out the details. It is known, however, that some of the wealthiest men in the city are interested in the association. The phenomenal growth of labor unions in the past year has awakened the large employers to the necessity of dealing with the employees and through this organization it is hoped to avoid the numerous strikes which have seriously interfered with the business interests of the city.

Mr. Job's duties will be in the nature of a labor commissioner, and he will have authority to act for the employers in any dispute that may arise. Many of the leading business men of the city who are large employers of labor do not object to unions as such, but want to be relieved from the necessity of dealing with the committees when strikes are threatened.

MISS CARNEGIE KISSED KING

Then Took Him In to the Nursery to See Her Doll

Glasgow, Dec. 10.—The London correspondent of the Glasgow Herald states that King Edward sent a cordial message to Andrew Carnegie before the latter sailed for the United States.

He adds that when Mr. Carnegie's six-year-old daughter Margaret was brought in to see the King on the occasion of the latter's visit to Skibo Castle His Majesty asked the child for a kiss. She complied readily and then invited the King to go to the nursery to see her doll. King Edward laughingly accepted the invitation and visited the nursery.

England Accepts American Cattle

London, Dec. 10.—The Leyland liner Cambrian, Capt. Lee, from Boston, Nov. 24, for London, arrived to-day with 503 head of cattle and 650 sheep. The animals were all declared free from infection and landed at Deptford.

King Edward's Cattle Win Prizes

London, Dec. 10.—At the Christmas cattle show at Agricultural Hall King Edward carried off two first prizes and a cup for Devons. He was also awarded two first prizes and a cup for Herefords and for Shorthorns.

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GREAT SLAUGHTER TO BEGIN

Diseased Cattle in New England to be Killed And Burned

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Summary—A tempestuous and stormy stock market existed the greater part of the day. The bear attack was principally directed against St. Paul, Union Pacific and the Steel stocks. The first issue falling 2 points, Union Pacific dropping three, while Steel fell from 34 to 31 1-2. The decline in the three standards did much to unsettle matters and the selling was general, indiscriminate prices falling from 1 to 3 points. It ought to be near the turning point in the market. Various rumours were industriously circulated with the view to depressing prices, and the bears worked energetically. The bulwarks of today's market were Copper and Sugar. The finest array of bargains so far for 1902 are offering at present. We note material increase in our outright purchase orders. For investment a good rally is due is nothing more at present. Tomorrow's letter, "Severe market pounding. Money closed at 9 per cent. Sales 1,356,000.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 12, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Will Run no Candidates

The Trades and Labor Council has decided that no labor candidate for Alderman or Mayor would be brought out under the auspices of the Council.

Furnished House and Rooms to Rent

A small house, furnished, containing five rooms, within five minutes walk of the Post Office, to rent for winter. Also a couple of furnished rooms. Apply at Times Bookstore.

A Rugby Banquet

The members of the Rugby Football Club closed their season with a small banquet at Long's Palm Parlors. The affair was attended by the members, officers and a few friends of the Club. A very pleasant evening was spent.

Collegiate Institute Exams

Examinations presided over by Mr. Sermeil began yesterday in the upper and lower first forms of the Collegiate Institute. The object, it is understood, of the lower first candidates is to qualify for the upper first, and for the upper first to hold their place and prevent degradation to lower form.

The News Changes Hands

The announcement is made that Mr. J. W. Flavelle had purchased the Evening News, Toronto. Mr. J. S. Willison will be the editor of the News, which will be continued as an evening paper. The change will come into effect on January 1st. It is understood that the paper will be run on purely independent lines. The days of the party organ are numbered.

A Big Club

Yesterday a club of fifty subscribers to the Weekly Times was sent in by Mr. Walter Wray, being the names of farmers residing in close proximity to the town. Advertisers are reminded that the Times reaches hundreds of homes that cannot be reached in any other way. These people spend thousands of dollars annually amongst the merchants of the town, and if the business men don't use the Times to talk to these people, he don't talk to them at all.

Children's Day

Saturday will be children's day at Times Bookstore, and we invite the mothers as well as the children to come and see our display of dolls, games and toys. We are showing all new goods, and by buying here will save money. Come and see our display whether you buy or not. Times Bookstore, Market Block, Peterborough. (Saturday, the 13th instant, we will have on sale a large display of dolls. Mothers should buy early and have first choice Times Bookstore.)

Election of Officers

Peterborough Council No. 423, Canadian Order Chosen Friends, elected officers as follows:

Chief Counselor—Mr. A. W. Irwin.
Vice-Counselor—Mrs. Hickey.
Financial Recorder—Mr. R. R. Harding.
Corresponding Recorder—Mrs. Gibbs.
Treasurer—Mr. M. W. Brown.
Prelate—Mrs. Oliver.
Marshal—Arthur Upton.
Guard—Mr. R. B. McGill.
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Auditors—Mr. M. W. Brown, Mr. Cobb.
Representative to Grand Council—Mr. R. B. McGill, Mr. R. R. Harding.

Entertainment and Lecture

This evening at eight o'clock the entertainment and lecture under the auspices of St. Luke's Men's Guild will be held in the Sunday school. Dr. N. W. Hoyles, K.C., Principal of Osgoode Law school, and a prominent layman of the church, will give an address on "Lay Work in the Church." A committee is in charge of the program, which promises to be a very good one. The members and friends of St. Luke's, both ladies and gentlemen, are cordially invited to be present. An offering will be taken at the door to defray expenses.

Rare Indian Remains

Campbellford Herald:—A few weeks ago Mr. Arcastus Lane, who resides on lot 25 in concession 12 of Seymour discovered the skeletons of four Indians who were interred on his farm perhaps long before a white man set foot upon the soil. While he was ploughing the ploughshare grated upon something which he supposed to be [illegible], but which upon examination proved to be a human skull. He secured a shovel and began digging and in a few minutes only a few inches below the furrow he unearthed three other skulls all in a good state of preservation, with the teeth still free from decay, in the jaws. Upon further investigation he found the bones of the bodies were there also, and it would appear that the deceased Indians were buried in a sitting posture, facing the north. They were close together. One skull was very large, and two were small, probably those of [illegible] size. The skulls were visited by quite a number of persons, and a few days afterwards Mr. Lane re-interred them in [illegible] of the [illegible] where they probably [illegible] never again be disturbed.

THE FOURTH VICTIM

Another Victim of the Ashing Family Passes Away

Yesterday morning another of the Ashing children died at Nicholls Hospital. This is the fourth since Saturday last. There are still two children left. A telephone message from the hospital last night to the Times stated that the children were doing nicely.

TO OPEN IN PETERBOROUGH

The Metropolitan Bank to Open a Branch Here

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A QUIET WEDDING

Mr. Thos. McWilliams and Miss Clara Bertha Graham are Married

On Wednesday evening Mr. Thomas McWilliams, of town, and Miss Clara Bertha Graham, daughter of Mr. Robert Graham, also of town, were quietly married at the George street Methodist parsonage.

The bride, who was charmingly attired, was attended by Miss M. D. Henderson, and Mr. W. J. Collins acted as best man. The happy young couple will make Peterborough their home.

PETERBOROUGH WINTER RACES

Six Hundred Dollars in Purses to be Offered at the Meet

Yesterday the Peterborough Turf Club met at the Oriental House and completed arrangements for the first annual winter meet of the Club, which will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, January 21st and 22nd, at the Driving Park.

It was first decided to offer $600 in purses, which, for winter races, is considered very liberal.

The executive officers of the Club are: Messrs. J. M. Brooks, president; Arthur Rousiree, secretary; R. J. Munro, treasurer. With such an executive the success of anything the Club takes hold of is assured.

VETERANS MEET

At the Council Chamber Last Night to Discuss Government Grant

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Veterans' Association was held in the Council Chamber last night. A number of the veterans of '66, together with a number of the South African veterans, were present.

The meeting was held to consider what steps would be taken with regard to the Government grant to the veterans. A number of letters were read and after considerable discussion it was decided to leave the matter stand until next March, when Mr. J. B. McWilliams would be in a position to give some valuable information concerning the land.

The constitution of the association was altered so as to admit as members men who served in South Africa. The following officers were elected:

Hon. Pres.—Col. J. Z. Rogers.
Pres.—A. Poussette.
Vice-Pres.—F. R. J. Mitchell.
Capt.—Major Langford.
Lieut.—John Irwin.
Sergt.-Major—H. T. Holmes.
Sergt.—Wm. Logan, Geo. Stethem.
Sec.-Treas.—J. D. Collins.
Executive Com.—All officers and non-com. officers, and Messrs. McWilliams and Brown.

A large number of members renewed their membership for another year, and it is desired that all members of the association renew their membership fees and that all the men who served in South Africa should become members at an early date.

The secretary-treasurer's report was presented by Mr. J. D. Collins, and showed a balance to the credit of the association after paying all accounts.

A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. J. B. McWilliams for the valuable assistance he had rendered to the association.

LITTLE LOCAL LINKS

—It is expected that the new rink will be open for skaters on Christmas Day.

—A few loads of mixed wood on the market yesterday sold from $3.50 to $4.50.

—The new rink at Port Hope is about completed. The building is one of the largest east of Toronto.

—Several of the local cabbies are summoned to appear at the Police Court this morning, charged with furious driving.

—Nominations for county councillors one week from Monday next, and for village and township councils the Monday following.

—All municipal councils will hold their annual meeting on Monday evening next. All accounts should be presented at this meeting.

—The men's section of the Fortnightly Club will be held on Tuesday evening next in the Y.M.C.A. parlors. The subject for discussion is "The Nationalization of Railways," to be introduced by Mr. F. D. Kerr. Mr. R. M. Dennistoun and Mr. T. A. S. Hay will lead the discussion.

—Lindsay Post: Mr. James Simpson, Toronto, Chairman of the Provincial Socialistic League, will deliver addresses in Peterborough on Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon next, December 13th and 14th. Local Socialists should take advantage of the opportunity to secure Mr. Simpson for a meeting in Lindsay on Friday or Monday evening.

—The annual congregational tea of the George street Methodist church was held in the Sunday school room on Wednesday evening. There was a very large attendance, and the occasion was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. The pastor, Rev. J. P. Wilson, occupied the chair, and delivered a capital opening address, which was followed by a fine program of vocal and instrumental music.

PRIZE FIGHTER'S HEARTS

Coffee Shown to be the Cause of His Weak Heart

Frank Wallis, the Illinois champion feather weight, says:

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My breathing was poor and slight exertion always made me very tired. I could not understand it, for I was otherwise well and strong, until one day, in training quarters, a friend and admirer of mine asked me if I drank coffee. I told him 'yes,' and he said that was what ailed me.

This was two weeks before an important fight of mine was due. He explained how coffee affected the heart and nerves and told me of the good qualities of Postum Food Coffee. I immediately commenced using it in place of coffee. The result was wonderful. My nervousness left me, my breathing bothered me no more, my confidence returned, and I was as good as ever in a short time.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times.]

—Mr. W. J. Meharry, of Port Perry is in town on a visit to his mother.

—Mr. T. F. Matthews is in Guelph as one of the judges at the Ontario Winter Fair.

—The Times had the pleasure of a call from Mr. Alex. McAuley, the popular roadmaster of the C.P.R., who was the guest of Mr. Dodd, the local station agent of the company.

—Misses Clara and Cora L. Thompson, of Bobcaygeon, who have been attending Albert College, Belleville, passed through town on their way to the village on Wednesday to spend their Christmas vacation.

—Miss Zella (Dollie) Irwin is among the graduates at Hamilton City Hospital Training School for Nurses, having successfully passed her examinations and received her medal and diploma Thursday, November 6th.

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL

Subscribers are Invited to Name Their Candidates for Mayor and Aldermen for 1903

The state of the poll will be published occasionally, at the start, and later on, the result of each day's vote will be made known every morning.

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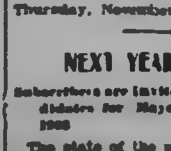

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ForMayor of Peterboro

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BY LAW NUMBER ______

A By-law to Borrow Twenty Thousand Dollars for Public Works and Permanent Improvements in the Town of Peterborough

Passed the   day of

WHEREAS it is necessary to rebuild and repair certain bridges over the creek in the Town of Peterborough, and for paying the cost thereof it will be necessary to borrow the sum of Five thousand dollars.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient in order to relieve the sewerage system on George Street at Hunter, Simcoe, Charlotte and Dalhousie Streets from the burden of carrying away storm and surface water, and to prevent the injury of the sewers by the deposit of sediment to construct a separate system of sewers or drains to carry away such storm and surface water, and it is also necessary to change the height of certain of the manholes in the present sewer system and for paying the cost of the said works it will be necessary to raise the sum of Five thousand dollars.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to adopt a system of street improvements for portions of the Town by putting down a more permanent road bed than has hitherto been done and to pay for the same by the issue of debentures instead of out of the current year's revenue and it will be necessary to raise the sum of ten thousand dollars for that purpose.

AND WHEREAS in order to raise the sum of twenty thousand dollars required for the purposes aforesaid it will be necessary to issue the debentures of the said Corporation for the said amount.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the Municipality according to the last revised assessment roll being for the year 1902 is the sum of four million three hundred and sixty-eight thousand one hundred and fifty dollars ($4,368,150.)

AND WHEREAS the amount of the existing debenture debt of the Municipality, exclusive of local improvement debt, but including the debt of $220,000 incurred for the purchase of the waterworks, is the sum of Five hundred and five thousand, eight hundred and eleven dollars and fifty-eight cents ($505,811.58) and there is no part of the principal or interest in arrear.

AND WHEREAS for the purpose of paying the interest on the said Debentures, and providing a sinking fund for the payment of same at maturity, it will be necessary to raise each year during the currency of the debentures by special rate the sum of $1544.32.

The Corporation of the Town of Peterborough by the Council thereof, therefore enacts as follows:—

1. This Bylaw shall take effect on the date of the final passing thereof.

2. It shall and may be lawful for the Corporation of the Town of Peterborough to borrow the sum of twenty thousand dollars, and to issue debentures of the said Corporation for the said sum, such debentures to be sealed with the Corporate Seal of the town of Peterborough, and to be signed by the Mayor and Treasurer and countersigned by the Secretary of the Commissioners of the Peterborough Town Trust, to be payable within twenty years after issue thereof and to bear interest at the rate of four per cent. payable half yearly on the thirtieth day of June and the thirty-first day of December in each year and to have coupons attached thereto for the payment of such interest. Such debentures, as to principal and interest, to be payable at the office of the Secretary of the Commissioners of the Peterborough Town Trust in the Town of Peterborough.

3. There shall be raised and levied during each year of the currency of the said debentures by a special rate upon all of the property in the Town of Peterborough liable thereto the sum of $800 for payment of the interest and $744.32 as a sinking fund for the payment of the said debt at the maturity thereof, making together the sum of $1544.32.

4. The proceeds of the said debentures when sold shall be applied as follows:

A sum not exceeding five thousand dollars for the rebuilding and repair of bridges over the creek in the Town of Peterborough;

A sum not exceeding five thousand dollars for the construction of sewers or drains to carry off storm and surface water from Hunter, Simcoe, Charlotte and Dalhousie streets and in changing the height of such manholes in the present sewerage system as may be necessary;

A sum not exceeding ten thousand dollars in permanent road construction.

5. The votes of the duly qualified electors of the Town of Peterborough shall be taken upon this By-law on MONDAY, the FIFTH DAY of JANUARY, 1903, commencing at the hour of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and closing at the hour of 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, at the following polling places and before the following Deputy Returning Officers respectively, that is to say:

WARD NO. 1

Polling Sub-division No. 1.—At M. H. Halpin's shop, corner of George and Perry Streets. Angus Williams to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 2.—At Lewis Spry's shop, Stewart Street. Joseph Lundy to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 2

Polling Sub-division No. 3.—At the Town Council Chamber. Charles Cameron to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 4.—At Greene Bros.' store, Charlotte Street. J. M. Greene to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 3

Polling Sub-division No. 5—At J. & W. Metheral's shop, Aylmer Street. Joseph Metheral to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 6.—At Wm. McCall's shop, McDonnell Street. John Irwin to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 4

Polling Sub-division No. 7—At Wm. Lee's shop, Smith Street. George W. Powell to be Deputy Returning Officer.

6. The 6th day of January 1903 at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, and the Town Council Chamber are hereby fixed as the time when and the place where the Clerk will sum up the number of votes given for and against the By-law.

7. The 3rd day of January, 1903, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, and the office of the Town Clerk are hereby fixed as the time and place for the appointment of persons to attend at the various polling places and at the final summing up of the votes by the Clerk respectively, on behalf of the persons interested in, and promoting or opposing the passing of the By-law respectively.

NOTICE

Take notice that the foregoing is a true copy of a proposed By-law which has been taken into consideration and which will be finally passed by the Council of the Town of Peterborough (in the event of the assent of the electors being obtained thereto) after one month from the first publication hereof in the Morning Times newspaper, the date of which first publication is the fifth day of December, 1902, and that at the hour, day and places therein fixed for taking the votes of the electors the polls will be held.

S. R. ARMSTRONG.
Town Clerk.

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MORMON SETTLEMENTS OF THE NORTHWEST

The Sect are Developing a Large and Prosperous Colony in Canada

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Thousands of Mormons will Come in Next Year—They have good Schools

Winnipeg, Manitoba, December 12.—J. M. Tanner, superintendent of Mormon church schools throughout all the Mormon colonies, and assistant-superintendent of Mormon Sunday schools, is just now in Winnipeg and is putting up at the Clarendon hotel. Mr. Tanner has returned from inspecting the Mormon colonies of the Northwest Territories, and he gives an interesting and enthusiastic accoun tof what he has observed.

THE COLONIES.

The Canadian Mormon colonies are in Southern Alberta and extend for a distance of fifty miles from Lethbridge, along the St. Mary's river. In these colonies there are some 5,100 highly contented and prosperous settlers. The immigration to Canada began in 1887, but more than half the present number of settlers have arrived within the last two years. The settlers are of just the kind to make successful and hardy pioneers in a new country. No people have done more pioneer work than the Mormons. In Utah, in Nevada, in Arizona, in Old Mexico, in Wyoming and in Idaho the Mormons have been among the earliest settlers, and by their labor and enterprise, many desert regions have been changed into flourishing agricultural districts. In the Northwest Territories, Mr. Tanner declares, they have found the greatest "snap," and have achieved the quickest prosperity. The fertility of the country has yielded most satisfactory returns for their labor and the colonies are prosperous and contented; more prosperous, in Mr. Tanner's opinion, than any other Mormon colony anywhere.

FLOURISHING FARMS.

Grain, cattle and sheep are the chief sources of wealth. Last year the Mormon settlements produced 625,000 bushels of grain, while the settlers own also some 25,000 head of cattle and about 80,000 sheep. An attempt is now being made to cultivate fruit. The settlers came to a great extent from districts where fruit is plentiful, and in the Northwest Territories the lack of fruit has been felt. Mr. Tanner is going to Ottawa to learn what are the prospects for fruit cultivation with a view to introducing fruit culture in the Mormon colonies. He is also interested in agriculture. The settlers dislike bare prairie, and intend to cultivate shade trees on their farms and in their villages. Another branch of the agricultural industry to which attention is given is the cultivation of sugar beets. Already a considerable amount have been grown and the roots are found to yield a large percentage of sugar. The industry is to be greatly developed, and at Raymond, one of the newer villages, a sugar factory to cost half a million dollars is in course of construction, and is expected to be running by the beginning of next September.

THE VILLAGES.

The settlers congregate in villages, where they live while farming the surrounding country. There is no communistic plan; everything is held individually as in other Canadian settlements, but the Mormons prefer to live in villages for the sake of social advantages, for religious reasons and because they are able to have better schools, where it is possible to grade the pupils. These villages are very prosperous. At Cardston, one of the older villages, the houses are chiefly of frame construction, but it has been found possible to make excellent bricks and many brick houses are now being built. The village of Sterling is only two years old, but here a school costing $6,000 is being built. Raymond is less than a year old, but its 800 inhabitants raised last year, 180,000 bushels of grain. Here a roller mill costing $30,000 is in course of construction, also a school to cost $10,000, and here also the sugar factory which will cost $500,000 is being built.

IRRIGATION.

The climate of the Mormon settlements, Mr. Tanner says, is no colder than Northern Utah, but it is more windy. Last year there was an ample rainfall, but so as not to be entirely dependent upon nature, an irrigation canal has been constructed. It is fed by the St. Mary's River, and runs for sixty miles from Sterling. It is twenty feet wide and some five feet deep.

ENTHUSIASTIC CANADIANS.

Mr. Tanner says the Mormon settlers are enthusiastic Canadians. They appreciate the liberty which they enjoy in Canada, and the respect for law, which is enforced is another feature which pleases them. They are becoming naturalized as fast as possible. Some have taken up homesteads, but most of their lands have been purchased from railway companies. The farms are generally 160 acres in extent, but many own larger tracts of land. Mr. Tanner finds that most of those who were Republicans in the United States are Conservatives in Canada, while the Democrats often become Liberals.

THE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

The schools differ not at all from the other schools of the Northwest Territories. There are no Mormon church schools with the exception of Sunday schools, and it is the ambition of the settlers to make their schools the best in Western Canada. The Mormons impose no religious restrictions upon the teachers they engage. In the past, most of the teachers have come from Ontario, but lately some have come from Regina. The teachers' salaries vary from $400 to $800 per year. In the future there is likely to be a supply of Mormon teachers. Already there are two qualifying in Regina, and Sterling Williams, a fourth year student of Manitoba college, will graduate next spring and intends to devote himself to teaching in the Mormon settlements. Mr. Williams, who is a grandson of Bingham Young, is himself a Mormon, who came to the Northwest Territories in 1887.

REED SMOOT.

When asked for an explanation regarding the controversy in the United States about Reed Smoot, the candidate for the United States Senate, Mr. Tanner explained that Mr. Smoot is not the candidate of the Mormon church. He is one of the twelve apostles, the second highest quorum in the government of the Mormon church, but he is also a business man, and a large woollen manufacturer. He is a Republican. There is a prejudice against him, because he is a Mormon, but he claims the privileges and rights of a citizen of the United States. It is as a Republican, not as a Mormon that he is a candidate.

NO POLYGAMY.

Mr. Tanner says that there is no polygamy among the Mormons of the Northwest Territories, and never has been. In Utah there are still a few Mormons who have not abandoned polygamous practices, but the custom has never prevailed in Canada.

MORE SETTLERS.

Mr. Tanner anticipates that the Mormon settlers in Canada will be doubled in numbers within the next year or two. He is very much impressed with their prosperity and the capabilities of the country, and he intends to report upon the settlements most favorably. The settlers, he thinks, are just the kind needed by Canada and Canada suits them admirably.

Grace Darling Group in Lake District

The Grace Darling Group is being operated by the Electric Spark Gold Mining company, with Omaha, Neb., parties being largely interested. A steam plant of machinery has been recently installed and a new and commodious shaft building of 30x40 feet dimensions has been erected. It is one of the most convenient shaft houses in the county, the engine being located under the building so that they can be filled at any time and under any conditions of weather. Since installing the machinery and putting up the new building, the shaft was thoroughly retimbered from top to bottom so as to make it safe as possible for mining operations, and a first class job was done. Sinking operations are under way and the shaft is being sunk on a 100 foot lift which will put it down 300 feet in all. A depth of 130 feet has been reached and there is a change and an improvement noticeable in the shaft with almost every round of holes fired. The vein is being followed down in the shaft and the crevice is now fully three feet in width, and it shows signs of making solid mineral at an early date. Assays have been taken and the mineral in the shaft has shown increasing values as depth is being gained. Only one shift is engaged in sinking but the company may decide to put on a night shift to hasten the work.

Before sinking was commenced the 70 foot level was extended and they had a nice pocket of surface ore at that depth shipments from which were made to the local sampling works and to the Golden smelter, and the returns in each case were entirely satisfactory. Connections were made between the 100 foot level and the surface, which furnish splendid ventilation throughout the mine workings, as well as an additional outlet for the miners in case of danger. The company will, no doubt, decide to sink the shaft 200 and possibly 300 feet deeper, as they realize that depth has been necessary in all the well known surrounding mines such as the Williams, Clay County, Justice and others, equally as well known, which, in the aggregate, have produced hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of gold and silver ores, and most of which are actively producing today. All of these mines had their surface pockets but it was necessary to go down several hundred feet in order to get the mineral body in solid form, and at these depths each of the properties paid handsomely for the cost of sinking and developments. The Electric Spark company realize that there is no exception to the rule in mining in this county and will deepen their shaft and carry on liberal developments and there is hardly any doubt but that before next spring the property will be developed in such shape as to enter the list of producers in that section of Gilpin county. The interests of the company are being looked after by John C. Martin, of Black Hawk, as agent, with George Rogers, an experienced practical mining man in charge as superintendent.

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Company Will Probably Get Contracts From Ontario Government

Toronto, Dec. 12—Hon. F. R. Latchford, Minister of Public Works, stated yesterday that he understood that the contract for the steel rails to be used on the construction of the Temiskaming Railway would be let to the Algoma Steel Company of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. He felt sure that both sides of politics would stand by the commissioners in their endeavor to help a Canadian industry. At present on account of the low financial condition in Germany steel manufacturers, in order to keep their men employed were turning out steel rails below cost price, so that the German tenders might be the lowest, but they considered that Canadian workingmen must be considered first. It will take 8,000 tons of steel rails for the first sixty miles of the road and five miles of siding. The contract price has not been announced and will not be made public until after the meeting of the Temiskaming commissioners next week, when the contract will be awarded.

SOCIALISTIC MEETINGS

Addresses to be Delivered on Saturday Night and Sunday Afternoon

A public meeting will be held on Saturday evening in the Maccabees Hall on Water street, under the auspices of Peterborough Socialistic League No. 20, to be addressed by Mr. James Simpson, Provincial Chairman of Ontario Socialistic League. Subject: "Socialism and Trades Unionism." Silver collection.

On Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the same Hall, another address will be delivered by Mr. Simpson, entitled "Socialism Inevitable," to which the public are cordially invited.

Mr. Simpson is a prominent trades unionist and socialistic worker. He was a candidate at the last election for the Ontario Legislature in one of the Toronto constituencies, and has done much to elevate the condition of the laboring classes. He is a fluent speaker, and interesting and instructive addresses may be expected.

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Over six years ago the work was begun on the construction of a tunnel connecting the city with a crib located five miles out in Lake Erie. A big crib was towed in sections from the shore and in the lake to a depth of 114 feet. Then it was pumped empty of water and a force of men began digging a tunnel to connect it with the waterworks station, on the shore. At the same time another force of men started to dig at the shore end of the proposed tunnel.

For about six years the diggers have kept at work, breathing compressed air and working by the aid of electric lights.

On Saturday the two sets of workers met far out and deep below the stormy surface of the lake. So exactly had the calculations of the engineers been made, that, as the superintendent of the construction is quoted as saying, "There is apparently not an inch's difference between the sides of the shore section and those of the new section. Nor is there any perceptible difference in the level of the two floors."

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WOMEN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Annual Meeting of St. Paul's Church Society Yester day Afternoon

THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Report of the Secretary Read—A Very Successful Meeting

The annual meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of St. Paul's church was held yesterday afternoon in St. Paul's church. There was a good attendance.

Miss Dickson, president, occupied the chair. After devotional exercises the secretary read the following report:

Report of St. Paul's Auxiliary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society for 1902

Of the true influence and work of the Auxiliary for the past year God alone can judge. A report can only deal with the outward working, which changes little from year to year. Our efforts may appear feeble and the results indefinite to us; but no service is too small to be used by God. So if we believe, and act on our belief, that mission work, as carried on by our Society, is not merely a side issue or pastime, but one phrase of life's chief end, one way of living not for self, but for others, one way of being workers together with Christ for the world's uplifting to a better, happier and holier life, then it cannot fail to bear fruit to life everlasting.

The membership this year is 165, of the Auxiliary members 64 are members of the General Society, and 16 are life members, two having been added this year. The average attendance was 44, which is a decrease of four from the previous year. The meetings have been characterized throughout the year by interesting programmes, arranged by two different ladies for each month. In April we commenced the study of "Via Christi," a book recommended by the Central Board to be studies in all Auxiliarys of the W.F.M.S. It gives a glimpse at the lives and work of all the great missionaries, beginning with St. Paul, up to the present century. Its study ought to be a great stimulous to us, and lead to further investigation of the work done for Christ in the past ages. It shows us also how, line by line, step by step, the present Christian nations have been brought out of heathen darkness into the light of Christ, at the cost of numerous lives spent for Him throughout the bygone centuries. And so it brings hope and courage to all striving for the conversion of the heathen nations of to-day. Every life and gift given now will prove in the end to be a stepping stone to carry the heathen into the Light. At our last annual meeting we had the pleasure of hearing an address from Mrs. Wilkie, who with her husband, Dr. Wilkie, gave so many years of faithful service in the mission field of Central India.

On June 3rd the annual meeting of the Presbyterial Society was held in this church, when Miss White, one of our missionaries then home on furlough from India, gave an address, telling of her work among the women and children of that land. There were a number of delegates present from different parts of the Presbytery, whom the ladies of this Auxiliary entertained at tea in the schoolroom of the church.

The Auxiliary continues to send—as it has for many years—"The Interior," one of the best religious papers published, to our lady missionaries in Central India. This is only a little thing to do, but—aside from the value of the reading matter—how it must cheer the hearts of these women, so far away from home, to feel that they are regularly remembered by a band of women interested in their work. And not only do the missionaries enjoy the paper, but they tell us that the Hindu students in the Mission College also eagerly look forward to its coming.

The Missionary Review is also subscribed for, for the use of our own members, and it is the earnest desire of your committee that the members should freely circulate it among them. We would also draw attention to the missionary library in connection with the Auxiliary. Several valuable new books have been added to it this year; altogether it is a collection of books well worth reading. The number of subscribers to the Missionary Tidings is not as large as it should be. We would not only ask for more subscribers to this magazine, the organ of our Society, but we would plead with those who do take it to read it, being persuaded, that without fail, it will awaken a deeper interest in the cause it deals with.

In September, a box was sent to the Hurricane Hill Reserve. It contained a bountiful supply of warm clothing—mostly new—for the old men and women on the reserve and for the small children: besides many fine quilts, yarn and other useful articles. The total value was $67.72. Of the great help this clothing is to the missionaries and teachers in their work among the Indians few of us realize. One missionary says in last month's "Tidings": "If only the ladies who send the clothing knew how important a part it is in our work, they would feel that they are doing greater work that they at present imagine." And another missionary tells us that if it were not for the judicious distribution of the clothing sent by the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society the Indian children could not be kept in school. And, of course, the education, religion and secular, of the young, is the only hope for our Indians.

The annual Thanksgiving meeting was held in October, when the Thankoffering was the largest ever yet received, being $222.00. Again this year the Stuart Settlement Sunday school favored us with a subscription of $4.00. Total amount contributed $481.22. In November, Mrs. Laing, one of our oldest and most faithful members, passed away. For many years she was unable to attend the meetings of the Auxiliary; but to the last she continued to show her interest [illegible] to work, pray and bring our willing offerings, that so we may help to make straight in the desert, a high way for our God; that we may at last share honorably in His joy, when there appears before Him a great multitude, which no man could number, of all nations, and kindreds, and peoples, clothed in white robes, and with palms in their hands, crying, Salvation to our God which sitteth upon the Throne, and unto the Lamb.

M. H. LECH, Secretary.

The report was on motion adopted.

Mrs. McClelland, of Toronto, delivered an excellent address.

Mrs. Sanderson sang a solo very acceptably.

Representatives from St. John's church, the George street church and the Murray street church, delivered greetings. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Miss Dickson, president; Mrs. J. F. Dennistoun, 1st vice president; Mrs. McPherson, 2nd vice president; Mrs. A. E. Lech, secretary; Miss Kingan, treasurer.

The meeting concluded with devotional exercises.

NEW LINES IN THE WEST

C. P. R. Pursuing an Active Policy Says Chief Engineer

Montreal, Dec. 12.—Mr. McHenry, the chief engineer of the C.P.R., has returned from a trip which has included the western boundary of Manitoba. In regard to the new lines which had been planned, and upon which a certain amount of work had already been done, he said that the C.P.R. was carrying out a vigorous policy in the West, and that a considerable amount of work and a large outlay would be immediately in order. The lines which have been projected west of Winnipeg will cost, all told, in the neighborhood of $10,000,000.

There had already been a certain number of branch lines built in the North-West, but Manitoba needed, and was receiving, earnest attention at the hands of the company.

POISON IN CANDY SHE GAVE

St. Louis Girl Accused By Dying Friend on Trial for Murder

Aledo, Ill., Dec. 12—Interest in the trial of Miss Tona Dunlap charged with the murder of Miss Alice Dool, increases day by day. Miss Dool was a saleswoman in a dry goods store at a weekly salary of $5.50. Miss Dunlap and she had long been friends.

The State's theory is that Miss Dunlap poisoned Miss Dool that she might secure her place as clerk. Evidence to sustain this charge is found in the dying words of the victim, and a crushed piece of chocolate candy which when analyzed by a Chicago chemist showed the presence of strychnine.

As she was dying Miss Dool said to her sister: "The candies she gave me were so bitter, so bitter. Oh, why did Tona do this?"

THE COAL OUTLOOK

Mr. J. H. McClellan Returns from Buffalo Last Night

Mr. J. H. McClellan, of the McClellan Coal Company, returned from Buffalo last night, where he had gone to purchase coal. He secured ten cars, paying $10 per ton at Suspension Bridge. This coal will cost $10.75 on the cars at Peterborough, and will be delivered to consumers at $12.

Mr. McClelland says that it is almost impossible to get coal at any price. Thousands and thousands of people in the great American cities have nothing to burn except their furniture. On Sunday last tens of thousands of persons were obliged to stay in bed to keep warm. The outlook is not at all hopeful: There is a shortage of cars; the mines are not being worked to their full capacity; many of them are not being worked at all; there is no coal on hand anywhere. While in Toronto he saw an order for 50 cars given, at $16 per ton at Niagara Falls.

Mr. McClellan did not think cheap coal was in sight.

THE CURLING CLUB

Meeting in the Old Rink Last Night—Officers Elected

A meeting of the Peterborough Curling Club took place in the parlors of the Charlotte street rink last night. About thirty members were present, and the first business undertaken was to change the name of the club to the "Peterborough Curling Rink Association."

The following officers were elected for this season: Hon. president, C. McGill, president, Mr. Neil; vice president, Col. Edwards; secretary, C. N. Brown; assistant secretary, Mr. Waddie.

Officers for the "Thistle" division: President, C. N. Brown; vice president, Mr. Rutherford; secretary, Mr. Kerr; chaplain, Rev. Mr. Wilson; representatives, Mr. Ferguson and Mr. Edwards.

Officers for "Granite" division: President, Geo. Matthews; vice president, Mr. Whiten; secretary, Mr. Giroux; chaplain, Rev. Mr. Armitage; representatives, Dr. Boucher and Col. Edwards.

The following committee was appointed by the Association to arrange for a bonspiel at the time of the visit of the Scottish Curlers to Peterborough: Messrs. Kerr, Davidson, Rutherford, Ferguson, Brighton, Morrow, Knapman, Neil and Edwards.

A meeting of the Executive Managing committee will be held on the 23rd inst. to further arrange matters.

SYLLABIC SHORTHAND

Will revolutionize the Stenographic World
If you doubt it read the following letter:

The Bank of Montreal,
Vernon, B.C., 15th October, 1902.

Gentlemen,—Will you kindly forward me lesson No. 4. I have obtained an average speed of 60 words per minute on lesson you sent last time. [illegible]

E. A. V. [illegible]

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CASTRO'S FRENZIED CALL OF VENEZUELANS TO ARMS

Asks Uncle Sam's Officers To Persuade Britain and Germany to Settle

Without Further Reprisals—Vessels Sunk by Germans—Europe Stands Clear—Patriotism Rampant

Washington, Dec. 12.—A cablegram received at the State Department to-day from Minister Bowen at Caracas states that the Venezuelan Government has requested him to propose to Great Britain and Germany that the difficulties arising out of the claims for alleged damages and injuries to British and German subjects during the civil war be submitted to arbitration.

Caracas, Venezuela, Thursday, Dec. 11.—The Government has taken preservative measures at La Guayra. All the deposits of coal at the navy yard and all the British cars on the La Guayra Railroad have been brough here, rendering impossible the transportation of the allied troops by rail. General Ferrer, the Minister of War, spent all day to-day in choosing spots in the mountains where trenches are to be dug.

The Governor of Caracas has issued the following decree: "All Venezuelans living in the Federal district, between the ages of 18 and 50 years, must enroll themselves in the militia; and such persons refusing to go voluntarily, as patriotism demands, will be declared traitors, and sent before the tribunals."

Yesterday, after a long conference with President Castro, United States Minister Bowen obtained the liberation of the remaining British and German subjects who were held prisoners.

The order for the release of the prisoners has made a good impression, and is looked upon as a politic act on the part of President Castro.

La Guayra, Venezuela, Dec. 12.—The defensive preparations at the strategic points on the heights back of the town are being vigorously pushed forward. The deposits of powder in the fortresses of Lavigia and San Carlos have been removed. Great patriotic demonstrations are being made, and everyone capable of bearing arms is offering his services.

The embargo placed upon the harbor corporation has been removed.

SHOT A BEAR.

"My Friend Tooley" Does Some Execution Out in Douro

Yesterday Mr. M. Tooley, the genial proprietor of the Queen's Hotel, Charlotte street, and Mr. Charlie Westlake drove out into Douro, armed with a rifle and a couple of shot guns, in search of game. Anything from a tame chicken to a ground hog was acceptable to the sportsmen. They tied their horse at the edge of a swamp not far from Mahoney's corners, and proceeded to business. They had with them a small mongrel canine—a brute that knew nothing whatever about hunting. In a few minutes the hunters and the dog became separated, and in a short time the terrific barking of the dog told the sportsmen that something was up. They hastened in the direction of the noise, and were soon startled by the approach of a huge brown bear with a young cub at its side. Bruin was making directly for the hunters, and as there was no chance of escape, Mr. Tooley, after a silent prayer, braced himself for the onslaught. He waited till the bears had approached to within 20 paces, and then fired. On account of the fright the aim was bad, and the huge monster, which Mr. Tooley says must have weighed at least a ton, escaped, and scampered off. But the young one was not so fortunate. The bullet entered the side of the cub, and it rolled over dead.

The sportsmen had enough of hunting for one day, and after securing their game, they returned to town, proud of their prowess.

Stenography as it Should Be

In the commercial world of workers there is a wonderful demand for a certain class, whose ranks, unlike so many others, are not filled to overcrowding and who are worth a far better range of salaries than the ordinary office clerk, in proportion. This class is that of stenographers and typewriters. A good stenographer has many calls for his accomplishment, from that of editors and reporters down to the stenography of letter writing in any business office. The dearth of good stenographers has been attributed to the laborious system of shorthand now in ordinary use. Pitman's is the course usually studied. In conversation with the headmaster of a certain school where the commercial course is one of the chief departments, he said that he found that with the ordinary run of students a large percentage become very discouraged before the system was thoroughly mastered. Some few very diligent and determined students had been known to master it in from three to six months, but the ordinary length of study was fully a year or two years. It is quite certain there is much to be memorized, position of character, shading, dots, dashes, and the "pour assinorum" the 'tick' hoop make up a medley which means protracted effort to acquire. But in stenography, as in all else in these days of progress, a great improvement has been invented, which simplifies the quasi foreign language of shorthand to a remarkable degree. This system has been christened the "Syllabic," and by it all changes of position in the writing of the signs, all dots, all shading have been eliminated, and the whole reduced to a small number of characters which can be so combined as to represent any word whatever. There is a small list of abbreviations and of phrases, and the whole science is contained in a matter of about one hundred characters. The inventor of this system was Mr. Boyd. Its Canadian home is on Yonge street, Toronto, under the principalship of Mr. W. T. Moon. Already schools have been established at Winnipeg, Brandon and other Canadian points beside Toronto and all report wonderfully favorable business. By referring to Mr. Moon's ad in our columns, our readers will get information where to apply if they so desire. The course is guaranteed to be mastered in six weeks, the student in that time being able to attain the speed of one hundred words per minute.

The Savings Bank of Health

Is lots of red and vitalizing blood to nourish and invigorate the body. If your blood is thin and watery use "Ferrozone." It supplies the necessary elements such as phosphorus and iron, and quickly restores lost strength and spirits. Ferrozone is an unequaled reconstructive for the tired, the sick, and the run down; it stimulates appetite, [illegible] Dr. Hamilton's Pills cure Constipation.

A MAN WHO THREW OVER $40,000 AWAY

Took a Carriage and Gave the Money to Those Who were in Need

TWO THE ACT OF A CRAZY MAN

Gave Thousands Away in Twenty Dollars Gold Piece—Would Not Loan Any

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 12.—Benjamin W. Gist, of Falls City, Neb., threw away $40,000 here in seven days. He is not a drinking man and is believed to be in his right mind. Young Gist is twenty-one years old and fell heir to the money he threw away a short time ago, through the death of some relatives. The bulk of it was left to him at the death of an uncle whose favorite he was. When the uncle died Gist was not of age, and another guardian was appointed guardian for him. His guardian said the money should have been divided between the nephews and nieces of the dead man, and there was talk of bringing suit to break the will. The suit was not filed, however, and when Gist became of age there was nothing to do but to deliver the legacy over to him.

For several weeks the money remained in the banks untouched, and young Gist says he was thinking all the time of dividing it among his relatives, or at least, of giving them a share of it. He owns a farm and considerable other property in addition to the legacy. The relatives of the young man kept clamoring for a division of the $40,000 and quarrelled among themselves as to how it should be divided. They were not willing to allow Gist to apportion it as he pleased.

"I will see my aunt about it," said the young man. "She will advise me and I will take her advice."

The aunt lives in Atchison, county, Missouri. She thought her own children should have the most of the money. Then Gist went to see an uncle, who said he would rather see the money given to the poor than to one member of the family. He thought his brother should have divided it among the brothers and sisters instead of giving the entire sum to one nephew.

"I shall draw out my entire deposit during the next few days," he said, "and I want all of it in gold."

With the sacks of money in the carriage beside him, Gist went out into the district where the poor live and distributed $20 gold pieces among them. To give himself courage he took several drinks, but at no time during the seven days he was sowing gold pieces did he become intoxicated. When he met children on the street he gave them gold pieces. Old men and women profited by the liberality and were made comfortable for many months to come by his gifts.

Gist gave away $5,000 the first afternoon, and followed it up the next day by giving away a larger sum. He became reckless at times, and, ordering the driver to stop where he found a crowd assembled on the street, sowing the gold pieces broadcast. He gave money alike to the deserving and undeserving, to "the just and the unjust," as he expressed it. His one desire was to get rid of the $40,000 and place it where it could not be collected again. He succeeded in giving it all away. It is said that he paid $100 for a box of cigars and $5 for every drink that was taken at his expense. When he had his shoes shined he paid the bootblack a $20 gold piece and would not accept the change. All he desired was that the money should be placed in circulation.

Several attempts were made to borrow money from him but Gist refused to loan it. He appeared to know impostors as they approached him, and refused to invest in any of their schemes. If they secured any of his money it was by picking it up from the street where he had thrown it. Soon after Gist had made his last visit to the bank he was arrested by Patrolman Pendelton, who found him throwing money into a crowd of people at the Union passenger station. Gist had been drinking some that day and the policeman sent him to the central station where he was held until his relatives could be notified.

Two of his uncles came to the city at once, and the young man was taken into court where one of the uncles was appointed guardian for him. An effort was made then to recover some of the money Gist had thrown away, but very little of it could be found.

At one street corner where Gist was [illegible]

KIDNEYS AND BLADDER.

All sexual complaints, especially private diseases—which have been improperly treated, cripple or later affect the kidneys and bladder.

Have you pain in the back, a dull feeling in the region of the kidneys? At times your water comes freely, a large quantity, light in color, with no peculiar sensations, while at other times you do not make it quite so freely, it is dark in color, you make a small quantity, or you may have a mucous deposit or brick dust colored sediment in your urine; give your condition immediate attention or more serious complications will set in. My Latest Method Treatment guaranteed as a positive cure for such conditions, and remember you

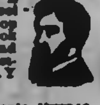
PAY WHEN CURED.

You need pay nothing until you are convinced that a thorough and complete cure has been established. Read what one of my grateful patients writes! $1,000.00 reward if I cannot show the original.

HAZELHURST WIS. Feb. 6

CASE NO. [illegible]

DR. GOLDBERG: Your Latest Method Treatment acted the way you said it would; my stricture is cured, and the varicocele entirely disappeared. I feel stronger than ever, my bladder and kidneys do not trouble me any; I can stoop all day, do a hard day's work without my kidneys troubling me as before I took your Latest Method Treatment; it has cured after others have failed; if I had consulted you sooner, I would have saved a great deal of money which I wasted on other doctors. I am your grateful patient, F. LINDSAY



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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH. DEC. 13, 1902.

THE GERMAN INVASION

It seems as if the Canadian people are unable to profit by the experience of the U.S. which, under a protective tariff, has become the greatest nation in the world. It seems as if despite the very plainest demonstrations of the value of a protective tariff at home also, the old bogie of free trade is still adhered to. The free trade fad dies hard, but in Canada has got to die; and it might as well, any better, die now as any time.

These remarks are called forth by the shutting down of the steel works at the Soo. Just now times are very bad in Germany; as a consequence the steel mill workers get distress pay. This low rate of pay enables the steel manufacturers of Germany to ship to foreign ports at low prices, and if we want to pay our own men at distress rates we can meet German competition, but not otherwise. The bounty of $3.00 a ton is not a protective duty. It is not high enough. Not only Clergue but the U. S. people also feel that they are up against it. When we pay for rails and railways with wild lands we can afford to be generous.

DR LORENZ'S OPERATIONS

It is satisfactory to learn that Dr. Adolf Lorenz, the great Viennese surgeon, has visited Johns Hopkins university one of the great centers of medical science on this continent and held a clinic at which he demonstrated on two patients his method of successfully operating for congenital hip dislocation. He further states that since coming to America he has performed over a hundred similar operations, all of which have proved successful. The method employed appears to be to first obtain X-ray photographs showing the position of the bones. Having studied these Dr. Lorenz proceeds to operate and by a dexterous manipulation of the limb, after arranging the ligaments, succeeds in placing the bone properly in the socket. If the results are so uniformly successful as claimed there seems to be no reason why other specialists should not acquire similar manual dexterity in treating this class of deformity, and there is little doubt that among the brilliant staff of the great Baltimore university will be found specialists who will be able to imitate the doctor from Vienna and make his method of treatment available for the benefit of humanity on this continent. If Dr. Lorenz has discovered a means of restoring the use of their limbs to congenital cripples of this description he has conferred a boon upon mankind which will cause his name to be forever held in grateful remembrance.

We don't understand exactly why Pietro Mascagni has to go to his concerts in New York city with a police escort. We have heard performers, however, who had to be escorted to their hotels afterwards by a body guard, but Mascagni makes good music.

Great Britain and Germany are preparing to throw ultimatums and other old things at poor, little, shrinking, hardup Venezuela. And Grover Cleveland ought to be one of these days.

That Venezuela affair is a sort of Division Court suit.

Read The Times' ads. before going out to do your shopping. It will pay.

Andrew Carnegie provides a $2,000,000 home for his daughter. Some enterprising young fellow will lay siege to it one of these days.

It is probable that the present difficulty in Venezuela is the direct result of the "shirt sleeves" diplomacy of that small potato politician of Cleveland's Cabinet, Mr. Olney. The truculent Venezuelans were quite incapable of understanding the calmness of Great Britain in the face of that insolent communication, and they ran away with the idea that they were quite safe in being as mean as they liked as long as Uncle Sam would stand up beside them. And they are acting accordingly.

E. W. Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day.

LOOK TO CANADA FOR RECIPROCITY

The National League Meeting in Detroit Discusses Fair Trade

What is Needed to Give Minnesota and Other States Prosperity

Detroit, Dec. 11.—The annual convention of the National Reciprocity League opened yesterday, with the keynote of high protection and reciprocity. Mr. Fred B. Smith, President of the Detroit Chamber of Commerce, declared that every member of the chamber favored reciprocity with France, Canada, and Cuba.

Hon. Eugene Hay of Minneapolis, as a high protectionist, believed that reciprocity was the natural sequence of protection. He knew of nothing which would cause the State of Minnesota and the city of Minneapolis to prosper like a fair reciprocity treaty with Canada.

Governor Cummins of Iowa believed the high duty on steel and iron was indefensible, and should be reduced. He was convinced that the United States would gain more by the acceptance of the treaty with France than with Cuba, for Europe was not likely to continue to receive United States goods unless the United States took goods in return.

Mayor Maybury of Detroit though the Senate of the United States could arrange a treaty with Canada which would mean a great increase of trade for both countries, and which would not injure American manufacturers.

H. T. Shaver of Chicago was in favor of reciprocity with any country which would enter into treaty with the United States on fair terms.

Mr. John Charlton said that mutual reciprocity in natural products between the two countries, and the granting to the United States by Canada of the most-favored-nation position in her tariff, was the true solution of the trade difficulty. The first move must come from the United States and must come soon. Allow extreme protection to fasten itself upon Canada, and the interests to spring up that such a policy will call into existence, and the day for broadened trade conditions was past.

Senator McMullen declared that Canada was in no hurry over a reciprocity treaty. One thing he could positively assure the convention of, and that was the Alaskan boundary dispute must first be settled.

BY-LAW NUMBER ______

A By-law to Exempt the Manufacturing Establishment of J. J. Turner & Sons from Certain Taxes

Passed the   day of

WHEREAS Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons have lately extended the business carried on by them in the Town of Peterborough as manufacturers of tents and awnings, and for that purpose have erected a manufacturing establishment in the said Town of Peterborough, on part of lot number three on the west side of Water street and north of King street, and part of lot number five on the east side of George street and north of King street, described as follows:—Commencing at the southwest angle of said lot number 5, thence northerly along the western limit thereof forty-five feet, thence easterly in a line parallel with the southern limit of said lots, to the eastern limit of said lot number three, thence southerly along the eastern limit of said lot number three to the southeast angle thereof—thence westerly along said southern limit of said lots numbers three and five to the place of beginning; and continuously employ at least twenty hands therein, and have applied to the Council of the said Town for exemption of the said manufacturing establishment from taxes (except school taxes and local improvement rates) upon the terms and for the time hereinafter mentioned and it is advisable to grant same.

The Corporation of the Town of Peterborough by the Council thereof therefore enacts as follows:—

1.—THAT PROVIDED this by-law receives the assent of a sufficient number of the duly qualified ratepayers of the Town of Peterborough entitled to vote thereon, the manufacturing establishment of Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons erected on the land above described shall while the terms of this by-law are complied with be exempt from municipal taxes (except school taxes and local improvement rates) for ten years from the first day of January, 1903—provided however that such exemption shall cease and this by-law shall have no effect if the said J. J. Turner & Sons shall during any portion of the said term fail to carry on on said land their manufacturing business and employ at least twenty hands therein during at least ten months of each year or shall fail to file with the Town Clerk before the first day of January in each year after the year 1903 a Statutory Declaration proving that such number of hands were so employed.

2.—The votes of the duly qualified electors of the Town of Peterborough shall be taken upon this by-law on MONDAY, the FIFTH day of JANUARY, 1903, commencing at the hour of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and closing at the hour of 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day at the following polling places and before the following Deputy Returning Officers, respectively, that is to say:

WARD NO. 1

Polling Sub-division No. 1. At M. H. Halpin's shop, corner George and Perry streets. Angus Williams to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 2. At Lewis Spry's shop, Stewart street. Joseph Lundy to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 2

Polling Subdivision No. 3. At the Town Council Chamber. Charles Cameron to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 4. At Greene Bros.' Store, Charlotte street. J. M. Greene to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 3

Polling Sub-division No. 5. At J. & W. Mothersal's shop, Aylmer street. Joseph Mothersal to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 6. At Wm. McCall's Shop, McDonnell street. John Irwin to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 4

Polling Sub-division No. 7. At Wm. Lee's Shop, Smith street. George W. Powell to be Deputy Returning Officer.

3.—The 6th day of January, 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon and the Town Council Chamber are hereby fixed as the time when and the place where the Clerk will sum up the number of votes given for and against the by-law.

4.—The 3rd day of January, 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, and the office of the Town Clerk are hereby fixed as the time and place for the appointment of persons to attend at the various polling places and at the final summing up of the votes by the Clerk respectively, on behalf of the persons interested in, and promoting or opposing the passing of the by-law respectively.

NOTICE

Take notice that the foregoing is a true copy of a proposed by-law which has been taken into consideration and which will be finally passed by the Council of the Town of Peterborough (in the event of the assent of the electors being obtained thereto) after one month from the first publication hereof in the Morning Times newspaper, the date of which first publication is the sixth day of December, 1902, and that at the hour, day and place therein fixed for taking the votes of the electors the polls will be held.

S. R. ARMSTRONG,
Town Clerk.

AMERICANS TO INVEST

Will Take $1,250,000 in Stock in the Royal Bank of Canada

Montreal, Dec. 11.—A group of American capitalists have offered to purchase five thousand shares of the unissued stock of the Royal Bank of Canada at $250 a share, or a total amount of $1,250,000. The offer has been submitted to the shareholders of the bank for their approval. The offer covers one-half of the unissued capital of the bank, and if accepted will bring the paid-up capital up to $2,500,000. The bank will add $750,000 to the rest fund, which will then amount to $2,750,000, and will be able to increase its circulation by $500,000.

The American capitalists interested are Marshall Field, Chicago; John J. Mitchell, President Illinois Trust and Savings Bank, Chicago; Norman B. Ream, capitalist, Chicago, Director Chicago and Alton Railroad, the Erie Railroad; J. Ogden Armour and P. A. Valentine, of the firm of Armour and Co., Chicago; John B. Dennis and B. L. Marston, members of the banking firm of Blair and Co., New York; Geo. F. Baker, President of the First National Bank, New York, and Jas. A. and D. Ledyard Blair, of Blair and Co.

A SETBACK FOR MARCONI

His Wires Near Glace Bay Have Been Coiled Up

Halifax, Dec. 11.—The Glace Bay Gazette says: "Something strange has happened at Table Head, that does not look encouraging to Marconi's schemes. The greater portion of the wires connecting the tower and leading to the operating room have been taken down, coiled up and stored away. One story is that a powerful current was put on for the transmission of a message, and the wires burned out. Another is that the arrangement of the wires was different from that at Poldhu, and the new plant has been found faulty, and a change is necessary. Marconi has not met with the success expected, but he is as confident as ever."

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London, Dec. 11.—The Times' Paris correspondent says: Five religious orders, which the Government recommends for authorization, include the Algerian, White Fathers, and St. John de Dieu Brothers. The Government recommendation states that the schools of the former diffuse the French language and civilization among Arab children. The St. John Brothers assist the State in caring for the sick and homeless and are necessary assistants in the relief of the poor.

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Report That He Was Assassinated While at Prayers

Aden, Arabia, Dec. 11—A rumor has reached here of the assassination of the Mad Mullah in Somaliland. The report was brought to the coast by a native runner from Garroro. The Mullah is said to have been killed by a spear thrust in the stomach, inflicted while he was praying.

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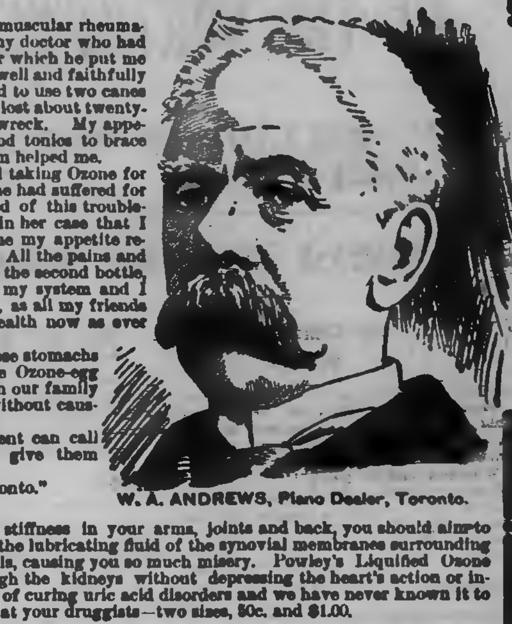

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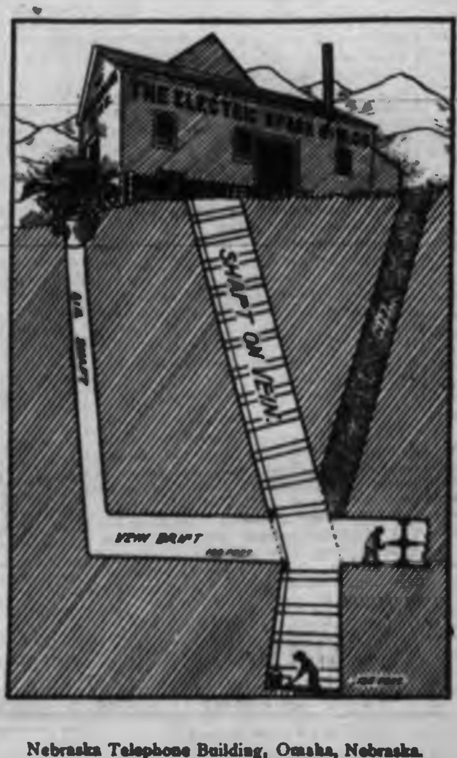

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 13, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

For a Xmas Present

Pretty evening shawls crotched out of orkaney floss and made to order. Nothing nicer for a Xmas present. Orders may be left at Times Bookstore.

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EXCURSION TO BERLIN!

Farmers should be interested in the fact that an opportunity will be given them to thoroughly investigate the merits of the beet sugar industry as it is carried on at the large factory in Berlin. A special train has been secured for on or about December 30th, which will go and return the same day. The rate will not be higher than $2, return. The hour of starting will probably be about 6.30 a.m. and of returning about 10 p. m.

The School Holidays

The 22nd of December, the day the schools close, falls on Monday, and the Times has been asked if they would not close on the Friday night previous. We understand that this is the rule in such cases.

The Cabbies Acquitted

The hackmen, who were charged at the police court with furious driving, were let off with a warning from the Magistrate. He explained that the circumstances surrounding the alleged offense were of such a nature as to mitigate it, and he would accordingly exercise clemency. But it won't be safe to try it again.

A Sad Message

Yesterday a telegram was received in Peterborough addressed to Joseph Gibson, a young lad who works for Mr. James McIndoo, a farmer in North Monaghan, stating that his father had been killed by a train. The despatch was from the boy's mother, who resides at Pontypool.

Entertainment and Lecture

The entertainment and lecture given last night in St. Luke's Sunday school, under the auspices of the Young Men's Guild, was a great success. Dr. Hoyle, K.C., who delivered the address, is an eloquent and forcible speaker, and was listened to with great attention. The musical part of the program was also excellent.

THINK HARD

It Pays to Think About Food

The unthinking life some people lead often causes trouble and sickness, as illustrated in the experience of a lady who resides in Fond Du Lac, Wis.

"About four years ago I suffered dreadfully from indigestion, always having eaten what I liked, not thinking of the digestible qualities. This indigestion caused palpitation of the heart so badly I could not walk up a flight of stairs without sitting down once or twice to regain breath and strength.

I became alarmed and tried dieting, wore my clothes very loose, and many other remedies but found no relief.

Hearing of the virtues of Grape-Nuts and Postum Food Coffee, I commenced using them in place of my usual breakfast of coffee, cakes or hot biscuit, and in one week's time I was relieved of sour stomach and other ills attending indigestion. In a month's time my heart was performing its functions naturally and I could climb stairs and hills and walk long distances.

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A Cab Upset

Yesterday morning a hack, when turning the corner of George and Smith streets, was overturned, and the horses ran away. Fortunately the vehicle was without an occupant. The rig was badly wrecked.

Freight Rates on Grain

The Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific freight departments have issued circulars to the effect that the present rates on grain will remain as they are till December 17, when there is likely to be an increase west of Montreal to Boston and Portland.

Appointed Bank Manager

The Kingston Whig says: The new Metropolitan Bank, established at Toronto with A. E. Ames as president, has decided to open a branch at Peterborough, and George F. Ellis, of this city, has been appointed manager of the branch. For many years Mr. Ellis has been the capable accountant in the Kingston branch of the Standard Bank. The appointment comes as a recognition of good business qualities. Mr. Ellis has made himself popular in the city, and his many friends wish him success in the advanced position.

Heavy Shipments of Livestock

Lindsay Post: Large shipments of live stock were made by local stock buyers this week. Mr. P. B. McIlhargey shipped two carloads, one comprising sheep and the other cattle, to the Toronto markets to-day. Mr. W. J. Moore also consigned two loads of hogs and cattle to the same point to-day. Mr. Hill sent a load from Gelert, Mr. Parkin one from Haliburton, and Messrs. McDougall, Brandon & Austin two from Fenelon Falls. Mr. J. H. Brandon, of the above firm, says he paid $5.35 per hundred for live hogs at the Falls this week. Prices paid this week by Messrs McIlhargey and Moore are as follows: Hogs $5.70, butchers cattle $3 to $3.25, export cattle $4 to $4.25, milch cows $25 to $35, calves 3 to $6, spring lambs 3 to $3.25, and sheep $2.50 to $3.00.

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Make Your Christmas Purchase Early

The signs are good for Christmas trade and the wise buyer is spreading his purchases over a long period in order to avoid the rush. With many, of course, this is not possible and there must necessarily be a rush at the last. But, there are many who can as well buy now as well as later, and these will get the pick, and help the others, less fortunate, by taking time by the forelock. As was said in these columns last year consideration for the comfort of others, the hard-worked salespeople and delivery employees, will suggest the need for early morning shopping by all who have the opportunity. The rush in the stores can be made less annoying and many a poor, tired employee saved an extra step if due heed be taken of the old proverb, "Bear and forbear." Late purchasers, and especially the workers in stores who are rushed to death, should make all who can buy early.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

NOTE—The Times requests its readers to furnish the paper with items of a personal and social nature, either by phone or in writing.—[Ed. Times.]

—Mr. R. A. Dutton was in Toronto yesterday on business.

—Mr. Joe Hampany, Peterborough's popular professional entertainer, is engaged to sing at the Lindsay band concert next Friday night.

—Lakefield News: Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Daupuz and family, of Forest Home, Douro, have removed to their residence in Peterborough, for the winter.

—Mrs. J. R. Stratton's many friends will be pleased to learn she is now convalescing, after being confined to her room for a week with an attack of bronchitis.

LOCAL LEGAL

Judgment Reserved in the Appeal Case Wason vs. Douglas

In the Division Court at Osgoode Hall yesterday was heard the case Wason vs. Douglas. E. B. Edwards, K.C., for defendant, appealed from judgment of Lount, J., at trial dismissing the action, which was brought for damages for trespass on an island between two branches of a stream, to which island plaintiff claimed title, and for a declaration as to the boundary of his land. The defendant also claimed title to the land on a dispute being as to the land intended to be conveyed by the respective deeds. The trial judge entered judgment for plaintiff, and made the declaration asked. The appeal was taken on the grounds that the question of the boundary had been determined by a former judgment of a Divisional Court in granting a new trial or by a survey made by consent of both parties, and that the findings were not supported by the evidence. G. H. Watson, K.C., and G. Edmison, for plaintiff, opposed appeal. Judgment reserved.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Work on the new rink is progressing satisfactorily.

—Bargain and Children's Day at Times Bookstore to-day.

—The fairly good sleighing is causing wood to move.

—Soft coal is selling at seven dollars per ton, and is in brisk demand.

—The close season for rabbits, partridges, and ducks begins on Monday.

—The all absorbing question just now with the young man is; What will I get for her.

—Operations at the Cereal Company's dam are practically suspended, owing to the cold weather.

—Be sure and call at the Times Bookstore when you are doing your Christmas shopping.

—All the best stores advertise in the Times. Read the ads. and get your goods from the best and most reliable houses

—On account of the wood supply of Hastings Public School running short, the doors have been closed for the present, until a fresh supply is obtained.

—Parties wishing to renew their subscriptions to magazines and newspapers will please remember they can do so at Times Bookstore.

—Parties having accounts against the Council should present them next Monday night at the meeting, as that day is the close of the financial year.

—The statistics for the deer season just passed shows that there were 4,000 deer, 150 moose, 73 cows, 15 calves, 14 horses, 16 dogs and 17 hunters shot. This is slightly above the average.

—A very pleasing entertainment took place last night in the school room of the Park street Baptist church, under the auspices of the Mission Band.

—We notice in one of our exchanges a druggist is advertising ping pong, pills and pianos for sale at his place. It is a good combination. They all produce pain at times.

—In our report of the annual meeting of the Veterans' Association, the name of Col. J. Z. Rogers appears as Hon. President. It should have read, Col. H. C. Rogers.

—The new Orange Hall on the 14th con. of Emily will be opened on Friday, December 19th, by a fowl supper and entertainment. Col. Hughes, M.P., and other leading Orangemen are expected to be present and deliver addresses.

—The present high price of wood is setting people to asking whether when they buy a cord of wood they are getting what the bargain for. A cord of wood contains 128 cubic feet, but it is not every load of wood that is sold for a cord will hold out measurer. More generally a load contains not much over three quarters of a cord.

—A by-law will be voted on by the people of Belleville, taking the waterworks out of the hands of the commission that has managed them for some years. It is complained that with 800 takers, 319 million gallons of water is pumped yearly altogether. St. Thomas, with 2,405 takers pumps only 225 million gallons; and that with the highest flat rate in the province—$19—the plant is run at a loss.

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Good Whisky or Bad Whiskey

Toronto Star:— Among the other temperance reforms that are urgently needed is an inspection of the whiskies sold in barrooms in city and country. Strong drink can be sufficiently injurious without the adulteration that must be practised in some licensed places, where vile liquor is sold day in and day out, apparently with no fear of detection and punishment.

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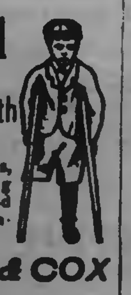

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War Vessels take up Positiong Commanding the Town and Fortress

Which will be Evacuated—Castro Defies Germany—Refuses to Yield on Any Point

Berlin, Dec. 13—President Castro's reply to the German ultimatum is a refusal to yield on any point.

La Guaira, Venezuela, Dec. 13—The British steamer Charybdis, flying Commodore Montgomery's flag, the German cruiser Vineta and the German training ship Stosch, arrived here this morning and have taken positions commanding the town and fortresses. Several merchantmen, the Dutch steamer Prins Willem IV., a British steamer of the Harrison line, and a royal mail steamer arrived off the port today, but were prevented from entering the harbor by the captain of the British cruiser *Indefatigable*, who said he would not be responsible for what might happen if the vessels were allowed to enter. The steamers applied for lighters to enable them to discharge their cargoes, but the request was refused by the customs house authorities, who declared that the vessels might enter the port as usual, there being no reason for there remaining outside. All ammunition is being removed from the fortress and barracks here and taken to Caracas, and it is apparently the intention of the government to abandon the town.

To Blockade Venezuelan Coast.

New York, Dec. 13—A despatch from Port of Spain, Trinidad, says: "Advices have been received showing that Great Britain and Germany will now resort to the second and more drastic course to force Venezuela to pay her debts. The second step will be the blockading of Venezuelan coast, which may be inaugurated today. The British warships will establish the blockade from Orinico River to La Guaira, while German vessels will attend to the coast from La Guaira to the Colombian line. It is not likely that Great Britain and Germany will land forces in Venezuela before reinforcements arrive. At present, the greatest number of men that the allied ships could spare to send is three thousand. It is significant that three thousand additional troops arrived at St. Lucia from England on Wednesday. The British and Germans are convinced that President Castro must be brought to terms as quickly as possible, and that a blockading measure is now necessary.

Warships in Line of Battle.

New York, Dec. 13—A despatch from La Guaira says: "The situation here has assumed a more serious phase and even hostilities appear imminent. The British cruiser Charybdis, flying the flag of Commodore Montgomery, the German cruiser Vineta, and German training ship Stosch, having just arrived in port, and have taken positions in line of battle. There has been great military activity in this port and all preparations indicate a movement to resist the attack.

Refuses to Yield.

Berlin, Dec. 13—The Foreign Office has not yet received the text of President Castro's reply, but only a bulletin from the German Charge d'Affaires, Herr Von Pilgrim-Baltazzi, dated Dec. 10th, announcing that the President's answer had been placed in his hands that day, and that he refused to yield to the German demands on all points. This telegram, with the text of the reply, was filed at Port of Spain, Island of Trinidad. With this exception the Foreign Office has received no news since yesterday to indicate that the situation has grown worse.

A landing force is not considered probable under any contingency. The orders to blockade the coast stand, and that is all the naval commanders are authorized for the present to do. Any proposition that Minister Rowen might make in behalf of President Castro would be received in a good spirit, and carefully considered, out of regard for the channel of its transmission, but no proposition to arbitrate has yet reached Berlin. Neither is the Foreign Office aware that the United States had made so far any suggestion to arbitrate. Herr Von Pilgrim-Baltazzi is still on board of a British warship in the Harbor of La Guaira.

BRITISH RETALIATON AGAINST THE WORLD

Significant Action in Regard to Ocean Steamship Subsidies

London, December 14.—There has just been issued the report of the Select Committee on Foreign Steamship Subsidies, which has a significant bearing as regards Anglo-Saxon relations.

This committee was appointed by the Government and has as its mission to find the effect of foreign subsidies on British trade.

The committee's chairman was Mr. Evelyn Cecil, M.P., and its verdict can hardly fail to influence legislation in the British Parliament. The report demands that in future British subsidies should be granted to lines ensuring rapid communication with the Empire, fast carriers of food supplies in time of war and vessels fulfilling the admiralty requirements. This is all in favor of the fullest possible assistance to the Canadian fast service.

RECOMMENDS RETALIATION.

A further recommendation of the highest significance is that the British Empire retaliate upon the United States and other foreigners who exclude British, Canadian, and all foreign ships from their coasting trade by making the Empire an ocean unit and treating all shipping between Empire ports as engaged in the coasting trade and to protect same from unfair foreign intrusion by enacting a law that foreign ships be admitted into inter-imperial trade only when equal privileges or compensating advantages are granted by the foreigners to inter-British shipping.

AMERICAN INFLUX INTO DOMINION

London Morning Post Makes Some Comments Thereupon

RELIES UPON FRENCH CANADA

Canadians in United States Would Return to Defend Their Fatherland

London, December 13—The Morning Post publishes an editorial today on the fears of the Americanization of Canada and says: "If American born settlers in Canada are considering the advance guard of an invading army, what of the Canadian born citizens of the United States? There are not as yet 300,000 of the former, and of the latter there are more than a million, of whom the majority are French-Canadians.

"The presence of the French population in Canada, who would make any sacrifice to avoid the fate of the French colonists of Louisiana is an assurance that the Dominion of Canada will never willingly change independence for the dubious benefits of American citizenship, even if the loss of sea power led to the shattering of the Empire.

"Should the United States attempt a war of conquest, we believe, as Sir Wilfrid Laurier believes, that the world would see an exodus from the United States of loyalists, French-speaking heroes, loyal to the traditions of British freedom."

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THEY EAT NO BREAKFAST NOW

The People of Manchester City Have a New Idea

NEW PLAN TO PROLONG LIFE

Physical Health Culture Society Argues that Food is not Needed After Sleep—Several Members Testify to Success of the Experiment.

London, Dec. 13.—Manchester has been the cradle for many notable movements in England. The term "Manchester School" has in recent years carried a significance outside the domain of politics, where it still stands for free-tradeism, anti-expansionism, and individualism.

The Manchester people are now pioneers in a movement which has survived the first ordeals of derision and incredulity. The cry in Manchester today is "No breakfast," as the cry a generation ago was "Cheap bread."

The new crusade is being waged under the banner of the Manchester Physical Health Culture Society, of which many prominent citizens are members. The Lord Mayor presided at a large meeting of the society this week, where the speakers recounted their personal experience in going without their breakfast. The physiological basis of the plan is thus expounded by a medical believer in it:

"Properly digested food only restores waste muscular tissue, supplies heat and force and feeds the brain and nervous system. The brain and nervous system control and give power and action to all the muscles of the body, including the stomach. This power of the brain is derived from rest and sleep alone, *and not from food. The digestion of* food is a tax upon the brain energy and it is necessary that the tax should occasionally stop. During the sleep comparatively little waste occurs. Food is not so much needed after a long sleep as after prolonged work. All curative power is brain energy."

After this statement the laymen of Manchester defended the doctor's statement of their faith. One robust young man said that he began last June on the no-breakfast plan. He had severe headaches on the second and third days and intermittent headache during the first week. The second week he became convinced that it was an entirely good think, and he was of that opinion now. He took a cup of cocoa at morning and at night. They must not, he said, belittle the morning pang of hunger. It is the very real thing at first, but it disappears. He took his first meal at 12.15 p.m., and the second at 6.15 p.m. He felt that he had derived great benefit from the plan.

Another young athlete who rises at 6 in the morning said he took his first meal at noon and the second in the evening. He said the great thing was to avoid the chaff of companions by not talking about the matter. He advised experimenters not to tell their friends when they began, as the latter would be sure to say that they were looking pale and ill. He had not been sick since he began the experiment, but when he told his friends about it months afterward they at once began to discover unfavorable signs in his appearance. A hostile critic declared that the fundamental physiological error or the breakfastless idea, was in saying that the brain did not supply energy to the muscles. The latter derived their power from digested food and blood tissues. What the brain did was to liberate muscular energy as required.

Whether or not the new school has any sound physiological basis it is certainly making converts in Manchester. The speakers did not touch on the questions of local conditions, though it is probable that a man's feeling in the morning in the humid, heavy air of Manchester is not the same as in the exhilarating atmosphere of New York. Even the change from London to New York has been known to have the result of giving a man a hearty appetite for his breakfast every morning.

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MORE BIG SCHEMES FOR EMIGRATION

Syndicates of British Capitalists Have Eyes on New Ontario

MORE SETTLERS FOR ALBERIA

Passages Have Been Arranged for More Than a Thousand Early in Spring

London, December 14—The Canadian Government's arrangements here for next season's emigration are making rapid strides.

It is authoritatively announced today that an English syndicate of capitalists is being formed to secure from the province of Ontario a similar concession to that granted by the Provincial Government to a *United States syndicate*, whereby two million acres of land was sold at one dollar per acre, with a view to taking in to New Ontario 50,000 United States settlers within three years.

It is stated that the British syndicate commands a large sum of money.

The Canadian Government has approved of a scheme promoted by Rev. Mr. Barr for the colonization of British agriculturalists in Alberta. The scheme, it is expected, will lead a special party of two thousand going to Alberta from England. Passages have already been arranged from Liverpool for more than one thousand early in the spring.

Site for Royal Mint

Ottawa, December 14—The selection for the site of the Ottawa branch of the Royal Mint has been referred to a committee of the Privy Council, but it is not likely that anything will be done in the matter until after the Christmas holidays. The Militia Department objects to site once contemplated—Nepean Point—for the reason that the land is required for military purposes.

SOO LANDMARK DISTURBED

House Built By Fur Traders Over 100 Years Ago Burned Down

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Dec. 14— The residence of ex-Indian Agent William Van Abbott, with entire contents, was burned this morning about four o'clock. This removes one of the old landmarks and the oldest frame building in town, it having been built in part upwards of one hundred years ago by parties engaged in fur traffic and opponents to the Hudson's Bay company, who also had a post here.

The inmates of the burned building barely escaped with their lives. The policeman, who forced the door, found Mr. Van Abbott in his bed unconscious, but managed to bring him outside.

FITZ IN THE RING AGAIN

Robert Says He Is Willing to Fight Any Man in World

Portland, Ore, December 10— Robert Fitzsimmons and James J. Jeffries gave a sparring exhibition here last night, and before going on the stage Fitzsimmons declared his intention of entering the ring again. He said:

"I am willing to fight any man in the world, bar nobody. I did intend to quit the ring after my fight with Jeff, but I am as good a man today as ever I was, and better than any other fighter that I know of, except the present champion."

POISON FOUND

Mrs. Maude Kiehl Suspected of Killing Brother-in-Law to Face New Charge

Cortland, N. Y., Dec 14. – Maude Kiehl, the 18-year-old widow, who was arrested a few weeks ago on suspicion of having caused the death of her brother-in-law Adam Kiehl, and released after examination, may soon be forced to face a new charge.

Strychnine was found in Adam Kiehl's stomach in quantities. He died suddenly. His sister, Francis Kiehl, declared at the time of his death that his young sister-in-law loved him and was intensely jealous, as he was soon to marry.

William Kiehl, the husband of the girl who was accused of Adam's death also died suddenly last February.

Since the girl was released the coroner has been probing into the death of her husband. He made public today the report of E. M. Chamott, a chemist, of Cornell, who states that he has found arsenic in large quantities in the body of William Kiehl, which was recently exhumed. Coroner Santee announces that he will hold an inquest, beginning Dec. 15.

Prior to her release on the former charge, Mrs. Kiehl, who was confined in the county jail here, was the object of much sympathy. Her mother and her golden-haired baby boy were with her. She is slight and olive-skinned with dark, luminous eyes, and is beautiful.

Coroner Santee says that the young wife had trouble with her husband, and had left him last January, returning to him a few days prior to his death.

NEW YORK PRESS OPINION

Consider Venezuelan Situation Has Taken Serious Turn

New York, December 13— American newspapers consider the situation in Venezuela much more serious since the destruction of the Venezuelan fleet.

The New York Times says: "It can hardly be denied that England and Germany went beyond their proper limits when they actually seized and destroyed armed vessels belonging to the Government of Venezuela. That act is fairly comparable to acts of wanton devastation in warfare, which for a long time have been discountenanced by civilized nations. Great Britain and Germany are not justified in destroying any Venezuelan property whatever, save such as may be necessary to destroy in prosecution of their primary purpose. In sinking the Venezuelan ships of war they have established a just counter claim, putting Venezuela in a position to demand that the value of the ships be deducted from the debts due."

The New York World says: "Venezuela's strength lies in her weakness. As for landing forces to do things inland, the Boers have shown how big and costly a fight a few fighting people can draw a big but far-off nation into."

The New York Sun says: "Germany and Great Britain are merely following the example set by the United States for the treatment of obdurate South American delinquent and recalcitrant republics. The Monroe doctrine is not concerned. When it is attacked, there will be time to talk of sympathy for the invaded sister republic and of our duty and responsibility as the principal power of the western hemisphere."

The New York Tribune thinks the spirit of conciliation is lacking all round. It hopes Great Britain and Germany will act with moderation, which is so worthy a tribute of great power.

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Hinted at Grave Crime

New York December 13—Mrs. Sarah Waters, a wealthy woman, aged about 80 years died yesterday. The district attorney at once ordered an investigation and embalming of the body was stopped. Mrs. Water's estate, worth $100,000 or more, has been in litigation. She had deeded away all her property and in the suit which followed, a commission was appointed to examine her mental condition. Alexander S. Bacon, attorney in the proceedings, said yesterday in court that he doubted if Mrs. Waters would live to have her insanity tested and he hinted at a grave crime in connection with her illness.

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GERMANY'S SCHEME TO CONTROL TURKEY

It Is Alleged That a Gigantic Trust Is Now Being Formed

CONTROL OF GREAT RAILWAYS

Under It Nearly all the Turkish Railways Will It is Asserted Be Operated—Control of Quays Secured

Vienna, Dec. 14—If a communication sent from Constantinople to the Deutsche Zeitung is true, Germany holds the commercial interests of the Turkish Empire in the hollow of her hand as completely as though she had spent millions in conquering the country by the sword.

This remarkable letter, which to day is the chief topic of conversation in Continental diplomatic circles, can hardly have escaped the summarization in your cable despatches, although an appreciation of its true import demands an examination of its details.

According to the Zeitung correspondent, Herr Gwinner, Director of the Deutsche Bank of Berlin has been feted, decorated by the Sultan, and has, in a series of conferences at the Yildiz Kiosk, managed to discover a source of revenue as the required guarantee for the Bagdad Railway negotiating at the same time an agreement for the amalgamation of nearly all existing Turkish railroads, together with acquisition of all the quays; in short, it is the formation of a big trust, under German control.

The Anatolian road was already under the control of the Deutsche Bank, while the Oriental Railways, while actually in the hands of the bank, have been under the nominal control of an Austrian corporation. Of the 100,000 shares which form the capital of the Oriental Railways, 88,000 are owned by the Oriental Railways Bank, at Zurich, and in this bank the Deutsche Bank in Berlin is the principal shareholder. The Zurich Bank, however, also owns 39,000 shares—the majority— in the Salonica-Monastir Railway, and it is proposed, indeed, to merge this line together with the two systems already mentioned, in the trust. Finally, the control of the line from Constantinople Junction to Salonica is also dependent on the Oriental Railway Company, and, as the latter is dependent on the bank in Zurich, which, again, is controlled by the Deutsche Bank, nothing seems to stand in the way of the Deutsche Bank—or, at least, the syndicate to which it belongs— getting hold of every existing railway line in Turkey, including the Bagdad Railway, a section of which it is contemplated to begin at once. The surplus earnings on a section of the Anatolian Railway would set free the revenue which now serves as a guarantee for it, so that this revenue could serve as a guarantee for the first section of the Bagdad line, the expected surplus from other sections of the Anatolian line serving as a guarantee for a further extension of the Bagdad line.

As to the quays, that of Haidar Pasha is already the property of the Anatolian Railways Company, which built the artificial harbor which was opened on Tuesday. To this same railway company—that is, practically, to the German syndicate— the Sultan, according to the correspondent of the Deutsche Zeitung, means to lease the quays of Constantinople, now owned by a French company. The 41,000,000f. necessary for the purchase would naturally be placed at His Majesty's disposal by the Deutsche Bank, and nobody else. The correspondent adds.—

"Once in possession of both quays the German trust would be able so to fix quay dues and other imposts, and to make regulations, as to exclude competition from any side. In possession of all the railways in existence, and, most probably, with the Sultan's promise to grant the necessary concessions for new junction lines, the German trust would hold the trade of Turkey in the hollow of its hands; and Germany would have conquered Turkey, for all commercial purposes, without greater effort than the platonic friendship shown by the Kaiser for the Sultan."

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

WILL OPEN BEFORE HON. JUSTICE BRITTON AT NOON TO-DAY

Three Cases Carew, vs. G. T. R., Armstrong vs. Armstrong and Fairbairn vs. Quinn

The non-jury sittings of the High Court will open today before Hon. Mr. Justice Britton, of Kingston. There are three cases.—Carew vs. G.T.R.; Armstrong vs. Armstrong; and Fairbairn vs. Quinn. Synopsis of statements of claim are given as follows:—

CAREW V. G. T. R.

The plaintiff, S. B. Carew, is a farmer residing in the Township of Emily, and is the owner of the south half of lot 15 in the 3rd concession of that township, containing 100 acres and used as a farm. The Grand Trunk railway line crosses the land, separating one part from another, and plaintiff has frequently made requests, as entitled, that proper crossings be constructed for his convenience, but this has not been done, and plaintiff further claims that the defendants have trespassed and infringed upon his rights, property, privileges and advantages and have been guilty of wrongful acts in the construction and operation of their railways through his land. He claims that the defendants should be enjoined by the order of the Honourable Court from continuing in possession of the lands across the plaintiff's farm and from running their engines and cars and from maintaining fences upon and across the plaintiff's property and from maintaining a severance of parts of lands. He also claims that an order be made by the court that the defendants do construct a proper crossing for the plaintiff over the railway line and that they comply with the provisions of the statute. He claims $500 damages and that defendants be enjoined from further trespass and such other relief as the court deems necessary.

The defendants state that on March 2nd 1855 John R. Carew, then owner of the lands mentioned, in consideration of $613.50 conveyed by deed a portion thereof to the Midland Railway and the defendants have continuously been and now are the lawful owners thereof. They long ago offered without prejudice, a right of way to plaintiff but he refused. Defendants say they are not guilty as in plaintiff's statement of claim.

Robert Ruddy, of Millbrook, solicitor for plaintiff; John Bell, Belleville, solicitor for defendant.

ARMSTRONG V. ARMSTRONG.

The defendant is a farmer residing in Manvers and the plaintiff is his wife. Plaintiff claims a declaration that she is entitled to alimony from husband, (and also to *interim* alimony) sufficient under the circumstances and that the defendant may be ordered to pay the same and that for these purposes all necessary directions be given. Abuse and ill-treatment on the part of defendant and two grown-up sons William and Norman, by a former wife is alleged. Defendant denies these allegations and says plaintiff had no justification for leaving him, and that he *is ready* and willing to receive her back again as his wife.

Robert Ruddy, of Millbrook, plaintiff's solicitor; Dennistoun, Peck & Stevenson, defendant's solicitors.

FAIRBAIRN V. QUINN.

The plaintiff, John Fairbairn, is a farmer of Smith, as is also the defendant, Archibald Quinn. Plaintiff claims that in May, 1901, and various times since, defendant broke and entered and trespassed on his land, throwing down and damaging fences, and drove over the land with his horses and committed damages and injuries to the soil, notwithstanding that he had been notified not to so enter and trespass. Plaintiff claims damages and an injunction restraining the defendant, his servants, and agents from entering and trespassing on the said land and other such relief as the case requires.

Defendant claims he is entitled, by prescription, to a right of way, on, over and across the plaintiff's land mentioned, but in so enjoying his prescriptive right denies that he did injury to the plaintiff's lands. Defendant claims that for a period of 40 years before the right of way was obstructed by plaintiff, it had been used without interruption. Defendant claims that plaintiff has unlawfully interfered with the enjoyment by defendant of said right of way.

Plaintiff joins issue with defendant, and in reply states that defendant has always obtained leave and license from him to use said right of way, and to lay down and open bars or gates across said right of way.

Edmison & Dixon, plaintiff's solicitors; R. B. Wood, defendant's solicitor.

A REFUGE FOR CASTRO GERMANY IS DISLIKED

British and Germans in La Guaira--Had Barricaded Themselves in British Company's Office

British Cruiser Alert Captured the Venezuelan Gunboat Zumbador on Saturday Morning

The Daily Telegraph prints a Port of Spain despatch, dated Friday, stating that the British cruiser Alert captured the Venezuelan gunboat Zumbador at ten o'clock on Friday morning at La Guaira. The Zumbador arrived at Port of Spain on Friday afternoon in charge of a prize crew, who report that all the Venezuelans aboard were put ashore except two Government soldiers, who were wounded in a fight which was still progressing, at La Guaira between the Government forces and revolutionists.

The Daily Mail has a despatch from Willemstad, Curacao, dated Dec. 11, stating that foreign residents of Puerto Cabello are taking refuge on board the German cruiser Vineta and the British cruiser Ariadne, and that the vessels are threatening to bombard the port.

Germany Disliked

Evidences of dislike of Germany are apparent, both in print and conversation. The destruction of three Venezuelan vessels by Capt. Scheder's orders is sharply condemned as unnecessary, and impolitic, and the hope is expressed that Admiral Douglas will not be drawn by his colleague into an entanglement of a serious nature, but will be content with the maintenance of a pacific blockade.

The utility of that method of coercing a feeble State is questioned by some of the ablest writers of the press, and the futile results of the blockade of Crete in 1897 are cited as an illustration that nothing is gained by a hollow expedient for the avoidance of appearance of warfare.

London, Dec. 14—Up to 2 o'clock this afternoon, according to official statements, nothing had been received at the Foreign Office here anent the Venezuelan Government asking Minister Rowen to act as arbitrator. Something, it was added, possibly might arrive later in the day, although no official intimation was received that this is likely.

The United States Embassy also was without instructions or information regarding any Venezuelan matters.

British People Want Arbitration.

London, Dec. 13—Secretary Hay, of the United States has cabled the British and German Governments notifying them of President Castro's offer of arbitration through U. S. Minister Rowen at Caracas. Mr. Rowen has been authorized from Washington to use his own discretion in securing arbitration. But he was told that in the arbitration, if one should follow, that he would represent not the Government of the United States, but that of Venezuela, at its request.

Arbitration the Shortest Way.

In London there is a great relief over the announcement that President Castro had asked the United States Government to take steps to submit the questions at issue between his country and Britain and Germany to arbitration. Englishmen are in no mood for a new campaign in a mountainous country and United States intervention is considered the shortest out of a troublesome situation.

The press this morning are generally of the opinion that Britain has nothing to gain and everything to lose by prosecuting her claims against Venezuela in German company. They are by no means agreed on the question of arbitration, however. Many journals contend that war has already begun, since the seizure and destruction of ships were hostile acts, and that a blockade cannot be regarded as a pacific contrivance.

A Refuge for Castro.

It is asserted in official quarters in Berlin that neither the British nor the German Government proposes in the present circumstances to despatch an expeditionary force into the interior of Venezuela. If President Castro takes refuge in the hills he will not be followed, and his army will not be molested, unless it advances to the coast.

The German Government believes that the only feasible method of punishing Castro and his coadjutors is to deprive them of their monetary supplies. This, it is considered can be effected by the seizure of the Customs houses. Without money they will, it is anticipated, be incapable of sustaining themselves at the head of Venezuelan affairs.

ANOTHER NEW RAILWAY

Proposed Railway From Sudbury Through Peterborough to Ottawa

Messrs. Johnston and Falconbridge, of Toronto give notice of an application to be made by the Canada Central Railway Company for authority to construct a number of lines. One of these is of especial interest to Peterborough. It will run from Sudbury to Scotia Junction, thence southerly, via Balsam or Sturgeon Lakes, in the Townships of Bexley, Verulam or Fenelon, to the capital of Ontario. A continuation of the company's main line from Tete Jaune Cache, by way of the Thompson and Fraser River valleys, to Vancouver is also proposed, as well as a branch from the company's main line in Keewatin district to Fort Churchill on Hudson Bay; a line from some point on the Thompson River or its tributaries to Waddington Harbor, or Bute Inlet, and a line from near the site of Fort Assiniboia to some point on the Peace River and westerly to Portland Canal on the Pacific.

WEATHER NOTES

Monday —Fair, not much change in temperature; snowfalls in some places.

TURKEYS ARE VERY SCARCE

The Prospects For Cheap Christmas Fowl are Not Encouraging

The offerings of dressed poultry on the Peterborough market continues scarce and prices are soaring high.

The probabilities are that the receipts of dressed turkeys will not be sufficient to supply the demand during the holidays. Dealers attribute the scarcity to the fact that many of the young birds died during the month of June as a result of the cold wet spring.

The quality of the birds marketed is not up to the mark, but all selected lots meet a ready demand at from 11c to 12c per pound.

The increased demand from South Africa has had considerable to do with advancing the prices in Canada this fall. Last week a large exporting firm in Montreal shipped 10,000 pounds to Cape Town, realizing 14c per pound on board ship. From eight to ten carloads were recently sent to British Columbia where an urgent demand is ruling, and an Ottawa firm are preparing to send several tons west next week.

Geese and ducks are coming forward in large quantities. Chickens are not as plentiful as they were last year, although supplies are quite ample to meet all requirements, but higher figures are ruling in sympathy with the increased price for turkeys. Dealers report very little stock in cold storage and the general concensus of opinion is that high prices will continue for some time.

TIRED DR. LORENZ OUT

One Operation in Philadelphia Occupied Forty Minutes—His Endurance Taxed

Philadelphia, Dec. 14—Dr. Adolf Lorenz treated four cases of congenital hip dislocation in the Jefferson Medical College Hospital this afternoon. The last case was an unusual operation, which taxed the skill and endurance of Dr. Lorenz to the limit, and which, when ended, brought forth applause from the physicians and students of Jefferson College's senior class.

It had been the intention of Dr. Lorenz to perform five operations, but the manipulation of the tiny leg and hip of his last subject overtaxed his endurance and he had to close the clinic. The remaining patient will be operated on today. The four operations were pronounced successful. The subjects operated on were a two-year-old girl, suffering from dislocation of both hips, a three year-old boy and a nine and a six-year-old girl all suffering from the dislocation of one hip each.

The last case occupied forty minutes. The girl's leg looked as though the slightest wrench would pull it from her body. Unable to stretch it by ordinary pulling, Dr. Lorenz looped a soft rope of silk around the ankle and while he kneaded and manipulated the hip and thigh, Drs. Muller and Ashley pulled with all their might. For ten minutes the hauling and kneading were kept up, but so delicately were the hip and thigh manipulated that not a ligament cracked.

Finally Dr. Lorenz succeeded in forcing the femur into the socket and with a sigh of relief announced that the operation was a success. He lifted a shaking hand and announced that the clinic was over.

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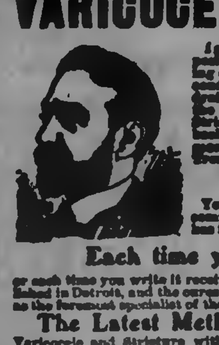

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UNION LABEL

PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 15, 1902.

LIFE WITH ANARCHISTS

The North American of Philadelphia, gives an interesting sketch of the woman, Mrs. Dexheimer, who was an anarchist and attended meetings at which lots were drawn for the killing of President Roosevelt. She declared that she was tricked into joining the society by Emma Goldman, and was not long a member until she rued her choice.

The anarchists are known by numbers, not by names, and they are called together by communications written in cipher. Three times the murderous gang assembled in a little room over a saloon in Market street, Philadelphia, and proceeded to ballot, each one present drawing from the box or receptacle in which the papers containing the names, addresses and numbers of the members were, until some one produced the order, "You must commit the deed."

The first time the ballot alloted the crime to one, Meloy, of Paris. He arrived in America later, but was persuaded to return home, and was reported to have been killed by a runover in the street. It was not an accident. An anarchist must either kill his victim or die. The second time the order to kill was given to one Mullin, but it was ineffectual. The man with the number drawn turned out to be dead. The third time a Mrs. Schroeder, of Philadelphia was selected for the awful deed. Her courage failed her. She took acid.

Then Mrs. Dexheimer sickened on the whole business and left the organization. She presented a profound silence for a time, but at a mother's meeting she was moved to recite some of her experiences. Her mind became easier, but at once her life was endangered. She has been practically in hiding ever since, and is now in New York, guarded night and day by detectives, in constant fear of attack, for her former associates have sworn to stab her in the back. Here is a curious story. The detectives think that her mind is somewhat unbalanced, but she says she can give proof for all she avers and could tell a great deal that is not expedient for her to reveal.

The surprising feature of her recital is the secrecy and ramifications of the anarchists, the ambition that impels them on, that some day all the workmen in the world will rise in rebellion and wreck their vengeance upon all the forces that oppose them in the form of organized capital.

THE STUDY OF MEDICINE

Our esteemed contemporary the Hamilton Times, puts it this way:—The Ontario Medical Council has decided to raise the standard of medical matriculation, or in other words, make it more difficult for a young man to begin the study of medicine. Isn't that absurd? What is wanted is not more obstacles in the way of beginning the study of medicine, but more study of it. We have enough half-baked doctors with half an alphabet to their names, who have read Caesar and Thucydides, and who in a pinch could read a chapter of a French romance, with the aid of the dictionary and grammar, but who mistake smallpox for chicken-pox or the itch, and who mix typhoid and appendicitis. It is time the Government sat down hard on that Medical Council, remove the obstacles to studying medicine and require a thorough training in it before licensing. That's the crying need.

A DANGEROUS FAD

It is said in Washington that the death of ex-Speaker Thomas B. Reed was induced either directly or indirectly by a rigorous system of dieting, which he had been practicing up to the very day of his dissolution.

Within a few months preceding his demise the former Speaker was engaged in an effort to reduce his weight, and during the period of his self-denials succeeded in decreasing his advoirdupois forty-five pounds. He did this by leaving the table hungry at every meal, having eaten much less food than his system demanded or craved for. Recently he consulted a dietist, who advised him to eat less than he was accustomed to, and knock off about twenty pounds. This the former Speaker did by the method mentioned. Then he kept it up and reduced his weight twenty-five pounds more. At the time of his death he was in his sixty-fourth year, and according to one of the best physicians of Washington, dieting is a very dangerous practice for a man of his age. The physician said it was quite probable that Mr. Reed's last illness could be attributed to the fact that his system had been impaired by the lack of sufficient nourishment.

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NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL.

Results of the Vote for Mayor and Alderman

ALD. SHORTLY IN 3rd PLACE

For Mayor—R. F. McWilliams a Good Third For Alderman

Mr. Harry Winch Makes a Good Start in the Aldermen's List—Mr W. J. Ferguson also Named For Alderman—No Labor Candidate to be Brought Out

Last week's voting bring Ald. Shortly's name up into third place for Mayor, with Ald. Roger still in the lead and Ald. Best a good second. No new names are added for the Chief Magistrate's office.

Ald. Best still leads the poll for Alderman for 1903, with Ald. Morrison next on the list and Mr. R. F. McWilliams third. The labor party have decided not to bring out a candidate for the coming election.

Mr. John Howden asks The Times to withdraw his name from the list of candidates for Alderman. He would not, he says, accept the nomination under any circumstances, so it is useless to keep his name before the public. He wishes, however, to thank his friends, who deeming him worthy of the position, have marked their coupons in his favor.

FOR MAYOR

Ald. Roger	400
Ald. Best	352
Ald. Shortly	325
H. LeBrun	306
Robert Neil	285
Robert Fair	250
H. C. Winch	165

FOR ALDERMAN.

Ald. Best	425
Ald. Morrison	400
R. F. McWilliams	375
A. W. Crossman	370
E. F. Mason	350
Robert Fair	335
Geo. Matthews	325
Ald. Rush	315
Ald. Shortly	310
Ald. Corkery	300
Wm. Madill	280
W. Salisbury	270
Ald. Batten	250
George W. Morrow	245
Dickson Davidson	235
A. Macfarlane	225
Ald. McGregor	215
Ald. Turner	215
A. H. Dickson	200
W. H. Conway	190
Ald. Clinkscale	170
R. H. Layfield	160
H. LeBrun	155
Thos. Barrie	150
Geo. Elliott	145
Harry Winch	110
Kelsey Hall	105
V. Eastwood	95

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Alex. Gibson	90
W. J. Ferguson	85

A ratepayer writes:—"I enclose a batch of ballots for Mr. Harry Winch for Mayor. He has had considerable experience in municipal affairs and would undoubtedly make a good Chief Magistrate. I myself think he would head the poll if he could only be persuaded to run, and I am sure I voice the sentiments of a large number of citizens."

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Summary—Material progress in stemming the decline took place today. The syndicates and bankers absorbed large amounts of securities, and prices in most instances were improved over the closing rally prices of last night. Volume of business was large and indications were strong that general liquidation had run its course. From now on we strongly incline to the opinion that stocks will do to buy upon every concession. Even next week should see an improvement. Stocks are immensely cheap at present, even should money keep close the balance of the month. The remarkable current strength of the bond market is significant. Monday's letter "The Worst is Over." Sales [illegible]. Nothing in money today.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 15, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Cape Lost

On Friday night between Peterborough and Lakefield, a black unlined curly-cloth cape. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at Times Bookstore.

A Small Blaze

On Saturday afternoon a small fire was discovered in the apartments of Mrs. R. M. Hay, Simcoe street. An alarm was sent in and the brigade responded promptly, but some time was spent before the blaze was located. The fire was soon extinguished, and the damage was slight.

Heavy Horses in Demand

Mr. J. W. Pearson, the well known Montreal horse buyer, was in town Friday and Saturday and secured a car load of fine heavy draught horses. Mr Pearson says that heavy horses are in demand just now, and bring good prices. He will be at the White House all this week, where he will be prepared to purchase this class of stock.

A Handsome Calendar

The Times was presented by Mr. W. Kelmy Hall, General Agent of the Mutual Life Assurance Co., of Canada, with one of their handsome calendars. This splendid home company has become one of our foremost life assurance institutions and is as well and favorably known in Peterborough as it is in the Western part of the Province.

Dead from Scarlet Fever

The many friends of Rev. and Mrs. Robert MacKnight will sympathize with them in the death of their darling little daughter, Victoria Alexandria Alberta, who passed away on Saturday morning, from an attack of scarlet fever, aged two years and four months. She had just recovered from whooping cough, and in this weakened condition, was unable to withstand the fever. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon. The Times extends its sincere sympathy to the bereaved family.

Y. W. C. A.

The regular educational classes close this week for the Christmas season, and will re-open the first week in January.

At the close of the Bible lesson on Tuesday evening a social half hour was spent by the classes and devotional committee members.

The subject for the Gospel meeting tomorrow at 4.15 will be "The Goal." All young women are invited.

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It is pleasing to note that the farmers are taking hold of the sugar beet matter with avidity. It is imperative that the necessary acreage be secured at once, if the factory is to be built and in operation next fall.

Mr. T. M. Hunter, of North Monaghan, one of the Directors of the Peterborough Beet Sugar Company, together with Mr. T. R. Bradburn, the President, has been making a canvass amongst the farmers of that township, and have been very successful in getting many contracts signed, most of the farmers agreeing to grow from one to four acres.

SUNDAY IN PETERBOROUGH

Principal Events Connected with the Church Services Yesterday

—Rev. Dr. Torrance occupied the pulpit at St. Paul's yesterday both morning and evening.

—At All Saints' Rev. Dr. Gould, a missionary recently returned from Palestine, preached at the morning service. Rev. W. L. Armitage preached in the evening on "They that Feared the Lord."

—Mr. Thos. MacGillicuddy addressed the men's meeting at the Y.M.C.A. yesterday afternoon. His subject was "A Young Man's Way."

—Rev. Geo. Warren, of Lakefield, officiated in St. John's, morning and evening.

—At the morning service at 11 a.m., in Bethany Tabernacle yesterday, Rev T. H. Robertson, preached, and at 7 p.m. Mrs. T. H. Robertson was the speaker.

—Rev. J. Barlow, the pastor, preached in the Murray street Baptist church yesterday morning on "How to Study the Bible." In the evening Mr. Thos. McGillicuddy officiated, preaching an eloquent and impressive sermon.

Saturday's Market

The market on Saturday was largely attended notwithstanding the cold. There was considerable poultry offered which sold as follows: Turkeys, 90c to $1.50; geese, 70c to 80c; chickens, 60c to 75c. Butter sold from 20c to 22c; eggs 23c; beef, 5 and 6 cents, pork 8c to 9c; lamb 8c to 1c; apples, 50 to 40 cents per bag. Poultry, especially turkeys, found ready purchasers.

Binder Twine will be Cheaper

The Cordage Trade Journal says that exhaustive experiments carried on by the Deering and McCormick Harvesting Companies indicate that the day is at at hand when binder twine will be successfully manufactured out of flax straw. A number of car loads of binder twine made from the straw of seedflax were distributed and used in the Northwest the past harvest. Reports from the field where this twine was used indicate that it was in every way successful, working as well as the twine made from hard fibre. It spins even and makes a very strong twine, stronger by test than Manilla. The raw material can be laid down in Chicago for one cent a pound, which would make the finished product so much cheaper than Manilla that, if of equal use it would speedily run it out of the market. The acreage devoted to flax in Manitoba and the territories is being doubled every year, and this new use for straw will tend to make it a popular crop in the west, where it can be grown very successfully.

EXCURSION TO BERLIN!

Farmers should be interested in the fact that an opportunity will be given them to thoroughly investigate the merits of the beet sugar industry as it is carried on at the large factory in Berlin. A special train has been secured for on or about December 30th, which will go and return the same day. The rate will not be higher than $2, return. The hour of starting will probably be about 6.20 a.m. and of returning about 10 p. m.

FOR THE MAYORALTY.

Card to the Electors of Peterborough

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

In response to the numerous representations which have been made to me upon the subject, personally, by requisition, and through the press, I place my services at the disposal of the public as a candidate for the Mayoralty at the approaching municipal elections.

My association with the important municipal advances which the Town has been making during recent years, will enable me to give continuity to the aggressive forward policy which the Council has sought to pursue, and to bring experience and information gained therein to bear upon the work and problems which still more immediately confront us.

While I cannot lay claim to all the qualifications which have been flatteringly ascribed to me, such capacity for the office as I do possess is cheerfully placed at your service, and I ask your sympathy and support in the effort to maintain the position and standing, and advance the welfare of our already prosperous and progressive Town.

Respectfully yours,

G. M. ROGER

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. John Lang, M.P., was in town on Saturday.

—The many friends of His Honor Judge Weller will be pleased to know that he has so far recovered his health as to be able to resume his duties.

—Mr. Josiah Mitchell, of Omemee, will sell his farm and implements and move with his family into Peterborough.

—Messrs. A. W. McPherson and H. R. H. Kenner were in Toronto on Saturday attending the annual meeting of the O.R.F.U.

—Mr. M. O'Brien, of town, at one time a teacher in the Collegiate Institute, now Separate School Inspector, and Mr. J. Jeffries, B.A., have been appointed by the Educational Department on the Board of Examiners for 1903.

BROKE HIS LEG

A Serious Accident to Mr. Thomas Le Plante Division Court Bailiff

On Saturday evening, while Mr. Thos. LePlante, of the local Division Court office, was on his way home, he slipped on the pavement on Charlotte street, and in his fall one of his legs was broken below the knee. He was picked up and conveyed to his home, where medical aid was summoned and the fractured limb set. Mr. LePlante's many friends will sympathize with him in his misfortune.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The storm on Saturday left the roads in a badly drifted condition.

—The Ladies' Aid of Charlotte street church have arranged to have a parlor social at the parsonage, on the evening of December 30th.

—A thorough cleansing of the house occupied by the Anting family, upon whom scarlet fever had such sad effect, was conducted on Saturday under the supervision of the Board of Health Officer.

—A blaze was discovered early on Saturday morning in the lane in the rear of the Peterborough Hardware Company's store by the nightwatchman. It started in an ash barrel, but was quenched before any damage was done.

—On Saturday His Honor Judge Weller sat upon an appeal from the assessment of the C.P.R.'s spur line which runs from the depot to the Cereal Company's premises. It will be remembered that the C. P. R. became owners of this property last year.

—The death occurred on Friday of Jane Wilson, aged 11 years. Deceased was sent to the Barnado Home here from Cannington suffering from peritonitis from which she died. The funeral took place from the home on Saturday.

—Havelock Standard.—On Tuesday Mr. Wm. Maxwell, of town, received a telegram from the Agent at Cartier, a divisional point on the main line of the C.P.R., informing him of the death of his eldest son, James, at that place. No particulars of the sad accident were given but a letter has since been received from Mrs. Kyle, with whom the poor boy boarded, stating that he was run over by a passing engine, while attending to his duties as switchman in the yard.

TRENT VALLEY LEAGUE.

Annual Meeting Held on Saturday Afternoon

The annual meeting of the Trent Valley Hockey League was held in the parlours of the Oriental Hotel Saturday morning when officers were elected for the coming season, and the suggestion to merge the league into the O.H.A. was voted down, almost unanimously. The meeting was one of the most enthusiastic in the history of the league, and delegates were present from the following places:

Lakefield—L. LeDar and F. Gray.

Stirling—A. C. B. Pousnette.

Fenelon Falls—Alvin Gould

Bobcaygeon—M. Welsh and H. S Garlick.

Keene—J. McCarthy and J. R. McIntyre.

St. Peter's T.A.S.—W. Meaghar and D. J. Devine.

Norwood—John F. Anderson and W. A. Eaton.

Campbellford—H. B. Dryden.

The report of the secretary-treasurer, Mr. R. S. Clarry, showed the league to be in a flourishing condition, financial and otherwise. Fenelon Falls had for the second time carried off the championship, whilst Norwood were runners up. He mentioned that the O.H.A. had opened negotiations with the Trent Valley Hockey League, with a view of having the two leagues amalgamated. He then introduced Mr. F. D. Kerr, who addressed the meeting at some length, pointing out to those in attendance the important factor the O.H.A. was in athletic circles, and intimating that they were desirous of having the Trent Valley come into the O.H.A., and had been asked to represent the O.H.A. in the matter.

Mr. Kerr was thanked by the chairman for the flattering remarks that had been made by him concerning the Trent Valley League and promised that his suggestions would receive due consideration. After some consideration on the part of the delegates it was decided that the Trent Valley League remain as it is for the present, at least.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The following officers were elected:

Hon. Pres.—A. H. Stratton, Peterborough.

President—W. T. Junkin, Fenelon Falls.

Vice-President—Wm. Crowley, Peterborough.

Secretary-Treasurer.—R. S. Clarry, Peterborough.

Executive Committee—T. J. Wallace, Keene; J. F. Anderson, Lakefield; Thos. Crawford, Lakefield; M. Walsh, Bobcaygeon.

OFFICIAL REFEREES.

The following Board of Official Referees was appointed:

George Lynch, Peterborough; Dr. Walters, Lindsay; J. F. Anderson, Norwood; J. R. McIntyre, Keene; F. Gray, Lakefield, Mr. Kennedy, Bobcaygeon; Dr. Aldrum, Fenelon Falls; A. C. B. Pousnette, Stirling; Mr. Kerr, Campbellford, and R. M. Glover, Peterborough.

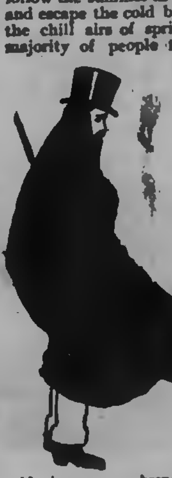
GENERAL BUSINESS.

Mr. Walsh, of Bobcaygeon, brought in a motion, seconded by Mr. Eaton, of Norwood, that all games that have to be played on open rinks, be played in the afternoon. The motion was adopted.

Mr. Dryden, of Campbellford, suggested that a junior series be inaugurated in the league and the matter will be dealt with at a meeting of the Executive.

The Executive will meet in the course of a week or two to arrange the schedule.

In the absence of the President of the League, Mr. Ross Cameron, who has moved from this district, Mr. John F. Anderson, of Norwood, occupied the chair.



CHILL WINDS

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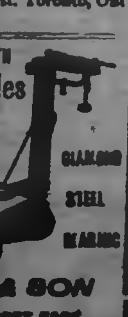

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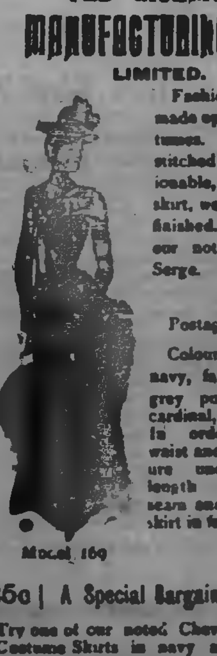

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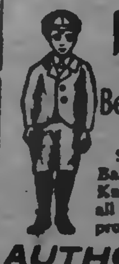

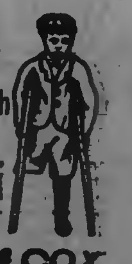

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HE AMERICAN PRESS APPREHEND TROUBLE

e Albany Press Says That a Big War May Follow Venezuelan Affair

lbany, N.Y., Dec. 15.—The Press-ickerbocker says: The patriotic out- st in Caracas, Venezuela, last Tues- y night, when the news was received t British and German warships had ized the Venezuelan war vessels at Guira, was an ominous indication of determination of the people of the uth American republic to resist at the nt of the sword any attempt to coerce government by landing foreign troops the various ports.

the administration at Washington ends to uphold the Monroe Doctrine, present course is not indicative of determination to keep the British and rman marines out of Venezuela. Our rships should be near enough to the ne of action to impress upon the ag- essors the importance of not going far in pressing claims against the stro government.

he danger in the present policy of Great Britain and Germany lies in the possibility of active resistance on the part of the Venezuelans. If the powers should invade the republic, they would not find the country helpless. Castro has an army which could successfully resist at least fifty or sixty thousand trained European troops. In order to transport more than this force, the aggressors would be compelled to expend millions of dollars; and of course our government would find difficulty in persuading Great Britain and Germany to move out of Venezuela if, after a bloody campaign, Castro would not meet the great war indemnity which would surely be demanded.

President Roosevelt should send a strong naval force to the coast of Venezuela, and then insist upon the aggressors contenting themselves with a blockade of the principal ports of the republic.

OTTAWA COAL FAMINE

ious Condition of Affairs in the Capital Regarding Fuel

ttawa, Dec. 15.—The city coal mer- ants are being besieged for coal, but unable to supply any one outside of aranteed customers. Yesterday, hun- eds of people called at the various coal ices and begged to be given as little a quarter of a ton. Many stated that y only had enough to put them ough the day, and would freeze un- they procure the coal. The dealers y that under the circumstances they doing all possible to relieve the ain, but the coal is coming in so wly that they cannot supply any eat part of the demand. They also y that they are doing the best they to keep faith with their customers. t unless a supply arrives soon they ll be unable to do anything.

HARD ON THE POOR

ices of Coal and Oil Greatly Advanced in New York

ew York, Dec. 15.—Seldom before were e poor of New York city more illy pre- ared to face the rigors of winter than ow. Although work has been plenti- l, there has been a sharp advance in e cost of living during the year, ne- ssitating in many instances the ex- nding of the entire income of the usehold. And now with winter upon em and the price of coal almost pro- bitive, their hardships are increased.

The wholesale price of coal in New ork is now $9 a ton and in thousands cases people are paying $11 to the alers for the precious fuel. Of course, ch prices are prohibitive to the poor, d the latter have turned to oil as a eans of cooking and heating.

Even here they find the conditions se- vere. The demand for oil stoves has nt prices skyward and many of the ores have disposed of their entire ock. Within six weeks it is estimated at the Standard Oil Company has sold rough its agents 100,000 oil stoves and ith the business acumen of such a eat corporation it has advanced the ice of oil. The selling price of oil is now 12 1-2 cents a gallon d this increase means much to the oor. Some of the larger stores are tailing oil at 14 cents a gallon, but the aller dealers who cannot handle oil bulk are charging as high as 17 cents. is probable that the wholesale price ill be still further advanced, probably aking the commodity 100 per cent. ore expensive than it was last sum- mer.

FROGS TO BE PROTECTED

Ontario Fishery Authorities Present Question to Federal Department

The protection of frogs having been pressed upon the attention of the Federal Fisheries Department by the Ontario fishery authorities, the question is likely to become a live one very shortly. In the first place, frogs are commercially valuable, but at the present rate of destruction they are threatened with extermination. In the next place, frogs are accustomed to spawn in spring, at the same time as the maskinonge, bass, and other valuable game fish. Hence there is great destruction of game fish on the spawning grounds by parties who make the plea that they are hunting for frogs. Furthermore, frogs are insectivorous, and their destruction is found to result in a vast increase of injurious insects.

FOUND THEIR LOST DAUGHTER

The Harding Family Reunited After a Search of Seventeen Years

Binghampton, N.Y., Dec. 15.—After a search of seventeen years for their lost daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harding and their child were reunited here today. When she was two years of age, George Pearl, an engineer on the Lehigh Railroad, visited the city and took a strong liking to the child. With his wife he called on her parents and wanted to adopt her. They allowed him to take her for a month, with the understanding she was to be returned at the end of that time. He was then living in Ithaca, but when at the expiration of the period the child did not come back they went to Ithaca, but found that the Pearl family had moved away.

The Pearls went to Hornellsville and then to Buffalo, where Mr. Pearl was killed in an accident. Then Mrs. Pearl came to Waverley, where later she died, leaving the girl alone. Her name had been changed and she had no idea her parents lived here. She went to Elmira, and while doing housework in a family there her parents obtained a clue that took them to that city and early yesterday morning her father found her. The reunion here today was most touching.

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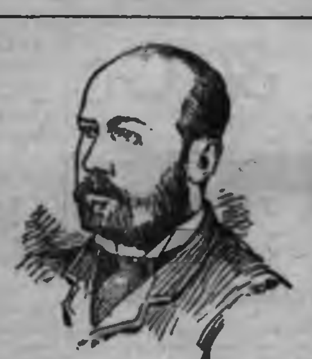

Sir William Van Horne Returned to Montreal From Gem of Antilles

OPENING OF THE RAILWAY

Pleased With the Island's Prospects—Sir William is Home for Christmas

Montreal, Dec. 15.—Sir William Van Horne returned from the city to-day from New York, wehre he arrived on Monday from Havana.

The opening of the Cuba Company's railway from Santa Clara to Santiago took place on the 5th instant, in the presence of 2,000 persons. There were two Pullmans and one hundred and fifty passengers who were given an enthusiastic send off.

To Sir William Van Horne must be given the credit for this enterprise. In less than a year the company was formed, the line surveyed, and the work of construction commenced. The system is five hundred miles long, runs through the middle of the island, passing through the provinces of Sancti Spiritus, Puerto Principe, on to Santiago de Cuba on the south shore. Eventually the line will be extended to Barracoa, with branches wherever the traffic warrants.

Along the main line are found areas of land of the richest description well watered and suitable for raising sugar cane, tobacco, corn, cotton, coffee, cocoa, and all tropical fruits. The land is so fertile and the climate so favorable that three crops of corn can be raised in a season. There are valuable mineral deposits on the route of the road, notably the famous Jaragua copper mines at Siboney, which was the base of the American troops on the advance to Santiago. Other districts are well adapted for cattle raising, the grasses being highly nutritious and luxuriant, while there is an abundant water supply.

Associated with Sir William Van Horne are: General Grenville M. Dodge, Thomas F. Ryan, Levi P. Morton, G. G. Haven, William C. Whitney, P. A. B. Widener, W. L. Elkins, Thomas Dolan, Henry M. Flagler, Edward J. Berwind, John W. Mackay, H. M. Whitney, E. H. Harriman, J. J. Hill, H. Walters, C. T. Barney, A. N. Brady, Samuel Thomas and George B. Hopkins.

In conversation with a representative of the Star, on his arrival at the Windsor station, Sir William Van Horne stated that the general condition of affairs in Cuba was very satisfactory. The Cuban Government has been very successful in carrying out its policy. In fact he thought that it was just as successful a Government as was to be found in any part of the world. It now had a surplus of $1,500,000, and its action in dealing with the recent street car strike in Havana had proved satisfactory.

THE QUEEN IS COMING

QUEEN WILHELMINA AND PRINCE HENRY TO TOUR AMERICA

Little Ruler of Holland Will Travel Across The United States Incognito But Will Call Upon President Roosevelt Yellowstone Valley Included in Places to be Inspected

New York, Dec. 15—An official at The Hague has unwittingly caused a secret to become public property. In a private letter received in New York, he has admitted that Queen Wilhelmina of Holland and the prince consort will pay America a visit next spring. The Dutch Government is trying to keep this a secret.

The Queen will travel incognito across the United States, and although she will call upon President Roosevelt, the visit will be made informally.

Queen Wilhelmina will sail from Genoa to the East Indies in March. After paying a visit to the colonies, from which her kingdom derives so large an amount of its wealth, the queen and her consort will take ship at Surabaya for San Francisco.

The Yellowstone valley and Chicago are two points especially mentioned in the places for the trip. A few days will be spent at Niagara Falls and New York.

LAST STATUTORY MEETING

Ashburnham Council Meet to Receive Reports and [illegible] Finances

The annual statutory meeting of the Ashburnham Council was held last evening, with Councillor Adams in the chair in the absence of Reeve Smith. Councillor Johnston was also an absentee. Minutes of last session read and confirmed.

Communications.

From Mrs. Jas. O'Connor asking for a refund of $1 dog tax, the animal having died shortly after the assessment was made. No action taken.

From Secretary of Peterborough Water Commissioners renewing request for a statement of the number of water services in the village and of the revenue therefrom. Mr. Wood was instructed to attend to the matter.

Accounts.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:

Dennistoun, Peck & Stevenson	$ 25 00
Peterborough Review	5 30
J. Doupe	2 00
S. Clancy	4 [illegible]
Peter'boro Water Com.	494 13
Peterborough Water Com	346 30
Pet. W. Com., rep. to mains	8 25
Pet. W. Co., new services	103 20
Review Reporter	5 00
Examiner Reporter	5 00
Times Reporter	5 00
J. Wood	6 00
Bury School Board	447 36
J. Wood, postage etc.	6 00

The total expenditures from the 1st to the 15th of the current month were $2274.34 and the receipts $5838.06.

The detailed statement of the Treasurer was received as read.

The receipts from the 16th to the 31st of December, 1901, were $[illegible] and expenditures $179.67.

The receipts from the first of January, 1902 to the 15th December was $[illegible].34 and the expenditures were $[illegible], leaving a balance of $971.27.

The current assets of the village amount to $1364.[illegible] with $1048.23 as liabilities, leaving a balance of assets over liabilities of $309.33.

The necessary arrangements were made for the holding of the municipal elections and as all the business was now concluded, the council adjourned.

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THE TOWN COUNCIL IN STATUTORY SESSION

Town Treasurer Browscombe Submits His Financial Statement for 1901-02

The Fuel Yard Scheme to be Submitted to the Property Owners—The Assesment Roll will not be Printed this Year

At the Town Council's meeting last night the Treasurer's statement of Receipts and Expenditures showed on the face of it a deficit of $7,007.94. Mayor Deane explained, however, that the Town really had a balance of $23 on hand, some $7,000 being accounted for by a shortage in the sale of waterworks debentures, which is assumed by the Waterworks Commissioners. When this is taken into consideration, together with the fact that there have been unlooked for calls for expenditure in the property department and by the Board of Works, the statement may be considered satisfactory.

Ald. Roger did not think it possible for either the Treasurer or the Chairman of the Finance Committee to meet the statutory demands in furnishing on December 15th a complete financial statement that could be sworn to in every detail. The time is too short.

Two hundred copies of the statement were ordered to be printed.

SERVICES APPRECIATED.

At the close of the meeting Mayor T. H. G. Deane was remembered by his colleges by unanimously adopting the following eulogistic resolution:

Moved by Ald. Roger and seconded by Ald. Rush, that in view of Mayor Deane's prospective retirement from the Mayoralty of the town at the close of the present year, this Council, at this, their last regular meeting, wish to place on record their appreciation of the valuable services which he has rendered to the Town during his eight years connection with the Council—six years as Alderman and two years as Mayor. To his untiring energy and business tact, which he has brought to bear upon the public business, is unquestionably due much of the material progress which the Town has made during that period. We wish also to acknowledge the uniform courtesy which we have ever received at his hands, and to wish him every success and prosperity in his new field of labor—Carried.

Ald. Rush, in seconding the resolution, remarked that he knew the Mayor had in his official capacity sacrificed his interest to that of the Town.

Ald. Shortly was pleased to add that he had found our young Mayor a man of sterling qualities, and a sharp and shrewd business man, under whose executive management the Town had prospered.

Ald. McGregor heartily concurred in the expressions of his colleagues and said that although he differed from the Mayor on some questions, he must say he had always found him a gentleman in the chair and a good presiding officer.

Ald. J. J. Turner also made a few happy remarks on similar lines to those of the previous speakers.

Mayor Deane in reply said:

"Gentlemen —Permit me to thank you, and especially the mover and seconder, for the very kind expressions contained in this resolution and the Aldermen for the kind words in which they have supported it. I feel that the terms of the resolution are too strong, and that in passing it you have emphasized any virtues that as a member of the Council I have possessed and have overlooked my short comings. I feel your kindness keenly, and I am deeply gratified to know that in leaving this Council Chamber, after a service of eight years, I leave it with the good-will of all the members and with mutually friendly feeling with every member. I am deeply sensible of the assistance the members of the Council have given me in the discharge of my duties, and I desire to thank each of you, individually, for the manner in which you have faithfully attended to the business of the Town, and loyally supported me as head of the Council in all matters, large and small. The good feeling that has prevailed in the Council during the two years I have had the honor of being Mayor, has not only lightened the tasks that have fallen to me but has made it a pleasure to be associated in the work of municipal administration. I desire, also, to acknowledge the good service of the officials of the Corporation and to thank them for the faithful way they have performed their duties and, personally, for the assistance they have always rendered me. I would emphasize, a fact the members of the Council know and appreciate, that the Town has capable and faithful officials. I wish here to particularly mention our worthy Town Clerk and to thank him for the many services rendered in helping to despatch the business brought forward and to say that the onerous duties of Mayor have been lightened and made pleasant by his kindly assistance and promptitude and to compliment the town upon their good fortune in having such a painstaking and capable gentleman occupying the position."

The Mayor then gave a lengthy review of the progress the Town has made during his 8 years' service on the Civic Board, the text of which will be published tomorrow.

STATUTORY SESSION.

Last night was the statutory session of the Council. All the members were present.

The request of the Otonabee Power Co. that they be allowed to string wires to connect with R. Hicks & Co.'s premises to furnish motive power was, on motion of Ald. Rush, seconded by Ald. Shortly, granted.

From Peterborough Light and Power Company, applying for permission to place poles between George and Aylmer streets, on the south side of Brock, and for permission to place two poles on McDonald street, between Water and Harvey, on the north side.—Referred to the Board of Works with power to act.

From Mr. R. R. Wood, enclosing copy of the presentment of the Grand Jury made before the Court on December 10th. In referring to the dire necessity for a House of Providence the presentment says:—"We, the members of this Jury, desire to express a regret that there is not on the Statutes an act compelling municipalities to erect and maintain suitable places for the old and feeble who may be left to shift for themselves."—Referred to the Joint Committee.

From the Village of [illegible], asking to be allowed to keep the road roller belonging to the corporation of the Town of Peterborough until next spring.—Referred to the Board of Works with power to act.

From the Peter Hamilton Mfg. Co., saying that they did not think it wise, under the circumstances, to submit a bylaw providing for a fixed assessment for their manufacturing establishment. They also expressed the belief that a better way would be for the matter to be dealt with by a committee which would arrange an assessment for manufacturers on general grounds, so that all would be treated alike—Received.

From Miss G. C. S. Roche, 145 Bethune street, asking for $5 or a load of wood for damages done to her wagon and buggy by boys on October 31st last. The boards of the wagon were taken off and the buggy broken, and its springs thrown into the river. She had to pay a man $1 to recover these springs from the water.—Finance Committee.

From O'Connell & Kerr, stating that they had been instructed to demand compensation for injuries sustained by Wm. G. Hopkins, through a defective sidewalk on Edinburgh street. Their client's foot and leg have been seriously injured, and he has sustained other personal injuries of a more or less serious character. The communication further states that it will be eight weeks before Mr. Hopkins will again be able to engage in his usual occupation. The defect in the sidewalk in question consisted in one of the planks or boards having been removed.—Referred to the Legal Committee with power to act.

ACCOUNTS.

A number of accounts were referred to the Finance Committee.

FINANCE REPORT.

The report of the Finance Committee recommending that the printing offices be requested to place the Union Label on all Town printing on which it can suitably be put, and also recommending payment of a big batch of accounts, was adopted as read.

THE FUEL YARD.

Ald. McGregor submitted the following report:

Gentlemen,—Your Committee of the Whole Council beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the Council submit in January to the Property owners, qualified to vote on a money By-law in question. "Are you in favor of establishing a Municipal Fuel Yard and asking the Legislature for authority to borrow a sum, not exceeding $50,000 for that purpose?"

2. That the Provincial Legislature and Lieutenant Governor be petitioned for an amendment to the Municipal Act so as to authorize Municipal Councils to pass By-laws to prohibit spitting on the sidewalks.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Ald. Best moved, seconded by Ald. McGregor, that the report be amended so as to allow of every ratepayer voting on the question, whether a property owner or not. He thought every man who has a vote should be allowed to give expression on this question. Property owners are not the only ones who have an interest in fuel. A bylaw to raise the $50,000 could be submitted to the property owners if the expression at the January elections was in favor of the scheme.

Ald. Morrison did not see the sense of submitting the question to people who would not have a vote on the money by-law.

Ald. Best replied that there are many good men who are tenants, and who must buy fuel. They should be allowed to give an expression on the question.

The report as amended was lost, and Ald. McGregor asked for the yeas and nays, which were given as follows—

Yeas—Ald. Best, Clinkscale and McGregor.

Nays—Ald. Caskey, Bolton, Morrison, Turner, Roger, Edgecumbe and Rush.

Ald. McGregor then moved, seconded by Ald. Turner, that the report be adopted as originally read.—Carried, and the property owners only will have a voice in the fuel scheme in January.

BOARD OF WORKS.

The report of the Board of Works was adopted. This report is unavoidably left over till tomorrow.

VOTE OF THANKS.

Ald. Turner moved, seconded by Ald. Rush, That a vote of thanks be tendered Mr. Shuttleworth and Mr. Williams for courtesies shown the delegation which visited the Beet Sugar factory at Berlin and also to the newspapers of Berlin for like courtesies on the occasion.—Carried.

AMALGAMATION.

Ald. Turner raised the question of amalgamation with the Village of Ashburnham, and asked expressions of opinion on the question.

Ald. Best thought it time to take up the matter when the people ask for it.

Ald. Clinkscale replied that everyone he had spoken to in Ashburnham were in favor of amalgamation.

Further discussion on this subject was referred to next year's council.

THE ROLL.

Ald. McGregor insisted on the Council taking action on the printing of the assessment roll.

The Mayor pointed out that there was no surplus to spend for this purpose.

Ald. Clinkscale moved, seconded by Ald. Rush, that the assessment roll be not printed this year.—Carried.

Council then adjourned.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Statement of Receipts and Payments from 16th December, 1901, to 31st December 1901, inclusive.

RECEIPTS.

Ashburnham	$ 43 75
Fire Department	10 00
Licenses	42 00
Market Tolls	150 00
Police Court	[illegible]

BRITISH COLUMBIA ACTS DISALLOWED

Three Measures Passed by Legislature Won't Become Law

APPLY TO CHINESE AND JAPS

They Restrict Immigration of Those People Into Province—Territorial Ordinance Also Disallowed

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—Three acts of the British Columbia Legislature and an ordinance of the Legislative Assembly of the North-West Territories have been disallowed. The British Columbia measures were passed on June 21 last and restrict the immigration of Chinese and Japanese into the province, and their employment upon certain works.

The acts are severally known as an act to regulate immigration into British Columbia, an act relating to the employment on works carried on under franchises granted by private acts and an act to further amend the coal mines regulation act.

This legislation is in line with the demands of organized white labor in British Columbia, but is held to be outside of the constitutional sphere of the province.

The territorial ordinance which has been vetoed required certain companies doing business under Federal charter in the Territories to take out a license. This was clearly an encroachment upon the powers of the Federal parliament, and therefore has not been allowed to go into effect.

Taxes	656 34
Balance Bank, balance owing them 31st December, 1901	10476 81
	$ 11069 16

PAYMENTS.

Ontario Bank, balance owing them 16th December, 1901	$ 5844 75
Assessments	64 16
Administration Justice	515 62
Charity	34 47
Fire Department	786 23
Granolithic Walks, maintenance	15
Health	30 75
Heating	24 75
Hydrants	1102 50
Interest to R. Hall and Chas. McGill, Trustees	441 64
Law	125 00
Light	1426 45
Miscellaneous	29 34
Municipal Government	181 70
Printing and Stationery	30 90
Property	[illegible]
Special Grants	150 00
Streets and Bridges	239 75
Street Watering	17 70
Snow Ploughing	12 46
Sewer Connections	2 62
Sewer Maintenance	9 15
Sewer Contract No. 1	252 00
Smith street Bridge	13 38
Small Pox	372 75
Water Rates	6 [illegible]
Water Works	45 [illegible]
	$ 11069 16

Statement of Receipts and Payments from 1st January, 1902, to 14th December, 1902, inclusive.

RECEIPTS.

Ashburnham	$ 187 60
Arrears of Taxes	164 60
Auburn Power Co.	290 50
Administration of Justice	29 85
Bell Telephone Co.	400 00
Dog Tags	706 00
Debentures	16997 11
Fire Departments	35 30
Granolithic Walks	42 11
Interest	236 21
Law	204 30
Licenses	4932 00
Market Tolls	1353 22
Ontario Bank, loan account	220000 00
Police Court	611 67
Property	14 20
Printing and Stationery	6 15
Public Schools	961 00
Railway Damages	50 00
Streets and Bridges	37 76
Sewer Connections	481 35
Water Commissioners	10000 02
Taxes	85218 00
	$[illegible] 12
Ontario Bank, balance owing them 15th December, 1902	5440 30
	$[illegible] 42

PAYMENTS.

Assessments	$ 1319 11
Administration of Justice	1595 20
Board of Education	24961 00
Charity	1247 28
Chairmen's expenses	7 40
Collector of Taxes, amount overpaid by him	110 71
Dog Tax	22 25
Elections	218 00
Fire Department	3961 95
Grano. Walks, Con. 11	273 25
Grano. Walks, Con. 2 to 8	60 00
Grano Walks, Con. 10	41 42
Grano. Walks, Con. 12	164 60
Grano. Walks, maintenance	73 45
Health	371 07
Heating	172 01
Insurance	37 20
Interest	649 56
Law	804 00
Light	4478 67
Market	99 21
Miscellaneous	1237 06
Municipal Government	2394 04
Ontario Bank, loan account	[illegible] 25
Parks	40 50
Printing and Stationery	847 28
Property	906 25
Refunds	77 30
Railroad Damages	60 00
R. C. Separate Schools	4400 00
Special Grants	2362 00
Streets and Bridges	[illegible] 31
Street Watering	1023 15
Snow Ploughing	508 00
Sewer Connections	409 10
Sewer Maintenance	39 13
Sewer Contract, No. 9	[illegible] 00
Sewer Contract No. 10	730 03
Sewers, Contract, No. 11	[illegible]
Sewers, Contract No. 12	2196 36
Sewers, Contract No. 13	630 07
Sewers, Contract No. 14	[illegible]
Sewers, Contract No. 15	733 00
Small Pox	767 05
Smith street Bridge	4 24
Street Numbering	34 40
Town Trust Commissioners, School Debentures	[illegible] 28
Town Trust Commissioners, Town Debentures	[illegible] 87
Voters' Lists	[illegible]
Water	9 30

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Morning Times

UNION LABEL

PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 16, 1902.

SOUTH AFRICA

Although John Morley very strongly opposed the war in South Africa, and so far placed himself at variance with the great body of the British nation, his perfect sincerity has never been doubted, and his attitude has commanded respect. His recent friendly remarks regarding Mr. Chamberlain and his visit to South Africa have therefore been received throughout Great Britain with peculiar satisfaction. Mr. Morley kept simple justice, and not the exigencies of party, in view, when he told the National Liberal Club that he hoped for the best results from Mr. Chamberlain's visit. If any were inclined to make unnecessary difficulties, they would soon find that Mr. Chamberlain was their master. He could think, he said, of no man better fitted for "the formidable task of reconstructing the social fabric adjusting the different interests, and overcoming the material difficulties which at present confront the Government." If Mr. Morley were in Canada he would find many zealous friends who would tell him that it was "very bad politics" to pay so handsome a tribute to one of his strongest political opponents. "You are strengthening the hands of the Government," it would be said. Mr. Morley's idea is that the Government's hands, and everybody's hands, should be strengthened for good whenever there is a chance—strengthened for good and only weakened for evil. If Mr. Morley thought that Mr. Chamberlain was going to do more harm than good in South Africa he would say so. But he doesn't; he has confidence in his mission, and he says so with equal frankness. Surely, there is a point of view from which this should be called "good politics."

THE BANK OF COMMERCE

The results of the business of the Canadian Bank of Commerce for the twelve months ending with November have been made known. Net profits were $1,[illegible], or at the rate of 12.85 per cent. on capital, and 10.15 per cent. on capital and reserve, and there had been $251,-[illegible] carried over. After dividend there was half a million to carry to Rest, $15,000 for Pension Fund, and $51,725 spent on bank premises was written off. There still remained surplus earnings of $[illegible], which sum was carried forward. The showing is a remarkable one, for the total assets of this bank now reach $[illegible] and it has $24,107,000 in cash or readily available assets, while its circulation is nearly seven and a half millions. Of the total deposits amounting to more than $58,000,000, no less than $[illegible] is without interest. The annual meeting is announced for the 13th January.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Belleville Ontario:—The great fault that we find with the Board of Water Commissioners (not the individuals composing it, but the system of management) is its complete independence of the Council and people. It is a very important department of the city's business, and we do not think it should be conducted with such absolute secrecy as the Commissioners have seen fit to adopt. However, the question has reached the point at which we wanted it to arrive when we first broached the matter last spring. It is before the people, and if the majority of the ratepayers want the change made it will be made.

The Roman Catholic Archbishop of New York has addressed a strongly-worded circular to the liquor dealers of his flock, calling attention to the pronunciamento of the third plenary council of his church against the liquor traffic. His Grace says that in the consideration of the means of reformation to be used, the members of the Council devoted a whole chapter of the proceedings of the Council—"a chapter of sad but salutary reading." A feature of this chapter was the admonition to the liquor dealers to get out of business, to "choose some honorable way of making a living. If they found it impossible to quit it they should remove the occasion of sin from themselves and from others by not selling to minors or others who go to excess, by keeping their saloons closed upon the Lord's Day by prohibiting on the premises blasphemy, gambling and obscene language.

"But if," says the Archbishop, "through their action, or with their co-operation, religion is dishonored and men are led to ruin, let them remember that there is an Avenger in heaven who will certainly demand of them a terrible retribution." The Archbishop uses very strong language, but he probably found none other would be equal to the occasion.

Lieut. Ross, R.A., formerly of D. Battery, R. C. A., is in the city visiting friends, having served through the war and only returned to England from South Africa after peace was proclaimed. Lieut. Ross says that a number of the Canadian horses handed over by the Ottawa section to the 45 battery at Belfast in December, 1900 lasted through the war, though almost constantly on trek, and went home to England with the battery practically as good as ever they were. They were on service for over two-and-a-half years. The men of the Ottawa section, D battery, will regret to learn that it was a section of the 84th battery, R. A., that was cut off with the rearguard of Benson's column early this year and old Major Guinness, who was chief of artillery on General Smith-Dorien's treks, was killed with the lieutenant in charge and most of the men.

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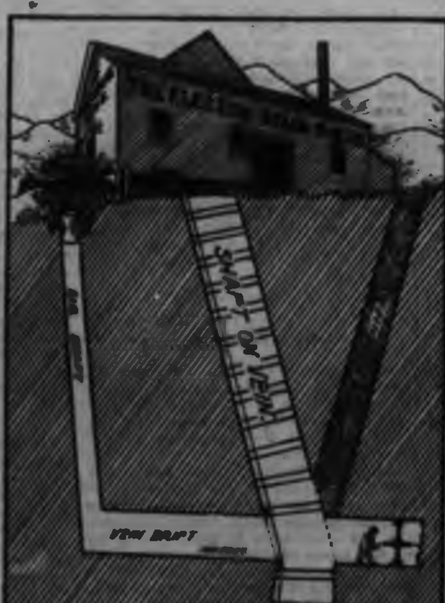
Finance and Mining



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The ore from this mine contains GOLD, SILVER and COPPER, which aggregate values of from $25 to $85 per ton; $10 ore from this mine will pay a handsome profit to work. We are located ¼ of a mile from BLACK HAWK, GILPIN COUNTY, COLORADO, on the Colorado & Southern Railway, only 40 miles from Denver. This is one of the oldest and RICHEST MINING SPOTS in the country. One great historian has called this county the GOLDEN BOWL with a silver rim; the central part of the county abounds with hundreds of rich gold mines, while the outer edge is dotted with silver mines. The Electric Spark Company is located almost in the center of this famous golden bowl.

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W. A. ROGERS, Secretary and Treasurer.

ISSUE OF
$1,000,000 7% Preferred Stock in 10,000 Shares of $100 each at par.

CANADIAN STEEL & COAL CO

CAPITAL.

[illegible]0,000 shares Common Stock, par value $100 each, issued and fully paid	$5,000,000 00
10,000 shares 7 per cent. Cumulative Preference Stock, par value $100 each	$1,000,000 00
Total Capitalization	$6,000,000 00

PREFERENCE STOCK

This Stock is preferred both as to Capital and Dividends.

The shares are entitled to cumulative preferential dividends from the net earnings of the Company, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, payable half-yearly on the first days of April and October. They may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged for common shares. They are subject to be called in, in whole or in part, by the Company, at $115.00 per share, at any time on or after 1st January, 1909.

The total issue of Preferred Stock is only $1,000,000.00, the whole of which is now offered.

Subscriptions for 10,000 shares of $100 each of the 7 per cent Preferred Stock of the CANADIAN STEEL AND COAL COMPANY will now be received at par, that is, $100 for each $100 share as follows:—

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[illegible]0 per cent on allotment.
5 per cent each 30 days thereafter.

☞ One share of common, par value $100.00, given with each share of preferred.

The whole of the instalments remaining unpaid at any time may be prepaid in full. A discount of one per cent will be allowed upon the par of each share prepaid at time of allotment.

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It is intended to apply to the Stock Exchanges in New York, Boston, Montreal and Toronto for the listing of the stock of the company.

The CANADIAN STEEL AND COAL COMPANY was organized to min and manufacture iron and coal, coke and steel in Canada at Atlantic tidewater.

The raw materials for these manufactures are:—

1.—COAL. 2.—IRON. 3.—LIMESTONE.

All these materials we have at hand.

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The Company controls 3,000 acres of excellent coal areas in the Province of Nova Scotia, and efforts are being made to increase this to 10,000 acres by the purchase of some very valuable additional coal fields.

The coal has been thoroughly tested and found to be suitable in every way for the manufacture of iron and steel, and the supply is practically inexhaustible. The following analysis was made by the Canadian Geological Survey:—

ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
	100.00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 tons [illegible] re above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

3.—FLUX.

We are now negotiating for valuable deposits of dolomite and limestone of the most satisfactory quality, situated on the tide-water, within 100 miles of the works

MARKETS.

For six months in each year the Canadian markets can be reached by water at low freight rates, and at all times by rail. As Cape Breton is distant from Liverpool only about 2,300 miles; is nearer to Pernambuco, Brazil, than any point in the United States, and also nearer to Cape Town, South Africa, it has the advantage, in point of distance, for export business over any American steel-producing points, which, with scarcely any exceptions, are situated some distance from tide water. Under any conditions of the world's market, it is believed that the output of these works can be disposed of at satisfactory prices.

OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows:—

	ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000

or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6¾ years........ $670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000 00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

If the capitalization was increased to .... $20,000,000.00 this estimate would still show a dividend-earning capacity of 10 per cent. per annum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Coal Co. is .... $20,000,000.00 earning fully 12 per cent., and is paying 8 per cent. guaranteed dividends on this enormous sum.

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STOCK MARKETS
The Worst Over

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Summary,—Prevalence of bear articles in Sunday papers was followed by a heavy bear attack directly after the opening of the market. The market's resisting power seemed greater than last week, and after a heavy fusilade prices turned in an upward direction. The smaller fry among the room traders and speculators generally are veering to the bear side. It is a bad policy in prosperous time to bear a market after a decline of 20 or 30 dollars per share. We cannot too strongly urge the public to commence purchasing at this range of prices and herewith offer to carry for you on our customary margins any purchases you may see fit to make at present through our house at the usual interest rates, no matter how high they may be quoted. Money closed at 4 per cent. Sales 854,100.

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The New Bank's Premises

The Metropolitan Bank will occupy temporary premises in the Grand Central Block, opposite The Times' building. It is understood that other premises have been secured.

"Homely People."

The lecture delivered last night in the Y.M.C.A. Hall, in aid of the piano fund, by Mr. Thos. McGillicuddy, of Toronto, on "Homely People," was well attended. The address was eloquent and instructive.

Who Gets the Rake-Off?

It has been proved before the United States coal commission that the railways pay the independent operators $2.50 per ton for anthracite at the mines. And coal is $12.00 per ton in Peterborough, and $10 at Suspension Bridge.

A. R. M. Bible Club

On Wednesday evening the regular meeting of the A.R.M. will be held in the club room, Y.M.C.A., at the usual hour, 7.30, and all the members are asked to be present, as this will be the last meeting of the year. The class will adjourn for two weeks, and begin again on Wednesday, January 7th, 1903.

Mrs. Dunlop Injured

The many friends of Mrs. A. C. Dunlop will regret to learn that she met with a rather serious accident on Sunday. It appears she went upstairs in her residence, and while doing something with a wardrobe, it fell on her, cutting her on the head and severing an artery. Medical aid was at once summoned, and we are pleased to be able to state that no serious injury has resulted.

The late Patrick McDonough

The demise of Mr. Patrick McDonough, corner Park and Sherbrooke streets, is recorded. The deceased had been in poor health for some time, and his death was therefore not unexpected. He was only 38 years of age, and was for many years a trusted employe of the Lock works. The funeral will take place from the residence of his father at 9 o'clock and proceed to St. Peter's Cathedral, and thence to the Roman Catholic Cemetery for interment.

Veterans Must Move

The attention of the veterans is called to the fact that all applications for land must be fyled with the Crown Lands Department, Toronto, before the end of this month. The applicants have two years in which to locate after their application has been granted and a location certificate issued. About 7,000 location certificates have already been issued. The [illegible] committee room at the Parliament building is open each evening for the convenience of the veterans desirous of obtaining information relative to location of their land grants. Plans showing the [illegible] of the Temiskaming Railway, and the location of lands already taken up in that district, are in view there, and an official is in attendance to give any information veterans may require.

An Open Air Rink

The executive of St. Peter's T.A.S. Hockey Club is considering the advisability of erecting an open air rink for hockey purposes on the Murray street school grounds. A gentleman who was in town on Saturday evening, and gave the executive the benefit of his experience with an open air rink in Marmora, and as a result the scheme is being considered by the Club. The Murray street grounds are an ideal spot for a rink of this nature, being centrally located, and a splendid sheet of ice could be furnished the T.A.S. hockeyists.

The Direct Line

From Peterborough to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and the South is via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley Railroad. Route of the "Black Diamond Express." Pullman sleeping and dining car service from Toronto. Everything first class. Scenery and service unsurpassed. [illegible] at W. Bunton's ticket office Peterborough [illegible]

MR. BURNHAM'S LECTURE

Delivered Last Night Before St. Peter's Total Abstinence Society

Mr. Burnham's lecture on "The History of the Workingman" in the T.A.S. rooms last night was directed towards showing that the ballot box is the workingman's best means of improving his position in life. Mr. Burnham explained how in ancient times the laborer, being on land, could supply his needs, whether there was employment otherwise or not. This made him independent. To-day he is in a different position, and if the laws favour the capitalists at his expense, it is his own fault. When he learns to make proper use of this powerful instrument, he will have attained the best position in life that freedom, fair play and kindliness can afford him.

At the conclusion of Mr. Burnham's address a vote of thanks was tendered him.

THE LATE ABRAHAM WILKINS

Death of One of Peterborough's Oldest Pioneers

We regret to have to record the death of Mr. Abraham Wilkins, an old and esteemed citizen of the town, which took place at the family residence, 48 Albert Street, on Sunday last. Mr. Wilkins fell on the sidewalk in front of his home on December 9th, and sustained a fracture of his hip, from which he never rallied. He was 80 years of age, and came to this country from England about sixty years ago, settling in Peterborough, where he resided until his death.

Of a kindly disposition, Mr. Wilkins was greatly esteemed, and was widely known. He was identified with St. John's church, and was regarded as an honorable and conscientious man. He leaves a family of two sons and one daughter:—Thomas, of London, Ontario; William, and Mrs. Francis Sager, of Smith.

The funeral will leave the family residence, Albert street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock for the Little Lake Cemetery.

THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

The Business of the Court Concluded Yesterday Morning

The non-jury sittings of the High Court of Justice opened this afternoon before Hon. Mr. Justice Britton. Upon the opening of the Court, his honor, Judge Dennistoun, on behalf of the local bar, extended to Mr. Justice Britton a welcome, this being the first time he has presided in Peterborough. He made a very suitable reply.

The first case taken up was that of Carew vs. G.T.R. R. R Ruddy, Millbrook, for plaintiff; W. R. Riddell, Toronto, for defendant.—Judgment reserved.

The case of Armstrong vs. Armstrong was settled out of court.

The case of Fairbairn vs. Quinn, was concluded about 7.30 p.m., a verdict being entered in favor for plaintiff for $5. This concluded the business, and the court adjourned.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—One of these days this town will wake up to find a municipal election in progress.

—A meeting of the executive of the Young Men's Guild, of St. Andrew's church, will be held in the vestry at 8 o'clock to-night.

—The C.D.A., one of Peterborough's most popular social clubs has announced its intention of giving a dance in the Forester's Hall on Jan. 6th.

—The Board of Directors of the Canadian Bank of Commerce have granted a bonus of 10, 15, and 20 per cent. to all the employes of the bank, from the general manager to the junior clerk, as a Christmas box.

—The twentieth anniversary of the reorganization of Otonabee Lodge, No 18, I.O.O.F., was held in the Oddfellows' Hall last night. There was a large attendance of brethren. Refreshments were served during the evening.

—At a meeting of the Ministerial Association held yesterday morning, arrangements for a week of prayer were made, of which full particulars will be published later. It was also decided to hold a series of evangelistic meetings some time in the new year.

This evening the Young Men's Guild of the George street church will hold their regular monthly meeting. Mr. Francis will give an address on electrical engineering. Refreshments will be served. All the men are invited to come and enjoy this social hour.

—The members of the Fraser Mission Band, of St. Paul's Presbyterian church are reminded of the regular monthly meeting of the Band which will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock, when papers which promise to be most interesting will be read on Formosa and Japan.

—Local railway men are jubilant over the increase in wages that the C.P.R. have granted them. All conductors and trainmen east of Fort William, receive an increase averaging 15 per cent which will amount to about $240,000 per annum.

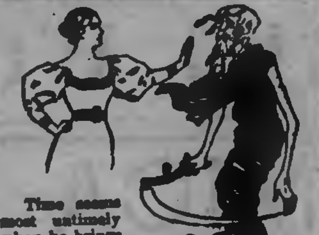
SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Ottawa Citizen:—Mr. James Kendry, the popular M.P., for West Peterboro, was in the city yesterday on private business.

—The Times was favored with a pleasant call yesterday from Mr. Alex. McAuley, the popular roadmaster of the C.P.R., who came down from Toronto in the morning returning in the evening.

High Tariff vs. Low Tariff

The great question before Canadians today is the tariff. From one end to the other of this broad Dominion the question of a high or low tariff is being discussed. Honest discussion is what the people of Canada want. It will be interesting to know that the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal, has opened its columns for a full and free discussion of this important question. The leaders of both political parties are invited to give their views. Farmers, manufacturers, importers, etc., will have an opportunity to express themselves. The Family Herald, being a purely non-political paper, absolutely independent of all political parties or interests, is the one paper in Canada wherein such an open discussion can be carried on. With the Family Herald and Weekly Star's immense circulation at every postoffice in the Dominion, this will be a splendid opportunity for the leaders of both parties to air their views on the tariff question, and the public will naturally expect to hear from them through the Family Herald and Weekly Star. The discussion will be watched with great interest.



Time seems most untimely when he brings a woman to the turn of life. Life is or should be at its ripest and best for her, and she approaches this change with a dread of its effect born of her knowledge of the sufferings of other women at this season.

There is not the slightest cause for fear or anxiety at this period if Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is used. It gives health of body and cheerfulness of mind, and by its aid the pains and pangs of this critical period are prevented or cured.

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EXCURSION TO BERLIN!

Farmers should be interested in the fact that an opportunity will be given them to thoroughly investigate the merits of the beet sugar industry as it is carried on at the large factory in Berlin. A special train has been secured for on or about December 30th, which will go and return the same day. The rate will not be higher than $3, return. The hour of starting will probably be about 6.30 a.m. and of returning about 10 p. m.

FOR THE MAYORALTY.

Card to the Electors of Peterborough

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

In response to the numerous representations which have been made to me upon the subject, personally, by requisition, and through the press, I place my services at the disposal of the public as a candidate for the Mayoralty at the approaching municipal elections.

My association with the important municipal advances which the Town has been making during recent years, will enable me to give continuity to the aggressive forward policy which the Council has sought to pursue, and to bring experience and information gained therein to bear upon the work and problems which still more immediately confront us.

While I cannot lay claim to all the qualifications which have been flatteringly ascribed to me, such capacity for the office as I do possess is cheerfully placed at your service, and I ask your sympathy and support in the effort to maintain the position and standing, and advance the welfare of our already prosperous and progressive Town.

Respectfully yours,

G. M. ROGER

DIED

PATTERSON—On Saturday, Dec. 13th, Clarence Beverly, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Patterson.

WALLACE—On Tuesday, Dec. 9th, 1902, at her parents' residence, 583 Bannatyne Avenue, Winnipeg, Nellie V. the third daughter of George and Elizabeth Wallace, aged 19 years, 10 months and 10 days.

THE TOWN COUNCIL

Concluded from page 2.

Water Commissioners...	4481 69
Water Works, Revenue acct.	2992 27
Water Works, Capital acct.	230000 00
	$350456 11
Ontario Bank, balance owing from 1901......	10476 31
	$360932 42

TAXES FOR 1902.

Amount of Collector's Roll.$	86364 85
Amount collected to and including 13th December ...	75690 74
Amount still unpaid ... ...$	10674 11

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

ASSETS.

Taxes of 1902 unpaid...... ......$	10674 11
Less percentage off for prompt payment......	1198 13
	9476 98
Add percentage of payments made after due......	500 00
	9976 98
Less estimated loss......	1000 00
	8976 98
Arrears of Taxes......	391 00
Less estimated loss......	41 00
	350 00
Ashburnham......	62 50
Auburn Power Co......	42 25
Otonabee Power Co......	27 00
Peterboro Light & Power...	100 00
Bell Telephone Co......	100 00
Market Tolls	105 84
Water Commissioners...	5000 00
Stouffville, Town of......	50 00
Expended to date on the following works for which debentures will be issued:	
Grano. Walks, Con. 11 and 12.	458 70
Sewers, Con. 10 to 15...... ...	3322 77
Interest to be added to local improvement works	150 00
Interest to be added to local Waterworks capital account......	300 00
	$ 21158 04

LIABILITIES.

Ontario Bank, overdraft ...$	2440 20
Trustees Nicholls Estate, loan......	4288 74
Trustees Nicholls Estate, interest......	267 80
Town Trust Commissioners.	1512 50
Peterboro Light & Power Co.	1501 25
Salaries and Contracts due 31st December......	2000 54
Amounts presented but not paid, and other accounts due 31st December, say:	1374 68
Waterworks capital acct., Short on sale of Debentures $6281 00	
Interest to 31st Dec 800 00	
	7081 00
	$ 20520 94

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THE WAR WAS BEGUN TRUSTING IN THE LORD

And at the Same Time Had Regard for the Condition of the Weapons

How the Boer Leaders Entered the Struggle—De Wet's Book on the South African War

London, Dec. 16—It was maintained throughout the war by the British pro-Boers that their unpatriotic antics in England could have no influence upon the progress of the campaign, as it was, they said, impossible for the Boers to know what was happening in England. General De Wet's history of the war tells, however, quite another story in its appendices, from which it appears that the agitation in England had the most mischievous results.

Many passages from the book might be quoted to prove this. De Wet himself, when the acceptance or refusal of the British terms was hanging in the balance, urged that the Boer cause was not hopeless, as there was widespread sympathy for the Boer cause.

Even in England, he maintained, this sympathy is to be found, as is shown by the largely attended "pro-Boer" meetings which have been held in that country. And that feeling is widespread in our favor is evident from the reports which we received by word of mouth.

Other references in "Three Years' War" show that the enemy watched all that passed in this country with the closest attention. Judge Herzog, for instance, thought that the outcry over the corn tax, raised by the same pro-Boers in England, showed the desperate condition of British finance, and proved that this country was going to have serious trouble with its taxpayers.

De Wet thought, he tells us in one of his speeches, that if the English Government were pressed it would concede more.

England, he said, will negotiate again if we continue the war. She will offer still more favorable terms, she will not even stick at independence.

It was always maintained by the pro-Boers that England provoked the war. Yet up gets General Smuts at the Vereeniging conference and affirms:

"To me the situation is all the darker because I am one of those who, as members of the Government of the South African Republic, provoked the war with England."

And General Schalk Burger follows with another cruel indiscretion:

"We began this war, strong in the faith of God. . . We had considerable confidence in our own weapons; we under-estimated the enemy; the fighting spirit has seized upon our people; and the thought of victory had banished that of the possibility of defeat."

Nothing was more frequently asserted by the pro-Boers than that the Boer women had nothing to fear from the Kaffirs. Indeed, Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman had the temerity to advance this proposition publicly in the House of Commons. Yet Mr. Grobler, the Bethel commandant, states, "Some of the women had been insulted by Kaffirs." Mr. Birkenstock, of Vryheid, adds that "there is continual danger from the Kaffirs, whose attitude is becoming positively hostile." Why that attitude became hostile is revealed by another Boer speaker, who genially informs us that he and his men men took what they wanted from the Kaffirs whether the Kaffirs liked it or not.

The pro-Boers told us that a policy of severity would only spread disaffection, and heap fuel on the flames of rebellion in Cape Colony. Yet what say the Boers themselves? General Smuts states that it "was exceedingly difficult for Colonials to rise, for they knew that if they were captured they would be very severely punished by the English." and Botha remarks that the Colonials, though willing enough, "have been cowed by the heavy penalties imposed on all those who did rise. Many of those are well disposed to us but dare not join us now."

WHAT THE MEN EARN AT THE COAL MINES

Delaware and Hudson Wage Figures Now Made Public

BEFORE THE STRIKE COMMISSION

The Average Yearly Wage [illegible]—The Work of The Commission

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 16.—At the afternoon session of the Anthracite Strike Commission to-day figures were presented by the Delaware and Hudson Coal Company showing that the average earnings of the men at its mines are larger than the public has been led to believe. The figures, which are given below, speak for themselves.

The day's testimony developed an alleged attempt by the operators, through a man named Michael Grimes, to bribe thirty miners to pass a resolution in a Dunmore local for the members of the local to return to work. School superintendents and school principals were called to the stand to show the average age that the children of the miners leave the schools. These figures show that that they attend school almost as long as the children of other people in comparatively the same walk in life. All the witnesses spoke of the high standard of the schools in the coal regions.

The figures submitted by the Delaware and Hudson Coal Company show that company generally carries on the mining of coal by contracting with the miners. The miners employ as many laborers as they see fit, but generally a miner employs only one laborer. All other employees are hired by the operator by the day or month.

The total number of breakers operated by the company in 1901 was twenty-four and the number of tons of coal mined was [illegible]. Of this [illegible] tons were prepared sizes, 72,143 tons were washery coal, and the remainder was in steam sized.

The total paid by the company during the year for all expenses attendant on the mining of coal was [illegible]. The total amount paid to the miners during the year was [illegible]. The average amount paid each miner was $1,071.15. This was exclusive of supplies.

The approximate daily earnings of miners on the basis of breaker days was [illegible]. The approximate daily earnings of the laborers on the same basis was [illegible]. The approximate average earnings of the miner in 1901 was [illegible]; laborer, $449.47. The men employed by the day or month during 1901 earned in the aggregate [illegible]. The average number of days the breakers were operated during the year was 181 3-4; the lost time in 1901 by strikes and holidays other than legal holidays, was at each colliery, 14.7. The lost time by miners, per colliery, between breaker starts and miners starts, was the average, for each miner, of [illegible]; average loss of earning capacity, [illegible] 3-4 per cent. The company has no company store and no company doctor.

THE RUSH IN THE MAILS HAS BEGUN

Approach of Christmas is Already Apparent in Peterborough

MAILS DAILY BECOMING HEAVIER

A Few Pointers as to Postal Rates Which Will be of Interest to Times' Reader Just Now

Now that Christmas is close at hand and the people are in the midst of their purchasing for friends abroad, some information concerning the postal rates will be of general interest.

In the course of the joyous Christmas season, parcels of all sizes and descriptions and almost innumerable pass through the Peterborough office, and not infrequently they do not reach their destination in time, because of carelessness on the part of the senders. For instance, a parcel might be dropped into the box without a stamp upon it, in which case it goes to the Toronto office for "dead" second-class matter, where it might remain for a considerable time before being sent on to the one whom it was intended to make glad. Or again, a parcel may have insufficient postage on it. In such a case it is forwarded, and the recipient is charged with double the amount of postage it lacked. All these things mean delay, and to avoid disappointment should be guarded against.

Between now and the first of the new year, many tons of Christmas and New year gifts will be handled by the staff in the Peterborough office. Every mail, both incoming and outgoing, is larger than at any other time of the year, and the day and night clerks will have no time to spare. They will earn their salaries, if they never did before.

"The rush has already begun," said a postal clerk to The Times on Saturday "and it will daily become greater during the next two weeks. Of course, so far the increase is largely in the mails to and from the Old Country, for both in the British Isles and Canada there are plenty who avoid the rush and any possibility of disappointment by mailing their Christmas gifts about the first of the month. The work should be done early."

The post office officials would impress upon all persons the absolute necessity of wrapping all parcels in stout paper and tying them with stout cord, to lessen the liklihood of their getting broken by the rough handling they invariably receive. The authorities can also be aided by the writing of the address in a large, clear hand. Purchase stamps in advance, and also weigh and stamp packages at home and avoid the jam which generally occurs at the post office.

As to rates:—On parcels (merchandise) to Canada, the rate is 2 cents for 2 ounces and 2 cents for every additional two or fraction of two ounces, and to the United States, 1 cent per ounce. On parcels to England, 24 cents is charged for the first pound, and 12 cents for each additional pound. No parcel over 11 lbs., however, will be carried through the mails. There are two rates on calendars. Those printed on paper or card, 1 cent for two ounces is charged, while for the lithographed calendars 2 cents is charged for the first four ounces, and 1 cent for each additional two ounces. Christmas cards and photos, which form a good proportion of the mail at this season, require 2 cents for the first four ounces, and one cent for each additional two ounces.

A PAIR OF HOLIDAY TALES

How a C. P. R. Express Train Was Saved and How a Child Was Saved

The Times was handed the following for publication. If there is any doubt as to their truth, our readers are referred to Mr. Tom. Boddy.

One tells of a fast speeding express train saved from an awful wreck by an enormous electric light bug which lodged in the engine's headlight and wiggled his hind legs so lively that the magnified reflection in the shadows ahead of the train looked like the warning arms of some person on the track. The train was stopped just short of a dangerous washout, and then the engineer discovered the cause of the mysterious warning.

The other story is different. A little child lay sleeping on its cot. Its parents were absent from the house. A fiend in human form entered the room. He placed a keg of powder under the child's bed. Then he attached a long fuse to it which he carefully lighted. Then he sneaked out to await the explosion. But the child awoke, and finding itself alone began to cry. Its tears ran down over the edge of the bed, and extinguished that deadly fuse, within two feet of the powder.

The long winter evenings have a stimulating effect upon the imagination, but we cannot hope to see these exquisite works of art surpassed, even by our genial friend at the Snowden House.

New Military Regulations

Legislation is likely to be enacted fixing the period of annual drill of the Canadian militia at ten days. While the Government would be able then to call out the militia for that period of time it does not follow that it would do so. On the contrary, the probability is that the period of annual drill would be so determined as best to suit the conditions in the various military districts of Canada. But if it were needed to have the troops in camp for a longer tim up to twenty-one days the Government would have the necessary authority.

CAPE PRISONERS GET OFF EASILY

Royal Commission Does Work Calculated to Have a Pacific Effect

Judges Substitute a Punishment Which Better Fits the Crimes Committed

New York, Dec. 15—A Herald London special says: The Royal Commission on martial law in South Africa is thorough-going and far-reaching. The commissioners, in substance, recommend that sentences of penal servitude, even penal servitude for life, shall be either wholly remitted or reduced to short terms of imprisonment. Most of the cases, more than 700, occurred in Cape Colony and were charges of treason. The usual sentence of the court martial was death, but Lord Kitchener generally substituted penal servitude for life. Many eminent lawyers hold that these sentences, when passed upon civilians, were invalid, but the Indemnity Act of the Cape parliament has removed that question from the sphere of practical politics. The first reflection which this report suggests is the reckless and indiscriminate severity of martial law, which the duke of Wellington declared to be no law at all. There is no reason to suppose that the officers who composed these tribunals in Cape Colony during the war were incompetent or unjust. They were doubtless honorable and intelligent men, but the penalty of treason is death. They were there to have traitors shot. One Africander in Natal was let off with six years penal servitude, which is now reduced to three. His offence of possessing two soft-nose bullets was described with charming simplicity as "high treason."

The commissioners appear to have done their work in a careful and efficient manner. Two of them were judges of the high court, one being the lord chief justice of England while the third, Sir John Ardagh, is a soldier and formerly chief of the intelligence department at the war office. Almost all of the offences were political, and it would have been an act of high policy to remit the sentences. To leave them as they were was obviously impossible, and to exempt such as were independent of the war would have been easy. The pardon would then have come by an act of pure grace from the King through the channel of his constitutional advisers. Judges are the proper exponents of law, but the exposition of the law is a very different thing from the exercise of the prerogatives of mercy, which to political criminals, implies no censure, direct or indirect upon those who convicted and sentenced them. The report of the commissioners will be understood in Cape Colony to mean that the highest British judge not connected with the government, considers the administration of martial law as unduly severe, and oppressive. The lord chief justice could not take into account, as the cabinet might, the desirability of pacifying classes and races at the Cape. He could only compare the crime with the punishment, and say by how much the latter was excessive. The result is certainly a triumph for those who denounced martial law while it was being administered. Inasmuch, however, as more than a hundred prisoners have already been released by the recommendation of the commissioners, and as the sentences reduced to two years will soon expire, the influence of the commission is likely to be pacific. It has at least, relieved the government from the responsibility which they were strangely unwilling to face.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 15—According to a semi-official announcement of James J Hill, president of the Great Northern Railway, made here today, that road has planned for the creation of a large ship-tain Boer leaders. Though he does not say so, his own brother was one of the men at whom this shaft was aimed.

"Piet De Wet was a renegade. If the two men ever meet Christian will shoot Piet down like a dog.

"Piet De Wet was a boyhood friend of mine, and I looked upon him as an upright, honest, God-fearing youth and man. But he betrayed his countrymen. He went over to the enemy and led soldiers under the British flag.

"He disgraced a name that his brother sought to make synonymous with loyalty and bravery. The world should know that his brother does not condone the other's misdeeds.

WILL SHOOT PIET.

"Christian De Wet would not relish the idea of murdering anyone, least of all a son of his own father. He does not come of a murder-loving race, but if Piet ever crosses his path he will kill him and never after suffer a qualm of conscience.

"Piet knows this. He has been warned. He probably will do his best to keep out of the way. Nor will Christian seek him out. It will be merely evil chance if the two come face to face.

"When Piet De Wet laid down his arms at Lindly and surrendered himself and his men without firing a shot, he furnished an example of the most tragic feature of our war."

Chicago, Dec. 16.—"If General Christian De Wet and his brother, Piet De Wet, ever meet, blood will be shed," said Francis William Reitz, state secretary of the South African republic, and for seven years president of the Orange Free State, soon after his arrival in Chicago today.

The story he tells of the hatred borne by the greatest of Boer guerilla generals for his brother has never before been made public. It is a tale, Mr. Reitz says, that the whole world ought to know.

MR. W. J. MORROW'S NEW STORE.

He Has Opened Up a New Grocery Store on Hunter Street

Mr. W. J. Morrow has secured a lease of the commodious premises formerly occupied by Mr. Ed. Welsh, opposite the Oriental Hotel, on Hunter Street, where he has opened up a first class grocery store. Mr. Morrow is known far and near as an experienced groceryman, and will, we are sure, do a large business. His stock is the very best that money can buy, and will be sold at the closest prices. The Times bespeaks for Mr. Morrow a liberal share of the patronage of the public.

Little Girl Burned to Death

Brockville, Dec. 16.—News of a terrible death comes from near Andrewsville, the victim being a little girl named Nellie Grey, who was fatally burned. The child's grandmother, Mrs. Rebecca Grey, was outside doing some work about the barn, leaving the child alone in the house. She was only gone a short time, but on returning the little one's clothes were in flames and the flesh of the body to the knees was literally roasted. A physician was summoned, but nothing could be done to save her, and she died within a couple of hours, suffering great agony.

"PAY LIVING WAGES OR GIVE UP COAL MINES"

The Strike Commissioners Express Views on Miners' Pay--Little Girls Testify to the Pitiful Compensation They Get

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 16—The mine workers, after occupying nineteen days in presenting about 160 witnesses, practically closed their case before the Anthracite Coal Commission yesterday afternoon.

The afternoon session was one of the most important sittings the commission has yet held, because the question of whether the close relationship of the coal-carrying railroads with the mining companies shall figure in the Commission's efforts to adjust the controversy came squarely before the arbitrators.

Mr. Gray's Ruling.

The decision of the Commission, if Chairman Gray's remarks can be so called, was briefly this: That the Commission, in a general way, is adverse to widening the scope of the investigation beyond the terms of the submissions of the miners and operators; that in carrying on the investigation it assumes the coal company can afford to pay fair wages; that if the coal companies, in presenting their side of the case, maintain they cannot afford to give an increase in wages, then the commission will hear what the miners have to say on the ability of the companies to do so; and if a business cannot pay fair wages, the employer ought to get out of it.

These points were brought out during the two hours consumed by the miners' lawyers in reading documentary evidence, to the whole of which the coal companies entered specific and general objections.

Under One Control.

The mine workers depended a great deal on the evidence they had to present to show that the coal-carrying railroads control the coal companies, and that the railroads charge exorbitant and discriminating freight rates, thus greatly decreasing the revenues of the mining properties. The miners wanted to present this evidence in documentary form but an objection was made to it, and sustained by the Commission, with the above rulings, the matter was not pressed.

The early part of the afternoon session was taken up in hearing the testimony of the remaining witnesses, who are or have been in the employ of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company, after which Mr. Darrow announced the close of his case, excepting that he would call one witness tomorrow on a matter entirely different from anything that had been offered.

James H. Torrey, for the Delaware and Hudson Company, said the companies did not want to go into their case and then after awhile have the miners come in with some production of tabulations that would start an issue that the companies would have to go back and meet.

Judge Gray replied the Commission would be adverse to widening the scope of the investigation beyond the terms of the submission.

Mr. Lloyd then read a syllabus of the documentary evidence the miners' counsel had to present. He said:

"For the purpose of connecting the present facts with the past, we offer evidence of the clauses, character and results of the combination, both of labor and capital in the anthracite coal industry; the profits of the business both of mining and transportation; the relations of transportation companies to operators and miners and the economic, political and social consequences that have resulted. This evidence we obtained from the reports of the various legislative investigations by the States of New York and Pennsylvania and by Congress from [illegible] to the present time.

Proof of Monopoly.

He read several reports of legislative and Congressional investigations of the mining industry, and followed this up by reading from financial and trade journals reports of the roads and mine companies, public announcements of financial institutions to show that a monopoly exists in the anthracite industry. He submitted five points in evidence to prove it.

It was during the discussion as to freight rates that Chairman Gray made the announcement that the commission was assuming that the operator could pay a fair wage, and that if employers cannot pay fair wages they ought to get out of the business.

Mr. Lloyd seemed to be satisfied with this view, and said he would go no further that the principle thus laid down by the commission would be welcomed by the workingmen of the country and not a precedent.

"If that principle is carried out, no employer in the country could, when his profits were low, decrease a workman's wages below the standard of fairness," he remarked.

Little Girls Testify.

Several little girls employed in silk mills were among the witnesses today. The first girl was 11 years old, and she had to go to work because her father had been hurt in the mines. She said she worked from 7 a.m. until 6 p.m., for $2 a week.

Annie Denko, 13 years old, said she worked at night from 6.30 o'clock until 6.30 in the morning. She had to stand up 'all' night during the work and received 66 cents a night. When the girl said she was employed at night, every member of the commission seemed to be shocked. Judge Gray appeared especially indignant. "I would like to see the father of these girls," said the judge. "It may be necessary to send them to the mills, but I don't think a father has a right to coin the flesh and blood of his children into money."

A Slavonian girl, 13 years old, who also worked at night gave her testimony through a 13-year-old girl interpreter. She worked twelve hours each night and received three cents an hour. She testified that her father owned the house she lived in. Chairman Gray remarked:

"Well, I'd like to see her father."

Another 13-year-old girl said she worked all night in the silk mill at Dunmore for 66 cents a night. Judge Gray said: "Does your father own his house?"

"Yes, sir, he's my father."

"He is your stepfather, I thought so."

The miners then put a breaker boy on the stand. He is 14 years old and has a 10-year old brother working in a breaker. The father of the boys was killed in the mines.

CRIMEAN VETERANS IN BOSTON

Fully a Dozen of the Fighters of Russia in Boston City

Boston, Mass., Dec. 17—There are several veterans of the Crimean war living in and around Boston. A large number of these veterans have the medal with the four clasps, indicating that they served during the whole of the campaign. Remembering that the British army landed at Old Fort, September, 1854, took part in the well-fought and bloody pitched battles of Alma, Inkerman and Balaklava and held the trenches around the closely invested city, through a winter of terrible suffering from cold, lack of food and transportation, and incessant, almost nightly sorties from their brave and active enemy, so that 60 per cent. of the [illegible] perished, it will be seen that the presence of a dozen or more men who were in the first expedition in a foreign city nearly half a century after the war, is a startling record.

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All fagged out, ideas flow slowly as molasses, snap and energy gone! The buoyancy that made work a pleasure, that gone also. A doctor would say you are run down, enervated, neither eating or digesting enough. It's Ferrozone you need to brace up that fitful appetite and improve assimilation and digestion so that lots of pure blood will be formed to nourish the broken down system. Ferrozone will drive away the tired feeling, restore your spirits and energy, revive your ambition and strength for work. No tonic or rebuilder like Ferrozone — try it. Price 50c. per box, or six boxes for $2.50, at Druggists, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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SUBTERRANEAN PRISON CELLS AT PORTO CABELLO WERE BLOWN UP

Loot for the Marines--South America Alarmed Now That the United States Has Not Done Anything?

London, Dec. 17—An expression of a desire for a peaceful settlement of the difficulties has been received in London from the Venezuelan Government.

London, Dec. 16—The Under Foreign Secretary, Lord Cranborne, denied in the House of Commons today that the British commander was responsible for the sinking of the Venezuelan ships.

Will South America Unite.

New York, Dec. 16—The Herald correspondent in Caracas says he has learned on reliable authority that the Government of Argentina, in a despatch from Buenos Ayres, has instructed its consular representative to report to Buenos Ayres as early as possible what appears to be the attitude of the United States, and what view that Government is likely to take of its obligations under the Monroe doctrine in the face of the aggressive action of Great Britain and Germany.

Should the United States decide to remain impassive, on the ground that its interpretation of the Monroe doctrine does not warrant interference with foreign powers resorting to drastic measures for the collection of claims, the correspondent says he is informed that the Government of Argentina, feeling that the autonomy of all Southern American States is jeopardized, is prepared to take a decided stand by the side of Venezuela, and to offer her assistance to President Castro.

Argentina is not anxious to declare her attitude, and will only do so, it is said, in the event that the United States should maintain a complaisant attitude of non-interference.

It is believed that Chili also entertains similar intentions and many official cable messages have been exchanged between official representatives of the Venezuelan Government and those of the Chilian Republic in Valparaiso, as well as with Buenos Ayres.

A Cry From Ecuador.

Guayaquil, Ecuador, Dec. 16 — El Tiempo protests energetically against the attempt on the sovereignty of Venezuela, and says the outrage committed against that Republic affects the whole American continent. It believes that Latin America ought to protest unanimously, and to repel invasion if it is attempted. It considers the conduct of England and Germany as unheard of, as Venezuela is now passing through a revolution, and says they ought to have waited until it was settled to make any claims.

"If the United States does not now put into force the Monroe doctrine, checking the attack of Europe, El Tiempo declares, it will have no right to evoke it again in any case, meaning that it applies only to the North.

Forts Demolished.

Puerto Cabello, Dec. 16— The British cruiser Charybdis and the German cruiser Vineta bombarded the fortress here at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The fire was returned but after a bombardment of 45 minutes the Venezuelan guns were silenced. The fortress is composed of forts Solano and the Castle Libertador. After the firing ceased the Charybdis sent marines to occupy the castle. The fortress was almost demolished. It is probable that only a few persons were injured in the shelling. The commander of the Castle Libertador has been taken prisoner.

The cause of the bombardment was the seizure of the British merchant ship Topaze by the Venezuelans and the non-receipt of a reply from President Castro for immediate satisfaction. The British and German commanders gave the Venezuelans two hours to give that satisfaction.

The people of Puerto Cabello cannot account for this precipitate action on the part of the allies which they consider to be a proof that Great Britain and Germany intend forcing war upon Venezuela. The British marines propose to make use of the cannon in Castle Libertador. No damage was done to the town.

The outside harbor at Puerto Cabello is hardly more than a large bay, offering comparatively little protection to shipping. The inside harbor is very [illegible], and quite commodious. Puerto Cabello is second in importance to La Guayra. The trade of several interior Provinces centres here, and Puerto Cabello is the port of Valencia, an important town in the State of Carabobo.

Where is Uncle Sam?

Puerto Cabello, Dec. 16 The situation here continues to be critical, and there is much excitement among the German residents of Caracas, many of whom have called at the American Legation to seek refuge there. The people of Caracas are astonished that the Government at Washington remains silent in spite of the recent act of the allied fleet.

The enlistment of Venezuelan soldiers continues. Two thousand men from the interior reached Caracas today. The boycotting of British and German goods continues. It is reported that ninety Germans living in the country have offered to support the Venezuelan Government against Germany.

Will Not Land a Force.

London, Dec. 16—Replying to a question in the House of Lords today, Lord Lansdowne, the Foreign Secretary, said that if the seizure of the Venezuelan gunboats did not produce the desired effect further coercive measures would be employed. The matter has been considered in consultation with Germany, and it had been decided to resort to a blockade of the ports. It was not intended to land a British force, and still less to occupy Venezuelan territory.

Under Foreign Secretary Cranborne said no attempt had been made by Great Britain to refer the dispute with Venezuela to arbitration.

Premier Balfour presided at a Cabinet meeting held at the Foreign Office at noon today. The Venezuelan crisis and the King's speech at the proroguing of Parliament were the principal matters considered.

Caracas, Dec. 16—The Italian Minister, Rivas, only handed to the Venezuelan Government certain demands which were not in the form of an ultimatum, and in which he did not specify any limit of time for an answer. His note simply asked for payment of sums due to Italy, and in case of payment being made to other countries, it asked for the same treatment.

The Government answered today in the negative to the note of Minister Rivas, saying that tribunals exist in Venezuela to judge any claims arising from the revolutions.

Cautious Feeler.

Berlin, Dec. 16—The German Government has not replied to President Castro's offer of arbitration of the Venezuelan dispute, being still in correspondence with the British Government on the subject. It is intimated that Germany's reply is not likely to be ready for some days. The opinion in the Cabinet appears to be that President Castro's proposals are merely a move in a game designed to see what Germany and Great Britain are now willing to do, and also as a test of American public feeling. The prevailing idea here at present is that it is too late to arbitrate, ment's concern at the present moment is to guide the application of force so as to avoid what could be taken internationally as a declaration of war, entailing the recognition of Venezuela as a belligerent.

THREE MEN INJURED

A Span Fell at the Rink Yesterday and Injured Three Men

A serious accident occurred at the new skating rink on Charlotte Street yesterday morning, by which three workmen were injured. It appears that contractor Langford's men were placing an iron span in position for the roof, when the top of the span fell. Mr. Tom Padgett, carpenter, was working on the scaffolding just at the top of the column on the right side. He fell from his position, alighting on his shoulders and back with most painful results. A scantling fell on him, but not in such a way as to do injury. The ambulance was summoned and he was removed to the hospital. Mr. Geo. Elliott, carpenter, was working on the side wall at the time of the accident; he was thrown to the ground and sustained a nasty bruise on his forehead. Mr. Geo. Thompson, who was engaged at the iron work in a position above Padgett's, escaped with a few cuts about the face and a bad shaking up.

It was found that Mr. Padgett had three ribs broken on each side of his back. His injuries are not considered serious unless some internal complications arise.

THE BANK OF OTTAWA

Result of Last Year's Business Very Satisfactory—The Bank's Progress

We heartily congratulate the management of the Bank of Ottawa on the result of the year's operations, as shown by the financial statement which we publish elsewhere in this issue of The Times. The bank made a net profit of [illegible] upon the transactions of the year, which enabled the management, after paying $180,000 in dividends upon a capital of $2,000,000 and writing [illegible] off the bank building and furniture account, to carry $100,000 to their rest account, which now amounts to [illegible]. During the year branches have been established at [illegible], Man., Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, and at North Bay and Maxville, Ont., with satisfactory results. So great has been the expansion of the business since the increase of capital in 1899 that the directors were given authority to make a further issue of stock amounting to $1,000,000, of which $500,000 will probably be issued at once. The President, Mr. Chas. Magee, in his address submitted an interesting comparison of the bank's business, which showed that between [illegible] and 1902, while the capital stock had only increased by [illegible], the reserve had grown by $1,150,000, the deposits by [illegible], the circulation by [illegible], the loans by [illegible], and the number of branches from 8 to 24. The President recommended an increase of capital as the only practical means of obtaining relief from the inconvenience experienced in regard to the circulation. The assets of the bank, Mr. Magee stated, were never in a better or more liquid form than they are at present.

It was with universal regret the directors learned that President Magee, who has been on the board since the bank was established, had decided to retire, and they presented him with a cheque for $10,000. Mr. Alex. Fraser, who has been a colleague of Mr. Magee since 1874, also retired. The board was increased in numbers from seven to nine, and Messrs. Geo. H. Perley, H. K. Egan, H. N. Bates and J. B. Fraser, son of Mr. Alex. Fraser, were elected. Mr. Geo. Hay was elected President and Mr. David Maclaren Vice-President.

Why Sniffle and Sneeze

Don't sniffle any more with a cold in the head, just carry a Catarrhozone Inhaler in your vest pocket, use it now and again and you won't have colds. Catarrhozone knocks out a cold in ten minutes, kills a headache in five minutes, and heals racking coughs in half an hour. Inhale the pleasant Catarrhozone vapor five minutes four times daily and it will cure Bronchitis, Lung Trouble, Deafness, Asthma and Catarrh in any part of the system. Catarrhozone is the most direct, modern and scientific method, and is guaranteed to give satisfaction. Complete two months' treatment costs $1.00, trial size 25c. Druggists or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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WEATHER NOTES

Wednesday—[illegible] winds, fair and moderately cold.

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Bank of Ottawa

Twenty-Eighth Annual Report

The 28th Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Bank of Ottawa was held in the Board Room of the Bank at Ottawa on Wednesday, Dec. 10.

Among those present were: J. Roberts Allan, James Ballantyne, H. N. Bate, Newell Bate, W. T. Bate, James Bearman, T. G. Brigham, J. C. Browne, George J. Bryson, Hon. George Bryson, James W. Bryson, R. L. Blackburn, John Christie, J. P. Cunningham, A. H. Edwards, H. K. Egan, Alexander Fraser, J. D. Fraser, J. B. Fraser, George Hay, J. D. Gemmill, G. F. Henderson, John Mather, Denis Murphy, Charles Magee, F. A. Magee, J. L. Murphy, J. B. Maclaren, D. Maclaren, Albert Maclaren, J. P. Miller, W. S. Odell, G. H. Perley, Colin Rankin, Hirman Robinson, C. E. Russell, Sheriff Sweet and, C. W. Treadwell, F. J. Wilson, J. G. Whyte, G. J. Wilson.

The President (by resolution) having taken the chair, and the General Manager having been requested to act as secretary, the following report was submitted:

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS.

The Directors have pleasure in presenting the Twenty-eighth Annual Report, showing the result of the Bank's business for the year ended 30th November, 1902.

The balance at the credit of Profit and Loss Account on the 30th of November, 1901, was		$ 64,805 07
Net profits for the year ending 30th November, 1902, after deducting expenses of management, and making necessary provision for interest due to depositors, unearned interest on current discounts, and for all bad and doubtful debts		298,594 30
		$ 363,460 04
Appropriated as follows:		
Dividend No. 52, 4 1-2 per cent., paid 2nd June, 1902	$100,000 00	
Dividend No. 53, 4 1-2 per cent., payable 1st December, 1902	90,000 00	
Applied in reduction of Bank premises and furniture	14,187 03	
Carried to Rest Account	100,000 00	
		$ 304,187 03
Balance carried forward at credit of Profit and Loss Account		69,272 81
The balance at credit of Rest Account is now		$1,865,000 00

In order to take advantage of the improved conditions of business in the Northwest, branches of the bank have been established since the last annual meeting at Emerson, Man., and Prince Albert, Sask. Branches have also been opened in Ontario, at North Bay, and Maxville. So far as your directors can judge, satisfactory results are promised at each of these points.

As the figures submitted show, the business of the different offices of the Bank for the year has been profitable, and the Bank has participated to some extent in the prosperous condition of the country generally.

At the Annual Meeting in 1897, your Directors were authorized to increase the Capital Stock to $2,000,000. This authority was not availed of until 1899. During the three years which have elapsed since, a material expansion has taken place in the business throughout the Dominion, necessitating increased banking facilities.

Your Directors think it advisable to ask for authority from the Shareholders at this meeting to issue new stock to the amount of of $1,000,000, to be alloted from time to time, in such amounts and at such periods as the Directors may deem necessary.

Reference was made in the last Annual report to the increased accomodation needed by the staff of the Head Office, and to meet the growing wants of the business at the principal office in Ottawa. The changes then referred to were completed during the year, and have added greatly to the efficient carrying on of the Bank's business.

The offices of the Bank have all been inspected during the year.

The Directors willingly bear testimony to the continued faithfulness and zeal of the staff of the Bank.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

Charles Magee, President.

General Statement of Liabilities and Assets as on 30th November

LIABILITIES.

	1901.		1902.	
Notes in circulation		$1,052,965 00		$1,274,196 00
Deposits bearing interest	$8,768,411 39		9,974,289 21	
Deposits not bearing interest	1,080,586 48		1,873,801 87	
		10,880,004 97		11,858,290 08
Deposits made by, and balances due to, other banks in Canada		305,360 00		
Balances due to agencies of the bank, or to other banks or agencies in the United Kingdom		411,238 78		63,836 41
		$12,875,164 05		$13,781,422 90
Capital fully paid up	$2,000,000 00		$2,000,000 00	
Rest	1,700,000 00		1,865,000 00	
Dividend 4 1-2 per cent. (payable in December)	90,000 00		90,000 00	
Former dividends unpaid	288 00		1,122 22	
Reserve for interest and exchange	10,872 00		12,465 00	
Rebate on current discounts	73,410 00		56,556 30	
Balance of Profit and Loss Accounts carried forward	64,805 07		69,272 81	
		4,004,490 17		4,094,417 30
		$16,979,850 22		$17,885,240 33

ASSETS.

	1901.		1902.	
Specie	$ 542,348 00		$ 627,446 48	
Dominion notes	830,380 25		1,004,628 56	
Deposits with Dominion Government for security of note circulation	95,000 00		100,000 00	
Notes of and cheques on other banks	386,445 00		864,302 22	
Deposits made with and balances due from other banks in Canada	387,400 00		338,870 08	
Balances due from Agencies of the bank or from other banks or agencies elsewhere than in Canada and the United Kingdom	347,385 60		312,220 30	
Dominion and Provincial Government securities	464,353 77		464,353 77	
British National War Loan and Consols	384,537 67		606,436 00	
Canadian Municipal Securities or Foreign or Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian	530,314 30		494,419 04	
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	780,897 40		453,660 90	
		$4,174,883 00		$5,043,176 30
Call and short Loans on Stocks and Bonds in Canada		735,765 00		1,130,372 00
Current Loans in Canada		11,820,119 34		11,872,758 00
Overdue Debts, estimated loss provided for		73,886 10		40,384 58
Real Estate other than bank premises		7,076 64		7,006 33
Mortgages on real estate held by the bank		11,948 08		86,000 00
Bank premises		230,000 00		186,000 00
		$16,979,850 22		$17,885,240 33

GEORGE BURN, General Manager.

The President then said:

The report submitted to-day ought to be considered satisfactory by the Shareholders. The net earnings are $30,331 less than last year, due chiefly to the fact that during the year we have considered it good policy to hold large reserves.

On the liability side of the general statement there is an increase in deposits, as compared with last year, of $1,404,338, and a decrease of $356,347 in liabilities, due to other banks in Canada and the United Kingdom.

On the assets side the increases are specie and Dominion notes, $409,774; balances due from the other banks in Canada, Consols, $306,105; Bank premises, $63,000, and in Call Loans, $408,300. The decreases are: Railway and other Bonds, $327,237; Current Loans, $447,366; Overdue Debts, $34,503. These figures show that, although our resources are greater by about one million dollars, the Current and Call Loans, together, are about the same as last year.

A comparison of some of the principal items in the Annual Statement of 1898, with the figures submitted to-day shows remarkable progress, and are as follows:

	Capital.	Reserve.	Deposits.	Circulation.	Loans.
1898	$1,585,410	$ 707,540	$8,889,884	$1,089,587	$6,687,001
1902	2,000,000	1,865,000	11,858,290	1,274,196	12,989,734

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Dead Woman Tied in Buggy

Kingston, Mich., Dec. 15—Ella Beardsley, of Kingston, was found dead, tied in a buggy about four miles south of here. The horse was going homeward. The robes kept her from falling out of the seat. It is believed some one killed her, then tied the body to the seat of the buggy, and turned the horse loose.

Suit Abandoned

The suit threatened by the 48th Highlanders Band, Toronto, against the Mayor and several members of the citizens' committee who took charge of the arrangements on the occasion of the Old Boys' celebration last August, claiming $300 for expenses has been dropped. Last week several of the committee were canvassed by the plaintiffs' solicitor from Toronto, and on his return to the city the local parties were notified that the suit would be dropped if defendants would pay their own costs. The 48th band got all that was coming to them when they were awarded second prize, and endeavored to get expense money from the committee. The costs of the defence is about $25—Cobourg Post.

South African Memorial Fund

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—The treasurer of the South African Memorial Association begs to report the receipt of the following subscriptions for the erection of distinctive memorials in South Africa on the graves of deceased Canadian soldiers. Previously acknowledged, $4,885.40 Proceeds of draft from the Field Force canteens, Pretoria, through the Officer commanding the 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles, being departure fee for 205 men, $372.41. Soldiers Wives' League, per Mary Costigan, Honorary Treasurer, $200.00. Collected through Bank of Commerce, Ottawa, $42.00.

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Tunisian,	Jan. 10	Jan 12, 10 p.m.

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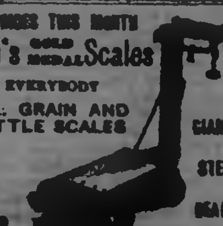

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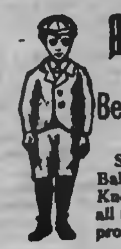

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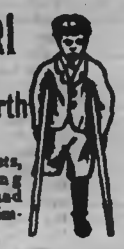

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TITLES.

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2.—IRON.

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1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
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July 1st, 1903, " "	1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " "	1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " "	1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " "	1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6⅔ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
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7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

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New York, Dec. 16.—Have you stopped to consider the extent of depreciation in dollars and cents. Are you aware that the present range of prices means a decline in market valuations of far in excess of one and one half billion of dollars. Would you not imagine that this would more than discount the unpleasant results of close money, specially when you know that close money will only exist for a comparatively short time. The fact that the great railway lines are doing a phenomenal business as heretofore and are bound to do so, should hasten recoveries, once they commence to occur. Any one can figure the cash declines by multiplying the capitalization by the number of points decline in percentage the result will be the depreciation in the selling value of the property. The aggregate of all the companies thus figured will represent Wall streets shrinkage in values. The sum will prove appalling and lead one to the belief that the market at present had gone about low enough. Surely no such cash damage has really been done. Unless all past precedents are of no account the market should be good early, the coming year for an advance of from 10 to 15 points, even if the top pinnacle of our prosperity has been reached. If it has not been reached, then prices will advance from 20 to 40 points. Take the New York Central system with its capital stock of one hundred and fifteen million dollars. The decline in the price of the shares from 170 to 140 represents a cash depreciation for this one stock alone amounting to $23,000,000. Do you think the property is worth that amount less that on Sept. 1st last? To cite further instances would simply cause useless repetition; sufficient is to say these facts apply to every security dealt in on Wall street.

Summary.—Important banking interests are arrayed against further unwarranted declines and are buying securities on favorable opportunities. To-day's market reflected a stronger undertone than for several days. Money closed 4 per cent. Sales 651,100.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 16, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Cape Lost

On Friday night between Peterborough and Lakefield, a black unlined curly-cloth cape. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at Times Bookstore.

Two from Diphtheria

Yesterday a second child of Mr. R. S. Robson died from diphtheria, aged two years. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon to Little Lake Cemetery.

Her Death an Accident

The Magistrate who has charge of the investigation of the death of Mrs. Milton Gore, which occurred in Paris, has announced that there is no longer any doubt that she met her death accidentally.

A Bad Fall

Mr. John Moloney, the efficient and popular Clerk of the County Court, slipped and fell yesterday while passing along Brock street to his office. His head came in contact with the pavement, but fortunately the rim of the hat prevented what easily might have been a fracture of the skull.

Sold His Farm

Mr. Wm. Wood, formerly of South Monaghan, who has for about 30 years been a resident of Missouri, sold his 130 acre farm the other day for $42,000 cash. His stock sale will take place next month, and will probably bring $20,000 more. Mr. Wood is a brother of Mr. R. M. Wood, of town.

Hon. J. W. Longley Coming

The Fortnightly Club has secured the services of the Hon. J. W. Longley, a member of the government of Nova Scotia, who will deliver a lecture here on the evening of Jan. 15th. The subject selected for that evening is, "Men I Have Met" and should prove an interesting and instructive lecture.

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The New President

Mr. W. T. Junkin, who was elected President of the Trent Valley Hockey League on Saturday last, has long been identified with sports. He is village Clerk of Fenelon Falls, the home of one of the swiftest hockey teams in Canada, and a club that will give a good account of itself the coming season, if we are greatly mistaken. Mr. Junkin has been an executive of the league for several years, and his promotion to the position of president of the Trent Valley League is a well deserved compliment.

A Bursted Water Main

A gang of men have been trying to excavate on George street, a few doors below The Times building, in order to repair a water main. It is hard digging, for the ground is frozen. It appears that the old town well is the cause of the trouble. It never was properly filled up, and a slight sinking of the earth has loosened the joints of the water pipe, causing a leak. This well, it is said, was dug over 70 years ago, and was used by nearly all the citizens for domestic purposes, and latterly as a means of extinguishing fires.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The streets yesterday were very slippery, and pedestrians found it difficult to walk.

—The sidewalks yesterday in some places were flooded with water and people took to the middle of the road.

—The Never Learn Dance Class met last night and had a very enjoyable time.

—Yesterday Mr. H. Long was in Port Hope catering to an important social function. Mr. Long is rapidly becoming known abroad as a very successful caterer.

—At the monthly meeting of the Young Men's Guild of the George Street Methodist church last night, Mr. Francis, of the Electric Works, delivered a very instructive address. During the evening refreshments were served.

All active members of the Y.M.C.A. are reminded of the annual meeting of the association to be held in the parlors on Tuesday evening, December 18th at 8 o'clock. Reports, election of officers and other matters of importance.

—An unfounded rumor was in circulation yesterday to the effect that another of the Aisling children had succumbed to scarlet fever. We are pleased to say that the remaining two are doing nicely.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. Lane, of Apsley, was down yesterday on business, and called on The Times and renewed his subscription. He says that everybody in the back country reads this g. t. j.

—Port Hope Guide:—Mr. Donald McClelland, formerly of the Canadian Express Company, left this morning for Peterborough where he has secured a good position in the Toronto Bank. Donald's many friends here wish him every success in the northern town.

—Mr. Andrew McNeil arrived in town on Monday on a business trip, and has been kept busy shaking hands with his many friends. Mr. McNeil, who with his family have been residing in New York for some time, will again take up their residence in Peterborough at an early date. The Times extends him a hearty welcome back to the old town.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thos. A. Hurley, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are in town, the guests of Mr. T. Hurley. Mr. Hurley is head of the foreign department of the Remington Typewriter Company, and has organized the business of this Company in India, Burmah, Ceylon, Straits Settlement, Siam, Java, Australia, New Zealand, Philippines, China, and Japan, and has just returned from an extended tour. He came to Toronto to visit his mother and family, and his uncle, Mr. P. Hurley, of town. He left for Norwood, and returned to New York on Saturday.

Damaged by Water

On account of the bursting of a water pipe in the top flat over Mr. J. D. Tully's drug store, on Monday night, the place was deluged with water, and considerable damage done. In Mr. Manning's dental parlour the water was a couple of inches deep when he entered in the morning. There was also considerable water on Mr. Tully's floor, and the stock was badly injured. The work of repairing went on all day yesterday, but it will be some time before things are put to rights.

EXCURSION TO BERLIN!

Farmers should be interested in the fact that an opportunity will be given them to thoroughly investigate the merits of the beet sugar industry as it is carried on at the large factory in Berlin. A special train has been secured for on or about December 30th, which will go and return the same day. The rate will not be higher than $3, return. The hour of starting will probably be about 6.30 a.m. and of returning about 10 p. m.

FOR THE MAYORALTY.

Card to the Electors of Peterborough

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

In response to the numerous representations which have been made to me upon the subject, personally, by requisition, and through the press, I place my services at the disposal of the public as a candidate for the Mayoralty at the approaching municipal elections.

My association with the important municipal advances which the Town has been making during recent years, will enable me to give continuity to the aggressive forward policy which the Council has sought to pursue, and to bring experience and information gained therein to bear upon the work and problems which still more immediately confront us.

While I cannot lay claim to all the qualifications which have been flatteringly ascribed to me, such capacity for the office as I do possess is cheerfully placed at your service, and I ask your sympathy and support in the effort to maintain the position and standing, and advance the welfare of our already prosperous and progressive Town.

Respectfully yours,

G. M. ROGER.

Bank of Ottawa

Twenty-Eighth Annual Report

Continued from page 3

In 1892 we had six branches, and at present we have thirty-four.

Of the increase in the reserve, $[illegible] was paid in by the Shareholders during the period as premiums on new capital subscribed, and it is not entirely fair to compare the ratio of increases between 1892 and 1902 with the previous ten years, as the business of the country, as shown by the returns of exports and imports, as well as by the increase in deposits in banks, has advanced much more rapidly in the last decade.

Last year I directed attention to the inconvenience most of the banks experienced in regard to circulation, and indicated how, in my opinion, the difficulty could be surmounted; but I have not learned that the Bankers' Association have made any representations to the government, and Mr. Clouston, the President of the Association, at the last annual meeting, recommended an increase of capital as the only practical means of obtaining relief. The three large banks that had a surplus of circulation last year are now, owing to the great expansion of business, finding that they are also nearing the limit, and they cannot be relied upon to supply the needs of other banks. We are, therefore, face to face with the problem of how to find the necessary circulation to meet the wants of our business, and the only remedy we can suggest is to increase the Capital of the Bank, and, if you pass the bylaw to be submitted to-day, it is altogether likely the Directors will issue and allot half the amount, or $500,000, in the proportion of one share to four, as soon as the consent of the Treasury Board of the Dominion Government is obtained.

The Bank Premises Account shows an increase of $35,000, caused by the completion of some of the new buildings and other improvements under way at the beginning of the year. With the exception of two of the new branches opened recently, all the Branch Offices occupy good buildings, and are equipped with the most modern fittings.

There has been a gratifying increase in the number of Shareholders, of sixty, during the year. At the last Annual Meeting the list showed there were [illegible] Shareholders, and now there are [illegible].

The country has again been blessed with bountiful crops, and the business continues to be prosperous. This Bank has, I think, received its full share of the increase consequent upon this continued prosperity.

The recent intimation that the Grand Trunk Railway Company were going to extend their line to the Pacific has been heartily received by the Press and the Public of the Dominion, as the most important announcement since the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

The completion and opening of the Canadian Northern from Port Arthur to near Prince Albert, in time for the moving of the crops last season, was of great assistance to the farmers of the West, and if the Grand Trunk is extended westerly from North Bay on the northerly route suggested, it will give a third outlet for the products of the West, and more particularly of the Saskatchewan Valley.

In 1902 we had six branches, and at and the opening of this new territory, will stimulate the business activity of the whole Dominion, add largely to our population, and tend to prolong the prosperous period we are now enjoying.

Whilst on a visit to the Branches in the Northwest with Mr. Mather and the General Manager in September last, we were much struck with the rapid development of the country, and no one who has not gone through this Western Land in the harvest time can realize the enormous growth and expansion that is taking place, and if this Bank will judiciously extend its operations on the same conservative lines it has been doing in the past, to meet the requirements of the new territory to be opened up, it will, I am sure, add greatly to influence and prosperity.

The Assets of the Bank were never in better or more liquid form than they are at present, and its resources never more capable of taking up new business, which is constantly being offered.

And now, gentlemen, I think I need not make any further comment on the report, but I have a few remarks of a personal nature to make.

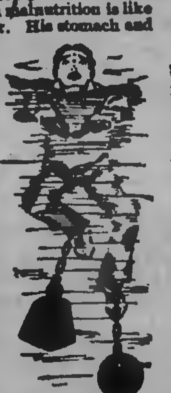
At the regular weekly meeting of the Directors, held on Monday last, I informed the members of the Board that I had decided not to allow my name to be submitted to the shareholders for re-election to-day. You have shown your confidence in me by electing me a director every year since the Bank was established in 1874. I was Vice-President from 1874 to [illegible], when I was elected President. During all these years I have endeavored to do my duty to the best of my ability and judgment. I have been able to work harmoniously with my fellow-Directors and the General Manager for the advancement of the Bank, and during this time we have never had any serious difference of opinion on matters of policy. It is owing to this harmonious working together as a Board that we have achieved success. I became much interested in the work, which was congenial to me. I was proud of the progress of the Bank and looked upon my duties here as an important part of my life work.

My retirement will afford promotion to others, and I hope the newly-elected Board will select Mr. Hay to fill the position I am vacating, as he is deserving of it. He has served on the Board the same length of time as I have, and in every way merits your confidence. I wish to thank you for the trust you have reposed in me for so long, and to ask you to acquiesce in my decision to retire.

Mr. Magee then read the Minute of the Directors referring to his retirement, and that of Mr. Alexander Fraser, who had also announced his intention of retiring, and moved the adoption of the Report.

The President having moved the adoption of the Report, the usual votes of thanks to the Directors and Staff were passed, also Bylaws increasing the number of Directors to nine, and increasing the Capital Stock of the Bank to Three Millions of dollars; also altering Bylaw No. 7 in relation to the remuneration of the Directors.

The following resolutions were then passed:



A MAN CAN'T swim in shackles. It isn't a question of his winning a race, but a question of being able only to keep afloat. The man who is suffering from malnutrition is like the fettered swimmer. His stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition are diseased. It is not a question with him of winning in the race for business but of simply keeping up under any circumstances.

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Moved by Mr. David Maclaren, seconded by Mr. J. Roberts Allan, and resolved:

That, on the occasion of the retirement of Mr. Charles Magee, and in recognition and appreciation of his past services as Vice-President and President of the Bank the General Manager be instructed to pay him ten thousand dollars.

Moved by Mr. George H. Perley, seconded by Mr. George Hay, and resolved:

That this meeting desires to place on record its sense of regret at the loss to the Bank of the valued advice of Mr. Alexander Fraser, by his retirement from the Board of Directors, after being a member thereof since the organization of the Bank.

Mr. Fraser said in reply that he thanked the shareholders for the kind and cordial way in which those present had received and adopted the resolution, and also for their support during the years he had been on the Board, and that, while he was sorry to retire from the Board, on account of poor health, he would still take a lively interest in the affairs of the Bank, and give it all the support he could.

On motion of Mr. Denis Murphy, seconded by Mr. James Ballantyne, Messrs. F. J. Wilson, and James D. Fraser were appointed scrutineers, and, after the ballot, they reported the following gentlemen elected Directors for the ensuing year: Henry Newell Bate, Hon. George Bryson, Henry Kelly Egan, John Burns Fraser, George Hay, David Maclaren, John Mather, Denis Murphy, George Halsey Perley.

The meeting then adjourned.

At a meeting of the newly-elected Board held subsequently, Mr. George Hay was elected President, and Mr. David Maclaren Vice-President for the ensuing year.

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And the Former Country May Very Soon Acquire Large Possessions in Morroco

WITH THE TACIT CONSENT OF DOWNING STREET

Kaiser Wilhelm Adored by Journalist—Latest News by Cable to The Times

Paris, Dec. 17.—Any journalist would adore Kaiser Wilhelm, for he alone would supply one enough copy to make a good living all the year round.

Impulsive, whimsical, always original, never careing a jot what people will say or think of him, absolutely persuaded that if a common mortal may often cover himself with ridicule, an Emperor by divine right never can; he is always interesting, always fresh, quite content with his fate and perfectly happy to be alive.

A few days ago he did a thing which a sovereign had never done before. He headed the funeral procession of his famous subject and cannon maker, Krupp.

After the funeral he made a speech to the thousands of workingmen who had followed their master to the grave, taking that opportunity for denouncing the Socialists, who, he said, had undoubtedly caused the death of the great cannon manufacturer.

It is asserted in diplomatic circles that the relations between France and England have never been on a better footing than at present, and that all questions which might have given cause for difficulties were settled before the French Minister of the Navy reduced the fleet in the Mediterranean and stopped the construction of the three ironclads which had been ordered.

The result of that Anglo-French understanding is that England would allow France to have a free hand in Morocco, and that in exchange France would renounce any claim in the Newfoundland and the New Hebrides disputes, and, besides, would accept the status quo in Egypt.

The Morocco question will be to the fore in a short time. The present Sultan is far from being the proud Moor that his father was.

This son of a great warrior has two passions only, the phonograph and the bicycle.

Now this is all very well in a country where everything has to be spectacular in order to appeal to the minds of an imaginative population, where the Sultan is seldom gazed at, and is generally seen clad in white mounted on a superb Arab steed, holding in his hands a pair of golden reins, and surrounded by a crowd of mounted slaves.

His evenings are not spent in a much more dignified manner, for he passes them listening to the music hall ditties of Europe registered on the cylinders of his phonograph.

A cinematograph has also been installed in the imperial palace of Sultan Mulai Abdul El Aziz.

Of course, the diplomatists whoare influencing this monarch are utilizing his passion for toys. Some give kodaks, some present him with automobiles, others again have given mechanical toys.

It is just possible that, while the Sultan of Morocco is thus amusing himself, the French are preparing to add his dominions to their empire of North Africa.

A KING'S BRAVERY.

The King of Italy was cruising in his yacht near the island of Monte Cristo when he received a telegram announcing that Queen Helena was suffering. Fearing that the event which was expected in the royal family at any moment should transpire during his absence, he immediately decided to land at the little port of Lorento, where his automobile was awaiting for him. The sea was exceedingly rough, and as he got near the coast he soon concluded that he would never be able to land. Undaunted the King plunged into the sea and swam to land.

QUEEN WILHELMINA'S RULE.

The young Queen of Holland has been reigning for 12 years, and so has her remote kinsman, the Grand Duke of Luxemburg. Though one of these is almost the youngest of European sovereigns, while the other is absolutely the oldest, they are both in some difficulty as to the succession to their thrones.

Queen Wilhelmina's present heir-presumptive is the Grand Duke of Saxe-Weimar.

He would probably decline the crown, and after him come his aunts, one of whom is married to a half-brother of the Queen's consort. The first of these has several children; of course the Queen of Holland may yet be herself a joyful mother of children.

The Grand Duke's case is worse; he has but two kinsmen—an elderly son, who has only a family of daughters, and a half-brother who is morganatically married.

There is, therefore, considerable danger of this the last of the many branches of the great House of Nassau becoming extinct in the male line, which would involve a new and most ticklish Luxemburg succession question, as only males can reign there.

The venerable Grand Duke ascended his first throne as Reigning Duke of Nassau in 1839, when he was 22.

He was deposed in 1866, and lived as a private person for 24 years, until, in 1890, he succeeded to the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg.

EGYPT EUROPE'S GRANARY

GREAT POSSIBILITIES IN THE NEW NILE DAM

Doubling of the Product of the Country Will Make it An Important Factor in Supplying Europe With Food—How the Dam is to Benefit the Country

London, Dec. 17.—The latest stage of the upbuilding of modern Egypt which was celebrated last Wednesday by the ceremony of declaring the great Nile reservoir at Assouan open, marks the entrance of that historic land into the ranks of the great producers of the world. If, as predicted, the working of the new water system will double the productiveness of a country whose soil needs only tickling to yield a harvest, optimists say it will become the granary of Europe.

The contrast between the present conditions of agriculture in lower Egypt and those opened out by the new engineering work must make the development of Egypt in the next few years a matter of interest to the whole world.

The condition hitherto has been that it never rains in upper Egypt, while in lower Egypt rain is a negligible quantity. The Egyptian agriculturist in the most laborious way tried to insure his crop by having it watered at least once in three weeks. This made the extra cost due to the absence of rain about $12 an acre. The farmer knew that he could not expect rain in the months of April, May, June and July. His harvest time was in March and April. When the crops were gathered the land had to lie fallow till the next flood, which usually began in August.

Now this has all been altered, for above the dam at Assouan there is a reservoir 144 miles long. The river will sometimes be dammed back to a height of sixty-six feet above the present level, and the quantity of water impounded will be a thousand million tons. When the river is rising in August 180 sluices will be opened, and the red water containing the famous fertilizer known as Nile mud will pass freely through. When the water is subsiding and the water is clear, and when the discharge of the Nile has fallen to about 2,000 tons a second, the sluices will be gradually closed, and between December and March the reservoir will gradually fill up.

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MORE MOLYBDENITE FOUND

This Deposit is in Laxton Township Victoria County

Samples of molybdenite and of lithographic stone found in the Township of Laxton, which lies north of Coboconk, in Victoria County, were received by the Bureau of Mines in Toronto yesterday. The extent of the deposit is not yet known, but the existence in Ontario of molybdenite which is greatly in demand for the manufacture of special kinds of steel for tool making, is regarded as of considerable importance.

COURT LANGTON

The Election of Officers for the Ensuing Year

The following officers were duly elected for Court Langton, C.O.F.:

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THE TARIFF POLICY

Liberals Will Discuss it at a Party Caucus

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—Agents of the Manufacturers' Association have been in town for the last few days interviewing the local manufacturers, with a view to bringing concerted pressure in favor of adequate protection. It is understood that these agents are going through the manufacturing centres on this mission. It is stated in high quarters that the Government will not definitely decide on their tariff policy until the House meets in the middle of February, when a caucus of the Liberal party will be called so that the members can express their views on the matter.

GREAT RUSH FOR RAILWAY CHARTERS

Parliament Will Consider a Number of Important Projects

MAJORITY FROM THE WEST

Canada Central Company Has Ambitious Schemes—Proposed all Canada Line to Dawson City

Ottawa, December 17—The coming session of Parliament promises to be a record breaker in the matter of the railway charters to be sought. An application is to be made by the Canada Central Railway Company for authority to construct a number of lines. One of these will run from Sudbury to Scotia Junction, thence southerly via Balsam or Sturgeon Lakes to Toronto. A continuation of the company's main line from Tete Juance Cache by way of the Thompson and Fraser River Valleys to Vancouver is also proposed, as well as a branch from the company's main line in Keewatin District to Port Churchill on Hudson Bay, a line from some points on the Thompson River or its tributaries to Waddington Harbor, or Bute Inlet and a line from near the site of Fort Assiniboia to some point on the Peace River and westerly to Portland Canal on the Pacific.

Line to Dawson City.

An all-Canadian line to Dawson City is contemplated by a British company to be known as "The British Columbia Northern and Mackenzie Valley Railway Company." The route to be followed is from Nasog of Gulf, or some other convenient point, ne ar the mouth of the Naas River in British Columbia by way of the Naas and Stikine Rivers, thence following Liard, Pelly and Stewart Rivers to Dawson. Powers for the building and operation of steamship and river steamers and telegraph and telephon lines are desired, as well as the acquisition and development of water power.

An Alberta Project.

A company asked to be incorporated to build from a point on the North Fork River, at or near Bull River, Alberta district to Crowley, on the Crow's Nest branch of the C.P.R. with power to build branches not to exceed 21 miles in length.

The Medicine Hat and Northern Alberta Railway announces a large scheme for building branches and extensions comprising a line from Medicine Hat to where Milk River crosses the International Boundary, and another from Battle River in a north westerly direction to Hudson Hope.

The Manitoba and North Western Railway Company aims at a branch from a point on its main line, between Yukon and Prince Albert, westerly and northwesterly to Battleford, thence to Wetaskiwin, on the Calgary and Edmonton Railway. By a branch line southerly from Churchill on its main line a junction will be effected with the Pheasant Hills branch of the C.P.R., at or near Esterhazy.

A company is to be incorporated to build line from Dawson City by the most direct and feasible route to the northern boundary of British Columbia, connecting there with the Pacific, Northern and Ominica Railway.

ALGOMA STEEL MILLS WILL RESUME

They Will Commence Running in Full Force on December 22

CIERGUE'S OFFICIAL STATEMENT

Contracts Have Been Received From Federal and Ontario Governments—"Soo" People Pleased

Sault Ste. Marie, Dec. 17—On Friday afternoon, F. H. Cergue authorized the News Record, of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., to state that the steel mill in the Canadian Soo would resume operations Monday morning, Dec. 22, with a full force on a large government order for rails it is expected will keep the plant in continuous operation.

This order is presumably from the Ontario Government from the Temiscaming Railway.

Referring to the big slump in the Consolidated Lake Superior Company's stock and rumors which have caused it the News Record says;

"The news of the slump was received in both Soos with much apprehension, for practically the heart of the business life of both cities lies in the Consolidated Lake Superior Company, the Canadian Soo being most affected as the greatest development outside of the canal construction has been on that side. This side of the river is not materially affected only as will naturally follow so sensational a decline in consolidated values. But on the other side of the river where many hundreds of men are out of employment by the closing down of one or more industries, especially at this time of the year, even though temporarily as stated by Mr. Cergue is the case, the natural business depression is keenly felt. People at such a time are apt to lend a too willing ear to extravagant stories and do rash things that not only injure themselves, but others.

"There is no doubt that the decline in the value of Consolidated shares will to a certain extent affect all the company's properties in the money market, and possibly for a brief period tighten up ready money that would otherwise be available, but the News Record has the assurance of F. H. Cergue that there is no cause for alarm.

"To a representative of this paper, Mr. Cergue stated to-day that there was no occasion for the apprehension that seemed prevalent concerning the operations of the company. He said that there was no reasonable cause for the decline in the shares of the Consolidated Company. The steel plant has been closed down temporarily, Mr. Ciergue said, because all orders that were booked had been filled. Negotiations had been in progress for some time past for future contracts and last night orders were received from the Canadian Government for rails sufficient to keep the steel plant in continuous operation.

"Mr. Cergue said that this contract was on a price basis entirely satisfactory to the company. A quantity of pig iron had already been received and more is on the way. Work will be started just as soon as sufficient stock is on hand to insure the continuous working of the plant.

"Mr. Cergue further stated that all of the company's various operations are progressing in an entirely satisfactory manner and that the company owns outright all its various mines and plants, which are free from bonds or mortgages. He also said that the only bank loans that have been made by the company were for the current operating expenses and that these have never been equal to the material and stock on hand."

WAR ON IN VENEZUELA NO PEACEFUL BLOCKADE

Says Premier Balfour--Blockade Involves a State of War--Britain's Object Set Forth

London, Dec. 17—In the course of a long statement in the House of Commons today, Premier Balfour said there was no such thing as a "pacific blockade." A state of war actually existed with Venezuela, and an intimation of the blockade would shortly be given to the powers.

Mr. Balfour added that the blockade will be carried out with as little inconvenience to neutrals as possible. Nothing definite had occurred with reference to the arbitration proposal since his previous statement on the subject.

The Premier also said the operations were reluctantly undertaken, not to recover debts, but, after a long and patient delay, to recover compensation for assaults on British subjects and the seizure of British vessels. He believed the Germans also had claims besides the financial ones.

Mr. Healy, Irish Nationalist, asked if the United States assented to a blockade which would exclude United States vessels. The Premier replied, "Neutrals are not consulted when you are in a state of war with a third party."

"'Is war declared?" asked Mr. Healy.

The Premier replied. "Does the honorable gentleman suppose that without a state of war you can take vessels and have a blockade.

Replying to further questions, Mr. Balfour said he had nothing to add regarding arbitration beyond what was contained in his previous statement on the subject. Papers were being prepared and would be presented to the House as soon as possible. He assumed they would include the communications which had passed on the subject of the blockade between the United States and Great Britain.

Mr. Balfour's statement was made in reply to the desire of the Liberal leader, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, for information on the Venezuelan situation. After reiterating Lord Lansdowne's brief statement in the House of Lords yesterday, the Premier continued:

"The blockade will be carried out by Great Britain and Germany along different portions of the coast, and although the fleets will have the same objects they will not act as one force. We never had any intention of landing troops in Venezuela or of occupying territory, even temporarily. We do not think it desirable on either military or other grounds. All the conditions governing such a blockade have been carefully considered, and will be published in due time for the information of neutrals. The Government are most anxious that these operations, the necessity for which we deeply regret, should be as little inconvenience to neutrals as they possibly can be made. No difference will be made between the vessels of the various neutral powers. I think it is quite likely that the United States will think that there cannot be such a thing as a 'pacific blockade,' and I personally take the same view. Evidently a blockade involves a state of war."

Mr. Balfour concluded his statement by saying he could make no annoucement as to whether the offer of arbitration from Venezuela will be accepted by Great Britain.

Arbitration Must be Limited

Financial Questions Quite Amendable But not Treatment of Minister

London, Dec. 17—Judging from statements given out for the Foreign Office, the Venezuelan situation does not appear to be any nearer a settlement. The Foreign Office claims that some matters are impossible to arbitrate, instancing the disrespectful treatment of Mr. Haggard, British Minister to Venezuela. Arbitration of the financial nor is there any desire to stir up opposition in official circles in London, nor is there any desire too tir up opposition here by continuing unnecessary the present armed compact with Germany; but, quoting from the Foreign Office, "at the same time there is not the slightest inclination to let Venezuela to go unpunished for her repeated insults and injuries. The offer to arbitrate comes very late in the day. We are not seeking a quarrel, but we must insure ourselves against a recurrence of the acts which led to the present situation."

Uncle Sam Burks Responsibility.

It is known that the Foreign Office had made inquiry as to whether the United States would be willing to guarantee the fulfilling of Venezuela's pledges, either at the immediate cessation of the present European action, or pending the award of arbitrators. This inquiry resulted in a direct negative from the United States. With the guarantee of the United States the Foreign Office says arbitration in the Venezuelan matters would be immediately probable, but, with only the word of a Government hitherto unreliable, arbitration is difficult of accomplishing, even upon the points where international relations admit of such a method of settlement.

British Feeling.

A point which had excited general prejudice in London is that the British Government has been committed virtually to support Germany's claims, which are believed to be a miscellaneous lot, good, bad and indifferent, yet there can be no withdrawal by either ally except by mutual agreement. This hard and fast agreement, which did not operate well in China, is regarded by many writers with uneasiness, since the German Emperor is cynically suspected of the intention of creating an estrangement between Britain and the United States.

Germans Annoyed.

The Germans are annoyed that the Liberal party in the British Parliament has drawn public attention to the game which Germany is playing with Britain in Venezuela. The British press urges the necessity of keeping Britain rigidly to the bargain.

Senor Schoeburgh, the only representative of the Venezuelan Government in London, who has been acting in conjunction with Castro's secret delegation in Europe, stated to the Associated Press today:

"After considerable negotiating in London and on the continent, a suggested plan of settlement was arrived at. Subsequently the firm of J & A. Seligman & Company of New York, and one of the leading French banking concerns promised tentatively to support the plan. In brief, this plan provided for the consolidation of all debts and claims into a unified loan not exceeding $8,000,000, to be known as the 'Venezuelan unified [illegible] per cent. loan of 1902.'

"In conjunction with this plan an international bank, under European control was to be established, and interest on the loan was to be guaranteed by the customs. Fiscal agents appointed by this bank were to be installed in all custom houses,' and were themselves to collect interest on the loan. If at any time the customs receipts proved insufficient to meet this interest, the Government undertook to make good any deficiency out of other revenues. This plan by no means has been given up, although, of course, all negotiations to this end are at present at a standstill. The British and German creditors of Venezuela must eventually rely upon some financial arrangement as the only method of getting back their money."

Two Cities Under Siege.

The Gates of Mei Chou and Kiatingfu Are Closed for Fear of the Boxers

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 17—Mail advices received from Chuang King, in the Szechuan Province of China, report that both the cities of Mei Chou and Kiatingfu have had their gates closed and a state of seige declared, owing to the numerous bodies or armed Boxers in their vicinity, it being feared by the officials that the insurgents may take the cities by surprise. Troops were sent to raise the seige of the two cities, but failed. It is reported from Pekin that Yang Lu, a First Grand Secretary of China, who since Li Hung Chang died is the most powerful man in China, is anxious to resign. The Empress Dowager proposes to abdicate next year, and Yang Lu wishes to anticipate the event by placing himself beyond the range of consequent complications.

Kaitingfu, one of the cities mentioned in the above despatch, is a mission station of the Methodist Church. The mission rooms have as yet received no advices of this danger, though their missionaries have instructions to cable if the danger is acute.

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Britain Moy Land Troops

In Italian Somaliland, Permission will Greatly Aid in Campaign Against Mullah

Rome, Dec. 18—The Messagero says that Italy has granted permission to England to land troops at ports on the Benadir coast, in Italian Somaliland, and send troops through Italian territory against the forces of the Mad Mullah.

Obbia Port Chosen.

London, Dec. 17—Obbia, in the Italian Protectorate has been selected for the disembarkation of troops, Illig having proved unsuitable. Obbia is in every way satisfactory, as good water, grazing and anchorage are to be had there. The Sultan of Obbia has promised the assistance of 300 mounted scouts. Obbia will now become the base of the main operating column, while large forces will be maintained in garrison at Bohotle and Garrero. It is known that the 1st Battalion, King's American Rifles, are to move to Obbia, where everything is in readiness for their reception.

A despatch from Berbera states that upon the completion of the disbandment of the Somali levies four new companies will be enlisted.

A corps of mounted infantry for service with the field force has been formed. It consists of 150 Punjaub Mounted Infantry and 150 Somalis picked from the disbanded levies. The mounted infantry force is commanded by Major P. A. Kenna, V.C., D.S.O. Eight officers have been seconded from the Somali levies for duty with the Somali Mounted Infantry. The unit will be commanded by Major A. G. Sharp. One officer and 40 men of the Punjaub Mounted Infantry have been detailed to act with the Somali mounted force.

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THE KING'S CORONATION AS EMPEROR OF INDIA

Great Preparations for the Coronation Celebration at Delhi, India

THE EAST AND WEST WILL VIE IN SPLENDOR

When Edward VII Will be Proclaimed Emperor of the Historic Land Will Be a Notable Display

London, Dec. 17.—What promises to be the most pageant of modern times is the forthcoming durbar, or coronation celebration of King Edward as Emperor on India. The affair will take place in the historic city of Delhi, the greatest railway center of India and the place which from time immemorial Emperors of India. The affair will take place in functions, and from which the proclamations have been issued. Lord Curzon, the Indian viceroy, and the Duke of Connaught, the King's brother, will represent the majesty of England on the occasion, while many other distinguished Britishers will add to the glamour of the show.

The east, ever fond of display, is now converging towards Delhi. Caravans of wealthy merchants, elephants carrying potentates, camel trains loaded with costly wares and escorted by mounted troops are daily and nightly wending their way over the plains and mountains of Hindoostan to the city of the festivities.

In Delhi itself all is preparation. Rents are bringing fabulous prices; landlords asking as much as $300 and even $1,000 for a single room during the two weeks of the festivities. Houses small ones even, are renting anywhere from $3,500 up to $6,000 for two weeks. The Maharajah of Mysore has paid $9,000 for a bungalow of small dimensions, and the Nizam of Hyderabad has rented a mansion for two weeks at a record figure—$175,000.

WILL BE A MAGNIFICENT FETE.

Every Indian liner recently leaving England has been crowded with distinguished guests. Wealthy London society thinks nothing of paying $2,500 for a passage and going thousands of miles to witness a two weeks' ceremony. Indeed the long trip through the Suez canal is rather looked upon as a junket of delight, for the steamers making the journey were turned into oceanic hotels; theaters were fitted up on some of them, and every conceivable game from ping pong to deck tennis and golf, were provided for the entertainment of guests.

Up to the present it is estimated that Lord Curzon has spent $1,000,000 on preparations. From his view point the money is well expended. In bringing all the various potentates, princes and principalities of India together — the thrones, seraphim and cherubim, as they deem themselves — he will be doing a good work for the general pacification of England's greatest eastern possession.

The magnificent fete may be well calculated to turn the head of so young a viceroy. Lord Curzon is only 34 year sold. He is a man of very serious mind, however, the son of a distinguished churchman, Rev. Nathaniel Holder Curzon, fourth Baron Scarsdale, and has been a student all his life. He has traveled extensively all over the east, and is the author of a number of books on eastern questions. He was educated at Eton and Oxford, has taken a number of degrees, and has held important political positions—among others those of under secretary of state for India, under secretary of state for foreign affairs and has distinguished himself as M.P., for Lancashire.

SOME OF THE FUNCTIONS.

Lord Curzon's wife, who was May Leiter, of Chicago, has taken the greatest interest in the forthcoming durbar. She is responsible for many of the arrangements. She personally planned the decorations of the camp for the guests. The main theme of these decorations is white, gold and blue. Lady Curzon also conceived the idea of having the route of the procession lined with magnificently caparisoned elephants coverted with cloth of gold. The beautiful ivory mosques and highly ornate buildings of Delhi will be magnificently decorated, some of the domes of the buildings being heavily overlaid with gold

The date for the beginning of the durbar ceremony is December 29. On that day the viceroy will arrive in state at Delhi and will ride on a state elephant along the elephant-lined way from one gate to another. On January 1 the coronation durbar durbar proper begins. At this function all the princes of India will be assembled; the governors of Madras and Bombay, and the lieutenant governors, as well as Kings and princes from many Asiatic states. On this date the King will be proclaimed ruler of India in the great eastern amphitheater of Dehli, which accomodates 5,926 persons. The central portion of the auditorium will be occupied by Lords and Lady Curzon on a raised dais of carved alabaster.

After the proclamation there will be a review. The viceroy, mounted on his state elephant, will await near the palace of the Mogul, erected by Shah Jehan, over which he wrote the words: "If there is a paradise on earth, it is this; it is this," while all the western princes and Kings, also on state elephantas pass by him and salute with all the pomp and ceremony of an eastern salaam. Kings, princes, governors, captains, will bow low to the viceroy, as if, indeed, he were the real King of all India, instead of the representative of a conquering race.

Various functions will fill up the time until January 12, when the celebration will come to an end.

One of the great events will be the state ball on the night of January 6 and at which 5,000 persons will be present. The room in which it will be held was formerly Shah Jehan's harem and it is one of the most sumptuously decorated of all the rooms of Indian palaces. Its ivory carvings alone have been estimated as worth nearly $10,000,000.

Delhi, the seat of the durbar, is one of the most progressive towns in India. Thirty thousand of its 200,000 people earn their livings in factories which have the most up-to-date American and English machinery.

WEATHER NOTES

Thursday—Strong westerly winds; partly fair, with about the same temperature.

The low area which was centered over Lake Superior yesterday had passed eastward to the Gulf and an important high area is passing southeastward across the western portion of the continent. The weather is now comparatively mild throughout the Dominion, with no indication of very much change at present. Rain has fallen in nearly all portions of Ontario and Quebec. The temperature is above the freezing point in the Northwest Territories.

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THE VENEZUELAN QUESTION

—The steps that are being taken by Great Britain and Germany to enforce their claims against Venezuela are being watched with keen interest in the United States. The New York Sun discusses the matter in dispassionate language and admits that there are recognized precedents for the course which the two European nations are following. England not long ago enforced a claim against Nicaragua by the occupation of Corinto, without any protest on the part of the United States, and in the year 1861, England, France and Spain jointly occupied Vera Cruz in prosecution of their claims against Mexico, also without protest from the United States. The Sun is somewhat comforted, in the contemplation of a delicate diplomatic situation, by the knowledge that Germany is not acting alone in the matter, but with the concurrence and co-operation of England. "We have no longer any reason," the Sun says, to impute to Great Britain a desire for territorial aggrandizement at the cost of Venezuela, and her known wish to maintain the most cordial relations with the United States may be accepted as a guarantee that she will not attempt to heed, or countenance Germany in holding any Venezuelan custom house after the claims against the Caracas government have been paid." Should things, however, it goes on to say, turn out differently any European power attempting to treat an American commonwealth as France treated Mexico, or as England treated Egypt, "will have us to deal with." The reference to England's treatment of Egypt is not a happy one. If ever one country said another under pasting obligations that is the case between England and Egypt. To-day there is no European nation having any important financial interests in Egypt that would wish to see English protection and administration withdrawn. However, that is not the point just now. The point is that Venezuela may have as many revolutions as it likes, and be as great a nuisance as it likes to other countries but no European power must undertake its reformation. And why? Mainly because the United States does not want to have any more strong neighbors on this continent. That and no other is the secret thought and motive underlying the Monroe doctrine. The maintenance of that doctrine is purely a question of national policy to be enforced at the cannon's mouth should it come to that. That it possesses any moral authority no one can pretend. No one, that is to say, could affirm that any wrong had been done to the United States if, against her wish, and against her efforts to prevent it, some European power were to succeed in establishing a flourishing colony in some part of the South American continent. The United States means that this shall not happen, and to prevent its happening she is increasing her navy at a very rapid rate. For the defence of her own territory a very small navy indeed would suffice, as it sufficed for the first hundred years of her history as a separate nation. Circumstances alter cases.

THE CONTINUED COAL FAMINE

The people of the country have been singularly patient with the coal famine that resulted from the Pennsylvania strike. This is nearly as severe as ever, though the mines have been in operation for several weeks. The dealers under control of the mining companies could dole out a little coal to the consumers while the strike was in progress. They cannot do more now, though mining has been going on for so long. The difficulty seems to be in distributing the coal that has been mined. Miles of coal cars filled with anthracite are said to be standing on the sidings of the railroads running out of New York, while domestic consumers throughout the country have to buy by the ton and large consumers still have to use soft coal.

Apparently an enormous invisible supply of anthracite was drawn out of hiding by the severe demands of the strike period, and the pace of this has to be fixed before large quantities can reach the market. The interesting thing is that though all this stress, prices do not rise except in a few places where speculators have been able to get hold of coal. The plan of the great operators from the beginning has been to placate public opinion by preventing rises in price. They have done this whenever they could control dealers, and where they could not they are freezing dealers out. Perhaps this is part of the readjustment that must be completed before coal can be plenty again.

DISTRICT NEWS

BENSFORT.

—Mr. Walter Dawson, who has been attending Albert College, Belleville, is home for his Christmas holidays.

—Mr. Herbert Perrin had the misfortune to get severely injured some time since by getting wound up in the tumbling shaft of a horse power, but is again able to be around. He was attended by Dr. Montgomery, of Bailieboro.

—Mr. Joseph McLaren is home from North Dakota. He speaks highly of the country and reports excellent crops.

—The singing class of the young people of the church here, under the careful supervision of Rev. Mr. Drew, is a decided success, and much good is being done by bringing the young people together in that way.

—Threshing is the order of the day in the vicinity of Bensfort just now. Everybody and his neighbor is busily engaged finishing up the season's work. The machine belonging to Mr. William Morrison is doing a rushing business, and everybody reports good yields in everything but peas, which, owing to the wet season were almost a total failure.

—The annual meeting of the Cheese Factory was held on Wednesday of last week. The output was greater than in any previous season in the history of the factory. The management may be congratulated upon the successful close of a big season's work and the successful manner in which the season's business has been conducted.

—Game is plentiful in Bensfort. Two prominent citizens last week went to the swamp to cut wood, and do a little hunting, combining business with pleasure. At noon when they went to get their dinner they found a squirrel carrying away their pie, and a little later a woodpecker flew away with their meat. It is needless to say that two hungry men returned in the evening, bringing nothing more than blistered hands and sore backs, from which it took them some time to recover.

YOUNG'S POINT.

—Rev. Father Phelan has purchased a fine team of driving horses.

—Rev. Mr. Harding, of Apsley, spent a couple of days last week the guest of Rev. Mr. Creswick.

—Mr. P. McCauley, of Trenton, spent a few days this week visiting friends here.

—Miss Mary Young and Miss Scollard, of Ennismore, has returned home after spending a few days with friends here this week.

—Mrs. William Nugent, who for the past three weeks has been dangerously ill, died at her home, here on Friday morning, Dec. 12th. The funeral took place Sunday, Dec. 14th, to the Ray cemetery, Lakefield, for interment.

—Mr. John Young, of Douro, spent a couple of days here this week.

—Mr. Peter Phelan has sold his farm to Mr. B. Tate, of Lakefield.

—Our teacher, Mr. Gilmore, spent a couple of days last week at his home in Orillia.

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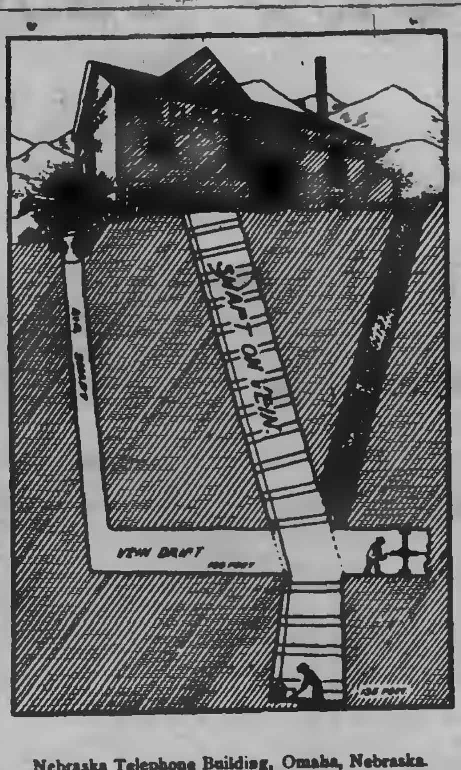

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STOCK MARKETS

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New York, Dec. 17.—The larger banking interests openly announce their belief that the financial storm is over true, and after turbulence and feverishness will exist for the while, but they freely state it to be their opinion that the next great movement in prices from the present range will be for the better. Some of the most powerful monetary institutions are heavy contributors to the $50,000,000 money pool, established to aid in obviating as far as possible any money squeeze between now and the first of the year. Stocks are selling at prices at present that would discount a continuous money market from now on until some time in Jan. of from 10 to 20 per cent., yet we doubt if it will come anywhere near reaching such figures, and only spasmodically at that. The fact that London has been a buyer of Americans on balance the past two days is conclusive evidence that they see no likelihood of American embroilment through the Venezuelan difficulty. Another most favorable feature is that on declines smaller volume of stocks comes out indicating the thoroughness of liquidation and the likelihood of its termination. Investors have also been attracted by the low range of prices and the immense amount of securities have been purchased outright, and taken up and paid for. A large short interest also exists and should they [illegible] start to cover at one time for any reason there should be more or less pyrotechnics in quarters of the market. We feel it to be a time to be most outspokenly and pronouncedly bullish consequently speak in a most positive strain in these letters, at the same time cautioning purchasers against believing that they can with certainty make their purchases at exact bottom prices. One thing is certain, what they will buy now at present prices and to be disposed of a little later on at much better figures. The people who buy freely now will do so at comparatively more safety than if they deferred purchasing until the general market conditions are clearer and stocks are higher.

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LE ROI	[illegible]
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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 18, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Dining Room Girl Wanted

Dining Room girl wanted at Snowden House. Highest wages paid. Apply at hotel to Wm. Snowden.

For a Xmas Present

Pretty evening shawls crotched out of orkaney floss and made to order. Nothing nicer for a Xmas present. Orders may be left at Times Bookstore.

SABLE FUR LOST

Between the corner of Charlotte and Park streets, up Charlotte and across Gilmour streets, a small sable fur. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at The Times Bookstore.

Ashburnham Kindergarten Exercises

The Times is in receipt of an invitation to the closing exercises of the Ashburnham kindergarten, which will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the school room. A very pleasing programme is to be presented by the little folks.

The Aisling Family

The two remaining Aisling children as well as the parents are recovering from the attack of scarlet fever. It is only fair to say that the condition of the Aisling home was exceedingly unsatisfactory, from a sanitary point of view, and this no doubt gave birth to the disease. The house has been thoroughly cleaned, renovated and disinfected.

Mr. Whiten's Photos

A very creditable display of photographs are to be seen at the entrance to Mr. G. B. Whiten's studio, Hunter Street. The pictures are of exceptional merit, showing Mr. Whiten's artistic ability to advantage. In children's photography Mr. Whiten displays much taste.

Peterborough Protestant Home

The Committee of Management of the P. P. Home gratefully acknowledge the following donations for the month of November: Mrs. Dr. Burnham, Toronto papers; Mrs. Dawson, vegetables; Miss Mayme Brown, reading matter; Mrs. Hoover, clothing; Miss Roger, clothing; Mr. A. Bean, reading matter; Mrs. R. E. Brown, reading matter; Mr. James Ferguson, bag of apples.

Another Victim of Fever

Yesterday morning the little three-year-old daughter of Mr. Wm. F. Elliott, carpenter who lives at 189 London street, died from malignant scarlet fever, complicated with an attack of pneumonia. Two other children are down with the disease and are very seriously ill. Much sympathy will be felt for Mr. and Mrs. Elliott in their sad bereavement.

Closing Exercises

The kindergarten exercises in connection with the South Central School, took place yesterday, and were witnessed by many of the parents and friends of the little folks. Much credit is due Miss Davidson, the principal, and her assistant, Miss Rush, for the high standing of the pupils. The programme was of the usual character on such occasions, consisting of songs, recitations, choruses, marches and games, in all of which the little tots were wonderfully proficient.

A New Scheme

The Times notices in one of its American exchanges a novel advertising scheme that might with advantage be adopted by some of the Peterborough stove men. In Shelby, Ohio an advertising firm has struck a popular chord by furnishing heat for the pedestrians of Main street. They have placed one of their best stoves on the sidewalk with a roaring fire in it. A pipe runs up twenty feet and gives the stove a good draft. They keep it hot all day, and in addition to the stove being an advertisement for the firm, it keeps warm the hands of many an ungloved citizen who happens along that way.

A Mimic War

Farmers driving into town as well as citizens who live on the outskirts need not be alarmed on Saturday next when they hear the sound of war. By permission of Col. Miller, the non-commissioned officers' class of the 57th Regiment will practice the new skirmish and attack drill against an enemy supposedly approaching Peterborough from the north-west. All the present class of instruction who can possibly get away and several of the Non-Commissioned Officers of the Regiment have signified their intention of taking part. Fur cap, regulation mitts and unlimited blank ammunition will be issued to all concerned.

The Critical Time of Life

Is between the age of fifty-seven and sixty-two. Nature's power slows down, vitality becomes less, and the process of decay sets in. A means of extending old age and renewing decreasing vigor is to take Ferrozone after meals. Ferrozone keeps up the appetite, and in the formation of red, vitalizing blood, imparts clearness to the tiring brain, force, energy and spirits just when they are needed most. To take Ferrozone regularly means adding from ten to twenty years to life. Large boxes 50c., or 6 boxes at $2.50, at Druggists, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Dr. Hamilton's Pills are Certain.

THE ONTARIO BANK

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It will be pleasing news to the many friends and customers of the Ontario Bank in Peterborough to learn that the premises of this popular institution are to be greatly enlarged and improved. Plans have been prepared by which the space is to be more than doubled, besides other improvements, in the way of distinct waiting rooms for the use of the customers of the savings and other departments. New and elegant fittings are to be added. When the work is completed the bank will be one of the most complete of any in the Province, outside the large cities.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—"A Royal Slave" was presented at the Opera House last night to a fair audience.

—Wood was offered yesterday quite freely on the market at prices ranging from $4.50 to $7 per load.

—A man charged with being drunk was before the Police Magistrate this morning and was discharged.

—The righteous as well as the wicked have been walking in slippery places of late, the pavements being exceedingly icy.

—Great quantities of oats are arriving at the Cereal Works. Yesterday farmers for a distance of 30 miles from town brought grain to the works.

—Only a few copies left of the new wall map of the County of Peterborough. Price $2.50. Secure one before it is too late. Times Printing Co.

—The death occurred yesterday at the Protestant Home of Horace Abbe, aged 73 years. He leaves a wife and several children. The funeral takes place to-day at 3.30 o'clock.

—When Peterborough gets its beet sugar factory going, with an output of 40,000 barrels or over, per year, it will not only be the best but will also be the sweetest town in Canada.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. John Crane, the popular manager of the Ontario Bank, was up to Toronto yesterday on business.

—Mr. Ed. Minicola, of the Hunter street firm of fruit dealers, intends leaving in a few days upon a visit to his home in Italy. Mr. Minicola came to Peterborough direct from Italy in 1886, and has not since visited the land of his nativity.

—At the annual examinations of the senior nurses of the Hamilton City Hospital, held a few days ago, Miss Zella (Dollie) Irwin, daughter of Mr. Thos. C. Irwin, of town, passed her final examinations in a highly creditable manner. In all subjects Miss Irwin took the highest standing for general proficiency.

Mr. G. C. Edwards, representing Henderson Roller Bearing Manufacturing Co. Toronto, is in town in the interests of the company, with the object of placing stock with investors. The company is now pushing its interests and preparing a plant to place the bearing on the market. The splendid features of the invention commend it to manufacturers of machinery and users of power.

A VIRULENT FORM

The Type of Scarlet Fever in Town is Very Malignant and Fatal

The type of scarlet fever which has broken out in town is of a very virulent and fatal character. Already several children have succumbed to the disease, and others, who are now down with the disease, it is feared, will not recover. The health authorities are doing everything in their power to prevent the disease from spreading, and it is not likely to gain a foothold. Parents should see to it that their children are carefully looked after, so that the disease, should it go further, may be taken at the early stages, and arrested.

Election of Officers

The annual meeting of the local lodge of the Woodmen of the World for the election of officers, was held Tuesday night when the following officers were elected:

Sov. R. Waram ..... Council Commander
Sov. Wm. Wilson ..... Advisory Lieut
James Kyle ..... Banker
Wm. Anderson ..... Escort
A. Haskill ..... Clerk
C. Brown ..... Watchman
Wm. Taylor ..... Sentry
Managers—J. W. Hickey, Wm. Gibbs and Jno. Fanning.

At the conclusion of the regular business an oyster supper was served by Mr. W. H. McCallum, and an hour or two spent in songs, speeches, etc.

EXCURSION TO BERLIN!

Farmers should be interested in the fact that an opportunity will be given them to thoroughly investigate the merits of the beet sugar industry as it is carried on at the large factory in Berlin. A special train has been secured for on or about December 30th, which will go and return the same day. The rate will not be higher than $3. return. The hour of starting will probably be about 6.30 a.m. and of returning about 10 p. m.

FOR THE MAYORALTY.

Card to the Electors of Peterborough

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

In response to the numerous representations which have been made to me upon the subject, personally, by requisition, and through the press, I place my services at the disposal of the public as a candidate for the Mayoralty at the approaching municipal elections.

My association with the important municipal advances which the Town has been making during recent years, will enable me to give continuity to the aggressive forward policy which the Council has sought to pursue, and to bring experience and information gained therein to bear upon the work and problems which still more immediately confront us.

While I cannot lay claim to all the qualifications which have been flatteringly ascribed to me, such capacity for the office as I do possess is cheerfully placed at your service, and I ask your sympathy and support in the effort to maintain the position and standing, and advance the welfare of our already prosperous and progressive Town.

Respectfully yours,

G. M. ROGER

A Complete Rest.

Tipton shut down the roll-top desk in his private office with a bang, threw a last derelict envelope into the wastebasket, and turning with smiling face to the clerks who had gathered in a little group to bid him good-bye, said:

"Well, boys, I'm off. Keep your end up while I am gone, and remember this: I don't want to hear a word from you. Don't send me any mail. Don't try to reach me by wire or telephone, even if the building burns down. I'm going away for a real vacation, where I won't be disturbed."

Then he shook hands all around, and hurried off to join his wife at the railway station.

The usual excitement incident to the departure of a train was successfully lived through. As they sped out into the open country, Tipton looked at Mrs. Tipton with a fond, exultant look.

"There, my dear," he said; "we're off at last! For the first time in years I am going to do the sensible thing. I'm going to lose myself. No mail. No messages. Complete rest. I wonder why I never thought of it before?"

"I'm so glad," said Mrs. Tipton, "that you've come to your senses at last. This will do you a world of good, I know."

In the course of a few hours they alighted at their station. Then they were driven miles and miles—it seemed almost interminable—until they came in sight of the quiet little hotel—or rather inn—on the mountainside, where they were received with all the splendor of courtesy that only a rural hotelkeeper knows how to bestow.

Tipton could scarcely wait to get into his outing clothes. An hour later they were strolling down through the quiet woods to the bank of the stream that chippered away to the music of the breeze.

"Could anything," murmured Tipton, "be finer?"

He pressed his wife's hand. "This is rest. This is true solitude. When I think of that maddening city, I wonder how I could ever have lived there. I never want to go back again."

The next morning after a fine breakfast—for our friend had made sure of his place—Tipton strolled out and said good morning to the proprietor.

"Well, sir," said the proprietor, "how do you like our little view?"

"Great!" exclaimed Tipton. "It certainly is a charming spot. By the way, you don't happen to have any of the New York papers here, do you?"

"Not regularly," said the proprietor. "You see, this is a place where folks come to rest, and we don't have much call for 'em."

"Certainly not," said Tipton. "Precisely. Thought I would just like to glance over the head lines, that's all."

He joined his wife, who was walking in the near view.

"This is a great place to rest," he observed, somewhat tritely, as they walked off toward the stream. "Never was in a place quite like this. Couldn't even get a morning paper."

Mrs. Tipton looked at him suspiciously.

"Now, dear," she said, "that isn't fair. You must forget the world."

At noon Tipton sought the proprietor once more.

His face wore a shade of anxiety. He clutched his cigar nervously.

"You don't happen to have a telegraph or a long-distance telephone near here, do you?" he asked. "Fact is, I came away yesterday and forgot an important matter."

"No, sir!" said the proprietor. "We haven't such things around. This, as you know, is a place for complete rest, as advertised."

"Very well, sir," said Tipton, "you can make out my bill."

He glared fiercely around him, and walked upstairs to his room.

"My dear," he said, "would you mind if we got out of this prehistoric place on the first train?"

Mrs. Tipton gazed at him blankly for a moment, and threw her arms around his neck.

"Mind!" she exclaimed. "Why, I was only staying here for your sake. I didn't dare say how lonesome I was! I am afraid, my dear, we have never lived in the country long enough to appreciate it."

Two hours later they were in the dining car of the Long Branch express, with the remains of a feast and a cold bottle between them.

"I've wired the boys to send me the mail," said Tipton. "I will talk with the cashier over the wire as soon as we get in. I see the market opened up strong this morning. And now, if you will excuse me, I'll step into the smoking room with this bundle of papers and catch up on twenty-four hours' lost time."—Tom Masson, in "Life."

Herbert Spencer on "Americanisms."

Mr. Herbert Spencer's recent protest against what he called "Americanisms" concludes thus: "Perhaps a little might be done if in return for criticisms on Americanisms like those passed above, Americans were systematically to expose deteriorations in the language as spoken here. They might, for example, mercilessly ridicule that vulgar misuse of the word 'awfully,' which has now continued for more than a generation."

A correspondent of the London "Spectator" adds: "This reminds me of the following rather good story told to me by a friend now deceased. A certain distinguished philosopher happened to be staying at a country house in which my friend was also a guest, and one morning a youngster looking out of the window, observing a large flock of rooks alighting on the grass, cried out: 'What an awful lot of crows!' upon which the philosopher, in a tone intending to convey a gentle rebuke, enquiringly said: 'Well, my young friend, are crows really so very awful?' The boy quickly answered: 'I didn't say, "What a lot of awful crows," but "What an awful lot of crows!"' The philosopher remained silent, and the boy whispered to my friend: 'Had him that time, I think, sir!' This is a true story."

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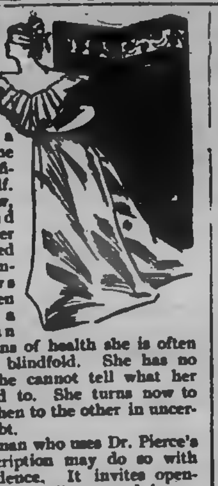

Blindfold a woman and she loses all confidence in herself. Her step is slow, hesitating and uncertain. Her hands are raised to ward the imaginary blows which threaten her. When a sick woman seeks the means of health she is often like a woman blindfold. She has no confidence. She cannot tell what her effort will lead to. She turns now to this side and then to the other in uncertainty and doubt.

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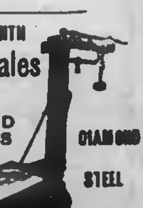

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Fine Tweed and Worsted Pants	$1.50, $1.75, $2.00, $2.50
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INDEPENDENT HUNGARY WILL BE THE BATTLE CRY

Austrian Empire Said to be on the Eve of Permanent Disolution

Gloomy Outlook for the Peace of Europe When Emperor Francis Joseph Dies

London, Dec. 18.—One of the most important influences in maintaining the present status in Europe is the life of Francis Joseph, Emperor of Austria and King of Hungary. The report therefore that his health is failing is a matter of more than ordinary concern, for whenever in the natural course he disappears from the stage changes of a far-reaching character in the constitution of the Empire-Kingdom itself are inevitable, which must in their turn react on the neighboring countries. His heir, the Archduke Francis Ferdinand, is antipathetic to the Austrian people; and the Hungarians, or, more properly speaking, the Magyars, who dominate in Hungary, are resolved to assert their independence of Austria.

Already the effects of the weakened influence of Austria are seen in the affairs of the Balkan peninsula. The understanding lately arrived at with Russia in connection with the troubles in Macedonia includes, among other things, the renunciation of the plan assented to by England, after the Berlin Congress of 1878, for the territorial extension of Austria to the Aegean from the present limits of Bosnia and Herzegovina. This may be traced to the entente between Russia and Italy, and brings to an end the dream of domination on the Danube and in the Balkans which has been so long cherished at Budapest. By the practical concession of Albania to Italy as a sphere of legitimate influence, the Balkan peninsula is recognized as outside of its Greek section, as the possession of its Slavonic peoples; and the rapprochement between Bulgaria and Roumania completes the exclusion of Hungary from the sphere of the Magyar ambition.

There was a time when Hungary might have legitimately aspired to the leadership in the southeast of Europe; but the open symathy extended to the Turk in 1876 and the more active assistance in the war with Russia that followed brought the Balkan Slavs to regard the Magyars as their enemies. The incessant persecution of the Roumanians of Hungary that has been going on since that war has reacted on Roumania, and there is no part of southeastern Europe where the Magyar is more heartily interested. Emile De Laveleye, who had given much study to the Hungarian question, spoke of the danger the Magyars were incurring by raising bitter enemies for themselves in a country in which, though they dominate politically, there were in a minority.

It is said that steps have been already taken in Hungary to proclaim its independence under its own sovereign so soon as the event foreseen arises, but it is doubtful whether the actual conditions are favorable for such a grave step. Separated from Austria, the Magyars could not long maintain their predominance, and a civil war would bring on the final disaster, the extent of which none can foresee. Under the circumstances it is easy to appreciate the anxiety of European diplomacy over the health of the Austrian Emperor.

JAPS CANNOT VOTE HERE.

The Decision of the Highest Court in the Empire Hostile to the British and Canadian Governments

London, Dec. 17—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy publishes in the Pall Mall Gazette tonight an emphatic contradiction of the published statement naming him as director of Hooley's Sapphire Corundum Company, now the subject of scathing criticism in the English press. The Pall Mall Gazette says it is monstrous that the name of a gentleman in Sir. Thos. Shaughnessy's position should be placed in a prospectus without his knowledge or consent.

The Cattle Question.

Sir Albert Rollit, M.P., who has returned from Canada, states that public feeling in the Dominion strongly favors the repeal of the embargo on Canadian store cattle. The feeling is especially strong among cattle breeders in Lower Canada. The shippers in Montreal reassert the Canadian denial that any contagious disease exists among Canadian cattle.

Japanese Barred.

The Judicial Committee of the Privy Council today allowed the appeal in the case of the district of Vancouver city and the Attorney-General of British Columbia versus Tomey Homma, and the Attorney-General of the Dominion, each party to pay its own costs. The judgment now reversed is that of the British Columbia Supreme Court, March 8th, 1901. This decision removes from the register the Japanese, who became naturalized Canadians, and seems to run directly counter to the spirit of the Anglo-Japanese treaty; also the spirit of the Federal disallowance of the British Columbia Acts.

The Curlers.

The Royal Caledonian Curling team will be the guests at a dinner by the Liverpool Caledonian Club tonight, prior to sailing for Canada on the Bavarian tomorrow. The team expects to be absent two months. There were over 100 candidates for membership, out of which Rev. John Kerr, chaplain of the Royal Club has chosen an undeniably strong club.

BRIDE OF A DAY IS NOW A WIDOW

Shocking End to Honeymoon of Ontario Girl

ELEVATOR KILLED HUSBAND

Was Leaning Over When Heavy Weight Came Down and Severed Head From Body

Windsor, Ont., Dec. 16—Last night a bride, to-day a widow, is the fate of Miss Ida Beaume, aged eighteen years, a pretty Canadian girl, whose husband, Hugh McKenzie, a brawny young Scotchman, was killed in an elevator shaft in the Stevens building in Detroit this morning.

Only last evening Miss Beaume came to Detroit from her home in Jeannettes Creek, Ont., and was quietly married to McKenzie. The young couple immediately took up housekeeping in a flat on Clinton street. This morning McKenzie started off to his work as usual after kissing his young wife good-bye. Two hours later his headless body lay in the darkened little parlor at his home and the bride of a day became a widow.

The accident which cost McKenzie his life was a peculiar one. With two other workmen he was standing on top of one of the passenger elevators, engaged in painting the shaft, when suddenly the other elevator was started up. McKenzie was leaning over one of the cross beams of the shaft in between the guides, when the immense balancing frame, which weighs between 800 and 1,000 pounds slid noiselessly down upon his head, severing it completely from his body. When informed of her husband's terrible and sudden end, the young wife became frantic and demanded that she be shown the body before she would believe the news. To-night she is completely prostrated from the shock.

SABLE FUR LOST

Between the corner of Charlotte and Park streets, up Charlotte and across Water streets, a small sable fur. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at The Times Bookstore.

UPHEAVAL SOON IN MACEDONIA

Apparent Tranquility is Only on the Surface

PEASANTS IN DESPERATION

Harried on One Side by Insurgents on the Other by Troops They are Ready for Revolt

London, Dec. 16—In spite of the present apparent tranquility in Macedonia says a despatch from Salonica to the Times, all the factors making for disturbance are still actively at work. Well-informed people consider the actual state of affairs full of danger, and as threatening increasing gravity, unless effective remedies are applied in the next few months.

The correspondent says that a large number of armed bands still hold the field, unchecked by the authorities. They obtain food and shelter in the more remote villages, and exercise in many districts a kind of independent jurisdiction. Murders and other crimes continue, and are seldom punished.

Christians Desperate.

The principal danger, however, says the correspondent, lies in the state of desperation to which the naturally submissive Christians are reduced. The peasants, for a long time the victims of iniquitous taxes, are now harried on the one hand by the insurgents, and on the other hand by the troops and gendarmes. Their homes have, in many instances, been pillaged and burned, and not having more to lose, they will probably show in the future a greater readiness to join revolutionary movements.

The only means to avert the coming danger, declares the correspondent, is the early adoption of measures, to relieve the suffering population. There is little time to lose. If the powers are sincerely anxious for the maintenance of the status quo and the preservation of Turkish rule, they must exercise collective pressure on the Porte, and establish effective European supervision in Macedonia, securing the equitable administration of the existing laws and some measure of justice for the population.

Gravity of Balkan Situation.

The Vienna correspondent of the Times says that the Russian Foreign Minister, who is now at Lividia, will shortly visit the Austrian capital. This announcement, following as it does, the Russian communique in regard to the Balkans, is interpreted as a further sign of the gravity of the Balkan situation, and as an indication that special efforts may be necessary to deal with probable disturbances next spring.

Memorial to the Colonials.

London, Dec. 16—It is understood that it is in contemplation to erect a memorial to the 6,000 colonials who lost their lives in South Africa.

Westminster Abbey would, of course, be the most appropriate site for such a monument, but the authorities may be unable to grant the necessary space, in which case there is little doubt that the Dean and Chapter of St. Paul's would be approached.

London, Dec. 17—A Berlin correspondent says that one of the immediate results of the parliamentary compromise whereby the clerical and conservative majority agreed to adopt minimum duties on grain with an additional ten marks per ton on barley, is that the extreme agrarians are out of charity with the rest of the Conservatives. They have now issued a manifesto declaring that they cannot continue to co-operate with those who voted for the proposal whereby a compromise was incorporated in the tariff bill. Even friends of the Government now that the danger of Parliamentary defeat has passed, are beginning to recognize the clumsiness and partial absurdity of the tariff bill as it passed the Reichstag.

London, Dec. 17—A Berlin correspondent, referring to the German view of the criticisms in the British House of Commons and press on the British co-operation with Germany against Venezuela, says that though it may possibly have some justification, it involves certain inconveniences, and is regarded in Germany as inopportune, while common action is progressing. There has not been much enthusiasm in Germany regarding joint action, but no influential journal has critized it. It seems as though any protest at the present juncture must be most inexpedient, because it is calculated to prolong the situation, which many Germans, as well as Englishmen desire to see terminated as soon as possible. If Castro thought that the co-operation of British and Germans was causing any dissatisfaction to either country he would be encouraged to remain obstinate.

ANOTHER ERUPTION SAID TO BE IMPENDING

First Symptoms Being Felt in St. Vincent West Idies

Scientists Think Next Will be the Most Disastrous Outburst of Mont Pelee

Kingston, Island of St. Vincent, Dec. 18.—Premonitory symptoms of another volcanic eruption have been experienced here.

In an article by Garrett P. Serviss, an eminent American astronomer, published in the journal a short time ago, reasons were given for expecting another eruption of Mont Pelee about Dec. 18.—These were many from the position of the sun and moon in regard to the earth, the "pull" being so great that Mr. Serviss believed, with other scientists, that it would result in the most terrible eruption of the Martinique volcano yet experienced.

A RIVER BLOTTED OUT.

Paris, Dec. 18.—The French Scientific mission to the island of Martinique has reported to M. Doumregue Minister for the Colonies, that since the crumbling of the cone of Mont Pelee the Blanche river has been completely obliterated by lava, and that ashes are spreading over the valley of the river to a distance of three miles.

TRIPLETS 73 YEARS OLD

A Remarkable Trio Living in Londerry N.H.

Londonderry, N. H. Dec. 18.—Born in this town more than seventy-three years ago, the Ripley triplets are probably the oldest now in this country.

Daniel Simpson Ripley, Mrs. Addie K. Thayer and Mrs. Angie K. Boutell are the names of the triplets. They are of a family of six children all of whom are living and enjoying fair health.

The triplets' parents were Asahel P. Ripley and Mary Clark Ripley. The father was born in Londonderry in May, 1801, and died in Nashua, in 1890. Mrs. Ripley was born in Londonderry in 1806 and died there in 1888.

On September 24th, 1829, to Mr. and Mrs. Ripley, were born the trio of children which made their home happy and pleasant ever after. The old family physician, who attended the case at the time, Dr. Daniel Simpson, was so elated over the advent of the three babies that he desired to have the boy named for himself, Daniel Simpson Ripley, and the girls for his wife and sister. This was agreed to by Mr. and Mrs. Ripley.

THE DEER HUNTING SEASON

Detective Greer Says it Ought to be Made Two Weeks Later

The impossibility of having the open season for deer arranged to meet the individual views of every hunter keeps up the controversy. Sportsmen from all parts of the Province have expressed the belief that it would be wise to have the season two or three weeks later than it is at present, as the weather was generally so warm that many deer killed the first two or three days were never brought out, the meat "going bad." This view of the matter is now further strengthened by the reports of Provincial Detective Joseph Rogers and William Greer, who were on the hunting grounds to see that the laws were being observed by the small army of hunters who have infested the regions since the first of November.

Detective Greer says that the open season ought to be made two weeks later, and run from November 15 to November 30. He also says that all the deer shot during the first few days this year, spoiled, and were never brought out. Lots of hunters, he says, killed four deer this season, the two they had killed first having gone bad, and the law allowing them to bring out two. One objection to making the season late, is that the deer are more easily killed later in the fall, as they stick to the runways closer. Mr. Greer would remedy this by limiting the deer to be shot to one per man. "One deer is all any man wants, anyway," he said.

Chief Game Warden Tinsley, on the other hand, says there are many requests to have the season earlier. Last year, for instance, the weather became so stormy and rough in the woods that the hunters lost the last few days of the season. "So what are you going to do about it?" asks Mr. Tinsley.

CONTRADICTION TO BRITISH POLICY

Arbitration the Only Means of Escape—Interpreting the Chinese Tariff—Studying Meat Price—German Tariff

Pekin, Dec. 18.—The return of the Court today after a four months' stay at the Summer palace and after several postponements revealed several new features of the situation in China.

One of these was that the Empress Dowager is again apprehensive regarding the Emperor, who has been closely imprisoned in the Summer palace all this time and who was surrounded by an enormous guard on the route to Pekin during the return journey.

In the second place, the return of the Court showed a different feeling on the part of high Government officials, officers surrounding the Court and members of the Grand Council toward foreigners. For the first time since the return of the Court from Sian-fu, after the Boxer troubles had been settled, foreigners who assembled along the route traversed by the Court on its homecoming were ill-treated. Some were arrested, commanded to make obeisance to the Court before the natives and detained under a heavy military guard until the royal cavalcade had passed by.

An officer of the Foreign Board arrested the correspondent of the Sun, and when a protest was made he said the authorities had issued orders that foreigners should be arrested. A party from the American Legation, which included two women, was also arrested.

It is understood the the Empress Dowager has been apprehensive for some time that the Emperor would escape or meet with some misadventure, and that this feeling on her part is on the increase. The Foreign Office denies, however, that there has been any discussion as to the selection of a new heir-apparent.

Impartial observers declare that it is evident that the conditions of the Empire, which are better now than they have been since 1900, have greatly increased the boldness and confidence of the Government. The authorities are also resuming their past spirit of arrogance and hatred of foreigners.

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BUBONIC PLAGUE IN NEW YORK

Three Cases Arrive in a Vessel from Durban, Natal

RIGID PRECAUTIONS ARE TAKEN

The Canadian Health Authorities are Taking Measures to Prevent Infection at Canadian Ports

New York, Dec. 17—The steamer Saxon Prince, which arrived here from Durban yesterday, brought three cases of bubonic plague. The first and second cooks and the second steward of the vessel are under treatment at Swinburne Island Hospital. The first man taken ill, according to the report of Captain Jamison, was the second cook. He first complained to the captain when the ship was out two weeks. As the steamer left Durban on Nov. 9, this placed the reported illness on Nov. 23.; The other two cases appeared about two weeks ago. The history of the cases made a complete chain of infection from the time of the exposure of the first man at Durban, to the time of arrival. The crew were ashore at Durban, and it is undoubtedly there that the disease was contracted.

Dr. Doty says that there is no danger of a spread of the plague, as the whole matter is well in hand. There are five passengers on board, a woman and four children. The steamer will be sent to sea to discharge the water and sand ballast taken on board at Durban. She will then return to quarantine, when the passengers and crew will be transferred to Hoffman Island, where they will be held for ten days for observation. The effects of all will be thoroughly disinfected, and the steamer will be washed and disinfected in every party before being released.

Canadian Precautions.

Despatches from Ottawa say that Dr. Montizambert, Director-General of Public Health, who returned from New Orleans today, takes no stock in the report from San Francisco that investigation into the alleged bubonic plague, shows it to be only chicken cholera. The Director-General says the most indisputable evidence was forthcoming at the meeting of the American Public Health Association that bubonic plague does prevail in Frisco, and that there have been three cases of the worst type of the disease, which is known by the profession as "pneumatic plague." All vessels arriving at Canadian ports from Frisco will be required to place funnels on the hawsers, extending to the wharves to the vessels, the feeling being strong at New Orleans that the disease has gained a footing in the California port through the medium of rats, and the funnel device is recognized as an effective preventive against rats reaching vessel or wharf.

TO SEIZE COAL MINES

Senator Mason Has a Bill Which He Promises to Introduce Soon

Washington, Dec. 18—Senator Mason of Illinois, who has been remarkably quiet since Representative Hopkins was marked as his successor, has come to the front again.

This time he has a bill which he promises to introduce in the Senate within a day or two giving the President of the United States authority to seize and operate coal mines.

The bill provides that whenever a coal mine is not being operated the Attorney General may apply in Circuit Court in the district in which the mine is for a receiver to operate the mine, and this receiver may proceed to keep the public supplied with coal.

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL

New Men Who are Likely to be Brought Out

Nominations for the Council take place on Wednesday, 29th, at the Town Council Chambers. It is not likely that there will be any opposition to Ald. Roger in connection with the Mayoralty.

For the Council several new men are mentioned among whom are: Messrs R. F. McWilliams, George W. Morrow, Wm. Madill, A. W. Crassman, C. B Robertson and others. These are good men, and we hope to see them all at the Council board next year.

PETERBOROUGH WINTER RACES

Two Splendid Days' sport Arranged for Next Month

The first annual winter races under the auspices of the Peterborough Turf Club will take place in the Driving Park on Wednesday and Thursday, January 21st and 22nd, when $700 in purses will be offered.

The Club are sparing no pains or expense to make the coming meet as great a success as their summer event.

Entries close at 10 o'clock pm., on Monday, January 19th. The officers of the club are:—President, Mr. J. M. Brooks, Secretary, Arthur Rountree; Treasurer, R. J. Munro.

THE KING'S DAUGHTERS

Charming Entertainment Last Night in the Opera House

A very charming entertainment was given last night in the Opera House, under the auspices of the King's Daughters, the proceeds of which will be devoted to charity.

The programme consisted of a tableaux—(1) Christmas Morning. (2) Evening (3) Night. Then the other side of Christmas: Eve and Morning. This was followed by a septette, in which the following ladies and gentlemen took part: Miss P. Lundy, Miss. M. English, Miss L. Pearse, Miss M. Rush, Miss F. Belcher, Miss. M. Sherwood, Mr. Pereira, Mr. Hogg, Mr. McGill, Mr. Burnham, Mr. Davis, Mr. Cluxton.

A tableaux came next with the following effect:

(1) A tea party at Cranford, a village of old maids, in England, about 1805. (2) The Burglar Hunt. (3) The New Arrival at Cranford.

A roaring farce in one act followed entitled Box and Cox, with the following cast:—Mrs. Bouncer, Miss Helen Rogers; Box, a Journeyman Printer, Mr. Gracey; Cox, a Journeyman Hatter, Mr. R. M. Hamilton.

The whole concluded with a military Tableau—(1) The Roll Call; (2) True to the Last.

Altogether the entertainment was a huge success, and was very creditable to those who took part. There was a good audience, and a considerable will, it is hoped, be realized.

GENERAL - SPORTS

The Y.M.C.A. 1st team, that was picked to go up against the Toronto basketball team, was defeated by the Athletics on Wednesday evening by a score of 21 to 6.

HOCKEY.

The hockey club met Wednesday night to choose a captain for the senior team. Mr. Roland Glover was the choice. Mr. Glover's perfect knowledge of the game combined with his playing ability and experience, should make him an excellent captain.

Arrangements are pending for a hockey match between Waterloo and Peterborough, when the excursion from Peterborough to the Berlin sugar refinery is run.—Berlin Record.

CURLING.

The Scottish curlers sailed from Liverpool today. There is considerable discussion among the curlers in this country as to the prospects of success of the visitors against the clubs they will meet in Canada. While they are largely a picked combination, they will not be pitted against the pick of our players; the games will all be "friendlies" and no attempt at anything like a test match will be made. The Scotchmen have been accustomed to playing on rough outdoor ice and will be handicapped to a considerable degree by our keen ice and they will find here a game in many points knew to them. On the whole the Canadians should be able to make a good showing against the visitors.

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CASTRO IS EAGER TO HAVE A SETTLEMENT

Asks the U. S. Minister to Effect Arrangement with the Allies

The Crisis Probably Over—King's Speech in Proroguing Parliament Refers to Venezuela Affair

Washington, Dec. 18—President Castro has clothed Minister Bowen with full powers to effect a settlement with Great Britain, Germany and Italy. Mr. Bowen simply awaits the consent of the State Department to assume this task, assuming that the nations named are willing that he shall undertake this work. It is believed that the critical phase of the Venezuelan difficulty has been passed.

Can't Last Much Longer.

London, Dec. 18—The Berlin correspondent of the Times says the uneasiness of large and influential sections of British public opinion regarding Venezuelan affairs is paralleled in Germany. Evidently, if authorative British opinion favors a solution by peaceful methods, like American arbitration, Germany cannot raise objections, lest she appear less inclined than Great Britain to consult the views of the United States. The chief present peril is not friction with the United States, but the possibility that British-American relations will permanently or for a considerable period be involved with German-American relations. This situation may be obviated by Italy's action, and simultaneous presentation of the claims of other powers. There is safety in numbers.

Acute observers in Berlin are firmly convinced that the present Venezuelan affair cannot be prolonged beyond a week or a fortnight.

Unjustifiable and Arbitrary.

London, Dec. 18—Parliament was prorogued this afternoon. The King's speech was an unusually long recapitulation of public events since January, including the action taken in connection with Venezuela, regarding which the speech said:

"I regret that the constant complaints which my Government found it necessary to address to the Government of Venezuela in regard to unjustifiable and arbitrary acts against British subjects and property during the past two years have been persistently disregarded, and that it has become necessary for my Government, acting in concert with that of his Imperial Majesty the German Emperor, which also has serious causes for complaint against the republic, to insist on measures or redress."

The speech refers to the conclusion of the South African war, and adds:

"There seems to be every reason to hope that material prosperity greater than any the Transvaal and Orange River colonies have yet experienced may visit these regions, and that all sections of the population may live together in friendship for each other and loyalty to the Crown."

Paragraphs dealt with the postponed Coronation, the colonial conference, and Colonial Secretary Chamberlain's tour which together are expected to be of the "utmost value both in respect to their immediate effect and as precedents in the future."

Other topics touched upon were the expedition against the Mad Mullah and the co-operation of Italy therein, the acceptance by Chili and Argentina of the British boundary award, the Brussels sugar convention, and the alliance between Great Britain and Japan, "which I believe, will be of advantage to both countries, and contribute to the maintenance of general peace in the extreme East."

Must be a War Blockade.

Washington, Dec. 18—The officials here have come to the conclusion that the projected peaceful blockade of Venezuelan ports cannot be recognized as against United States shipping at least. If the allies seek to exclude Venezuelan shipping from entering Venezuelan ports, that might be permitted, but they cannot exclude United States ships in regular business, unless a genuine state of war is recognized. If Great Britain and Germany wish to exclude American merchantmen from Venezuelan ports they must exclude all shipping, including their own, a condition which can only be met by recognizing the existence of a state of war.

There will be no effort of the part of this Government to resist a war blockade of the Venezuelan coast as against merchant ships. Custom requires that due notice shall be given of the blockade, and that fact, taken in connections with the declarations that have been made in the British Parliament by the authorized representatives of the British Government, will, it is understood, be sufficient to justify all neutral nations in the understanding that a state of war does actually exist. This might in the end require the issue of a proclamation of neutrality by President Roosevelt, but this, it is stated, would not be timely now.

AUTOCARS TO BE USED ON BRITISH RAILWAYS

Moroccan Pretender is Stronger--He Has Set Up a Court, and is Growing in Popularity

London, Dec. 18—The Times announces that the North-Eastern Railway is about to try a system similar to that of Gardner and Serpollet described in a telegram from Paris published in The Times last Saturday. The autocars are now being built at York. At one end of each car is a Napier petrol engine of 85 horse power and four cylinders driving a dynamo which generates electricity for two motors supplying power to the wheels. The cars are light, and each carries 52 passengers. The storage capacity is for 30 gallons of Petrol, which will last five hours. It is proposed to work the new system experimentally on a crowded part of the railway, between Hartlepool and West Hartlepool which are not far apart.

London, Dec. 18—The correspondent of The Times telegraphing from Fez, says that the pretender to the throne has complete possession of Teza and the neighboring districts. The pretender has appointed viziers and other officials, and has set up a court with every symbol of royalty. The tribes east of Fez almost without exception acknowledge the pretender as Sultan. The correspondent says that heavy rains impair the progress of the Imperial troops.

London, Dec. 18—The work of repatriation, says the Johannesburg correspondent of The Times, has made great strides since the introduction of the burgher land settlement scheme. The 12,000 persons in the Transvaal camps in the middle of November have been reduced to 7,000. By the first week in January all save the five main camps, those at Irene, Pietersburg, Middleburg, Standerton and Potchefstroom, will be closed. These five camps contain mostly inhabitants of the indigent class or persons who are not able-bodied.

London, Dec. 18—The Vienna correspondent of The Times says that the Czech reply to German proposals in regard to the language questions are couched in conciliatory terms, but rejects the form, and in part the substance of the German offer. The reply says the language question must be solved before administrative changes are made. The Czech must be admitted to equality with the German language in Bohemia. It is also declared that Moravia and Silesia must be included in any arrangement, and not excluded, as the Germans wished.

London, Dec. 18—The French naval estimates, says the Paris correspondent of The Times, show a net increase of 10,000 francs as finally settled by the Budget Committee. The net deficit in the general budget of 500,000,000 francs has been met by saving 31,000,000 francs in various departments, adding 16,000,000 francs to the succession duty receipts, reducing the railway guarantees by 4,000,000 francs and adding 5,000000 francs from other sources.

WIRELESS WORKING WELL

Marconi Said to Receive and Transmit Several Despatches Daily

London, Dec. 18—A news agency despatch from Rome says that Capt. Livione, Signor Marconi's representative there, has received a letter from Signor Marconi, dated ten days ago, saying that he is now in perfect communication with the wireless telegraph station at Poldhu, Cornwall, and that he daily receives and transmits several despatches, all of which are perfectly clear.

The stations at Cape Breton and Cornwall, will be opened for public business before the end of December.

WEATHER NOTES

Friday—Westerly winds; fair and continued mild.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Italy has joined the kick against Venezuela. Most of the losses talked of seem to be due to Venezuelan revolutions. Venezuela is hearing powerful foreign arguments against her pet fad of revolutions.

A firm of private bankers in Oakville, Ont., have failed disastrously. There are not many private bankers in Canada, fortunately. The chartered banks are infinitely safer, and no more expensive to deal with.

A terrible blow is to be struck in Chicago. "One million of children from all over the land are to write letters to the Tobacco Trust," protesting against the manufacture of cigarettes. Why not extend this idea to a grander use? Why not have a million children, Absaloms in the bud, write to the trusts, protesting against trusts, and asking them to shut up shop? This would be as effectual as any other attempt to suspend the laws of business and make gravitation stop gravitating.

DISTRICT NEWS

SOUTH HARVEY.

The Cedardale cheese factory in South Harvey, celebrated the closing of the most successful season in its history on Wednesday night. The stockholders entertained the patrons and their friends at an oyster supper, and a most pleasant evening was spent in social enjoyment and in exchange of congratulations on the great success of the season's operations.

KEENE.

—Mr. John English, who has been seriously ill for some time is slowly recovering under the skilful treatment of Dr. Harrison.

—Miss Mary Kane, of Toronto, is visiting at Mrs. Thos. Wedlock's at present.

—Mr. Robert Brown moved into the house on Main street which he recently purchased.

—Mr. Leonard Brown and family have taken up their residence in the village.

—The Reese & Bell Concert Co. gave three entertainments in the town hall on Thursday, Friday and Saturdays evenings of last week.

—The Public School concert on Friday evening promises to be a success in every way.

—Midnight mass will be celebrated in St. John's Roman Catholic church by Rev. Father Phelan, on Christmas eve.

—We congratulate Mr. William Chapman on his latest possession—a luxuriant growth of straw colored whiskers.

—A dense column of smoke was seen rising in the east on Thursday last. There was great uneasiness felt in the village, as it was thought somebody's barn or house was on fire. Pony Moore was sent out to investigate. When he got as far as Mr. James Foley's, he saw that the smoke was rising out of his woods. Pony went in and told Mr. Foley that his woods was on fire. When they got into the woods, what do you think they saw. Jack Brough was sitting on a log having a comfortable smoke, wholly unconscious that he was causing so much anxiety in Keene. Pony came back disgusted.

—It is rumored that a member of the Sons of Rest Club contemplates getting married. No reason is given for the rash act.

—Nomination for County Councillors takes place in the town hall on Monday, Dec. 22, and for Township Councillors, Monday, Dec. 29. It is said there are several aspiring for municipal honors.

—Dog owners in the village are resting a little easier now. It is over a month since a dog was poisoned.

—The last Council meeting for 1902 was held on Monday, when the business of the year was wound up.

—Several young people in this vicinity are taking a course of studies from the International Correspondence School of Scranton, Pa.

OMEMEE.

—The first sleighing has brought quantities of grain and wood to Omemee, whilst many have gone to Peterborough market to take advantage of the higher prices in oats and other produce.

—The health of the village is excellent, with the exception of a few cases of colds and la grippe.

—The Cleaney family have quite recovered under the careful treatment of Dr. Keeke.

—Omemee has had a very prosperous year, many farmers coming here to retire. Every house is occupied, every stick of available timber is bought up, our saw-mill will be running all winter, and also the planing mill.

—Farmers are rejoiced to know of the probability of a beet sugar factory being started in Peterborough. Experience in growing beets in this section have been satisfactory, and no doubt large acreage will be accepted by them when required.

—Many of our young men have gone to Peterborough during the season, and report very satisfactorily of their experience in the different industries. Their parents are consequently pleased to have them so near home without going out of the Dominion.

—Our holiday entertainments on Xmas eve and New Years promises to excel all previous efforts. Six or eight of the best Toronto entertainers and vocalists are secured.

—The annual Presbyterian tea and concert on New Years promises to be one of the most sociable events of the season.

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NORTH MONAGHAN.

The council met in the town hall, on Monday, December 15th, in accordance with the R.S.O. All the members were present. The minutes of the meetings of October 13 and November 10, were read and confirmed.

A communication was received and read from W. J. Harkome, of Richmond, Que., offering the structural parts of old railway bridges for sale for township purposes. This was received.

Accounts were presented as follows: D. Galloway, Com. Road Division No. 1, for work done repairing culverts and raking stones off the highway, $15.50; Jas. M. Davidson, for cutting trench on Drain Road, $5.60; Jas. M. Davidson, for cleaning drain on tenth concession east of G.T.R., $3.75; J. J. Bennett, cutting brush on quarter line, 75c.; J. Solomon, cutting brush on quarter line, $4.50; Samuel Medd, cutting brush on quarter line, $5; Dennistoun, Peck and Stevenson, law costs, $10; G. W. Bennett, disbursements, postage, and publishing minutes, $10.33; Times, printing account, $44.52; H. Smith, hauling gravel on 12th concession, $22.75; J. McIntosh, 65 yards gravel got by H. Smith, $6.50, Mat Clarke, right of way for hauling gravel, $2.

On motion of Messrs. May and Madill, these accounts were passed and ordered to be paid.

The clerk fyled receipts for moneys received by him as follows:

From County Treasurer, Peterborough County, refund for work on bridge on Cavan boundary, $3; for rebate from Road Division No. 1, $1.25; from booth licenses, $10.

The township treasurer presented the financial statement for Dec. 15 to Dec. 31, 1901, and from Jan 1 to Dec. 15, 1902, inclusive:

The statement also showed taxes unpaid in 1902 to the amount of $181.44.

The statement was received and the clerk was instructed to publish the same according to law.

The following salaries and sessional allowances were ordered to be paid: Treasurer, W. H. Bradburn, $40; clerk, G. W. Bennett, $37.50; Caretaker, T. R. Sanderson, $7; Reeve, T. E. Bradburn, $15; Councillors May, Madill, Smith and Dobbin, each $10.

An account for work done on the Cavan boundary was received from the Clerk of Cavan, amounting to $9.31, of which North Monaghan is asked to pay one-half. This account was received and the Clerk was instructed to render to Cavan Council a contra account for work done on the same road by North Monaghan, as shown by the pay sheets of the Road Commissioner.

Moved by Mr. Madill, seconded by Mr. May, that Mr. Smith be a Committee to act with a Committee of the Sunday school to purchase blinds for the windows of the Town Hall.—Carried.

Bylaw No. 514, a bylaw to appoint a place of nomination, etc., etc., was then read and finally passed.

By this bylaw Mr. H. G. Webber and Mr. J. J. Bennett were appointed Deputy Returning officers for 1903.

The collector, Mr. Barnard, was reappointed and authorized to proceed and collect all unpaid taxes on or before Wednesday, Dec. 24th, 1902.

The Council then adjourned until Dec. 27th, to meet in the Reeve's office at 3 p.m.

EXCURSION TO BERLIN!

Farmers should be interested in the fact that an opportunity will be given them to thoroughly investigate the merits of the beet sugar industry as it is carried on at the large factory in Berlin. A special train has been secured for on or about December 30th, which will go and return the same day. The rate will not be higher than $3, return. The hour of starting will probably be about 6.30 a.m. and of returning about 10 p. m.

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Closing Exercises

The kindergarten exercises in connection with the South Central School, took place yesterday, and were witnessed by many of the parents and friends of the little folks. Much credit is due Miss Davidson, the principal, and her assistant, Miss Rush, for the high standing of the pupils. The programme was of the usual character on such occasions, consisting of songs, recitations, choruses, marches and games, in all of which the little tots were wonderfully proficient.

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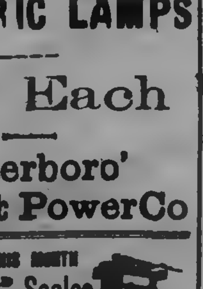

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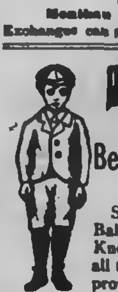

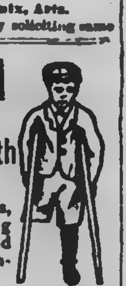

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Total Capitalization	$6,000,000 00

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Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
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COAL VEINS.

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TITLES.

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When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

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July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

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Summary.—The market opened with an increased strength, following the London lead stocks advanced further after the opening. Southern Pacific which by the way, is one of, if not the cheapest railway issues in Wall street at present, rose over 3 points crossing 63. Sugar sold above 126 and copper above 57. L. N. was up 4 points over yesterday's close. Diplomatic dispatches indicate a peaceful settlement of the Venezuela embroglio. St. Paul advanced 3 points and steel stocks were 2 points better which did much to increase confidence and good feeling. Stocks are good to buy upon each and every reaction. Money closed 4 1-2. Total sales 51,400. Tomorrow's letter, "A stock at an unusual investment level."

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Card to the Electors of Peterborough

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Peterborough?

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

In response to the numerous representations which have been made to me upon the subject, personally, by requisition, and through the press, I place my services at the disposal of the public as a candidate for the Mayoralty at the approaching municipal elections.

My association with the important municipal advances which the Town has been making during recent years, will enable me to give continuity to the aggressive forward policy which the Council has sought to pursue, and to bring experience and information gained therein to bear upon the work and problems which still more immediately confront us.

While I cannot lay claim to all the qualifications which have been flatteringly ascribed to me, such capacity for the office as I do possess is cheerfully placed at your service, and I ask your sympathy and support in the effort to maintain the position and standing, and advance the welfare of our already prosperous and progressive town.

Respectfully yours

G. M. ROGER

Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 19, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Dining Room Girl Wanted

Dining Room girl wanted at Snowden House. Highest wages paid. Apply at hotel to Wm. Snowden.

Wood Seven Dollars

Yesterday the best grade of hardwood sold on the market at $7 per cord. This was the highest price asked for best dry 22 inch wood. Mixed wood sold at from $4 up. There was considerable offered for sale, and if sleighing keeps on, wood will take a drop.

Leak Not Stopped

The water was turned off on Wednesday afternoon to allow the repairs to be made to the water mains in front of the Opera House, on George street. The damage was fixed, but there is still some water escaping, but the exact place has not yet been located.

The Veterans' Land Grants

The time specified by the act in which application for a grant can be made expires on 31st instant. Those who do not apply within that time will forfeit any right they may have to the land grant. Forms of application can be had from the Veterans' Locating & Colonization Association, Canada Life building, Toronto.

The New Rink

Work was commenced yesterday morning on the erection of the seventh iron span at the rink. There are only two more to be erected, and these should be well under way by the end of the week. The roof is being rapidly put on and next week will see a big change in the rink. As soon as the roof is completed the rink will be flooded, without waiting for the club rooms or gallery to be finished. By the end of next week, at the least, the rink should be ready for flooding if the weather is favorable.

A Quiet Wedding

On Wednesday evening a quiet wedding was celebrated at St. Andrew's manse, when the Rev. J. G. Potter united in marriage Mr. R. M. Tully, of Saskatchewan, N.W.T., to Miss M., daughter of Mr. Joseph McConnell, of Emily. After the ceremony the wedding party drove to the White House, where a wedding dejeuner was served. The groom is a brother of Mr. J. A. Tully, of town, and is well and favorably known in Peterborough. The newly married couple leave for their home in the west today. The Times extends its congratulations.

Mr. Hogg's Departure

A general feeling of regret will be manifest when it becomes known that Mr. W. H. Hogg, the local manager of the Bank of Montreal, is about to take his departure from Peterborough. He has been removed to Calgary, where the Bank has an immense business, and where he will have greater responsibilities. But the loss of Mr. Hogg is largely offset by the promotion of Mr. Myles Hamilton to the vacant position, as acting manager. Mr. Hamilton's hundreds of friends will rejoice at his promotion, and will earnestly hope that it may be the prelude to his permanent appointment as manager.

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WILL RUSH HARD COAL

The Situation in Peterborough Soon to be Relieved

The people of Peterborough may in the near future, look forward to the relief of the coal famine that has for so long been raging. The Times has been informed by the C.P.R. and G.T.R. that they will handle more coal this winter than in former years and they expect to relieve the situation shortly. The Canadian Pacific has been notified that there are large consignments of anthracite from Pennsylvania that has not reached the company's lines yet. The Grand Trunk shipments both of anthracite and soft coal this year are much in excess of last year, and the company is hauling large shipments of coal from Sydney, B.C.

Death of Mr. Harry Faint

We regret to be obliged to chronicle the death of Mr. Harry Faint, son of Mr. Wm. Faint, Ashburnham, which occurred yesterday morning. Deceased had been a sufferer from asthma for many years, and in hope of bettering his health he went to Calgary about a year and a half ago. The climate did not agree with him, and he returned about a month ago. He gradually failed in health, and dropsy set in, but his sudden demise was quite unexpected. He was 28 years old and unmarried. The funeral will take place from the family residence, Elizabeth street, tomorrow at 2.30 o'clock and proceed to Little Lake cemetery. There is much sympathy for the family in their bereavement.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. A. J. Gough, of Toronto, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. Charles Fuller, lockmaster at Burleigh, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. George Brown was down from Chemong yesterday on business.

—Mr. Wm. Milburn is home from Toronto Medical College for the holidays.

—Mr. John Sullivan, who has been living in Minnesota for the last eight years, is visiting relatives here.

—Mr. Harry Clark, has gone to his home in Stratford where he has secured a situation.

—Mr. Frank Dunn, of Fernie, B.C., one of the members of the Strathcona Horse is in town, the guest of his brother, Mr. O. Dunn, of the Southern Hotel.

—Mr. Thos. Crawford, of Port Hope, one of the veterans of '66 was in town yesterday in connection with his land grant and interviewed several parties in connection with the same.

—Mr. E. A. Hammond is receiving the congratulations of his friends on having successfully passed the primary examination in medicine at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Toronto.

—Mr. F. A. Lount, who has filled the position of teller in the Bank of Toronto, Cobourg, has returned to town, where he will assume the duties of accountant in the local branch. His many friends in Peterborough are glad to welcome him back.

—Mr. Patrick J. Kelly, son of Mr. T. Kelly, town, who has been pursuing his studies at the Grand Seminary, Montreal, is to be ordained deacon by His Grace Archbishop Bruchesi, of that city.

—On Monday evening a reception will be tendered Rev. T. J. Crowley by the members of the T.A.S. A musical programme will be presented and the society will testify in a tangible manner to the esteem in which they hold the Rev. gentleman. The members and friends of the T.A.S. are invited.

—Lieut. Guy H. Rogers, son of Lieut. Col. H. C. Rogers, arrived home from India, on Tuesday night. He is now on the first leave of twelve months, which comes every fifth year in the 25-year term of service obligatory in India. Lieut. Rogers saw service on the Indian frontier in an expedition against the Wazaris, one tribe of which caused considerable trouble lately. His leave expires on the 1st of November next.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—County Council nominations will take place on Monday next.

—Times Bookstore for the cheapest place in town for Xmas presents.

—The ice on some of the northern lakes is said to be six inches thick.

—Mr. Joe Halpany will assist at the band concert in Lindsay this evening.

—The salary of the Principal of the Lindsay Collegiate Institute has been increased from $1400 to $1600.

—Our stores are being decked out in handsome fashion. The majority of the window displays for Christmas are very striking and effective.

—More than two weeks of a holiday time will be enjoyed by the school children and teachers this year, as the schools will close today and re-open on Jan. 5th.

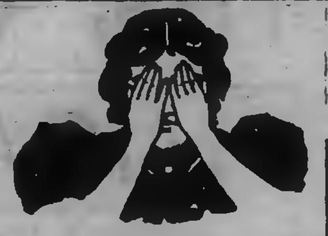
—The Grand Trunk is at present shipping to Allandale and Midland, through Peterborough three hundred cars of coal. The first of this supply passed through on Sunday last. From twelve to fifteen cars made a haul for a double-header.

—The present high price of wood is setting people to asking whether when they buy a cord of wood they are getting what they bargain for. A cord of wood contains 128 cubic feet; but it is not every load of wood that is sold for a cord will hold out measure. More generally a load contains not much over three-quarters of a cord.

—The Great North-Western Telegraph Company has issued a writ against the town of Oshawa, in which it asks for a mandatory order to compel the town to remove all the electric light wires, attachments and supports from the telegraph poles of the plaintiffs, and for an injunction restraining the town from further transmitting the current on the wires.

The Late Miss Minnie Crough

Much sympathy is being felt for the family of Mr. Philip Crough, of Ennismore, owing to the death of his daughter, Miss Minnie, which occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital, on the 11th inst. from appendicitis. The deceased young lady was only 17 years of age. Of a kindly disposition, she was greatly beloved by her many friends who will miss her very much. The funeral, which took place on Saturday last, was largely attended. Requiem High Mass was sung by Rev. Father Fitzpatrick at St. Martin's church, Ennismore, whence the remains were taken to the cemetery for interment. Messrs. William J. Crough, Frank P. Crough brothers of the deceased, and Frank Crough, Leo Crough, and Michael Donoghue, cousins of the deceased were the pall bearers. The Times extends its sincere sympathy to the bereaved family.



It is a great affliction for a woman to have her face disfigured by pimples or any form of eruptive disease. It makes her morbid and sensitive, and robs her of social enjoyment. Disfiguring eruptions are caused by impure blood, and are entirely cured by the great blood-purifying medicine—Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It removes from the blood the poisonous impurities which cause disease. It perfectly and permanently cures scrofulous sores, eczema, tetter, boils, pimples and other eruptive diseases which are caused by the blood's impurity. It increases the action of the blood-making glands and thus increases the supply of pure rich blood.

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BY LAW NUMBER ——

A By-law to Borrow Twenty Thousand Dollars for Public Works and Permanent Improvements in the Town of Peterborough

Passed the day of

WHEREAS it is necessary to rebuild and repair certain bridges over the creek in the Town of Peterborough, and for paying the cost thereof it will be necessary to borrow the sum of Five thousand dollars.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient in order to relieve the sewerage system on George Street at Hunter, Simcoe, Charlotte and Dalhousie Streets from the burden of carrying away storm and surface water, and to prevent the injury of the sewers by the deposit of sediment to construct a separate system of sewers or drains to carry away such storm and surface water, and it is also necessary to change the height of certain of the manholes in the present sewer system and for paying the cost of the said works it will be necessary to raise the sum of Five thousand dollars.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to adopt a system of street improvements for portions of the Town by putting down a more permanent road bed than has hitherto been done and to pay for the same by the issue of debentures instead of out of the current year's revenue and it will be necessary to raise the sum of ten thousand dollars for that purpose.

AND WHEREAS in order to raise the sum of twenty thousand dollars required for the purposes aforesaid it will be necessary to issue the debentures of the said Corporation for the said amount.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the Municipality according to the last revised assessment roll being for the year 1902 is the sum of four million three hundred and sixty-eight thousand one hundred and fifty dollars ($4,368,150.)

AND WHEREAS the amount of the existing debenture debt of the Municipality, exclusive of local improvement debt, but including the debt of $220,000 incurred for the purchase of the waterworks, is the sum of Five hundred and five thousand, eight hundred and eleven dollars and fifty-eight cents ($505,811.58) and there is no part of the principal or interest in arrear.

AND WHEREAS for the purpose of paying the interest on the said Debentures, and providing a sinking fund for the payment of same at maturity, it will be necessary to raise each year during the currency of the debentures by special rate the sum of $1544.32.

The Corporation of the Town of Peterborough by the Council thereof, therefore enacts as follows:—

1. This Bylaw shall take effect on the date of the final passing thereof.

2. It shall and may be lawful for the Corporation of the Town of Peterborough to borrow the sum of twenty thousand dollars, and to issue debentures of the said Corporation for the said sum, such debentures to be sealed with the Corporate Seal of the town of Peterborough, and to be signed by the Mayor and Treasurer and countersigned by the Secretary of the Commissioners of the Peterborough Town Trust, to be payable within twenty years after issue thereof and to bear interest at the rate of four per cent. payable half yearly on the thirtieth day of June and the thirty-first day of December in each year and to have coupons attached thereto for the payment of such interest. Such debentures, as to principal and interest, to be payable at the office of the Secretary of the Commissioners of the Peterborough Town Trust in the Town of Peterborough.

3. There shall be raised and levied during each year of the currency of the said debentures by a special rate upon all of the property in the Town of Peterborough liable thereto the sum of $800 for payment of the interest and $744.32 as a sinking fund for the payment of the said debt at the maturity thereof, making together the sum of $1544.32.

4. The proceeds of the said debentures when sold shall be applied as follows:

A sum not exceeding five thousand dollars for the rebuilding and repair of bridges over the creek in the Town of Peterborough;

A sum not exceeding five thousand dollars for the construction of sewers or drains to carry off storm and surface water from Hunter, Simcoe, Charlotte and Dalhousie streets and in changing the height of such manholes in the present sewerage system as may be necessary;

A sum not exceeding ten thousand dollars in permanent road construction.

5. The votes of the duly qualified electors of the Town of Peterborough shall be taken upon this By-law on MONDAY, the FIFTH DAY of JANUARY, 1903, commencing at the hour of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and closing at the hour of 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, at the following polling places and before the following Deputy Returning Officers respectively, that is to say:

WARD NO. 1

Polling Sub-division No. 1.—At M. H. Halpin's shop, corner of George and Perry Streets. Angus Williams to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 2.—At Lewis Spry's shop, Stewart Street. Joseph Lundy to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 2

Polling Sub-division No. 3.—At the Town Council Chamber. Charles Cameron to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 4.—At Greene Bros.' store, Charlotte Street. J. M. Greene to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 3

Polling Sub-division No. 5—At J. & W. Metheral's shop, Aylmer Street. Joseph Metheral to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 6.—At Wm. McCall's shop, McDonnell Street. John Irwin to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 4

Polling Sub-division No. 7—At Wm. Lee's shop, Smith Street. George W. Powell to be Deputy Returning Officer.

6. The 6th day of January 1903 at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, and the Town Council Chamber are hereby fixed as the time when and the place where the Clerk will sum up the number of votes given for and against the By-law.

7. The 3rd day of January, 1903, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, and the office of the Town Clerk are hereby fixed as the time and place for the appointment of persons to attend at the various polling places and at the final summing up of the votes by the Clerk respectively, on behalf of the persons interested in, and promoting or opposing the passing of the By-law respectively.

NOTICE

Take notice that the foregoing is a true copy of a proposed By-law which has been taken into consideration and which will be finally passed by the Council of the Town of Peterborough (in the event of the assent of the electors being obtained thereto) after one month from the first publication hereof in the Morning Times newspaper, the date of which first publication is the fifth day of December, 1902, and that at the hour, day and places therein fixed for taking the votes of the electors the polls will be held.

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VENEZUELA'S CASE AND THE MONROE DOCTRINE

The Origin of the Doctrine and the Holy Alliance

Formula of the Monroe Doctrine is "America for America"—Drawn up By British Statesman

For Venezuela there can be no appeal to the Monroe doctrine. That maxim of United States policy in the Americas does not apply to the controversies into which British and German warships have at last been brought. Though it was as the champion of the liberated communities of Spanish America that the United States first promulgated the doctrine, these communities are not to consider themselves shielded by the eagle's wing from the consequences of their offences against the European powers. Uncle Sam has more than once made that plain to them. Eight or nine years ago Nicaragua had to be disciplined by British gunboats before it could be brought to a sense of what was due to a European nation. A year ago Germany was on the point of taking warlike measures against Venezuela on account of the very grievances she is now trying to settle by the same means. She first consulted the United States, and was assured that that country did not feel bound by the Monroe doctrine to hinder any European power collecting its debts from any Government on this hemisphere, so long as no territory was seized and permanently held.

The Holy Alliance.

When Spain was in the throes of that struggle against Napoleon known as the Peninsular war, her long-oppressed colonies in South America took the opportunity to throw off the yoke. At the conclusion of peace steps were considered for re-establishing her government over these former dependencies. This was one of the tasks the Holy Alliance set itself. The declared object of this alliance was to prevent the recurrence of such great disturbances as Napoleon had caused in the affairs of the world. It had other ends, one of them being to restore the old balance as far as possible. The name "Holy Alliance" was adopted because the ostensible purpose was to subordinate politics to the Christian religion. Russia, Austria and Prussia were the leading powers in it. Great Britain was at no time a party to it. So far as the South American States were concerned, she could not countenance a joint attack on their newly-acquired independence, and, moreover, their resubjection to Spain was contrary to her commercial interest. As colonies they had no freedom of trade. They were held in a state of thraldom by Spain, who kept to herself the benefits of their markets. When they obtained their independence, they traded wherever they found it most to their advantage to trade, and, above all other nations, with Great Britain, the chief commercial power of the world. Britain, therefore, both by her traditional sympathy with aspirations for freedom, and by her trade interests, was against any compulsion by the powers to bring Spanish America back to its old dependence.

Origin of the Doctrine.

Accordingly, George Canning, the British Foreign Minister, made a proposal to Mr. Rush, the United States Minister in London, to the effect that a declaration, of which the following were two of the clauses: First, "We aim not at the possession of any portion of them (the colonies of Spain) ourselves"; second, "We could not see any portion of them transferred to any other power with indifference." Rush asked, as a condition to the United States joining in this declaration, that Great Britain formally recognize the new Governments in South America, but Canning thought it would be inexpedient overtly to do so at that moment, because of Britain's relations with Spain and the powers of the Holy Alliance. So the agreement was not entered into. But Rush sent home a despatch containing the proposal. The idea of such a declaration being made by the United States alone was thus suggested to Mr. Monroe, who was at that time President. After consideration by his Cabinet he referred the proposal to Jefferson, Madison and other American statesmen, and they warmly approved it. It was adopted. John Quincy Adams, the Secretary of State, formulated the Canning proposition, and it was embodied in President Monroe's message to Congress on December 2, 1823.

The Doctrine Stated.

The doctrine thus originated by a British statesman, and thus enunciated by an American president, consists of two parts. We give them in Monroe's words. The first part is:

"The occasion has been judged proper for asserting as a principle in which the rights and interests of the United States are involved, that the American continents, by the free and independent condition which they have assumed and maintain, are henceforth not to be considered as subjects for future colonization by any European power."

The second part: "We owe it, therefore, to candor and to the amicable relations existing between the United States and these powers (of the Holy Alliance) to declare that we should consider any attempt on their part to extend their system to any portion of this hemisphere as dangerous to our peace and safety. With the existing colonies or dependencies of any European power we have not interfered, and shall not interfere. But with the Governments who have declared their independence and maintain it, and whose independence we have on great consideration and on just principles acknowledged, we could not view any interposition for the purpose of oppressing them, or controlling in any other manner their destiny, by any European power in any other light than as the manifestation of an unfriendly disposition towards the United States."

There are a few sentences more to the same effect, and to the further purport that the United States will not meddle in the affairs of Europe. So the Monroe doctrine owes to President Monroe but little more than its name.

America for the Americans.

The formula of the Monroe doctrine is "[illegible] the Americans." Its utterance by President Monroe was received with genuine enthusiasm in England. It had the effect Canning counted on, of checking the Holy Alliance's designs in Spanish America. No attempt was made by the allied powers to bring back the revolted colonies to Spain, though they replaced Ferdinand VII. on the throne of that country in opposition to the will of the people. Canning could truly say afterwards, "I called the New World into existence to redress the balance of the old."

In subsequent statements of the doctrine its application to such cases as that of the present coercion of Venezuela is expressly disclaimed. To the United States Minister in Mexico, when that country was in a chaotic state, President Buchanan sent this instruction:—

"While we do not deny the right of any other power to carry on hostile operations against Mexico for the redress of its grievances, we firmly object to its holding possession of any part of that country, or endeavoring by force to control its political destiny."

The doctrine was unduly stretched in the statement of it contained in Secretary Olney's note to Great Britain in 1895 about the Venezuelan boundary. Lord Salisbury replied that while the Monroe doctrine was entitled to great respect, it had never been admitted into international law as binding on other nations and that it did not cover such controversies as the one then pending.

EXPLORATIONS IN THE FAR NORTH

D. T. Hanbury, Well-Known Explorer Arrives in Winnipeg From Barren Lands

Tribe of Savages to Whom White Men are Unknown—North Native Copper

Winnipeg, Dec. 19.—David T. Hanbury, the well known Englishman who has for some years been engaged in work as an explorer in the northern wilds, is staying at the Leland hotel. He has just returned from a journey of more than ordinary interest and the result of his trip will add greatly to the knowledge of that part of the world, and as Mr. Hanbury gives the Royal Geographical Society of England the benefit of his work, a detailed account of the trip may be expected to appear in the journals of that body shortly.

"I left Edmonton in February, 1901" said he to a reporter for the Times last evening, "and went north by the usual route to the Great Slave lake. About this portion of the trip I will say nothing, as the country traversed is familiar to most people. After leaving the lake I went east over the [illegible] of land and struck Lake Camp[illegible] which is a long, narrow body of water. Out of this lake flows the west [illegible] of the Arkylennik river, which [illegible] for about 120 miles, until [illegible] the confluence with the [illegible]. Along the first portion [illegible] there are no trees [illegible] fifty miles, where [illegible] of small bush, [illegible] in some [illegible] considerable [illegible] is [illegible] the junction with the main river. Back from the river, both north and south, are what are called the barren lands, treeless vistas of moss-covered ground whose only habitants are wild beasts and still wilder Eskimo savages.

LITTLE VEGETATION.

"In some places," continued Mr. Hanbury, "we found grass about two to two and a half feet high. In other places there was nothing but moss, and again there were parts where there was bare rock only. This country bears strong evidence of the glacial period, as the rocks are quite plainly marked where the ancient ice fields ribbed and marked the stone. The glacial striae show the direction of the movement of the ice to be south-easterly as a general course, but there are places where marking show deviation.

"About the time we were nearing the junction of the two rivers we came across thousands of caribou, but they were the only game we saw. After entering the main river I proceeded along it to Chesterville Inlet, where a whaler was awaiting me with my winter's supplies. After we had unloaded the supplies I spent the winter months with the Eskimos in their villages of snow houses, or as they call them, igloos, which, by the way, are very comfortable. Along about February I left my winter quarters, and took with me five Eskimo families. The party of natives comprised twenty-two persons. The supplies were carried by dog trains and the "huskies" of the string numbered twenty-two. You may be surprised when I say I took five families, but an Eskimo will not go away without his two or more wives, and the women naturally refuse to leave their children. We proceeded west about half way to Great Slave lake, and there headed north. The country after we passed through the wooded parts along the river bottoms was almost destitute of vegetation, except for mosses and in places a little grass. The trip was uneventful, however, until we reached Ogden bay, on the Arctic coast.

NEVER SAW A WHITE.

"Here we met with more Eskimo, who spoke a different language to the ones I had brought with me. I may say that I was a great curiosity among this new tribe, as I was the first white man they had ever seen. These people were a kind lot, but very timid. I presented them with knives thimbles and needles, which they appreciated much. Their spear and arrow heads were all made of copper, which abounds in its native state in that country. After leaving Ogden bay, we proceeded west on the ice, which was still good, to the Coppermine river, which we ascended with much difficulty, owing to shoals and rapids, for about 100 miles, where again we encountered trees along the bank of the river. At this point we quit the river, and struck west across the divide, and arrived at Great Bear lake.

DAYS WITHOUT FOOD.

"The only real hardship of the trip was encountered here, for we were about four days without food. After we once left the Great Bear lake and passed through the Great Bear river, and arrived at the Mackenzie river, we virtually considered ourselves at home."

"Did you discover anything in the mineral line on your trip?" Mr. Hanbury was asked.

"Nothing, excepting the copper in the north, and also some iron. But I was very much surprised to capture forty different varieties of butterflies, which I am taking home to a friend who is an enthusiast in that line."

Mr. Hanbury leaves for England in a few days and has not yet made up his mind as to whether he will return to this north country again.

CLOSING EXERCISES

Interesting Entertainment at the Central Kindergarten

The closing exercises in connection with the Central Kindergarten took place yesterday afternoon, and was attended by a number of the parents and friends of the children.

The children showed wonderful proficiency in the several exercises, displaying marked proof of earnest training. The songs, recitations, guestures, of the little tots was extremely fascinating. Miss Warner, the principal, and her two assistants, Miss Bell, Miss May Denne, have good reason to be proud of their little folks.

ORDINATION TO PRIESTHOOD

Rev. T. J. Crowley will be Ordained at St. Peter's Cathedral To-morrow

One of the most solemn and impressive ceremonies connected with the Roman Catholic Church will take place tomorrow morning at St. Peter's Cathedral, when Rev. T. J. Crowley will be ordained a priest.

Rev. Mr. Crowley pursued his studies at the Murray street separate school, and at the private academy of the late Mr. Lynch, afterwards entering St. Michael's College, Toronto, where he remained a term before going to Montreal, where he studied at the Grand Seminary.

He is the first member of St. Peter's T.A.B. to be ordained to the priesthood, a circumstance which is worthy of note. The society will, therefore, be officially represented at the ordination.

The ceremony will be performed by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor, and the sermon will be preached by Rev. Dr. O'Brien.

MR. BUNTON APPRECIATED

The Genial Grand Trunk Agent Receives Some Handsome Tokens

The Times was shown a very handsome token of appreciation sent to Mr. Wm. Bunton, by the party of Canadian capitalists who a short time ago visited the Douglas-Lacy oil and mining properties in California and adjoining States. It will be remembered that Mr. Bunton personally conducted the party on behalf of the G.T.R., and made all transportation arrangements. The value of his services is acknowledged in an address in neat pamphlet form, richly bound in Morocco, with a suitable inscription in gold. The letter has been executed by hand, and upon each page is an artistic sketch in water color, of choice bits of landscape, presumably on the route of the recent excursion.

Mr. Bunton was also the recipient of another gift from the party, of a very fine pair of solid gold cuff links, upon which has been inscribed his monogram. They were enclosed in a pretty red velvet case. Mr. Bunton, as well he may, prizes the tokens very highly.

The address is as follows—

Mr. Wm. Bunton:

Dear Mr. Bunton,—We, the undersigned members of the W. E. Watson party, starting from the city of Toronto, Ontario, wish to convey to you our most hearty thanks for the kind interest you have taken in our behalf during the whole trip from Toronto to San Francisco and return. It would be impossible for us to adequately convey to you our appreciation of your methodical, careful and thoughtful attention to one and all of us during that long and never to be forgotten, pleasant and magnificent journey, extending over seven thousand miles; our transportation was left solely and entirely to you.

At every stopping point when necessary you were promptly on hand negotiating with the heads of the respective railway companies to see that our connections were made comfortably and expeditiously.

We can certainly truthfully congratulate the Grand Trunk Railway on having in their employ so capable and thorough an official.

Signed—Wilson Patterson, John Wall, S. C. J. Ostrom, P. B. Forsyth, W. C. Meyers, Thos. Logale, Charles H. Bell, T. B. Snyder, J. H. Taylor, W. H. Evan, W. B. Clark, Ernest Beach, John Curry, Fred. H. Outram, J. Beach, J. B. Yeomly, R. S. Breadli, R. T. Grafton, G. W. Hatton, J. S. H. Kydd, W. E. Watson, Robt. H. Rodgers.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

BEAUTY ON HIS LAP

How a Pererboroug Man Was Almost Harried to Death

WHAT A PHOTOGRAPH DID

Was Deadly Afraid His Wife Would See the Awful Picture

Was Willing to Buy the Negative but Was Saved the Trouble and Also Incidentally Some Cold Coin

A well known citizen of Peterborough received a letter a few days ago that gave him a decided shock. He is concerned in large business enterprises that bring him more than a comfortable income, and in his way he is a well known man in the community—not one of the conspicuously rich, but one of the great army of successful men who make the solidity of the town. It was a very short letter he received. Supposing that his name was Smith, it read: "Perhaps you or Mrs. Smith would like to buy the original of this." That was all to the letter, but there was an inclosure. "This" was an unmounted photograph. It represented an elderly chap in a condition of evident intoxication. Seated upon a chair he had his arms around the waist of a frolicsome young woman who was seated on his knee.

Smith choked with the horror of it for he recognized his own features in the picture of the naughty man. Those were his whiskers to a certainty and the hair, what there was of it, appeared to be his also. It was very embarrassing to look that picture in the face. He did so, nevertheless, and tried to recall the features of the frolicsome dame on his knee. He tried to recall circumstances that might have led to such an exhibition of himself in front of a camera "Why didn't the rascal date the photograph?" he groaned all in his inmost soul. That might have been a clew to incite his memory to filling in the circumstances, which, he told himself, must have been of an extraordinary nature.

SUSPECTED OLD COMRADES.

But the photograph was not dated, and the letter gave absolutely no hint of the identity of the person who had sent it. Smith was a good deal more than mystified, but across his anguish there came a ray of hope that some of the gay old boys with whom he had consorted when he was too much younger to bear mentioning the time had played a cruel joke on him. He racked his memory for names of those among his former companions who were celebrated as practical jokers. There was one, but he was dead years ago. If he had been alive it might have been fairly safe procedure to mail the picture to him and appoint a place for drinks at his expense. "Poor devil!" thought Smith, "he'd probably like a cooling drink where he is now."

But his commiseration for his dead friend was short lived. The perspiration started on his furrowed brow as it worked in upon his intellectuals that he himself was the one to whom commiseration should be supplied. You see, though perhaps it doesn't need saying after these broad hints, Smith has long since settled down. The ancient haunts, the saloons, and other places know him no more. He had a household now, and held up his head in a highly respectable way in society, and come a Sunday, his hand never failed to drop substantial offerings in the box. Under such circumstances the vision of himself in that compromising situation was not at all comforting. Yes, mystified though he was, he would have liked much at that moment to buy the negative from which that picture had been printed.

TORMENTED BY ANOTHER LETTER.

He put the things carefully away in a secret drawer and tried to attend to business. When he went home that night he was in a panic of apprehension lest a similar picture had been sent to Mrs. Smith; but the partner of his domesticity evinced by no word or sign that any thing was amiss. Still he could not breathe freely, and he was more apprehensive than ever when he went to his business in the morning following. He had reason to be. The mail brought him another letter much like the first. There was another inclosure, a replica of the first, and the writer announced that he was thinking of sending a mounted and framed copy to Mrs. Smith for a Christmas present. As before there was no signature, and the envelopes of the two communications showed that they had been posted in different parts of the province. Smith was in a torment. It appeared to be fairly inevitable that the sender would not carry out his, or her, threat to expose the picture to Mrs. Smith without negotiations of some kind, but the poor man was oppressed by the conviction that a blow of some kind conviction that a blow of some made him half crazy. It was even worse when the next day came without the receipt of another letter and photograph. The break in the chain seemed even more threatening than its continuance would have been. But all things have an end, even suspense, and on the day after the break there came a third letter, and this time a bargain was proposed.

NEGATIVE OFFERED FOR SALE.

This letter was longer than the others, and there was no enclosure. It was suggested to the unhappy man that any number of pictures could be printed from the negative, and that he'd better get hold of it at once. A way to do so was kindly made clear. He was to put bank notes in an envelope and leave it at a certain place in Victoria Park. That was all. On receipt of the money the photographer would send him the negative. Now Smith was too old a bird to be caught by this means. When the thing reached a business basis he felt that he was somewhat in his element and he proceeded to deal with it in a sensible way. Some men might have gone to police headquarters, but not Smith. He called at the Times office and after the editor heard what Smith had to say, quietly put the affair into the hands of a young reporter in the office who had shown resourcefulness on other occasions. This young man made a careful study of the photograph, and then, somewhat to Smith's horror, had it enlarged a good many times its original size. When this had been done he pointed out certain things that had escaped the startled eyes of Smith in the original picture. There was evident in the enlarged picture a hiatus between the whiskers and the cheek. Likewise there were revealed indications of make-up about the brow. "I told you!" cried Smith delighted now, "I never was caught like that!"

The reporter of the g.f.j. proceeded then to do a little simple detective work, the details of which need not be stated here, for they amounted to nothing more than the exercise of horse sense and persistence.

BLACKMAILERS CAUGHT.

The result was the capture of the negative without paying for it and the thorough frightening of a pair of would be blackmailers. The man in the game had made up to represent Smith, a thing which was tolerably easy by reason of the victim's strong features and somewhat unusual style of trimming his beard. When Smith told our reporter all about this over the confidential, end of a dinner he asked him what he supposed anybody would have asked; why he did not push the scoundrels to the wall and have them sent up for a few years at Central Prison?

"Well, don't you see," he answered in a whisper, "I'm not so dead sure of it, after all. Of course, that wasn't a picture of me. But to take this affair into Court, would have necessitated a raking up of the excuse the villains had for trying to make me their victim. There must be some fire where there's so much smoke, don't you know? And the fact is that there are times when I can't remember where I went or what I did the night before. Never anything like that picture, of course! Oh, no! But the villains might have put a lawyer up to asking me unfortunate questions. You see, I am not sure yet as to what was the precise date when they meant me to suppose that picture was taken. If it was a certain date of which I have too dim a recollection—well, I'd just as lief nothing was said about it. Understand?"

Sure, Smith! But what a discreet gay old boy you are, to be sure! We wonder how many like you have been badgered into anteing up for a fake photograph by these same villains during the last few months? We won't believe that our old friend Smith is the only one of his kind in this venturesome town.

CANADIAN PACIFIC ATLANTIC LINE

The Steamers May Go On the St. Lawrence Route in the Spring

WILL BE WEEKLY SERVICE

And a Ten Day Service to London and Glasgow—Argentine Cattle in England

London, Dec. 19.—It is announced here today on the highest authority that the Canadian Pacific is determined, on the opening of the St. Lawrence route, next spring, to run a weekly service of cargo steamers from Liverpool, with a ten days' service to London and Glasgow. Other important developments are contemplated.

Argentine Cattle.

Yesterday the Argentine Chamber adopted the law reforming the sanitary police law in order to facilitate the opening of British ports to Argentine cattle. Hon. Mr. Hanbury practically pledged himself upon the receipt of the news that the law had passed to grant Argentine cattle the same privileges as Canadian cattle now enjoy.

The Footballers.

The Canadian footballers are improving decidedly with experience of English conditions. Yesterday's score was Leicester, two goals to one try, equal to 12 points; Canadian, two tries, six points. The record of the tour stands two losses, one win.

The Street Line

From Peterborough to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and the South is via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley Railroad. Route of the "Black Diamond Express." Pullman sleepers and dining car service from Toronto. Everything first class. Scenery and service unsurpassed. Call at W. Bunton's ticket office.

JOINT INSTALLATION

Of the Officers of Corinthian and Peterborough Lodges A. F. and A. M.

The joint installation of the officers of Corinthian Lodge, No. 101, and Peterborough Lodge, No. 155, A. F. & A.M. took place in the Masonic Temple, George street last night. A noteworthy feature of the event was the fact that there were present 30 Past Masters, the largest number ever known to have been in attendance at any previous Masonic function in Peterborough.

The installation ceremony was performed in a very efficient manner by Rt. Wor. Bro. W. L. Armitage, Grand Chaplain, assisted by Rt. Wor. Bro. H. Rush, V. Wor. Bro. H. C. Winch, Rt. Wor. Bro Walkey, V. W. Bro. A. Dawson, and V. Wor. Bro. R. M. Dennistoun.

Rt. Wor. Bro. T. B. O'Flynn, of Belleville, D.D.G.M. of Prince Edward District, No. 13, was present and evinced much interest in the impressive installation ceremonies, and congratulated the installing officer on the performance of his duties and the members of the lodges on the selection of their officers.

There were a large number of visiting brethren present, including Masons from Ottawa, Paris, Toronto, Montreal, Middleburg, New York, Shannonville and Gananoque.

At the conclusion of the installation ceremonies a recherche banquet was partaken of, accompanied by the following

TOAST LIST

The King and the Craft—

"Monarchs themselves have not thought it degradatory to their dignity to exchange the Sceptre for the Gavel."

The Grand Master and the Grand Lodge Of Canada—

"A superstructure perfect in its parts and honorable to the builder."

—Rt. W. Bro. T. O'Flynn

—Rt. W. Bro. H. E. Wood

The Newly Installed Officers—

"Let Prudence direct you, Temperance chasten you, Fortitude support you and Justice be the guide of all your actions."

—W. Bro. D. Walker (Corinthian).

—W. Bro. J. Crane (Peterboro)

The Visiting Brethren—

"A Freemason's Lodge is the Temple of Peace, Harmony and Brotherly Love."

—Bro. Rev. W. J. Jolliffe

The Retiring Officers—

"Rising to eminence by merit you may live respected and die regretted."

—Wor. Bro. T. N. Greer (Corinthian)

—Wor. Bro. W. Stocker (Peterboro)

The Installing Master—

"On you favors have not been undeservedly bestowed."

—R. W. Bro. Rev W. L. Armitage

The Junior Warden's Toast—

"Happy to meet, sorry to part Happy to meet again."

The presiding officers of the banquet were Rt. W. Bro. W. L. Armitage, chairman; Rt. W. Bro. Walkey, First Vice-chairman; V. W. Bro. A. Dawson, 2nd Vice-chairman.

OFFICERS.

Corinthian Lodge—

W. Bro. D. Walker	W.M.
W. Bro. T. N. Greer, M.D.	I.P.M.
Bro. H. Nesbitt	S.W.
Bro. W. H. Bradburn	J.W.
W. Bro. H. C. Rogers	Chap.
W. Bro. T. A. S. Hay	Treas.
Bro. H. R. H. Kenner	Sec.
V. W. Bro. R. M. Dennistoun	D. of C.
Bro. T. F. Matthews	S.D.
Bro. C. H. Bradburn	J.D.
Bro. G. W. Bennett	S.S.
Bro. F. H. Dickson	J.S.
Bro. J. Craig	I.G.
Bro. R. Gliddon	Organist
R. W. Bro. H. H. D. Hall	Tyler
Bro. G. W. Bennett	Auditor
Bro. W. J. Francis	Auditor

Peterboro Lodge—

W. Bro. John Crane	W.M.
W. Bro. Walter Stocker	I.P.M.
Bro. J. G. M. Wilson	S.W.
Bro. R. P. Morrow	J.W.
R. W. Bro. Rev. W. L. Armitage	Chap.
R. W. Bro. Alex. Gibson	Treas.
R. W. Bro. Walkey	Sec.
R. W. Bro. B. Shortly	D. of C.
Bro. John Jeffries	S.D.
Bro. G. G. Tovey	J.D.
Bro. S. Kerr	S.S.
Bro. Wm. Hill	J.S.
Bro. R. B. Lord	I.G.
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Bro. R. B. Wilson	Tyler
R. W. Bro. H. Rush	Auditor
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PLAGUE IN FOODSTUFFS

Japan Responsible for Outbreak in Honolulu

San Francisco, Dec. 19—Advices just received from Honolulu show that investigation proves that foodstuffs shipped to Honolulu from Japan and China via San Francisco, are responsible for the cases of plague recently appearing there. A number of Japanese on nearby plantations were taken with the plague and died in a hospital in Honolulu. An examination of their effects was made, but no trace of the germ was discovered until through tests had been made of some of the Japanese foods found in the houses. These foods under the microscope showed a trace of the plague germs and further examinations made of the Oriental stuffs showed that the diagnosis was correct. It was learned also that the foodstuffs had been imported at San Francisco and reshipped to Honolulu.

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL

Results of the Vote for Mayor and Alderman

ALD. SHORTLY IN 2nd PLACE

For Mayor—Mr. R. Le Brun in Second Place

Mr. R. F. McWilliams Heads the List for Aldermen—The Leaders are All Very Desirable Candidates

The leading candidates for mayor up to 6 o'clock yesterday evening are—

Ald. Roger	[illegible]
Ald. Shortly	[illegible]

The leading candidates for aldermen are—

R. F. McWilliams	[illegible]
A. W. Cressman	[illegible]
Ald. Best	[illegible]
Ald. Morrison	[illegible]

The past few days voting has brought Ald Shortly into second place for Mayor, with Mr. H. LeBrun third. Ald. G. R. Roger still heads the list. For Aldermen Mr. R. F. McWilliams is moved up to the head of the list, with Mr. A. W. Cressman, but 10 votes behind. In the last two counts Mrs. Geo. Matthews has made steady and substantial progress, and is now numbered with the leaders, who are all very desirable men for next year's council.

FOR MAYOR.

Ald. Roger	[illegible]
Ald. Shortly	[illegible]
H. LaBrun	[illegible]
Ald. Best	[illegible]
R. Fair	[illegible]
Robert Neill	[illegible]
H. C. Winch	[illegible]

FOR ALDERMAN.

R. F. McWilliams	[illegible]
A. W. Cressman	[illegible]
Ald. Best	[illegible]
Ald. Morrison	[illegible]
Geo. Matthews	[illegible]
Robert Fair	[illegible]
Ald. Rush	[illegible]
R. F. Mason	[illegible]
Ald. Corkery	[illegible]
Geo. W. Mcgrow	[illegible]
Wm. Madill	[illegible]
Ald. Shortly	[illegible]
Ald. Batten	[illegible]
W. Salisbury	[illegible]
W. E. Conway	[illegible]
Ald. McGregor	[illegible]
Ald. Tugue	[illegible]
A. Mattaglane	[illegible]
Dickson Davidson	[illegible]
R. B. Layfield	[illegible]
Thos. Bagrie	[illegible]
H. LaBrun	[illegible]
A. S. Dobbin	[illegible]
Ald. Oldaker	[illegible]
H. C. Winch	[illegible]
Geo. Elliott	[illegible]
Keisly Hall	[illegible]
V. [illegible]	[illegible]
W. G. Ferguson	[illegible]
Alex. Gibson	[illegible]
Ald. Edgecumbe	[illegible]

A merchant writes:—"I sincerely hope to see Mr. H. Rush an alderman next year. He is too good a man to be lost to the service of our town, which now more than ever must have a progressive Council. Mr. Rush is, and always has been a safe guardian of the town's interests.

A subscriber writes: "I would like to see Ald. Shortly accept the nomination for Mayor. Many of his friends are anxious to have him come to the front."

C. J. writes:—"Please record my vote for Ald. Roger for Mayor. The duties of the retiring chief magistrate could not fall on more capable shoulders than those of Mr. Roger. I consider his election sure."

A young citizen writes:—"Enclosed please find a number of coupons, on which, with others, you will find the name of Mr. R. F. McWilliams for Alderman. A very large number of citizens will be grievously disappointed if Mr. McWilliams does not accept of nomination."

Duke's Estate to be Rented

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PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 20, 1902.

THE LORENZ OPERATION

Dr. Adolf Lorenz, Vienna's celebrated orthopedic specialist, who has been operating in the United States for the relief of congenital dislocation of the hip joint, before audiences composed of hundreds of physicians from all parts of the country, who are now students of this school, is now in New York. So much interest has been aroused throughout Canada by the visit of this surgeon that a description of the deformity which it is intended to relieve completely or partially and the method of procedure will no doubt interest the readers of the Times.

In the early development of a child the three bones which are to form the large hip bone of one side of the body are not united but grow separately, and gradually become hardened and united. When development is natural and complete the point where these three bones join is in the bottom of a cup-shaped cavity, called the socket, in which the rounded head of the thigh bone is held by strong ligaments. If, from any cause, development is interfered with, a failure almost always takes place where this cup-shaped cavity or socket should be. When there is no well-developed socket to hold the head of the thigh in place the strain on the ligaments when the child begins to walk is so great that they are stretched abnormally, and finally there is a displacement of the head of the bone through the insufficient capsule. The surgeon has therefore to deal not only with a dislocated joint, but an undeveloped socket, and the operation is intended to bring the head of the bone to the place where the depression should be, and it hold it well against the softened tissues at the proper point until by pressure it forms a more or less complete socket. More satisfactory results are looked for in children under 5 or 6 years of age than in those who are older.

For the operation the child is made insensible and unconscious by an anaesthetic, and is placed upon a firm table, squarely upon the back, while the pelvis or hip bones of both sides of the body are held immovable by the hands of assistants. The operator, holding the thigh firmly, bends it at the hip and upon the abdomen until the thigh bone is about perpendicular to the level of the table. It is then carried slowly and forcibly outward or away from the middle line of the patient's body, then swayed to and fro with gradually increasing force until by stretching or tearing the muscles or ligaments at the joint, it is carried outward so far that the thigh is almost parallel with the surface of the operating table. When, by this manoeuvre, the mus- When, by this manoeuvre, the muscles or capsule have been sufficiently stretched or torn, the head of the bone, which is now near the place where the socket should be, may be felt to have slipped over the edge of this shallow saucer and into the slight concavity. Failing in this, the same movements are repeated, the limb being carried still further in the various directions above given. When finally the head of the bone is felt to have passed into the depression for the socket, it is carefully held in this position and an effort made to deepen the socket by semi-rotation of the bone from right to left, boring the head of the thigh into and deepening the cavity. A plaster of Paris encasement is now applied and worn for from six to nine months. After a week or two, or as soon as the sensitiveness of the joint will permit, the patient is encouraged to walk upon the leg of the affected side.

Although this is called a bloodless operation, it is probable that the bleeding which takes place beneath the skin as a result of the laceration of the blood vessels is not less than that which occurs when the operation in the hands of a competent surgeon is done by direct incision, and the bone replaced with that exactness which vision assures.

THE COUNTY COUNCIL

New Names Mentioned as Probable Candidates

The nominations for the County Council take place on Monday next, and a good deal of interest is being taken in the election this year. A few days ago we published a list of probable candidates, which require some changes.

In the First Division, composed of Otonabee and Ashburnham, Mr. Wm. Anderson, M.P.P., we regret to say, retires. Mr. E. A. Peck, who will in all probability fill the Warden's chair next year, is sure of re-election. Reeve Johnston, of Otonabee, will probably also be a candidate, and would make a very worthy representative. Mr. Archibald Weir, of Ashburnham, is also spoken of as a possible candidate. Mr. Weir is a member of the Otonabee Council, having been a resident of the township until the present year, when he moved to the village.

In the Second Division, consisting of the townships North Monaghan, Smith and Ennismore, ex-Warden Fitzgerald and Mr. T. M. Hunter are the only candidates mentioned. The Times hopes to see them elected by acclamation, as no more capable representatives are to be found.

In the Third Division, consisting of the townships of Harvey, Galway, Cavendish, Burleigh, Anstruther and Chandos, Warden Eastland and ex-Warden Shaw are likely to accept nomination for another term. They will probably be returned by acclamation. It was the intention of both gentlemen to retire, but at the earnest solicitation of their many friends, both in the Division and outside of it, they are likely to change their minds and remain.

In the Fourth Division, consisting of the townships of Belmont and Methuen, Asphodel, and the villages of Havelock, and Ashburnham, there probably will be a brisk contest. Mr. J. B. Pearce will offer himself for re-election, and doubtless will be returned. The new men mentioned are; Messrs. James Andrews, Asphodel; Wm. Buck, Asphodel; Reeve Curtis, Havelock, and Robert Anderson, Belmont.

In the Fifth Division, consisting of Lakefield, Dummer and Douro, it is not certain that there will be a contest. Mr. W. H. Casement, of Lakefield, will not again be a candidate. Mr. Richard Crowe, of Dummer, who has been faithful in the performance of his duties in the past in the Council, will seek re-election. And just here let the Times say a word; Mr. Crowe, if re-elected, will probably be the Warden of 1904, and we think he should be given another term on this account if on no other. It is an honor to be represented by the Warden, and we are much mistaken if the ratepayers of this Division won't so regard it, and return their old and tried representative. Mr. Dennis Moloney, Reeve of Douro, is also a candidate, and should be elected. His experience in the Township Council as well as his intimate knowledge of the requirements of the district, gives him special qualification. It is not unlikely that Messrs. Crowe and Moloney will be returned by acclamation, as Mr. E. Hawthorne, of Dummer, who is the only other name mentioned, has not yet consented to stand.

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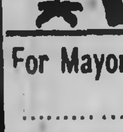

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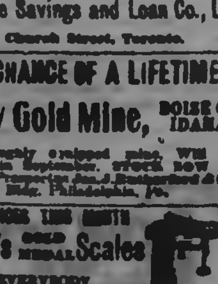

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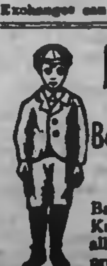

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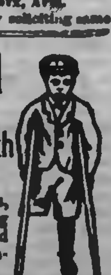

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blood spoke in that haugh-
ment," said the elder man,
"You have awakened her
nts."
tless she will find means to
herself —women always do,"
panion answered carelessly, as
and stepped across the rail-
a nearer view of the falls.
a handsome young fellow of
six, and excusable, perhaps,
caustic ill-humor at venture-
limbers, for his left arm was
in a sling, the result of his
reckless experiments in the
line several weeks previously.
broken his arm, and narrow-
ped breaking his neck by fall-
r the face of a steep cliff,
consequent confinement for
days at a stupid little railway
had somewhat soured the
human kindness in his man-
net.
tood carelessly, now, leaning on
ne, listening with a somewhat
lious air to the idle talk of
roups about the falls, and not-
th some admiration the beauty
rl who sat near him —a grace-
onde, whose large blue eyes
now and then with a half-co-
h air from the face of her
companion to meet the gaze
handsome stranger.
e Aylesford," exclaimed the
's companion, "do look at your
! She is in a most perilous
n! Had you not better call
own?"
Englishman started and bent
en glance on Miss Aylesford's
s she looked upward at the
cliff.
moment her answering words
clearly up to where he stood,
companion's had done a mo-
before:
re is no need for apprehens-
Hilda is very sure-footed, and
only laugh at the idea of dan-
She does not know the mean-
fear."
they are sisters," commented
Courtenaye. "Yet how very un-
in appearance. But — Aylesford
t is the name of the very man
seeking! I must inquire wheth-
ese two girls are of that parti-
family."
stood still, however, a moment
ling to intrude on the animat-
nversation of the couple, and
suddenly remembering that he
standing rather rudely within
t of their talk, he turned and
up the railroad a short dis-
above the falls, knitting his
s in deep, absorbing thought.
ing again to look at the riv-
attention was attracted by
picturesque appearance of a
gray stone bowlder rising sev-
feet out of the river midway
stream.
water was very low now, and
of low, irregular stones form-
of rude, natural bridge a-
the bowlder.
ng an idle impulse, the young
descended the bank, and lightly
ng across the stones, climbed to
top of the great bowlder, and
himself thereon. Thus isolat-
the world on his lonely rock,
the shallow water lapping the
at his feet, he relapsed into
ing mood, seemingly forgetful
rything around him.
long he sat there, with the
mands of woods and waves in
, he never knew, but sudden-
came an awful sound close
him — a sound more fearful
the thunder-peal, blood- curdl-
the noise of battle. It was
sh of many waters!"
ow River had risen with the
rapidity and suddenness so
common to mountain
, and was now pouring a
heavy volume of several feet
dy water all around his lone-
, not half a foot from the
of the rock. Brave man though
Cecil Courtenaye sprang to
with an involuntary cry of
and horror, and surveyed his
— a situation calculated to
terror to the bravest heart,
ch seemed to stare him in the

face.

Midway the dangerous river, on the lonely bowlder that had suddenly become a tiny island surrounded by a wild, swift torrent of water, his only hope of escape was to swim back to the shore where he had left his friend and the gay pleasure- seekers. He was an expert swimmer, yet the bravest would have hesitated before plunging into that rapid flood that hurried on to the fatal cascades, bearing on its swollen bosom huge logs from the numerous saw- mills that dotted its banks, great black stumps of trees, together with all the debris gathered from the shores that it had begun to overflow. Coutenaye's proud lips whitened as his glance came back from that swift flood and fell on the useless arm that, splintered and bandaged, hung in its sling across his breast.

"It is quite impossible for me to attempt to swim it —like this," he said, in unconscious soliloquy. "I could make no headway in such a flood, and should either be killed by one of those logs in the river, or hurried over the fatal falls. Neither alternative is pleasant to contemplate. There seems but one chance for my life —the slim chance that the water will rise no higher, and that I can keep my present position of safety until the tide falls again."

How very hopeless was that last chance, Courtenaye had no idea. Heavy rains in the mountains above, and east of that point, had swollen all the mountain rivulets into terrific proportions, and they were momentarily pouring their increased bulk into the river, and swelling its dangerous flood. He began to understand the futility of his hope, as a great wave, with a huge saw- log on its crest, came splashing up and wetting his feet, while the log, striking the bowlder with a loud thud, reared dangerously upward for a moment as if it would hurl him from his desperate refuge, then, fortunately falling sidewise, continued its interrupted course to the falls.

But what of Cecil Courtenaye's friend, and the gay party on the *shore?*

They had all scrambled up the bank in terror at the first appearance of danger, and now stood on the railroad in safety, watching the flood in the river below in the rapt fascination a great rising of water exerts over every one. Even the elderly Englishman, Sir Wilfred Hale, had totally forgotten his missing friend in the all- absorbing interest of the moment.

Involuntarily Cecil Courtnaye's eyes lifted to the cliff where Hilda Aylesford still leaned on the swaying tree, and watched the scene with eager, kindling dark eyes. In that same moment her quick glance, taking in every object at once, saw and comprehended like a flash of lightning the imminent peril of the young Englishman. He saw her lean forward impetuously, heard her voice ringing down to the people below, though her words were inaudible in the noise around him. The next instant she was swiftly, recklessly descending the cliff, while a dozen pairs of eyes turned toward him in horror, and the shrieks of frightened women rose in concert above the waves.

"You will have to swim for your life, Courtenaye," shouted his English friend, running down the railroad, and sending his voice ringingly, frantically over the water. "That is your only chance!"

Hilda Aylesford's light feet had pattered all the way behind the Englishman, and she stood still a moment watching Cecil Courtenaye as he slowly and painfully divested his arm of the sling, removed his coat and vest, and prepared to follow his friend's advice. His face was pale, and his lips set firmly, but there was no sign of fear in his brave bearing, and Hilda, watching him curiously, saw him making ready for that fatal plunge so calmly, that her childish heart swelled with admiration. As he leaned forward for the desperate effort, she hastily pulled the light vail from her hat, and waved it toward him.

"Don't dare to try it!" she screamed across the waves. "You'll be swept over the falls. Stay where you are until help comes."

The ringing, girlish voice had the tone of command. Involuntarily Cecil Courtenaye obeyed it, stepping quickly back and waiting her will, while the wild waters began to break over the rocks, splashing him from head to foot in their cold, blinding spray, and the last beam of sunset glimmered faintly, then faded out.

CHAPTER II.

A Girl's Revenge.

"The fairest action of our human
lives
Is scorning to revenge an injury."

The whole party had come up by that time, the women weeping in their handkerchiefs, the men wild-eyed and excited. It was awful to see a human being, a fellow- creature, waiting for death in their sight while they stood idle and powerless to help him.

Courtenaye watched the group with his grave, troubled eyes, and saw Hilda Aylesford talking earnestly to these men, arguing and pleading it seemed from her manner, while they sorrowfully shook their heads. Stalwart, brave men they were, too, but life was sweet to them, and they could not be tempted to risk it idly on so forlorn a hope. Now and then their words, spoken in the highest pitched tones of excitement, echoed across to his strained hearing.

"Not a canoe in three miles, Miss Hilda," he heard in the broken fragments of sentences that reached him. the debris from the shores — the "If there were— could not row in such a current— remember the logs, falls so near— utterly impossible!"

"But we have horses — ford the river!" echoed the girl's high- pitched soprano.

"Simple madness!" said another voice, and Hilda turned off impatiently at that, and ran down the railway to where the horses of the party were tethered some distance back on the narrow road winding ruggedly up the mountain. Presently she came tearing back, mounted on a beautiful black horse, strong, superb, and spirited from its flashing eyes, haughty head, and tossing black mane, to the slender hoof that seemed to spurn the ground. The blonde Miss Aylesford started forward in terror.

"Hilda, you shall not. Jupiter cannot ford it."

"He can swim it, then," said the girl, with a wild, defiant laugh. "Get out of my way, Florence! Do you think I will stand still and see a human being perish in my sight?"

"Hilda, you will be drowned. You shall not go. Listen to me, Hilda. Oh, somebody stop her, please!" cried the beauty, turning her lovely, imploring eyes on the men around her as Hilda impatiently urged her frightened and reluctant steed toward the bank.

Two men sprang forward and resolutely caught at her bridle rein as she urged the trembling, [illegible] Jupiter forward, but [illegible] her but a moment, for Hilda's [illegible] riding-whip, carried it high in her clenched hand, was [illegible] twice. The keen little [illegible] back that held her bridle, and again with blinding force on the face of the second man.

"Cowards!" she cried, scornfully, as they staggered back, and she rode straight down the steep incline and into the surging water, followed by the chorus of shrieks and lamentations from the shore. Even the horse, strong and brave as he was, recoiled with a whinny of terror as the cold waves rushed over his flanks; but, "Courage, my Jupiter," she whispered, fondly, and in a moment more he was struggling bravely forward, urged by the caressing tone of the mistress at whose least whisper he had dared many another threatening danger.

In Cecil Courtenaye's soul a blind horror was creeping, as he watched the heroic girl, whom he had so pitilessly derided scarcely an hour ago.

"Go back!" he shouted hoarsely, as he found his voice. "Go back, for Heaven's sake!" but she did not heed the wild expostulations he hurled toward her, nor the frenzied entreaties that followed from the shore, but still pressed forward in the fast- coming twilight that added its terrors to the dreadful scene.

Every nerve was strained to its utmost tension, and she made a picture of heroic bravery never to be forgotten by those who witnessed the sight.

Her long, dark hair, broken loose from confinement, flowed down her shoulder, wet and heavy with the river spray; her great black eyes shone out of her small, pale face like stars. Her lithe little form sat in the saddle erect as a statue, while she guided the plunging animal through the waves, that grew deeper and deeper, until they rushed up to her shoulders, closing for one awful, never- to- be- forgotten moment over Jupiter's head. The next moment, with a wild snort, the frightened animal reared upward, shook the water from his mane, and, urged by her voice and hand, began to swim for his life.

Breathlessly Courtenaye watched her from his dangerous eyrie; breathlessly the group on the shore noted her progress. Once there came an awful moment, when the women hid their faces and screamed, the men shuddered, and Courtenaye groaned in anguish. Three or four heavy logs, drifting together down the river, headed directly toward her; but just before they reached her, a seething whirlpool over a hidden rock changed the course of three. The fourth one reared straight up an instant, and falling, would have struck her horse's flank, but that Hilda turned in her saddle, and with a dexterous movement of her hand turned the threatening log aside, saving herself and Jupiter by that *energetic movement.*

A loud ringing cheer went up from the men who watched her from the shore. They had been too prudent to risk almost certain death for an utter stranger, but they could see and acknowledge a heroism that shamed their cowardice, while it roused admiration to the highest pitch. But undaunted by their praise or blame, Hilda persevered until she reached the bowlder.

She was not a minute too soon. Already it was submerged beneath the water, and great waves were breaking over it, threatening every instant to tear Courtenaye from the rough projection to which he clung with the desperation of despair. She checked her panting steed, and spoke quickly and coolly:

"Spring on the back of Jupiter, put your arms around me to steady yourself, and say a prayer for two souls in deadly peril, sir!"

He looked up, and in the wild waste of waters their glances met. A mocking light shone in her eyes, a jeering spirit, half selfish, half childish, an odd, inexplicable smile curled the corners of her thin, red lips.

He shook his head in silence, and instantly a softer, gentler light flashed into her eyes.

"You are too proud to owe your safety to a girl, perhaps," she ventured, as she saw that he would not come.

"I am not coward enough to make your return an impossibility," he answered. "It would be the certain doom of both if I took you at your word. Your horse could not carry double."

She laughed lightly.

"Jupiter could carry three, if necessary. He is both strong and brave. Try him, sir. It is your one chance of life!" she urged, keeping her seat with difficulty, as she held the plunging, frightened horse.

His one chance of life! The words touched a vibrant chord that sent a swift thought flying across the sea to a fond heart that would break if he should perish here. His face softened strangely and sweetly.

"He is thinking of his mother or his sweetheart," thought the child-woman, noting that softened look, and she added, aloud, "If there is anybody that would grieve over your death, sir, you had better let my Jupiter save you."

"Thanks!" he answered, and, a moment later, had made the transit to Jupiter's back, and putting his arm around the waist of the brave little girl, sat erect and still while she headed for their return, and once more a great triumphant, uproarious cheer arose from the watchers on the shore.

To be Continued.

TRIPLETS 73 YEARS OLD

A Remarkable Trio Living in Londerry N.H.

Londonderry, N. H. Dec. 18.—Born in this town more than seventy-three years ago, the Ripley triplets are probably the oldest now in this country.

Daniel Simpson Ripley, Mrs. Addie K. Thayer and Mrs. Angie K. Boutell are the names of the triplets. They are of a family of six children, all of whom are living and enjoying fair health.

The triplets' parents were Asahel P. Ripley and Mary Clark Ripley. The father was born in Londonderry in May, 1801, and died in Nashua, in 1880. Mrs. Ripley was born in Londonderry in 1806 and died there in 1866.

On September 24th, 1829, to Mr. and Mrs. Ripley, were born the trio of children which made their home happy and pleasant ever after. The old family physician, who attended the case at the time. Dr. Daniel Simpson, was so elated over the advent of the three babies that he desired to have the boy named for himself, Daniel Simpson Ripley, and the girls for his wife and sister. This was agreed to by Mr. and Mrs. Ripley.

The water was turned off on Wednesday afternoon to allow the repairs to be made to the water mains in front of the Opera House, on George street. The damage was fixed, but there is still some water escaping, but the exact place has not yet been located.

—More than two weeks of a holiday time will be enjoyed by the school children and teachers this year, as the schools will close today and re-open on Jan. 6th.

Abyssinia's Peculiar Currency.

The currency of Abyssinia is somewhat varied, to judge by an account of it given by Count Gleichen in his story of the mission to Menelek, reprinted in the "Popular Science Monthly." For standard money the people use the Maria Theresa dollars of 1780, but for small change a very different "coin" is employed.

This is no other than bars of hard crystallized salt, about ten inches long and two and a half square, slightly tapering toward the end. Five of these bars pass for a dollar at the capital.

People are very particular about the standard of fineness of the currency. If it does not ring like metal when struck with the finger-nail, or if it is cracked or chipped, they will not take it. It is a token of affection when friends meet to give each other a lick of their respective amolia, and in this way the value of the bar is decreased.

Smaller change than a bar of salt is sometimes needed, and then the natives have recourse to cartridges. Three cartridges pass for one bar of salt. It does not matter what sort of cartridges they are. Some sharpers use their cartridges in the ordinary way, and then put in dust and a dummy bullet to make up the difference, and others take out the powder and put in the bullet again.

Woe to the unlucky man who has parted with his goods for such money! When next he is fighting, and puts his hand into his belt, he finds only misfires there. He is so well accustomed to such a fraud, however, that he takes little notice of it. A bad cartridge seems to answer for money as well as a good one.

Coin collectors will possibly find it hard to get specimens of the salt, but cartridges may easily be found.

A Dog Strategist.

The owner of an old shepherd dog tells many stories which go to prove that although the animal—Don by name—is less active than in his youth, his intelligence is by no means on the decline. The collie has been much annoyed by the conduct of a neighbor's dog which is too lazy to bury bones for his own consumption, but greatly enjoys unearthing the treasures of others. When Don had been deprived of several choice stores in this annoying way, he evidently meditated over the matter, and at last a bright idea came to him. One day after dinner, when the neighbor's dog was out of the way, Don began to dig a hole, not far from where his master sat watching him. The hole was unusually deep; in it he deposited a large and still highly desirable bone. Then he covered it well with earth, disappeared for a moment, and came trotting back with a small bone which had seen its best and second best days, but was still good enough, in Don's opinion, for a thief. This bone he laid on the earth which hid the big one, and scraped the earth over it with elaborate care. His master had the satisfaction of knowing that the ruse was successful, for early the next morning he saw the thief hastily leaving the premises with the small bone in his mouth. Later in the day Don reaped the reward of his wisdom, as he sat munching and crunching the big bone at his leisure.

Pat Enquired.

Pat went to a race-course the other day, and fell in with a number of sporting friends who were betting on the races. He was urged to bet, but steadfastly refused until he saw two of his friends win a large sum on one of the races. Finally, after much urging, he put half a crown on a horse, from which moment he became deeply interested. As the horses came past the judge's box Pat's fingers clutched the back of the seat and his eyes were wide with excitement. The horse on which he had bet finished sixth. Without a word, but with a look of deep disgust, he got up and hurried down to the paddock where the jockeys were. Calling the youngster who had ridden that particular horse aside, Pat enquired in deeply injured tones:

"In hivin's name, young man, phwat detained ye?"

He Knew What He Wanted.

The immigrant agent with Clancy in tow went to Harlem in search of work for the new arrival. They found a building contractor, says the New York "Tribune," who was overseeing the construction of a big skeleton of steel.

"What can the man do?" demanded the contractor.

"Anything in the line of unskilled labor," replied the agent, "and he is quick to learn."

The contractor turned to the applicant, and half-jokingly enquired, "Which one of those jobs would you like to have?"

The immigrant swept the field with a contemplative eye. "What's that man doing?" he demanded, pointing with one hand. "I mean the wan sitting down—not the other wid the sledge."

"He is holding the drill."

"Is that all he does?"

"Yes."

"Is he on the pay-roll?"

"Yes."

Clancy drew a long breath of satisfaction. "Give me that job."

Just an Average Day.

Mrs. Morse was a truthful woman, with nothing to conceal, so when she was asked, on the witness stand, to tell what she did on a certain day between the hours of seven and nine in the morning, she responded without a trace of reluctance:

"First I helped little Jim get dressed, for he never can manage it alone. Then I ran downstairs and made the griddle-cakes, and saw to Mr. Morse's coffee, and hurried up Robert and Dorothy for fear they'd be late for school, and ate an orange and some toast and a boiled egg—I remember it was boiled too hard. Bridget hasn't learned the right time yet—and then our minister's wife came over to get me to help her cut out a seat for the baby, and then I dusted the parlor, and made five beds, and straightened up the rooms, and mended three of Mr. Morse's shirts, and pressed out some neckties, and did a little darning. And I'd just got the pudding made and was beginning on some ginger cookies when I heard that cry that startled the whole neighborhood. Now I wonder if I've forgotten anything."

But the judge, who, previous to her recital, had wondered whether Mrs. Morse had not been in a position to see more of the catastrophe than she seemed to admit, pressed his hand to his forehead with a dazed look.

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL

Nominations for the Council take place on Wednesday, 29th, at the Town Council Chambers. It is not likely that there will be any opposition to Ald. Sager in connection with the Mayoralty

For the Council several new men are mentioned among whom are: Messrs R. F. McWilliams, George W. Morrow, Wm. Madill, A. W. Cressman, C. B Robertson and others. These are good men, and we hope to see them all at the Council board next year.

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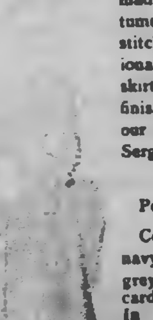

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DISTRICT NEWS

APSLEY.

—It is very creditable to the Reeve and Council of Burleigh, etc., to know that the municipality is free from debt, every dollar being paid, or cash on hand to do so. Not only is this so, but the municipality has enough left to carry on their municipal affairs for 1903, and that, too, with four mills off this year's rate. This is a splendid showing for only two years. Dr. Bell, the efficient clerk, has left the ear marks of his splendid work here.

—Mr. Wm. Gallon, the popular clerk of the Division Court, has opened out a small store in connection with his other business.

—Should Mr. Eastland retire from the County Council, Mr. Wm. Gallon, who so acceptably filled the position of Reeve in the past, is mentioned as his probable successor. No better man could be found.

—The sleighing here is fairly good.

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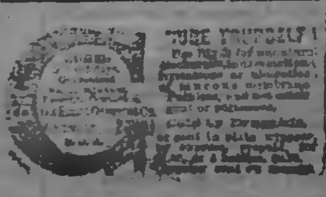

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London's Pot-Boilers.

There are men in London to-day, says an English paper, who, in preference to starving, are glad enough to turn out oil paintings at the ridiculous remuneration of fourpence each, for which work they find a steady demand. The work, of course, has to be executed with extreme dexterity, or the artist would realize but a poor living. but some smart men, aided by one or two deft assistants, can complete from 200 to 300 of these "pictures" in a week, though they have to toil early and late to accomplish their arduous task. When a big order comes in for a gross of oil paintings, to be finished within a specified period for a wholesale firm, the method of work is usually as follows: Along the walls of the apartment wherein the artists work are stretched so many yards of canvas, which is marked into lengths, according to the size of the pictures ordered. Then the work is equally divided among the artist and his colleagues, each man being responsible for one part of every picture. One will paint the trees, another the sky, a third will put in a bit of sea or lake, and a fourth will add a few figures to impart animation to the scene. Each man selects the particular line in which he can do his best and quickest work, and all labor with a strict eye to time and business. In one studio devoted to the fourpenny oil paintings, there are half a dozen girls who work eighty hours a week, and these earn only from twelve to fifteen shillings each. They work for a big wholesale house on the Continent, and their specialty is the showy little landscape or marine paintings so familiar to those who patronize the itinerant auctioneer or the cheap house furnisher. Incredible though it may seem, there are some sweating firms who expect the artist to find his or her own canvas and colors, and then to turn out oil paintings at fourpence apiece! But the better class dealers provide the materials or make an allowance for the extra cost.

Measuring Sleep.

Few phenomena in human experience are at the same time so common and so mysterious as sleep. For hours at a time the physical senses and mental faculties remain inactive, and then rather abruptly acquire their wonted keenness. It has long been known that age, sex, occupation, state of health and other influences affect the period during which this suspension of consciousness lasts, and also the soundness of one's sleep. There is reason to think, too, that the latter is variable through the night with every individual, even though his slumber may remain practically unbroken. This phase of the subject, however, has not been studied much until recently. Hence few people realize how greatly the depth of sleep fluctuates.

In order to get some light on the question, two investigators in the University of Rome, Dr. Sante de Sanctis and D. U. Neyroz, conducted a series of experiments which extended through six months. Nine different persons, four of whom were thoroughly healthy and five of whom had diseased nervous systems, were the subjects of these tests. The general plan of procedure was to wait until after they had fallen asleep and then employ uniform means to awaken them. For this purpose an instrument was used called an esthesiometer. It was made up of a blunt point that might be pressed against the skin, a spiral spring and a carefully graduated scale which showed the degrees of pressure used. The point was applied gently to the sleeper's left temple, and pressed until he awoke, then the scale was examined and notes were made of the hour and minute and of the scale reading. The same person was not awakened more than once or twice a night, but the experiments were so timed that in the course of a few months they covered the whole eight-hour period during which sleep lasted, at intervals of ten or fifteen minutes, several times over.

These data, having been tabulated, show that the soundest sleep in the four healthy subjects occurred between an hour and a quarter and an hour and a half after dropping off. Unconsciousness rapidly and almost steadily increased during that period, and then in the next quarter or half hour diminished greatly. Thereafter surprising oscillations were detected. On the average, though, the stages of lightest sleep occurred about four and a half and again five and a half hours after the beginning. A short, low, secondary maximum of intensity followed in the next hour and a half or two hours. From this point the decline was rapid to the final awakening.

In epileptics and paralytics very much the same state of things was observed, except that they slept more profoundly than the healthy subjects, and in one person the unconsciousness at the end of fifteen minutes was almost as marked as at an hour and a half.

The Elective System in Manners.

As with every other abuse that threatens the comfort of the community, home-training is largely responsible for the numerous presence of the selfish ungrateful individual, the cormorant of society. Many parents inculcate selfishness, contends a writer in "Donahoe's Magazine," and an astute weighing of services rendered from outside. Thus their children learn early that their teacher's devoted care is "paid for," the seats they occupy in cars and must not yield to any claim of age or sex are "paid for," the houses they inhabit and wreck "are paid for," favors are rendered for ulterior motives, etc., etc. Thus the course of instruction is continued, until retribution not infrequently overtakes the instructors, they becoming in turn victims of the too commercial training they imparted. The writer has in mind the mother of three sons, who gave to her children the most unceasing care, and who in her old age subsists upon the pittance grudgingly contributed by them, forced from them by the law. Nor is the case a solitary one.

"What is there in it for me?" is the leading question of the day, and a capacity for "working" people is a passport to success. Instead of gratitude and courtesy many young people cultivate a brand of politeness that expresses itself in "Thanks awfully," "Thanks very much," "Paw-dohn me," and other conventional forms equally indicative of gentility of birth and breeding.

There is grave reason to fear that they are taking an "elective" course in manners, carefully eliminating the essentials.

TO SEIZE COAL MINES

Washington, Dec. 19—Senator Mason of Illinois, who has been remarkably quiet since Representative Hopkins was marked as his successor, has come to the front again.

The bill provides that whenever a coal mine is not being operated the Attorney General may apply to Circuit Court in the district in which the mine is for a receiver to operate the mine, and the receiver may proceed to keep the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Some Allurements of the Carbolic Acid Route.

The soul has been aptly described as a life prisoner which seldom escapes without killing its jailer.

Whatever may be said in favor of the dispirited individual forestalling nature and letting the prisoner out by his own hand, there is one form of suicide—the most common form with young girls—whose allurements deserve special commendation.

People abnormally addicted to self-pity (and nobody else ever commits suicide), after deciding to kill the fleshly jailer and let the bruised soul go free, do perfectly right to cast about to find the most shocking and painful possible style of exit. The satisfaction involved in blowing his anaemic brains all over the clean wall and otherwise messing up a tidy room must be far greater to the self-centered and dejected young man than to compose himself decently on a couch and float into the sweet subsequently on an overdose of morphine or laudanum. It adds to the funeral horror and crack o' doom stage effect, this painful blood-letting, and besides it makes his friends feel, oh, so sorry for him—and that's what he commits suicide for. He wants somebody to feel sorry.

When the very young woman—and sometimes the woman who is not so very young—has been led down into the gloom and dolor of the Valley of the Shadow of Death, and all for love, she hypnotizes herself into a belief that her life has been permanently frost-bitten, and at once sets about to find some means, not of punishing the faithless heart-breaker, but of punishing her own unoffending self. No woman, even as she enters the suicide's portal of doom, ever thinks for a moment of wreaking vengeance on the man. With her usual fine sense of logic and consistency, she hunts up the thorniest kind of a crown of thorns to wear all by herself.

Not content merely to die in an orderly and painless manner, she decides to combine the tortures of the rack, the thumbscrew, being boiled in oil, drinking molten lead and walking on red-hot plowshares, all in one; and she does it by swallowing a few spoonfuls of concentrated hades in the form of carbolic acid. Of course, she is well aware that there are painless and even alluring methods of climbing the golden stair, but she scorns them all. For example, there is cyanide of potassium, a piece of which as big as a shoe button touched to the tongue would stop the action of the heart and send the icy darts of death through the veins quicker than the swiftest bolt of lightning and with less pain than attends the chewing of sen-sen or an onion. Prussic acid, also, will pop the troubled soul out of the body with almost equal celerity and absence of torture. Then there is the overdose of morphine or of laudanum, which is not only painless but which wafts the suicide across the gloomy Styx in a fairy galleon, surrounded by gauzy iridescent dreams so enchanting that anyone once choosing that route out of trouble will never have any other.

Yet the morbid and lovelorn maiden will have none of these. All disappointed women crave the blistering flame of martyrdom. Not unlike the heroic red Indian, they rejoice in suffering. So we see a long procession of them depositing their fifteen cents on the drug store counter and hugging the liquid horror to their bosoms. We see them gulping down sizzling mouthfuls of carbolic acid, which bites and sears and eats its agonizing way through the tender tissues of the throat and oesophagus and stomach, and kills, finally, by eating ghastly holes through the internal organs and literally burning the victims alive. White-hot, molten iron, gulped down out of a ladle, would produce precisely the same effect. To a man the prospect would be most unpleasant, but the more the horror is piled up the more it pleases the woman bent on self-slaughter.

Men who set out to pre-empt a slab in the Morgue commonly choose the revolver way or the bay route. Woman is nervier than man. Tender and timorous in all things until her deeper feelings are roused, she will then not only endure, but invite the most agonizing torment. It is true that the woman with the suicidal mania might come nearer her ideal of "the toad under a harrow" by plunging under the forged cylinder of a threshing machine, but threshing machines in operation are not numerously distributed throughout the city; besides, fifteen cents' worth of carbolic anguish is just about as excruciating and therefore as satisfactory as $2,000 worth of threshing machine.—Grant Wallace.

His Epitaph.

Mexicans are fond of epitaphs, they rejoice in eulogies, they like to honor their dead. Their attachment for relatives is great, and monuments and flower-strewn graves show that the departed are not forgotten. The deceased may have left a bad record, and his friends may be anxious that his conduct should be forgotten; still, this does not debar him from a neatly worded eulogy.

Just outside of the cemetery at Vera Cruz there stands a fine monument which marks the resting-place of a notorious outlaw, whose cruelty and violence made his name a constant menace to all peace and order. His wife, in spite of harsh treatment, was his faithful servant to the last, and after his death thought that she should show her respect for his memory.

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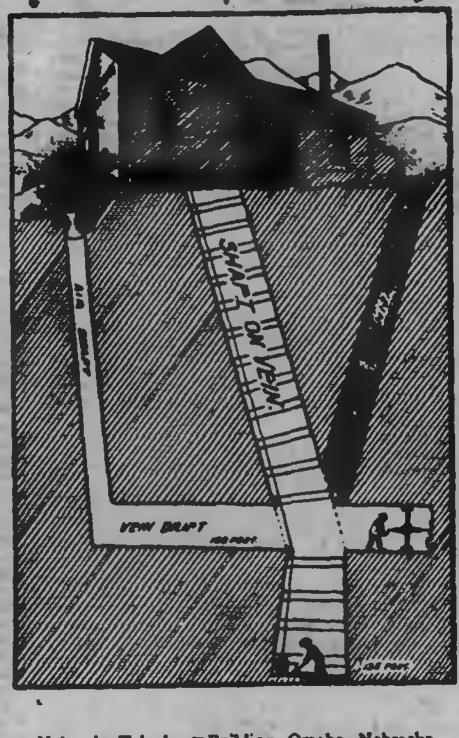

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Six Per Cent

(6%) per annum, has this day been declared upon the Capital Stock of this institution, and that the same will be payable at the offices of the company, Peterborough, on and after

Friday, the 2nd day of January next

The transfer books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st of December, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

W. G. MORROW,
Manager.

Peterborough, 12th Dec., 1902.

Childrens' Aid Society

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY Peterborough for the care of neglected and ill-treated children. Incorporated by Act of Legislature [illegible]. Information requested. Informants names kept strictly private. Office hours 10 to 12 a.m., 4 to 5 p.m. George [illegible] agent and assistant secretary. Office [illegible] buildings.

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Liverpool and Londonderry

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Parisian,	Dec. 28	Dec. 29, 10 p m.
Bavarian,	Jan. 3	Jan 5, 10 p.m
Tunisian,	Jan. 10	Jan 12, 10 p.m.

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First Cabin—Bavarian and Tunisian, $60 and upwards; Parisian, $55 and upwards; Pretorian and Corinthian, $50 and upwards.

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1902 1903

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(On surrender of Standard Form of School Vacation Railway Certificate signed by Principal)

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Telephone Directory

The Bell Telephone Co. of Canada

will issue a new

Subscribers' Directory

for the District of Eastern Ontario, including the City of Peterborough, early in January, 1903. Orders for new connections, changes of firm names, etc., should be placed at once to insure appearance in this book.

F. W. DOAN,
Local Manager.

Peterboro', Dec. 8th, 1902.

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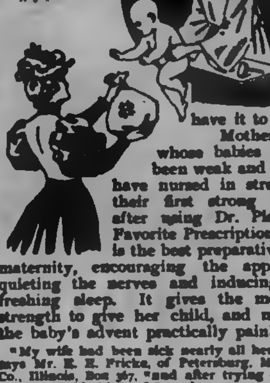

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 20, 1902

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Dining Room Girl Wanted

Dining Room girl wanted at Snowden House. Highest wages paid. Apply at hotel to Wm. Snowden.

St. John's Church

The work of decorating St. John's church for Christmas began yesterday afternoon; it will be carried on every afternoon and evening till completed. It is expected that many new designs will be introduced this year.

The Late Mr. John Mather

There passed away in Ashburnham on Thursday last, Mr. John Mather, aged 74 years. The deceased was an old and highly esteemed resident of the village. The funeral will take place from the family residence on Saturday, 20th, at one o-clock to the Keene Cemetery. Funeral private.

New Postage Stamp

The postoffice Department is now in a position to supply a 1c. postage stamp to accounting offices direct in the usual way. This stamp, which is of a yellow color, will be especially convenient for postage and registration fee on single rate letters, whilst it may also be used for other postage purposes to the extent of its face value. The minimum quantity of the 1c. stamp will be a half sheet, or 50 stamps. Non-accounting offices can obtain the 1c. stamp through the city postoffices, from which they are authorized to procure their stamp supplies.

Sure Cure for Sick Stomach

Such maladies as Nausea, Sick Stomach, Cramps and Colic, yield instantly to Polson's Nerviline, and if you suffer periodically from any of these complaints just keep Nerviline handy and take a few drops in water for quick relief. A large 25c. bottle of Nerviline is a comfort and safeguard in any household, and will save great suffering and big doctor's bills every year. Do you use Nerviline? Try it.

Hamilton's Pills are Effective.

EPEDEMIC OF DIPTHERIA

The Dread Disease is Prevalent on the Borders of Emily

There are several cases of diphtheria in the country around the town, and the disease appears to be of a virulent character. In Emily township, nine or ten miles from Peterborough, it is said that seven houses are placarded.

THE BAND CONCERT

Only a Small Audience at the Opera House Last Night

There was a very small attendance at the concert given by the 57th Band in the Opera House last night. There are two reasons for this: The concert was poorly advertised and the Christmas shopping kept people away. However those who attended were amply paid for their effort.

The programme was, as usual, a very select one, each number being a gem. Mr. Bert. Harvey, of Toronto, assisted, and sang a number of humorous songs in his usual happy style.

NEW TELEPHONE COMPANY

One is About to be Organized in Peterborough and District

Papers are being prepared for the organization of a local telephone company, in which both local and foreign capital will be employed.

It is proposed to use a new system which will dispense with "central," and will give the subscriber the benefit of practically a private wire.

The history of the late lamented Ontario Telephone Company, of Peterborough, will hardly be forgotten. The Times will be pleased to furnish those who may be interested in the proposed company, particulars of the life, death and burial of the "opposition" concern. Those who are asked to subscribe for stock will do wisely to go slow.

SCHOOL ELECTIONS

School Elections will Take Place at Same Time as Council Elections

The elections for members of the School Board takes place at the same time as the elections to the Council.

The following members of the Board retire this year—W. B. Bamford and J. J. McBain for No. 1 Ward; W. H. Wrighton, No. 2; Dr. Geo. Burnham, No. 3; and Wm. Langford, No. 4. Dr. Caldwell and W. G. Ferguson, who were appointed by the Council, will also retire.

Mr. Bamford, as our readers know, has left town. Mr. McBain told the Times he would not again be a candidate; Mr. Wrighton will also retire; Dr. Burnham is not anxious for re-election; Mr. Langford has not expressed his intentions. Dr. Caldwell and Mr. Ferguson are undecided.

A PROSPEROUS YEAR

The Annual Meeting of the Y. M. C. A. on Thursday Night

At the annual meeting of the Y.M.C.A. held on Thursday night, the full report of which should have appeared in our issue of yesterday, but was crowded out, the reports of the various departments showed substantial progress.

The treasurer's report shows total receipts of $3741.50 and payments of $3,737.06, leaving a balance on hand of $4.56.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Wm. Madill; 1st vice-pres., Frank Adams; 2nd. Vice-pres., H. C. Stabler; treasurer, H. J. Kidd Directors—J. W. Bennett, Wm. Madill, Frank Adams, H. C. Stabler, Samuel Taylor, J. R. Knapman. The term of office in the case of the directors extends to October 1st, 1903.

A GOOD REPORT

December Report of the Cecil R. Gold Mining Company

Work is going along on the Cecil R. properties with great energy, and fine bodies of ore are constantly being opened up. Our general manager claims that we have ore enough for 100 stamps to keep them running for years to come. We have just ordered an increased number of stamps, which will be on the ground and in operation before the first of the year. This section of California is attracting a great deal of attention, and Ballarat is also the outfitting point for Death Valley.

The Cecil R. bids fair to be one of the most successful and one of the principal mines in the State.

Respectfully submitted by the Mining Investment & Brokerage Co. of Plattsburg, Mo., Los Angeles Branch. 382-3-4 Wilcox Annex. Los Angeles. Cal.

A True Nerve Tonic

Will act, not so much directly upon the nerves as upon the digestive functions and the abundant formation of red, vitalizing blood. Nerves can't be fed on medicine. They can, however, be restored and strengthened by assimilated food. The marvelous action of Ferrozone arises from its action over the digestive and assimilative processes. When you take Ferrozone the blood is purified and strengthened, and grows rich and red. Then you grow vigorous, healthy and beautiful, ready for work, because you have the strength to do it. No tonic for the brain, blood or nerves compares with Ferrozone. Price 50c., at Druggists, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Hamilton's Pills are Effective.

Wedding Bells

A quiet wedding was celebrated at St. Andrew's manse on Wednesday evening, when Mr. Wilfrid Theobald and Miss Fanny Griffin were united in marriage by Rev. J. G. Potter, assisted by Rev. Mr. McQuaig. The bride was attired in a handsome suit of silver gray. After the wedding ceremony the wedding party returned to the bride's home, No. [illegible] Aylmer street, where a wedding supper was served. Among the presents to the bride was a handsome china tea set and a beautiful parlor lamp, presented by Mr. Theobald's fellow-employees of the Cereal Works.

The Linton Bank Affairs

Lakefield News:— The affairs of the Linton bank are now in the hands of trustees, Mr. James Linton having transferred the assets over to them last week. As soon as all the creditors of the bank have signed the document releasing Mr. Linton from further liability, cheques will be issued for 30 per cent. making 60 per cent. paid out to the creditors. The Traders Bank are advancing money on the assets, and are doing everything they possibly can to help the creditors. Mr. Wesley Sherin has been appointed secretary of the board.

"Dat's Why!"

He was a diminutive gamin who had been discovered in the dark evening hour trying to open the money drawer of a down-town store. He had been caught in the act, but he told his story with much glibness, and brought forward his witnesses with a nonchalance worthy of one old in the business.

His star witness was a youth of 20 who sells papers down "sout' 'o de trolley." This youth went into the minutest details, telling where he and the speck of humanity had been on the night in question.

"I got t'roo sellin' poipers at about half-past 5," he said. "Then me an' de kid went an' et. After we et we went around awhile an' then went to de Orpheum. After de show we went home an' went to bed. De kid was wit' me all de time, an' dat's straight!"

Judge Mogan turned suspiciously upon him.

"How old are you?" asked his Honor.

"Twenty."

"And how old is the defendant?"

"About twelve or t'irteen, I guess."

"Well, how does it happen that you are bumming around so much with a kid like that, eh?" demanded the court.

The youth hung his head and looked exceedingly uncomfortable. Judge Mogan grew still more suspicious.

"Answer me!" and the judicial brow began to grow black.

The witness squirmed in his chair and looked desperately around for relief. There was none. "Well," he blurted. "I goes wit' his sister—dat's w'y! See!"

He blushed deeply and grinned sheepishly. Judge Mogan collapsed in his chair and smiled broadly. The courtroom rippled.

"Silence!" roared the bailiff.

The witness was dismissed and made a bee-line for the door. The boy's mother agreed to send the kid up country, and Judge Mogan gave him a chance—holding a sentence over his head in the meantime. If he is good for thirty days he will for the present be released from police surveillance.

But there is one 20-year-old youth who grows sick and faint whenever he thinks of trying to be a brother-in-law to a kid that crawls through windows o' dark nights. "And dat's straight, see?"

Mexican Proverbs.

He who never ventures will never cross the sea.

There's no gain without pain.

Flies cannot enter a closed mouth.

Behind the cross is the devil.

A cat in gloves will never catch rats.

To the hungry no bread is dry.

A book that is shut makes no scholar.

A good laundress washes the shirt first.

No evil will endure a hundred years.

When the river is passed the saint is forgotten.

He who has little has little to fear.

If the pill were not bitter it would not be gilt.

Do not trust your money to those who keep their eyes on the floor (make an outward sign of piety).

Wind and good luck do not last.

Don't take a pawn that must be fed.

It is good fishing in troubled waters.

A frugal rich father and a spendthrift son.

No word is ill-spoken if it is not ill-understood.

A tongue may inflict a deeper wound than a sword.

A Few Aphorisms.

A man seldom exhibits his temper unless he loses it.

The tongue is a pump used to induce a flow of conversation.

When a man contracts expensive habits his income needs expanding.

Many a man's hypocrisy is due to the fact that he has a scolding wife.

It is usually to-morrow that all remarkable things are expected to happen.

Flattery consists of having your secret opinion of yourself expressed in the language of others.

Some people after casting a crust of bread upon the waters, think they should get a bowl of milk toast in return.

EXCURSION TO BERLIN!

Farmers should be interested in the fact that an opportunity will be given them to thoroughly investigate the merits of the beet sugar industry as it is carried on at the large factory in Berlin. A special train has been secured for on or about December 30th, which will go and return the same day. The rate will not be higher than $3, return. The hour of starting will probably be about 6.30 a.m. and of returning about 10 p. m.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—To-morrow will be the shortest day in the year.

—Tonight may see the iron work on the new skating rink completed.

—The License Committee of the Council met last night and transacted some business.

—Lindsay labour men propose to run a full ticket of labor candidates at the forthcoming municipal elections.

—Mr. J. M. Kilbourn passed through town a few days ago for Clinton, Ohio, where he will make extensive purchases of machinery for the new addition to the cement works at Lakefield.

—Belleville aldermen are a chivalrous lot of fellows. When arranging for the holding of municipal elections they stipulated that the returning officers should not allow smoking in the polling booths because the smell would be objectionable to lady voters.

—A grand union ball and supper will be held in the town hall, Havelock, on New Year's night, Jan 1st, 1903, under the auspices of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Order of Railway Conductors, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen. A first class orchestra has been engaged for the occasion. Supper served at 12 o'clock in the basement. Tickets have been placed at $1.50.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. Fred. G. Tully is receiving the congratulations of his friends on having passed the junior examinations of the Ontario College of Pharmacy.

—Mrs. William McAdam and her little daughter of Nelson, B.C., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Gunn, London street.

—Port Hope Guide:—Major Howden went out to Peterborough on Thursday to visit his aged sister, Mrs. Charles Ormond who is very ill—not expected to live many days.

HALF OUR ILLS ARE CATARRHAL IN NATURE.

Catarrhal Diseases are Most Prevalent in Winter.

IS THERE NO WAY OF ESCAPE FROM THEM?

Pe-ru-na Never Fails to Cure Catarrh Wherever Located.

There are some things which are as sure as fate, and can be relied on to occur to at least one-half of the human family unless means are taken to prevent.

First, the climate of winter is sure to bring colds.

Second, colds not promptly cured are sure to cause catarrh.

Third, catarrh improperly treated is sure to make life short and miserable.

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Systemic Catarrh.

Mrs. M. K. Bousch, Richmond, Va., writes: "I had catarrh all through my system for two years and could get no relief. I was advised to try Peruna and I have taken five bottles of it and am well and better now than I have been for years. I can advise any one who has catarrh of any part of the body to take Peruna. My little girl who is eleven years old had catarrh, but was cured by Peruna. Before I began to take Peruna I was sick all the time, but now I am entirely cured, and all praise is due Peruna."—Mrs. M. K. Bousch.

Catarrh of the Nose.

Mr. Herman Ehlke, 962 Orchard street, Milwaukee, Wis., writes:

"I am entirely cured of my catarrh of the nose by your Peruna. My case was a severe one."—Herman Ehlke.

Catarrh of the Throat.

B. H. Runyan, Salesville, O., writes:

"I suffered with catarrh of the throat for five years. I was induced to try Peruna. I have used five bottles and am perfectly well."—B. H. Runyan.

Catarrh of The Ear.

Mr. Archie Godin, 188 Beech street, Fitchburg, Mass., writes:

"Peruna has cured me of catarrh of the middle ear. I feel better than I have for several years."—Archie Godin.

FOR CATARRH OF THE HEAD
FOR CATARRH OF THE NOSE
FOR CATARRH OF THE THROAT
FOR CATARRH OF THE LUNGS
FOR CATARRH OF THE STOMACH
FOR CATARRH OF THE PELVIC ORGANS
FOR CHRONIC CATARRH
FOR WINTER CATARRH
FOR SUMMER CATARRH
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Catarrh of The Lungs.

Mrs. Emilie Kirckhoff, Ada, Minn., writes:

"Through a violent cold contracted last winter, I became afflicted with catarrh of the nose, which in a short time affected my lungs. I took Peruna which cured me thoroughly. I now feel better than I have for forty years."—Mrs. Emilie Kirckhoff.

Catarrh of the Bladder.

Mr. John Smith, 211 S. Third street, Atchison, Kan., writes:

"I was troubled with catarrh of the urethra and bladder for two years. At the time I wrote to you I was under the care of my home doctor, and had been for four months.

"I followed your directions but two months, and can say Peruna cured me of that trouble."—John Smith.

Catarrh of The Head.

Mr. D. R. Ramsey writes in a recent letter from Pine Bluff, Ark., the following:

"My son, Leon Ramsey, four years of age, suffered with catarrh of the head for eighteen or twenty months. He took one bottle of your Peruna and could hear as good as ever."—D. R. Ramsey.

Catarrh of The Kidneys.

Peter J. Unger, Hawley, Pa., writes:

"I think that I am perfectly cured of catarrh of the kidneys by Peruna, as I have no trouble of any kind."—P. J. Unger.

Catarrh of The Stomach.

A. W. Graves, of Hammond, Ind., writing to Dr. Hartman, says:

"I am well of catarrh of the stomach after suffering two years. I have taken five bottles of Peruna and one of Manalin and I feel like a new man now."—A. W. Graves.

Pelvic Catarrh.

Miss Katie Lochman, Lafayette, Ind., writes:

"I had pelvic catarrh, pain in the abdomen, back, had stomach trouble and headache caused by catarrh. I followed your directions: took Peruna and Manalin according to directions, and how happy I feel that I am relieved of such a distressing ailment."—Miss Katie Lochman.

Catarrh of The Bowels.

Mr. Henry Entzion, South Bend, Ind., writes:

"The doctor said I had catarrh of the bowels and I took his medicine, but with no relief. I was getting worse all the time.

"Before I had taken a half bottle of Peruna I felt like a new man."—Henry Entzion.

If you do not receive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

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BY-LAW NUMBER ____

A By-law to Exempt the Manufacturing Establishment of J. J. Turner & Sons from Certain Taxes

Passed the ____ day of ____

WHEREAS Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons have lately extended the business carried on by them in the Town of Peterborough as manufacturers of tents and awnings, and for that purpose have erected a manufacturing establishment in the said Town of Peterborough, on part of lot number three on the west side of Water street and north of King street, and part of lot number five on the east side of George street and north of King street, described as follows:—Commencing at the southwest angle of said lot number 5, thence northerly along the western limit thereof forty-five feet, thence easterly in a line parallel with the southern limit of said lots, to the eastern limit of said lot number three, thence southerly along the eastern limit of said lot number three to the southeast angle thereof—thence westerly along said southern limit of said lots numbers three and five to the place of beginning; and continuously employ at least twenty hands therein, and have applied to the Council of the said Town for exemption of the said manufacturing establishment from taxes (except school taxes and local improvement rates) upon the terms and for the time hereinafter mentioned and it is advisable to grant same.

The Corporation of the Town of Peterborough by the Council thereof therefore enacts as follows:—

1.—THAT PROVIDED this by-law receives the assent of a sufficient number of the duly qualified ratepayers of the Town of Peterborough entitled to vote thereon, the manufacturing establishment of Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons erected on the land above described shall while the terms of this by-law are complied with be exempt from municipal taxes (except school taxes and local improvement rates) for ten years from the first day of January, 1903—provided however that such exemption shall cease and this by-law shall have no effect if the said J. J. Turner & Sons shall during any portion of the said term fail to carry on on said land their manufacturing business and employ at least twenty hands therein during at least ten months of each year or shall fail to file with the Town Clerk before the first day of January in each year after the year 1903 a Statutory Declaration proving that such number of hands were so employed.

2.—The votes of the duly qualified electors of the Town of Peterborough shall be taken upon this by-law on MONDAY, the FIFTH day of JANUARY, 1903, commencing at the hour of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and closing at the hour of 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day at the following polling places and before the following Deputy Returning Officers, respectively, that is to say:

WARD NO. 1

Polling Sub-division No. 1. At M. H. Haigle's shop, corner George and Perry streets. Angus Williams to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 2. At Lewis Spry's shop, Stewart street. Joseph Lundy to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 2

Polling Subdivision No. 3. At the Town Council Chamber. Charles Cameron to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 4. At Greene Bros.' Store, Charlotte street. J. M. Greene to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 3.

Polling Sub-division No. 5. At J. & W. Mothoral's shop, Aylmer street. Joseph Mothoral to be Deputy Returning Officer.

Polling Sub-division No. 6. At Wm. McCall's Shop, McDonnell street. John Irwin to be Deputy Returning Officer.

WARD NO. 4

Polling Sub-division No. 7. At Wm. Lee's Shop, Smith street. George W. Powell to be Deputy Returning Officer.

3.—The 6th day of January, 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon and the Town Council Chamber are hereby fixed as the time when and the place where the Clerk will sum up the number of votes given for and against the by-law.

4.—The 3rd day of January, 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, and the office of the Town Clerk are hereby fixed as the time and place for the appointment of persons to attend at the various polling places and at the final summing up of the votes by the Clerk respectively, on behalf of the persons interested in, and promoting or opposing the passing of the by-law respectively.

NOTICE

Take notice that the foregoing is a true copy of a proposed by-law which has been taken into consideration and which will be finally passed by the Council of the Town of Peterborough (in the event of the assent of the electors being obtained thereto) after one month from the first publication hereof in the Morning Times newspaper, the date of which first publication is the sixth day of December, 1902, and that at the hour, day and place therein fixed for taking the votes of the electors the polls will be held.

S. R. ARMSTRONG,
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THE MONROE DOCTRINE AND ITS POSSIBILITIES

The Venezuelan Incident May Bring the Little Republics in a Federation

PROTECT THEMSELVES AGAINST UNITED EUROPE

The Monroe Doctrine Responsible for Our Present Trouble—United States Helpless Against Europe

Washington, Dec. 21.—The allied demonstration off the Venezuelan coast is likely to give the average United States citizen of the United States a new sense of the inability of his country to enforce the Monroe Doctrine. Not that this is disputed by the three allied Powers. On the contrary, they have taken pains to convince Washington that they do not desire to seize Venezuelan territory. But if they meant to partition the country between them, what could the United States do to hinder? Its fleet could not keep the sea against the allies, hence Washington could send neither land forces nor munitions of war to Venezuela's aid, even if these would not all be needed in the United States did that country try forcible intervention.

Venezuela's main defence, like that of the Transvaalers, would be its own riflemen. They are more numerous, but not so skillful as the Boers, nor so stubborn. They could not hold any part of the coast that the allies might wish to occupy, nor any strategic position near the coast, but it is most improbable that any foreign force capable of over-running Venezuela could be landed in the country. It is one of mountains and pestiferous swamps, in which military transportation would be extremely difficult, and wherein European troops would die multitudinously by disease. Its inhabitants could endlessly obtain arms and supplies from contiguous countries.

Great Britain certainly has no wish to attempt the subjugation of such a country and it is unlikely that Germany would be rash enough to commit herself to the enterprise, even if freed from fear of United States intervention. What the European commercial nations may reasonably hope to effect by their allied demonstration is the conversion of Venezuelans in general to a sense that they must get together and establish stable Government. They should now see that their custom of having about ten revolutions every seven years will not do any longer. It has brought them into the present trouble, which must cause enormous losses to their many wealthy men, and much inconvenience and distress to the poorer sort. The present incentive to stable Government may be effective, and Great Britain, at any rate, seeks no more than that they should keep their country orderly, and under administrators who can and will be answerable in an international sense.

It is even possible that the South American Republics may be stimulated to federation by the present affair. They are said to be all alarmed by the lesson Venezuela is getting. Did they successfully combine their power would be considerable. A steady United States of South America would be hailed with gladness by the commercial peoples of the world, because then the enormous resources of the half-hemisphere could be developed to the general benefit of humanity.

The Monroe Doctrine has been injurious to the South American Republics in so far as it has tended to prolong them in a delusion that they can go on being turbulent and revolutionary forever. Trusting to be saved by the United States they have not been stimulated by fear to political sense. If they get it from the present demonstration they must have cause to remember.

Improved United States appreciation of the responsibilities of the Monroe Doctrine will do our neighbors no harm. It will probably cause them to increase their navy rapidly. Englishmen will look on that result with pleasure since they have no fear of being outbuilt in ships of war, and are convinced that the United States navy never will be, like the British, an instrument for commercialising the world.

RECIPROCITY SAID TO BE FAR IN THE FUTURE

Sir Wm. Mulock Thinks Canada would be Wasting Time Chasing for It

Toronto, Dec. 20.—A press representative was at the Union Station last night when Sir William Mulock, Postmaster-General arrived from New York city. Sir William has just returned from Hot Springs, Va., looking hale and hearty, and as to the health of Premier Laurier, he stated that Sir Wilfrid had been greatly benefitted by his visit to Hot Springs, the rest and open air having proved most helpful. The weather at Hot Springs has within the last few days become wet and blustery, interfering with outdoor exercises, and many of the visitors are leaving. It is probable that Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier will go as far as St. Augustine, in Florida, for a few days returning to Canada about the first of the year.

Postal Pointers.

The reporter referred to an item which appeared in one of the Toronto papers on Thursday to the effect that Sir William had been inspecting the New York post-office.

"Yes," replied the Postmaster-General. "I returned via New York for the purpose of making some investigations in regard to the working of the pneumatic tube system in force there, and I had an interview with the New York officers in regard to the matter."

"For what purpose."

"For the purpose of considering whether it would be advisable to introduce the system into Canada."

"Have you reached any conclusion?"

"No final conclusion."

"What do you think of the system?"

"It serves an excellent purpose, but there is, I think, one very serious defect in the New York service. Suppose there are a number of sub-offices on the line of the pneumatic tube; there is no arrangement by which the mail matter can be despatched to the various branch offices except by interrupting all the mail matter and sorting out what belongs to the particular branch, and forwarding the balance. It is a very serious defect, and efforts are now being made to overcome it."

Sir William was asked if in the course of his stay in the United States he observed any interest being taken in Canadian affairs.

American Eyes being Opened.

"Yes," he replied, "the people of the United States appear to be fully aware that Canada is coming to the front. I met leading men from many parts of the Union, and could readily see from conversation with them that Canada is now being regarded as a land of great promise. A prominent banker referred with apparent regret to the emigration to Canada of Western United States farmers."

Asked about reciprocity Sir William said: "As far as I could judge American sentiment on this question is determined very largely by considerations of individual personal interest, unless it be at points along the border, like Boston, or Detroit, where public opinion is in the formative state. But, as I say, so far as I have been able to judge, the United States idea of reciprocity would be an arrangement whereby they would gain everything, and surrender nothing."

Reciprocity Far Off.

"Then," was the query by the interviewer, "do you see any immediate prospect of reciprocity?"

"I do not," replied Sir William. "There must be give and take in reciprocity. What sort of reciprocity would it be if it was all give and no take? For the present, I do not think Canada should follow any will-of-the-wisp idea of better markets in the United States, but pursue her present course of developing markets elsewhere. It will be time enough to negotiate with the United States when they are prepared to deal with us on a fair and equitable business basis. I do not recognize any such disposition at the present time."

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GUATEMALA ERUPTION

The Sufferings of the People are Very Great

Guatemala City, Guatemala, December 21.—It is probably due to some Government instructions that the papers here have said nothing with reference to the eruptions of the Santa Maria volcano, which can be considered, on account of its magnitude, as a national calamity. The losses suffered by German capital only are not less than $6,250,000, consisting of houses and machinery destroyed and the destruction of the present coffee crop. The total damage amounts to a fantastic sum. The volcano is still active and a new eruption is feared at any time. The suffering is indescribable, besides the corn and wheat fields ruined.

BURNED TO DEATH

Mr. John Hall, Who Lived Alone Near Poucher's Mills

Tweed, Dec. 19.—A shocking tragedy occurred about half a mile southeast of Poucher's Mills, on Friday morning last, when Mr. John Hall was burned to death in his own home. The unfortunate man, who was about eighty years of age, lived all alone, his family residing in other places. The fire was discovered between the hours of 6 and 7 o'clock in the morning, and is supposed to have originated in some way from the stove. The charred remains of the old gentleman were found in the ruins, the body being burned beyond recognition. Deceased is survived by his widow, one son, Mr. Robert Hall, postmaster at Poucher's Mills, and a daughter, Mrs. Joseph Latta, who also resided at the same place. There is also another son in Manitoba. Deceased was well known in the neighborhood.

On Thursday evening, the night before the fire, Mrs. Latta was at the home of her father and wanted him to come and stay at her place, as the night was very cold. He declined the invitation, but said he would go there in the morning. This was the last that was seen of him.

GREAT TEA WAREHOUSE

The Proprietor of Red Rose Tea Erecting a Large Block of Buildings in St. John N B

Mr. T. H. Estabrooks has purchased the Wilson and Scovil lots on Mill street, opposite Rankine's biscuit factory; and G. Ernest Fairweather, architect, is preparing plans for a five or six warehouse to cover the whole of the lots. The price paid for the lots is not stated, but it is understood to have been a large fortune.

When the new warehouse is erected, Mr. Estabrooks will have about three times the space he at present has in the big warehouse on North Wharf, and he will have the largest and best equipped tea blending and packing establishment in Canada, if not in America.

Two and a half years ago Mr. Estabrooks occupied only about half of the big warehouse to which he had moved on North Wharf, but the growth of his tea trade has been so great, especially since he entered the market of Western Canada, that the whole building is too small and he has been compelled to secure larger quarters. The new departure is a very important event in the Canadian tea trade, and the new warehouse will be a notable addition to the big commercial structures of St. John Star.—St. John Star, Dec. 6.

British Charitable Bequests

London, Dec. 21.—The testamentary bequests for religious, educational and charitable purposes in England during the last year exceeded $22,000,000.

Ballot Stuffing at Ottawa

Ottawa, Dec. 21.—Sir John Boyd, president of the Provincial High Court, has been requested to nominate a judge of the county court here to investigate the alleged charges of ballot stuffing and impersonation which are said to have taken place in Ottawa on December 4, when the liquor act was voted upon. As soon as the judge has been chosen he will issue a summons for each of the parties charged with the offence. Subsequently, the investigation will take place.

BOER SURRENDER CLAIMS TOTAL 450,000,000

Further Grant of $5,000,000 Suggested for Relief of Loyalists

London, Dec. 20.—It is understood, says a Johannesburg correspondent, that the burgher claims for compensation under article X of the terms of surrender, amount to nearly $450,000,000. The correspondent suggests the grant of a further $5,000,000 for the relief of the burghers who surrendered under Lord Roberts's proclamation and remained loyal to Great Britain.

London, Dec. 20.—In referring to the report that the United States has intimated that it will not recognize the pacific blockade of the Venezuelan ports as applicable to American shipping, a Berlin correspondent recalls Prince Bismarck's principle in regard to Africa: "Great Britain's friendship is more important to us than the whole of Africa." The correspondent says that probably few Englishmen would not acknowledge that the friendship of America is immeasurably more important than the whole of Venezuela or any number of opportunities for co-operating with Germany."

London, Dec. 20.—There has been a sudden renewal in the demand for coal for the United States this week as a result of cold weather and the inability of American mines to meet the demands. Agents on this side have been making very large purchases for prompt shipment, and have had difficulty in securing ocean carrying accommodation at anything like rates current a week or a fortnight ago. An indication of the extent of the demand is the fact that a definite announcement is made that thirty large tramp steamships have been chartered during the week to load full cargoes of coal. They will carry in all about 120,000 tons and their charters provide for prompt clearance, none having later loading date than January 15. Freight rates have risen to $1.75 per ton and $1.85 per ton is bid today for December boats, which is a good indication of the urgency of the demand. This compares with the rate of $1.50, which was accepted for the steamer Inchmore, chartered early this month to load at Blyth for Boston. These rates are, however, all below those at which the steamers were chartered early in autumn, when rates ranged as high as $2.25 per ton.

London, Dec. 20.—A special correspondent of The Times, in a letter on the opening of the Assouan dam on December 10, says that after arrangement was made for the Duke of Connaught to perform the ceremony, the Khedive gave it to be understood that he ought, as sovereign of the country, to take a leading part. This was awkward, says the correspondent, because it was very difficult to relieve the Duke of Connaught of Connaught of the function, after he had been invited to perform it as the representative of King Edward. A diplomatic compromise was discovered. The Khedive requested the Duchess of Connaught to lay the last stone instead of the Duke. The Egyptian ruler unlocked the sluice gates, while the Duke of Connaught started the ingenious machinery by which the screens dividing the locks of the canal from the reservoir slide into the slits cut in the wall. All of the parties concerned were satisfied with this solution, says the correspondent, except, perhaps, the masons, who had hurriedly to alter one of the words engraved on the memorial stone from "Duke" to "Duchess."

London, Dec. 20.—An announcement that Count Lamsdorff, Russian Foreign Minister, will visit Sofia and Belgrade, before he goes to Vienna, illustrates, says a Vienna correspondent, the political range of the Minister's journey and makes Russia's relations with Servia and Bulgaria complimentary and not antagonistic to the Austro-Russian understanding. If Vienna were not Count Lamsdorff's goal, it would be impossible for him to visit Sofia and Belgrade without awakening such Austro-Hungarian differences as would undermine the Austro-Russian agreement in regard to the Balkans. The correspondent says that Count Lamsdorff will probably give to Sofia counsels of patience and prudence about Macedonia, to Belgrade a restorative contribution, to damaged Servian prestige, and to Vienna invaluable first hand knowledge of Bulgarian and Servian views. The date of the Minister's arrival at Vienna is uncertain, but it will probably be before the New Year.

London, Dec. 20.—M. Delcasse, says a Paris correspondent, has declined to stand as a candidate for the Senate, thinking, like his predecessor, M. Hanotaux that foreign ministers ought as far as possible to hold aloof from domestic politics.

New York, Dec. 20.—Three women were perhaps fatally injured and fifty-seven other passengers were bruised and badly shaken up in a trolley car accident in Weehawken at midnight. The occupants, mostly women, were cut and bruised, but not seriously injured.

The accident occurred at a point where the trolley company's tracks cross those of the Erie Railroad. When the trolley car reached the tracks the motorman stopped his car to allow a freight train to pass. The train consisted of nine cars and was moving along rapidly. The last three cars of the freight train broke loose some distance east of the crossing, and were not noticed by the train crew. After the six cars had passed by, the motorman of the car thought it was the last of the train and started to cross the tracks. When he got his car in the middle of the crossing the three freight cars which had broken loose from the train came rolling along, and before he could get his car over the crossing it was struck with terrific force by the freight cars. The trolley car was completely turned over and the passengers were thrown through the windows up against the doors and on top of one another. They were struck in the face by broken timbers, glass and everything else movable. Ambulances and physicians were summoned and a crowd which had collected about the scene started in to extricate the women who were caught in the wreck. What caused the train to become uncoupled is not known. The trolley car was completely wrecked. Traffic was blocked both on the railroad and trolley lines for nearly two hours.

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Salaries of Clerks Advanced

Ottawa, Dec. 21.—Council sat for several hours yesterday afternoon considering a lengthy report of the treasury board. As a result a number of extra clerks will rejoice in a Christmas box of an addition of $30 per annum to their salaries.

Postmaster General in New York

New York, Dec. 21.—Sir William Mulock, Postmaster-General of Canada, called upon Postmaster Van Cott at the general postoffice yesterday, and spent about twenty minutes inspecting the pneumatic tube service. He is considering installing a similar system in Toronto.

MONROE DOCTRINE A BACK NUMBER

That is What Henry Watterson Thinks—Advocates Breaking Loose From It

Louisville, Ky., December 21 — Mr. Henry Watterson, in Courier and Journal advocates the breaking loose from the Monroe doctrine. He says this is as good an opportunity as another for the Government of the United States, and back of the Government for the people of the United States, to consider the Monroe doctrine, its origin and meaning, its import and intention, with the serious purpose of readjusting, if need be, to the prevailing national and internal conditions. It was a noble association, it was a timely declaration, yet it took no account of Imperialism in Brazil nor of Royalty in Canada; perhaps because we had little to fear from the Portuguese, while England was our actual ally. It is not a part of an enlightened self-respecting sagacity to begin to cast about us and see where we are at, and to revise our position with a view of adjusting it.

A Landslide in Spain

Barcelona, Dec. 21.—A land slip occurred on Monday in the neighborhood of the Commune of Bergea. Several houses disappeared. The inhabitants fled to the heights of the town. The landslip is attributed to the mining of coal in the vicinity of the town.

ASHBURNHAM SCHOOL

The Report for the Term Ending Christmas 1902

The following is the report of Ashburnham School for the term ending Christmas 1902:—

Senior 4th.

Senior Fourth — Honors—J Quinn, G. Butcher A Hunter, E Sawyer, K Long, E Gardiner. Passed — J Gillespie, M Scott, H Fisher, W Butcher, M McCubbin, M Anderson, A Straine, B Fisher.

Junior 4th.

Junior Fourth—Honors—A Crocker, G Quartermaine, W Henthorne, H Craig. Passed—M Lewis, F Cunningham, T Gorham, B Crane, C Dodds, T Ulyatt H Faint, L Rogers, A Packenham, O Clitheroe, M Pinder, A Curtis.

Senior 3rd to Junior 4th.

Honors—L Safford, N Gale, L Fair, G White, M Sawyer, J Bales. Passed—O Hartley, J Kerr, N Davey, C Cox, C Rightmeyer.

Junior 3rd to Senior 3rd.

Passed—B Gillespie, D Donaldson, F Record, M Olcott, T Fisher, M Rutherford, E Clark, L Scott, Grant Rightmyer, M Sharpe.

Senior 2nd to Junior 3rd.

Honors—M Wyatt, B Cross, G Evans. Passed—A McLean, M Russell, A Weart, W Noyes, A Henthorne.

Junior 2nd to Senior 2nd.

Honors—M Caldwell, J Garvin Markle, M Adams, G Hartley, J Graham, L Williams, M Goodenough, O Waterman.

Passed—M Stevens, C Stevens.

Senior Pt 2nd to Junior 2nd

Honors — Fanny Long, L Hinds, F. Maher, A Waddell, J Revoy, A Chrowe, L Rogers, K VanNorman, S Hamilton, V Hinds, L Lilley, W Manieta.

Passed—R Gaskins, G Girven.

Junior Part 2nd to Senior Part 2nd.

Honors—Percy Telford, A Adams, V Revoy, M Stevens, B Gillespie, E Cross A Butcher, A Neill, W Clarke.

Passed—Reuben Beavis, G VanNorman, W Maclean.

Senior Part 1st to Junior Part 2nd.

Honors—J Clancy, E Noyes, H Crane, A Brotherson, C White, R Thompson.

Passed— Fred Long, L Wicker, E Graham, W Swanston, A McAllister, M Evans.

Intermediate—Senior Part 1st.

Honors—W Rutherford, G Packenham, B Record, P Neill, M Maxwell.

Passed — H Stewart, S Smith, W Thompson, W Creuter, F Emerson, M Parker, E McLean.

Junior Part 1st—Intermediate Part 1st.

Honors—Ethel Goodenough, L Maniece, M Rogers, F Dallier.

Passed—M Graham, G Whittaker, G Burke, N McAllister, F Revoy, J McIlgoyle, G Wyatt.

KILLED BY GAS

FAMILY AT LUNCH WHEN GAS TANK WENT OFF

Roof Was Blown Out—Mother Blown Through the Side of the House and Found on the Road

Fort Lee, N.J., Dec. 21.—By the explosion of gas tank yesterday the residence of John Puglughi was demolished, his six children instantly killed, and his wife so seriously injured that her recovery is despaired of. The dead are: Ida Puglughi, aged four years; Tillie, twelve; Irene ten; Adeline, seven, and George, five years.

The mother was found 200 feet from where the explosion took place, her right arm almost torn from her body.

Just returned from school, the children were at the lunch table when the explosion occurred. The roof of the house was blown out. An adjoining cottage was also partially destroyed. The debris immediately took fire and the bodies were badly charred.

Mrs. Puglughi, who was waiting on the children at the table was blown through the side of the house and was found in the road. The father was away from home.

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THE GRAND TRUNK'S BIG PACIFIC SCHEME.

The Official Gazette will To-morrow Publish the Application of the Pacific Branch of the System

PETERBOROUGH SO BE ON THE MAIN LINE.

The Midland to be Used to Reach the Main Line at Port Hope or Belleville—Wide Powers Asked for New Line

Ottawa, Dec. 19—The Grand Trunk Pacific is giving notice in to-morrow's Official Gazette of the application it will make to Parliament next session for the right to build from the present Grand Trunk System in Ontario westward through the fertile plains of Manitoba and the Territories, on to the Pacific coast.

The present notice does not give the public any more information with regard to the location of the system than Mr. Hays statements contained. This is because according to a Grand Trunk official, the promoters do not wish to tie themselves down to a given route till their surveys have been made. The notice is for power to build from Gravenhurst westerly and northerly to either the Pine River or Peace River pass through the Rocky Mountains, and thence to Port Simpson on the Pacific coast. The right is also sought to construct branches to Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary, and other such points as the company may desire to tap. The location of these branches, as well as of the main line would have to be sanctioned by the Minister of Railways at Ottawa before work began. This is the practice with all new lines.

Gravenhurst, the eastern terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific, is half way on the present G.T.R. branch from Toronto to North Bay. Presumably the new line would strike off from there instead of North Bay, because the former would give a little shorter cut.

In reply to a question whether the Western traffic to the seaboard over this new system would not be carried by a direct line to Montreal and Quebec, an official of the company says the intention is to utilize the Midland connection down to the Grand Trunk main line either at Port Hope or Belleville, from which there is now a double track to Montreal. This means there will be no Grand Trunk line through the Ottawa Valley, at least for some time to come.

The applicants will also ask Parliament for the right to build and operate their own steamships and generally all powers incident to their main undertaking. It is the intention to apply for every right that has been given to existing Canadian railways. This would allow them power to develop the resources of the country through which they are to pass.

Are Willing to Arbitrate.

Partial Responses from Great Britain, Germany and Italy

Buenos Ayres, Argentina, Dec. 20.—A manifesto had been addressed to Argentine young men, inviting them to form a voluntary crops called the Legion of Argentine Volunteers to go to the sisters of their sister republic, Venezuela. Buenos Ayres newspapers continue their pessimistic comments on the Venezuelan imbroglio. They fear that European intervention may be regarded as a precedent, endangering the integrity of South American republics. They deny the right to resort to force to recover claims for injuries suffered by foreigners during revolutions.

Difficulty in Way to Settlement.

London, Dec. 20—With the growth of the belief that the crisis in the Venezuela embroglio is passed and affairs now in a fair way to successful arbitration, public interest in the question is simmering.

The most probable solution suggested by men of experience is the direct payment of an indemnity of a moderate amount for damages for the seizure of British and German vessels, and the submission of all other claims to a mixed international tribunal. The idea advanced by some leader writers that the United States Government shall provide a guarantee for the payment of the award, is not entertained in any influential quarter in Britain.

The establishment of an international commission for the administration of the Venezuelan customs would be highly satisfactory so far as British interests are concerned, but it is not expected by city financiers having close relations with South America. They assert that the resources of Venezuela's customs are ample, under ordinary condition for meeting the requirements of a complete liquidation of the outstanding indebtedness, but that twelve months of peace are indispensable before the revenue from exports and imports will have adequate volume for that purpose. What is needed is a guarantee of honest, financial administration at Caracas, and that can hardly be arranged by Minister Bowen, persona grata as he may be to all the parties interested.

A press despatch states that Germany has accepted the arbitration proposals of Venezuela, though the reply has not yet been transmitted through Minister Bowen. It is held back for a few days in hope that President Castro may yield still further.

The German cruiser Falke yesterday captured the Venezuelan schooner Victoria. After cutting down her mainmast, thus disabling her, the Germans abandoned the vessel. The action has caused great indignation among the Venezuelans.

London, Dec. 20 —The official proclamation of the blockade of Venezuelan ports was gazetted this morning, and became effective to-day. The text of the proclamation is as follows:—

"Foreign Office, Dec. 20, 1902.

"It is hereby notified that as the states of Venezuela have failed to conform to the demands of His Majesty's Government, a blockade by His Majesty's naval forces of the ports of La Guaira, Carenero, Guanta, Cumana and Carupano and the mouths of the Orinoco is declared, and such blockade will be effectively maintained from 20th of December, subject to the allowance of the following days of grace:—

"For vessels sailing before the date of this notification from West Indian ports and ports on the east coast of the continent of America, ten days for steamers and 20 days for sailing vessels.

From all other ports — twenty days for steamers and forty days for sailing vessels.

"For vessels lying in the ports now declared to be blockaded — fifteen days.

"Vessels which attempt to violate the blockade will render themselves liable to all measures authorized by the laws of nations, and by the respective treaties between his Majesty and the different neutral powers."

REVOLUTION IS STRONG.

Panama, Dec. 20 — News received here from the Venezuelan frontier is to the effect that the revolutionary movement against President Castro is now more powerful than ever. Gen. Matos is said to be at the head of a strong army, and to be on good terms with the representatives of the foreign powers. It is believed among the Venezuelan revolutionists that the present movement against Castro will be successful.

A DOURO WEDDING

Nuptials of Miss Martha Leahy and Mr. Wm O'Toole

A very pretty wedding took place at St. Joseph's Church, Douro, on Dec. 16, when Wm. O'Toole was united in marriage to Miss Martha Leahy, daughter of Mr. John P. Leahy, all of Douro. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Father Kiefty, in the presence of the friends and relatives of the contracting parties. The bride was charmingly attired in a gown of castor broadcloth, trimmed with white satin and silk applique and wore the conventional veil and orange blossoms. The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss B. Leahy, who was prettily dressed, while Mr. E. O'Toole discharged the honors of best man. After the wedding ceremony the bridal party drove to the residence of the bride's parents, where a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served. The presents received by the young couple were numerous and costly, among them was a beautiful gold bracelet the gift of the groom. The Times extends its hearty congratulations.

Woman Horse Thief Sentenced

Sherbrooke, Dec. 21.—Perhaps the first penitentiary sentence ever passed on a woman in this district was pronounced by Judge Mulvena, in Magistrates Court yesterday, when he sent Mrs. A. Kenaston, of Barford, Que, to Kingston for two years. The woman had been convicted of stealing a horse at Compton. She had previously committed other offences. Sentence was delayed some time, but the Judge concluded that there was nothing to do but to send her to the female ward of Kingston Penitentiary where she would be properly looked after.

Trial of Col. Lynch

London, Dec. 20—The antiquity of the statutes of the British law is well brought out in the Lord Chief Justice's charge to the Grand Jury in the case against Colonel Lynch. An Irish member, who has never taken his seat in Parliament is indicted for high treason under a statute enacted in the middle of the fourteenth century. The anomaly presented by the case will be that trial of an Irish member for aiding and abetting the enemies of the King when the treasonable offences of thousands of British subjects in Cape Colony have been condoned by Sir Gordon Sprigg and his Dutch political allies.

HOME RULE FOR IRELAND

Ottawa, December 21—It is the intention of Hon. John Costigan to present to Parliament next session a resolution reaffirming Canada's sympathy with the Irish cause. Mr. Costigan says, "My resolution will not differ materially from that which has secured endorsation in previous sessions, only we deem it wise that the men who represent the Canadian public opinion at Ottawa, should renew their expression of sympathy with the cause of Home Rule and the right of the Irish tenantry to the ownership of the soil they have tilled for so many generations. The land question will probably receive special mention in my resolution. That is a very live issue [illegible]

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ENGLAND'S GIFT TO EGYPT

The completion and dedication of the great dam at Assouan, by which the arable area of Egypt will be greatly increased, raises the question whether British rule in Egypt is not amply justified by the results. That question would be answered in the negative by Frenchmen, on the ground that England's title to permanent control in the Nile Valley is indisputably bad. Nor is there any doubt that when after the suppression of the uprising headed by Arabi Pasha, the English undertook the restoration of order in Egypt they promised to withdraw, as soon as tranquility should be established. That promise was more than once repeated, and many years have elapsed since the peace of Egypt proper was disturbed, or the regular enforcement of the laws obstructed. Nevertheless, England had continued to maintain a military force in the Nile country, and to treat it as if it were a vassal State. Admitting that England's title to Egypt is open to dispute on technical grounds, we must, at the same time, acknowledge that, like other titles, it may be mended by prescription, and that it is in a fair way to be confirmed by prolonged occupation, and also to be consecrated by inestimable services.

When England assumed control of Egypt the task of providing the interest on the debts due to foreign creditors and also the money indispensable for the local administration seemed impracticable, notwithstanding the relatively exorbitant taxes wrung from the fellaheen, or peasant cultivators of the soil. At that time nobody dreamed that not only could these two objects be attained, but that a surplus would also be forthcoming for the development of the country by means of public works. All this has been accomplished, however, and, meanwhile, the burdens of the taxpayers have been not aggravated, but sensibly diminished. While, as yet, no notable addition to Egypt's cultivable area has been made, the public revenue and the surplus of native products available for export had been increased immensely by the ceaseless application of thrift, probity and sagacity, with the result that not only were the claims of foreign creditors punctually met, as regards interest and sinking funds and the cost of an improved administration defrayed, but sufficient funds were left at the disposal of the British supervisors to impart a powerful stimulus to agricultural and manufacturing industries, and to create a native army qualified for self-defense and for the recovery of dismembered territory.

It was by means of this well-organized and disciplined force that Gen. Kitchener dispelled the threatening cloud that had hung over Egypt since the conquest of the Soudan by the Mahdi and his successor, the Kulifa Abdullah. When we bear in mind the brevity of the term in which these achievements have been performed, and remember, also, that, instead of being wrought at the expense of the taxpayers they have been accomplished under a fiscal regime which has made the tillers of the soil more prosperous than they have ever been in the six millenniums of Egyptian history, we find it hard to overrate the magnitude of the country's obligations to Great Britain. Had the British troops and the British officials been withdrawn after the rehabilitation of the Khedival finances, the readjustment of the fiscal system on sound principles, the invigoration of native industries and the reconquest of the Soudan, England would have earned a memorable place in the long list of rulers that have wielded autocratic power in the Nile Valley.

It may be questioned, however, whether all of England's preceding services to the Egyptian people would have gained so lasting a place in history as is likely to be conceded to the vast increase of their arable area by the huge dam built at Assouan which will render practicable the irrigation of more than a million acres hitherto cut off from cultivation. This is an engineering achievement which for magnitude and utility has no parallel, unless it be one furnished by Egypt herself; the colossal reservoir constructed by a Pharaoh of the Twelfth Dynasty in the Oasis of Fayoum. It is tolerably certain, however, that the cubic contents of the Lake Moeris, which Herodotus described, was very much smaller than are those of the enormous basin created by the works at Assouan. It is, indeed, susceptible of proof that, at a very remote epoch, the breadth of the valley watered by the Nile was very much greater than it was when the Pyramids were erected; but there is no reason to believe that, at any time during the historic period since the accession of the First Pharaonic Dynasty, the natives of Egypt have ever possessed so much cultivable soil as they will owe henceforward to the fertilizing hand of England.

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In this picture, "Sunny Jim" is 112 feet 6 inches in height. His hat is 17 feet 6 inches tall and 15 feet broad. His nose is 10 feet long. His ear is 3 feet 9 inches high. His arm is 17 feet long; his legs 60 feet long. His thumb extends over a space of 5 feet. The height of his collar is 12 feet 6 inches, and his tie is 7 feet 6 inches in height. The buttons on the coat are 3 feet 9 inches in diameter, and his cuff buttons are 3 feet 6 inches in length. "Sunny Jim's" feet are 20 feet long, and the cane which he carries is 50 feet in length. His dog which sports along by his side, is 42 feet 6 inches in height.

With this enormous sign, the reading matter is very brief and fills but a small part of the space. It is as follows:

"Vigor, Vim, Perfect Trim,
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EDITORIAL COMMENT

A bailiff in Hamilton seized the mayor's chair for a debt against the city. That was a horse on the mayor.

Perhaps J. Bull and W. Hohenzollern have stirred up a wasp's nest of South American republics.

Collinwood, a railroad suburb of Cleveland, has just voted out saloons on a pledge from the Lake Shore management to locate $1,000,000 railroad shops in the town. There is a temperance lecture in this which greatly outweighs all the professional harangues about the evils of the drink habit.

FOR THE MAYORALTY.

Card to the Electors of Peterborough

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

In response to the numerous representations which have been made to me upon the subject, personally, by requisition, and through the press, I place my services at the disposal of the public as a candidate for the Mayoralty at the approaching municipal elections.

My association with the important municipal advances which the Town has been making during recent years, will enable me to give continuity to the aggressive forward policy which the Council has sought to pursue, and to bring experience and information gained therein to bear upon the work and problems which still more immediately confront us.

While I cannot lay claim to all the qualifications which have been flatteringly ascribed to me, such capacity for the office as I do possess is cheerfully placed at your service, and I ask your sympathy and support in the effort to maintain the position and standing, and advance the welfare of our already prosperous and progressive Town.

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A PROSPEROUS YEAR

The Annual Meeting of the Y. M. C. A. on Thursday Night

At the annual meeting of the Y.M.C.A. held on Thursday night, the full report of which should have appeared in our issue of yesterday, but was crowded out, the reports of the various departments showed substantial progress.

The treasurer's report shows total receipts of $3741.50 and payments of $3,737.00, leaving a balance on hand of $4.56.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Wm. Madill; 1st vice-pres., Frank Adams; 2nd. Vice-pres., H. C. Stabler; treasurer, R. J. Kidd Directors—J. W. Bennett, Wm. Madill, Frank Adams, H. C. Stabler, Samuel Taylor, J. S. Knapman. The term of office in the case of the directors extends to October 1st, 1903.

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2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 tons of ore above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

3.—FLUX.

We are now negotiating for valuable deposits of dolomite and limestone of the most satisfactory quality, situated on the tide-water, within 100 miles of the works

MARKETS.

For six months in each year the Canadian markets can be reached by water at low freight rates, and at all times by rail. As Cape Breton is distant from Liverpool only about 2,300 miles; is nearer to Pernambuco, Brazil, than any point in the United States, and also nearer to Cape Town, South Africa, it has the advantage, in point of distance, for export business over any American steel-producing points, which, with scarcely any exceptions, are situated some distance from tide water. Under any conditions of the world's market, it is believed that the output of these works can be disposed of at satisfactory prices.

OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows:—

	ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000

or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years........ $670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

If the capitalization was increased to .... $20,000,000.00 this estimate would still show a dividend-earning capacity of 10 per cent. per annum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Coal Co. is .... $30,000,000.00 earning fully 12 per cent., and is paying 8 per cent. guaranteed dividends on this enormous sum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co. is...... $28,000,000.00 on which it is believed 6 per cent. dividends will be earned.

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REPORT BY EX-SUPERINTENDENT OF MINE

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STOCK MARKETS

Some Good Issues Worthy of Consideration

New York, Dec. 20.—Now that the stock market storm has subsided and the prospects for good financial weather are again improving, it might be wise to notate a few specially good bargain offerings in the current market. The ones today we cull from the prime gilt edged issues and in every instance are stocks which should they decline any after the consummation of your purchase you may be certain will rise again, and that very speedily. We note with special favor Illinois Central, New York Central, St. Paul and Pennsylvania. Illinois Central has declined from 152 to 140. New York Central from 170 to 150. St. Paul from 198 to 167, and Pennsylvania from 170 to 150. At present time all of these stocks are selling somewhat higher than the low prices notated, yet far from the figures commensurately in accordance with their intrinsic values and far below the prices they would be quoted at were it not for the turbulence. The market has just passed through turbulence and distrust we are, however, leaving behind us; confidence and hope are directly ahead of us. The two latter states will grow with improving prices. We are just emerging from the baneful influences which were potent in undermining values. Philip King, the eminent financial writer of the New York Sun, whose weekly advices for some weeks past have been most conservative and precautionary last Monday reviewed the situation with much satisfaction, summing up with the conclusion that the worst was now over and that such people as would come into the market now, would fare far better than those who waited for a still further clearing of the financial atmosphere. The London Statist mirroring the opinion of Thread and Needle street, London, our speculatively inclined British brethren took a decidedly favorable view of the situation, commending American stocks to English speculators. As a result London has been a heavy buyer upon balance. The stocks we have enumerated are strictly speaking giltedged and market leaders. We will the coming week enumerate some of the medium priced shares we deem good to purchase at present, giving cogent reasons for our belief. You will make no mistake in purchasing at present time the issues mentioned in this letter.

Summary—The market today was fairly strong. A particular buying movement developed in Texas Pacific which carried the stock up over a point with lively trading. Considerable demand existed for Reading common stock, looks like a splendid purchase. Union Pacific and Southern Pacific were very strong, as were St. Paul and Baltimore and Ohio. Among the industrials Sugar over shadowed the balance, being aggressive on the uptack. Steels maintained their strength of the past 3 days. About 11.30 Texas Pacific more than lost its entire gain. Reserves decreased of about quarter of a million. After the holidays the market will be higher, so buy stocks the coming week. Sales 290,000.

Monday's letter—"Those two Pacifics."

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Christmas Presentation

At the close of the Peterborough Business College term on Friday the students presented Mr. William Pringle, the principal, and Mr. C. Harnell, a teacher in the commercial subjects, each with a handsome quadruple plate collar box, suitably engraved, and already filled with choice neckwear. The principal's gift was presented by Miss Treffle Lonsque, and Mr. Harnell's by Mr. Maynard Brown. Mr. Gordon Fitzgerald read the address, which was expressive of the motive which prompted the pleasant surprise. Both gentlemen replied in feeling terms.

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Officers for the Year Were Installed Last Evening

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THE BYE-ELECTIONS

Polling on the First Wednesday in January

It is understood that the bye-elections to fill the seats recently vacated by the courts for North Perth, North Norfolk and North Grey, will be held on Wednesday, January 7th. The nominations will take place on December 31st. Two of these seats, North Perth and North Norfolk, were carried in the general election on May 29 by the Conservative candidates, Mr. J. C. Monteith having a majority of two in North Perth and Dr. F. P. Snider a majority of 2 in North Norfolk. In the previous Legislature both these seats were held by supporters of the Government. In North Grey, which was held by a Conservative, in the last Legislature, a Government supporter was returned in May last by a majority of 6.

ORDINATION

Rev. T. J. Crowley, Receives Holy Orders in St. Peter's Cathedral Sunday

One of the most solemn and imposing ceremonies in the ritual of the Catholic Church was performed on Sunday morning at St. Peter's Cathedral, when the sacrament of Holy Orders was conferred on Rev. J. T. Crowley by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor.

The newly ordained priest is a native of Peterborough, and has been pursuing his studies at the seminary in Montreal for a number of years past. He is a member of St. Peter's Total Abstinence Society, and a deputation consisting of the officers and standing committees of that body was present at the ordination.

Father Crowley officiated at vespers this evening, and his first mass will be celebrated this morning at 8 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. O'Brien addressed the congregation in the morning on the position which must be occupied by one taking up the duties of the priesthood and of the life of hardship necessary to one who would properly fulfil the duties of the sacerdotalstate, citing examples of the sacrifices which must be made in the daily life of a priest. He congratulated the parents of the young priest on the honor which became theirs through him.

This evening a presentation will be made to Rev. Father Crowley at the T. A.S. rooms, and a musical programme will take place in connection.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. Charlie Stone is home from Trinity Medical College.

—Mr. Thos. Blezard, ex-M.P.P., was in town on Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Fowlds, of Hastings, were in town on Saturday

Miss Lillie Moore is home for Christmas, from St. Margaret's College, Toronto.

—Mr. Claud Rogers is home from Webwood, where he has been for some months.

—The Times had a pleasant call on Saturday from Dr. W. Patterson, of Apsley, who is in town for Xmas.

—Mrs. J. Campbell and little son Ralph, Montreal, are guests of Mrs. Thos. Campbell, 76 Brock street.

—Mr. Alf. Terrill, editor of the Northern Advance, Barrie, was in town on Saturday on his way to his old home in Belleville where he will spend Christmas.

—Mr. John M. Rossel, son of Chief Rossel, is receiving the congratulations of his friends on his success in passing the Civil Service examinations in Toronto last November. There were 48 candidates, out of which only 18 passed.

—Mr. Donaldson, one of the leading members of the Counties' Council of Northumberland and Durham, was in town yesterday and gave The Times a friendly call. Mr. Donaldson is again a candidate for that Council, and will probably be elected by acclamation.

—Mrs. E. W. Wood, of Toronto, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Thornton, Harvey street.

—Mr. Dennis Moloney, Douro's popular Reeve, accompanied by Mr. Charles Curtis, a worthy member of the Council of that township, dropped into The Times office on Saturday for a few moments. Mr. Moloney will be a member of the County Council next year, for which position he is well qualified, and Mr. Curtis will retain his old job in looking after the interests of his constituents in the township council, which he has done so well in the past.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

The teachers and pupils of the schools are enjoying a well-earned vacation.

—A blaze in a chimney on Queen street gave the firemen a run yesterday afternoon.

—The last span in the roof of the new rink went up Saturday, and the roof is being rushed to completion.

—The merchants are well satisfied with Saturday's business, which was away above the average. Many farmers were in town doing the Xmas shopping.

—Mr. H. A. Yenny, of the South Central School, was made the recipient of a handsome Christmas souvenir from his pupils on Friday last.

—The Young Mens' Bible Class of St. John's Church will entertain the members of the congregation to-night at 8 o'clock. Programme and Refreshments.

—A small blaze in the second flat of the building occupied by the Peterborough Music Co. on Saturday afternoon was extinguished before any great damage was done. The fire brigade was called out.

—Sergt.-Major Brittain's special instruction squad of men of the 57th did a tramp to Jackson Park on Saturday to avail themselves of the advantage of plenty of room to practice the attack and other important military manoeuvres.

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OBITUARY

Death of Mary Jane Meharry, Wife of Mr. Wm. Ayers

There passed away on Saturday evening at the age of 51 years, at her residence, Antrim street, a highly respected and esteemed resident of Peterboro in the person of Mary Jane Meharry, wife of Mr. Wm. Ayers.

The news of Mrs. Ayres death came as a shock to her many friends—she having been ill only a few days, having attended church last Sunday in her usual good health. Deceased was a life long member of the Methodist church, having joined the church 34 years ago and was an earnest and zealous worker of the George street congregation. It was only last week Mrs. Ayres was called to mourn the death of her mother, Mrs. Letitia Blackstock Meharry.

She leaves a husband and family of six children to mourn her loss, three children having predeceased her a number of years ago. Those living are—F. S. Ayres, at home; Florence E., wife of S. H. Might, Calgary; Mary L., Calgary; Jenny W., at home; W. F. Ayres, of Calgary, and H. C., of Washington, U.S. and seven sisters.

She was married to Mr. Ayres 32 years ago, having been a resident in town for the past 11 years, during which time she had won many warm friends by her genial and kind manner.

Much sympathy is felt for those who are left to mourn her. The funeral will take place from the family residence on Tuesday afternoon.

A Natural Barometer.

"It is going to rain within six hours," said the man, with provoking deliberation. The sun was shining brightly, and only a few floating clouds broke the clear blue of the broad sky. "Rain," said the other, derisively, "and out of that sky? You're a pessimist. You always carry an umbrella."

"I'll bet you a good dinner that it will rain within six hours," the first speaker replied, with imperturbable good nature and gravity. The bet was made, and the dinner was paid for by the man who doubted. It rained in less than four hours.

"Now, if you will come around to my rooms I will show you how I knew it was going to rain," said the prophet, who was with honor in his own country. So there they went. Now, the prophet was an original sort of chap, and had fastened upon the walls of his room many strange things of the sea and forest and field. On the floor were flung skins of bear and deer and mountain lion, and on the wall near a window, stretched from the top of the high wainscoting to within half a foot of the floor, was the grewsome skin of a giant diamond back rattlesnake. The prophet pointed to it and said: "There's my secret."

The skin was dripping wet. The sweat, so to speak, stood out upon its scaly back in huge drops, which would swell and swell and silently run together in little streamlets, which in turn would rush down in an avalanche of other drops and reach the floor with a splash like a great tear. Everything else in the room was dry as the humid atmosphere of a city after a thunderstorm would allow.

"That's my barometer," said the prophet. "I killed the snake myself in Florida and had it stripped. The skin is not tanned, but just preserved, like rawhide. I had noticed in some of the coasting boats along the Gulf shore little strips of snake skin hung up in the cabin. The captains had told me that they could always tell when a squall was coming by watching this skin. I have had that for three years now, and it has been far more accurate than the weather observer. No matter when the first indications of a storm make themselves felt in the atmosphere, whether it be night or day, summer or winter, the faithful skin shows it by beginning to sweat. If the storm passes off the drops dry up and the skin crisps and shrivels until it is more like sandpaper than anything else. In the winter, of course, the sweat is not so profuse, because the air is drier than in summer.

"Why the snake skin should be so sensitive to changes in atmospheric conditions I do not know. I have asked expert snake handlers and students of reptile life, but they were as much at a loss as I was. I do not know, either, whether any skin but that of the rattler will yield to humidity or not. I know that the Florida boatmen use the rattler's skin exclusively for their cabin barometers. There's something grewsome and mysterious about it, I'll admit, but it tells the truth as accurately as the most expensive glass that was ever constructed; and all it cost me was a bullet from a rifle."

The Joys of Golf.

Sarah Battle commended whist above all other games of cards, because it was such a "solid game," writes D. C. Campbell in "Scottish American." Had she known anything about golf she might have placed it above all other outdoor sports, for the selfsame reason. So solid indeed are the joys of golf that they partake more of the nature of substantial and enduring benefits. The old alchemists wasted a great deal of time and money in vain experiments to discover the elixir of life. A number of Spanish gentlemen, headed by Ponce de Leon, went on a fruitless quest through Florida in the hope of finding a fountain whose waters would repair the ravages of time, and rejuvenate the human frame. They might have saved themselves a great deal of trouble. The only true elixir of life is golf. It lengthens the span of human life, and preserves, as far as is possible, one's health and strength undiminished; nay, it not only preserves health but is pretty certain to restore it. If you are weakly, "throw physic to the dogs" and try golf. If it doesn't cure you your case is a desperate one, and you might as well set about making your will. It is the greatest antidote to the inroads of time known to mankind.

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WHEN LIFE'S AT STAKE

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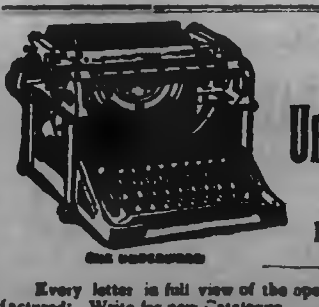

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Chicago, Dec. 22.—The Herald in speaking of the American invasion of Canada, says:

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But Winnipeg is not the north pole yet, for happy, genial summer shines upon this ambitious, bustling city of of 60,000 people. The wide and noble streets give the city a very proud and aristocratic appearance like the city of Washington, with its avenues and boulevards. We verily believe the broad streets make the city proud. They certainly give it a metropolitan air. The public buildings are very fine, and some of the branch banks (nearly all the banks are branches, children of the strong mother bank "down East") have elegant stone buildings that would honor any city.

CENTRE OF A BIG DOMAIN.

This is the hope of the city, which is already, and which must be in the future, the wholesale and distributing centre for this mighty domain. Manitoba has about 25,000,000 acres of plow lands. Only 3,000,000 have been plowed, and last year and this also with increased railroad facilities it was impossible to move the wheat. Elevators full to the top, cars loaded, and then all through the wheat lands the sacks corded up in huge piles by the railroad tracks awaiting the cars. I never knew what a railroad meant to a country until I stood on the rear platform of a Canadian Pacific train speeding thousands of miles across a wheat paradise—worthless and uncultivated and uninhabitated were it not for that one simple narrow iron highway, those two iron rails some five feet apart, that narrow highway that opens up millions of acres to the farmer pioneer. That single track carries tens of thousands of people back and forth across the continent, and loads up the wheat and oat harvests and the herds of cattle grazing on those boundless prairies and unloads them in the markets of the world. Ho, Canadian Pacific Railway! Ho, mighty Canadian Northwest!

THE NEW NORTHWEST.

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God bless the Canadian Northwest. Her people are a class of noblemen. High-spirited, broad, generous, stirring and whole-souled. They see a thing going on there under their very eyes that would sorely try anyone. And yet they are brave and magnanimous, truly heroic. They see the mighty money-maker of the world, the omnivorous American, going in there, and where the Canadian has toiled a life time for a living they see this dynamo of an American rushing in, seizing the opportunity, rushing through the open door, getting rich in a year and going back, many of them, to the States, or if not, building some big plant and living there in wealth and power.

THE MOVEMENT NORTH.

The Canadian government reports that 30,000 Americans have moved into Canada this present year. They expect 50,000 next year. They are going from the Dakotas, Kansas, Nebraska, and even from Chicago—men are going to settle west of Winnipeg. The mighty tide is rising, and next year the stream will be bank full! Some say on both sides of the boundary. If we cannot annex Canada we will assimilate her or absorb her or swallow her.

All the time peaceful conquest of immigration and of commercialism is going on, capital from the States is pouring in there, and is being invested in city and real estate, in farm lands in railroads and in mills and factories and in mercantile lines of every form.

CONQUEST OF CANADA URGED BY FRANCE

Would Pay the United States to Lose Her Navy to Get the Dominion

BRITISH AND GERMAN HATRED.

Views of French NewsPapers on the Venezuelan Situation—Emperor William is Harshly Criticized

Paris, Dec. 22—In France the feeling is decidedly against the idea of the Anglo-American blockade, which, by affecting French as well as other ships, would bring the foreign trade of Venezuela to a deadlock, besides impairing, if not destroying, the revenue receipts upon which France holds her first mortgage. Ernest Judet, the political editor of the Petit Journal," declares that Germany, without consulting the rest of Europe, has framed a great issue of antagonism between the old and new world, and that no matter what the outcome may be Europe cannot congratulate herself upon the champion who, with such undue precipitation, has dared to speak and act in her name. Emperor William, says M. Judet, sought to inflict a serious breach in the Monroe doctrine, but in reality he is about to add new strength to that doctrine and consecrate it by the success of an enormous precedent.

The Petit Journal publishes copious passages from President Roosevelt's speeches and writings, showing that the United States Government would, in case of extreme emergency, risk war with both England and Germany rather than take back water on the United States principle of a refusal to permit any European military occupation of South American territory. The Petit Journal even goes so far as to show that in the event of such a war the American conquest of Canada would more than compensate for the probable loss of the American navy. The Petit Journal declares that the English nation realizes this, and consequently deeply regrets the heedless rapidity and brutality shown by Emperor William, and is really anxious for arbitration. The Petit Journal's conclusion is that the Monroe doctrine wielded by a serious, cool-headed Administration such as now exists at Washington, is a weapon which is likely to inflict cruel humiliation on those who have so imprudently sought to elude its obligations. Already the United States by the refusal to allow the blockade, leaves to England and Germany only two horns of a dilemma in case of President Castro's resistance in extremis, namely, a downright withdrawal or backdown, or else war in a waste, roadless company, as capable of defence as the Transvaal. M. Judet asks whether Emperor William has not, after all, found in Venezuela what Napoleon III. once met in Mexico—a check which marked the waning of his star.

SON BORN TO PRINCESS OF WALES

Mother and Son Doing Well—This is the Fifth Child

London, Dec. 23.—The Princess of Wales gave birth to a son at 7.35 o'clock Saturday evening. Mother and son are doing well. This is the fourth son and there is one daughter.

MORE NIAGARA POWER

Location Has Now Been Fixed For a Third Plant

Toronto, Dec. 22— The third power company is now asking leave to take power from Niagara Falls, and at a meeting of the provincial cabinet yesterday it was decided to have a meeting of representatives of all the parties interested at the parliament buildings at 2.30 p.m. to-day, when the location for the new company will be decided upon. Premier Ross when asked if there was room for a third power plant replied that there would be room for at least three more such plants on the Canadian side.

NOT AN ACRE MORE FOR BRITAIN

Responsibilities Now Beyond Organization for Defence Says Beresford

London, Dec. 23.—There were some of the notable sayings by prominent men during the week:

"As a British subject I do not want to see an acre more added to the British Empire, as our imperial responsibilities are enormously in excess of our organization for defence."—Vice-Admiral Lord Charles Beresford.

"The Government to-day is deeply impressed by the fact that the English-speaking people all over the world could, if they chose, maintain the peace of the world."—The Rt. Hon. W. H. Long.

CHOATE SAW KING GEORGE

Cordially Received by the Ruler of Greece—Expects to See the Sultan

London, Dec. 23.—Joseph H. Choate, the American Ambassador, and his family, while at Athens, were the guests of the British Minister. They met King George and all the members of the royal family. They will probably meet the Sultan in Constantinople, and it is also thought that they will be received by the Khedive in Egypt.

All the members of the party are well and are enjoying their holiday. Private letters received from Mr. Choate say that he was much gratified at the cordiality of his reception by King George. The Ambassador is not troubled about political affairs and gets no despatches in regard to Venezuela.

THE LUMBERING INDUSTRY

The Busiest Season Ever Known in the Northern Woods

Reports received during November by the Department of Crown Lands, Ontario, indicate that the present has been the busiest fall season yet experienced in the history of the Ontario lumber woods. In all portions of the lumbering districts more men are in the woods than were ever before reported, and limits on which no cutting has taken place in several years are being worked in order to meet the demand for lumber arising out of the increased scale of building operations projected for the coming year. The October rains are reported as having interfered to some extent with the work, but the most serious difficulty confronting the lumbermen during the present season has undoubtedly arisen out of the scarcity of experienced hands available. In spite of the high wages offered, operators have been compelled in many cases, to accept for service in the woods men and youths almost wholly unacquainted with the work of logging and road-making. Wages run from $25 to $35 per month and board, the former figure, until recently, being considered a high wage for a shantyman.

Mill men in Victoria, B.C., are complaining of a shortage of logs, though some of the mills have been as yet seriously inconvenienced. Reports from the upcoast logging centres in British Columbia state that only a few of the camps are working to their full capacity, and that the contents of many storage booms have been cleaned up, the presence of snow and slush resulting in a general suspension of work.

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THE COUNTY COUNCIL

Election by Acclamation in Four of the Divisions

A Sharp Contest in the Norwood Division—Warden Eastland Retires in the North--Dr. Jeffs Again in the Field.

Yesterday the nominations for the County Council took place, and resulted in election by acclamation in four out of the five County Council divisions. The following are the names of those elected, and the candidates.

FIRST DIVISION.

Comprising Otonabee and Ashburnham. Nominations took place in the Town Hall Keene, and resulted in the election of Mr. R. A. Peck, and Mr. Thos. Johnston, Reeve of Otonabee.

Mr. Wm. Anderson, M.P.P., was also nominated, but retired.

At the conclusion of the time for receiving nominations, Mr. Archie Weir, of Ashburnham, was called to the chair, and addresses were delivered by the newly elected members and others.

SECOND DIVISION.

Comprising the townships of South and North Monoghan and Ennismore.

As predicted by The Times Messrs. Geo. W. Fitzgerald and T. M. Hunter were elected by acclamation. Mr. P. Costello, of Ennismore, was also nominated, but retired. The nomination meeting took place at Bridgenorth.

At the conclusion of the nominations, the nominating officer, Mr. George W Bennet, was called to the chair and short speeches were made by several of those present, including the newly-elected members. Mr. Wm. Collins, who was also present, paid particular attention to the beet sugar question, as also did Mr. Bennett and several others.

THIRD DIVISION.

Comprising townships of Harvey, Cavendish, Burleigh, Anstruther and Chandos.

In this Division Warden Eastland has retired, notwithstanding the strong pressure which was brought to bear on him to remain.

At the nomination meeting held in Apsley yesterday Mr. Robert Shaw, and Mr. John Monogue of Chandos, were elected by acclamation.

Mr. David Campbell, who was present, was strongly urged to stand, but declined in favor of Mr. Monogue, whom he thought deserved promotion after his long service as Reeve of Chandos.

The Times is indebted to Dr. Bell, of Apsley, for the result, which was telephoned from Burleigh yesterday.

FOURTH DIVISION.

Comprising townships of Belmont, Methuen, Asphodel and villages of Norwood and Havelock. The following is a list of the candidates:

J. B. Pearce, Norwood.
Wm. Dusk, farmer, Asphodel.
Thos. Curtis, merchant, Havelock.
Dr. Jeffs, Havelock.
S. S. Joyce, harnessmaker, Havelock.
Robt. Anderson, farmer, Belmont.
James Andrews, farmer, Asphodel.

From the above it will be seen that Dr. Jeffs is again a candidate. A spirited campaign is now on in the east.

FIFTH DIVISION.

Comprising townships of Douro, Dummer and the village of Lakefield. Nomination meeting was held at Town Hall, Douro, and resulted in the election by acclamation of Mr. Dennis Meloney, Reeve of Douro, and Mr. Richard Crowe, of Dummer.

No more popular choice could have been made. Mr. Meloney has been very successful as Reeve of Douro, and will be a valuable addition to the County Council, while Mr. Crowe is an experienced member of the County Parliament.

CLOSE TO ANNEXATION

What Reciprocity Treaty with Cuba Means

Washington, Dec. 23.—The President sent to the Senate the reciprocity treaty recently negotiated between the United States and Cuba. The treaty was received by the Senate in Executive session and was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations without being read.

The Washington correspondent of the Chicago Tribune, referring to the treaty, says: Not only have the Cubans proved themselves amenable to reason so far as regards reciprocity, but as soon as the malign influences of European Governments were withdrawn they also began to see a new light on the subject of coaling stations. There has been great opposition among the Cubans, largely on sentimental basis, against any grant to the United States for a coaling station of land on the shore of Havana Bay. President Palma has represented that it would be a constant humiliation to his people to see a foreign flag floating over an independent plot of ground within sight of his own palace. President Roosevelt and his advisers here have come around to this same way of thinking. They do not desire to humiliate the Cubans in any way, and it has now been practically agreed that so far as the north shore of Cuba is concerned only one coaling station will be asked for, and it will not be at Havana. It may be on the shore of Nipo Bay, on the extreme northeastern coast, or possibly in the vicinity of Matanzas. So far as the south coast of Cuba is concerned, the United States will be granted opportunities to establish at least one and probably two naval stations. President Palma has intimated that as soon as the reciprocity treaty is ratified he will be ready to agree to anything reasonable in the way of coaling stations, providing Havana Bay is eliminated from the problem. He will also negotiate a treaty with the United States putting into solemn form the conditions of the Platt amendment, and thus notifying all the nations of the world of the peculiar relations existing between the United States and Cuba. When this is done, coupled with the close commercial relations established under the reciprocity treaty, there will be established a connection between United States and Cuba which will be as close as anything could be short of actual annexation.

TERRIBLE SUFFERING OF FIFTEEN SAILORS

Adrift for Three Days and Four Nights in a Small Boat

Boston, Mass. Dec. 22—The fishing schooner Manhasset arrived here early today having on board ten survivors of the wrecked schooners, Frank A. Palmer and Louise B. Crary, which were in collision Wednesday night off Thatcher's Island. Eleven sailors were either killed in the collision, drowned, or exposure. After the accident fifteen or more men from either vessel took to a small boat.

The Louis B. Crary was a five-masted, and the Frank a Palmer a four-masted schooner. Both were coal laden bound for Boston. At 8 a.m. yesterday when the Manhasset was forty-five miles of Highland Light, the lookout sighted a small boat flying signals of distress in a heavy sea. The Manhasset changed her course, and bore down on the distressed little craft, which proved to be the Crary's boat. Of the fifteen men who had started four were dead, and one crazed by exposure, Saturday night shouting at the top of his voice that the police were after him, jumped over board and disappeared. The ten survivors were in a pitiable condition, and several of them may die. All were frost bitten, and some probably will have to have their feet and hands amputated.

The Manhasset came into the harbor early this morning showing signals for assistance and by the time she arrived at a wharf ambulances were ready to transfer the sailors to the hospital. Only six of the men could be removed however. They were taken to Relief Hospital. The other four were in such a critical condition it was not thought advisable to remove them from the vessel.

How It Occurred.

From what could be gathered by the crew of the Manhasset it appears that the collision occurred at 1.30 o'clock on Wednesday evening, several miles off Cape Ann. The night was clear, but a stiff gale was blowing, and the sea was running high. The members of the Palmer's crew claim that the Crary was on the wrong tack, and in attempting to cross the Palmer's bow struck her on the bow, cutting her nose squarely off. The vessels became entangled in the wreck. The anchor and bowsprit of the Palmer sank away from the wreck, while the anchor of the Crary was entangled in the fore-rigging of the Palmer and broke off the foremast. The vessel began to fill.

The Palmer's men managed to lower a boat. There was no time to procure provisions or additional clothing. As the men cleared the wreck of their vessel they saw the Crary's men in the same plight that they had been, and made room for as many as could reach the boat. Fifteen were in the small craft when it finally pulled away. Both captains were among those who thus escaped. A few moments later both schooners went down carrying with them six men. For the survivors a battle which lasted three days and four nights had begun. One-third of the number succumbed in the fight, and of those who finally reached shore, none was able to tell the story.

The Louise B. Crary was comparatively a new vessel. She was built at Bath, Me., in 1900, and was one of the finest five-masters on the coast, having a net tonnage of 1,996. Her captain W. H. Potter, hails from Orient, Le. Her cargo of 3,700 tons of bituminous coal was consigned to this port. The vessel was only partially insured, while her cargo was fully covered.

The Frank A. Palmer was the largest four-master ever constructed. She was built at Bath, Me., in 1897. She sailed from Newport News Dec. 6th, with 4,700 tons of coal for Boston.

VENEZUELAN BLOCKADE WAS BADLY CONSIDERED

Looked Upon as a Great Help to Dutch and English Smugglers

Paris Rejoices Over the Humberts—Report of Their Arrest Received with Much Satisfaction

Caracas, Dec. 22—Leading foreigners in Caracas regard the blockade of Venezuela undertaken by Germany and Great Britain as a badly considered measure. The action of the foreign powers in coming here to collect their claims by blockade is looked upon as a great help to the Dutch smugglers in Curacao and English smuggler sin Trinidad, whose only industry is evading the payment of custom duties. During the last forty-eight hours fifteen schooners knowing about the blockade of the Venezuelan custom house, have sailed from Curacao for the Venezuelan coast, with provisions that will no pay duties. No end of stuff will follow. The result of the blockade will be to annoy foreigners who all sustain the Venezuelan treasury. It will stop trade and increase in value twenty-five per cent. food which is not essential for the poorer classes, who eat cord, but for the rich and foreigners who eat flour imported from the United States. Most of the goods imported come from England, Germany, France and United States, so that the first sufferers from blockade will be foreigners.

London, Dec. 22—The whole of Paris, says a correspondent in the French capital seemed turned upside down by the news of the arrest of the Humberts in Madrid. Papers were bought up as soon as they could be issued from the press. Paris burst with laughter, says the correspondent. It was deeply and heartily amused; it was the most docile and the most governable Paris has ever seen. For Paris is only dangerous when bored, and Paris on Saturday was everything but bored. At the Ministry of Justice champagne was opened. At the Prefecture of Police, the officials congratulated themselves. At Theatre Francaise, where a dress rehearsal was going on, the spectators left the house between acts, and on returning brandished the first papers on which they had been able to lay their hands, in the hope of obtaining fresh details of the arrest.

London, Dec. 22—The affairs of the Chinese Imperial Maritime Customs, says a Shanghai correspondent, are attracting serious attention within and without the service. It is generally recognized that the recent actions of certain powers are calculated gravely to affect the future of the Administration. The correspondent says that widespread discontent which has existed for some years has now become accentuated in all ranks of the service. The Peking Inspector-General's staff does not include an Englishman, and in spite of the preponderance of British trade, only four Englishmen have been appointed to the service, out of thirty-five new appointments since June, 1897. Moreover, adds the correspondent, British influence in matters connected with service is outweighed in Pekin by that of the powers with small commercial interests in China. Unless present conditions are remedied, the fulfilment of the pledge that the successor of Sir Robert Hart, Director of the Service, shall be an Englishman, will be jeopardized. Moreover, the continued efficiency and cohesion of the Administration are dependent on the removal of existing grievances.

New York, Dec. 22—Lord Rosslyn, after perfecting the "system" which he guaranteed can break the bank at Monte Carlo, confesses that he lost $1,650, to card players on the Etruria. Some men allowed the Earl to play in a poker game with them. Later the man with the system lost $2 more. He places the latter transaction under the heading, "rubbing it in." When the Earl arrived yesterday on the Cunard liner, he caused the arrest of Jerome McKay, a passenger, whom he charged with fleecing him out of the $1,650.

FEAR THAT CANADIANS MIGHT BE HEMMED IN

By Hordes of Boxers Who are Reported to be Again in Revolt

Shanghai, Dec. 22— Excitement has been caused by reports from Shensi that the notorious General Tung-Fu-Hsiang is mobilizing 10,000 well-equipped troops at Kan-Su, and buying large quantities of grain and fodder. It is stated that he is preparing a big move in conjunction with Prince Tuan, another notorious hater of foreigners.

Four thousand Imperial troops who have been disbanded from the Imperial command, are said to have gone to join Tung-Fu-Hsiang. Friendly officials have warned the missionaries and other foreigners to leave Kan-Su. It is believed that the Dowager Empress and Yung-Lu, first Grand Secretary, are secretly encouraging the rebels and supplying them with money.

Dr. Stevens of the Methodist Foreign Missions stated this morning that Methodist missionaries had just left Shanghai, calmed by letters from friends stating that the rumored Boxer outbreak was not so serious as depicted "Our missionaries," said he, "are not in the Province that is reported to have been affected; but are over at the worst in Szchuan; for should an outbreak occur, our people would not be able to escape through Thibet, or through the other western border lands, but would have to return through the scene of hostilities."

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Catastrophe at Andijan Entailed Destruction o 16,000 Houses

London, Dec. 22—A despatch from New Marghelan, Russian Turkistan, reports that the recent earthquake at Andijan killed 2,500 people in and near that city and destroyed 16,000 houses. The rumblings continue. The authorities so far have not been able to cope with the destitution of the starving unsheltered populace.

PROMOTION EXAMINATIONS

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The following is the results of the promotion examinations of Murray st. Separate School. Names are in order of merit:—

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Jr. 3rd to Sr. 3rd—J. O'Brien, M Quinlan, Bano, H. Callaghan, F. Kearns, W. Collins.

Jr. 2nd to Sr. 2nd —J Keown, F. Jones, J. Hourigan.

Sr. Pt. 2nd to Jr. 2nd — Honors, J. O'Toole, L. Delaire, F. Carleton; passed, S. Leahy, R. Sullivan, W. Grady, H. Laronde, F. Keown, J. Murty, J. McGrath, B. Denny.

Jr. Pt. 2nd to Sr. Pt. 2nd — Honors, N. Phelan, W. Hetrick, S. Hayes, A. Primeau, L. Holland, A. Legros; passed, W. Delaire, M. Murty, J. MacDonald, Cavanagh, J. Coughlin, K Galvin, G. Halpin, B. Kylie.

Sr. Pt. 1 to Jr. Pt. 2nd —Honors, A. Hoban, R. Donoghue, R. O'Brien, F. Lynch, C. Maher, Geary, G. Mahar W. Conroy; passed, M. Whalen, J. Lefave, R. Rose, B. Hargrove, J. Deneen.

Jr. Pt. 1st to Sr. Pt. 1st — Honors, Eddie Hogan, Kenneth Donoghue, Peter Butler; passed, Georgie Bain, Eddie Murty, Herman Wolfe, Vincent Carleton, Ewart O'Shea, Stanley O'Shea, Albert Legros.

Class A to Jr. Pt. 1st—Frank Bano, Harry O'Toole, Laurence Rose, Martin German, Joseph, Kylie, Gordon Holland, Elmer Galvin, Ernest Hourigan, James Collins.

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FREE RURAL MAIL DELIVERY

The rural free delivery of mail matter has been attended with so much success wherever the system has been tried in the United States that it is now proposed to add to it a money order service for the benefit of farmers. Already rural carriers are empowered to receive and distribute registered letters. This has been of considerable advantage, particularly to those living in the country, who wish to send out matter which it is desired shall be transmitted and delivered as promptly as possible. At present it is necessary for those who have no accounts at the bank either to go to a post office, sometimes a long distance, to get money orders or to send money in a letter, at the usual risk. The extension of the money order system to the United States rural free delivery bureau beginning with the first of 1903 will obviate much of this difficulty. It will not, however, answer all of the arguments brought by the supporters of the post check plan. There is and will be still need of the post check scheme or some similar plan for the easy and cheap transmission of money, particularly in small sums of, say, $2 and less. In his annual report for 1902 Postmaster General Payne says in reference to the question:

I urge upon Congress the importance of passing some law, so that our people may have the advantage of it at as early a date as possible. Hundreds of thousands of letters carrying small amounts of silver or postage stamps are transmitted every year through the mails. These letters are a constant temptation to those handling them, as it is easy to identify letters inclosing currency.

With the extension of the rural free delivery services to remote parts of the country, Mr. Payne declares "the use of postal checks would go far to provide the relief so urgently demanded."

In the Dominion no attempt has yet been made toward the commencement of the rural free delivery of mail, not to speak of a rural money order system.

There was some hope that the P. M.-General would see his way clear to employ the surplus which he takes the credit of having saved to make a start in this direction. But circumstances have lately occurred which may postpone any improvement in the postal conveniences of the country for years to come.

The judgment in the case of Hargraves at Winnipeg, has tended to unsettle the financial state. Upon his superannuation, Mr. Hargraves sued for an increased allowance on the basis of the annual increases allowed by the Act, but which had been withheld by Mulock. The court awarded Hargraves the amount of his claim. It follows that all the officials who have been superannuated in Mulock's time will enter similar suits if not settled with. And if these claims are paid, it follows the the annual increases which were withheld will have to be paid in future, in justice to the men, and to avoid future law suits. This will be such a drain upon the alleged surplus of the post office, that as said above, all improvements, such as free rural mail delivery, which may have been contemplated, will be laid over by the postal department.

A GUILTLESS CROMWELL

The most interesting thing about General De Wet's book on the Boer war is the biography that may be picked out of it by a careful reader. The last thing De Wet seems to be thinking about is to exploit himself; but he cannot hide the fact that he is by far the biggest figure in the scenes he is describing. The thing second in interest is the extraordinary constitution of the Boer army, which explains at once the tenacity of the war and the marvellous achievements of its last commander.

It was the most democratic army of modern times and realized Napoleon's boast that every soldier carried a marshal's baton in his knapsack. The promotions in it were remarkable, as elderly commanders were removed by death and capture; but none was so remarkable as that of De Wet. He left his farm to enter the war as a private, was elected vice commandant on the verge of hostilities, and took command of 800 men by reason of the illness of the commandant a few days before the battle in which he saw action for the first time in his life. Six weeks later he was made commander of a brigade, and began the meteoric career which left him with the reputation of the first military genius of his time.

History will bracket De Wet with Cromwell for sudden development of the most remarkable military talent without training or experience. One day a farmer who never had seen either battle or strategy, the next saw him baffling the proudest soldiers of Europe in manœuvres or defeating them in the field. This man failed in nothing that he undertook, and who dares say that he could not have handled a larger army or ruled the nation? So far as he went, his career is a parallel to Cromwell's. The armies they commanded were singularly alike, and the nation Cromwell ruled, if we include only the puritans who took part in public affairs under the commonwealth, was singularly like that made up of the Boer burghers, leaving out of account the English population they excluded from public affairs. It is a fair conclusion that nothing but the enormous resources of the British Empire and its command of modern means of transportation and warfare prevented the development of a nation as great as the English commonwealth, with De Wet as protector.

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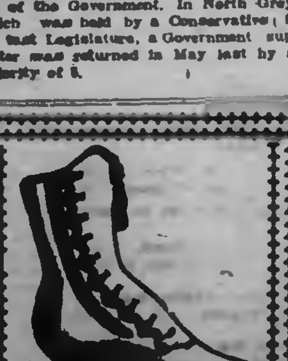
THE BYE-ELECTIONS

Polling on the First Wednesday in January

It is understood that the bye-elections to fill the seats recently vacated by the courts for North Perth, North Norfolk and North Grey, will be held on Wednesday, January 7th. The nominations will take place on December 31st. Two of these seats, North Perth and North Norfolk, were carried in the general election on May 29 by the Conservative candidates, Mr. J. C. Monteith having a majority of two in North Perth and Dr. F. P. Snider a majority of 3 in North Norfolk. In the previous Legislature both these seats were held by supporters of the Government. In North Grey, which was held by a Conservative in the last Legislature, a Government supporter was returned in May last by a majority of 8.



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Hilda's lip only curled in scorn at the demonstration, and Jupiter snorted in terror. He was almost maddened with fear already at the great black stumps and logs rolling around him, and his slender ears were strained backward, and his large eyes glared glassily, as he breasted the raging flood with his double burden. But Hilda's voice and touch still soothed the terrified creature into comparative calmness, and, swimming strongly and fiercely against the swift tide that tried its utmost to sweep them over the fatal falls, the shore was reached at last; and a dozen pairs of hands were waiting to lift the heroic girl from her saddle and lead her up the bank, where she shook herself free from them all, and ran to lay her face against Jupiter's neck, who, poor fellow! was shaking the water from his glossy black coat impatiently, but stood still and uttered a whinny of loving greeting, as the gentle hand of his mistress smoothed his thick black mane.

"Hilda!" exclaimed her sister, approaching hastily; "you are as white as death—you are going to faint!"

Hilda's dark eyes, that had suddenly closed, opened hastily again, and she tried to lift her left hand, that hung limp and helpless by her side.

"No," she answered; "I am not faint; but my hand pains me. It was sprained by the log that struck me in the water. Will some one lead Jupiter away? It is almost time for the evening express train, and he is terribly afraid of an engine."

"Great Heaven!" said some one, shuddering. "Only think if the train had come along while you were in the water! You would inevitably have lost all control of Jupiter. He could not have stood it. Did you think of that?"

"I thought of everything," she answered, calmly; but they saw that her lip quivered a little, and her cheek grew a shade whiter.

"I owe you my life," said Courtenaye, approaching, in his dripping garments, and standing before her with bowed head, as before a queen. "It was a heroic deed!"

"It was nothing," she answered, turning from him coldly. "I am not afraid of anything."

"But you will suffer me to thank you?" he urged, following her, as she walked away as if she did not desire his company.

"You owe me no thanks," she answered; and Miss Aylesford, listening curiously, heard her add, in a meaning tone, and with a bitter little laugh, "I was only paying a debt of honor. It was my revenge!"

CHAPTER III.

The Aylesfords at Home.

"No temple can match with a glory so solemn,
The forest cathedral that rises around;
The tree's stately shaft for the fair marble column,
All veined with the sunlight, and gracefully crowned."
—Mrs. Osgood.

"Oh, dear, if I only had not sprained my wrist! I feel like a poor little bird in a cage!" exclaimed Hilda Aylesford, impatiently, as she paced up and down the long, low piazza of her mountain home.

It was the morning after the great rise in the New River, and Hilda's sprained, aching wrist was goading her almost past endurance.

Young, spirited, full of bounding vitality, she had scarcely ever known an ache or pain, and it was very hard to be restrained of her liberty on this particular morning, when she was longing to spring on Jupiter's back and gallop down the mountain to view the river, which, rumor said, had risen steadily through the night, overflowing its banks in many places, and causing terrible devastation and ruin. But the feverish state of her wrist and arm had incurred the doctor's dictum of confinement to the house, whereat Hilda chafed and fretted like some wild, caged creature.

Her sister, Florence, sitting near, and looking extremely pretty in a light blue morning dress, with a rose in her fair hair, looked up from her graceful embroidery at the impatient speaker.

"Serves you right!" said she, coolly. "A more foolish, unlady-like escapade I never beheld!"

Hilda turned on her half-angrily.

"Would you have had the man to drown?" said she.

"I had no objection; he was a total stranger," said Miss Aylesford, indifferently. "Besides, he showed no more sanity in getting into the difficulty than you showed in getting him out of it."

"Which, being interpreted, means that we both were a pair of lunatics," commented Hilda, as she stopped in her rapid walk, and looked out through the fine grove of trees that stood round about the house like giant sentinels of the forest.

Without pausing for Florence's reply, she continued, abruptly:

"Well, here comes my partner in the loss of reason. You can air your opinions for his benefit as well as mine."

Miss Aylesford started forward in a hurry, then went back to her graceful pose in the low rocking-chair. Her quick glance had shown her the two Englishmen riding up to the house under the guidance of a small urchin in a ragged hat and corduroys.

Her eyes returned to Hilda, sweeping her comprehensively from head to foot.

"And you are a fright, as usual," said she.

"More frightful than usual," answered Hilda, shedding back the disheveled locks from her brow with one small, brown hand. "It isn't so easy to make a toilet with one's left hand in a sling. You might have helped me, Florence; I have helped you often enough."

"I had enough to do to dress myself," said the sister, carelessly, as she rose and glided forward to receive the two gentlemen, who had dismounted, and were approaching the house.

Her smile was dazzling, her voice was full of sweet solicitude, as she inquired after Mr. Courtenaye's health.

"I hope your wetting in the river did not make you ill, sir?"

Mr. Courtenaye smiled down at the fair, girlish face, and assured her that he had suffered no inconvenience from that source.

"And your poor arm?"

The blue eyes looked shyly up as if deprecating her own gentle anxiety;

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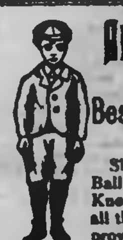

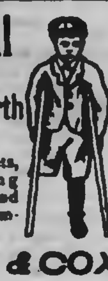

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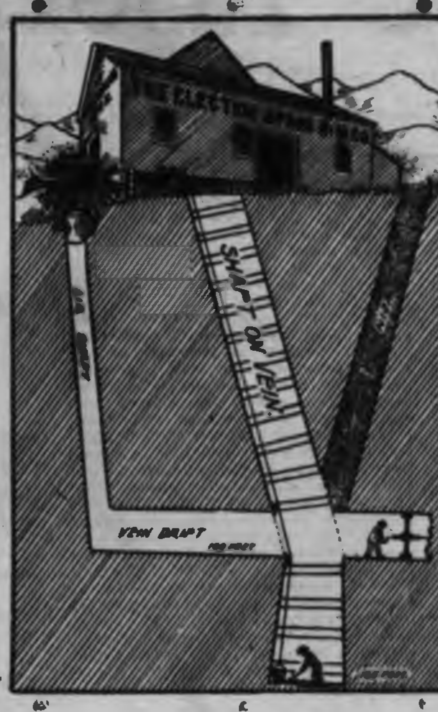

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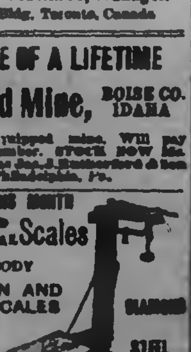

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Handsomely Remembered

Mrs. (Rev.) J. G. Potter and children left by the C.P.R. yesterday to spend Christmas in Kingston. Prior to her departure she was presented with a handsome fur lined cloak from the Ladies Aid Society of St. Andrew's church. Mrs. Potter very deeply appreciated the beautiful gift.

Found His Wife Dying

Lindsay, Post—Mrs. Robert Boate, wife of the Reeve of Emily township, died suddenly last Thursday. She was in her usual good health when Mr. Boate left the house at an early hour to drive to Omemee. On his return at noon he found her unconscious, and she died before the doctor reached the house.

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Mrs. Whitby, wife of Mr. Charles Whitby, of the Stanley Piano Works, and their two children were yesterday discharged from the Nicholls Hospital, where they had been since Oct. 21st, suffering from typhoid fever. The happy Christmas season will be more joyous to them than usual, after their suffering and separation. The family were attended by Dr. Greer, and consisted of Mrs. Whitby, John, aged 11, and Grace, aged 8. Mr Whitby says he's the happiest man in town, and we have no doubt he is. The Times extends to them its best wishes for a joyous Yuletide season, coupled with the hope that they will henceforth enjoy the great blessing of good health.

After Ten Years

Mr. James Kensaley, who left Peterborough about ten years ago arrived home a few days ago from Edmonton, N.W.T., after having travelled upwards of 2,500 miles to be present at the ordination of his nephew, Rev. Father Crowley. He was welcomed by his many friends, and he has glowing tales to tell of his experience in the northwest. He is evidently impressed with the country in that portion of Canada and bespeaks for it a promising future. There is plenty of employment, and good wages are paid in all departments. Brick layers he states, receive $6.00 a day, and there are plenty of building operations going on.

Revolution in Newfoundland

Since the introduction into Newfoundland of the new Inhaler Remedy, "Catarrhozone," the treatment of catarrhal diseases has been entirely revolutionized. The old-time snuff and internal medicine has been cast aside, and everyone is inhaling Catarrhozone; it clears the head and throat in two minutes, and is very agreeable and pleasant to use. Catarrhozone is a wonderful cure for Coughs, Colds, Catarrh, Asthma, Bronchitis, Lung Troubles and Deafness. It relieves quickly and cures permanently. We advise our readers to try Catarrhozone. Price $1.00, trial size, 25c. Druggists, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. Harry King is home from Detroit for the holidays.

—Miss Gertrude Kendry is down from Toronto for Christmas.

—Mrs. Selby Driver and son, of Newmarket, are visiting friends in town.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. Glidden, with their family, left yesterday to spend Christmas in Toronto.

—Miss Eileen Fair is home from the Bishop Strachan School for the Christmas holidays.

—Cadets Gerald Hall and Basil Hall are home from the Royal Military College, Kingston.

—Miss Olive Bradburn is home for the Christmas holidays from Bishop Strachan College, Toronto.

Wm. Bellingham is home visiting his family.

—Mrs. Richard Heard, of Young's Point, is in town for a few days.

—Mr. J. P. Hurley met with a severe accident yesterday afternoon by falling on the sidewalk.

—Messrs. Frank Barnett and Douglas J. Simpson, Birdsall, came up the ice to town on Saturday. The ice in some places is reported to be very thin.

ST. PETER'S T. A. S.

The Society Present Father Crowley with Pair of Gauntlets and Collar

In the assembly hall of the T.A.S. last evening Father Crowley was presented by the Society with a beautiful pair of gauntlets with collar to match.

Those occupying the platform besides the chairman, were Father McColl, Dr. O'Brien, Father O'Brien, Father Crowley and Mr. Hampden Burnham.

A nicely worded address was read by Mr. D. Devine, Father Crowley replying with a few words of thanks and also of congratulation to the society. Short speeches followed from the gentlemen named above, all of whom spoke most highly of the young priest.

Previous to this a musical programme had been given consisting of an instrumental duet by the Misses Coster and Begley, and vocal solos by Miss L. Halliham and Mr. Jas. Brown. The evening was concluded by the singing of the national anthem.

SERGEANT TOM MILLER

Back from the War—After Three Years Active Service

The Times joins in extending a hearty welcome to Sergt. Tom Miller, son of Mr. F. W. Miller, who for the past three years has been on active military service with the 1st Batallion, Scots Guards, in South Africa. Sergt. Miller arrived home yesterday morning. He served six years and 70 days in the British army, three years of which was spent in South Africa. Sergt. Miller has altogether seen 10 years of soldiering, having been connected with the Canadian militia for some years, previous to joining the 1st Scott Guards, from which regiment he has just received his discharge.

Sergt. Miller has 8 bars of which he can boast. Six of these are for active service and two for the King's Medal for guerilla fighting. Sergt. Miller has quit soldiering, however, and will henceforth engage in civil pursuits. He is in the best of health and active service must have agreed with him to the fullest extent.

WHERE THEY STAND

Hotel Men Will Support Aldermanic Candidates Friendly to Them

The Times is assured that the temperance people will at an early date next year petition the Council to reduce the number of liquor licenses. It is not in the interests of the town that any further reduction be made, as the hotel accomodation now afforded is not too great, especially when there is a crowd in town. Indeed we think that it might be with advantage increased. Frequently the hotels are "full up" with guests, and it is sometimes difficult to obtain lodgings.

The hotel men we understand, will take no active part in the election, but an effort will be made to find out on which side candidates for aldermanic honors favor and they will support by their votes and in a quiet way work for only these men who are opposed to a reduction of licenses.

MR. RODDY HONORED.

Court Littlejohn Manifests Appreciation of His Service

Mr. Thos. H. Boddy, the popular ticket agent of the C.P.R. was on Saturday night convinced that this is a season of pleasing favors. For some years past he has been entrusted with arrangements for the annual excursion of Court Littlejohn, C.O.F., over the C.P.R. and so excellently had he invariably performed this service that the members of the Court took pleasure in manifesting their appreciation thereof. Accordingly, it was with some degree of surprise that Mr. Boddy was, on Saturday night, at his office, presented with a very fine smoking outfit, consisting of a very handsomely carved pipe, gold mounted, and an elegant tobacco pouch with his monogram. Accompanying the gift was the following address.—

Dear Mr. Boddy.—It is with pleasure we present you this solid comfort outfit on behalf of Court Littlejohn, No. 88, C.O.F. In our many years' dealings you have treated us on the most sterling business principles, the fountain of which we believe to be your good head and good heart. We trust that, from this token of our esteem, you will draw inspirations through a long life of prosperity and happiness.

Signed on behalf of the Court.
W. KEMP, Chairman.
M. McCLELLAND.

Mr. Boddy expressed his appreciation of the kindness done him, and his gratitude for the gift.

TEACHER REMEMBERED

Mr. John Roszel was Presented with an Address by His Pupils

Mr. John Roszel, son of Peterborough's Chief, who has been for some time past teaching at Cold Springs, was on Friday night presented with an address and a handsome writing desk. The presentation which took place during the course of a concert held there, was made by Miss Hilda Shaughnessy, while the address, which was as follows, was read by Mr. A. Holden:

Dear Teacher,—We, the pupils of this school, under your charge and faithful tuition for the past year, were hoping that the kind and amiable relations existing between us, would not have been interrupted so soon; it was therefore with deep regret that we heard of your intentions to leave us. But we cannot allow you to go without saying that we are sorry, very sorry, to part with a teacher who has been so genial in his intercourse with us, so gentle to our faults, so considerate of our dispositions and thoughtless actions, many times, no doubt, trying enough to your patience.

Yet you were at all times unremitting in the earnest performance of the many duties that fell to the lot of the conscientious teacher. We know you will be glad to hear that we know that we are better boys and girls because of your example when among us, and the pains you have at all times taken to advance our interests.

We are too young to think much about the future, but we hear of the ups and downs of life, and think they are such that we may not all meet again.

We ask you therefore to accept of this writing desk. We do not expect that you will attach any importance to its intrinsic value, but we want you to accept it as a small memento of our kind regards for our future welfare and the place that you hold in our affections.

Hoping that we may always have reason to cherish kindly feelings and pleasant memories of each other, we wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Signed on behalf of the school,

Minnie Lynch, Sidney Reid, Elsie Frost, Wilbert Brown, Gladys Woolley, Arthur Holden, Ruth Waldie, Norman Welch, Addie Dickson, Ernest Kinney, Essie Doyell, Ernest Pelton, Hilda Shaughnessy.

Mother's Girl.

There exists often a very beautiful companionship between the mother and her daughter. The intimacy is frank, free and sympathetic. But some day the mother feels as if something had chilled this intimacy. The child is silent and sad, and seems to shun her mother instead of seeking her.

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FOR THE MAYORALTY.

Card to the Electors of Peterborough

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

In response to the numerous representations which have been made to me upon the subject, personally, by requisition, and through the press, I place my services at the disposal of the public as a candidate for the Mayoralty at the approaching municipal elections.

My association with the important municipal advances which the Town has been making during recent years, will enable me to give continuity to the aggressive forward policy which the Council has sought to pursue, and to bring experience and information gained therein to bear upon the work and problems which still more immediately confront us.

While I cannot lay claim to all the qualifications which have been flatteringly ascribed to me, such capacity for the office as I do possess is cheerfully placed at your service, and I ask your sympathy and support in the effort to maintain the position and standing, and advance the welfare of our already prosperous and progressive Town.

Respectfully yours,

G. M. ROGER

EXCURSION TO BERLIN!

Farmers should be interested in the fact that an opportunity will be given them to thoroughly investigate the merits of the beet sugar industry as it is carried on at the large factory in Berlin. A special train has been secured for on or about December 30th, which will go and return the same day. The rate will not be higher than $2, return. The hour of starting will probably be about 6.30 a.m and of returning about 10 p. m.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Board of Works, License and Joint Committees met last night.

—A cheerful prophet says there will be twenty-nine distinct storms this winter.

—The Dalhousie street sewer has been completed by the contractors, Henry & Gibson.

—Santa Claus puts a Mayor's chair into only one stocking, and Ald. Roger has had his hung up at the chimney here for a couple of weeks or more.

—Those young men, who are liable and who have not paid their Statute Labor Tax, are reminded to do so at once. If costs are incurred there will be no one to blame but themselves.

—A north ward man managed to get 11 tons of the last hard coal the other night at $6.50 a ton—then his head struck the bedpost and he woke up.

—Mr. R. R. Hall has leased for a term of five years, the building and plant formerly occupied and used by the Peterborough Underwear Co.

—The man who has done his Christmas shopping may be known by the air of sweet content he wears; while the man who hasn't yet bought looks as if he were in a state of mind.

—The town of Orillia is making a successful demonstration of the benefits of municipal ownership of public utilities. The revenue from the electric light and waterworks plants last year was $11,893, whereas for 11 months of this year it is over $16,000. Operating expenses last year were $8,757, while this year they have been only $7,657, including nearly $2,000 of an overdraft from last year.

—Owen Sound, Ont., seems to be distinctly in favor of municipal ownership. The ratepayers there last week carried by large majorities by-laws in favor of purchasing the electric light and gas plants. They also voted in favor of giving exemption from taxation and free water to the new linseed oil industry which is to be established there.

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"You have made a slight mistake," said he. "I am not house-cleaning. I allow dust and cobwebs on my bottles only—not on my books."

"Then this rite of yours—" I began.

"That is the word," said he, pausing a moment to taste what I had said. "It is a rite, and only the elect, the knowing, are worthy to witness it."

"Seal me of the tribe," said I.

"I fear you could not understand," answered he, shaking his head doubtfully. "But listen, I was perfume hunting on the works of Charles Lamb. You came upon me as I was enjoying the aroma of Volume III.—the first Elia essays, you will remember. The two volumes of letters are also rather rare, but somehow this is the most delicate in odor of the entire set. Try it," he added, generously, handing over the volume. I sought to remember how he had held it.

"Nearer the nose," said he; "you're quite out of range." I adjusted the book to his satisfaction.

"And now you're ready for turning." I passed the three hundred pages rapidly in review before my waiting sense of smell.

"Your thumb touch is not delicate," exclaimed he with some impatience. "You bear on too hard. Just see how you've blunted the edge of the leaves. They should be sharp as a razor. Once again." I exerted myself to please him.

"That's good," said he. "Isn't it delicious?"

"I was so busy with the machinery of the thing that I forgot to try for the scent," I had to confess in some embarrassment. "And now, finally." This time I had mastered the mechanism, and was receptive to the message of the leaves.

"Well," said he, as I hesitated.

"Why, I got a subdued dusty and musty odor," replied I. "What else, indeed?"

"I, too, had to serve my apprenticeship," said he, in a tone of disappointment. "But if you have the stuff in you, there will come a time when this will be to you the rarest fragrance. Nature is well enough in its way, with flowers and foliage and the breath of cattle, but this is altogether finer, and makes its appeal to a more highly developed sense. Take the Bohn Library—publishers of Addison, Ricardo, Adam Smith. Of course, each book of theirs gives out its own peculiar whiff, but everything they publish comes up to a high standard. You appreciate that this perfume is not something applied to the completed book, as your maid puts cologne on her pocket-handkerchief. It is the very essence of the book. It is the product of binding, and leaves, and cover, and print—the perfect blend of the workmanship. Only the English can come at it. American books have too businesslike a smell. They are done in haste—machine made, and not put together by loving hands. I can always analyze the odor of these into its separate elements. The glazed paper, the glue, are irrepressible."

"It must take long training," said I, making ready to depart.

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ON TO PALESTINE THE LATEST CONQUEST

A Campaign in Which Money Will be the Only Weapon Permitted or to be Used

It Is Proposed Purchase the Holy Land From the Turks and Present It To the Jews

Greenwich, Conn., December 24. — The hearts of those who believe in the romantic side of existence will stir with a strange thrill at the story of a young man of quiet life and studious habits whose plan to purchase Palestine from the Turks and transform it into a Christian republic is becoming a topic of interest here and abroad.

Arthur Smedley Greene, is a young artistic designer who has devoted all his spare time to the study of the life of Jesus of Nazareth. Remembering the fruitless previous efforts to wrest the land where the Divine One lived and died from the Turk Mr. Greene boldly announces himself as the originator and head of a movement to accomplish, with the aid of the united people of Christendom, what armies of mailed men and religious enthusiasts have failed to bring to pass.

"While we carefully treasure, adore and venerate the birthplaces and tombs of our great warriors, poets and rulers," he says, "we look with apathy upon the home and tomb of the Man of Nazareth."

Much disturbed in mind, and in a constant state of prayer that guidance might be vouchsafed to him which would direct him aright, Mr. Greene sat in a solitary room in Greenwich one evening, after a hard day's work. Suddenly his surrounding faded, and before his gaze were spread the fertile plains, winding rivers and sacred mountains of Palestine.

In swift review there passed before him scenes of the long ago, and he saw the mighty deeds done on that land of legend. He saw the shepherds heard the chanting angels, and behold the gleaming star which guided the wise men to the manger. In his ears rang the immortal Sermon on the Mount; the Cross; the humiliation of death and the triumph of the Resurrection passed before him.

"Then," he said, with great simplicity of manner, "the scene changed, and I saw Peter the Hermit arousing Christendom to a bloody and fruitless war for the tomb of our Lord. I saw the flash of scimetars and the flag of the Crusaders. I saw the merited failure of a bloody combat to win the land of the Prince of Peace. I saw the wandering millions of the children of Israel, and felt all their vain longing. Suddenly a great white light obliterated the panorama. Like Paul, I cried: 'What wilt Thou have me to do? Swift came the answer, clear and distinct, 'Redeem the land of the Christ, and would that all men should be free.' "Then," continued this modern seer, "I saw, as plainly as I see you, a beautiful, saintly looking flag floating over me. It was the Nazarene blue, with a cross and crown, and the Star of Bethlehem shining. Below, while I looked, a second star formed, brilliantly, and I knew without words that it was the star of promise: If I go I will come again."

PROMISES MUCH WEALTH.

Since he began to work for his idea letters have poured in on him with offers of assistance, and to-day, a few months from the time of his beautiful vision, Arthur Greene finds himself busy with the organization of an international society, which will speedily inaugurate the great work.

Wealthy people have promised aid and incorporation papers are being prepared, which will be a guarantee by reason of the names of the signers, of honest and practical management of funds. National banks will be used for deposit, and every protection which the law of Christian nations can furnish will be thrown around the project. Entirely unsectarian in character, embracing, as it does, the dearest wishes of Catholic, Protestant and Hebrew, it is expected that this bloodless "Twentieth Century Crusade for Palestine" will accomplish what previous efforts have failed to achieve.

Governments will not be asked to act as Governments, but all the people of all the Christian nations will be welcomed into the ranks of the International Crusade. Special deputations will wait upon all Christian sovereigns and the Presidents of the United States and of France. Arrangements will be made for an interview with Pope Leo and the great leaders of thought in the world. Young Arthur Greene will himself appear in all the great cities of Europe and America, bearing the flag of the Crusade. Men and women of great prominence are already behind this work, and the officers of the chartered association will be those whose names are guarantees of probity. Mr. Greene has been requested to address the International Peace Union of Philadelphia, but declined for the present.

TO BUY PALESTINE.

Richard Gottheil, President of the American Federation of Zionists, has written to say to him that he thinks "it would be well for the Christians to buy Palestine and present it to the Jews as a recompense for 2,000 years of persecution." One of the most celebrated and picturesque lecturers in the United States has been engaged to speak to the people.

The early months of the new year will witness the formal opening of the "New Twentieth Century Crusade for the possession of Palestine." The scheme includes the restoration of its seaports, the reclaiming of arid lands and all that modern engineering and agriculture can do. Nothing so picturesque and romantic has engaged public attention since the strong arm of Uncle Sam reached out to wrest Cuba from Spain. There is this difference—all nations and all people who worship one God and believe that the divine spirit dwelt in Jesus of Nazareth will be interested in this movement. There will be no armies save those of peace; no battles save those of persuasion; no flag except the blue of Nazarene, with its white field and its two silver stars—the one of Bethlehem and one of the "Second Coming."

It remains to be seen how the modern world of commerce and money getting will receive this young crusader.

He is in earnest and has set to work in a practical manner. Personally Mr. Greene is modest and of unassuming manners. About 30, fair, with blue eyes, light hair and a slight figure, he is the exact opposite of the old crusaders. Always with him will be the large and beautiful blue flag, with the white field and two stars.

GIVE UP AMERICAN MURDERER

London Authorities Turn Over George Stone to Chicago Officers

London, Dec. 23.—George Stone, who was arrested here several weeks ago on the nominal charge of having murdered a negro in Chicago in 1893, but who is believed to have committed several other murders in Texas, was turned over to American officers today on a writ of extradition and will be taken to the United States.

ITALY HAS A SURPLUS

Excellent Showing in the Minister of Finance's Statement

Rome, Dec. 23.—The statement of Signor Carcano, Minister of Finance, issued to-day is an excellent showing. The budget for 1901-02 which included the expense of the China expedition, shows a surplus of 32,000,000 lire. The surplus for 1902-03 is estimated at 16,000,000 lire and for 1903-04 at 4,000,000 lire.

The economic development of the country, the statement says, shows progress.

U. S. OFFICERS ARRESTED

Charged With Smuggling Liquor Into Porto Rico,

San Juan, P. R., Dec. 24.—B. F. Butler, Supervisor of Elections; Commander G. W. Mentz of the United States Marine Corps and J. A. Brennan were arrested today by United States Commissioner Anderson on the charge of having smuggled sixty-four cases of liquor from St. Thomas by the United States tug Uncas and the lighthouse tender Laurel.

There will be preliminary hearings in these cases on Monday and Tuesday. All the accused were released on $2,000 bail.

The charges were preferred by Customs Inspector P. M. Mattleson. This sort of smuggling has been going on for a long time and it is alleged that other arrests will follow. The liquors were used at the Century Club, of which Mr. Butler is an officer and Brennan the steward.

A PLOT TO GRAB SOUTH AMERICA

What a Prominent American Sees in the Venezuelan Rupture

IS FAMILIAR WITH THE COUNTRY

And Has No Doubt That Germany is Putting Up a Huge Job on the United States

New York, Dec. 24.—Emory C. White, a cousin of Gov. Albert B. White of West Virginia, and for twenty years the head of a house which has extensive interests throughout South America, has just returned to this city, having been with his family in different South American countries steadily for two years.

For many years Mr. White has been regarded as an authority on South American affairs. He considers the present situation in Venezuela is ominous in the extreme. He declares that Germany's attitude toward Venezuela is part of a carefully laid plan to get a foothold somewhere in South America, and that there is no turning back until the Monroe Doctrine has been shattered.

Mr. White says that in 1896 Germany had all of South America carefully mapped, and that her line of action, in the event of hostilities, has been decided on.

She has placed Venezuela, he says, in a position where the best settlement she can make is to give Germany a mortgage on the country on which she cannot even pay the interest. Between owning the country by conquest or owning it by an irremovable mortgage, Mr. White can see little difference.

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REALISTIC GHOST DOINGS

The Reproduction of a Tragedy Interrupts a Honeymoon

Kokomo, Ind., Dec. 23.—Ghosts broke up the first day's housekeeping of a bride and groom here. Yesterday Charles Abney and bride moved into a house where murder had been committed. Three years ago Herman Schultz, a returned Spanish-American soldier, was murdered at a dance in this house by Arthur Woolford, who is now serving a prison term for the crime. Since the tragedy the house has had numerous tenants, none of whom remained longer than a few days.

Yesterday Abney and his bride moved in. To-day they moved out. Last night, soon after the couple retired to bed, the doors of the house opened and there was the noise of entering of guests. The room was filled with invisible guests. Presently a squeaky violin was heard, accompanied by the clatter of feet and the swirl and swish of skirts around the room. Voices revealed a quarrel of two men over a girl, each claiming her as a dancing partner. Then followed a pistol shot and the noise of the victim falling to the floor. The ghastly affair was a faithful reproduction of the dance and tragedy of three years ago in which the young soldier lost his life.

Schultz, the victim, was a member of Company L, 158th Indiana, Regiment. Jacob Harness, an uncle of Judge B. Harness of the Howard Superior Court, occupied the house at the time of the murder. He soon moved out, as did all other later tenants. All the neighbors certify to mysterious visitations, and frequently ghostly apparitions. Abney and his bride remained in the house but six hours.

Dresden, Saxony, Dec. 23—The Crown Princess of Saxony fled from her home on the night of Dec. 11, according to the Dresden Journal. She is said to have suddenly, in a state of intense mental excitement, deserted her family at Salzburg, and to have gone abroad.

Saxon court functions for the winter have been cancelled, including the New Year's reception.

Prince Friedrich August, Crown Prince of Saxony, was married November 21, 1891, to Princess Louise of Tuscany. They have five children.

A HORRIBLE TRAGEDY AT MIDDLEPORT, ONTARIO

Wesley Watson Instantly Killed by His Brother Had Returned Home to Spend Christmas

Brantford, Dec. 23—A horrible tragedy occurred about 9 o'clock this morning at Middleport, about 12 miles from this city, Wesley Watson being shot and instantly killed by one of his brothers. Accurate details of the awful affair are lacking, no report of it having been made to the police up to noon, but the story is a very unusual one. Two brothers, Samuel and James Watson, run the the farm near Middleport, and the third brother, Wesley, has made his home in Detroit for some time past. Last night he came home, unexpectedly, it is supposed, to spend the Christmas holidays. The brothers at home, both men over thirty years of age, heard him approaching the house, and apparently they became possessed of the fear that they were about to be attacked by burglars.

Report has it that they ran upstairs and getting out of a window went to the house of a neighbor where they spent the night. About 9 o'clock this morning they returned, armed with a shotgun. Wesley had gone into the house, and finding no one there, went to bed. When his two brothers opened the door of the room, in which he was sleeping, he raised himself in the bed. They failed to recognize him. Instantly they aimed the shotgun at him, and the contents lodged in his face, killing him instantly. The story of the terrible affair was brought to the city first by Mr. James Jamieson, who lives about half a mile from the place where the shooting occurred. It is not known yet what action will be taken.

FOR HUNGRY

Russia Has to Spend Millions to Relieve Distress

St. Petersburg, Dec. 23 —The Russian government has drawn up a comprehensive plan for feeding the people who are today in a state of semi-starvation as a result of crop failures and generally relieving the distress which is at present widespread throughout the government of European Russia and some districts of Siberia. The sum of $3,331,500 has already been expended in relief work, but further great sums will be necessary to support the people of the afflicted districts and enable them to resume farming in the spring.

MR. L. J. COSGRAVE

Well-Known Brewer Mentioned for Appointment to the Senate

Toronto, Dec. 23—Mr. Lawrence J. Cosgrave, whose name is now being canvassed for one of the vacancies in the Senate, is three weeks more than 60 years old, having been born on December 6, 1852. Mr. Cosgrave attended the Toronto Separate School, and afterwards a course in St. Michael's College. He left school when young and immediately entered the brewery which his father has established on Niagara street in 1863. He has remained in the business ever since, and became head of the concern 15 years ago. The success which attended his efforts in business are well known.

BRITISH COLUMBIA AND THE DOMINION

It Is Said that the Province Has Defined the Ottawa Government

All Over the Admission of Japs Into Who are Regarded as Bad as Chinese

Ottawa, Dec. 23.—The obstinacy of the British Columbia Government threatens to get Great Britain into dispute with Japan.

For many years past the increasing Japanese immigration has been a source of trouble to the Government and people of British Columbia. They attempted in vain to obtain legislation by the Dominion Government against the admission of Japanese immigrants. Then they legislated against it themselves, but having no constitutional authority to do so, their enactment were disallowed.

An appeal was made to England by both British Columbia and Japan, and the latter being on most friendly terms with Great Britain the decision was against British Columbia. Nevertheless the British Columbia Legislature, recently enacted a law to provide against the admission into the country of any immigrants who could not speak one European language. This was also disallowed at at Ottawa on December 5, and notice to that effect was forwarded to the Lieutenant Governor.

It now seems as if the British Columbians were determined to set the Canadian Government at defiance, for official information has been received to the effect that nineteen Japanese have been arrested and jailed in the Pacific province, under the provisions of the statute which has been disallowed.

Orders have been sent from Ottawa to Victoria, for the release of the imprisoned Japanese, and a conflict of authority is feared. The Japanese Government is understood to be in communication with Great Britain on the subject.

Railroad Employees Demand an Increase

Rat Steals $1,000—Disbanded a Regiment

New York, Dec. 23—A rat yesterday stole a one-thousand dollar bill from C. H. Landell's pharmacy, Avenue D and Thirty-second street, Bayonne. The bill was received by Mr. Landell on Friday, too late to be deposited in the bank, so he placed it in his waistcoat pocket, and made a number of his friends feel ill by showing it to them.

When he awoke yesterday the bill was gone. There was no sign of burglars and a thorough search of the store was fruitless. In the storeroom, however, the druggist saw a rat dart into a hole. While plugging up the hole he caught sight of something green, and fished out his one-thousand-dollar bill. Then his heart beat normally.

New Orleans, Dec. 23—The first Regiment of the Louisiana State National Guard has been disbanded by order of Adjutant-General Jumel for failure to comply with the laws and regulations governing the guard.

The Louisiana Guard has been in a state of disintegration for some time. The Spanish war hurt it by taking off most of the companies which entered the Volunteer service. The recent street car strike completed the wreck, as many of the soldiers refused to turn out against the strikers. One entire company of the First Regiment of Wwing Guards, resigned in a body rather than serve.

Chicago, Dec. 22—About one hundred and fifty thousand employees on the railroads running out of this city, all members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the Order of Railroad Conductors, are affected by the demand for a 20 per cent. increase in the wages of passenger and freight conductors and brakemen. The trainmen give as their reason for asking for an increase in wages the fact that trains are much heavier now than in former years, and that more hours are required to run a given number of miles. It is asserted that the work of conductors and brakemen has been almost doubled.

Sydney, C.B., Dec. 20—It was rather an amusing sight yesterday to see a number of loosely attired Celestials endeavoring to master on Wentworth Creek, the graceful art of skating. Johnnie's little feet were incased in the usual felt-soled shoe, covered with a rubber, and then the hockey skate was lashed thereto with strong cords. Just as he was prepared to make a masterly glide the little feet would become unmanageable, and after going promiscuously through the different attitudes of several Dutch rolls he would end up in a somersault as ungraceful as it was disappointing to the knight of the washtub. The exhibition was witnessed by a large number and the Chinamen seemed well pleased that their performance was attracting such attention.

CHRISTMAS MAIL BURNED

One Load Takes Fire and Only a Few Pouches Saved

Syracuse, N.Y., Dec. 24—Official report of the burning of a car load of Christmas mail enroute for the west was made here at 3.45 o'clock today by the crew of mail clerks arriving here from New York on the fast mail, No 3, on the New York Central, which left New York at 8.45. Only 30 or left New York at 8.45 Only 30 or 40 out of seven or eight hundred pouches were saved, the burned mail being for Chicago and points further west, including the Philippines and Fiji Islands. The mail was in a storage car which carried no clerks. The crew was on the car behind and discovered the fire between Peekskill and Highland. The car was left burning at the latter station.

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How the Political Slate Stands.

Now that the dates for holding the bye-elections have been fixed it will be interesting to know how how the political parties stand in Ontario.

Only three elections have been voided. One protest, East Middlesex, will be decided on Monday next, Dec. 29th, when the rota judges will determine whether Dr. Routledge, the Liberal member elect, is entitled to hold his seat.

Although the petitions in Lennox and South Oxford were dismissed by the election courts, they are not yet finally disposed of, appeals to the full court of appeal having been entered on certain specific charges, in each of which trial judges disagreed. The chief justice of the court of appeal has notified the solicitors for both sides that these cases must be heard in the above order, commencing on Wednesday, January 7, 1903, at 11 o'clock, at Osgoode Hall. Arrangements have been made to ensure a full bench. Here is how the parties stand:

Liberals	48
Conservatives	46
Vacant ridings	4
	98

North Renfrew was rendered vacant on the death of J. W. Munro shortly after his election by a Liberal majority of 250. A somewhat peculiar technicality prevents this seat from becoming legally vaided until the legislature meets. Before the riding can be officially declared open it will be necessary for two members of the legislature to notify the government, and this cannot be done until parliament opens, as, until the elected candidates are formally sworn in they are not de jure members of the provincial parliament. Both sides are of course preparing actively for their new trial of strength.

In North Grey the same candidates are again in the field, G. M. Boyd for the Conservatives, and A. G. McKay for the Liberals.

In North Norfolk the Liberals have selected Mr. A. M. Little as their candidate. Dr. Fred. S. Snider, the Conservative candidate, was elected by 30 votes in May, but was unseated by the Courts. It is expected that the election here will be close.

The last election in North Perth was very close, J. C. Monteith, Conservative, defeating John Brown by only two votes. He was unseated on scrutiny.

Archbishop Temple's Death.

Most Prominent Figure in the Anglican World Crosses the Bar

London, Dec. 23—The Most Rev. Frederick Temple, Archbishop of Canterbury and Primate of all England, who had been ill for some time past, is dead. The Archbishop passed away quite peacefully at 8.15 o'clock, in the presence of his wife and two sons. His death was anticipated for some days, and only his remarkable vitality enabled him to counteract his extreme weakness. The final collapse occurred about 6 o'clock and he was unconscious toward the end. The Prelate died of old age. The pathetic scene in Westminster Abbey at the coronation of King Edward was one of the earlier indications of his failing strength. Then came the collapse in the House of Lords at the conclusion of a vigorous speech in support of the education bill. He had not left his bed since. He will be buried at Canterbury. The Bishop of Winchester is considered likely to be his successor.

The Most Rev. Frederick Temple, D.D., LL.D., Archbishop of Canterbury and Primate of all England, was a son of Major Octavius Temple, late Governor of Sierra Leone, and was born in 1821, in Santa Maura, Ionian Islands. He was educated at Tiverton Grammar School, and at Balliol College, Oxford, where he took his B.A. degree in 1842, as a double first class. He was ordained in 1846 and was appointed Principal of the Training College at Kneller Hall in 1848. This position he resigned in 1855. In 1858 he was appointed Head Master of Rugby School, on the resignation of Dr. Goulburn. In 1860 an essay on "Education of the World" was regarded by many as covering of German rationalistic tendencies. In 1868 he strongly supported Mr. Gladstone's measure for the disestablishment of the Church of Ireland, and Mr. Gladstone nominated him for the Bishopric of Exeter. His appointment caused considerable commotion in clerical circles at the time, as the Church of England clergy had strongly supported the claims of their sister church of Ireland. His consecration was opposed by Bishop Trower, and counsel having been heard on both sides the election of Dr. Temple was confirmed by the Vicar-General. In 1861 he published his sermons preached in Rugby Chapel, in 1858-60. He was elected Brampton Lecturer at Oxford for 1883 and his lectures were on "The Relation Between Religion and Science," which were subsequently published. On the death of Dr. Jackson in January, 1885, Dr. Temple was appointed Bishop of London, and in 1896 he succeeded Archbishop Benson in the See of Canterbury. To the surprise of many, after his appointment to the See of London he was a disciplinarian and a conservative in matters affecting the standard of clerical education, and since his appointment as Archbishop he had been the champion of orthodoxy. In 1897 along with the Archbishop of York, he issued a learned and lengthy reply to the Pope's Bull on Anglican Orders. The significant motto of the reply was "Give Peace in our Time, O Lord." In 1898 in Maidstone Parish Church, when speaking on ecclesiastical matters, he said—"The sacramental is the order of the Church; the teaching must be to a large extent the voice of the individual." He married in 1876, Beatrice, daughter of the late Right Hon. W. L. Lascelles.

ALL EUROPE SAID TO BE ASTONISHED AT ENGLAND

Risk of Complications with Other Powers--Real American Objection to Roosevelt Acting as Venezuelan Arbitrator

London, Dec. 23—The Times says today editorially:—"The real American objection to President Roosevelt acting as arbitrator in the Venezuelan matter probably is the dislike of seeing him take steps involving the risk of complications with other powers. The maintenance of the Monroe doctrine must tend to involve a measure of responsibility for those upholding its doctrine which of necessity implies duties as well as rights on part of those asserting it. We do not pretend it can make the United States of America in any way responsible for the misdeeds of the South American Republics, but it does seem to us to impose moral obligations on the United States of America to see that those Republics do not profit by their own wrong doing."

Struggle Over the Presidency

London, Dec. 23—A correspondent at Athens says the King in opening the Chamber on Monday, alluded to the general unsatisfactory condition of the country, and appealed to the Chamber for the support of measures for improving the public administration, satisfying the wants of the army and navy of Greece, and developing the productive forces of the country. In his plea for support the King stated that funds would be provided for the purposes stated, by the curtailment of unnecessary expenses and efforts to conduct the Government without fresh loans or additional taxes. Before the arrival of the King a scene resulted over the disputed Presidency of the Chamber. Until the President is elected, the Presidency belongs to the oldest member. The claim of seniority was advanced by both the Delyannist and Theotokist faction. The keys of the house were in the hands of the Theotokist party last in power, who refused to surrender them. The Delyannists, in the hope of forestalling the Opposition, entered the House at daybreak through the back window, aided by the Police and fire-escape ladders. Once in possession they installed their candidate as President, and prepared to maintain him in authority. When the Chamber assembled a scuffle ensued. The Theotokists, after protesting in vain, departed before the arrival of the King.

Europe Astonished at England.

London, Dec. 23—A correspondent in Berlin today in referring to the German comments on the general hostility displayed towards Germany in connection with the difficulties in Venezuela says that so far as he can judge, the European press is not hostile to Germany, but is astonished at England's co-operation with Germany at such a juncture in such a cause. The correspondent adds that it is accepted as a cardinal fact that the maintenance of the ties uniting England and America in a relationship unparalleled in the whole world is one of the sacredest duties of the English-speaking race. It appears to be understood by the greater portion of Europe, he continues, that it would not be English to encourage any third parties to encourage any third parties to tamper with the peculiar community of sentiment uniting America and Great Britain. It is the idea, perhaps mistaken, that British statesmen have not been quite careful enough to vindicate these elementary principles which excites the most surprise.

Tolstoi is Seriously Ill.

London, Dec. 23—A St. Petersburg correspondent states that according to a telegram from the wife of Count Leo Tolstoi, that famous philosopher and author is again seriously ill. For two days he has been suffering from a severe fever. The cause of his illness at present is unknown.

SENT SEVERED HAND BY MAIL

Pension Exhibit Which Startled Representative Brown of Wisconsin

Washington, Dec. 23.—Representative Brown of Wisconsin has three hands. The third one came to him this morning through mail. When he called at the House post office for his mail the clerk handed him a small package which looked much as if it might contain a Christmas present from an admiring constituent. Mr. Brown apeared to be pleased and walked smilingly away to his committee room. There he carefully unwrapped package and to his horror and amazement found packed in a roll of cotton a human hand. The Congressman dropped the package and gave vent to an expletive.

A letter explained the matter. The hand came from one of Mr. Brown's constituents, Adam Gosbrge, who is an old soldier and wishes to have the hand exhibited as evidence before the Pension examiners. He was shot while in the army, and as a result of the injury the hand was amputated several years ago. Gosbrge has since preserved it in alcohol. Mr Brown has placed the "evidence" in cold storage.

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Mr Keilty possesses these qualifications, and while a strong labor advocate, possesses qualifications of fairness and candor that will make his appointment satisfactory to all concerned.

WEATHER NOTES

Wednesday — South and southwest gales; milder with light local sleet or snow, followed at night by northwesterly winds and turning colder.

Very rapid movements are in progress throughout the Dominion and abrupt weather changes are probable during the next few days. There are indications of a pronounced cold wave in the Northwest Territories. The weather is now fair and moderately cold in Ontario and Quebec.

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CHILD LIFE INSURANCE

Life insurance for children is a large business in Pennsylvania. The commissioner states that there are held at present risks on the lives of three million persons under the age of twelve years. In Philadelphia alone more than 240,000 infants are insured. As a result of these disclosures, a bill is to be introduced in the Pennsylvania Legislature, with the purpose of limiting this class of insurance. The measure will provide that a policy must not be issued upon a child under eight years of age. With most parents who insure the lives of their young children, the purpose is, of course, to provide for the payment of funeral exenses in case the little one should die, and that may be regarded as the nature of wise foresight, but the Pennsylvania Insurance Commissioner points out that there is always a temptation in the way of little children. The Missouri Statute, in substance, declares this clause to be without effect, and the statute is now upheld by the highest court.

It is already the rule with some of the old line companies, and will likely become the almost uniform rule not long hence, to eliminate the suicide clause as a defence against the payment of life insurance.

SOME YANKEE MINISTERS AND SANTA CLAUS

From Hamilton, Ohio, comes the startling news that Santa Claus must go. The Hamilton Ministerial Alliance, after a brilliant debate on the Christmas tree and other barbarous impositions upon Sunday school children, resolved to turn out Santa Claus.

Once upon a time there was a bull, and a very bossy bull at that. He knocked the fence of a choice vegetable garden into the garden, walked in and proceeded to partake of all the good things over-ground. The gardener rushed over to the homestead and complained to the farmer of the bull. "Turn him out! Turn him out immediately!" roared the farmer. "Nothing would please me more than to obey your order, sir," said the gardener, "but the trouble is he won't go!"

The Hamilton Ministerial Alliance is in a fix exactly similar to that of the poor gardener. It may "resolute and resolute," till the crows get gray, but it will never disturb a drum, a bugle or a doll on Santa's back or close up the top of a single chimney. Santa Claus every year will continue to bring joy to the hearts of the children, and when they are happy, what matter about the rest of us. Let the drums roll, let the bugles call, let the dolls say "Mamma," and let us all shout "Long Live Santa Claus!"

SCIENCE IN CENTRAL AFRICA

The British South Africa Company is about to expend $85,000 to give the British Association a free trip to Central Africa, that scientific body having accepted the invitation to hold its meeting in 1905 at Victoria Falls on the Zambezi River. The South Africa Company will have a hotel ready for the occasion.

A few days over forty-eight years ago Livingstone discovered these falls. With his sublime faith in the future of Africa he believed that the region thereabouts was marked for special development. He saw there the elements of material progress, such as water power, coal, abundant vegetable products, cattle and intelligent though barbarous natives. Let us see if his dream is coming true.

"I hope God will in mercy permit me to establish the Gospel somewhere in this region," he wrote from the Upper Zambezi. This very year Lewanika, the King of that country, when in London to attend the coronation of Edward VII., asked for more teachers and artisans so that all of his people may learn to read and more of them be able to build frame houses and work iron.

Not far from Victoria Falls Livingstone found the only indication of coal yet revealed in tropical Africa. The British are now preparing to mine the coal. The railroad from Cape Town and Bulwayo is, day by day drawing nearer to Victoria Falls where the South Africa Company is preparing to turn the vast water power into electricity. Livingstone was not the half-cracked enthusiast that many persons believed him to be.

England's men of science will see at Victoria Falls one of the wonders of the world. The broad Zambezi suddenly seems to vanish into the bowels of the earth. A wide crack in the hard basaltic rock was opened, ages ago, from bank to bank. Nowhere else is a great river suddenly seen wholly to disapear in a narrow, rocky chasm. At the bottom of this deep rift in the rock engulfed waters emerge through a narrow gullet on the left, which is thirty-six times narrower than the river above the falls. Any geologist would jump at the opportunity to study this remarkable freak of nature.

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DISTRICT NEWS

VILLIERS.

The following is the school report for S. S. No. 1, Otonabee, for the month of December:

Class IV.—Maggie Dickson, Jessie Havery, Garvin Shearer.

Class III., senior—Lizzie Dickson, Willie Shearer, Jennie Wood.

Class III., junior—Annie Sims, Tessie Havery, Willie Hastie.

Class II., senior—Aggie Dickson, May Robertson, May Steele.

Class II., junior—Pearl Richardson, Rena Shearer, Bessie Hastie.

Part II.—Bessie Shearer, Jimmy Fortune, Jenny Walker.

Class I.—Bella Wood, Mabel Steele and John Richardson, Stanley Walker.

Best attendance for the year: Bessie Hastie, 197 days; Lizzie Dickson, 196 days; Aggie Dickson, 196 days; W. Hastie, 196 days; T. Havery, 190 J Havery, 189 days; M. Dickson, 189 days; May Steele, 187 days; Laura Steele, 186 days.

The spelling match held at the end of the term was won by Miss Maggie Dickson.

School re-opens on January 5. A good attendance is requested on the first day.

Teacher—S. A. Smithson.

FOR THE MAYORALTY.

Card to the Electors of Peterborough

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Peterborough :

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

In response to the numerous representations which have been made to me upon the subject, personally, by requisition, and through the press, I place my services at the disposal of the public as a candidate for the Mayoralty at the approaching municipal elections.

My association with the important municipal advances which the Town has been making during recent years, will enable me to give continuity to the aggressive forward policy which the Council has sought to pursue, and to bring experience and information gained therein to bear upon the work and problems which still more immediately confront us.

While I cannot lay claim to all the qualifications which have been flatteringly ascribed to me, such capacity for the office as I do possess is cheerfully placed at your service, and I ask your sympathy and support in the effort to maintain the position and standing, and advance the welfare of our already prosperous and progressive Town.

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their sweet solicitude deepening as he answered that his arm had sustained some injury, and surgeon had found it necessary to reset it that morning.

He then hastened to present his friend, Sir Wilfrid Hale, to herself and Hilda, who had been hanging back, with a somewhat cold and indifferent air. She rallied, however, at Florence's side look of displeasure, and, coming forward, allowed the visitors to shake the slim tips of her fingers, while she answered to their inquiries that she was as well as usual, and her wrist not so very painful.

Mr. Courtenaye turned to Florence then, and preferred a somewhat surprising request:—

"I should like a private interview with your father, Miss Aylesford, if he is at home."

"With papa? Oh, certainly. John," said she, turning to a white-aproned old negro servitor, who was passing through the hall, "John, take these gentlemen's cards to my father in the library, and conduct them thither."

The "library" meant a large, airy room, with windows opening on the long piazza. It was a parlor and sitting-room also, perhaps, for only one end of it was occupied by the book-cases and desks; the other end held a small cottage piano, a pretty sewing-chair, and was ornamented with pictures, vases of flowers, and a round table, littered with fashion magazines, a little work-basket, and a few drawing materials. The visitors failed to take in these details for some time, however, so completely did their host absorb their attention.

Mr. Aylesford was a tall, spare man, perhaps fifty years old, cleanly shaven, with blue eyes and gray hair. He was dressed in simple, dark habiliments, with spotless linen, like a gentleman, and bore himself with a rather pompous air. He advanced to meet his visitors, flourishing their cards in one hand, and cordially extending the other.

"Sir Wilfrid Hale, Mr. Courtenaye," said he, with insinuating suavity, "I have the honor to welcome you to the poor abode of a reduced gentleman."

The English visitors returned this somewhat pompous salutation rather stiffly, with the proverbial reserve of Britons, and accepted the chairs the obsequious attendant placed for them. After he had quietly withdrawn, and they had briefly discussed the event of the evening before, and warmly commended Hilda's heroism, they entered upon an important business matter that had prompted their morning call.

Meanwhile Hilda had gone back to her restless tramp up and down the length of the piazza, and Florence to her rocking chair in a spasm of curiosity. There was a vast difference in the two girls both by nature and education. Florence had been given the combined advantages and disadvantages of a modern boarding-school education. Hilda had only picked up knowledge from her father's heterogeneous collection of books, with the airy daintiness and fickleness of the tiny humming-bird that flutters from flower to flower. She had absorbed some good, and perhaps some evil, in that desultory course of reading; but evil, when it touched her, was evanescent as the fleeting mists of her mountain home, and melted in the sunshine of her native purity. So their different rearing had only widened the palpable unlikeliness of the blonde and the brunette. Florence was the apt pupil of coquetry, dissimulation, and art; Hilda the frank and heedless child of nature.

"Hilda, I do wonder what they can want of papa!" exclaimed Florence, moving her chair a little nearer in the line of Hilda's weary march. "As sure as you live, Hilda, that affair of yesterday is going to make your fortune. Yes, indeed, the old man means to adopt you for his heiress, or the young one means to settle a fortune on you."

Miss Aylesford's eyes shone wide and blue with excitement. Her sister stopped, looked at her a moment, then laughed outright. She had a very musical laugh— all natural mirth sounds sweet— and the gay, incredulous chime rang out mockingly.

"Then he would be a fairy prince, would he not, Flo?" said she, and the clear, high voice, and the witching diablerie of the laugh floated through the open window to the hearing of the gentlemen, provoking a pleased smile on the lip of Sir Wilfred Hale, while his dignified friend actually glanced toward the window, as if the sound had a luring spell.

"Hilda, if he does you must give me a new piano— you will, won't you? You were always generous, though you have so little to give. And some new jewelry— I dote on handsome jewels, but poor papa has so little to spend on me. And we can travel and live in the great cities—I hate this dull, mountain home. Oh, you will be able to do so much for poor papa and me! And it will be such a pleasure to you—won't it dear?"

Florence had risen, and was walking up and down by Hilda's side, with her arm about her neck. She knew as no one else did the key-note to Hilda's nature, though she never touched it save for some wheedling, selfish purpose. The wild nature that harshness and injustice could never tame melted into sweetness at the touch of love. She turned around, with a great dew of tenderness in her large black eyes, and clasped her arms about the fair dissembler's neck.

"Florry," said she, "you know I would give you anything I have — though it is little enough, Heaven knows— when you are good to me. I would not accept anything from these gentlemen if they were kind enough to offer it to me — not a penny for myself. But if they forced it upon papa — and you know that might be easy enough with him— you might have it all freely, you and papa."

Florence turned round and kissed the smooth olive cheek so near her own— a Judas kiss, whose duplicity Hilda's innocent soul could not fathom.

"You dear, generous little soul!" said she to Hilda.

So they walked up and down, talking very amiably together, Florence building some very fine chateaux en Espagne out of very uncertain material, until Hilda took a fancy to go down and look at the gentlemen's horses, and Florence returned to her embroidery.

But in a moment a joyous laugh floated back to her, and she glanced up. Her sister was sitting in Mr. Courtenaye's saddle. She leaned over possessed herself of the straw hat of the waiting- boy, and set it jauntily back on her head.

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2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 tons of ore above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

3.—FLUX.

We are now negotiating for valuable deposits of dolomite and limestone of the most satisfactory quality, situated on the tide-water, within 100 miles of the works

MARKETS.

For six months in each year the Canadian markets can be reached by water at low freight rates, and at all times by rail. As Cape Breton is distant from Liverpool only about 2,300 miles ; is nearer to Pernambuco, Brazil, than any point in the United States, and also nearer to Cape Town, South Africa, it has the advantage, in point of distance, for export business over any American steel-producing points, which, with scarcely any exceptions, are situated some distance from tide water. Under any conditions of the world's market, it is believed that the output of these works can be disposed of at satisfactory prices.

OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows :—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows :—

	ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows :—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000 00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

If the capitalization was increased to .... $20,000,000.00 this estimate would still show a dividend-earning capacity of 10 per cent. per annum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Coal Co. is .... $20,000,000.00 earning fully 12 per cent., and is paying 8 per cent. guaranteed dividends on this enormous sum.

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REPORT BY EX-SUPERINTENDENT OF MINE

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STOCK MARKETS

A Scale System

New York, Dec. 23.—We announced in Monday's letter that we would apply the scale system of trading to Union Pacific and Southern Pacific in our Tuesday's letter, so we take up the subject as promised. These two stocks are especially good for profitable operations based on the system mentioned, owing to their usually regular fluctuations of 1-8 at a time, rising and falling in this manner with the ebb and flow of the tide of speculation. If you will note the fluctuations of these two stocks during any given period, you will observe the general fact that after movement in either direction of from two to three points they will turn in the opposite direction usually, regaining from one third to one half of the previous extreme fluctuations, even if the movement in the given direction be unfinished. To make this clear, we would say suppose Union Pacific were in the process of declining, and in two or three days trading had declined from 103 to 100, even if the downward movement were not over the stock would be likely to advance from 100 to between 101 and 101 1-2 before it fell materially below 100. The scale system which causes you to make a purchase after a two to three point decline, or to make a sale after a two to three point advance, would enable you to catch a profit of one point to a point and one half. Suppose you had a two hundred dollar account with us and were waiting an opportunity to work in this manner in Union Pacific stock. After the decline from ten per cent. to say par or par and a half, you would purchase ten shares in the market. Should the stock still decline, to say 99, you would purchase 10 shares more, if before a recovery set in the stock continued to decline you would then buy twenty shares at say 97; in four cases of five you would be able to sell the entire amount of stock thus purchased at such a price as would net you a profit upon the complete series of transactions. This admits of a steady fall in Union Pacific from 103 to 97 or six points. If you take the quotation list you will find that in four cases out of five at any given period you may select, covering any kind of market existent, Union Pacific will not move six points in either direction without once or twice moving in the opposite direction. We will continue this subject tomorrow at least to the extent of third its previous movement.

Summary—We trust our strong tip in these letters will prove beneficial to you and that you availed yourself of them. We are still bullish upon these two stocks, but as we said a few days ago we now prefer buying the A. C. P. to sugar. They are both good to purchase on reactions. The market's principal strength was centered in L. N., Reading and Illinois Central. L. N. rose nearly 3 points, then lost it. Reading was bid up to 64 5-8, while Illinois Central was in good demand, crossing 145. The market was reactory, due to profit-taking, notably in stocks which have made the best recent advances. The decline which was a small one was not unexpected. Stocks are in purchase on the reaction. Movements will be more or less small and concentrated pending the holiday, and prices will show material improvement directly after the first of the year. Money closed last loan 6 per cent. Sales 581,800.

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"Did you ever back a horse in your life?" said Mr. M. Tooby, of the Queen's Hotel, to an Irishman (who had called to have a "wee drop o' the craithur" to keep out the cold, the other morning.

Pat—"Yes, once, and only once."

"Did you win anything?"

"No, begorra; that I didn't."

"Why, how was that?"

"Well, you see, I backed the blessed baste through a shop window, and I had to pay five dollars."

Will Go to Winnipeg

The members of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Lindsay and citizens generally of that town are grieved at the announcement made yesterday by by the pastor, Rev. J. W. MacMillan, that he had decided to accept the call to St. Andrew's, Winnipeg. It is said that Mr. MacMillan will probably preach his farewell sermon early in February, and enter upon his duties in Winnipeg shortly after. Mr. MacMillan's many friends in Peterborough will also regret his departure.

TERRIBLY SUDDEN DEATH

A Fourteen Year Old Son of Mr. W. H. Gray Passes Away

The public will sympathise with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gray in the loss they have sustained through the death of their son, Harold, which sad event occurred yesterday morning. The lad who was 14 years of age, was stricken with pneumonia on Friday last, and succumbed to the terrible disease at 1.30 o'clock yesterday morning.

Of a kind and obliging disposition, Harold was a general favorite with his playmates and others, who will greatly miss his pleasant face and cheerful voice. The funeral will take place this afternoon from the family residence, 510 Water street, to the Little Lake Cemetery.

ANOTHER VICTIM OF FEVER

Death of Katie Elliott Last Night of Scarlet Fever

The citizens will deeply sympathise with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Elliott, of 100 London street, in the death of their darling little daughter Katie, who passed away last night, about 8.30, of scarlet fever, aged 8 years. This is the second death in the family from this dread disease, the first, a child three years of age, having passed away only a few days ago. Katie was a winsome child, dearly beloved by her playmates and friends, by whom her death will be deeply felt. The Times joins in extending its heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family. Another child, who took the fever, is happily out of danger.

THE COUNTY COUNCIL

Eight Out of the Ten Members Elected by Acclamation

In our issue of yesterday appeared the report of nominations for the County Council in the several electoral divisions. The following are the names of the members elect:—

E. A. Peck, barrister, Ashburnham.
Thos Johnston, farmer, Otonabee.
Geo. W. Fitzgerald, cheesebuyer, Smith.
T. M. Hunter, farmer, North Monoghan.
Robt. Shaw, lumberman, Harvey.
John Monague, lumberman, Chandos.
Richard Crowe, farmer, Dummer.
Dennis Moloney, farmer, Douro.

As stated yesterday only two members are yet to be elected, from the Fourth Division.

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Inland Wireless Telegraphy

The announcement of the successful transatlantic wireless telegraphy, by Sig. Marconi makes the question of inland telegraphy by the same method a prominent one. A company was incorporated some time ago in Canada by Marconi for this purpose. Mr. W. Barwick, of Barwick, Aylesworth, Wright & Moss, Toronto, is the solicitor for the company, and attended to its incorporation under Ontario charter for operation in the Dominion. Mr. Barwick when asked whether any thing was being done in the way of arranging for the operation of the company, said that nothing new had occurred since its incorporation. It is probably now, however, that with the perfection of the Atlantic system, the establishment of an inland system will be taken up and vigorously carried out.

CORDAGE WORKS VISITED

By Mayor and Members of the Council with Prominent Citizens

The Cordage Company's plant was visited yesterday by Mayor Denne, and members of the Council, together with several prominent citizens. The visit was in accordance with an invitation of the President who provided several sleighs in which the party drove down to the works. The party was made up as follows:—His Worship Mayor T. H. G. Denne, Aldermen R. Clinkscale, and R. Shortly, Messrs. Peter Campbell, Manager Bank of Toronto, John Crane, Manager Ontario Bank, W. H. Hogg, Manager Bank of Montreal, D. Hugh-s-Charles, Manager Canadian Bank of Commerce, R. M. Hamilton, Assistant Manager Bank of Montreal, T. F. Matthews, of the George Matthews Company, Limited. G. Fessenden, Principal Collegiate Institute, C. H. Beck, Vincent Eastwood, James English and Wm. Fair.

At the works the party was personally conducted through by Mr. Adam Hall, President, and Messrs. Holmes, Coulthard, Fowler, of the Company's staff, who were most courteous in their efforts to explain the details of the manufacture of the Company's splendid brands of twine, etc.

The visitors expressed themselves as highly pleased with the completeness of the establishment and the facilities for producing the best twine in the Dominion. It is an industry that the town may well feel proud of.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. S. Mulligan, fell on the pavement on Sunday and cracked a couple of ribs. He will be laid up for several days.

—Miss Nellie Davies, who is studying at the Toronto College of Music, is home for her Christmas holidays.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Laing, of St. Catherines, are spending the Christmas holidays with relatives in town.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reynolds, of Deloraine, Manitoba, are visiting at the latter's sister, Mrs. Joe. Batten, McDonnell street.

—Mr. Robert Preston, Bethany, and Mr. Robert Briggs, Ballyduff, were in town yesterday and dropped into The Times office.

—Messrs. John Tapson and Richard Scobell, left yesterday for Bowmanville, where they will spend Christmas.

—Miss Agar, is away on a three weeks' visit to friends in Toronto. Mrs Chas. McClelland will supply as organist at the Murray street church during her absence.

—Mr. P. Alexander, of the firm of Alexander & Miller, electricians, of Brock street, had a severe fall yesterday morning, with the result that he is confined to the house.

—Miss L. M. O'Connell, of the teaching staff of the Lyceum, Ottawa, and Miss Marguerite O'Connell, of Queen's University, Kingston, are spending their Christmas vacation at home.

—The Times had a pleasant call yesterday from Dr. Bell, the popular Clerk of Burleigh who is now a resident of Apsley. The Doctor was accompanied by Mr. Monague, the newly elected member of the County Council for the Third Electoral Division.

—The many friends of Mrs. Wm. McFarlane, of Young's Point, who has been confined at St. Joseph's Hospital for several weeks, will be pleased to learn that she has recovered sufficiently to be removed to her home on Saturday last.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The thanks of this great family journal is due, and is hereby tendered to Mr. J. M Brooks, of the Palace Hotel, for a box of choice, real Havana cigars, which came to hand yesterday.

—This took place at Lindsay:—Landlady, severely—Nora, I found three hair pins in the hash at breakfast. I hope— Nora—Faith, now, an' who'd ivir drame uv lookin' fur 'em there! Oi've been missin' 'em all mornin'. Thank you, ma'am, fur lettin' me know.'

—Preparations for the ball under the auspices of the Golf Club, are progressing satisfactorily. The music will be furnished by the band of the 57th Regiment.

—Sergt. Tom Miller, of the 1st Scot's Guards, who is in town on a visit to his parents, was in six engagements, as shown by the number of bars on his South African Medal. These battles were as follows:—Belfast, Diamond Hill Johannesburg, Driefontein, Modder River and Belmont.

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EXCURSION TO BERLIN!

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BEET SUGAR AT WHITBY

Public Meeting Favors the Enterprise—Excursion to Berlin

Whitby, Dec. 23 — The establishment of a beet sugar factory here was considered at a public meeting held here last night. Members of the County Council, which is in session were present, also a fairly representative gathering of some of the business men of the community. The opinion was that the local requirements to assure the investment of about three-quarters of a million dollars, six-sevenths of which will be supplied by New York capitalists, who Mr. F. Howard Annes has interested in the enterprise, can be satisfactorily met. It was decided to run an excursion to Berlin the first or second week in January.

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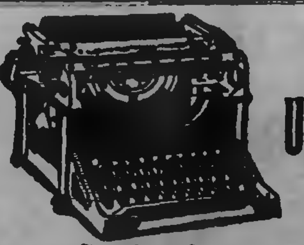
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A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year to All

THE QUEENSHIP WAS DETESTABLE

Why the Crown Princess of Saxony Left the Court

HUSBAND LOATHSOME TO HER

Charged Him With Infidelity Intemperance and Cruelty—Would Not Heed Her Mother

Dresden, Dec. 26—Further particulars regarding the flight of the Crown Princess of Saxony show that her determination to leave the Court was announced to her husband early in November, after one of their frequent violent scenes. She confided her intention to separate herself utterly from the Court and "all its wretchedness" to two or three of her intimate friends, and discussed with them the She told members of her entourage the artificial etiquette of the court, and the "forced companionship of a man who was loathsome to her." The Princess wrote to her mother at the end of November that it was her purpose to leave the Crown Prince and give up the prospect of the Queenship, which, instead of being attractive, the Princess frequently said was detestable to her. She told members of her entourage she was going to visit her parents at Salzburg. The letter of the Princess to her mother brought the Archduchess immediately to Dresden. She implored her daughter to reconsider her determination and make the best of an unpleasant situation for the sake of her children, and see as little of the Crown Prince as permissable. The Princess replied according to one of her confidants, that she would see nothing of "that beast" that the tutelage of her children was largely taken out of her hands, and that she could not bear to see them spoiled by the "hypocrites of the court."

Her Complaints

What she complained of in the Prince was his intemperance, his infidelity, and, as her parents affirm, his cruelty of disposition. They affirm that he has had for years a liaison with an actress named Basie, and it is creditably reported that at a review of troops at Grimma, a couple of years ago, the Prince fell from his horse, intoxicated, in front of his regiment. However true these incidents may be, the court and all Dresden knew that a chasm separated the affections of the Crown Princess from the Crown Prince. Although he seemingly had genuine admiration for his wife, the Prince did his share of quarrelling and often tried to impose his will upon her, but he always hoped she would in the end humble herself.

The circumstances of the Princess' flight are still obscure here. The only fact that seems clear is that the King and Crown Prince know where she is, and are in communication with her, but it is learned she is absolutely inflexible.

The man in this case who is associated by gossip with the Princess is a handsome Frenchman, who was tutor to the Princess' children. He was peremptorily discharged by order of the Crown Prince Dec. 8 The tutor has disappeared and now the Princess has disappeared. Hence, it is inferred that they are together somewhere.

The Crown Princess has a lively Viennese manner. She was independent and high-spirited and was inclined to ridicule the observances of the little Saxon court, which takes itself most seriously. The Crown Prince who has recovered from the injury he recently sustained while hunting, drove out today with two of his sons.

Vienna, Dec. 23—The flight of the Crown Princess of Saxony is the absorbing topic of the day here. All kinds of sensational reports are in circulation. When she left Salzburg, accompanied by her brother, Archduke Leopold Ferdinand, the Princess went to Munich.

Geneva, Switzerland, Dec. 23 — The Crown Princess of Saxony is here under the name of Fraulein Von Chen. Her brother, Archduke Leopold Ferdinand and Professor Giron are at the same hotel. The Archduke has assumed the name of Dubarlanio. The party are living quietly and propose to spend Christmas here.

CHRISTMAS 1902

A CHRISTMAS FABLE

With a Moral Which Our Lady Readers should Profit By

Once there was a Happy Family in Peterborough who had a Cook who was too Good to be True. Her Name was Nellie and she had come from downtrodden Europe, where Cooks had no such Rights as they enjoy in this glorious Canada of ours.

The Family used to declare that Nellie was the best single-handed, home made Biscuit artist in the Business, bar none. Her Cream of Tomatoes made an awful Hit with the Company and Dues it is Nellie was very hard to beat.

All the Members of the Household thought so much of Nellie especially when they remembered some of the Blacksmiths who had officiated at the Range that they wanted to give her a Merry Christmas. They wanted her to be satisfied with her Place and stay on forever.

Therefore it came about that each of them, when he or she went out to do his or her Christmas shopping, thought to Itself: "There is poor Nellie. She has no Relations on this side of the Water, and if I don't give her something she'll be left entirely."

So Mother gave Nellie a swell Imitation Lamb's Wool Jacket and Father bought her a Gold-filled Watch that pinned on the front. One of the Boys gave her some White Gloves and another fixed her up with a Brooch that if it had been real Turquoise would have cost $60. The Girls clubbed together and gave her a $25 Rhestine Belt with Box Plaits.

On Christmas morning the grateful Nellie came in to thank them, but she broke down and wept into the biscuits.

"It's a Cinch," said the Family. "We have her dead to Rights."

A few Days after that Nellie attended the Annual Ball given by Slavonic Pleasure Club. When she swept into the Hall room with her Rhestine, her Imitation Lamb's Wool, the Brooch, the Watch and the Gloves, she had the Upper G.G.C. Club held to a Tie, at least.

A Butcher named Johnson hung around her all Evening and soon began coming over to the House. He offered Nellie a Home and took her away.

It was Six Months before the Family found another Girl, who Could cook biscuits.

MORAL.) Give them Helpful Books.

A CITIZEN HONORED

Mr. L. D. Lebeiller will Spend the Winter in Quebec with Friends

Mr. L. D. Lebeiller has disposed of his residence on Lansdowne avenue, and he will spend the winter with relatives in Quebec. Mr. Lebeiller has resided in Peterborough for 30 years, and has been quite successful in business as a meat merchant. He has within the last year or two erected seven houses in Peterborough and has always laboured in the interests of the town. He is now taking a well deserved rest, and previous to his departure from Peterborough for the winter, he was given a hearty send-off by his friends. He was made the recipient of an address, in which they expressed the hope that he may have continued prosperity in the future.

—The Chandos Council held their last meeting on Monday, at Post's school house.

WERE AT WATERLOO

Two Women Who Witnessed the Battle of Waterloo are Still Alive

London, Dec. 23—Consequent upon the published comment that the race if Battle of Waterloo survivors on both sides who were actually combatants is absolutely extinct, an inquiry was recently made respecting reviving eyewitnesses. Among these two women have been located. Barbara Moss, who saw the battle from a British wagon, resides at Havenden, in Kent, and is 98 years old.

Madame Marie Theresa Dupois, of Chapelle-lez-Herliament, near Charlerol, is, however, a good nine years her senior, and yet far more vigorous. She is a magnificent specimen of Walloon womanhood. At the time of the famous battle she was a buxom lass of 12 and did a roaring trade in cheap cigars and ardent spirits with the French soldiers. Mme. Dupois saw the battle raging from the hills to the south and on the following day aided in comforting the wounded.

There are still living also three survivors of the historic ball on the eve of Quatre Bras—Lady de Ros and her sisters, Lady Louisa Tighe and Lady Sophie Churchill.

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A small house, furnished, containing five rooms, within five minutes walk of the Post Office, to rent for winter. Also a couple of furnished rooms. Apply at Times Bookstore.

WOMAN LED BANDITS

Carried Off $150,000 From Rich Russian Land Owner

St. Petersburg, Dec. 23—News has just reached here that the band of brigands which has been terrorising the central provinces of Russia for the past five weeks attacked the house of M. Mucielwic, a wealthy land-owner, in broad daylight, intimidated the inmates and escaped with silver, jewels and money to the value of nearly $150,000.

The report that the leaders of these desperadoes is a woman is confirmed by M. Mucielwic, who describes her as above the medium height, a daring horsewoman and a crack shot. She and her fellowers were masked, so the description goes no further. So far all efforts to capture the outlaws or to discover any clew to the identity of them have proved fruitless.

Does Your Baby Cry at Night

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Dr. Hamilton's Mandrake Pills For Headache.

THE SULTAN HAS LOST HIS HEAD

Despite the Counsel of His Chiefs He Has Given Orders to Spare No One at Taza

Tangier, Morocco, Dec. 23—The Imperial troops have been totally defeated after a sanguinary battle with the rebels, headed by the pretender to the throne. The latter decapitated forty of the Sultan's soldiers. Their heads are now adorning his tent.

Imperial reinforcements have been sent to attempt the capture of Taza, the headquarters of the Pretender. Incensed by the successes of the rebels the Sultan has ordered his soldiers to spare no one at Taza in spite of the advice of the chiefs, who counselled him not to indulge in excesses.

A Surprising Discovery

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MR. MAHOOD'S PUPILS

Remembered Him by Presenting Him with a Handsome Ring

Mr. John Mahood, teacher at School Section No. 1, Smith, was handsomely remembered at the close of the present school term. The pupils and their parents assembled at his home on Friday evening and made the presentation. Miss Jessie Swanton read the address and Miss Edith Elliott made the presentation of a very handsome ring. Mr. Mahood made a very feeling reply in which he thanked the scholars most heartily for their kindness towards him.

Brief remarks were also made by Mr. J. B. Middleton and G. A. Reid Mr. Mahood has been teacher at this section for four years and is now leaving.

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VEREGIN PACIFIES THE DOUKHOBORS

Immigration Agent Thinks His Influence Will Do Good and Quiet Fanatics

Modern John the Baptist is Found in Distant Russian Community of West

Winnipeg, Dec. 24.—"John the Baptist," the now famous Doukhobor leader, is found. The fanatical general was located in the village of Terpania, where he is in an unsettled state of mind and still imbued with the idea that the Messiah is wandering on terra firma in the vicinity of Winnipeg, calling to His true followers to leave all and follow him.

C. W. Speers, Dominion Government colonization agent, arrived here yesterday after a trip through the Saskatchewan district. The above is the gist of his story regarding the Doukhobor leader. Mr. Speers says that the man is undoubtedly "batty" and is one of those on whom Peter Veregin will have to use his influence for good, if he is vested with any. The village of Terpania has a Doukhobor population of 1,700, and of this number only seven were affected with the religious craze. They went to Yorkton and became infatuated with the insane notions in spite of all their fellow villagers could do to the contrary.

Regarding the visit of Peter Veregin, the Siberian exile, Mr. Speers said: "His influence will be great and his advent will be welcomed by the Russian communities in the west. How far he may be instrumental in persuading them to desist from or relinquish their faith I am not in a position to say. In my experience I found them rather self-willed. They only resigned their allegiance to the movement when they were suffering and disappointed by the non-fulfillment of prophecies which they believed to be infallible.

COUNSELLED FROM SIBERIA.

"I am persuaded that Veregin will do good. In many important matters relating to former movements and government they have consulted him and looked on him as a man of superior judgment. The confidence they have hitherto reposed in him will have a potent influence in bringing about peace and contentment. I believe the influence will be required with but a small minority of the people.

"Veregin spent sixteen years in the penal settlements in Siberia, where he was sent by the Russian authorities for exerting great influence over the Doukhobors. While in exile they found means of communicating with him and he has on numerous occasions advised them."

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WEDDING BELLS

Nuptials of Miss Maggie Edwards of Otonabee and Mr. Fred Doughty, Town

On Tuesday last a very pretty home wedding was solemnized at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Charles Edwards, Otonabee, when his daughter was united in marriage to Mr. Fred. Doughty, son of Mr. W. J. Doughty, Peterborough. Rev. Mr. Seccombe, of Keene, tied the nuptial knot, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends.

The bride was charmingly attired in a gown of white organdie, trimmed with lace and the customary veil, and was assisted by her cousin, Miss Beagie Edwards, who was daintily attired in a dress of pink silk, trimmed with white-over-lace, while Mr. Percy Doughty supported the groom.

After a sumptuous wedding dejeuner, the happy couple left on a honeymoon trip to western points, and on their return will take up their residence in Peterborough, where Mr. Doughty is associated in a large business with his father.

The presents were numerous and costly and showed the high esteem in which the young people are held. The groom's gift to the bride was a magnificent silver service. The Times extends its hearty congratulations.

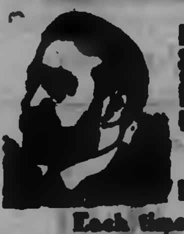
The Annual Address

The circulation of The Times has become so great throughout the town and Ashburnham, that it has been next to impossible to handle it from the office. We therefore let the contract by the year to Mr. Geo. Lawson, who has, with a number of boys, been doing the work for the past year or more. We greatly pride ourselves on the way the paper has been delivered and if our patrons feel as we do, they will remember the carrier today, when he presents his annual address.

Will Go to Winnipeg

The members of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Lindsay and citizens generally of that town are grieved at the announcement made yesterday by the pastor, Rev. J. W. MacMillan, that he had decided to accept the call to St. Andrew's, Winnipeg. It is said that Mr. MacMillan will probably preach his farewell sermon early in February, and enter upon his duties in Winnipeg shortly after. Mr. MacMillan's many friends in Peterborough will also regret his departure.

VARICOCELE AND STRICTURE



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PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 25, 1902.

ON CHRISTMAS MORN

Once in royal David's city
Stood a lowly cattle shed,
Where a mother laid her baby,
In a manger for His bed;
Mary was that mother mild.
Jesus Christ her little child.

He came down to earth from heaven,
Who is God and Lord of all,
And his shelter was a stable,
And his cradle was a stall;
With the poor and mean and lowly,
Lived on earth our Savior holy.

And through all his wondrous childhood,
He would honor, and obey,
Love, and watch the lowly maiden
In whose arms He lay;
Christian children all must be
Mild, obedient, good as He.

And our eyes shall see Him,
Through His own redeeming love;
For that child so dear and gentle
Is our Lord in heaven above;
And He leads His children on
To the place where He is gone.

Not in that poor, lowly stable,
With the oxen standing by,
We shall see Him; but in heaven,
Set at God's right hand on high;
When like stars His children crowned,
All in white shall wait around.

A CHRISTMAS SUGGESTION

It is always in order, we should think, to propose something which will add to the great happiness of the great Christmas holiday, which is supposed to be and was originally designed to be the most happy day of all the year. It is a matter of common knowledge, however, that happiness is not universal on Christmas, and there is much lack of it, in fact, where the means is not wanting to provide what is usually considered its certain basis. The truth is that there have come into the modern observance of Christmas day elements of selfishness which show the very reverse of the spirit which originally glorified the celebration. It has become a day of presents that are inspired by anything except the spirit in which the great Christ-life was given to the world upwards of two thousand years ago. In this day, these presents are given very frequently because presents are desired in return, or in return for presents already given, or from a reluctant sense of obligation, or from a spirit of pride. Giving under motives of this kind does not include blessing and cannot produce joy. Some measure of sacrifice is involved in every gift, and often the sacrifice is greater than the gift-bearer can well afford to make. If these sacrifices were unselfishly made, with a view to producing happiness, the happiness resulting from them would be greater on account of the sacrifice and its extent would be measured by the extent of the sacrifice. Unfortunately, under the selfish inspiration and motive for gift-giving, only happiness and misery result, and there seems to be more of it with each recurring Christmas.

Why should not each reader of the Times get a little, and as much more as possible, of the real joy that belongs to the day by giving at least one offering, and many more if possible, that will carry with it love and blessing? The suggestion we have to make is that every person in Peterborough pick out some worthy object of need and give to that object as Christ would have given nearly two thousand years ago—a basket of provision for a poor widow, warm clothing for needy children, a ton of coal for some unfortunate family that cannot afford to pay the high prices of this year, an overcoat for some little fellow who has to go to school half-clothed through no fault of his own, a tonic of delicacies for a sick man, a bunch of flowers for an invalid girl, a check for some beneficent institution, or even a word of encouragement and hope, if there is nothing better in stock, for the way-worn and unfortunate. It is true that there is not now so much need as usual because work has been more plentiful and wages better, but the Master spoke truly when he said, "The poor ye have always with you." At its brightest and best, the world has its unfortunates, and there is always a wide range of need of love and tenderness and sympathy. Even if this need were reduced to a minimum, a man with plenty ought still to give for his own blessing. He ought to give in recognition of his own relation of stewardship. He ought to give because every time he does give for a good purpose and out of a good motive, he becomes thereby in his own life and purposes a better man.

Why not have a sincere, old-fashioned celebration of a day that is really glorious for what it means to the human race? Why not make it a day that truly celebrates the idea and fact of our human brotherhood?

In such a celebration there would assuredly be so enlarged a measure of real happiness as to make us want to have that kind of a Christmas every day, and that kind of a Christmas every day, with its elimination of selfishness, would tighten this old world up with a glory it has never known before, and would make it entirely unnecessary to put all our talk of heaven in the future tense.

DISTRICT NEWS

CHANDOS.

—Father Phelan was in Clydale Saturday and Sunday.

—The rain on Sunday made bad roads.

—Several of the farmers are taking out timber for the Gilmore and Rathbun Companies.

—Mr. M. Scott and M. Long, who were working at Coe Hill, have returned home for Christmas.

—The Chandos Council held their last meeting on Monday, at Post's school house.

—Township Council elections are the topic of the day in Chandos. At present there will likely be opposition for the Reeveship as well as for Councillors. Mr. John Hales is spoken of as a candidate for the Reeveship. Mr. Hales is very popular in Chandos, having sat in the Council for two terms, and will likely be elected Reeve on election day.

—Mr. John Menogue, or late respected and efficient Reeve, has retired from the Township Council and will become a candidate for the County Council.

—Thomas Mahoney was the guest of Fred Hobbins on Sunday evening.

—John O'Brien was the guest of M. Hynes on Sunday.

—Mr. Fred Wilson was the guest of Mr. John Menogue on Sunday evening.

REALISTIC GHOST DOINGS

The Reproduction of a Tragedy Interrupts a Honeymoon

Kokomo, Ind., Dec. 23.—Ghosts broke up the first day's housekeeping of a bride and groom here. Yesterday Charles Abney and bride moved into a house where murder had been committed. Three years ago Herman Schultz, a returned Spanish-American soldier, was murdered at a dance in this house by Arthur Woolford, who is now serving a prison term for the crime. Since the tragedy the house has had numerous tenants, none of whom remained longer than a few days.

Yesterday Abney and his bride moved in. To-day they moved out. Last night, soon after the couple retired to bed, the doors of the house opened and there was the noise of entering of guests. The room was filled with invisible guests. Presently a squeaky violin was heard, accompanied by the clatter of feet and the swirl and swish of skirts around the room. Voices revealed a quarrel of two men over a girl, each claiming her as a dancing partner. Then followed a pistol shot and the noise of the victim falling to the floor. The ghastly affair was a faithful reproduction of the dance and tragedy of three years ago in which the young soldier lost his life.

Schultz, the victim, was a member of Company L, 158th Indiana, Regiment. Jacob Harmon, an uncle of Judge B. Harmon of the Howard Superior Court, occupied the house at the time of the murder. He soon moved out, as did all other later tenants. All the neighbors certify to mysterious visitations, and frequently ghastly apparitions. Abney and his bride remained in the house but six hours.

FOR THE MAYORALTY.

Card to the Electors of Peterborough

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

In response to the numerous representations which have been made to me upon the subject, personally, by requisition, and through the press, I place my services at the disposal of the public as a candidate for the Mayoralty at the approaching municipal elections.

My association with the important municipal advances which the Town has been making during recent years, will enable me to give continuity to the aggressive forward policy which the Council has sought to pursue, and to bring experience and information gained therein to bear upon the work and problems which still more immediately confront us.

While I cannot lay claim to all the qualifications which have been flatteringly ascribed to me, such capacity for the office as I do possess is cheerfully placed at your service, and I ask your sympathy and support in the effort to maintain the position and standing, and advance the welfare of our already prosperous and progressive Town.

Respectfully yours,

G. H. ROGER

A Lunatic Who Eats no Lunch.

A recent article in a Philadelphia periodical discusses at length the personality of George W. Perkins, the partner of J. Pierpont Morgan. Mr. Perkins, who is a comparatively young man—forty years of age—was selected for this exigent position by Pierpont Morgan for his great ability—physical as well as mental ability. His biographer says:

"He is just under six feet, powerful, takes much outdoor exercise, and eats a great deal of dinner. But he is not one of those madmen who in the middle of the day fill themselves with food which prevents their brains from acting and which the struggling brain prevents the stomach from digesting."

That a business man should abstain from "filling himself with food" at midday is indeed unusual. The belief that we all need three solid meals a day dies hard. "Food and Feeding," by Sir Henry Thompson, one of the great physicians of England, has for years been a standard on dietetics. It has gone through many editions. It is written on the generous English plan, for in England they seem to get away with larger quantities of beef and beer than the average man can assimilate. In Merry England, the traditional three meals a day are often supplemented by a hearty luncheon called "five o'clock tea," and a late supper as well. Contemplating these gastronomic feats of his British brother, the gaunt American can only regard him with unenvious admiration.

In the earlier editions of his book Sir Henry advocated "moderation." British "moderation" seems to mean feeding not more than four times a day, and not eating more than four courses for each meal. But with the flight of years, Sir Henry has modified his ideas. He no longer considers it wise for a man to fill himself full up to his neck. In the latest edition of his book he admits that a man may struggle along on three meals a day, instead of five, and still retain his health. This is a distinct concession.

Medical writers say that a well-known English physician took as his sole nutriment, during the last sixteen years of his life, three pints of milk daily. Yet on this diet he not only sustained life, but was able to perform all the duties of his arduous profession.

How suicidal this would seem to the average business man in this country, says the "Argonaut." That gentleman rises in the morning; he eats either "mush and milk," or porridge of some kind concocted of the new breakfast cereals, with thick, clotted cream; he follows this with a couple of eggs, boiled or poached, with ham or bacon; if he is really hungry, he may, perhaps, take a couple of chops; he will follow with a large cup of coffee, and top off with some buckwheat cakes and maple syrup. He goes to his office and spends a busy forenoon; at one o'clock he goes to his club or his favorite restaurant, and takes a "light lunch"; it probably includes soup, a bit of fish, an entree, and perhaps a slice of the joint; he may take a vegetable or a salad, and perhaps some dessert—say, a pudding or an ice. In the Eastern States, if he lives in the Great Pie Belt, he finishes his lunch with pie. In the darker parts of the New England Pie Zone, pie is eaten for breakfast.

With this mysterious mass of viands under his belt, the business man goes back to his office and endeavors to labor. But mental labor is difficult when so much digestive labor is thrown upon his system. He returns to his home at nightfall with a partially digested luncheon, and there partakes of a heavy dinner. Dinner is the meal of the day. If he is a prosperous person, it will consist of at least soup, fish, entree, vegetables, joint, and dessert. He may take a little red wine with his dinner, and if he and his wife have an anniversary or a birthday, he will add to it a little champagne. Then he retires to his couch, and has bad dreams. He wonders why.

Pierpont Morgan's partner, who skips luncheon in the middle of the day, would doubtless be looked upon with horror by most business men. If the average business man confined his luncheon to a glass of milk and a biscuit, his partner would ask him if he was "not feeling well," while his wife, if she knew it, would grow seriously alarmed, and send for the doctor. So the business man on this continent goes on eating three square meals a day, and digging his grave with his teeth.

Justice Mixed With Humor.

In a small town in the United States lives an elderly German, who, because of the high esteem in which he is held in the community, has been elected justice of the peace. The old gentleman was recently called upon to decide a most perplexing question.

One of his neighbors is the possessor of a dog. The dog, although not actually vicious, delights in running out of the gate and barking savagely at passers-by. This had been the source of great annoyance to the neighbors, especially to one, who vowed to get even with "the pesky critter." Recently this neighbor was returning from a shooting trip, gun in hand. He was set upon by the dog, whereupon he raised his weapon and fired at the brute. His aim was not very good, and the dog ran yelping, minus his caudal appendage.

The owner of the dog had his neighbor haled before the old justice on a charge of cruelty to animals, and the court-room was crowded with the partisans of both men. The justice heard the charge, and then the defence that the dog was a dangerous animal and a menace to the neighborhood. The old German thereupon cleared his throat and delivered the dictum:

"Der man—he has been guilty of gruelty to animals." And one side of the court-room applauded the justice of the decision.

"But der tog—he was a vicious tog." And the other side voiced its approval.

"I will fine der man five tollars." Another murmur in the court-room.

"But I will gif him anodder shot at der tog." And both sides cheered.

To dress really well one needs a little more than one has.

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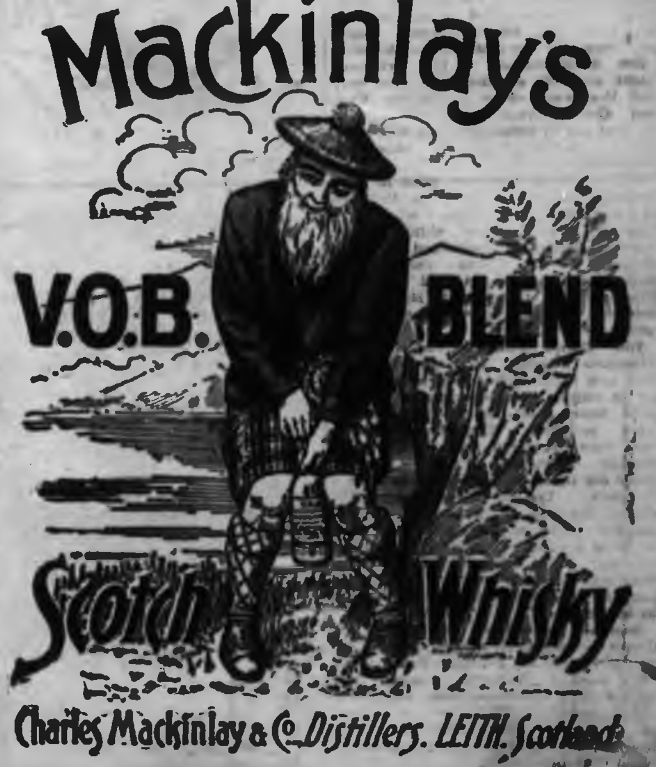
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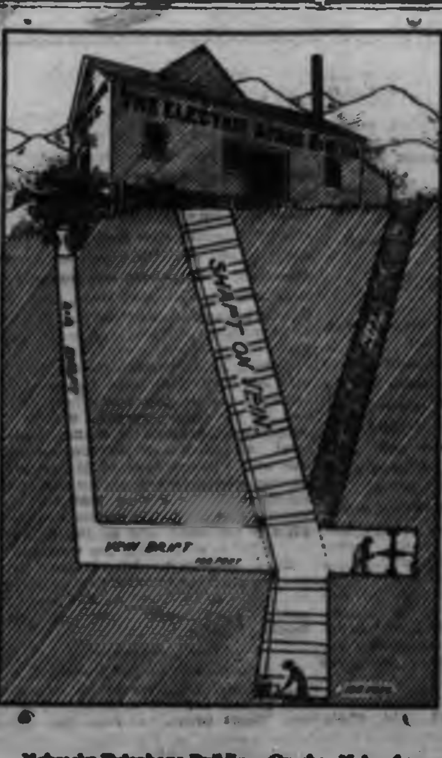

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"These are very fine horses," she cried. "I mean to try the mettle of the bay one. Only a half-mile, Flo, and back again in a minute. It cannot hurt my wrist;" and she was off like the wind, a willful, disobedient elf.

The gentlemen were waiting for her when she rode back, Mr. Courtenaye's tall head bent over Florence, as she aired the gushing coquetries of a fresh boarding-school miss for his delectation. Sir Wilfred stood by his horse, talking to Mr. Aylesford, and Hilda was surprised to see her father draw his handkerchief over his eyes in a somewhat affected way.

"This has been too much for me," she heard him say, in a subdued voice. "The revival of old memories, the suddenness of the change, unnerves me; but I will duly prepare the child for the separation, and to-morrow I will present you to the heiress."

"Florence was right. Sir Wilfred means to adopt me," thought Hilda, in such a plight that she forgot to apologize for taking the horse—forgot to wish the gentlemen good-morning, even—but ran away up stairs to her own room, buried her hot face in the pillows, and would not even look up at Florence when she followed her.

"Papa would not tell me a word, Hilda," said she, poutingly; "but he is in great excitement over something, and says he will tell us this evening the business on which the gentlemen called."

That day was a long one to both the girls; long to Florence because of her consuming anxiety, and to Hilda because of her painful wrist, and the irksome confinement indoors, coupled with a little nervous dread of what was coming. It waned to a close at last, however, and after tea Mr. Aylesford summoned his expectant daughters to the library, closed the door, and, with a mysterious air, began the promised revelation.

CHAPTER IV.

A Strange Story.

"Most delicately, hour by hour,
He canvassed human mysteries,
And trod on silk as if the winds
Blew his own praises in his eyes."
—Alfred Tennyson.

"Florence, my love," Mr. Aylesford commenced, "whose picture is that which you wear around your neck?"

Florence's fingers were idly toying with a pearl-studded locket worn about her throat on a black velvet ribbon. She answered at once, in some surprise:

"That of my Uncle Guy Aylesford, who died in my infancy."

"And you, Hilda?" said he.

She wore a locket, also, that was the exact counterpart of her sister's, and at her father's words she touched the spring and looked at the lovely face it revealed with a sort of loving pride.

"My Uncle Guy's wife," she answered, simply.

"I have never spoken to either of you, my dears, of Guy Aylesford, beyond the mere fact that he once existed," said Mr. Aylesford. "I must speak more fully of him now."

He paused, cleared his throat affectedly, drew his handkerchief across his eyes, and continued:

"I was my father's only child, the dying legacy of my young mother, until father married, twelve years later, the wealthy young widow of a cousin of his, also named Aylesford. The beautiful widow had a son, also, by her first husband—a boy of two years, named Guy—your uncle, my children, but not a blood relation, as you see—only akin by marriage."

"But, papa, what has this story to do with the Englishmen's visit this morning?" exclaimed Florence, somewhat impatiently.

Mr. Aylesford frowned at this interruption.

"I shall come to that in good time," said he, pompously. "You will kindly permit me, Florence, to continue my story in my own way."

Florence flushed angrily, but said no more, and the gentleman went on:

"No children were born of that marriage, and ten years later both my father and step-mother died of a malarial fever in the Southern city where they then resided, leaving me the guardianship of the boy, Guy, who was then at college. He, of course, inherited the whole of his mother's property, which was quite considerable. I was then twenty-two years of age, had received a mercantile instead of a college education, and was engaged in a growing and prosperous business with my father. His death left me at the head of the firm, and I did my best to manage my money and that of Guy (which was mostly invested in our firm), to the best advantage. Within a year of Guy's majority, he graduated, and with my sanction went abroad for a foreign tour. He was young, brilliant, exceedingly handsome, and I allowed him a generous supply of money. He obtained an entree into the best society abroad, and in a year eloped with the youngest daughter of an earl, who disowned and disinherited her for her disobedience."

Mr. Aylesford paused and remained silent a few minutes, as though lost in some painful retrospection. His listeners waited impatiently, Hilda's dark eyes beaming with interest.

"The youthful husband and wife traveled over Europe ten months," resumed Mr. Aylesford; "then Guy brought his prize home to America, and demanded from me, in his hasty and impetuous fashion, an immediate settlement of his claims against the firm, as he was then of age, and wished to have the exclusive control of his money. Alas! a great financial crash within the week had consumed his whole investments like a devouring flame, and left him penniless. I had to tell him the truth, but I was not prepared for the wild burst of rage with which he received my ill news. He accused me of villainy and theft. He would not believe my assertions, refused to accept my proofs, but swore that I had defrauded him of his birthright, and appropriated it to my own uses."

Again Mr. Aylesford paused, sighed heavily, and resumed his story, but it was noticeable that he avoided the eyes of his listeners, and looked away out of the window, as he continued:—

"We were alone in my private office at the store, and from abusive language Guy Aylesford proceeded to blows. Seizing some great, heavy implement lying near, he dealt me a blow on the head that felled me senseless to the floor, and thinking, I suppose, that he had killed me, he fled through the open window."

"The wretch!" exclaimed Florence, with a shudder.

"When I came to myself," said Mr. Aylesford, in the tone of a martyr, "my clerks were gathered around trying to restore life in me. My first inquiry was for my would-be murderer, and I learned that he had escaped. I would gladly have shielded his name from obloquy, but it was too late. The city and country rang with the story, and public execration crowned his name. His lovely young wife went into the wildest hysterics on hearing the news, and that night, amid her wild ravings of agony, a little girl was born to the dishonored name of Guy Aylesford. But his wretched wife never knew that she had a child! She went mad from its birth, and was so very violent that we were forced to confine her in a lunatic asylum. A few months later her shattered mind and broken heart found rest—in the grave!"

The speaker paused and bent his head upon his hand in apparent deep emotion. When he lifted his head again he looked at Hilda curiously from under his drooping lashes. She was strangely affected by his tragic story. Her face had grown very pale, her dark eyes beamed with interest, and two unconscious tears were rolling down her cheeks.

"What became of the child, papa?" asked Florence, carelessly.

"My wife took the little one," said Mr. Aylesford. "We had several children of our own to love, and we adopted this one into the tender brood as one of our own. Years later, when cruel death had taken all but one of our own children, we were glad, indeed, that we had kept the poor homeless little orphan as a companion for our sole remaining girl, though misfortunes overtook and impoverished us. No one in the country, to which we removed later, and where my wife died, ever knew that the daughter of poor Guy was not our own by the tie of blood as well as of affection. But you understand now, my dears, that only one of you is my daughter—one of you is the child of the man and woman whose pictures you have worn around your necks from childhood!"

Both girls sprang to their feet, and stood gazing at Mr. Aylesford, as if stunned by the suddenness of the revelation. At length Florence found her voice.

"Papa!" she exclaimed, excitedly, clinging round his arm, and looking beseechingly up at him, "which child am I?"

"Oh, Heaven!" breathed Hilda, clinging to a chair, with half-closed eyes and parted lips, like one about to faint.

Mr. Aylesford shook his head as he looked at them both.

"You must wait a little, my dears," he said, in a voice apparently broken with emotion. "I will keep the secret until to-morrow. I want to call you both my daughters until then."

"Oh, I hope I am not the child of that bad and wicked man!" exclaimed Florence, passionately.

Mr. Aylesford looked at her affectionately.

"I have told you only the dark side of the story yet," said he. "There is a reverse to it. The proud Earl of Devon—the grandfather of one of you, my dears—has been bereaved of his remaining children and their descendants by the relentless power of death. He is alone in his old age, with none to succeed him save distant relatives, and has at last forgiven poor Guy's wife, and commissioned his friend, Mr. Courtenaye, to seek her and restore her to her father's arms. It is too late for her, poor creature! but Mr. Courtenaye assures me that the earl is ready to give her child the place in his heart once filled by her mother."

"The granddaughter of an earl!" exclaimed Florence, clasping her hands in rapture. "Oh! that makes a vast deal of difference. I hope—I hope it is I!"

Hilda said nothing. She still clung to the back of the chair, listening eagerly to Mr. Aylesford, but smiled a little as Florence turned toward her with the question:

"Don't you wish it might be you, Hilda?"

"Yes, I wish so," she answered, frankly and simply.

"But I am going to be the one!" cried Florence, in sudden passionate excitement. "I feel it here!" laying her hand on her breast; "I feel that I am the lonely orphan of that most unfortunate young pair. Is it not so, papa?" she cried, appealingly.

Mr. Aylesford stood still, without looking at either. He seemed troubled, agitated, absorbed in some perplexing thought.

"To-morrow!" he answered to Florence's eager urging. "Wait until to-morrow, my dear, impatient children. Our English visitors will return in the morning, and I will then present to them the granddaughter of the Earl of Devon."

Florence pleaded, but she could not shake his resolution. He would not reveal the secret yet, and both girls went away to their rooms, to toss all night upon sleepless pillows.

CHAPTER V.

My Lady.

"Cecil, mon ami, I presume there can be no question as to which of Mr. Aylesford's daughters you would prefer as the earl's granddaughter?"

The soft September sunshine sifted goldenly down through the overhanging branches of the trees that shadowed the leaf-strewn mountain road, where our two English friends were riding on horseback toward the home of Mr. Aylesford.

Sir Wilfred Hale's remark, made half in jest, yet with a spice of earnest, elicited no reply for an instant, save for a momentary shade of unaccountable annoyance that overspread the blonde features of handsome Cecil Courtenaye.

He turned hastily as Sir Wilfred repeated the query that was half an assertion.

"I do not know why you should take so much for granted," he said, with an air of hauteur that was rather becoming than otherwise to his finely molded and aristocratic features. "I am not conscious of having indicated any preference of either."

"And yet," said Sir Wilfred, laughing, "though you disclaim having indicated a preference, you have betrayed it to me in what I may call a negative way."

"Explain yourself," said the young man, and his friend wondered at the petulance of the tone in which the words were spoken.

"You remember our conversation the day before yesterday, Cecil, when Hilda Aylesford was climbing the cliff? You know you thought she was unwomanly—nay, you even disclaimed all prettiness in her, and vowed she must be the descendant of some sturdy old North American Indian. Of course I know that such a girl could not be your choice for Lord Devon's heiress. Quite naturally, then, I deduct the inference that your preference is given to the 'fair one with the golden locks.'"

Cecil Courtenaye flicked away a stray fly from his horse's ears, turning his face quite away from his friend's view to hide the sudden flush that rose over his cheek.

"Yes, I said some very rude things then I know," he answered constrainedly, "but that was before Hilda Aylesford saved my life, remember."

"You wish to intimate that circumstances alter cases," said Sir Wilfred, pleasantly.

"Something like that," was the answer, given half reluctantly.

"I am glad to hear you admit it," Sir Wilfred exclaimed, heartily. "To my mind the little dark-eyed Hilda is worth twenty of the other girl, with her airs and graces."

"And yet," said Cecil Courtenaye, with a slight laugh at his friend's frankness, "we cannot but admit, mon ami, that Miss Florence would do the honors as the earl's granddaughter far more gracefully than the brusque, uncultured little rustic, Hilda."

"That may be your opinion, Cecil, but I am far from admitting it. We have seen Florence at her best, but Hilda only at her worst, barring the dauntless heroism of the act by which she saved your life. She heard your uncharitable opinion of her that day, and I can see that she takes a malicious pleasure in appearing rude and ungracious in your eyes."

"It may be so," said Cecil, with a slight air of chagrin, while an almost inaudible sigh drifted across his lips.

"I am sure it is so," said Sir Wilfred. "She dislikes you, and shows her mind quite candidly. I admit that I admire her all the more for that frank exhibition of womanly spirit. But 'pon honor, Cecil, should she prove to be the earl's granddaughter, a few years of culture will make of the 'little rustic' a woman so beautiful and spirited that you may possibly repent having earned her scorn."

Cecil did not answer, save by a quickly suppressed sigh. Perhaps he repented it already.

Sir Wilfred glanced at him curiously, but could make nothing of his calm, composed countenance. He wore his usual expression of gravity, commingled with slight hauteur, and showed no sign of what was passing in his mind.

"One hardly knows what to think of the fellow," Sir Wilfred said, to himself, with a slight shrug of the shoulders. "Does he like Florence, or Hilda, best, I wonder! Well, it would be hard to say. He is noncommittal on the subject. Yet I should think him a dused prig if he liked that vain little Florence the best. Why, her whole soul is not bigger than a butterfly's."

With this brief summary of the beauty's worth, the Englishmen rode on in silence, until an abrupt turn in the road brought them out upon the level plateau upon which Mr. Aylesford's house was situated, and they saw that gentleman sitting out on the piazza, and the two girls strolling about the large, grassy yard under the shade of the trees.

"A pretty picture!" exclaimed Sir Wilfred, involuntarily, as they reined in their horses.

It was a pretty picture, as he said. Both girls were dressed in white, and their snowy robes contrasted exquisitely with the green grass and the brilliant colors of the autumn flowers that bloomed luxuriantly around them.

Florence stood beside a late-blooming rose-bush, her white arms half lifted toward a bud at the top, the loose white sleeves falling back and revealing their rounded contour and the pretty gold bracelets that encircled them. Her golden hair was arranged on the top of her head in a mass of elaborate puffs and braids, and pale blue satin ribbons fluttered here and there among the frills and laces of her white robe.

She looked very sweet and innocent in that graceful attitude, with smiles curving her red lips and a gentle welcome shining in her blue eyes, and neither of the gentlemen was blind to the fact of her beauty and grace; but their eyes rested on her only a moment, then turned to Hilda, as she stood beneath a tall, stately tree, with the bright autumn leaves fluttering down about her and tangling themselves in the long dark tresses that floated loosely to her waist, free and unconfined, save for a narrow band of scarlet ribbon. Her dress was white, but simple in make and material and she wore no ornament, save the gold locket on the velvet band at her throat.

Florence's sunny, welcoming smile had no reflection on Hilda's face. Her thin, childish features were tinged with an unwonted gravity, and her large black eyes sparkled with excitement and expectancy.

Thus they stood, the blonde and the brunette—Florence smiling and beautiful, with a stray sunbeam shining on her golden hair; Hilda, pale and quiet, with that half-pathetic gravity about her, and the melancholy autumn leaves falling down in her hair and dress.

Mr. Aylesford laid aside the book he was reading, and went down the graveled path to meet his visitors. Florence, perceiving the movement, fluttered to his side and linked her arm in his; but Hilda, either through haughtiness or timidity, remained motionless in her place. Her dark eyes regarded them attentively, but that was the only sign by which she recognized their presence. She was swayed by some strong excitement, her form trembled, her cheek paled, and her slim, brown fingers played nervously with the pearl-studded locket at her throat; but from the slight distance between her and the others, she appeared quite self-possessed and indifferent.

Mr. Aylesford glanced toward her with a slight, nervous cough, then, drawing Florence's hand more fondly in his arm, walking on down the path.

Greetings were formally exchanged; then Mr. Aylesford took Florence by the hand, and said, proudly:

"Sir Wilfred Hale, and you, Mr. Courtenaye, it gives me much pleasure to present to you Lady Florence, the granddaughter of the Earl of Devon."

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These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 tons above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

3.—FLUX.

We are now negotiating for valuable deposits of dolomite and limestone of the most satisfactory quality, situated on the tide-water, within 100 miles of the works

MARKETS.

For six months in each year the Canadian markets can be reached by water at low freight rates, and at all times by rail. As Cape Breton is distant from Liverpool only about 2,300 miles; is nearer to Pernambuco, Brazil, than any point in the United States, and also nearer to Cape Town, South Africa, it has the advantage, in point of distance, for export business over any American steel-producing points, which, with scarcely any exceptions, are situated some distance from tide water Under any conditions of the world's market, it is believed that the output of these works can be disposed of at satisfactory prices.

OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows:—

	ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6⅔ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

If the capitalization was increased to .... $20,000,000.00 this estimate would still show a dividend-earning capacity of 10 per cent. per annum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Coal Co. is .... $20,000,000.00 earning fully 12 per cent., and is paying 8 per cent. guaranteed dividends on this enormous sum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co. is...... $28,000,000.00 on which it is believed 6 per cent. dividends will be earned.

The capitalization of the Canadian Steel & Coal Company is only $6,000,000.00 controlling, it is believed, equally valuable properties, and it is reasonable to expect much larger dividends.

Within the last few months Dominion Coal shares common rose in market value from $40 to $144 per share, and Dominion Iron & Steel Company's share common rose over $30 per share in market value.

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REPORT BY EX-SUPERINTENDENT OF MINE

Cecil R. Gold Mining and Milling Co., Los Angeles, California.

Ballarat, Cal., Nov. 1st, 1902.

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The "Santa Rosa" group, which is located southeast of Ballarat some three and a half miles, consists of twelve claims, equal to 240 acres. The ledge crops out more or less the full length of these claims, showing the same character and formation of work as where development work has been done. In most of the outcroppings it shows highly mineralized rock, with pyrites of iron, mica, schist, slate, slate porphyry, gouge, quartz and quartzite, all bearing more or less. Where work has been done, it shows a very marked improvement in both quantity and quality of gold-bearing rock. Commencing with the surface, the ore shows much iron and copper stain. All mill tests show rich ore commencing with the surface; in fact, I milled for several days and recovered $30 and over per ton, yet the milling process does not pay more than two-thirds of the value of the ore, the tailings ofttimes running as high as $25 per ton, and never less than $12.50. To save the entire value of your ore it will be necessary to install either concentrators or a cyanide plant. From careful study and frequent examination of the surface of the ground, and down as far as has been opened below the surface, I am highly pleased with the property. It is certainly a fine property, and as good as any I have ever had the pleasure of examining. Considering your mill site, with tramway facilities added, water, fuel, and cheapness of mining the ore, the Cecil R. will be capable of paying enormous dividends when your capacity for milling is increased to what it ought to be.

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The Washington "Star," a paper almost unknown in Europe, has the glory of possessing the finest newspaper office in North America. The "Star" is remarkable for three things. First, it has only a circulation of 35,000 a day; secondly, it publishes no Sunday edition; and thirdly, although its circulation is comparatively insignificant, it has so many advertisements as to stand among the few dailies at the top of the advertising field. Instead of a Sunday paper, it publishes a Saturday magazine supplement. Although it has so small a circulation, it has made sufficient profit to build a much finer newspaper office than anything to be seen in New York. It is, indeed, according to a writer in "Caxton's Magazine," one of the finest public buildings on earth. It is built of smooth-faced marble in the French Renaissance style; it is nine stories high, and the only office with which he can compare it is the marble palace of the "Herald" buildings in New York. From attic to basement everything is marble. The entrance hall is a lofty marble chamber, elaborately carved, and with abundant bronze work. Round the walls are a series of seven symbolical frescoes painted by Mr. Dealman, who painted many of the frescoes in the Washington Library. Four of them symbolize the day's history, news-gathering, the editorial function, and advertising. The proprietorial consulting-room is fitted up as an old Dutch sitting-room 200 years old. In every room it is the same. Mosaic floors, marble pillars and fine bronze work, silver shower baths, explain how it is that this edifice is said to be the most costly office-building in the world. The newsboys are as carefully studied as the editors. The compositors have quarters which a merchant prince in London might envy. Every comp. has his own cupboard, and is provided with shower and other baths. Even the lavatories have mosaic floors, plated pipes and marble walls. Once a printer enters the "Star" office he regards himself as settled for life so long as he keeps up to his work. He is cared for when sick, and pensioned when old. In the proprietor's opinion the expenditure on the details necessary to enable comps. to keep themselves clean and comfortable is well-invested money. The composing-room is, for daintiness of detail, more like a lady's boudoir than a printing room. Yet it is a place where very solid and smart work is done. An elaborate system of pneumatic tubes reduces speaking and writing to a minimum. Every reporter has a roll-top desk, a swinging chair, and a Remington typewriter. There is a club on the premises for the benefit of the staff.

Historic Last Words.

At my entrance, Caxton turned from a large tome which he was reading, with a slight air of interruption.

"Sorry to interrupt you," I apologized.

"Oh, I suppose that's all right," he responded with returning cordiality. "In fact, I'm rather glad you've happened in, as I want to voice a kick which has occurred to me from reading this book."

"Just what is your author?" I asked.

"Why, it's a collection of deathbed utterances made by some ingenious hack. He's patiently ferreted out all the last words of history. And I tell you the way they all affect me. All these final speeches are shot through with egotism. It is strange that when a man is about to step out into the infinite his thought should only be of himself and his own petty part in the world drama. Words from a deathbed have weight. It is a pity that all on record should be tainted with conceit. The pronoun of the first person infects all dying utterances.

"'We have this day kindled a fire,' say the dissenting martyrs. Nathan Hale irritates us with his 'I regret I have only one life.'

"'Roll up the map of Europe,' are Pitt's last, and the colossal conceit of them is not to be surpassed. It is strange that in the moment of supreme vision all sense of perspective should be lost. Why should all the swan songs of literature and history focus attention on the singer?"—N. Y. "Tribune."

A Missionary Story.

A missionary returned from Equatorial Africa told this story at a club the other night:

In this man's territory there was a chief who had resisted every appeal to make him a Christian. He was the biggest man in a sort of confederation of savage tribes, and the missionary knew that if the big chief were once converted the effect would be felt by every native within fifty miles. So the missionary kept after him month in and month out, in face of every kind of indifference and rebuff.

At the end of two years the missionary was all but ready to give up, when one day the miracle came to pass—the big chief's heart was touched by the truths of Christianity. The missionary redoubled his efforts, and in two months more the big chief offered himself for baptism.

It looked like a great victory won, until, in examining the new convert, the missionary discovered that according to the chiefly prerogative he had two wives. The missionary expressed his horror, indignation and grief to the chief.

He explained to him how the state of polygamy was a barrier to anyone who wished to become a Christian. Then he prayed with him, and the chief departed, weeping over his unfitness.

But a month later he came again, joyous, devout, and, throwing himself at the missionary's feet, asked for baptism.

"My brother," said the missionary, "I cannot baptize you while you are the husband of two wives."

"No two wives, just one wife now," said the chief.

The missionary raised him to his feet. Here was the true penitent.

"My brother," said the missionary, "you make my heart glad. And what did you do with your second wife?"

"Um," answered the chief. "She no good; me want be Kistian; me eat her."

It Was Hot.

Visitor (to Nebraska farmer)—It has been pretty hot out here this summer, has it not? Farmer—Hot? Well, rather. Why, we even had to put ice in the pond to keep the ducks from laying hard-boiled eggs.—"Judge."

Curious Bits of News.

General Booth has recently acquired thirty thousand acres of land in Western Australia, where he will establish a great Salvation Army agricultural and industrial colony, which he will populate from the London slums.

M. Berthelot expresses the opinion, in the Paris "Temps," that the time will come when chemists will be able to prepare more digestible and nutritious foods than we now derive from the animal and vegetable world directly; but he does not believe that it will be possible, as some suppose, to concentrate nutriment enough for a meal into a few capsules.

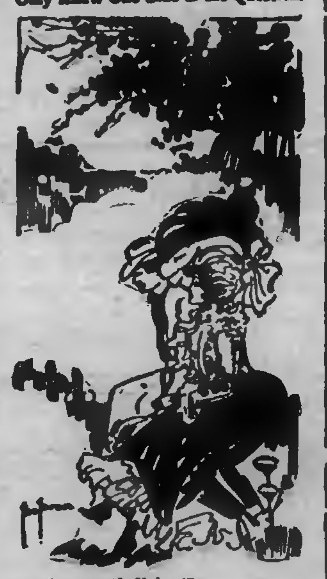
Over one-half of the total length of the Cape to Cairo railroad has already been built. Rails have been laid from Cape Town to a point within 200 miles of the banks of the Zambesi, a distance of 1,500 miles, and from Cairo to the junction of the Blue and White Nile, 1,400 miles from that city. The gap between the two terminals yet to be filled is 2,800 miles. The Bulawayo-Beira Railway, 500 miles in length, joins the system with the port of Mombasa on the eastern seaboard.

A woman of Elizabeth, N.J., has a poodle with a diamond set in one of its front teeth, and all over the country there are dogs and cats whose open mouths reveal bridge work, gold crowns and other examples of good dentistry. But the filling of the teeth of horses is comparatively new. Yet, new as it is, already a number of thoroughbreds have undergone it, and in the finer stables of New York, Philadelphia and Chicago many horses can show glittering gold teeth. It is said that a horse in W. C. Whitney's stables was the first in the world to have a tooth filled.

A London physician of large practice asserts that, owing to his extremely sensitive sense of smell, he can foretell the coming of death forty-eight hours. He says that when a patient comes within two days of death a peculiar earthy smell is emitted from the body. When the fatal disease is slow in its progress the odor makes its appearance as much as three days beforehand; but when the disease is of the galloping kind the doctor says he receives much shorter warning. He attributes the smell to mortification, which begins within the body before life is extinct. Dogs are thought to have this sense, for hunting hounds have been observed to begin a mournful baying a day or two before their masters died.

A "sweethearts' trust" has been organized by the young women of Fremont, Neb., and as a result there is consternation among the men. The new "trust" is known as the Young Women's Reform Union, and Miss Elizabeth MacKenzie is at its head. Hereafter, if a man who is known to them is seen entering a saloon or is caught doing anything against the moral code of the trust, he will be immediately blacklisted by his fair associates; that is, his best girl will refuse to have anything to do with him unless he immediately mends his ways. He will also be barred from parties, and will be snubbed if he meets any of the members of the union on the street. Thus far the union has been getting along with remarkable success. It has been in existence only a few weeks, yet in that time a dozen men classed as moral delinquents have been outdoing themselves in their efforts to have the blacklist against them removed. The club was formed as the result of a revival meeting held there recently by the Rev. Mr. Williams, who hurled his entire vocabulary at saloons and drinking men.

Only Knew One Side of the Question.



"Is life worth living?"
"Never having died, I cannot say."

Caught on the Fly.

Brevity may be the soul of wit, but a story published in the New York "Tribune" shows that some men can be both long-winded and witty. The story has to do with a minister of the old school, and with the poet and banker, Edmund Clarence Stedman, and two New York millionaires, who were his companions on a fishing trip in Northern Maine.

The New Yorkers entered the little backwoods meeting-house just as the preacher began his sermon. He continued speaking for two hours, and finally, when it got late in the afternoon, and he showed no sign of stopping, the vacationists began to get uneasy and wonder if they would get out of the woods before dark. At last they felt that they could stay no longer, so they rose, and started to file out.

The thread of the parson's discourse snapped off short.

"Under the circumstances," he said, grimly, "we will interrupt our sermon and take up the collection at this point."

Inflected English.

While he was being shown about Chicago by the mayor of the city, the French ambassador, Monsieur Cambon, expressed his thanks, says the New York "Times," and added:

"But I am sorry so to cockroach on your time."

"Oh," answered the mayor, "don't think of that. But you don't mean cockroach, Monsieur Cambon; it's encroach you mean."

"Oh, is it? I see—a difference in gender."

Don't Be Too Modest.

Here is some advice for those who would succeed and yet are in doubt as to the wisdom of being too aggressive:

Advertise yourself. Life is a keen competition and it behooves every man to put his best foot forward and to flaunt his merits in the public eye. The modesty of greatness is all trash. There is no such thing. Greatness knows the necessity of holding the center of the stage as much as possible and seldom overlooks an opportunity to do so. The man who has in him all the elements that make success asserts himself on every occasion. In every company he does something to focus attention on himself for a while. He strives to make an impression so that he will be noticed and talked about. He is aware that the public memory is short and that the world must be reminded continually of the existence of its celebrities.

A young lawyer, by nature modest and retiring, made up his mind six months ago that modesty did not pay. He was conscious of his ability, but his light was hidden. He saw men of less mind and learning making their way better than he, and he resolved to imitate them and push himself forward. He joined half a dozen organizations, including two fraternal orders, a church society, a social club, a camera club and a political club. He attended every meeting and spoke on every question. Having thrown off his natural diffidence he expressed very positive opinions in a very loud voice. He had been in the habit of using an ordinary conversational tone in speaking, but at the birth of his great resolve he pitched his voice several tones higher and kept it at that pitch. He became disputatious and intolerant in debate. He took a front seat always and ceased to feel humiliated when rebuked for going too far and not minding his own business. He rather relished a quarrel, for it caused talk and spread his name among the people. He developed a marvelous ingenuity for getting his name into print. Whenever he commenced an action at law he went after the reporters and told them all about it. Whenever he made a speech he sent a copy of it to all the newspapers. He counted that week lost in which he was not mentioned once or twice by the press.

This work has told. While a few sneer at him the great majority take him at his own valuation. The front seat, to get which he used to go early to meetings, is now reserved for him, and he may go late. He who had trouble catching the chairman's eye when he wished to break into a debate is now called on to address those present. He is consulted on all measures for fear he would oppose them in the assembly. The prominence which he formerly seized as though he were stealing it is now freely given as his due. His practice improves because he is talked about. People go to a lawyer whose name is in the papers every day just as they buy a soap whose name is on every dead wall. They may know nothing about the lawyer as they may know nothing about the soap, except the name, but they employ the lawyer as they buy the soap. Why? One must probe deep into the human mind to find the answer, but no matter what the answer the fact stands.

Sorrow or Self-Pity.

A man seldom feels less confident of his ability to say the right thing neatly than when he sits down to compose a letter of condolence. One can scribble off the usual friendly letter without much care or premeditation. A business letter may be modeled on set forms and requires little brain energy. A letter of congratulation may trip along gaily, saying nothing in particular. A letter accepting or declining an invitation sometimes exercises the invention, but never taxes the mind very heavily. A love letter is usually written with amorous spontaneity and, like other kinds of folly, is easy to the true lover. When it is labored it rings false. A letter proposing marriage demands more thought and courage in the sending than in the writing. But a letter of condolence must appeal at once to the mind and to the emotions. It must not be too familiar nor yet too formal. It must sound sincere and yet it cannot be sincere, for the arguments one makes in a letter of condolence are the trite reasoning which is always brought out in the time of bereavement and which neither consoles nor comforts those who are genuinely mourning. Putting these consolatory arguments on paper, one is aware that they are dictated rather by custom than by his own opinion, and that they will have as little effect on the bereaved family as they would have on him if he were sorrowing over the dead body of one he loved.

The hackneyed arguments of consolation are levelled at the wrong point. They deal with the state of the dead one and bid the mourners mitigate grief with the thought that the lamented one has gone to a world that is fairer than this, and is in a condition of beatitude. But the root of grief is not anxiety for the state of the dead. It is rather self-pity. Tears are shed because one whose company gave the mourner pleasure has departed and will not come back. Religion and philosophy both hold that the state of the dead, in most cases, is better than that of the living. The dead do not need pity. They have no regrets at leaving this world. If death ends all, then the dead rest sweetly in oblivion and are as little affected by care or sorrow as they were ten thousand years before they were born. If there is heaven hereafter, as all creeds hold there is, then the dead man, if he lived honestly and well, is better off than he was here below. The only logical ground of pity for the dead, therefore, is fear that the soul may have gone to hell; and what sorrowing survivor will admit that his grief is based on that fear? Do not the friends of saints mourn as loudly as those of sinners?

There is no shame in acknowledging that the so-called sorrow for the dead is only pity for the living. Love bereft of its object will mourn its loss and its grief will be commensurate with the strength of the attachment. When the mourner becomes used to the loss his grief abates according to the rule of kindly Nature. But who is bold enough to make this argument in a letter of condolence?

"What did you get out of your garden this year?" "Not a day went by that I didn't have one of my neighbor's chickens for dinner."

"How is Ann Matilda making out as postmistress at Elm Crossroads?" "Getting along fine. To-day she read twenty postals, held nine letters up to the light, and opened four newspapers."—Chicago "News."

London, Dec. 24.—The prevalence of appendicitis in London has induced Lloyds to issue insurance against it. For a premium of five shillings a man is assured that if he has to undergo an operation he has all his medical expenses paid up to £100 sterling, and even for death under or after the operation £100 sterling will be paid. A large number of appendicitis policies were issued this week. The premium is the same as was charged for insurance during the smallpox epidemic of 1901.

Sydney, C.B., Dec. 23—It [illegible]

an amusing sight yesterday to see a number of loosely attired Celestials endeavoring to master on Wentworth Creek, the graceful art of skating. Johnnie's little feet were incased in the usual felt-soled shoe, covered with a rubber, and then the hockey skate was lashed thereto with strong cords. Just as he was prepared to make a masterly glide the little feet would become unmanageable, and after going promiscuously through the different attitudes of several Dutch rolls he would end up in a somersault as ungraceful as it was disappointing ; to the delight of the spectators. [illegible]

ITALY HAS A SURPLUS

Excellent Showing in the Minister of Finance's Statement

Rome, Dec. 23.—The statement of Signor Carcano, Minister of Finance, issued to-day is an excellent showing. The budget for 1901-02 which included the expense of the China expedition, shows a surplus of 32,000,000 lire. The surplus for 1902-03 is estimated at 16,000,000 lire and for 1903-04 at 4,000,000 lire.

The economic development of the country, the statement says, shows progress. [illegible]

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The Company purchased and paid for the latest improved machinery and has put a shaft down 250 feet and intend to carry it down 1000 feet. On the 150 foot level 200 feet of development has been made and an ore shoot has been encountered and blocked out for 57 feet, carrying values in gold from 2 to 6 ounces or $40 to $120 per ton. The cost of mining, hauling, freight and smelters charges will be between $12 and $15 per ton.

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HINTS TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

Fried sweet apples are good for liver or kidney trouble.

Pour vinegar over fresh fish to make the scales come off easily.

Beating stewed apples till fine and smooth with Dover beater, instead of rubbing through strainer. This will apply to any soft fruit.

Bedroom floors may be kept cool and fresh by wiping them daily with fresh water. Microbes, moths or other insects are thus destroyed. Salt and camphor in cold water is an excellent disinfectant in bedrooms.

In rooms that lack sunlight it is astonishing to see how a strong, bright yellow color of just the right shade, introduced by means of a cushion, or chair, or hangings, will give brightness and life that are almost sunny in effect.

Parsnip fritters may be made by scraping and boiling three or more parsnips until very tender; then, having mashed and seasoned them with salt, pepper and butter, make a pint of batter, add the parsnips, and fry a tablespoonful at a time in boiling lard.

When the glass globes of the chandelier have become smoked and grimy soak them in hot water, to which a little sal soda has been added. Then put some ammonia in hot water and scrub the inside of the globes briskly with a stiff brush, whereupon rinse thoroughly and wipe.

One-half cupful of butter, one cupful of molasses, one cupful of sugar, one cupful of sour or buttermilk, one teaspoonful of soda, dissolved in boiling water, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, two eggs, about five cupfuls of sifted flour, or enough for a moderately thick batter. Cream the butter, sugar, molasses and spice; set the mixture on the range until lukewarm. Add the milk, then the beaten eggs, the soda, and last the flour. Beat hard for five minutes. Bake in small tins or a single cake, as preferred. It is excellent either hot or cold.

Cheese custards served with thin bread and butter sandwiches are often given as a separate course before dessert. Into a cupful of warm (not hot) milk stir one teaspoonful of cornstarch until dissolved, two tablespoonfuls of grated cheese, half a saltspoon full of white pepper, a few grains of cayenne, a quarter of a teaspoonful of mustard, and salt to taste. Heat carefully in a double boiler until the cheese is dissolved. Add four eggs, yolks and whites beaten separately until light and brown. The mixture should be baked separately, for each person, in paper cases or pattypans, and eaten as soon as done. All cheese dishes should be served very hot.

New Form of Goose Culture.

A North Dakota farmer has discovered a new way of increasing his flock of geese without going through the usual formality of buying or hatching them, and yet he does not steal them. As the story goes, there is a great sand bar near the home of the farmer. This piece of land projects into the Mississippi river, but in such an exposed condition that a hunter cannot reach it without being seen. For many seasons the bar has been a favorite resting place for flocks of wild geese on their long flights to the far north. Recently the farmer in question saturated several pecks of corn with alcohol and distributed the "doctored" grain over the surface of the bar. The first flock of geese that alighted eagerly gobbled up the corn and soon became decidedly intoxicated. Some of them rolled over and went to sleep, others squawked absurdly and staggered about the bar, and still others tried to fly, but only plunged around in the air awhile and again alighted on the strip of the sand.

The farmer, who had been in hiding, watching the effect of the scheme, rushed to the sand bar and captured nearly the entire flock. He now has plenty of geese.—Exchange.

Fertile Eggs.

When a hen steals her nest and is allowed to sit, the result is usually a large hatch. When hens have been fed carefully and have produced eggs for a long time, it is folly to expect good results from setting such eggs. Nature causes the female to become "broody" when her nest is full of eggs; therefore, the first twelve or twenty eggs laid are strongly fertile, and will produce healthy chicks. The result is less satisfactory as the number of eggs increases. I have experienced this, and do not breed from my layers.

The best results are obtained by mating two or three-year-old females with yearling birds, keeping such fowls back until you wish to mate. Breeding fowls can be allowed to run at large or mated with one male; partial confinement with more than one male will lead to trouble and lack of fertility.

Do not blame your incubator or the place where you set your hens; the trouble can be further off.

Eggs that do not test strongly fertile at the end of seven days, will not give a big hatch or healthy chicks.

Thirty years of experience has taught me that the key to the situation lies in the caption of this short letter.—D. B. Howatt, in Country Gentleman.

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Anecdotal.

A Paris journal relates that Prince Metternich once asked Jules Janin for his autograph. Janin took a sheet of paper and wrote over his signature: "Good for a hundred bottles of Johannisberg, to be placed in my cellar." The prince sent them.

The Kaiser can not only speak English perfectly, but he can jest in our language. When he gave a special audience to Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan he asked one of the ladies of the party what she thought of the German Ocean. She replied that the voyage on it had been very rough. "I am sorry," said the Kaiser, glancing at Mr. Morgan; "but the next time you visit us I shall pour oil on the waters—Standard oil!"

Thomas A. Edison has a keen sense of humor, and never fails to use it when an occasion presents itself. For instance, just before he went on a recent trip to Florida, he called his manager to his room and said: "I always notice that you look very well when you work hard." The manager looked up, wondering what Mr. Edison would say next. "Now, I am going away to Fort Myer. I hope you will enjoy good health while I am gone."

A popular captain's wife was more than usually anxious over the safety of her husband, and accordingly handed a parish clerk a slip one Sunday morning, bearing the words: "Captain Wilson, having gone to sea, his wife desires the prayers of this congregation on his behalf." Unfortunately, by the misplacement of the comma after the "sea," the congregation were told that "Captain Wilson having gone to see his wife, desires the prayers of this congregation on his behalf."

During his exile at Elba, Napoleon related that one day his mother's mother was hobbling along the street in Ajaccio, Corsica, and that he and his sister, Pauline, followed the old lady, and mimicked her. Their grandmother, happening to turn, caught them in the act. She complained to Mme. Letitia. Pauline was at once "spanked" and disposed of; Napoleon, who was out in regimentals, could not be handled. His mother bided her time. Next day, when her son was off his guard, she cried: "Quick, Napoleon! You are invited to dine with the governor!" He ran up to his room to change his clothing. She quietly followed, and when she judged that the proper time had come, rushed into the room, seized her undressed hero before he guessed her purpose, laid him across the maternal knee, and belabored him earnestly with the flat of her hand.

One day David Col, the Flemish genre painter, was asked by a peasant to paint a portrait of his father. The young artist said that he would be delighted, and enquired when the father would be able to give him a sitting. The peasant replied, "Oh, he is dead." "How would you have me paint his portrait?" asked the artist, somewhat amused at the peasant's naivete. "Look here, sir," said the peasant, "this picture on the easel—whom does it represent?" "St. Anthony." "You are sure it is St. Anthony?" "Yes." "Did he come here to sit?" "Of course not." "Then, you see, you are quite able to make a dead man's portrait." Col, who asked no better than to earn money, yielded, and, after making enquiries concerning the old man, set about painting the portrait. The peasant, seeing it for the first time, fell on his knees and cried bitterly. "Why do you cry?" asked the painter. "Because my father has grown so ugly."

A good story on Sir William Mulock is being told in Toronto, and is circulating round his constituency of North York. The Postmaster-General has been busy in the Old Country booming Canada up hill and down dale, in season and, according to this story, out of it. Imbued with a desire to test the colonial knowledge of the ordinary Londoner Sir William took a friend along the Strand with him and cast about for three likely subjects. The friend, a distinguished London lawyer, was unwilling to believe that English people were as ignorant on matters Canadian as Sir William represented. The first person accosted had never heard of Canada, and said so shortly. The second was anxious to assist the befogged stranger, and ruminated, but finally had to admit that he was unable to give the locality of Canada. He was sure that it was nowhere near the Strand, as he had lived around those parts for nearly seventy years. This encouraged Sir William. Changing his question a little, he went up to a cockney flower-girl. He asked her if she was familiar with Ottawa. "Familiar with who?" she asked. "You go 'long or I'll smack your dirty face."

Minister Wu-Ting-fang promises to write two books on America when he returns to China, whither he has been called to take charge of the work of revising and codifying the laws of his country. His experiences in the United States have been many, and some of them unique. On one occasion he and Carl Schurz were both to make addresses before a university audience. Schurz had spoken to the students before, and when they saw him on the platform they called out, "Schurz!" "Schurz!" The Chinese Minister, conscious that his silken blouse, worn outside his trousers, might have awakened what he knew to be the easily provoked irreverence of undergraduates, mistook the salutation for "shirts." Whereupon he rose, bowed and smilingly adjusted his robes, displaying the evident comfort he enjoyed in wearing them. Now the students took up the cry in earnest, and "Schurz" readily became "shirts." The uproar of their merriment rang lustily throughout the auditorium. Even the bland and philosophic Minister Wu began to display embarrassment. "Don't pay any attention to them," whispered Mr. Schurz; "they mean me." "Oh, is that all!" exclaimed the Chinese Minister, and sank back into his chair, vastly relieved.

Dinner Invitations.

"I find with men it succeeds better to ask them personally to come to dinner," said a fashionable young matron the other day. "In the first place they are not so apt to refuse, and secondly, you get an answer at once, which saves a lot of worry." "But it is so awkward for a person to be asked point blank; he is obliged to accept whether he wants to or not," returned her companion. "That is just what I want," laughed the young matron, "it is the men I need, and if they come, I do not care if they feel it obligatory or not." Hostesses who do not desire to be considered bores, however, should avoid giving invitations in person. Many men complain of the use of the telephone in delivering invitations as giving them no time to make up their minds, or to concoct a plausible excuse should they not feel inclined to accept.

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Summary—To-day's market was holiday in character. The transactions were the feature. Brooklyn Rapid Transit rose four points. Metropolitan more than recovered its dividend and Manhattan was strong. There was no seeming pressure discernible all day, and the buying was oft the kind described as good. We are still bullish and commend sugar and copper. The market closed very firm and indications point to a higher market after Christmas. We desire also to extend to our patrons the compliments of the season, also our thanks for the favors extended to us. It will be our constant endeavor to faithfully serve them in conscientious service and unbiased advice at all times. Sales 363,200. Money closed 6 per cent. Wishing you all a most merry Christmas. We are, your truly,

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Death of Ethel May Everett

The death occurred at Lakefield on Monday, from pneumonia, of Ethel May, aged 3 years, daughter of Mr. B. Everett, formerly of town. The funeral took place this afternoon to the Little Lake cemetery here.

A Runaway

An exciting runaway took place at the post office corner yesterday morning. A horse became frightened and ran away striking the corner of the office. The cutter was considerably damaged, but the animal was brought under control before any further damage was done.

Slid Down Hill

A milk rig came to grief on Sheridan street yesterday morning. On account of the icy footing the horse slipped and fell, overturning the milk van, and spilling the milk. The horse, rig and contents slid down the hill, which is quite steep at the intersection of George and Sheridan streets.

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All Saints' Church

The Christmas services will be as follows: Holy Communion, at half-past eight; Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and sermon at 11 o'clock. The music will include the bright Christmas hymns, and Te Deum, by Constance, Jubilate Deo, by Schilling. Communion Service by Tours, and the anthem, "The first Christmas Morn."

Two Presentations

On Wednesday evening Mrs. James Stubbs was presented with an address accompanied by a handsome rocking chair by the members of her Sunday School class. The "Night Owls," who are also identified with the Sabbath school work, were present, and after singing a quartette, presented Mrs. Stubbs with an address and a handsome carving set. Both gifts were suitably acknowledged.

Christmas Services at St. Luke's

The Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8 a.m. At 10.30 a.m. the morning service with sermon will be held. The Rector will preach on, "The Friend at Midnight," St. Luke xi, 5. After the service the Holy Communion will be administered. Hymns, chants and anthems in keeping with Christmas tide. Christmas service and Holy Communion at St. Mark's Otonabee, at 3 p.m.

A Quiet Wedding

The marriage of Miss Jennie Graham to Mr. William M. [illegible], both of town was solemnized in All Saint's church yesterday morning at eight o'clock, by the Rev. W. L. Armitage. The groom was supported by his brother, Fred, while Miss Lottie Cunningham was bridesmaid. The happy couple left on the 8.20 G.T.R. train for Toronto, and on their return will reside on Sherbrooke st., near Aylmer.

Christmas Cheer

The Children's Aid Society have distributed eight baskets amongst the poor families of the town. The Christmas cheer will undoubtedly be much appreciated by the families receiving the baskets, which are made up as follows: Eight pounds of beef, two loaves of bread, two loaves of currant bread, one-half pound of tea, three pounds of sugar, two pounds of butter, one pound of candy, two pounds of nuts, one pound figs, and a half dozen oranges. Accompanying each of these was a package of Quaker oats.

—There will be a Christmas service at George Street Church this morning at eleven o'clock. The music will be in charge of Mr. Mulligan and Miss Frost will sing.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. Lou Best, of Sarnia, is spending Christmas at home.

—Mr. T. Blezard, ex-M.P.P., was in town yesterday.

—Miss Pearl Hamilton is visiting friends in Toronto.

—Mr. James Hardz is visiting at his home in Toronto.

—Miss Helen Lane, of Keene, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. Alf. Crossland is spending Christmas at his home in Barrie.

—Mr. George Crowe, of Toronto, is home for Christmas.

—Mr. J. Fraser Selby is spending Christmas at his home in Toronto.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. Buck, of Coldwater, are spending Xmas in town.

—Mr. Arthur Rodgers is spending the holidays at his home in Fraserville.

—Ald. and Mrs. Shortly will spend Christmas with friends in Toronto.

—Mrs. Jordan, of Brampton, Ont., is the guest of Mr. Jordan, Argyle street.

—Mr. F. D. Kerr left for Cobourg yesterday where he will spend the holiday

—Miss Nevada Webster, of Lindsay, is in town, the guest of Mrs. John Best.

—Mr. Alf. Smith, of the Review, is spending Christmas at his home, Port Colborne.

—Mr. Percy Watson, of the Niagara Record is spending Christmas with friends in town.

Dr. H. C. Campbell, of Buffalo, N.Y., is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. G. Lowry, at Warsaw.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stevens, and children, of Chicago, are the guests of friends in town.

—Mr. Victor McWilliams, of Keene, is spending Christmas with his parents in town.

—Miss Mattie Robertson is spending Christmas holidays with her grandmother Mrs. Brandon, Fenelon Falls.

—Miss Lola Ostrom, of Toronto, is the guest of Miss Ruby Clegg, 286 Stewart street.

—Mr. Hal. Dumble, of Winnipeg, is home on a visit to his parents, Mr and Mrs. D. W. Dumble.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bartlett, of Haldimand, are visiting their son, Mr. Geo Bartlett, 28 Paterson street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Hardinge and daughter, Miss Helen, of Chicago, Ill., are visiting in town, the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Bradd.

—Mrs. J. W. Carey yesterday morning received a telegram from Victoria, B.C., announcing the sudden death of her brother, Mr. J. M. McDonald, who is a commercial traveller.

—Mr. Ed. Graham and Miss Lizzie Graham, of Toronto, were in town yesterday on their way to their home near Selwyn to spend the Christmas vacation

—Mr. F. W. Bell, of Vincennes, Indiana is in town, the guest of his brother Mr. F. B. Bell. It is ten years since Mr. Bell last visited Peterborough, his native town, and most pleased is he to spend Christmas with old friends.

—A private letter received in town gives the information that Mr. John C. Douglas, of Atlanta, Georgia, formerly of The Times' staff, Peterborough has joined the ranks of the benedicts. The letter is dated Savannah, Ga., at which Mr. Douglas and his bride, a Kentucky lady, have halted on their honeymoon tour, which will include Bahia in the Argentine Republic, and Rio Janeiro in Brazil, and return by way of New York.

TEACHER REMEMBERED

Miss Middleton of Elmdale School was the Recipient of a Presentation

On Friday afternoon a number of the parents and friends assembled at Elmvale school to bid farewell to their teacher. At the close of a programme prepared by the pupils for their annual closing, the following address was read:

Dear Teacher, — It is with pleasure we meet here this afternoon and look back on the many pleasant memories we have of the past year in our intercourse with you as teacher.

We have also deep feelings of regret, as we have come to say good-bye and to wish you every success in your future field of life. We cannot let you go without telling you how much we have appreciated you personally, and as a willing and efficient helper in our school.

As a slight token of our sincere friendship we ask you to accept this silver sugar bowl, tea spoon holder and spoons, to remind you of the days you spent at Elmvale school. May God's richest blessing go with you, and may He guide and protect you in all your ways.

Signed on behalf of the school,
MAGGIE LYNCH,
BERTHA ARMSTRONG.

The teacher although taken completely by surprise, found words to thank her pupils for their kind remembrance, and regretted having to part with such dear friends. The afternoon was brought pleasantly to a close by the distribution of some good things to eat.

EXCURSION TO BERLIN!

Farmers should be interested in the fact that an opportunity will be given them to thoroughly investigate the merits of the beet sugar industry as it is carried on at the large factory in Berlin. A special train has been secured for on or about December 30th, which will go and return the same day. The rate will not be higher than $2, return. The hour of starting will probably be about 8.20 a.m. and of returning about 10 p.m.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Enormous mails are coming and going from the postoffice.

—The merchants of the town are well pleased with the Christmas trade.

—Mr. S. S. Joyce, of Havelock, has resigned his candidature for the County Council in the Norwood division.

—One of the plate glass windows in Mayor Dennes's store is broken. While men were taking down the awning the hook flew off a hammer and crashed against the window.

It is expected that the new rink will be open for skaters in the course of four or five days. The roof is nearing completion and the interior is fast being rounded into shape. The sale of tickets is progressing favorably and a successful season is looked for.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c

THE GERMAN EMPIRE'S FUTURE IS VERY DARK

The Banks Bulge With Money Which the People Cannot Passibly Borrow

The Workingmen Seldom Have Meat for Food No Improvement of Conditions in Sight

Berlin, Dec. 25.—The approaching dawn of another year finds Germany still plunged in the depths of industrial distress and financial gloom.

Tens of thousands of men and women are already oppressed by the highest cost of living the fatherland has known for many years, are confronted with the prospect of another workless year.

Scores of factories and mills are working at far below their capacity, and only the abnormal export demand, notably from the United States, and especially in the iron trade, enables a semblance of activity to be kept up. Perhaps not a single German industry is capable of sustaining itself by the purely domestic trade, which is unquestionably as depressed today as the darkest hours of the crisis which began eighteen months ago.

To make this picture blacker, no one pretends to hold out the hope of an early return of better times. The banks are bulging with money, but it is hoarded with miserly conservatism. An atmosphere of scepticism and uncertainty shrouds every sort of enterprise, particularly anything bordering on expansion or new departures.

BANKS' VAULTS CLOSED TO THOUSANDS.

Numberless concerns which have heretofore obtained needed support from their bankers find themselves shut off from fresh advances. To avoid failures and protect previous loans, the banks have found it necessary in many instances to take over the debtors' properties. Such a transaction has just been completed between one of the great electrical companies and its Berlin financial connection.

All the great joint stock companies will pay reduced dividends for the current year. Many have worked at losses running into tens of thousands of dollars. The great shipping lines, headed by the Hamburg-American, present gloomy balance-sheets. The overseas traffic for 1902 has been a record of deficits and disappointments.

Altogether Germany's position is regarded as fully as bad as a year ago, when the wisest authorities predicted that the storm had spent its fury, and that 1902 would be a year of reconstruction and revival.

THE RICH ARE MONEY HOARDERS

Berlin affords scant evidence of being the capital of a country bending beneath and burden of two years accumulated depression. The great shops are alive with Christmas buyers, but purchases are sadly curtailed. The rich with bank accounts no longer yielding regular incomes have become money savers along with the middle classes, while the workpeople and the poor, satisfied to obtain such luxuries as meat, form no part of the holiday throngs.

Above the whole situation loom three giant bogeys aggravating the strained position. Foremost stands the uncertainty with reference to the commercial treaties. Next comes the fear of an impending American crash which shall swamp the fatherland with low-priced manufactures.

Last, but not least, is the apprehension held in high circles that Mr. Chamberlain will eventually forge a Zollverein into being and enclose the British Empire, so long a rich field for commerce, behind an impenetrable fiscal wall.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 25.—It is reported that 400,000 persons in Finland are destitute and starving, Pastor Francis of the Anglo-American church says the conditions are worse than they were in 1867, when 100,000 persons died. He has issued an appeal for assistance, and will try to feed and clothe the school children of four Finnish parishes.

GERMANY HATES THE MONROE DOCRINE

It Was Never More Emphasized in Germany Than at Present

A Growing Feeling of [illegible] the United States is Apparent [illegible] Fatherland

Berlin, Dec. 25.—"Now for a test of the Monroe Doctrine!"

Thus may be expressed the thought which has been in all German minds during the last few days, inspired by the unexpected silence of the United States Government while the German fleet is sinking Venezuelan war vessels and the allies are destroying Venezuelan property. There has been a distinct revival of spirit since my letter of last week noting the feeling that the Kaiser has gained no more than temporary support as a result of his visit to England.

That feeling was mainly engendered by the cordial attitude of France and England toward each other on the arbitration question. Officialdom is still uncommunicative, but the press echoes public sentiment when it now see in the friendly overtures of France a disposition to join all Europe in making use of the opportunity to see whether the United States will stake all in support of her contention that the Western continent is for Western nations only.

With characteristic impulsiveness many Germans are already anticipating the arrival in Carribean waters of addition German and English warships, and squadron from the French and Italian, and perhaps the Russian navies. Never before has the deep hatred of the Monroe Doctrine by the mass of Germans who approve the Kaiser's colonization policy been so clearly illustrated. Little else is talked about, though, of course, in diplomatic circles there is an appearance of serene ignorance that anything unusual is going on.

ON CHRISTMAS MORN

Once in royal David's city
Stood a lowly cattle shed,
Where a mother laid her baby,
In a manger for His bed;
Mary was that mother mild,
Jesus Christ her little child.

He came down to earth from heaven,
Who is God and Lord of all,
And his shelter was a stable,
And his cradle was a stall;
With the poor and mean and lowly,
Lived on earth our Savior holy.

And through all his wondrous childhood,
He would honor and obey,
Love, and watch the lowly maiden
In whose arms He lay;
Christian children all must be
Mild, obedient, good as He.

Not in that poor, lowly stable,
With the oxen standing by,
We shall see Him; but in heaven,
Set at God's right hand on high;
When like stars His children crowned,
All in white shall wait around.

AROUND THE WORLD

How Christmas is Celebrated In Foreign Countries

QUAINT MIXTURE IN RUSSIA

Burning of the Christmas Log in Norway—Hilarity in Old Mexico

In damp, foggy old Britain the spirit of Christmas has been kept alive as heartily as in any part of the world, but thanks to English novelists, it's celebration is as well understood in America as in the motherland.

Christmas in Russia, is a quaint mixture of the sacred and profane, a blending of the past present and future, which produces a curious mixture of pain and pleasure. Christmas eve is the close of a long and rigorous fast, for none but the deepest-dyed sinner would dare to satisfy his hunger or slake his thirst ere the twinkling light of the first star bade his crucified appetite appear.

One can imagine how incongruous such a Christmas appears to an American, where the festive season, is not unusually, in its preliminaries, a little the antithesis of a fast. In one particular alone does the Russian Christmas resemble the American and that is in the extravagance of its present giving, for in both countries the habit seems to be carried to the point of a vice.

There is one conspicuous feature about the keeping of Christmas in Norway which I have never seen in any other country. It is the burning of the "great log of Christmas," a most quaint and interesting custom. Before sunrise on Christmas morning the head of the family precedes his family into the forest, where he at once proceeds to cut down a fallen stump. This done, he raises his hat to the log, turns towards the east, crosses himself and utters the following words: "Give to me and to Christmas abundantly, O God." Should the log then by any chance fall the wrong way than another is cut, unless they choose indeed to remain unlucky for the coming year, and perhaps for many following ones. Smaller logs are provided for each member of the family, and each draws his own back to the homestead, where they are leaned against the wall, the cut ends being exposed. Should one of these logs have stood the wrong end up the whole thing must be repeated or else little luck may be expected from the fates by any member of the family. It is not until the fire is lighted that the anxiety of the little family is entirely over. After the great log has once been placed upon the hearth one must be very careful not to speak of witches, for they supposed to be hovering around to snatch at any excuse to mar a happy Christmas.

Really about the jolliest place to spend Christmas is on the American continent in old Mexico. There one hears nothing of penances, little of prayer, but observes an immense amount of hilarity, which is almost universal, with the exception, naturally, of the solemn observances in the churches which are unusually grand, coming to a climax with the solemn midnight mass at the Cathedral. Rather oddly the Mexicans have a Christmas tree observance closely resembling that of the German. Santa Claus is as much a reality in Mexico as he is in Germany. Every family, has its tree, upon which things are hung, and when Santa Claus calls, as he comes in the shape of a masked personage dressed up to resemble the bounteous old character, he simply takes the presents from the tree and distributed them to those who have a right to them. This system is so much superior to that of the Germans which calls for a midnight trip down and up a sooty chimney in white robes, that it recommends itself highly to persons of other nationalities. Naturally no public holiday in Mexico would be complete without bull fights, cock fights and some of the brutal pastimes in which the people are addicted.

The Parisian takes Christmas languidly and gracefully, but scarcely enters into it with the vim of his Berlinese brother. He is a creature of different mould and temperament, and perhaps after all really means to understand Christmas as well as his Teutonic neighbor, but he makes little fuss over it, has no quaint customs to observe and affects no unusual routine that would make it a particularly distinctive day.

One has to go to the nooks and corners of the world, it would seem, to ferret out interesting observances of the great Christian holiday — to find those people to whom the glad clarion of the Christmas bells brings a thrill of realized hope and pleasure which no mere pen can describe.

In the Balkan peninsula there are many quaint observances among the Servians, Roumanians, and especially among the Montegrins, that strange race of proud and haughty beggars, whose people remind you of nothing so much as "supes" in the comic operas.

Every Christmas night the Montegrin kindles a fire on the ample hearth, which is built of contributions in the shape of lighted pieces of stick from each member of the family. Above the blaze of this fire dangles a long kettle chain which becomes intensely heated as the fire grows stronger on every night except Christmas. Of course, no one ever tries to prove that it does not follow the ordinary rule on this particular night, because faith may be stronger but skin is tender. You dare not tell a Montenegrin peasant that the chain grows warm, under penalty of being looked up as a dog. If you argue gently with him he will explain to you why it does not follow natural laws on Christmas night. His explanation is that a chain of similar character hung over the fire built in the stable at Bethlehem, and that when Christ was born the Virgin mother grasped it for support. It became cool instantly, so that her sainted hand should not be burned and that is why kettle chains in Montenegro never grow hot now on Christmas nights.

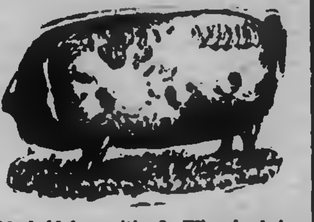
WELL FED HOGS PAY.

Many Need Not Be Kept a Full Year and They Will Bring a Good Price.

Owing to the unprofitable expense of roofing and more space than is absolutely necessary, one of the great problems in the interior arrangement of farm buildings is the economizing of room. Such being the case, every practical device possible should be sought after, and when one is discovered that answered the purpose fairly well it ought never to be forgotten.

This is highly applicable to the horse manager shown herewith, for not only is it convenient and economical, but just the thing wherever the space for a horse stable is small, as usually occurs when the stalls are arranged across one end of the barn, or if so that the horses face the barn floor.

As can be seen in the illustration, in place of the commonly wide and deep manger construct a through (1) about a foot wide and the same in depth, using hardwood boards for the purpose if possible. In front of this, away from where the horse stands, insert iron rods or tough wooden poles (2) the full width of the trough and just far enough apart so that the animal can get its nose between them to pull out the hay or fodder placed for it by its keeper upon the slat support (3). And how is



this held in position? Why, by being hinged at the bottom and supported from above at regular intervals by being attached to wires or ropes (4) arranged there for this purpose.

Thus you see it is a very simple device, and yet possessed of numerous advantages in that it saves space, wastes little or no feed and has no hateful corners in which the refuse parts of the feed may collect. The fact is, if this affair faces the barn floor all seed and chaff must fall through the slat support onto the same, and as this in turn may be scraped up and fed to the cows, not a single thing edible need to be wasted.

Provided corn fodder is at any time largely fed, all one has to do is to let down the slat support from the top occasionally and out upon the floor will roll the stalks, whence they can be easily conveyed to any spot desired, which, of course, should not be the manure pile, since cornstalks are always a nuisance in dung of any kind, unless it be a mulch designed for some special purpose.

And how about the economizing of room? Why, if the manger is next to the barn floor, when drawing in hay or the like drop down the slat support from the top, leave it so, and it will be entirely out of the way.

As to the material for constructing this support, generally speaking it is best made of halfinch boards four inches wide, and in fastening it at the bottom so that it will swing up and down use common four-inch strap hinges, these serving the purpose almost as well as iron ones.

Talk on Fruit.

Plums and poultry go well to-gether. The poultry clean out the curculio and thrive on them, and plums thrive a good deal better without them.

A great many of the diseases of trees and plants are diseases of weakness and can be prevented by thoroughly good culture and manuring such as will keep the tree or plant in a vigorous growing condition. This is practicularly true with the diseases of small fruits.

Rely on well known varieties of small fruits, but keep in touch with the testing of new ones. Every fruit grower can afford to do a little of experimenting, perhaps, but he should take care to do no more than he can afford to see fail. If somebody comes around with something very remarkable for sale, let his talk go in at one ear and out at the other.

Never allow a fruit tree to overbear. Nothing is gained and much is lost by neglect to this. A tree will give in fewer fruits all the yield by measure that it can give without injury to itself. The fruit will be larger, better developed and of better quality. Overbearing one season is a draft on the future resources of the tree which it will not recover from for several years if at all.

Turkey Culture.

I prefer the Bronze turkey. The public wants a turkey weighing 7 to 10 pounds and with a yellow skin. The first eggs I set under a hen, the next setting the turkey takes and as a general thing she will bring off a brood in the Fall. If warm quarters are provided they are easily raised, and bring a good price in the Spring when there is a scarcity. The best thing I find for lice is ashes and sulphur, mixed and put in the coops, and I always put a little epsom salts in the drinking water about twice a week for the health of the bird. They have their freedom as soon as they are strong enough to run around. Little turkeys do much better with an old turkey. A hen mother will run the legs off from little turkeys, whereas an old turkey will hardly stir out of her tracks until her little ones are good and strong; then she is a great rambler. The best thing I find for food is what we call Dutch cheese, an egg boiled hard and black pepper mixed with it and plenty of rum. Toward Fall they will naturally turn their heads in the direction of some neighbor's corn or buckwheat field and will be in fine condition by Thanksgiving.—Mrs. Charles Smart in Farm and Home.

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Filtered Milk.

William Carry, an old north Texas dairyman, who has traveled extensively abroad, says, according to the Dallas News, that central depots where milk is received and filtered before being taken to the consumer are now a feature of several European cities.

Large cylindrical vessels are divided horizontally near their centre by compartments containing sand of three successive degrees of fineness, the coarsest being the lowest and as the milk arriving from the country is poured through a pipe into the bottom of these vessels it rises through the sand filter and is run off by an overflow pipe into a cool cistern from which it is drawn directly into locked cans for distribution.

The sand is renewed each time the filter is used. The dirt is separated from the milk, the number of bacteria is reduced to one-third and an astonishing quantity of mucus and slimy matter is removed, the loss of fat being very light.

Rapid Milking.

It is a common mistake to suppose that the faster a cow is milked the better is the milk product drawn from the udder. It is certainly not so until practice has acquired, and the muscles of the hand have been trained so that the teats may be compressed gently and without apparent effort. The pulling and hauling worries the cow, and often causes her to hold up the milk so that no one can rapidly draw it. As a rule cows should be milked always by the same person. If a change is made the cow at once discovers it and makes the milking harder.

The operation of milking, if gently performed, is a pleasure to the cow. This pleasure promotes milk secretion, so it is not an absurdity to say that a good milker will get more milk from a cow at the same milking than an unskilful one could get, though each secured all that the udder would afford to him or her. The change from one milker to another is never made without some loss. Therefore where a large herd of cows have to be milked, and several milkers are employed, each milker should have assigned to him the cows he shall milk, instead of milking one or another indiscriminately. The cow will discriminate, even if the milker does not.—American Cultivator.

Cracked Wheat For Young Chicks.

Some cracked wheat should be given to chicks even before they are a week old, says an exchange. It is the best exercise their digestive organs can have. Whole wheat will be eaten when the chicks are ten days or two weeks old and should always form a part of their ration. It is especially valuable to make them feather quickly, by giving the grain containing just the kind of material necessary for feather production. Where wheat is largely grown, the fowls find enough scattered grains about the barns or stacks, so that young chicks hatched in mid-summer will become full feathered before winter, and make early spring layers.

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HE LIBERALS NOW HAVE A MAJORITY IN SENATE

lthough Only one It Is Enough to Give Them Control of the Chamber

Death of Senator Primrose Party in Power Gets Control of Upper Chamber

Ottawa, Dec. 26.—Years ago, when Wilfrid Laurier was returned to wer, there were nine Liberals in Senate, out of a total house of 81. death of Senator Primrose, which curred on Tuesday at Pictou, Nova otia, leaves the Liberals in a ma- ity in the Upper Chamber. The nate now stands 41 Liberals and Conservatives, a majority of one the government.

This does not show the real strength the government, because there are number of Opposition Senators , by reason of age and infirmity, are not able to attend.

The death of Senator Primrose was not expected. A letter was received from him last week at the Senate. He was then in good health. The deceased Senator was a native of Nova Scotia, where he was born in 1830. He was therefore 72 years of age at the time of his death. He was one of Sir John Thompson's first appointments to the Senate, where he took an active interest in all matters that came up for discussion, but more particularly in subjects which interested the Maritime Provinces.

RINGS OUT MANY SCOTCH LABORERS

obert Adamson Arrives With ardy Contingent—Number Falls Short

uth Africa Takes Away Many From Great Britain—Wages High in England

Winnipeg, Dec. 26.—A handy look- g lot of Scottish laborers, number- r 132, arrived in Winnipeg yester- y, fresh from the old country, in arge of Robert Adamson of Virden. This was the fourth party, a total mbering 485 men. Mr. Adamson has ought out within the past two ars.

"When I first commenced this ork," he said to a reporter for the imes who met the train by which e party arrived last evening. "I ad considerable difficulty in convinc- g farmers here of the worth of this ass of labor.

"They will be no use for the first ear," was usually the reply I got. t was all I could do to place eighteen f them the first year I started. Ex- erience has taught them a different story, and to-day, although I have 132 with me, I could place many more."

PAY HIGH IN BRITAIN.

"Had you any difficulty in securing men in Great Britain?"

"Yes, I found the wages paid to farm laborers had gone up considerably. They run about $250 per annum.

"Another influence against me was the demand from South Africa. When I was in Dundee, I found that hundreds were leaving, and they all had situations provided for them before they left.

"South Africa is much spoken of throughout the whole of Great Britain, and it will compete with us in the immigration field."

"Where are these men you have brought out from?"

"Some from Aberdeen, others from Forfar, Inverness, Perth, Argyllshire, and Bute. I expect others to follow later in the winter, as I left an agent there to work for me."

Mr. Adamson will return to the old country next March for another contingent.

THE METROPOLITAN BANK

W. D. Ross of Finance Department Assistant General Manager

The Metropolitan Bank, which is about to open a branch in Peterborough, in order to cope with its extensive organization program and be in a position to give attention to business offered, has decided to immediately engage the services of an Assistant General Manager. For this post the bank has succeeded in securing Mr. W. D. Ross. Although Mr. Ross is a comparatively young man, he has an exceptionally good chartered bank training, having entered the services of the Bank of Nova Scotia at its New Glasgow office in May, 1883; six years later joining the staff at the General Manager's office, and in 1892 re-entering the New Glasgow office as accountant. In 1893 Mr. Ross was appointed Manager at Stellarton. Assistant inspector of the bank in 1895, and one year later Manager at New Glasgow. Four years later, or in 1900, he was appointed Manager at Charlottetown branch, from which position he resigned in 1901 at the request of Hon. W. S. Fielding to enter the service of the Finance Department of the Dominion of Canada at Ottawa. The temptation to join the staff of the Metropolitan Bank as Assistant General Manager has proved greater than prospects in the civil service. Mr. Ross since entering business at the age of fifteen has, with the exception of the present year, spent his whole life in active banking business. He will assume his new duties on the 1st of January. The bank will have their Peterborough branch open early in January.

IRRIGATION IN THE TERRITORIES

Big Scheme is Being Developed by Magnates of the Canadian Pacific

Will Give Thousands of Acres of Arable Lands—Plains Not Complete Yet

Winnipeg, Dec. 26.—The irrigation of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for reclaiming arid lands in the western country is not yet fully developed and the particulars of the work will not be given out to the public until all the plans are matured. The scheme is in the hands of William Whyte, assistant to the president of the C.P.R., A. F. Griffin, head of the the land department, and other high officials of the road. It is expected that all the plans will be ready by the middle of next month.

NEW BRANCH LINES

These important works will include the extension of branch lines of the railway into new territory and they will open up new stretches of wheat producing country.

Mr. Whyte was asked as to how matters stood by a reporter for the Times last evening, but he replied that at the present time he could make no statement.

"There are several other things that depend upon the irrigation works," answered he. "Until these are arranged for I can say nothing."

He would not say what these other matters were.

"Will the Dominion government be asked to subsidize the scheme at the next session of parliament?" he was asked.

SUPPLY OF WATER.

The important irrigation works which are now under consideration, embrace two and a half million acres of semi-arid lands lying in the district between Calgary and Medicine Hat. The water will be obtained from the Bow river, which will give ample fall to supply the irrigation canals. The money to be expended in these works will run into the millions of dollars, as it costs $3 an acre alone to convey the water from the Bow river to the arid plains. These lands, when irrigated will be transformed into fertile areas, fit for all kinds of cereals as well as for root crops.

This has been amply proved by the experiments made by Mormon settlers who are rapidly becoming rich from the magnificent crops they raise on these irrigated lands. The work will be under the supervision of Mr. Dennis, late of the public works department at Ottawa, who has given especial study to irrigation and hydraulics.

A CHRISTMAS WEDDING

Nuptials of Miss Mary A. Bradley and Mr. Joseph Arthur Ash

On Christmas morning, at ten o'clock, a very quiet, but pretty wedding was solemnized at George street Methodist church, when Miss Mary A. Bradley, daughter of Mr. James Bradley, was united in marriage to Mr. Joseph Arthur Ash. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. J. P. Wilson, Mrs. Moart playing the wedding march.

The bride was charmingly attired in a gown of white organdie trimmed with lace and insertion, and carried a bouquet of white carnations. She was given away by her father. The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Bertha M. Bradley, who was similarly attired, and carried pink carnations. Mr. W. Greer, of Cobourg, supported the groom.

After the ceremony the bridal party returned to their home, 655 Aylmer street, where a sumptuous wedding dejeuner was served. The happy couple left on the G.T.R. for the West. On their return they will take up residence on Macdonald street.

The presents were numerous and costly, showing the high esteem in which the young couple are held by their many friends. The Times extends its hearty congratulations.

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A NORTH MONAGHAN WEDDING

Mr. James F. Akey, of Town, Joins Ranks of Benedicts

"Fairview Farm," the home of Mr. J. Giles, North Monaghan, was the scene of an interesting event on Christmas Day when his daughter, Miss Irene, was united in marriage to Mr. James F. Akey, of Peterborough. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. W. L. Armitage, rector of All Saints' church. The bride was charmingly attired in a suit of blue lady's cloth, trimmed with white silk and velvet, and was attended by her sister, Miss Evelyn. The groom was supported by his brother Mr. Charles Akey.

The newly married couple will reside on Dalhousie street, Peterborough. The Times extends its congratulations.

MR. C. N. BROWN HONORED

The Secretary of the Curling Club Caned on Christmas Day

On Christmas afternoon at the close of curling, the members of the Thistle Curling Club, presented Mr. C. N. Brown, with a handsome gold-headed cane as token of their appreciation of services rendered in the past.

Mr. W. G. Ferguson, in a short speech, reviewed the long connection of Mr. Brown with curling in Peterborough and Mr. J. S. Knapman made the presentation.

Mr. Brown, replying, expressed his gratitude for their kind remembrance and following him Mr. R. Neill made a brief speech in keeping with the occasion.

POST OFFICE TOO SMALL

People Protest Because of the Crowding on Rush Days

For some time there has been a feeling of discontent amongst business people and others over the post-office, which is far too small to accommodate the crowds who go there for their mail. Every night at six o'clock there is a crush around the wicket, while on holidays, it is difficult to gain admission to the building at all.

On Christmas day those who had business in the post-office came out puffing and in bad temper. Many there were who would not wait for their turn at the wicket, and the weak had no chance at all in the crush.

The building is too small for the business to be done, and the sooner steps are taken to bring the matter to the attention of the Government the better. We would suggest that the matter be taken up by the Board of Trade with Mr. McClelland, who will, we are sure, do all in his power to get a new post-office.

PRICE OF COAL

The Outlook for Cheap Coal Not at All Encouraging

Mr J. H. McClellan returned on Wednesday from Buffalo, where he had been to see after coal. It was with the greatest difficulty that he secured a few cars. Mr. McClellan found the coal situation most serious. He was shown a letter from one of the largest coal operators in the United States, written to his brother in Buffalo, in which the former said that he was of the opinion that hundreds of people in the United States would be compelled to burn their mahogany furniture to keep from freezing, before the winter was over.

Mr. McClelland yesterday got four cars of coal which cost him on the track in Peterborough, $11.25 per ton. This he sells at $12—barely cost. He is determined to take care of his customers throughout the winter, and if any man can get coal, Mr. McClellan is that man. He has now enough to keep the wolf from the door, metaphorically speaking, for a couple of weeks.

He was told that Canada would not get more than half the supply usually sent in during the winter months. When the fact that there is no coal on hand is considered, this will mean that about one-third supply. Perhaps the worst feature of the whole situation is the scarcity of steam coal, which will greatly hamper manufacturers.

LINDSAY LABOUR PLATFORM

The Labour Unions of Lindsay Have Entered Municipal Politics

At a recent mass meeting of socialist and labor organizations the following platform was adopted.

1st—All municipal business should be transacted in the offices owned by the town.

2nd—No municipal commissioners should be elected or appointed to do town work. All such business should be done directly through the council of the town.

3rd—Instead of special commissioners an expert superintendent for water, heat, light, road, etc., to be engaged at a reasonable salary, who shall discuss all business of his department with the council and from whom alone he shall take all instructions.

4th—The council shall, as soon as practicable, establish coal and wood yards and municipal ownership of light, heat and water supplies.

5th—The people should have direct control, through their representatives in the council, of everything in connection with the municipality.

6th All coal sold inside the corporation should be weighed and all wood measured by the market clerk or other proper official, and a certificate given of the weight.

7th—No public money or public support should be given to anything in which the people have not direct control.

8th—No grant, gift, loan, or transfer should be made to any board, company, institution or individual without first being subjected to a vote by the people.

9th—All municipal work being done by day labor instead of by contract.

10th—Term of all yearly municipal service should expire on the 31st day of January each year.

WEATHER NOTES

Saturday—Northwesterly winds; continued cold.

Very low temperatures have occurred during the past few days in Manitoba and from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces the weather has been fairly cold. There has been a considerable snowfall at some points in the Ottawa Valley, and light snow flurries have been prevalent in Ontario and Quebec.

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL.

Results of the Vote for Mayor and Alderman

VERY GOOD CANDIDATES

Are the Three Leaders for Nomination for Mayor

Ald. Roger, Ald. Shortly and Mr. Robert Fair Head the Mayoralty List—A Progressive Council Could be Selected from the Names Mentioned for Aldermen

The leading candidates for Mayor up to 5 o'clock yesterday evening are—

Ald. Roger	1055
Ald. Shortly	1040

The leading candidates for Aldermen are—

R. F. McWilliams	930
A. W. Cressman	905
Geo. Matthews	910
Robert Fair	900
Ald. Morrison	875
Ald. Best	870
E. F. Mason	860

The coupons are coming in thick and fast these days, showing that our readers are manifesting an interest in civic affairs. Both the Mayoralty and Aldermanic list contains the names of men who would fill the respective offices with credit alike to the town and to themselves. Messrs. Shortly and Fair are making an exceeding close run with Ald. Roger for the Chief Magistrate's position, and it seems that a Mayoralty election this year is not at all improbable. As for the Aldermanic elections, a glance at the list will show that the subscribers to this g.f.j. are bent on having a wide-awake and progressive civic board.

A "South-Warder" writes:—"Enclosed please find ten ballots for Mr. C. B. Robertson, as alderman. Mr. Robertson has had municipal experience, and made an excellent representative. I hope he will consent to run, when I am sure he will be elected by a good majority."

A citizen writes:—"I send more coupons for Mr. R. F. McWilliams for Alderman. If he will accept of nomination I consider his election a sure thing."

A merchant writes—"I am pleased to note Mr. A. W. Cressman's position in your list for Alderman. I only endorse the sentiments of a large number of ratepayers when I say he would prove a valuable acquisition to the Council o 1903."

A merchant writes—"I vote for Ald. Roger for Mayor. His election is sure even if he should have opposition."

FOR MAYOR.

Ald. Roger	1055
Ald. Shortly	1040
R. Fair	950
H. LeBrun	900
Ald. Best	840
Robert Neill	730
H. C. Winch	600

FOR ALDERMEN.

R. F. McWilliams	930
A. W. Cressman	905
Geo. Matthews	910
Robert Fair	900
Ald. Morrison	875
Ald. Best	870
E. F. M[illegible]	860
Ald. Rush	776
Wm. Madill	700
Ald. Corkery	765
Geo. W. Morrow	735
Ald. Batten	695
Ald. Shortly	680
Ald. McGregor	650
W. Salisbury	640
W. B. Conway	600
A. Macfarlane	580
Ald. Turner	570
R. E. Layfield	560
Dickson Davidson	560
H. LeBrun	535
Thos. Barrie	530
A. E. Dickson	500
H. C. Winch	485
Geo. Elliott	470
Ald. Clinkscale	465
Kelmey Hall	450
W. G. Ferguson	400
V. Eastwood	395
Alex. Gibson	385
Ald. Edgecumbe	370
G. W. Moore	360
C. B. Robertson	350

HOW TO VOTE.

Each coupon will have the value of two votes. Cut the coupons out and either mail it addressed to The Times or leave it at our office.

5 Votes

For Mayor of Peterboro

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For Alderman

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The state of the poll will be published occasionally, at the start, and later on, the result of each day's vote will be made known every morning.

—Miss Minnie Kennedy spent Christmas with friends in Keene.

PARTNERS SHOT EACH OTHER

Had a Duel Locked in a Room—One Dead One Dying

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 26.—Information reached here from Searcy, Ark., this afternoon that Orlando Miller and D. Mahan, merchants of West Point, Ark., and partners in business, locked themselves in a room and settled their business troubles with pistols.

Miller shot Mahan over the ear, killing him instantly. At the same second Mahan shot Miller over the heart and the surgeon says that Miller cannot live many hours.

COAL SUPPLY

Many Collieries are Still Idle on Account of Floods

Pottsville, Pa., Dec. 26.—The Philadelphia and Reading R. R. Co., in order to increase the supply of anthracite coal in New York and Philadelphia, has issued orders that no family in this section be permitted to purchase more than one ton of coal at a time. All employers of the company have been limited to one ton a month.

The collieries which were flooded by the rains of last week are still idle, and in consequence the anthracite production has been considerable decreased.

KEEPS PRINCE OUT OF BUSINESS

King Edward Won't Let Francis of Teck Become a Stock Broker

London, Dec. 26.—A story is printed to the effect that the King has vetoed a proposal by Prince Francis of Teck, a brother of the Princess of Wales, to become a stock broker. The firm of Panmure, Gordon & Co., offered the Prince £3,000 a year to enter into a partnership. Other prominent firms have since offered much higher figures, there being a keen contest to secure his services.

The King, however, would not hear of a brother of the future Queen assuming such a position, which would be in any case a delicate one, and which would become impossible in the event of the Prince of Wales becoming sovereign.

CHARITY FOR KRUGER

The British People Have Treated the Old Man Generously

London, Dec. 26—W. L. Alden, the noted literary critic, writes as follows —"Mr Kruger's book has probably received better treatment in England because it is the work of an enemy than it would have received had it been the work of a friend. England is in a magnanimous mood, and the Boer generals when they landed here were received with as much enthusiasm as Kitchener himself. But if Kruger's book were to be judged solely on its merits, I doubt very much if it would have received the favorable reviews which it has so far received. It is the work of a cunning and ignorant old man, and those facts stand out on nearly every page. Of course it has a certain interest as the work of a man whose name has for the past four or five years been in everybody's mouth, but it seems to be decidedly dull, and is, in short, just such a book as Kruger might have been expected to write."

CALLS KAISER A PARVENU

Paris Paper Says He Wants the World to Know He Has a Navy

Paris, Dec. 26.—Commenting on the Venezuelan affair, the Petit Journal says the Kaiser evidently set great store on involving King Edward in his schemes, but there is no proof that the King did not see this from the first. By hanging back and refusing to go hand in hand with the Emperor the King has given the Kaiser a disagreeable lesson.

The Matin expresses the opinion that Germany and the Kaiser are behaving like parvenus who, having made a great deal of money in a short time, want everybody to know it. Germany now has a navy which she is using to astonish the world in general and the weak nations in particular.

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MR. JOHN CORKERY IS NOW MAYOR OF PETERBORO

He was the Unanimous Choice of the Council Last Night

To Succeed Mayor Denne, Resigned—Mail Delivery to be Asked for—Free Library for Peterborough

At the Council meeting last night Mayor Denne handed in his written resignation, which was accepted. On motion of Ald. Roger, seconded by Ald. Rush, Ald. John Corkery was the unanimous choice of the Council for Mayor for the balance of the year 1902.

Ex-Mayor Denne's reason for withdrawing from municipal office is that he has accepted a position with the American Cereal Company, which will call him away from home too frequently to allow of his attending to the duties of Chief Magistrate in that thorough and efficient manner which has characterized all his proceedings while enjoying the public's confidence during the past eight years. His object in retiring before the end of the year is that he may be eligible for election as a Waterworks Commissioner for 1903. In this respect he has only acquiesced to the urgent demands of a large majority of citizens, who recognize, that having been Mayor, when the waterworks was taken over by the Town, since which time he has acted with Messrs. Matthews and Hill as Commissioner, his services are indispensable during the forthcoming term, especially as a reorganization of the water rates are now under consideration by ex-Mayor Denne and his exceedingly capable colleagues.

Then, again, questions may arise from time to time during the next year in connection with the purchase of the water works by the Town, on which Mr. Denne will be better qualified to advise than one who had not served on the Civic Board at the time of such purchase. It is admitted by thinking men that in the interests of the Town, the three present commissioners should be re-elected for 1903.

Ex-Mayor Denne's flour and feed business will be conducted by his brother, Mr. Roland Denne, who was for eight years with Messrs. Richard Hall & Son. Mr. T. H. G. Denne will enter upon his duties with the American Cereal Company at the beginning of next year.

SPECIAL SESSION.

The Town Council met in special session last night to wind up the business for 1902.

There were present Mayor T. H. G. Denne, and Ald. Rogers, Rush, J. J. Turner, Morrison, Batten, Corkery and Edgecumbe.

The minutes were adopted as typewritten.

A FREE LIBRARY.

A communication from Mr. Andrew Carnegie with reference to a free library for the town was referred to the Finance Committee with power to act.

Accompanying the communication was form with the following blanks to be filled in and returned—

Population of the Town, how housed, amount of taxes paid yearly to support, amount guaranteed from taxes if free building is obtained, is requisite site available, amount now collected toward building, has it a library at present.

It is understood that Mr. Richard Hall and Mr. McGill, executors of the Nicholls estate have guaranteed a free site, providing Mr. Carnegie donates a sufficient sum for the erection of the building.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From J. J. Turner, Jennie Kindred, W. Creamer, John Brightman, Jas. Goodman, A. R. Fraser, John Parrington, asking for remission of dog tax.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From a number of ratepayers petitioning that a sewer be not constructed on Rubidge street, between Rink and Charlotte streets—Referred to the Board of Works.

From R. A. Roddy, applying for a license for a shooting gallery at the same fee as last year.—License Committee.

ACCOUNTS.

Three or four accounts were referred to the Finance Committee.

FOR NEXT YEAR.

Ald. Morrison submitted the following report:—

Gentlemen,—Your Joint Committee beg leave to report that it is too late this year to deal with the questions referred to in the presentment of the Grand Jury which was forwarded to the Councils and we recommend that they be left for the Joint Committee to take into consideration next year.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The report was adopted as read.

LICENSE COMMITTEE REPORT.

Ald. J. J. Turner submitted the report of the above committee, recommending that Mr. R. A. Roddy be granted a license for a shooting gallery on payment of $5. The report was adopted.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Roger submitted the following report:—

Gentlemen,—Your Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That 600 cords of stone for street the town at $3 a cord, delivered in the yard, or wherever required, and that the stone be paid for on the certificat of the Town Engineer.

2. That the Peterborough Light & Power Co. be permitted to place eight poles on the south side of Brock street, between George and Aylmer streets, and two poles on the north side of McDonnel street, between Harvey and Water streets, the poles to be placed under the supervision of the Town Engineer.

3. That the Town Engineer be instructed to permit the Bell Telephone Co's poles on McDonnel street, east of Aylmer st., to be moved, the poles to be placed under his supervision.

4. That the Town Solicitor be authorized to make a contract with Mr. A. J. Campbell to survey the reserve on the river front from Townsend to Hunter streets, and place iron posts at the intersection of the streets and the centre line between the streets, and furnish plans, and pay all surveys and other outlays, the whole to be [illegible].

5. That the Town Engineer be authorized to issue a certificate for the balance held back on S. Kennedy's contract for a sidewalk on Charlotte street, provided he gets a release from the executors of the Chamberlain estate.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The report was adopted as read.

FINANCE REPORT.

Ald. Roger submitted the following report:—

Gentlemen,—Your Finance Committee beg leave to report and recommend, as follows:—

1. That the following accounts be paid:—

Thos. J. Moore	$110.25
Sharp & Manning	24 00
A. McDonald	19 83
Peterborough Water Com.	24 00
Times Printing Co.	13 50
Kingan Hardware Co.	3 32
Hall & Hayes	3 00
Toronto Savings & Loan Co.	3 00

2. That the polling booths used at the Referendum vote on the Liquor Act be paid for in accordance with the order of the Returning Officer.

3. That the assessment for the sewers and granolithic walks constructed this year be made on the basis that the debentures to be issued shall bear four per cent. interest, and that the sinking fund be on a three per cent. basis, and that the Town Trust Commissioners have the first refusal of the debentures.

MONEY BY-LAW.

A by-law to authorize the borrowing of $5,000 to pay for extensions of the water works system during the past year passed its several readings.

Ald. Turner moved, seconded by Ald. Morrison, a resolution urging that a general mail delivery by carrier be established at once, and that the Town Clerk take the necessary steps in connection with this matter at once.—Carried.

Council then adjourned.

LATEST SPORTING NEWS

The New Rink in Shape to be Flooded

HOCKEY.

The T.A.S. Hockey team will play their matches on the new rink and will practice four nights a week.

—The new rink is in shape for making ice and weather permitting there will be skating in a few days.

Varsity did not play at Port Hope yesterday, there being no ice in the new rink. The game may be fixed for New Year's Day.

The Stanley Cup is still where it was, and there does not seem any likelihood that the Montreal Club will recede from the action already taken. —Montreal Star.

Jack Marshall, of the Montreal hockey team, tried to body-check a trolley car, and was put down himself. He lost consciousness and was taken to a hospital. He suffered a number of cuts and bruises about the head.

The Montreal Hockey team, smarting under the undeserved slurs that have been cast upon them by the Western papers are anxious to play for the Stanley Cup—Montreal Star. The time limit for the acceptance of the Vic's challenge expires today.

THE RING.

Tom Sharkey has just emerged from his retirement and wishes to fight again. Some time ago Sharkey announced that he had quit the ring, but the introduction of a championship possibility in the person of Jack Monroe, the Anaconda miner, who succeeded in staying four rounds with Jim Jeffries, caused the ex-sailor to change his mind and appear on the fistic horizon again. In an interview yesterday Sharkey stated his willingness to meet either Monroe or Jim Jeffries in any sort of bout for a purse and side bet limited from $1,000 to $5,000.

LACROSSE.

A cable despatch to a morning paper from London, England, reads—

"A strong team of lacrosse players drawn from England and Ireland will probably visit Canada in 1904. The project has been favorably received, and inquiry into the possible playing strength of such a team suggests that little difficulty will be experienced in raising a strong side. The trip may be made either in April, or at the end of July, according to the arrangements concluded in Canada for the championship league games there.".

The project to bring a team of lacrosse players to Canada from the Old Country in 1904 was mentioned in The Times some time ago. Mr. J. Melrose Macdonald, the able secretary-treasurer, of the Toronto Lacrosse and Athletic Association, is conducting the negotiations from this side of the Atlantic. He said today that he has been communicating with the English and Irish Lacrosse Associations, but that he has received no definite assurance that a team will come, though he believes that the trip will be arranged.

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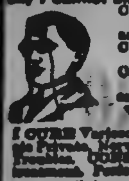

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, DEC. 27, 1902.

THE GROWING MARKET IN CHINA

The increasing importance to foreign nations of the Chinese market is shown by a report on the foreign trade of China for the past year furnished by Mr. Jamieson, the British Commercial Attache in China, and published by the British Foreign Office. Comparing the figures for the year with those of 1896, the year in which trade recovered from the war with Japan, it appears that while the total trade in 1896 was just over 54 millions sterling, it amounted last year to very nearly 69 millions, the imports having increased by 6 1-2 millions sterling. The value of merchandise imported to China last year was over 29 1-2 millions, of which 14 3-4 millions represented the value of cotton goods, over 4 3-4 that of opium, 2 1-2 kerosene oil, nearly 2 sugar, over 1 1-2 metals and over half a million woollen goods. In spite of the steady increase in the cultivation of native opium, the Indian drug continues to hold its place, and the import last year was almost exactly the same as in 1897. While the main staples of the import trade, except kerosene and sugar, have to a great extent remained stationary, certain articles included under the head of sundries show great increases. Chief among these are flour, matches soap, cigars and cigarettes, aniline dyes, perfumery, paints and umbrellas. The figures relating to these show a gradual change in native taste and a growing tendency to absorb more articles of Western production.

The total exports of China last year were valued at just over 25 millions sterling, of which silk amounted to 9 and tea to 2 3-4 millions. The statistics show that the low exchange has had the effect of stimulating exports, and it has been said that but for the fall of silver many articles now in the export list would never have found their way there, and that a rise in exchange would cause them to disappear altogether. Mr. Jamieson concludes his report with some suggestions for the expansion of trade with China. He thinks that a wider field is opening for machinery, owing to the increasing establishment of [illegible] and flour mills, the adoption of foreign presses for dealing with bean products and the use of engines to assist in various kinds of local manufacture on a small scale. He also suggests experiments in the manufacture of such articles as hats and shoe uppers for the millions of China and the imitation of Chinese table accessories in electro-plate and similar importations.

There are indications that China will become an important market for Canadian products. Canada could supply China with an almost unlimited amount of flour, and the increase in the flour importations of China and the fact that that country is establishing flour mills show that the consumption of flour is increasing. The Chinese are likely to show an increasing liking for flour products and as to how, the Chinese Consul General at San Francisco has pointed out, China is too densely populated to spare much land for wheat growing. In China land must be cultivated like a garden to produce adequate results, and wheat is not a suitable product for such cultivation. Whatever wheat China absorbs must be imported, and most of it will probably be imported in the form of flour. When the Siberian railroad is completed Siberia will be a competitor with North America for the Chinese market for wheat and flour, but North America would have the advantage of ocean carriage instead of a long haul by rail. There is likely to be a great market for American flour in China and Canada should be able to obtain a considerable share of that market. And among the many other articles which China is increasingly importing there are many which Canada is well qualified to supply.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

The sanitary condition of the French army was brought before the French Senate the other day by M. Gotteron, who stated that, while since 1870 Germany had lost only 13,000 soldiers from disease, France has lost 99,000. Gen Andree, in reply to this startling declaration, acknowledged that in France the military mortality was 4.17 per 10,000, whereas in Germany it was only 1.41. Tuberculosis and typhoid fever, he said, were the principal factors. In the barracks, he added, many reforms had been affected in the past ten years, but many municipalities failed to provide good water. He should endeavor as far as possible to withdraw garrisons from such towns. As to tuberculosis, Germany exempted weakly conscripts, a course which favorably affected the statistics, but the malady, in any case, was more frequent in France than in Germany. Conscripts, moreover, had to join the regiments on November 15, when a change of climate, diet and habits was most undesirable, the this imprudence had to be dearly paid for.

DISTRICT NEWS

KEENE.

—The school concert held on Friday evening last was a decided success. The hall was filled to overflowing, and the receipts amounted to $[illegible], which will be used to get new mats for the school rooms. The pupils were well drilled and went through the different exercises without a mistake, the fan drill being especially well rendered. But the song that brought down the house was "Hello Santa, Give Me Heaven," sung by little Joe McCarthy, a little boy only five years old. The following is the complete program:

Opening chorus... ..."Rule Britannia," By the senior pupils.
Dumb bell exercise... ...By seven boys.
Duet..... ....By Edith Bryce and Jean Shaw.
Dialogue..... ... ..."Farmers' Institute." By five boys.
Chorus.. ...."John Bull's Children," By the school.
Doll drill..... ....By little girls.
Duet..... ....Walter Laing and Norman Taylor.
Club swinging...... ... ...By little girls.
Recitation..... ....Jennie Weir.
Instrumental duet.......Mabel McCann and Laura McFarlane.
Fan drill..... ....By twelve girls.
Parody on fan drill...By twelve boys.
Recitation..... ....Katie Skinner.
Vocal duet..... ......Miss Mabel McCann and Miss Pearl McCann.
Dialogue... ..."Debate on Newspapers," Large boys.
Solo......"Hello Santa, Give me Heaven," Master Joseph McCarthy.
Maypole dance in December... ...Boys and girls
Chorus..... ....By the school.

After the concert Dr. Shaw moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Wallace and Campbell and the children, for the excellent concert.

—Wm. Copperwait, of Birdsall's, spent Sunday in the village.

—Miss Lily Bull, of Winnipeg, is spending the holidays at Dr. Harrison's.

—James Campbell, of Toronto Medical College, is home for Christmas.

—William Campbell, of the R.M.C., Kingston, is spending Christmas at home.

—Miss Daisy Seccombe, of Whitby Ladies' College is home for Christmas.

—The rink opened on Saturday evening last, and there was a large number present enjoying the excellent skating.

—A horse belonging to Mr. Robert Humphry ran away on Sunday, but did very little damage.

—Miss Minnie Kenneally spent Christmas with friends in Keene.

—Miss Mary Andrews, of Toronto, is visiting at Miss Bryce's at present.

FOR THE MAYORALTY.

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What to do With the Jews

Almost as tenacious and inexplicable as the racial peculiarities and general characteristics of the Jewish people themselves are the prejudices and antagonisms with respect to them cherished and often manifested by other people in various parts of the civilized world. One might think that in our day of tolerant and enlightened thought, when the contributions which the Jews have made and are making to science, literature and art, to industrial wealth and financial progress, are coming to be recognized at their full value, that at this time the blind and unreasonable hatred of the race which formerly obtained would lessen and vanish away. And so it has, in a great measure, in most enlightened communities; in others, it seems to remain in full force.

Just now a new anti-Jewish movement seems to be sweeping over parts of Europe, more especially in the East. Fifty thousand Jews have, it is stated, been ordered to quit the mining province of Russia, and to reside within the pale after sacrificing their occupations and their property. In Roumania, also, they are being forced to emigrate by a series of laws which practically deprive them of all means of subsistence. They have absolutely no rights, and live at the mercy of a population which hates them to such a degree that their Parliament has declared all Jews to be foreigners, although they have been resident for centuries. Neither Germany nor Austria will do anything for them, and it seems impossible for Western Europe, which is more tolerant, either to protect them or to find them a new habitat.

The problem, then, what to do with the Jews, appears, from a European point of view at least, to be almost as insoluble as the problem of the colored race in America. One thing seems clear, that it is not to be solved by wholesale emigration or colonization, such as the Zionists propose, any more than the negro difficulty can be cleared away by a like process. The only rational solution now presenting itself in either case, thinks "Leslie's Weekly," is that lying through education of the right kind, through development to a higher, broader, more tolerant and humane plane of life and thought for all classes concerned; a slow process, it is true, but apparently the only one that holds out any promise of success.

Ungenerous Winners and Bad Losers.

Gentle reader—as the old-school editorial used to address you—have you ever played checkers with an opponent who, when he had gained a slight advantage over you in the number of pieces, traded one for one, mercilessly, until he had brought your ratio of strength to a point where your defeat was inevitable. His play was strictly according to Hoyle. You could not frame a non-demurrable complaint against him. And yet you raged inwardly against his policy and called it unsportsmanlike.

Well, there are people who play the game of life in that same way. Many of them are very respectable people, too, go to church every Sunday, treat their families kindly and obey the law. They are very companionable, jolly fellows, often, but beware of them in any little game of business or politics. Don't let them crowd you into a corner or get the better of you by one piece or obtain a chance through your negligence to slip a king into the square between two of your pieces. Don't endorse any little notes for them or go on their bonds or make oral contracts with them or work with them or for them without having had a definite understanding, provable by witnesses and writings, concerning your share of the profits or spoils.

They will not cheat you any more than old Shylock would have cheated Antonio, but they will have the full amount of their bond, though it cost your heart's blood. They will stay within the limits of the law and will give you justice, but if you cry to them for mercy you will waste your breath. They will take advantage of technicalities, and they will laugh at appeals to their generosity. "Business is business," they will say. "There is the letter of the bond." There can be no withdrawing a move once made when they are in the game.

This policy is very exasperating to the losing player, whether the game be checkers, business, politics, high finance, diplomacy or anything else, but, after all, it is perfectly fair. It is nature's own way of playing the game of existence. Readers of Huxley recollect his famous illustration of the struggle of existence as that of a man playing chess against an automaton which never makes a misplay and never overlooks one committed by its opponent. If we look without prejudice we see that Shylock was in the right. Whatever generous impulses we may have, we have no right to grumble because another holds us fast to the terms of our contract or the rules of the game.

Meaner than the checker-player who trades one for one when he has more pieces than his opponent is the man who always asks odds, who whines for mercy, who will not take his medicine like a man, who is willing enough to play, but weak-hearted when the game goes against him. We like to see a man generous in victory, but we admire far more the man who is game and patient in defeat. Men despise an exacting, hoggish winner, but a whimpering loser disgusts them.

A Philanthropic Miscarriage.

A man died recently in America and left half a million dollars to establish a home for—indigent women, he is alleged to have meant, but he wrote, instead, "indignant" women. Now the lawyers are vigorously fighting the will on the ground that its essential provision cannot be carried out legally. But why? Surely they cannot prove that there are no indignant women to advantage by the bequest. Nor will any sane and honest man contend that it would not be a good thing to provide a home where such might foregather, as occasion arose, to give vent to their indignation. Now that the lawyers have hold of the estate, it is useless, of course, to ponder its eventual disposition; but the probabilities are that the devisor had in mind, and really intended, as a boon to his fellow-men, a retreat for indignant ladies. If he had meant "indigent" he might have said so.

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Golf and Stained Glass.

The aesthetic portrait painter and the enthusiastic golfer sat before a blazing wood fire in the lounging-room of the country club. Having nothing in common they had tried in vain to entertain one another, and were now at a conversational standstill. A burst of sunlight streaming in through the stained glass window bathed the men and all about them in a flood of red, white, blue and yellow, causing both to look up, and giving the artist an inspiration.

"Did you ever follow up the evolution of the stained glass window?" he asked.

"No. I can't say that I ever did," replied his companion, bored but resigned.

"Well, the art in its inception dates back to the reign of Caligula, A.D. 37, but up to the beginning of the nineteenth century the colors were laid on with paints for the most part. Since the discovery of the art of staining glass by the use of chemicals while in its molten state, and of other modern processes used in connection with it, the making of stained glass has taken tremendous strides, opening up an entirely new field for the exercise of artistic genius which is being generally taken advantage of. For instance——"

"No. I never thought of that," interrupted the golfer, "but, you know, the game of golf dates back to——"

"Oh, golf be hanged!" exclaimed the artist, impatiently. "You don't seem to think of anything else."

And he went out to admire the beautiful October landscape, while the other man started to find someone who would play nine holes with him, muttering as he walked along: "Golf is a darn sight better fun than stained glass, anyway."

Rockefeller's New Hair.

The Chicago "Record-Herald" declares that a new growth of hair adorns John D. Rockefeller's head. A few months ago, the multi-millionaire lost every hair on his head, lost his eyebrows, his moustache, became as bald as the mirrors in his drawing-room. He was extremely sensitive about his remarkable lack of hair. To wear a wig would have been to reduce infinitely the chance of growing new, true hair of his own. He suffered from what the dermatologists call "allopecia areata." The dermatologists call the soft, downy hair that now decorates his head "lanugo," from the Latin lana (wool). Usually when this much-desired "lanugo" appears it is white. So when the bald spots in which it springs are small it gives the patient's head a strangely mottled or piebald appearance, as contrasted with his natural hair, which may be black or brown or red. But Mr. Rockefeller's head is not piebald; it is covered with silky, white hair. Soon, if it thrives and grows, it may become pigmented. The only discouragement about the growth of the silky hair is that in persons over fifty years of age there is no certainty that it will flourish. Many cases have been known of "allopecia areata," where the hair has revived and has become pigmented with the old-time colors. But these cases have been, in nearly every instance, in persons under fifty, and generally under twenty years of age. There have been a few rare cases in people more than a half century old where the delicate hair has become stout and healthy, and grew until death.

A Summer Idyl.

"It was one of the hottest nights last season," he said. "The missus and children were at the seashore, and I was alone in the house. To gain a little coolness I opened the doors through all the rooms on the second story and dragged up my bed to the front window. Just as I was feeling the relief, and was dropping off into a most delicious slumber, a prolonged and melancholy yowl awoke me. Again and again it was repeated. I recognized the sound only too well—it was a dog serenading the moon, which was at its full, and I knew by experience that such concerts usually lasted hours. Rising on my elbow, I could see across the street, and there in a patch of silvery light on a balcony sat a small white fox terrier, with nose uplifted, enjoying a very ecstasy of woe. 'Flora!' called a coaxing voice from the window. 'Come here.' Flora paid no attention, whereupon a white form appeared, and, leaning out, made a grab at the small offender, who retreated to the other end of the balcony out of reach and renewed her music, unheeding the dulcet endearments of her mistress, who tried to induce her to re-enter the house. A second window was opposite Flora, and the white form reappeared at that and cautiously reached out an arm to seize the dog, who, however, gained the other point of vantage and continued to bay to the moon. This puss in the corner business was continued several minutes, Flora scampering from end to end of the balcony, evidently enjoying her triumph, while still continuing her music. By this time heads appeared at the windows of several other houses, and the situation became desperate. 'Dear Flora! Pretty Flora! Here's a nice biscuit for Flora!' called the soft voice, but Flora would not be cajoled. Finally, to the relief of everyone, Nemesis appeared. When Flora made her last skip from her mistress a tall figure in pink pajamas appeared at the other window, stretched out a long masculine arm and seized the wicked Flora by the scruff of her neck. 'Ki-yi!' yelped the little animal; but the master of the house, incensed at being aroused from his slumber to catch a pet dog, had no compassion. That a well deserved punishment was inflicted we all heard with satisfaction. Then quiet reigned and we returned to our couches and interrupted repose."—N. Y. "Tribune."

Regarded in Different Ways.

That one can obtain more favors by "jollying" than by being brusque is just as true as "one can catch more flies with molasses than with vinegar." The New York "Tribune" cites a case in point:

Two young men employed by the New York Life Insurance Company have lived in a boarding-house in West Twenty-third street for some time, and one has the reputation of being a "jollier," while the other is quick spoken and of a bearish disposition. The young men are friends and usually breakfast together. Their respective standings in the estimation of the dining-room maid may be judged from the way in which that damsel shouted their orders—both had requested steaks—down the dumb-waiter shaft recently:

"A nice beefsteak, a trifle rare, for Mr. Wood. Some meat for Baldwin."

Hardships of the Educated.

Expatiating upon the hardships of the educated youth, a contemporary intimates that this is a bad time for the college man who goes out into the world to find something to do. Taking into consideration the fact that this is what is popularly known as the "silly season," it is not surprising to find intimations of this nature in ordinarily sane quarters. Viewed, however, as a proposition worthy of serious consideration, it is not difficult to substantiate a claim to the contrary effect, and to say positively that for the man who is really educated there has never been a time richer in opportunities than this. Of course if a man spends four years in college storing his mind with useless knowledge it is not at all likely that his B.A. will help him much in getting himself established in life, and the chances are that without material assistance from his parents he would stand an excellent chance to be reckoned among the idlers. But the other man, the man who knows what he wants to do and fits himself for it, and is persistent and conscientious in his work, need have no fear that the world will be lacking in rewards for him when the harvest time comes. The melancholy fact that our colleges are turning out sciolists by the dozens, men who half know a lot of things that have no practical value in the pursuit of fame and fortune, does not alter the other fact that the well-trained student who has gone at his work seriously, and with a particular object in view, finds always a ready market for his energies. The whine that we get from the so-called "educated" man is not from educated men at all, but from those who confound the possession of a degree with education; who think that because they have fulfilled the academic requirements of the college they are therefore educated. These men may possess a vast amount of information, but they are no more educated necessarily than a man who possesses a complete tool-chest is by virtue of that possession a good carpenter. To have the finest set of tools in the world is a hollow mockery to the man who does not know how to use them; and these wailing youngsters who plunge into the whirl and eddy of life with a store of information that they do not know how to avail themselves of are in an equally sad case. But the fault is not with their times: it is with themselves—or perhaps with their parents, who have failed at the proper time to observe their bent, and to direct their energies in the channels most fit for their fullest development.

An Athletic Fallacy.

Commenting on the recent defeat of Walter J. Travis, the golf champion, by Louis Napoleon James, the New York "Evening Post" says: "With all friendly feeling for Mr. Travis, most golfers will rejoice in his defeat. It is only human nature to wish to see a tradition of invincibility broken, and for three years past Mr. Travis has been invincible. He was and is the finest example of what are called the older players—that is, those who had reached full maturity before handling the driver or the iron. It was felt, and justly, that the younger players, who had learned their full swings during the flexible period of boyhood, must very soon assert their superiority. This has been done by Mr. James, a Western player. But Mr. Travis has not fallen before demonstrating the hollowness of several athletic fallacies. It is often said that, athletically, it is all up with a man beyond thirty who has not previously been an athlete. Proverbs to this effect abound. It is said, for example, that a man may ride beyond thirty, but never acquires 'a seat,' and in general the man of thirty as a beginner in sports has about the consideration that Dr. Johnson gave to the preaching woman. Mr. Travis, by learning a very difficult game, beyond the fatal year, and by carrying off for three years running the championship honors against all comers, has done much to commend himself to his contemporaries—even to those who by no means covet distinction on the links. It is a comfort to have those wretched proverbs about the thirtieth year disproved."

Irish Politics.

The tragic times in Ireland, when peasant was at open war with landlord and all were at war with English rule, are relieved by many good stories. As Mr. Michael MacDonagh says in his book, "Irish Life and Character," the mercurial Celt is whimsical even in time of trouble.

When Mr. A. J. Balfour, the present Premier, was Chief Secretary for Ireland, he met Father Healy at a dinner in Dublin.

"Tell me, Father Healy," said Mr. Balfour, "is it true the people of Ireland hate me as much as the Nationalist newspapers represent?"

"Hate you!" replied the priest. "If they hated evil as they hate you, Mr. Balfour, my occupation would be gone."

Yet it was Mr. Balfour who a few years later had accomplished much toward the pacification of Ireland. His name became amusingly prominent in Irish families. A gentleman driving into the town of Westport, County Mayo, was stopped by a pig which ran in front of his horse. An old peasant shouted across the ditch to a boy who was watching the pig stupidly:

"Arrah, Mick, will ye stir yerself? Don't ye see Arthur James runnin' away?"

Struck by the name, the gentleman asked the old man about it, and found that in gratitude to Mr. Balfour, who had been the means of getting them the pig, the peasant had given the animal his name.

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It was not long since the young women in the cataloguing department of the Astor Library were laughing at a beginner there who catalogued Greek roots under "botany." But some of the mistakes made by beginners elsewhere are just as amusing. Many years ago a young woman who had not yet learned all the intricacies of her work was cataloguing a set of works under "mill." So she wrote:

"Mill on Liberty."
"Ditto on the Floss."

That is one of the historic mistakes that librarians quote, and a newer one is just as amusing. This was the result of a young librarian's inexperience, and read:

"Lead—See Metallurgy."
"Lead—Kindly Light."
"Lead—Poisoning."

A Laughter-Cure For Drunkenness.

In a recent lecture at Chicago University, Professor William N. Guthrie declared that laughter and comedy made be made to play an important part as curative and remedial agents, even to the point of protecting humanity from the liquor habit. Says the Chicago "News" (July 7), in a report of the lecture:

"Drunkenness, of course, is due only in part to discouragement or desperation. But for the considerable number who drink because they feel dejected and seek a quick and easy way of throwing off their depression, there is a much larger number who drink either because they have nothing else to do or because they crave some excitement to relieve the monotony of their lives. Drinking is a great time-consuming habit, and the man who would shake it off usually finds that the reform leaves him with an undue amount of leisure. One chief trouble with the efforts to suppress the evil, perhaps, is that while the drinker and his friends make brave efforts to stop the bad habit, they do little or nothing toward putting a new and wholesome habit in its place. It is in this stage that his bored feeling and his depression recur with greatest effect. Professor Guthrie's address contains a hint for the despondent person. Let him surround himself with the influences which make for comedy and laughter. Let him seek cheery companionship or attend amusing entertainments. The chances are that he will find the time slipping by so pleasantly that he has forgotten his depression and much of his craving for artificial excitement. Good fun and good cookery—the one to occupy the depressed man's mind and the other to steady his nerves—might be made to do a great deal toward suppressing the liquor evil."

That Professor Guthrie is a valuable press agent for the comic opera and vaudeville companies is asserted by the Chicago "Record-Herald;" but after following out this light vein for some time it becomes more serious and says:

"There really is a scientific or physiological basis for Professor Guthrie's cure for alcoholism. The general assumption is that men resort to alcoholic stimulation to make them feel happier than their normal condition would justify. They drink to drive away the 'blues' and to induce a feeling of temporary mental elation. If this feeling of mental buoyancy and cheerfulness can be induced by some other means than alcoholic stimulants, it is clear that the desire for intoxicants will be lessened.

"This is the argument of Professor Guthrie, and it seems sound and logical. The 'horse play' of John Slavin or Montgomery and Stone may not fertilize the mind as does 'The Second Mrs. Tanqueray,' but it is more certain to Keeleyize the desire for strong drink."

He'd Never Thought of It.

The camera fiend was getting ready to go into the woods, his present fad being the photographing of young birds in their nests, for the purpose, as he explained, of illustrating the "life history" of the feathered songsters.

"My friend," said one of the group on the portico, "I know you to be a man of humane instincts, and that you would hesitate a long time before you would kill an innocent thing like a wood thrush, a young robin or any other harmless bird. Nor would you cause them pain, much less a lingering death, if you knew it. Now, the fact is, you are almost certain to do all these things in your pursuit of the photographs of very young birds."

"I don't see how," was the incredulous rejoinder.

"Then I'll take the liberty of explaining. In almost every instance you find it necessary, in order to get the proper light upon a nest, to cut away some of the limbs that surround it. In doing this you are almost certain to frighten the mother bird, sometimes to so great an extent that she leaves the nest never to return, which means death by the torturing process of starvation to her little brood. Even if this does not occur, the removal of the twigs and the leaves upon them deprives the growing youngsters of their natural protection from the burning sunbeams or the cold, driving rains, and death comes to them in that way. Or, escaping this danger, they fall victims to hawks, owls or other birds of prey; your handiwork, by rendering the nest more conspicuous, having contributed to this result."

"By jove, I never thought of that," said the man with the fad, "but now I see that it is true. I'll do no more of it."

And he kept his word.

Do Tobacco and Cheese Cause Cancer?

Of all the ills that flesh is heir to there is none more justly dreaded than cancer, a painful and lingering disease for which no adequate remedy has yet been found. It will be remembered that in an address before a medical congress a year or so ago, King Edward of England expressed the hope that a diligent effort would be made to discover some means of checking this dreadful malady. Recent investigations point to the conclusion that one of the causes of cancer is improper food and drink. That cancers of the lips and mouth are caused by excessive smoking is now a fact established by the case of General Grant and others, and it has been intimated that cancer microbes have been found in certain vile-smelling foreign cheeses for which some fashionable people profess to have a great liking. So far as the malady is traceable to causes like these the remedy to be applied is simple and easy, viz., to smoke moderately, if at all, and to let all mouldy and decayed articles of food alone, no matter if gourmets pretend to like them.

Theory and Practice.

"Papa," said the sweet girl graduate, "wasn't my commencement gown a whooperino? I had the other girls skinned alive!" "And this is the girl," said papa, sadly, "whose graduating essay was 'An Appeal for Higher Standards of Thought and Expression!'"

District Attorney Jerome of New York, whose father, Lawrence Jerome, was a celebrated wit of his day, says that on a certain occasion, when he was a little chap, he was riding on his father's knee in a Fifth avenue stage, every other seat being taken. At the corner a lady entered, and his father said to him in severe tones: "Why, Travers, my boy, I am ashamed of you! Why don't you get up and give this lady your seat?"

WERE AT WATERLOO

Two Women Who Witnessed the Battle of Waterloo are Still Alive

London, Dec. 25.—Consequent upon the published comment that the race of Battle of Waterloo survivors on both sides who were actually combatants is absolutely extinct, an inquiry was recently made respecting surviving eye-witnesses. Among these two women have been located. Barbara Moon, who saw the battle from a British wagon, resides at Gravesend, in Kent, and is [illegible] years old.

Madame Marie Theresa Dupois, of Chapelle-lez-Herlaimont, near Charleroi, is, however, a good nine years her senior, and yet far more vigorous. She is a magnificent specimen of Walloon womanhood. At the time of the famous battle she was a buxom lass of 12 and did a roaring trade in cheap cigars and ardent spirits with the French soldiers. Mme. Dupois saw the battle raging from the hills to the south and on the following day aided in comforting the wounded.

There are still living also three survivors of the historic ball on the eve of Quatre Bras—Lady de Ros and her sisters, Lady Louisa Tighe and Lady Sophia Churchill.

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Brunette and Blonde.

A ROMANCE.

ly across the springing turf, and clasped her arms around the fair neck of the elated heiress.

"Florry, dear, I am glad you are going to be such a great lady," she said, kissing the smooth, peachy cheek.

Florence drew back from the loving caress of the girl she had all along believed to be her sister, and said, with a supercilious air and tone:—

"Oh, pshaw! Hilda, of course I know that that speech is all cant. You are only sorry that you are not in my place this minute. And now, while I think of it, you may hand me that locket, with my mother's miniature, that you have worn so long."

Even Mr. Aylesford, who considered Florence perfect in all respects, drew back aghast at the sudden rudeness and selfishness of the peer's granddaughter, but no one spoke, and Hilda silently untied the velvet ribbon around her neck, and drew from it the beautiful locket. A quick tear softened her proud, dark eyes as she touched the spring and looked at the beautiful face within. Impulsively she pressed her lips upon it, then shut it with a snap, and laid it in Florence's hand.

"My mother, the daughter of an earl!" exclaimed Florence, proudly, as she looked at it. "I will wear this henceforth, instead of my father's picture."

And suiting the action to the word she put in her pocket the locket she had worn, and substituted for it the one she had taken from Hilda.

CHAPTER VI.

A Mysterious Stranger.

"Pardon me, young lady, but will you tell me how you came by this locket?"

The speaker, a beautiful, sad-eyed woman, came up to Lady Florence Aylesford, and touched the golden ornament at her throat with one eager finger, while she uttered the anxious question.

The scene was on the lawn at the Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs in West Virginia. The Aylesfords had arrived there that morning in company with the two Englishmen. They were on their way to New York, whence they would leave for England accompanied by Florence. Mr. Aylesford and Hilda had borne them company as far as the noted summer resort we have named. The whole party proposed remaining there a few days, and then they would separate — Hilda and her father to return to their mountain home, and Florence, under convoy of her new friends, to seek her grandfather's stately castle in England.

It was September, and the height of the season was over at the springs but the hotel and cottages were still filled with visitors who were loth to forsake the health-giving mountain breezes and the exhilarating waters. As the Lady Florence and Hilda walked about the green lawn that began to be lightly sprinkled now with bright-hued autumn leaves, the blonde and brunette attracted much attention. Florence's brilliant coloring and coquettish grace made her beauty noticeable everywhere, and Hilda, though unformed and childish, still gave such promise of future perfection in her free, proud bearing, and bright, dark eyes, that the gazers' eyes dwelt on her as admiringly as they did on Florence.

As the two girls paused near the spring, watching the animated throng moving over the lawn, they both observed a lady stop short in her solitary promenade and regard Florence earnestly. The next moment she stepped forward with the words we have already recorded at the head of this chapter:

"Pardon me, young lady, but will you tell me how you came by this locket?"

Both girls drew back in astonishment, and stared at the agitated speaker.

She was a woman in the prime of life, beautiful and stately, with finely chiseled, aristocratic features, and proud dark eyes. Her figure was slender and erect, her face still young and untouched by the finger of time, save for a pale, impassioned melancholy that brooded changelessly over its beauty. Added to this peculiarity was another. The silky, abundant hair, arranged in waving bands above her broad, white brow, was a beautiful silvery white. Not a single dark thread remained to hint of a time when those silky tresses had matched in color the proud yet sad dark eyes that rested so wistfully on the face of the beautiful blonde.

So awed and amazed was Florence by the grave, sad dignity of the beautiful stranger, that she could not answer insolently, as she was at first on the point of doing. She answered after a moment's thought:

"It belonged to my parents, madam, and contains my mother's picture."

"Your mother's picture?" The dark eyes looked at Florence strangely and keenly. "Will you allow me to look at it?"

Florence touched the spring and the lid flew open.

The mysterious stranger leaned forward and looked at the picture it disclosed.

She saw a fair, flower-like face, dark in the eyes and hair, the crimson lips dimpling into a happy smile, the whole sweet face instinct with youth and gladness. As she looked, a sigh—passionate, hopeless, profound—floated over the lips of the stranger.

"You say this is the picture of your mother?" she said, in a tone of incredulity, as she glanced from the picture to the fair, blonde face that in truth bore no resemblance to the dark-eyed mother she claimed.

Florence flushed resentfully.

"Yes, she was my mother," she said, coldly. "Why do you ask?"

"What was her name?" asked the lady, disregarding the question.

"She was Lady Ethel Lorne, the daughter of the Earl of Devon," was the proud answer.

The mysterious lady started as if some one had struck her a blow. Her beautiful, melancholy face was convulsed with emotion, but in a moment she recovered herself and said, in a voice that quivered with uncontrollable excitement:

"Pardon my seeming rudeness, but will you tell me your father's name?"

There was a moment's silence, then Hilda stepped forward, for she saw that her cousin was becoming so indignant at the stranger's persistency that she would not speak.

"His name was Guy Aylesford, madam," she said, in a soft, low voice.

The lady who had been regarding the beautiful blonde intently all the while, turned with a start and looked at Hilda. Her soft, dark eyes ran over the frank, spirited young face with its scarlet lips and great, starry dark eyes lighting the thin, childish face into beauty. A puzzled frown contracted her brows.

"My dear," she said, abruptly, "where have I seen you before?"

"Nowhere that I am aware of, madam," answered Hilda, simply. "I am Hilda Aylesford, Florence's cousin, and I have lived in the mountains ever since I can remember."

"Florence?" said the lady, inquiringly. "Is that the name of this young lady?"

Hilda bowed assent, while her cousin made a step forward as though she would move on.

"And she is actually Guy Aylesford's daughter?" exclaimed the stranger.

"Yes, madam," answered Hilda, with an unconscious sigh.

"Come, Hilda," said Florence, impatiently, pulling her by the arm, "let us go."

Hilda was about obeying the imperious mandate, and had already taken a few steps forward, when the sound of a low cry and a heavy fall startled her. She turned back quickly and saw that the mysterious lady had fallen on the soft turf, and lay there with her deathly face upturned to the light, its marble pallor rendered still more startling by contrast with her sombre black silk dress.

"Oh, Florence, she has fainted!" cried Hilda, running back and kneeling down beside the still form. "Lend me your smelling-salts, please."

She lifted the heavy head compassionately on her arm, and when Florence came back and gave her the restorative she asked for, she applied it to the nostrils of the insensible woman. A curious crowd began to surround them as the dark eyes flashed open with signs of returning consciousness.

"It is Mrs. L'Estrange," said one of the springs' proprietors, coming up. "We must remove her to her cottage. Her health is exceedingly delicate."

Mrs. L'Estrange put up one feeble hand and drew down to hers the tender, compassionate face bending over her.

"Hilda," she whispered, "will you slip away from your cousin and come to my cottage after dark? I wish very much to speak with you further."

Hilda readily gave the promise she asked, and the mysterious stranger was borne away on the arms of two gentlemen to the cottage she occupied.

CHAPTER VII.

"Because I Love You."

Hilda had little difficulty in obeying Mrs. L'Estrange's injunction to slip away from her cousin and come to her cottage after dark. Florence was extremely fond of society, and directly after dark she assumed her most elegant evening dress and descended to the spacious hotel parlor on the arm of her uncle, who was all obsequious attention, while she treated him in turn with a condescending affability tinctured with superciliousness. Hilda excused herself from accompanying them on the plea of having no suitable dress to appear in, and they readily accepted the apology and left her to her own devices for the evening.

When they were gone, she rose and paced restlessly up and down the floor of the small room.

"It is strange," she said to herself, sadly, "how completely papa is wrapped up in Florence. He cannot see, as I do, how scornfully she treats us since her sudden accession to fortune. He has always loved her best, always given her the best of everything, while I have been counted second from first to last. And it was the same with mamma while she lived. And yet I was their own child when she was barely a relation, and her father had wronged mine also. I never thought of it while I believed Florence my sister, but since I have known the truth it seems strange to me how papa could love her better than his own child, and give her the preference always."

She brushed away a quick-starting tear from her eyes, and took up a scarlet shawl lying on a chair, wrapping it about her head and shoulders.

"I will go and see Mrs. L'Estrange," she said. "How beautiful she is, and how much sorrow she must have known, for her face is so sad, and her hair is silvered before its time. She acted strangely, but I am sure she is good, and true, and noble. I loved her the minute I looked at her beautiful, sorrowful face."

She opened the door, glided through the long corridor, flitted down the stairway into the hall among the moving throng of pleasure-seekers, then out into the long piazza and down upon the lawn in the chilly September moonlight. No one knew her and no one noticed her movements as she went.

The cottages belonging to the White Sulphur Springs were some distance from the hotel, and set round about the beautiful pleasure-grounds in a kind of circle. Hilda had watched Mrs. L'Estrange when she went away that evening, and thought she could easily find the cottage she occupied. So she hurried fearlessly across the lawn, and struck into a path she fancied was the right one, her heart beating with a strange pleasure at the thought of meeting the mysterious lady again.

She paused after a little, and looked up at the row of cottages. They were all nearly alike, but selecting the one she thought Mrs. L'Estrange had entered that evening, she opened the little gate and went up the steps to the front door. Pausing a minute to take breath, she rang the bell.

The door opened, the fragrance of a cigar floated out on the air, and a tall, handsome young man confronted her.

"Miss Aylesford!" he exclaimed, in a tone of surprise.

"Mr. Courtenaye!" cried Hilda, starting back. "I— excuse me — I have made a mistake. I was looking for some one else."

She was turning to run down the steps as she spoke, and Cecil Courtenaye caught up his hat and rushed after her with an impetuosity quite unusual to his ordinary leisurely movements.

"Miss Hilda," he said, overtaking her outside the gate. "Let me ac-

To be Continued.

The New Rink

The new skating rink will soon be in shape for skating, the water being turned on, and ice being formed. The roof is rapidly approaching completion.

Children's Aid Society

The treasurer of the Children's Aid Society begs to acknowledge the following contributions to their fund:— Mrs. (Rev) Bastow, $2.00; D. R. Moore, $5. ; Geo. Webber, $5.00

Mahometan Women.

The fact that all Turkish women must dress alike in the streets gives rise to the impression of a sameness of character that does not in the least exist among them," says Mary Mills Patrick, president of the American College for Girls in Constantinople. "A superficial observer who meets these veiled figures in public places, shrouded in a mysterious costume that suggests great possibilities of beauty behind it, may wonder indefinitely what kind of a life these figures really lead, without any clue to the solution of the problem. Yet life in Turkish society is as real and varied as in America, and often far more dramatic.

"There are decided types among Turkish women. There is the butterfly, who lives for pleasure; the domestic woman, and even the strong-minded woman, and, in addition to these, a class exists not found in America, the women who belong to court society.

"The butterfly is often a Circassian woman, and was perhaps brought to Constantinople to be sold to the highest bidder, and throughout all her childhood was taught to look forward to a possible life at the capital, to be made gay and bright, with plenty of money and flirtation and social success. She has, perhaps, the bright blue eyes and golden hair that are so rare among the Turks to give her the place of eminence that she desires. Because of her beauty her husband showers her with presents and fills her life with pleasure. Her eyelashes and eyebrows are painted, but not very noticeably, and diamonds and other beautiful stones flash from her hands, her wrists, her neck, and her hair. The dress which she wears under her street robe is from Paris, and her shoes are low, even in winter, with pointed toes and very high heels.

"When she goes out she is accompanied by several servants and one or two eunuchs, to look after her comfort, and she drives in a beautiful private carriage drawn by Arabian horses, and has carte blanche in the shops to make as many purchases as she wishes of silks and satins and jewelry. When her blue eyes fade and her bright hair grows gray, will her power wane and her place be given to another? Perhaps not. That will depend on the characters with which she has to deal, the number of sons that she has, and her ability to keep the ascendency that her beauty has gained for her.

"The domestic Turkish woman presents a great contrast to the brilliant creature that we have just described. She is rather large and stolid-looking, careless as to her dress, and of a simple and amiable character. She has a very easy life compared with that of her American sisters. There is not much housekeeping in a Turkish house, and what there is is done by slaves and servants, who consider themselves permanent members of the family and realise what is expected of them. Rooms furnished with rugs and divans are comparatively easy to keep in order. There is a chef in the kitchen, who sends his best efforts to the dining-room in the men's apartments, a place seldom visited by the women of the household. Their own simple food is served to them at irregular intervals, when they feel hungry. There is perhaps a French governess to teach the children, who does not like the irregular life of the harem, and an exception is made in her favor, and she dines at the master's table, where the food is served more to her taste. Her apartments are, however, in the side of the house belonging to the women, which is entirely separate from the other half of the establishment.

"On bright days the domestic Turkish woman takes all her family to some place of public resort, where they sit in the sunshine all the day long, buy sweets of the ever-present street peddler, smoke cigarettes and drink coffee. They never endanger their nervous system by trying to catch any particular steamer either in going or coming, but start when the spirit moves, and wait at the landing for a convenient steamer, reaching home early or late, as it happens.

"Let us now turn to that product of modern progress, the educated Mahometan woman. She may be found here and there, perhaps in the harems of princes, or of pashas, or even sometimes in the middle classes of society, although she is not commonly found anywhere as yet. She reads English, French and German readily, with a good pronunciation, having the aptitude for languages usually found with Turkish women. She reads the daily papers, and has decided opinions in regard to all political affairs. The advanced Moslem woman has a private room, instead of living in the rooms with the other women, and in this room are found some unusual articles for a Turkish house—namely, a writing desk, some bookshelves upon which stand many of the new books of the day, and on the walls hang some really fine engravings.

"She longs to travel, but that is not yet allowed to a Turkish woman, at least, beyond the bounds of her own land. She has been to Egypt and Syria, but that does not satisfy her, and she even dreams of going to Paris and Berlin to work in the libraries there. She scorns the frivolities of ordinary society, and contemplates forming a club, where kindred spirits may discuss congenial subjects, but that has not yet been possible. Her influence in the press is already felt, and one may foresee that she will form one of the elements in the forces that are rapidly changing the conditions of Turkish life.

"Such are some of the phases of life among Turkish women. It is a life that has its romance and mystery, its commonplace side, and its features of progress, and is, after all, only the Eastern edition of the experiences that are common to the women of all nations."

The Latest.

Oyster Bay—It has leaked out that the Roosevelts breakfasted this morning, but the utmost reticence is maintained as to what they ate.

The President went out on horseback during the forenoon. A great crowd had collected. Mr. Roosevelt rode facing the horse's head. When the people saw this they broke into cheers.

The Roosevelts' cook shopped in the city to-day. She wore heliotrope de chine with a lace front and a small floral toque of violets. She shook hands warmly with all the press representatives, but asked to be excused from discussing politics at this time.

A cow belonging to President Roosevelt broke out of her pasture just at noon and was photographed in eighteen positions for the New York papers before she could be got back.

The late extras confirm the rumor that all is quiet at the Roosevelt home to-night, but quote no official authority.

Backed a Horse and Lost

"Did you ever back a horse in your life?" said Mr. M. Tooley, of the Queen's Hotel, to an Irishman who had called to have a "wee drop o' the crathur" to keep out the cold, the other morning.

Pat—"Yes, once, and only once."

"Did you win anything?"

"No, begorra; that I didn't."

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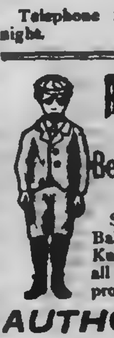

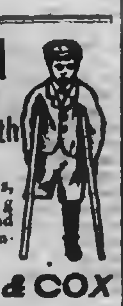

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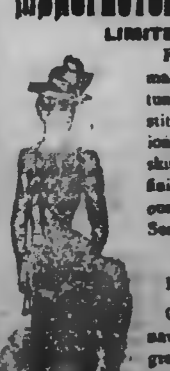

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ANALYSIS.

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Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
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COAL VEINS.

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TITLES.

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OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons free iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

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July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000

or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years........ $670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
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"Sick fowls should immediately be put in a place out of sight and hearing of the rest of the flock, and they alone be given drugs."

"There is no sense and often much harm in drugging a whole flock to cure a few sick individuals."

"Medicine should never be given in water which is contained in metalic vessels."

"Warm mash in the morning, so much as will be eaten up clean and greedily in five minutes, wheat oats and buckwheat buried deeply in litter for all day exercise, and parched whole corn in moderate quantities just before going to roost, for lots of eggs."

"Green bone cutters, clover cutters and mills to crush oyster shells are indispensable to up-to-date profitable poultry keeping."

"You can buy your clover cut and your grit and oyster shells crushed. But green bone should be cut at home the fresher the better."

"It seems impossible that any one should feed tainted green bones to his poultry. He had better not feed any at all."

"If it would cost him twenty-five cents a pound to burn or bury tainted meat and green bones it would still be cheaper than feeding it to his fowls."

"The farmer that buys a green bone cutter had best first buy a clover cutter. Clover he usually has in abundance the year round and what he will feed his hens will never be missed."

"But without the cutter there are a great many chances the fowls will either not get any at all or waste more than they eat."

"Buy your stock from a live poultryman. Be slow in making crosses unless you know what you are after. But never use a male for breeding that is a cross."

"Don't think that pure bred chickens need to be crossed in any way to make them better. If you are not satisfied with the kind you have or the number of eggs they lay, dispose of them and get some other standard variety."

"Whatever else you do don't think that you can improve any kind of a standard variety by crossing. Or if you like the kind you have but are getting uneasy or a sort of feeling that you ought to do something, kill off all the males and buy new blood of the same variety."

"There is much to learn by close observation of the birds in the breeding pens. Do not be in a hurry at this time to dispose of all your old hens."

"Find out the best layers, the best all round and desirable hens and hold on to them for breeders year after year."

"There is money and much profit in holding on to this kind of an old hen."

"There are mongrel hens that lay as many eggs as the most prolific Leghorn but they can not be depended on to transmit the tendency to their progeny. This is where the mongrel fails."

Feeding Bees.

An important part of successful beekeeping is knowing how and when to feed the bees. Food in some form may be required in the spring to help on a colony to full strength in readiness for the honey flow, but it is often of supreme importance at the end of the season, so that there shall be surrounding the bees food enough to serve not only for their early wants but also through the early part of the year. The best bee food at all times is certainly honey, but in its place the only substitute admissible is cane sugar, pure, except for a proportion of one six of honey, fed in the form of syrup. Quite thick syrup answers well for fall feeding, but it should be given thinner in spring to prevent the necessity of the bees having to fly out for water. Very thin syrup should not be given at any time as it is liable to ferment and cause dysentery among the bees. A good rule for making syrup is to melt three pounds of cane loaf or white crystallized sugar in a quart of hot water for spring feed, and six pounds to the quart of hot water for autumn feeding, mixing in either case one-sixth by weight of honey. In fall, buckwheat honey may be used, but care should be taken not to have much such honey left in the brood chamber in spring for fear some may be taken to the supers when work commences. This sometimes occurs, especially when the colony has wintered on buckwheat honey.

A simple method of feeding is to place the syrup in a basin and place over it a thin piece of wood as a float, having a few holes bored in it about the size of a [illegible] end. This should be set on the top of the frames inside the hive, when the bees will soon store in the empty brood combs. They should be given enough in autumn to make their future safe—about 30 pounds to each colony in all—in time for them to have it ripened and sealed over before going into winter quarters.

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When it is possible it is always better to give the growing vine support to keep pods off the ground, thus largely increasing fruitage. To do this it is a good idea to mix corn with your bean seed, and the vine will cling to the stalk, giving it the necessary support. A full, well developed crop will give you from twenty-five to fifty bushels to the acre. The green forage is eaten ravenously by all stock on your farm, but I would not continue stock on it steadily for more than a week or so at a time, owing to its fifty-four per cent. of nitrogen. A few days off to other feed occasionally would be advisable. Should you want to sacrifice your bean crop you can cut the vine up at any stage of growth, and cure it as hay. All farm stock will eat it greedily; or, what would be better, plant a field later which you could use as a green forage for a time, and finally cut and cure it as a dry fodder. A good average acre will yield you nearly four tons.

When the bean is ripe in the fall pick it, but be very careful to place pods in an airy, drying place—a scaffold is best—for fear of heat and mould. Most all your stock will eat the hulls and all, but it is better to have them ground with hulls and feed equal part of bran shorts. This is excellent feed for new milch cows, increasing the flow of milk largely.

After picking your beans in the fall you will most likely want to turn your leaf and vine under for fertiliser. You will find vine exceedingly tough and leathery, and exceedingy hard to shell, and they can only be shelled at all excepting when pods are crisp dry from exposure to sun, and even then they often shell hard. If you want to practice economy and use your muscle freely, you can shell them fairly well by placing pods in a bag and pounding them all your might with a bludgeon. In this way a good strong man will pound out six or eight bushels in a day. With us we have passed that stage, and found a better way. We have a sheller—a two man machine—made specially for the business, that is capable of turning out from five to eight bushels an hour, the bean coming through sixty-nine to ninety-eight per cent. commercially clean. This is a labor saver to us, and one we appreciate, as many of us have, as we do, from ten to eighty acres of plants to sell.

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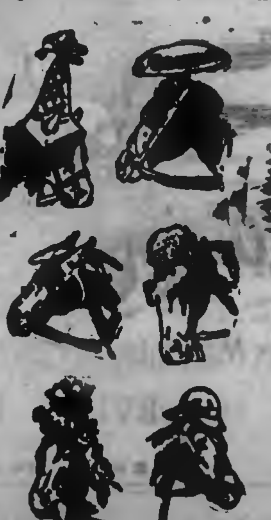

Wild flights of fancy and striking originality are displayed in the headgear of the horse of the wholesale district. As for the beast whose pampered cousin reigned at the Horse Show, he cares not whether he wears a bit of wire with a cloth stretched over it, a sponge, or a "love of a thing in tulle and leghorn," just so he is protected from the scorching sun.

Gapes in Chicks.

Gapes in chicks is a disease which has existed on farms for centuries, and the annual loss of chicks from such cause is large. It seems to prevail mostly on old farms upon which fowls have ranged for years. Experiments made demonstrate that when chicks are kept on clean board floors and frequently on clean new locations they escape the difficulty. The Kentucky experiment station, after numerous experiments and comparisons, found that earthworms caused gapes in chicks, but whether there is any connection between earthworms and gapeworms is unknown. The soil and conditions favorable to the earthworm are the same for the gapeworm. On light, sandy soils, where but few earthworms are found, the chicks are seldom attacked by gapes.

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STOCK MARKETS

Better Prices Ahead

New York, Dec. 26.—The Christmas holiday is now a thing of the past, and our thoughts again revert to business, its prospects and the possibilities of money getting. As to Wall street and its stocks, the daily stock holder very tersely sums up the situation as follows: There are three courses which may be adopted: stocks may be sold, they may be bought, they may be left alone. Summed up, they are too cheap to be sold, they are cheap enough to buy, they are too tempting to let alone. There is little fear from anything at present, and there is a promising outlook. The lowest prices for a long time to come have been seen. Cuthbert Mills, that eminent writer of the New York Sunday Tribune, and those articles are commonly supposed to more or less foreshadow the views and interests of James R. Keene, last Sunday veered to the bull side of the account and took quite an optimistic view of the situation. The money situation has improved most materially, and will steadily continue to do so. This was the only effective weapon in the hands of the bears for the past sixty days, and is rapidly disappearing. Everything else having a bearing upon values leans most prominently to the bull side. These factors are bound to ultimately rule the security markets and the upbuilding process has already commenced. Prices ought to enjoy quite a material advance the biggest part of the coming year, and we firmly believe they will. The biggest fellows have the stocks, the public have but few. Business activities are right up to the high-water notch, while earnings continue to be unprecedented. We are just about to move the vast crop of last year, while prices for same are most excellent. It is generally understood that the Morgan party have already joined with others to quicken an export cotton movement; the recent drop in corn has greatly stimulated exports, while an enormous block in New York Central and Pennsylvania bonds has just been disposed of in Europe. The banks and trust companies have prepared for the heavy disbursements, and will not seriously disturb the money market. Stocks are a splendid purchase. Buy something.

Summary—Volume of business increased to-day, and the character of the buying was the kind characterized as excellent. The pools and wise acres are picking up stocks, preparing for an advancing January market. Sugar again touched 130, while A. O. P. crossed 60. We are bullish on these two issues, for considerably further advance. Steels were higher. Brooklyn Rapid Transit did not get materially higher than Wednesday. It will rest for a while, then go higher. The same remarks applies to Manhattan. Metropolitan was up over a point, St. Paul advanced over two points, while Illinois Central and New York Central were in lively demand, showing strong evidence of going higher. Louisville and Nashville was well bought, advancing two points. Buy Union Pacific and Southern Pacific, also Pennsylvania and the coalers. They will do better. We are decidedly bullish upon the market at present. Investment purchases after the first of the year will be at higher prices. Unusual market interest was exhibited for a stock market period between Christmas and New Years. We strongly urge you to buy the standard issues; they are going higher. Money closed 6 per cent. Sales 670,000.

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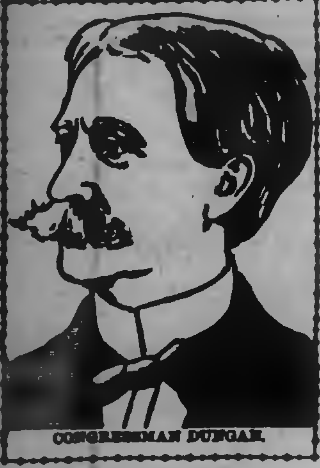

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Reeve Smith Retires

Mr. J. M. Smith, who has acceptably filled the position of Reeve of Ashburnham has announced that he is not a candidate at the approaching elections.

Wedding Bells

On Wednesday evening a quiet wedding was celebrated at the residence of the bride's father, Louis street, when Miss Mary Ferguson was united in marriage to Mr. W. J. Roberts, of town. Rev. Mr Ross tied the nuptial knot. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts will reside in Peterborough.

Y. W. C. A. Notes

A reception will be held at the Y.W.C.A. rooms on the afternoon and evening of New Year's Day. All members and friends of the Association are cordially invited. Strangers will be specially welcome.

Special Revival Meetings

Special revival meetings will begin this evening at the Salvation Army barracks and will be conducted by the Harmonic Revivalists. They will continue every evening until Wednesday, inclusive. The public are cordially invited to attend.

Stricken with Apoplexy

Mr. Thomas Greenwood, who had come to town to spend Christmas with his son-in-law, Mr. F. J. Jameson, Harvey st. was stricken with paralysis at the conclusion of the Christmas dinner on Thursday evening. The attack was quite sudden, but we are pleased to say, under proper medical treatment, Mr. Greenwood is improving. He is between seventy and eighty years of age.

Certificates Awarded

The County Board of Examiners have awarded certificates to the following students who recently attended the Norwood Model School:—V. Donoghue, M. O'Sullivan, A. Maloney, M. Stark, E. Eyers, E. Dewart, V. White P. Sweeney, W. Gillies, R. Quinn, R. Lynn.

Remembered by Her Pupils

Miss A. E. Peters, of the Central school staff, was presented by the boy of her class, at the closing of the school term, with a handsome picture, nicely mounted. The girls presented her with a beautiful china tray, accompanied by their best wishes.

The Lucky Key

Messrs. H. E. Bradley & Co., the live merchant tailors and gents' furnishers have had on view in one of their shop windows for the past two months a locked box with a glass front, containing a number of bank bills. They advertised that they would give a key with every dollar purchase until Christmas eve, when the box would be opened and whoever held the lucky key would be entitled to all the money in the box. The lucky person was Mrs. John O'Brien, 380 Downie street, of this town. She was very much astonished and gratified at her good luck. The money, when counted, amounted to twenty-four dollars.

A Toronto Wedding

On Tuesday evening a very pretty wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mr. Harrison, 385 Ontario street, Toronto when Miss Isabella, daughter of the late William Swanston, of Ashburnham, was united in marriage to Mr. C. E. Wright, of the same place. Rev. Dr. Milligan, pastor of Old St. Andrew's Presbyterian church performed the ceremony. Miss Craig, of Hespeler, niece of the bride, acted as bridesmaid and the groom was supported by Mr H. J. Burley, of Regina.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright received a number of elegant presents which testifies to the high esteem in which they are held by their many friends. They will reside at Peterborough.

SOCIAL PERSONAL

—Mr. Herb. Hall, of Toronto, spent Christmas in town.

—Mrs. W. H. Robertson, is visiting relatives at Fenelon Falls.

—Mr. Garnet Bell was a guest of Mr. J. D. Collins over Christmas Day.

—Mr. James Carey, of Detroit, is visiting friends in town and vicinity.

—Mr. Herb. White, Toronto, is visiting with his parents in Ashburnham.

—Mr. Thomas Kennedy, of Chicago, is in town the guests of his sisters.

—Mr. Jack Gracey, of the Bank of Toronto, spent Christmas at his home in Gananoque.

—Mr. Bert. Belleghem, of the Ontario Bank, Cornwall, is in town on a visit to his parents.

—Mr. Jas. Mulligan, of the Fisheries Department, Toronto, spent Christmas in town.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. Fitzgerald, of Lakefield, visited friends in Peterborough Christmas.

—Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell, Toronto, are guests of Mrs. Maxwell's sister, Mrs. W. H. Meldrum, "Fair View."

—Mr. and Mrs. F. Harding and family, of Chicago, Ill., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bradd.

—Miss Erminie Wright, of Cobourg, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Leary, during the holidays.

—Miss L. Fitzpatrick, of Toronto is the guest of the Misses Fitzsimmons, Aylmer street.

—Mr. James Fitzsimmons, of Beaverton, is spending the Christmas season with his parents in town.

—Mr. W. A. Barnett, of Arnprior, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. James A. Turner, McDonel street.

—Messrs. Harold A. and Archie Morrow are in town, the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Morrow.

—Miss Agnes Fitzsimmons, of Toronto, is spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Aylmer street.

—Mr. Andrew Sloan, of Port Huron, is in town spending the Christmas season with his sister, Mrs. J. I. L. Hughes, Park Place.

—Mr. Torrie Lang has, we are pleased to say, been promoted to a responsible position in Montreal in connection with the Grant-Hamilton Oil Company.

—Mr. Kennedy Gray, of Montreal, was in town on Christmas, visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Gray. Mr. Gray leaves in a day or two for Ohio in the interests of the Grant-Hamilton Oil Company.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Langhane (nee Miss Rose. E. Brenault) and children, of Danville, Ill., are visiting her sister, Mrs. L. B. Larocque, of the Montreal House.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Garrett, of Tweed, and family, are visiting Mrs. Garrett's mother, Mrs. James Campbell, Water street.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. Munro and Miss Helen and Master Gordon Munro, of Montreal are in town for the holidays, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davidson.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Considerable wood is being hauled to town by farmers.

—Curling is now the popular pastime, the rink being largely patronized in the evenings.

—The new rink is being visited by many citizens every day. The roof is rapidly approaching completion.

—The American Federation of Labour No. 9,240, outside workers, met last night in the Labour Hall, Water street, and transacted some business.

—Lindsay Post:—Mr. G. H. M. Baker, of the Rathbun firm, insists on the vaccination of all the company's employe's going out into the woods and would like all other lumber firms to do the same.

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BEFORE THE BEAK

A Number of Cases at the Police Court Yesterday

There was a busy session at the Police Court yesterday morning.

A young man, who was well dressed, was charged with begging. He was given twenty-four hours to get out of town.

A drunk was allowed to go with a caution.

A young man was given a month in jail for stealing a purse.

A NEW DREDGE

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A new dredge is to be built this winter for the Trent Valley Canal, and will be one of the best on the inland waters. The boat will be built in Ashburnham, and will be ready for work in the spring. There is a large amount of work to be done on the river between Hastings and Healey Falls. Some of the timber for the craft is now in the canal in Ashburnham, and had to be brought from British Columbia.

MORE VICTIMS OF FEVER.

A Second Death in the Family of Mr. Harry W. Gray, Water street

Little Meta Gray, the little daughter of Mr. Harry W. Gray, painter passed away yesterday about eleven o'clock at Nicholls Hospital. The little girl, who is about seven years of age, was stricken with scarlet fever in its most malignant form, and was at once removed to the hospital. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved family, who only a few days ago lost a little son.

Another death from scarlet fever occurred on Thursday night, when Ilene Francis Nuyes, aged eight years, succumbed to this dread disease.

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The spelling match held on the last day of the term was won by Maggie Dickson.

Bessie Hastie made the best attendance for the year, being only absent two days.

School re-opens January 5th. A good attendance is requested on the first day as this is the most important day of the year.

S. A. SMITHSON, teacher.

Their 25th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Meldrum, entertained their friends to the number of about seventy-five, on Wednesday night, at their charming home, "Fairview," on the occasion of their silver wedding. The decorations were extremely handsome. Miss Mollie Meldrum, assisted by Miss Florence Cameron, Miss Hazel Sanderson and Miss Geraldine King, did the honors of the tea room in a charming manner. Mrs. Meldrum received a number of very elegant souvenirs of the occasion. The guests were unanimous in the wish that they would all meet to celebrate Mrs. Meldrum's golden wedding.

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The Matter of Postage

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—It will be remembered with what a flourish of trumpets the Grit press heralded the reduction of letter postage to two cents in Canada by Sir William Mulock, the Postmaster-General, but there was a sort of ominous silence about the same honourable gentleman raising the postage on all other mail matter. It was merely a specious pretext to boom the honourable gentleman while he was "robbing Paul to pay Peter." This must have been apparent to the minds of all those who sent Christmas boxes to their friends. I know of a case where upon inquiry it was found that it would take eighteen cents to send ten cents worth of candy. Thousands of dollars have thus been levied on Christmas gifts beyond the former charges. Most of the people were not aware that many of the parcels could have been sent much cheaper by express, besides ensuring safety in their delivery at the point of destination. I write this merely for the advantage of the uninitiated.

PRO BONO PUBLICO

29th, Dec. 1902.

A PRETTY WEDDING

Mr. John Cruikshanks, of Fraserville, Weds Miss Rachel Stewart

On Wednesday evening, the home of Mr. James Stewart, Fraserville, was the scene of a very pretty wedding when his eldest daughter, Miss Rachel Matilda, was united in marriage to Mr. John Cruikshanks, of Fraserville.

The bride, who was most becomingly gowned in white silk trimmed with chiffon and ribbon, was assisted by her sister, Miss Maude, who wore a dainty gown of white organdie, trimmed with Valenciennes lace and ribbon. The groom was supported by Mr. Will Cruikshanks, of Peterborough. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Mr. Kenny, of Millbrook.

After the ceremony the guests to the number of sixty sat down to a sumptuous wedding dejeuner. A large number of choice presents testify to the popularity of this happy young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Cruikshanks will reside in Peterborough.

Sickness steals more savings than the burglar. Slowly, coin by coin, the money that has been so hardly earned is paid out for drugs and doctors. Sickness is the worst enemy of the working man, and the common cause of the working man's sickness is disease of the stomach often involving the heart, lungs, liver, or kidneys.

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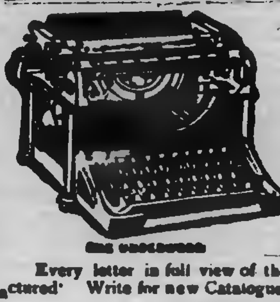

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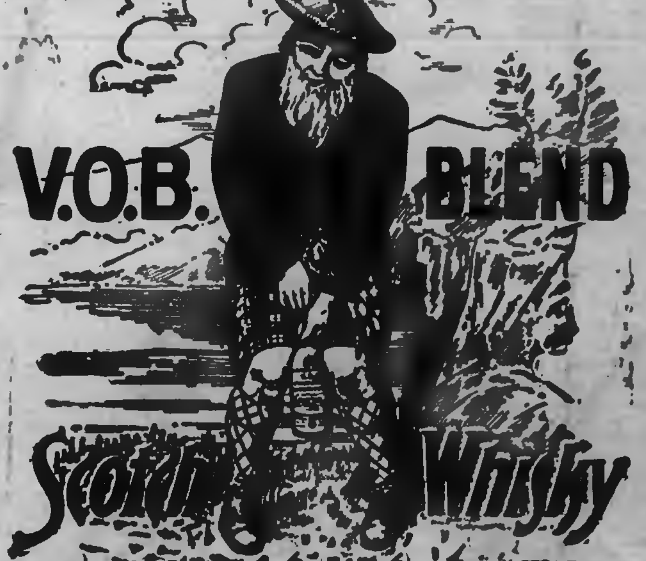

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THE VENEZUELAN AFFAIR AN INGLORIOUS EPISODE

London Papers Comment on Roosevelt's Refusal to be Arbitrator

Novel Scheme of a French Paper—Petit Bleu Offers 100,000 Subscriptions for Three Months Practically Free

London, Dec. 23.—The following are the newspaper comments on President Roosevelt's declination to act as arbitrator of the Venezuelan dispute. The Chronicle says: "We much regret the President's decision but from his own point of view he was probably wise. The world will now watch proceedings at The Hague with intense interest." The Daily Mail says: "Thus ends perhaps the most inglorious episode in which England has been engaged in recent years, an episode in which under no circumstances should we have had much satisfaction to gain, and in which by our blundering policy we discredited whatever justice there was about our case." The Daily News says: "The crisis through which we have passed has done much to enhance the reputation of President Roosevelt, it has done much, we hope, also, to make us understand the position of the United States and the essential friendliness of its people toward this country. The fact that no outbreak of feeling has occurred is most satisfactory."

ENTERPRISE OF A FRENCH PAPER.

London, Dec. 23.—A Paris correspondent of the Times says that Henri Deutsch, who was the donor of the $20,000 prize won by M. Santos Dumont, has transformed Petit Bleu by converting it into a journal "more American than all the American papers put together." The paper now has no opinions, but its ideal is that nothing should happen anywhere unechoed in its columns. The Petit Bleu is starting a novel scheme for advertising itself. It offers 100,000 subscriptions gratis for three months, subject to the payment of 20 cents for each subscription to cover postage. It is estimated that this will cost $100,000. There is, remarks the correspondent, an amusing list of persons entitled to subscribe under these conditions. It includes all the school teachers of Paris and its neighborhood, army officers, authors, magistrates, chemists, piano teachers, dressmakers and postoffice clerks.

MINISTER'S TRIP.

London, Dec. 23.—Referring to the journey of Lamsdorff, the Russian Foreign Minister, to Sofia, Belgrade and Vienna, the correspondent of the Times in the Austrian capital says that Austrian attention is concentrated on the proceedings at Sofia, which may vitally influence the Balkan situation. The visit to Belgrade is less interesting, since it realized that Russia wished to gain Servia some indemnity for the repeated postponement of King Alexander's and Queen Draga's visit to the Czar. At Sofia, says the correspondent, efforts will be made to impress Count Lamsdorff with the reality of the Macedonian grievances and questions will arise how to prevent Bulgaria from emulating Greece in defying the Sultan in order to rescue Ottoman provinces and [illegible] of Liberator for Prince Ferdinand. The correspondent remarks that the great difficulty of the situation in Macedonia lies in population. The Monastir contains a diversified mixture of Turks, Albanians, Bulgarians, Greeks and Servis, Mussulmans being in the minority of sixty thousand. Autonomy under a Christian High Commissioner or amalgamation with another Balkan state would result in a pandemonium of racial and religious rivalry.

RETURN OF THE HUMBERTS.

London, Dec. 27.—The Humberts are not expected in Paris before next Monday night, says a Times correspondent in the French capital. Paris papers are full of gossip in regard to the case, containing perhaps a modicum of truth. It is said that Romain D. Aurignac quotes Parayre as a man who has seen Crawford's supposedly mythical nephews, of the equally mythical American, who, Mme. Humbert claimed, left the fortune to her. Parayre, who has been arrested in Rouen, is suspected, however, of writing letters signed "Muller," in which the writer vouches for the existence of the Crawfords, representing himself as their secretary.

RESTORING PEACE IN MACEDONIA

London, Dec. 23.—A Constantinople correspondent of the Times says the Porte has communicated to the Embassies a telegram from Hussien Hilmi Pasha, stating that he is complying with the instructions in a circular sent to the Macedonian Valis. Several malefactors have already been arrested in Doubtnitza district and elsewhere. The Porte remarks that this affords conclusive proof of the Government's earnest purpose to restore tranquility in Macedonia.

RUPTURE IN JAPANESE GOVERNMENT.

London, Dec. 23.—In negotiating with the party leaders, says a Tokio correspondent of the Times, the Japanese Cabinet proposed to lower the land tax, and to make good the consequent deficiency by administrative economy and the reduction of State enterprises. The party leaders however, refused to accept this proposal, and the rupture is therefore complete.

WEALTHY OLD COUPLE SLAIN

Kept Money in a Safe in Their Farmhouse and It is Gone

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 29.—Judge J. A. Lewis, a pioneer 76 years old, and his wife, aged 60, were murdered on Friday night by robbers on their ranch near Almira, Lincoln county. The robbers brained the man with an axe and later murdered his wife beating her with a club.

The double murder had been coolly planned, the object being robbery. The couple were worth $50,000, and frequently kept large sums in a safe. It is believed that the crime was committed by visitors who came as if to transact business, the safe being found open.

How much money or other valuables the robbers secured is unknown. Last week Judge Lewis withdrew a considerable sum in gold from two banks, taking it home with the evident intention of loaning it on farm mortgages.

The bodies were discovered by a tenant of one of Lewis' farms. He found the body of Lewis lying face down with the head beaten in. The doors were all locked and everywhere there was evidence of a fearful struggle. The entire house had been ransacked. Mrs. Lewis' body was found in a pasture, where she was waylaid and killed with a club while milking the cows.

Though wealthy the couple were miserly and kept no help. They had no children. Lewis was formerly Probate Judge of Lincoln county.

THE GREAT CORONATION AT DELHI INDIA

When King Edward the Seventh Will Be Made Emperor of India

Over Four Millions Being Spent in the Great Durbar Which Takes Place New Year's Day

London, Dec. 29.—At noon on New Year's Day 8,000 persons, illustrious representatives of every race, creed and color, will assemble in a mighty arena beyond the walls of Delhi. Seated on glittering thrones, piled high on a dias draped in imperial crimson and gold, the center of that unparalleled assemblage, will be Lord Curzon, of Kedleston, governor-general of India, the British King-Emperor's direct representative; the King-Emperor's only living brother, Arthur, Duke of Connaught, at his right, and Lady Curzon, the viceroy's lovely American bride, at his left. For twenty miles around Delhi stretches to-day an ephemeral city of gay pavilions. For two brief weeks 70,000 persons will throng this mighty encampment. Already men have come from remote Thibet, from the mighty hills that uplift the roof of the world, and will rub shoulders with citizens of New York, Paris and Melbourne. Curious eyes of jealously guarded sultanas peep enviously from behind the curtains at the free beauty of girls from Washington ande Mayfair. Bicycles thread their way among camels and bullock carts. Motor cars will jostle with state elephants. Time will stand still, bewildered in this meeting place of all the centuries. Nothing like it has ever been seen before. The viceregal camp where Lord and Lady Curzon will hold court, is the chief glory of this wonderful encampment. A straight road three-fourths of a mile long and fifty yards wide leads to the state pavilions of white and gold. The largest of them is 186x60 feet. The drawing room is 80x36 feet, and a dining room 130x40 feet. Here Lord and Lady Curzon and their 125 guests dine. The tents are hung with the costliest embroideries that Indian looms can produce. They have been designed by Lady Curzon and are masterpieces of Oriental work. Lord and Lady Curzon will enter Delhi at 11 a. m. on Monday, December 29, seated in a golden howdah on the back of a state elephant. This elephant is the largest in India; it is worshipped by the natives as an incarnation of one of their lesser deities. Its mighty tusks are filed. Gold, silver, and precious stones gleam in the sunlight from its crimson trappings. A hundred elephants will follow in their train. Other elephants will raise their tusks and trumphet a salute as the god-beast goes by with his imperial burden. Beyond the city gates on a broad open space will be gathered all the princes and potentates of India, jewels worth a million gleaming in turban, on breast and in waistband. And these potentates will pass before Lord and Lady Curzon in review, making deep obeisance. At noon Lord and Lady Curzon will enter the arena to a fanfare of trumpets and take their seat on the golden thrones in the center of the crimson dais. A brilliant and distinguished staff will surround them as the lord will say: Edward VII. of England has deigned to take on himself the title of Emperor of India. Even the princes and people have it so." The mighty congregation will depart slowly. In the afternoon the people will assemble for the military review. The whole city and fort are to be illuminated. Every building will be outlined in dazzling light.

WHY GREENE AND GAYNORSTAY

Members of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Party Talk About the Case

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 29.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Premier of Canada, who is now at St. Augustine, Fla., has been asked to give his views on the case of B. D. Greene, and John F. Gaynor, fugitives from justice in Canada, who have successfully fought against being brought back. Sir Wilfrid individually declined to say anything, but members of his official family were quite willing to talk about the case.

Arthur Dansereau, editor of La Presse of Montreal, declared that the authorities of the United States, who had the matter of extradition in charge, were probably to blame for the fact that Greene and Gaynor are now in Canada. He said:

"We have no desire to have these men with us, as they have been indicted for a serious crime, but as they were kidnapped from the very heart of the Dominion without so much as securing the courteous leave that our Government demands from all others, the people of Canada, particularly those of Montreal, felt that they had been outraged, and since then they have accorded these men the protection of the Dominion.

"I cannot say that the two men occupy a very desirable position in the eyes of the people, for as a matter of fact they do not, and if this little kidnapping episode had not come up life would have become so unbearably hard for them that they would have been glad to return to the States.

"If the United States should have the right to go into Canada and take men from our province to another would not Canada have the same right to come into the United States and take men from one State to another! For this reason, if for no other, it was fortunate that the men in question were not allowed to be extradited."

Mr. Prefontaine, Minister of Marine and Fisheries for the Dominion smiled when he was informed of the conversation.

"Ridiculous case from start to finish," said the member of the Cabinet. "Will Sir Wilfrid talk?" he queried.

"No," returned the reporter, "not at all for publication, and mighty little otherwise."

"Well, I am of the opinion that your Government's representatives did not proceed as decorously as they might have," said the Minister.

Mr. Henri Laurier, brother of the Premier, said that he thought the action of the extradition proceedings was somewhat asinine.

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Dr. Hamilton's Pills Cure Headache.

NOW AT THE TEMPLE OF HEAVEN

Chinese Emperor Begins His Annual Worship There—No Trains Enter Pekin

Pekin, Dec. 29.—The Emperor began his annual worship at the Temple of Heaven today. For the first time since the railways were restored to the Chinese Government the Throne issued an order prohibiting all trains from entering the city for twenty-four hours. The order says they must stopt wo miles outside of the Imperial city.

THE PLAGUE IN MEXICO

Doctors Say That It Is The Disease That Has Appeared at Four Ports

Mexico City, Dec. 29.—The disease which has made its appearance almost simultaneously at Lapaz, Guaymas, Mulje, and Mazatlan, all situated on the Pacific coast of Mexico, is pronounced by competent medical authority to be the beubonic plague.

The special medical commission appointed by the Government has left beer to make a careful investigation.

At Mazatlan the death rate from the disease is from six to ten persons daily. Every possible precaution has been ordered taken to prevent a spread of the disease.

A BRIDE'S STRANGE DEATH

Mrs. C. D. Smith Was Found a Corpse in Toledo Union Depot

Toledo, O., Dec. 29.—The body of Mrs. C. D. Smith, a bride of four days was found last night in a room at the Union depot. A note and a revolver by her side seemed to indicate suicide, but the absence of her husband aroused suspicion. The woman is known to have had over $1,000 on her person, of which only $300 in checks was found. She was married last Friday at Monroe, Mich., to C. D. Smith, whom she had known but a short time. The woman was a widow with a small property. She had received a telegram to meet her new husband at the depot. Nothing has been seen of Smith, who is being looked for by the police.

THE SOO TRAFIC

Greatest Volume of Traffic in the Greatest Ship Canals of the World

Sault Ste. Marie, Dec. 29. — The greatest volume of commerce in the history of the greatest ship canals of the world is shown by the completed statistics of the traffic through the waterways at Sault Ste. Marie and Ontario for the present year, which amounted to 35,961,146 freight tons, exceeding that of last year (also a banner season) by 7,650,001 tons. It illustrates as nothing else can the great development that is being made of the great Northwest, whose products to a large extent find their way to the east via the Great Lakes route. Of this freight, the east-bound amounted to 30,275,989 tons, west-bound 5,695,197.

WASN'T EXPECTED

Husband Found His Wife in Company With Another—Result Wife is Dead

Newark, N. J., Dec. 29.—Returning unexpectedly to his home to-day Jos. Terry found his wife in company with Frank Brady. During the fierce fight which ensued, a revolver was discharged and the woman fell dead, shot in the left breast. Terry, when arrested by the police, at first said he did not know how his wife met her death, later he said she committed suicide. As there was no powder marks on the woman's clothing the police discredit his statement and believe one of the two men in an endeavor to shoot the other killed Mrs. Terry. Brady, who is from Mahopac Falls, N.Y., walked into the morgue later in the day and was arrested. He denied doing the shooting. Brady is said to own the revolver which was discharged.

TO LEAD HOLY WAR AGAINST CHRISTIANS

Morocco Pretender is Opposed to the Introduction of European Ideas

London, Dec. 27—A Times correspondent at Fez says he sent two natives to interview the Morocco pretender, who state that he did not claim the throne; his mission was to lead a holy war against Christians and to overthrow the Sultan's Government on account of its European tendencies. The rebels intended to nominate the Sultan from some Sherifian family, who would promise to continue th war against Christians. The messengers reported that rebels were very strong in numbers. The gates at Tase were hung with the heads of Imperial soldiers who fell in recent engagements. Two native declared that they recognized the pretender as Omar Zarahuni, who was formerly a soldier in the Sultan's army.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT

What Chief Clerk White Has to Say on Cause of Disaster

London, Ont., Dec. 27.—A terrible accident occurred at 10.10 last night at Wanstead, a station on the Sarnia branch of the G.T.R., being a head-on collision between the Pacific Express (No. 5), and an eastbound freight train.

The express was proceeding west at its usual high rate of speed.

The freight was moving slowly and was to have taken the switch at Wanstead to allow the express to pass.

Apparently neither of the engineers saw the danger in time to avert the accident, for the two engines came together near the west switch with a frightful crash, both being overturned into the ditch, and the baggage and express cars being telescoped into the smoker, with appalling results.

The wreck was complete, and it is thought that hardly a single passenger in the smoker escaped injury. The other cars of the passenger train remained on the track.

As soon as the accident occurred word was sent to this city and doctors were soon on the scene. The work of removing the dead and injured was then proceeded with.

Engineer Gillies of Sarnia Tunnel and the fireman on engine 369 of the express are among the killed. The remainder are passengers. Reports give the figures as 24 killed and 31 wounded.

Montreal, Dec. 27.—F. H. McGuigan, manager of the Grand Trunk, in discussing the wreck near London, said: "I cannot understand how the operator who is charged with the blunder came to make such a mistake. He is one of the oldest and most reliable men in the company's service. He went into the service of the Great Western in 1871, and has been with that company and Grand Trunk ever since. It appears he failed to give thie oder to the passenger train to meet the freight at the station."

Toronto, Dec. 27.—According to Chief Clerk White, who is in charge of Mr. Jones' office in the absence of his chief at London, the reason that the calamity took place was on account of the agent at Wsatford, A. Carson by name, failing to deliver orders which he held for train No. 5.

Engineer J. Gillies of Sarnia, on the freight train, and Fireman J. Ricketts of Sarnia, on the passenger train, were the first two names of the dead received at the office of Superintendent Jones this morning.

All the bodies are being taken to or are at London at present, and Master of Transportation Price of London, is with the undertakers carrying out as fast as possible the work of identification. Meanwhile the company is taking care of the wounded and injured, whose hurts are reported as mostly slight, and the officials are seeing that the unfortunates are being attended to in all ways regardless of cost.

Enquiries are numerous at the Union Station, and the city newspaper offices as to the dead and injured, and it will be consolation to some to know that all who were in the sleeping car escaped from the dire disaster; those who suffered were in the passenger coach next to the baggage and express car. Inside of two hours after the collision the Grand Trunk had eighteen physicians at the scene of the sad affair, three going from Strathroy, three from Wyoming, three Watford, and nine from London.

THE HAGUE TRIBUNAL WILL ADJUST TROUBLE

Notes Received from European Governments Are Agreeable

Approval of the United States—General Understanding that th Monroe Doctrine is not to Enter into Arbitration Question

Washington, Dec. 26 — President Roosevelt will not be arbitrator of the Venezuelan controversy. The whole vexatious subject will be referred for adjudication to The Hague tribunal. Epitomized, this was the situation as it had resolved itself at the conclusion of the Cabinet meeting today. The Venezuelan question was the principal and practically the only topic of general concern under consideration. Secretary Hay presented the net results of his cable correspondence with the Governments at London, Berlin, Rome and Caracas. In accordance with the suggestion made several days ago by President Roosevelt, through Secretary Hay, President Castro of Venezuela, was reported to have agreed to submit the difference between his Government and the European powers to the arbitration of the tribunal at The Hague. The European powers not only consented to submit the controversy to arbitration, but, while they had expressed a preference for arbitration to be conducted by President Roosevelt, they had assented to his suggestion that the matter be referred to The Hague.

The presentation of the case met the hearty approval of the members of the Cabinet. No fear is expressed by the Administration that the Monroe Doctrine will be brought into the controversy in any manner that might result in an embarrassing situation for the United States. Secretary Hay is preparing a note to the powers, in which the gratification of the United States Government is expressed for the course agreed upon by them in settlement of the pending difficulties.

No intimation is given of the conditions which may have been imposed by the European powers or by President Castro, precedent to the arbitration.

BASKETBALL

Two Matches in the Y. M. C. A. Saturday Night

The senior teams of the Toronto Central and Peterborough Y.M.C.A. played a basketball match in the gymnasium on Saturday evening. The outsiders were a much heavier team and the result was a win for them by a rather high score.

The teams were represented as follows:

Toronto—Defense, Smith and Henderson; forwards, Best and Hay; center, Harding.

Peterborough—Defense, Richardson and Campbell; forwards, Robertson and Miller; center, Hall.

The other attractions were an intermediate basketball match between the Beavers and Stars, a tumbling exhibition by the juniors, and vocal selections by Mr. J. Halpeny.

During the intermission at half-time in the senior match a cup was presented to the Harriers as winners of the series played at the Y.M.C.A. for the three months just closed.

HEAVY GUNS IN THE FIELD

Lord Kitchener Directing the Great Indian Manoeuvers

Sambhalka, Dec. 29.—The fine army of British and native troops destined to participate in the great review at the coronation durbar, and a portion of which is to act as the viceroy's guard, is at present employed in manoeuvers between Ambala and Delhi, which commenced on Nov. 28.

Lord Kitchener is directing the manoeuvers, and the Japanese Gen. Oku and a staff of officers closely follow the work done. The northern army, 25,000 strong, is concentrated at Ambala and the southern army, 12,000 strong, at Delhi.

The first heavy engagement occurred yesterday, when the northern army assaulted the southerners, who were strongly entrenched near Panipat, a historic battlefield of the Mogul era. The northerners, commencing before daybreak, carried two lines of defense, but were judged to have failed at the third. The southern army evacuated their trenches and retreated south during the night. The northerners are now in hot pursuit.

The chief feature of the manoeuvres is the use of cow-guns and long teams with the field army, the employment of war balloons, and the absence of tents.

CAN'T UNIONIZE TEACHERS

They Know When They're Well Off and Will Tell Would-be Organizers so

New York, Dec. 29.—The attempt of the Central Federated Union to organize a branch union of school-teachers, is not likely to succeed here, even if it has in Chicago. The principals of several public schools who were seen yesterday said that the teachers in the schools here are much better off than they are in Chicago. The teachers in all the five boroughs of the city have associations which protects them more effectively than a labor union can do. The city Charter has been amended through the influence of these associations, so that paid than in any other city, and, besides, the length of their service has teachers of all grades are now better been restricted and a retirement fund provided. A teacher who was graduated about a year ago said that the teachers would all decline to join a labor union.

ENGINE CAUSES TWO WRECKS

Runaway Locomotive Reverses Itself—Hits a Train Each Way

Indianapolis, Dec. 29.—One of the most remarkable wrecks in the history of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad occurred at Liberty early this morning, resulting in the death of Michael Foley, brakeman, and Dayton Osborn, fireman.

Engineer Callahan took out an engine to help push a freight over a heavy grade and when he returned to the switch he found that he could not reverse his lever. He jumped from his engine and it went down the track at a thirty-mile rate and collided with the engine of a fast freight going east.

The wild engine recoiled from the collision, whose force reversed the lever, and it started back at slow speed, but gradually increased till it was running at fifty miles an hour. An attempt was made to throw a switch and ditch the runaway, but it stuck to the main track and four miles east collided with the engine of another freight going west. The second freight was a double-header, and all three of the engines were thrown from the track by the force of the collision.

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In New York the other day Judge Mayer threw out a case against a boy who had been "sweated" into singing a confession. There was no evidence against the lad, and in court he stated that he "confessed" after three-quarters of an hour's sweating, because he was assured that the sooner he did so the sooner it would be over. He protested that he was innocent, and the court believed him. The sweat-box is growing in disfavor, even in New York.

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THE LATEST WONDER

Verily these are wonderful times. It is not many years ago—only about forty-four—that the Atlantic Telegraph Company succeeded in laying a cable between Europe and America. On the 17th of August, 1858, the extremities of the cable having been put in connection with the recording instruments, the following message was sent through the ocean in thirty-five minutes: "Europe and America are united by telegraph. Glory to God in the highest! On earth peace and good-will toward men." Messages and replies from the queen to the president of the United States, from the mayor of London to the mayor of New York, etc., followed. The people of this country were in a frenzy of enthusiasm, lauding the ocean telegraph as the greatest achievement of modern times and giving unbounded praise to its heroic projector.

Now, in the lifetime of many who can easily remember the beginning of cable communication across the Atlantic, a new and not less wonderful wonder is announced. Mr. Marconi tells the world that he has established wireless telegraph communication between Cape Breton, Canada, and Cornwall, England, with complete success. He has sent messages from the governor-general of Canada to the king of England and the king of Italy. A message has also been sent to the London Times.

We are so accustomed to wonders in these days that there will be no great excitement over this one. But it is indeed wonderful and its importance is so great and so far-reaching that it cannot be estimated. We are all in a hurry, but we can well afford to take a minute or two off in order to try to think what Marconi has done.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Now the United States Minister at Vienna, who has been in Spain, denounces the yellow yarns sent out by United States correspondents about King Alfonso. He regards him as a model youth. But that's all the more reason for the yellow fellows' course.

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Three years ago the Methodist Episcopal church of America set out to raise $20,000,000 for a twentieth century thankoffering fund." The Rev. Dr. E. M. Mills, corresponding secretary for the fund and its executive head, lately said: "The total amount in the fund is now more than $19,000,000. At midnight on December 31, 1902, in Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, Springfield, Mass., the church from which the call for the movement was first issued, I am assured of the pleasure of announcing that the last dollar of the fund has been raised.

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Benjamin W. Gist, a well-to-do farmer of Falls City, Nebraska, recently received a legacy of $40,000, and was so exasperated by the importunities of relatives that he finally drew his wealth from a bank in gold and distributed $20 pieces among the poor. When he met school children or old men and women in the streets he gave them pieces. Sometimes when he found a crowd assembled he sowed the pieces broadcast. His one desire was to get rid of the $40,000. He succeeded in giving it all away, and says he is well pleased.

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The moose which were liberated at North Creek, in the Adirondacks, last spring, by the Hon. William C. Whitney are reported to be in dire straits for food. The snow has covered everything to a depth of several feet, and it is almost impossible for the moose to secure the forage that lies beneath it. Farmers who have watched the moose during the summer, and have guarded them from the probable mistakes of hunters, have provided hay for the animals, and have placed it at points where the moose are likely to reach it. It is considered remarkable that the moose should suffer in the Adirondacks, when it is taken into account that they were sent thither from Canada, where the climate is thought by Americans to be much more rigorous and the snow much deeper. Adirondack lumbermen think that in Canada the moose are able to feed on the branches of certain low trees which do not grow in the north woods of New York.

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POST OFFICE TOO SMALL

People Protest Because of the Crowding on Rush Days

For some time there has been a feeling of discontent amongst business people and others over the post-office, which is far too small to accommodate the crowds who go there for their mail. Every night at six o'clock there is a crush around the wicket, while on holidays it is difficult to gain admission to the building at all.

On Christmas day those who had business in the post-office came out puffing and in bad temper. Many there were who would not wait for their turn at the wicket, and the weak had no chance at all in the crush.

The building is too small for the business to be done, and the sooner steps are taken to bring the matter to the attention of the Government the better. We would suggest that the matter be taken up by the Board of Trade with Mr. McClelland, who will, we are sure, do all in his power to get a new post-office.

CALLS KAISER A PARVENU

Paris, Dec. 26.—Commenting on the Venezuelan affair, the Petit Journal says the Kaiser evidently set great store on involving King Edward in his schemes, but there is no proof that the King did not see this from the first. By hanging back and refusing to go hand in hand with the Emperor the King has given the Kaiser a disagreeable lesson.

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[illegible] you." Perhaps I can help you to find the person."

"Pray do not trouble yourself," she answered, coldly, and hastening her steps at the same time. "I am quite able to find her myself, I assure you."

He half turned on his heel in anger at her words, then with a second impulse turned back and caught her hand, forcing her to stop still in the path.

"Hilda—child!" he exclaimed, "don't you know that propriety does not sanction this solitary promenade by night in a young girl like you?"

"It is not a promenade," she impatiently answered. "I am going to visit a lady."

"I did not know you knew any one here," he said, still holding her by the hand, though she struggled hard to free herself.

"Did you not, really?" she asked, in a half-sarcastic tone, annoyed at his persistency. "Well, since you appear so interested in my affairs, Mr. Courtenaye, I will inform you that it is an acquaintance I formed to-day."

"Ah! it was Mrs. L'Estrange," he said, for he, among others, had witnessed the lady's fainting spell, and seen her revived by Hilda's gentle ministrations. "Her cottage is in the next row, I will take you there."

"I prefer to go alone," she said, impatiently, walking quickly on as he released her hand.

A flush crossed his face in the moonlight, but he walked on calmly by her side.

"I am half tempted to let you go alone," he said. "If it were anybody but you, Hilda Aylesford, I would turn around and leave you after those insulting words! But it is neither safe nor proper for you to go alone, and I intend to see you safe to Mrs. L'Estrange's cottage, wait for you outside, and take you back to the hotel."

"You are very rude, sir," she answered, flashing her great black eyes up into his face. "I do not understand why you should take such authority over my movements!"

"Answer me one thing, Hilda. Does your father know of this moonlight escapade?"

"No, he does not, Mr. Courtenaye. If he did know I do not presume he would care. He is totally wrapped up in Florence, and heeds not whither I go, nor when I return. I do not understand why you, a mere stranger, should assume an authority over me that my own father does not care to exercise."

She looked up at him in the moonlight, her small, pale face framed in the [illegible] drapery of her shawl, and something in her dark eyes went to his heart as she spoke the half-defiant words. Mingled with her proud defiance he saw the pain and bitterness with which she acknowledged her father's coldness and neglect.

"Hilda, I will tell you why I persist in taking care of you," he said, abruptly.

"Pray do, I am most anxious to know," she said sarcastically, and without the faintest notion of what was coming.

"Very well, you shall know," he said. "It is because I love you, Hilda, that I would fain guard you as some precious jewel; because I love you and hope some day to win you for my wife!"

If the solid earth had yawned beneath her feet Hilda Aylesford could not have been more profoundly astonished than she was at those words from her companion. She started back in amazement, and Courtenaye saw how utterly he had taken her by surprise. There was a little rustic bench at the side of the path, under a tall, spreading tree, and no one was near. He took her hand and gently seated her.

"Sit here one moment, Hilda," he said, "I must speak to you."

Half mechanically she obeyed him. Surprise had deprived her of her usual ready forethought.

He sat down beside her and took her slim hand in both his slender, shapely white ones.

"Hilda forgive me for startling you so," he said, gently. "I did not mean to tell you so soon, but now that the murder is out, I must know my fate. Little one, will you love me? Will you marry me?"

She pulled her hand from his clasp, and sprang to her feet, while her black eyes blazed.

"No, no, no!" she cried, indignantly. "How dare you talk to me so! How dare you utter such a falsehood?"

"What falsehood?" he inquired, in perplexity.

"That you love me—you, you?" she exclaimed, scornfully. "Do you think I could believe you?"

He looked at the angry girl in [illegible] amazement.

"Hilda, why should you not believe me?" he said. "You are beautiful, noble and brave. You saved my life, though you would never even suffer me to thank you for that act of heroic daring! And now, Hilda, let me tell you that the life you saved is worthless to me unless you suffer me to devote it to your lifelong service. I do love you, and I ask you again—will you be my wife?"

"You think I have forgotten what you said about me that day," she said, scornfully. "But I remember it, every word, and I know you do not want such a wife as the girl you derided to your friend!"

"I was a fool!" he said, impetuously. "I have repented my folly in dust and ashes. I retract every word of it. I beg your pardon a thousand times for my egregious impertinence! Hilda, will you forgive me, and be mine?"

"No—a thousand times no!" she answered, turning from him proudly.

"Is this your final answer, Hilda?" he asked, in a quick, subdued voice.

"Yes, sir," she answered, coldly.

"Very well. There is Mrs. L'Estrange's cottage just ahead of us. Go in and make your visit. I will wait for you here, and see you safely back to the hotel."

She turned away silently, and he threw himself down on the rustic bench.

CHAPTER VIII.

A Fairy Godmother.

Hilda hurried away from her rejected suitor, her heart beating quick and fast with excitement, and ran up the steps of Mrs. L'Estrange's pretty little cottage.

The lady was evidently expecting her, for the door was opened, as soon as she rapped upon it, by a kind-looking, elderly woman with the [illegible]

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CAPITAL.

50,000 shares Common Stock, par value $100 each, issued and fully paid	$5,000,000 00
10,000 shares 7 per cent. Cumulative Preference Stock, par value $100 each	$1,000,000 00
Total Capitalization	$6,000,000 00

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This Stock is preferred both as to Capital and Dividends.

The shares are entitled to cumulative preferential dividends from the net earnings of the Company, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, payable half-yearly on the first days of April and October. They may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged for common shares. They are subject to be called in, in whole or in part, by the Company, at $115.00 per share, at any time on or after 1st January, 1909.

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Subscriptions for 10,000 shares of $100 each of the 7 per cent Preferred Stock of the CANADIAN STEEL AND COAL COMPANY will now be received at par, that is, $100 for each $100 share as follows:—

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ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
	100.00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 1350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 tons [illegible] above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

3.—FLUX.

We are now negotiating for valuable deposits of dolomite and limestone of the most satisfactory quality, situated on the tide-water, within 100 miles of the works

MARKETS.

For six months in each year the Canadian markets can be reached by water at low freight rates, and at all times by rail. As Cape Breton is distant from Liverpool only about 2,300 miles; is nearer to Pernambuco, Brazil, than any point in the United States, and also nearer to Cape Town, South Africa, it has the advantage, in point of distance, for export business over any American steel-producing points, which, with scarcely any exceptions, are situated some distance from tide water. Under any conditions of the world's market, it is believed that the output of these works can be disposed of at satisfactory prices.

OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100,000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows:—

	ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000

or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years........ $670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly [illegible] capitalization.

If the capitalization was increased to .... $20,000,000.00 this estimate would still show a dividend-earning capacity of 10 per cent. per annum.

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STOCK MARKETS

The Growth of our Country

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Summary—Bank statement was without special benefit and the market was quiet and steady, selling off near the close. The market will all be higher next month. Buy stocks, especially upon concessions. Money closed 6 per cent. Sales 374,100.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Dining Room Girl Wanted

Dining Room girl wanted at Snowden House. Highest wages paid. Apply at hotel to Wm. Snowden.

The Rink Flooded

On Saturday morning the new rink was flooded for the first time, and with favorable weather the ice will probably be in condition for use within a short time.

Dog Strayed

A Scotch Collie pup, three months old, strayed on George street. White breast, two front legs, all four feet white, also tip of tail. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to Miss C. Bellegham, 183 Bethune street, or at Times Bookstore. tf

The Market

On Saturday the buying on the market was less brisk than previously, but prices continued high. Turkeys sold at $1.25 to $2 each; chickens, 60 and 70c. per pair; geese, $1 and $1.25 each; no ducks were offered; butter went at 25c. per lb., and eggs at 20 and 22c. per doz.

Presented with a Fishing Pole

On Christmas morning Mr. M. D. N. Munro, McDonel street, received a fine fishing pole, sent him by members of the C.G.E. Angling Club, the present being accompanied by an address from the donors, testifying to their appreciation of his valuable services on the Club.

The Silver Line

From Peterborough to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and the South is via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley Railroad. Route of the "Black Diamond Express." Pullman sleepers and dining car service from Toronto. Everything first class. Scenery and service unsurpassed. Call at W. Bunton's ticket office.

The Band Hall

At the conclusion of Friday night's session of the Town Council, Alderman Batten, chairman of the Property committee, invited his colleagues up to the band hall to pass judgment on the manner in which he had expended the $100 appropriated for fitting up the premises to meet the requirements of the 57th Regiment Band. Bandmaster Glidden expressed his pleasure at the improvements made under Mr. Batten's supervision, and the visiting Aldermen were satisfied that the fullest economy had been exercised in every respect. Each bandsman has now a closet in which to lock up his instruments and paraphernalia, and when it is considered that these instruments are expensive and in them is invested a considerable amount of the town's money, Alderman Batten's action in arranging for their preservation and safekeeping should be fully endorsed by the citizens. The band hall is now comfortably fitted up; but it has one drawback—the ceiling is far too low. This fault, however, cannot very well be remedied in the present building.

Speedy Cure For Cramps and Colic

The most reliable cure for cramps, Colic, Dysentery, and Summer Complaint is ten drops of Polson's Nerviline in a little sweetened water. Nerviline removes the pain and distress at once, insures prompt relief and a speedy cure in every case. Nerviline is an excellent remedy for all pain, whether internal or external, and should be in every household. All Druggists sell and recommend Nerviline.

MARRIAGE

Miss Minnie Staples and Mr. Thos Green Married on Christmas Eve

At the residence of Mr. Samuel Staples, Cavan, a pretty wedding was celebrated on Christmas eve, being the nuptials of Mr. Thomas Green and Miss Minnie Staples, both of Cavan. Mr. M. Comstock, of Peterborough, acted as groomsman, and Miss Percer, of Port Hope, as bridesmaid. Rev. H. V. Mounteer performing the ceremony in the presence of many friends. A sumptuous dinner was afterwards served, and a pleasant evening spent by all.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

List of Those Chosen by St. Peter's T. A. S. for the Coming Six Months

At the regular meeting of St. Peter's Total Abstinence Society, the following officers were elected for the next term:

President—F. McAuliffe.
1st Vice President—J. Hickey.
2nd Vice President—P. Kane.
Recording Secretary—A. Lahin.
Financial Secretary—A. Crossland.
Treasurer—J. Primeau.
Marshal—J. King.
Assistant Marshal—M. Sweeney.
Guard—J. McCormick.
Trustees—Messrs. D. Holland, J. R. Burns, Wm. O'Brien and S. Anglesey.

The installation of the above officers will take place at the next meeting.

There will be a lecture and concert on the 8th of January in the assembly hall. The lecture will be delivered by Rev. Father O'Sullivan, of Lindsay, the founder of the society, the subject being "Catholic Emancipation."

SOCIAL PERSONAL

—Mr. Geo. J. Chalmers spent Christmas in town.

—Miss Olive Huffman is home from Buffalo for the holidays.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Maxwell are in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Meldrum, McDonel street.

—Mr. John Lightfoot is home from the North-West, spending a month with his wife and family, Charlotte street.

—Mrs. Archie McIntyre, of Bobcaygeon, returned home on Saturday, after spending a couple of days in town.

—Mr. John Hanrahan, Rochester, N. Y., is spending his holidays with his mother, Mrs. Tho. Hanrahan, Bolivar street.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Alexr. Culverwell arrived in town Saturday evening and are staying at the Snowden House.

—Miss Effie McWhinnie is in Port Hope spending the Christmas holidays with her friend Miss Elva Browncombe, Ridout street.

—Miss Clara Adams and Miss Ada Graham, Ashburnham, have gone to Toronto to spend the Christmas holidays, the guest of Miss Ada Whaley.

—Mr. W. H. Foord, who has for some time been superintendent of Little Lake cemetery, is accepting a similar position in Mount Pleasant cemetery, Toronto, the change to take place in the spring.

—Special Christmas music was given in all the churches yesterday.

FOR THE MAYORALTY.

Card to the Electors of Peterborough

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

In response to the numerous representations which have been made to me upon the subject, personally, by requisition, and through the press, I place my services at the disposal of the public as a candidate for the Mayoralty at the approaching municipal elections.

My association with the important municipal advances which the Town has been making during recent years, will enable me to give continuity to the aggressive forward policy which the Council has sought to pursue, and to bring experience and information gained therein to bear upon the work and problems which still more immediately confront us.

While I cannot lay claim to all the qualifications which have been flatteringly ascribed to me, such capacity for the office as I do possess is cheerfully placed at your service, and I ask your sympathy and support in the effort to maintain the position and standing, and advance the welfare of our already prosperous and progressive Town.

Respectfully yours,

G. M. ROGER

EXCURSION TO BERLIN!

Farmers should be interested in the fact that an opportunity will be given them to thoroughly investigate the merits of the beet sugar industry as it is carried on at the large factory in Berlin. A special train has been secured for on or about December 30th, which will go and return the same day. The rate will not be higher than $2, return. The hour of starting will probably be about 6.30 a.m. and of returning about 10 p. m.

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL.

Last Counting of the Votes Before Nomination

DESIRABLE MEN IN THE FIELD

Mr. A. W. Cressman Once More Leads for Alderman

With Mr. R. F. McWilliams a Close Second—Alderman Morrison Third—The Choice of Our Readers is Worthy the Fullest Consideration Today

The leading candidates for Chief Magistrate are:

Ald. Roger	1165
Ald. Shortly	1120
R. Fair	1110

The leading candidates for Aldermen are:

A. W. Cressman	1050
R. F. McWilliams	1020
Ald. Morrison	970
Geo. Matthews	965
Robert Fair	950
E. F. Mason	930
Ald. Best	925

Saturday's voting did not make any material change in the position of the candidates. Messrs. Roger, Shortly and Fair still lead for Mayor. For Aldermen Messrs. McWilliams and Cressman have changed positions with the latter once more heading the list. Ald. Morrison has secured third place, and the g.f.l. hopes he will accept of nomination to-day. He is a young man of exceptional ability, and his work in the Council last year has proved him to be a valuable member of the town government.

A. W. F. writes: "Please record my vote for Ald. John Corkery (Mayor Corkery I suppose I should call him). I consider the honor bestowed upon him by his colleagues on Friday night, when they voted him into the Chief Magistrate's position for the balance of the year, sufficiently indicates that he has the fullest confidence of those with whom he has been associated in municipal affairs the past few years."

A member of organized labor says: "I vote for Ald. Roger for Mayor and Messrs. McGregor, McWilliams, Cressman, Morrison, Geo. Matthews, Robert Fair, Rush, Corkery, Best, and Shortly for Aldermen. These gentlemen have the necessary qualifications for the progressive town government we need next year."

A business man writes: "Please accept herewith coupons for Ald. Roger, Rush et al. Ald. Rush is a gentleman of unquestionable business integrity, whose sound judgment and wise counsel would be sorely missed from the board governing our town's affairs. I trust he will see his way clear to accept of nomination, in which event his election is in my opinion a foregone conclusion."

A west-ender writes: "The unremitting attention given by Ald. Batten to the Property department entitles him to the support of the voters at the coming election. I don't think we can find a more zealous official on the civic board than Mr. Joseph Batten."

A prominent business man says: "Enclosed find my coupon for Shortly for Mayor and ten names for Aldermen. If Messrs. A. W. Cressman, Geo. Matthews and Robert Fair do not enter the field in the coming election, a big proportion of the ratepayers will be very much disappointed."

FOR MAYOR.

Ald. Roger	1165
Ald. Shortly	1120
R. Fair	1110
H. LeBrun	1000
Ald. Best	985
N. C. Winch	910
Robert Neill	800

FOR ALDERMEN.

A. W. Cressman	1060
R. F. McWilliams	1020
Ald. Morrison	970
Geo. Matthews	965
Robert Fair	950
E. F. Mason	930
Ald. Best	925
Ald. Rush	900
Ald. Corkery	890
Wm. Madill	880
W. Salisbury	860
Geo. W. Morrow	820
Ald. Shortly	800
Ald. McGregor	785
Ald. Batten	775
W. E. Conway	760
R. E. Layfield	750
Ald. Turner	735
A. McFarlane	715
H. C. Winch	700
H. LeBrun	670
Thos Barrie	665
Dickson Davidson	645
W. G. Ferguson	615
Kelsey Hall	605
Ald. Clinkscale	675
A. E. Dickson	670
V. Eastwood	560
Geo. Elliott	555
Ald. Edgcumbe	470
Alex. Gibson	450
C. B. Robertson	410
G. W. Moore	400

HOW TO VOTE.

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5 Votes

For Mayor of Peterboro

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For Alderman

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The state of the poll will be published occasionally, at the start, and later on, the result of each day's vote will be made known every morning.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Y.W.C.A. rooms will be devoted to a reception on New Year's afternoon and evening, strangers being especially welcome.

—A case regarding wages for a young girl for picking peas for her employer was heard in the police court Saturday, but was adjourned for further evidence.

—Mr. Bradley, of Pontypool, is in Nicholls hospital suffering from a broken hip received on the slippery walks on Christmas eve. He was brought to town on Friday night.

—The 57th Regiment Band has been engaged to play throughout the dance of the Peterborough Golf Club to-night in the opera house. From the present outlook the affair will be a great success.

—The attention of the public is now being directed more closely to the need of a proper system for the distribution of milk in the town, and of a place where the cans may be sterilized. The number of cases of diphtheria and scarlet fever has increased considerably of late, though the milkmen take the best care possible under the circumstances.

—The first meeting of the A.R.M. Bible class for the new year will take place on Wednesday, January 7th. A Quaker Oats social will be held, after which will be a debate among the members. Mr. W. Warne has been appointed as president in the place of Mr. H. A. Pearson, who leaves town shortly.

A Nervous Woman

Will often feel compelled to stop the clock whose ticking seems unbearable to her. In such a nervous condition the woman needs a building up of the entire system. It is useless to attempt the cure of the nerves while the cause of the nervousness remains uncured. A very common cause of nervousness in women is a diseased condition of the delicate womanly organism.

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"When I first wrote you I had been in three different doctors and two of them said I would never get better without going to the hospital for an operation," writes Mrs. Selma Ericksen, of 496 Rice Street, St. Paul, Minn. "Was not able to do anything. If I would get up and walk to the kitchen and back I would have to lie in bed for a day or sometimes two days. Now I have used six bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and six of the 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and the result is just wonderful. I was so nervous I had to have some one by my side all the time even in day time, and I could hardly eat anything. I took treatment from a doctor twice a week, and every time I would go there I felt so sick, but since I quit all the doctors and began taking your medicines I gained right along. I weighed 115 pounds when I began taking your medicine (in August) and now I am up to my usual weight 165. I am so well and feel as good as ever."

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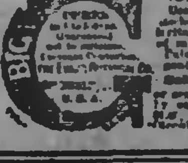

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CANADA'S GREAT BOOM IS UNDER FULL SWING

A Few Facts Regarding the Conditions Prevailing in the United States and Canada

It is Canada's Turn Now to Make Progress and Develop Its Great Resources

London, Dec. 31—The people of England are taking an increasing interest in the colonies, and Canada is receiving far more attention than was the case a few years ago. Articles dealing with the present condition of Canada and its future prospects are now of frequent occurrence in the British press. Not only the daily newspapers, but the magazines also, are devoting much attention to Canadian affairs. The people of the Mother Country are realising that Canada comprises the larger portion of the North American continent, and that it has before it a future of splendid possibilities.

In the Nineteenth Century Magazine is an article which deals with American and Canadian affairs, and in it the writer prophecies that "what the United States was to the nineteenth century Canada will be to the twentieth." He points out that the people of the United States are not homogeneous. The population of the States given as 76,000,000, includes 8,-800,000 negroes, and 627,364 Chinese, Japanese, Indians and Kanakas. Nor is this all—out of 76,000,000 described as Americans 10,460,000 are foreigners, and 12,000,000 are born of foreign parents. Turning to Canada, the writer discusses the emigration of western farmers to British territory. The figures, he says, when considered in relation to other features in the situation, suggest the rise to Canada as a grain producing rival of the United States. The article concludes as follows:

"For nearly fifty years the flow of emigration was southward and Washington was congratulating itself on the gradual realization of its traditional policy, the including of British North America in the union. And there was no denying it was justified in holding that view. A country with boundless resources, a virgin soil and a sparse population, which becomes commercially dependent on a vigorous neighbor allied to it in origin, blood, and language is almost bound to become politically dependent particularly when the way is being opened by the most enterprising of its sons. From this fate Canada was saved only by her faith in the future. That is to say, she saw the danger, and averted it by one of the most tremendous efforts ever made by a handful of people. Nevertheless until the early nineties emigration to the United States was one of the Dominion's greatest problems. With a population of a few million souls scattered over half a continent she was being drained of her young men to the same extent as an old and densely populated country like England. In 1882, according to American official statistics, though their correctness was denied with indignation at Ottawa, 70,219 Canadians settled in the United States. But when the American census returns of 1890 were published, it was clear that there was no need for exaggeration on the part of the Republic, so great was the influx of Canadians. There were 980,000 American citizens of British North America of British birth, and it was estimated that there were nearly as many more of Canadian extraction. It was a painful revelation for the Dominion.

"Since 1890, however, she has prospered by leaps and bounds. Consequently her children find it to their advantage to stay at home. For the tens of thousands who crossed the border during the early years of the last decade, there were 1822 at the end of it; in 1900, the figures fall to hundreds. So that the full import of American emigration to the Northwest is not understood until one realises that Canadian emigration to the United States has almost ceased. In other words the number of Americans who seek homes under the Union Jack is not counterbalanced by the number of Canadians who seek homes under the Stars and Stripes. The loss to the United States is thus a double one. Those Americans who like to talk of the Dominion as a few acres of snow around the pole, see in the American invasion of the Northwest a new way of annexing Canada. The settlers being credited with the deep design of carrying the American flag to the frozen one. The idea is absurd. There is no more political significance in emigration from the United States to Canada than there was in the emigration from Europe to the United States. As a matter of fact few of the settlers are American in the true sense of the term at all. They are either European or Canadian, or of European or Canadian parentage, and become British in the Northwest just as fast as the British become Americans in the Republic. What was sauce for the American goose is surely sauce for the Canadian gander.

"It must be remembered that inducements to settle in the Northwest are many. It is practically a virgin country; the soil is rich and for a physical reason the climate is more endurable than it is further south. The administration of law and justice compares favorably with that across the border, and some affirm it with greater emphasis than Americans.

Finally, Canada controls the quickest route to Europe, and cheap and rapid transit is essential to the farmer's prosperity. For the first time in the history of the North American continent more grain was carried last year to Europe by way of the St. Lawrence than by way of the Erie canal and New York, and American experts have prophesied that in a very few years the Dominion will outstrip the United States in the production of wheat. That sturdy, well-to-do American farmers would aid in its realisation was, however, not anticipated. But so it is. Hence the legend on the arch erected by the Dominion government in London for the coronation was no idle boast. "What the United States was to the nineteenth century Canada will be to the twentieth."

THE BRITISH NAVY TO BE REFORMED

Admiralty Orders Changes to Meet Important New Conditions

NOW KNOWN PLAN WAS WRONG

The New American Policy of Making Engineers Line Officers Adopted—Radical Change in the Education of Cadets

London, Dec. 31—Lord Selbourne, First Lord of the Admiralty, has issued a long memorandum detailing important reforms in the British naval department, which have been decided upon by the Admiralty. The changes, which are sweeping, if not revolutionary from a professional standpoint, become operative in July, 1903.

Lord Selbourne opens the memorandum with an interesting essay on the changes which have overtaken naval service and naval conditions since the introduction of steam and electricity, with special reference to the extraordinary progress in the past fifteen years which have now brought the navy to a critical period in its development.

He says that to meet the changes a change in the personnel is required. In the old days it sufficed if a naval officer were a seaman; now he must be a seaman, soldier, engineer and a man of science also. Officers of the navy have never borne a greater responsibility than at present. Their task will be impossible unless they keep abreast of the scientific, intellectual and physical progress of the age. There is danger lest insufficient importance be attached to study and the best value of what is called practical character be placed higher than it deserves.

With the view to evolving the highest type of naval officer it has been decided to revise the methods of education. Hitherto the conditions have been anomalous. The three classes of combatant officers, executives, engineers and marines, entered the service under different conditions, and underwent different training. The executive officers have not learned the use of machinery, engineers have not learned watch-keeping or navigation and marines have been so educated as to be positively useless afloat.

These anomalies will disappear. There will be one system of supplying cadets, one system of entry and one system of training. For about eight years all cadets will take the same course, which is specified in the memorandum. At the end of the course each cadet will become a sub-lieutenant, and will be entitled to choose in which branch of the service he will specialise. Thereafter his educational career will be prolonged considerably. Later the present old distinctions of the engineers will vanish and they will rank as executive officers and wear the same uniforms as the latter. Officers of marines will be utilized for executive duties while at sea.

GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC

Winnipeg Business Men Debate the Subsidy Question

Winnipeg, Dec. 31—A motion introduced by A. B. Bethune, protesting against the granting of governmental aid to the Grand Trunk or Canadian Northern Railways for transcontinental extension, was debated at the Winnipeg Board of Trade yesterday. The mover spoke at length, giving his reasons why aid should not be granted. He said another transcontinental road was not a necessity, what was wanted being improved conditions on the present system, more travel lines, and increased motive power. Further discussion was postponed until Friday next.

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PUTTING UP BARS AGAINST CHINESE

Twenty-Five or Thirty New Inspectors For Canadian Frontier

MORE INSPECTION POINTS

Prevention of Chinese Smuggling Will be Transferred to Immigration Dept.

Montreal, Dec. 31—As a result of the recent trip of Mr. Robert Watchorn, chief immigration inspector of the United States to the Pacific Coast, The Treasury Department at Washington has decided to increase the inspectors on the Canadian frontiers by 25 or 30 officers between Montreal and the Pacific, which will bring the staff up to eighty men.

Finding the bars securely up in the eastern section, the undesirable immigrants find their way out west, and once having crossed the frontier, they double back to the Eastern States, where they find work.

The expense of travelling from the Atlantic seaports to Western points used to be prohibitory, but now these Europeans are willing to spend hundreds of dollars to get into the United States. There are several foreigners residing in the city who make a business of aiding these people to cross the lines. Two of them are now under arrest, and if found guilty, will be sentenced to long terms of imprisonment, as well as a fine. The openings just closed by Mr. Watchorn were at Emerson, Rosenfield, Estevan, Assiniboine, Elko, Alberta, Victoria, Vancouver, Huntingdon and Cloverdale, at which points two and three inspectors have been named. The United States authorities believe that to prevent their crossing will be more effective than arrests and prosecutions after the immigrants have worked their way in and that the knowledge that these points will be guarded in the future will have a deterrent influence.

It is believed that the Treasury Department will transfer the Chinese immigration question from the customs to Mr. Watchorn's department. At present it is said the Chinese are finding their way across the border in large numbers.

HUMBERT'S DAUGHTER FREE

Others Charged With Swindling Now in a Paris Prison

Paris, December 31—The Humberts and d'Aurignacs arrived here this morning and were conveyed to the Conciergerie.

Eva Humbert alighted first. She was weeping as she gave her arm to her mother, who was perfectly calm. Romain d'Aurignac and the others followed. They were as self-possessed as Mme. Humbert. Frederick Humbert would hardly be recognized; he showed plainly the traces of his recent illness in Madrid.

When the party reached the prison, Eve Humbert was released. At first she refused to leave her mother and M. Farre, the director of the Conciergerie, was obliged to intervene and separate them. The girl's grandmother was so affected that she went into hysterics. Eve demanded that she be allowed to see her mother every day. The officials refused to grant this request.

London, December 30—A despatch from Paris to the Evening News says the belief is gaining ground that the trial of the Humbert swindlers may end in smoke. Dr. Gilbert, of Madrid, expresses the opinion that Mme. Humbert is in a state of mind closely bordering on insanity, if she is not actually crazy. She is affected with monomania on the subject of the "Crawford millions" and is quite irresponsible for what she says or does.

AN INVASION OF CANADA

Pro-Boer Americans Had Decided to Come in Force

Monterey, Mexico, December 31—General Samuel Pearson, the former Boer commander, who is here, says that plans have been made for an invasion of Canada with an army of pro-Boer Americans, when a stop was put to the proceedings by the death of the financial backer of the movement. He says that had it not been for the death of Edward Vassar, New York, the invasion would have been made during March or April. Vassar had agreed to furnish all the money necessary to equip an army of at least three thousand men. He was a wealthy retired New Yorker, whose entire sympathy was with the Boers, according to General Pearson's statement.

POPE RECEIVED 32,000 GIFTS

Value of All His Jubilee Presents Estimated at $2,500,000

Rome, Dec. 31—In connection with the exhibition at the Vatican of the more valuable of the Pope's jubilee presents it is announced that the total number of gifts was 32,000. The value of the gifts presented to him on the occasion of his three jubilees is estimated at $2,500,000. The Pope has bequeathed the presents to the Holy See.

TO MAKE PEACE IN AUSTRIA

Conference of Germans and Czechs Called by the Government

Vienna, Dec. 31—The Neue Freie Presse says that the Government has summoned a conference of Germans Czechs to meet on Jan 3. The object of the meeting is to try to reach a compromise on all matters in dispute between the two nationalities in Bohemia.

Socialist Congress Postponed

Brussels, Dec. 31—At the request of the German delegates to the coming Socialist Congress at Amsterdam, the International Socialists Bureau has postponed the meeting for one year. The German delegates urged that this was necessary in view of the forthcoming electoral struggle in Germany.

Ashkabad, Russian Turkestan, Dec. 31—There was another violent earthquake shock at Andijan, in the Government of Ferghana, last night.

CANADA AND PROBLEM OF NAVAL DEFENCE

London Globe Correspondent Says There is Some Dissatisfaction

CANADA NOT DOING HER SHARE

Claimed Vigorous Statesmen are Needed With Backbone to Guard Imperial Interests

London, December 31—A correspondent of the London Globe, in an article entitled "Canada and Naval Defence," scores Canada for standing aloof from the general colonial sympathy with imperial aims and ideals. It says that what intensifies this feeling of disappointment is that this result is due to the virtual domination of Quebec in the councils of Canada, and the truckling to the ultramontane elements thereof. Statesmen, the article says, by adopting a manly, vigorous and straightforward policy would go far toward killing out such feeling and prove that Canada, as a whole, is as loyal and devoted as any part of Greater Britain. This article says that such a conclusion is not legitimately deducible from the circumstances of her refusal to offer a sum towards the Imperial navy and the defence of the Empire.

BIG FREEZE IN FLORIDA

Thousands of Fires Burning to Save the Orange Groves

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 30.—Thousands of fires are burning to-night throughout southern and eastern Florida in the orange groves to protect the trees and fruit yet unpicked from the threatened cold wave. Last night the thermometer was 24 in northern Florida and 30 at Tampa.

The Weather Bureau here issued warnings to-night to look out for colder temperature and this was carried by telegrams, cold-wave flags on locomotives, and by warning blasts from locomotives as they sped through the farming regions.

In some places the growers use large piles of pine wood, with damp wood mixed, producing a heavy smoke to cloud the grove in. In others, hundreds of little sheet-iron stoves are used, the fires being kept up all night.

COOKE SEPARATION SUIT

The Catholic Priest Loses His Case and Will Have to Divide Property

Ottawa, Dec. 31—Judge Rochon in Hull today gave judgment in favor of Mrs. Cooke, Buckingham, against her husband for separation. Cooke, who was at one time a Catholic priest, pleaded that his vows made a marriage null. The Judge held, however, that he should have come to the courts long ago and had his marriage declared null. Besides securing separation, Mrs. Cooke will receive her share of the property. Cooke, in pleading that his vows prevented legal marriage, tried to evade the division of his property.

CHURCHES CLOSED TO PRINCESS

Lutheran Synod Takes Action on the Elopement of Louise of Saxony

Vienna, Dec. 31—The Imperial Court has refused to furnish means for this support to Archduke Leopold, who accompanied his sister, the Crown Princess of Saxony, to Geneva, after she left her home, unless he makes an unconditional renunciation of all rights to the family fortune.

Berlin, Dec. 31 — The Lutheran Synod of Saxony has issued a decree denying the Crown Princess Louise, who recently ran away with Prof. Giron, the privilege of praying in churches of that denomination in Saxony.

SIX DIE IN BURNING HOUSE

Bodies of the Mother and Five Children Found in the House

London, Dec. 31—A small house in Stepney caught fire tonight and burned with amazing swiftness.

When it became possible for the firemen to enter the building they found the charred bodies of the tenant's wife, and her five children, the latter clinging to their mother as though depending on her to save them.

New Editor of the Globe

Rev. J. A. Macdonald, editor of the Westminster, will succeed Mr. J. S. Willison as managing editor of the Globe. The directors of the Liberal organ at their last meeting decided to offer Mr. Macdonald the appointment, and although not officially confirmed, it is understood that he will enter upon his duties as soon as he can conveniently sever his connection with the Westminster. Since the retirement of Mr. Willison, Mr. John Lewis, the well known leader writer of the Globe, has been temporarily filling the position of editor. It is also understood that the Globe directors were quite prepared to make the appointment permanent had Mr. Lewis cared to accept it. Rev. J. A. Macdonald was born at East Williams, Middlesex, Ont., in 1862. He was ordained to the ministry in 1891, and was for five years pastor of Knox Church, St. Thomas. While a student he edited the Knox College Monthly. In 1895 he edited Rev. Dr. Mackay's book, "From Far Formosa." Since May, 1896, he has been editor of the Westminster.

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WANT COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE

Say There Was a Carnival of Corruption in Referendum Vote

DEPUTATION WAITS ON ROSS

Prohibitionists Demand That Whole Matter of Alleged Irregularities Be Inquired Into

Toronto, Dec. 31—The prohibitionists are convinced that there was a "carnival of corruption" in connection with the recent referendum vote, and yesterday a deputation waited upon the Premier and the Attorney General, and asked that a commission be appointed to investigate the whole matter of alleged irregularities attending the vote, including the manipulation of ballots. The deputation was composed of Messrs. Geo. F. Marter, Alex Mills, W. E. Raney, N. W. Rowell and Rev. Dr. Chown.

The action of the police magistrates of Toronto and Kingston in imposing fines without imprisonment on the persons recently convicted before them of the offence of impersonation was also discussed. The Attorney-General was requested to authorize an application to the High Court for a mandamus requiring the police magistrate of Toronto to impose the penalty provided by the Election Act.

The Ministers promised that the Government would give the matter careful consideration.

Previous to meeting the Attorney-General the deputation met Premier Ross and discussed the question of moral reform. The nature of the reforms asked for was not made public, the members of the deputation stating that the conference was only a preliminary one, and nothing definite had been decided upon.

SCOTCH CURLERS COMING

They Will be in Peterborough About January 21st—The Programme

The special committee appointed by the Ontario Curling Association to prepare for the reception of the Scotch curlers in Ontario, met in Toronto and was attended by Mr. E. B. Edwards, representing Peterborough. A draft programme was prepared but this is not yet ready for publication as it is to be submitted to the Scotch team for their approval and may possibly have to be changed before being finally adopted. It is understood that, among the fortunate places, Peterborough is likely to have a visit from the team. The Scotchmen will probably play here about Wednesday, January 21. Each place they visit will be expected to provide entertainment. Owing to the large number of clubs desirous of meeting them, it is found to be impossible to allow more than one rink of each to play against them. Clubs in the neighborhood of centres in which the visitors are to play from which applications have been received by the committee will have an opportunity of sending a rink apiece.

It being deemed impossible by the committee to arrange for the visit of the team to both Peterborough and Lindsay, owing to the shortness of time at their disposal, and although the claims of Lindsay, on account of its high standing in curling circles, are very strong, Mr. J. D. Flavelle, the representative of Lindsay Club, very gracefully and kindly gave way to Lieut.-Col. Edwards personally, in consideration of the work he had done in connection with the visit of the Scotch curlers. An effort is being made to obtain an extra day or two so as to allow a day for Lindsay, as well as a day for Peterborough. It is probable that arrangement will still be made by which Lindsay can be visited.

In view of the fact that Peterborough is to be one of the places visited, it will behove the local curlers to enter with enthusiasm into every arrangement for the proper reception of the visitors.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Hostler wanted at the Munroe House. 2d.

—Wanted, a second hand refrigerator. R. J. Munro, Munroe House. 2d

—Yesterday was the last day for filing applications for land grants under the act granting to every veteran of 1866, 1870 or the South African campaign a homestead.

The thirty locomotives which the Canadian Pacific Railway recently ordered from Glasgow, Scotland, make a total of 140 engines which have been added, actually or prospectively, to their stock during the present year. During the past season, it is explained, the shortage of locomotives was felt more than that of cars, and this, it is hoped, will be done away with before the next crop is ready to be moved.

— A happy New Year to all.

—Wood was quite plentiful on the market yesterday, and sold all the way from $4 to $7.

—The Chief has a lady's satchel at the Police Station awaiting an owner.

Regarding Infectious Diseases

The following is the law regarding infectious diseases, and the penalty for violations: "Except the attending physician or clergyman, no person infected with small-pox, scarlet fever, diphtheria or cholera, and no person having access to any person affected with any of the said diseases, shall mingle with the public until such sanitary precautions as may be prescribed by the local board or attending physician have been complied with." For violation of this law a fine not exceeding $20 may be imposed.

Y. W. C. A.

The members and friends of the association are reminded of the reception to be held at the Association rooms this afternoon and evening. Strangers will be especially welcome.

—Messrs. Wilfrid Crossley and Bert Bellingham are visiting friends in Toronto.

CASTRO NOW DREAMS OF BIG EMPIRE

Great and Powerful with Himself Enthroned as Dictator for Life

HIS POLICY THREATENS WORLD WITH WAR

Remarkable Career of the Restless President—What the Present Trouble May Produce

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 31—Eight Venezuelan insurrections in the last two years and Cipriano Castro is still "President," with a large P and quotation marks—the capitalization to be in keeping with his official dignity as he understands it; the quotation because his title does not properly define his position in this turbulent little country. Anyway, Castro is still it, whatever it is, and even if allied Europe wipes him out he will have made an impress upon the history of South America. In fact, among the 16 Presidents of Latin American countries, he and Diaz of Mexico are only known by name to the world at large, and Castro has been making a stir ever since 1899.

But if there is much interest there is not much information, or rather in the volumes that have been said and written there is so much that is contradictory. On the one hand he has been lauded as a self-sacrificing patriot and able ruler by men who have denounced Matos, Hernandez, and the rest as contemptible traitors; on the other, he has been declared a dictatorial tyrant, seeking only his own aggrandizement at the cost of the national prosperity and honor.

Torn by Factions.

These extreme opinions, of course, emanate from partisan sources. They may be sincere expressions of sincere convictions, but they are not worth considering, except to show the extent of factional disputes in South America, where there are two kinds of politics—rebellion and "gang" rule. Either the administration rests in the hands of men who have fought for it in the open field or hold it in the same way, or something resembling stability is secured by a corruption whose brazen effrontery would put the St. Louis "boodle" gang to the blush.

Venezuela has preferred the fighting method—eight insurrections prove that—and it is therefore only natural that her people should say bitter things one way or another about any party or faction which, for the time, may control the government.

The truth probably lies half way between the two extremes. Castro is not entirely self-seeking. There is no doubt that he wants to build up his country. He has looked about him at the great nations of the world, and has hoped and labored for the day when his should take its place among the Powers. For this he would make sacrifices, and to this extent his ambition is laudable. But there is another side to the story. He wants Venezuela to be a great country, but he wants Venezuela to be his Venezuela. He wants it to step forth into the world's affairs with him at its head and dominating every move. He wants both Venezuela and Castro to be great. He looks forward to that with a faith not always justified by the events, but a faith that dismisses the charge that he is a mere adventurer like most of the rest.

Dream of Empire.

None can say what Cipriano Castro might have done had he thus risen to the government of a people stable and reliable in their convictions, less spasmodic in their patriotism and rebellion. That he dreams of a vast empire and great is certain, but that dream has often been rudely shaken. He organised his Cabinet and then there was an insurrection; he appointed him Ministers and then there was an insurrection, and each successive move he has made towards the realization of his dreams has been attended by rebellion or sandwiched into the brief intervals between periods of civil strife. That is why we know not whether he is a great man in a small place or the reverse.

But more pretentious than this is the "President's" official conclaves. A Cabinet session is serious and grave. Seated at a table with his Secretary at his side he takes counsel of his advisers and outlines his policies with a gravity that would be becoming in an international conference for the readjustment of Europe. The "President" is always in the foreground.

Apes the Monarch.

It is on state occasions that Castro departs most widely from true republican simplicity.

Dressed in gorgeous military costume indicative of his [illegible] army and navy, he seats himself on an elevated chair, remarkably suggestive of a throne, while the lesser dignitaries stand about in careful arrangement of precedence. The reception of a foreign minister is attended with almost all the formalities of a court function, and never by word, deed, or suggestion is the "Presidential" dignity slighted.

One dream above all has appealed most strongly to the "President" — the restoration of the United States of Colombia, founded by Simon Bolivar. This includes Venezuela, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Bolivia, and over this area, nearly as large as that of this country, and over its 15,000,000 people, Castro hopes some day to rule as "President" for life, free from periodical rebellion, not only leader of South America, but a rival of the United States in the world's affairs. It was to this end that he aided Uribe-Uribe in his attacks on Colombia in the hopes of forcing that nation into the league, after which the others would follow. That he will ever achieve this ambition remains to be seen, but present day prophets do not cast for him a very favorable horoscope. He has other matters to attend to first.

A PRETTY WEDDING

Nuptials of Mr. H. S. Carpenter of Collingwood and Miss Jessie R. Cameron of Town

A very pleasing event took place at No. 441 Reid street, the residence of Mr. John Cameron, when his second daughter, Miss Jessie Ross, was united in marriage to Mr. Henry Stanley Carpenter, of Collingwood. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Torrance, of St. Paul's Presbyterian church in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties.

The bride, who was handsomely attired in white satin, trimmed with chiffon and applique, carried a bouquet of white roses and was attended by her sister, Miss Jean M., who wore pale blue silk and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Mr. A. H. Robinson, B.A., Sc., of town, supported the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter left on the 9 o'clock G.T.R. train for their honeymoon tour. On their return they will reside at Gamebridge, Ont., where Mr. Carpenter is engaged in business in connection with the Trent Valley Canal.

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Will Meet the Government

Arrangements have been made for the representatives of the Prohibitionists to wait upon the members of the Provincial Government on Thursday, January 15. The delegation appointed for the purpose at the recent meeting of the Executive of the Dominion Alliance in Toronto will then formally lay before the Government the requests which were embodied in the resolutions adopted at that meeting. These embrace a demand for the abolition of the saloon and of the sale of liquor in clubs, and other restrictions of the liquor traffic.

Fowl Supper at Zion

The congregation of Zion Methodist church, Otonabee, will hold a fowl supper in the Foresters' hall, Zion, and an enjoyable time is promised to all who drive down. It is only a six-mile drive from town, and as the ladies of Zion church are noted for their hospitality, many will take advantage of this event. A good programme by Peterborough and Keene talent will be given after the supper. The admission to tea and [illegible]

SEPARATE SCHOOL TRUSTEES

Those Retiring Were Re-elected By Acclamation

Nominations for Separate School Trustees were held yesterday and resulted in the re-election by acclamation of the retiring members, who were: Ward 1, Mr. M. L. Henry, Ward 2 Mr. Jas. Murty; Ward 3, Mr. John Kyle; Ward 4, Mr. Jas. Clancy.

The other members of the Board are Messrs. J. J. Lynch, D. O'Connell, J. Goslin and J. Hickey.

SMALLEST WOMAN DEAD

Was Twenty-two Years Old and Weighed Fifteen Pounds

Beaumont, Texas, December 31—Fatma Sing Hoo, reputed to be the smallest adult person in the world, died suddenly here yesterday. She and her brother, Susan Sing Hoo, were on exhibition, and after the afternoon performance Fatma became ill and died before a doctor could reach her. She was 22 years old, weighed 15 pounds and stood 23 inches high.

A Wonderful Tonic and Strengthener

Said a druggist today, "No doubt about it, the tonic that gives the best results is the biggest seller, and that is Ferrozone. It enriches and purifies the blood, restores strength and energy to the feeble, and is a scientific reconstructor that was always popular. In Chlorosis, Anaemia, Tiredness, Languor, Brain Fag, Indigestion and Dyspepsia, its action is prompt, and satisfactory cures always follow. Yes, I recommend Ferrozone to my customers because I believe it is the best tonic and strengthening medicine that money can buy." Large boxes cost 50c.

Mr. Allan McCarthy's Candidature

Mr. Allan McCarthy, who is a candidate for the office of Councillor in Ashburnham, appears to have been incorrectly reported by the press at the nomination on Monday. What Mr. McCarthy said was: "When he could not defend himself with his tongue he was prepared, if need be, to defend himself with his fist." This was said in reply to some annoying remarks. Mr. McCarthy, as may be imagined, is a vigorous candidate, and would make a representative not afraid to do what he believes to be right, even if the heavens should fall. The Times would, therefore, like to see him elected.

Not a Candidate

Mr. Alfred McDonald desires The Times to state that he is not a candidate for the office of Water Commissioner, although his name will appear on the ballot, the [illegible] too late [illegible] in this connection, and as a result his name will appear [illegible]

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, JAN. 1, 1903.

THE ONLY MOMENTOUS EVENT

A discussion is going on among a number of our exchanges as to the cause or causes of a decline in Christian belief at this period of which they and many if not most other contemporary observers and philosophers think there are unmistakable signs throughout Christendom.

Computations of the Sunday church attendance made last month at New York, London and Liverpool, show that the great majority of the population of these towns neglects that form of religious observance; but we have no like statistics of former periods with which to compare them, so as to determine if there has been any recent diminution in church attendance, and how much it is, relatively. Some Catholic newspapers assume a great falling off, and they interpret it as an indication and a proof of the inability of Protestantism to satisfy the religious cravings of mankind. Before they are justified in drawing any such conclusion from church attendance merely they must be able to present comparative statistics to show that similar neglect of religious observance does not exist in Catholic countries and great towns, or, at least, is proportionately less to a significant degree. According to the statistics obtained in New York by Protestant enterprise it is as largely relatively among nominal Catholics as among nominal Protestants in the population; but so loosely was the enumeration made that on neither side can any safe inference be drawn from it.

Of one fact however, there is a complete demonstration, and it is that never at any period in the history of America, at least, was the celebration of the day commemorative of the birth of Jesus Christ so general, so jubilant, so impressive as it is now. The Incarnation as an historical fact is the central doctrine of Christianity. Without it Christianity would not be a supernatural religion at all, but merely a system of human morals and philosophy. By the side of the event celebrated a week ago by Christendom is a positive fact that all other events in the history of the world are of utter insignificance. What else can be of any essential importance in human annals, if nineteen hundred and two years ago "the only begotten Son of God Himself, for us men and for our salvation came down from Heaven and was Incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary"?

It is true that a large part of Protestant Christianity refused to accept this particular day as the anniversary of the Incarnation, but of the Incarnation as an historical event there never was any Protestant dispute, except the relatively small number of whom the Unitarians are representative. That God actually came down to earth and was made man is the belief on which the religion of Christianity rests, whether Catholic or Protestant. Moreover, the old-time Protestant aversion to the celebration of Christmas which found expression in the colder portions of the continent, as purely secular by the performance of usual labor, has passed away.

Everywhere Christmas has become the great holiday of the year by the common consent of Christendom, and its celebration is now as distinguished in the Churches which once rejected it as a veritable anniversary of the Incarnation as in the Churches which have always made it the prime feast of the Christian year. Last week we gave the programmes of Christmas music in English, Methodist and Presbyterian churches of Peterborough. Practically, too, all the people render homage to the day as the foremost of holidays, even where they are without religious faith, Christian or other.

At least, formally, therefore, Christmas observance is still maintained without diminution by the conjunction of the Incarnation. The supreme importance of the Incarnation is recognized by all Christendom, so far, at least, as concerns the making of Christmas the supreme holiday of the year. And the manner in which the day is celebrated, in the making of gifts, is still symbolic of the transcendent Gift on which Christian faith looks as an historical fact.

Christmas, writes a theologian in the Church Eclectic, is the celebration of "the most momentous event in the history of our race." If God came down to earth and became man, it was the only really momentous event in human history.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

The Detroit Free Press describes Canada as Uncle Sam's long-lost brother. Did you ever notice that when a man becomes prosperous his relatives begin to look him up?

GIVES A BRILLIANT LIGHT

New System Introduced in Canada—Winnipeg to Be Headquarters

Winnipeg, Dec. 31—The Imperial hotel was so brilliantly illuminated last night that hundreds of passers by on the streets were attracted and the ground floor of the house was often crowded.

The brilliant effect was produced by the oxygen lighting system, which its inventor, A. F. Morey, of Kansas City, Mo., says is produced by 5 per cent. hydrogen and 95 per cent. air. This was the first time the light has been used in Canada.

Last week a patent was issued from Ottawa to Col. Amos F. Morey, of Kansas City, and M. F. St. John, fur buyer, Winnipeg, for the manufacture of appliances for this light and Judge Malcolm Johnson, of Kansas City, is also interested in the company.

They will form a local company and sell its stock to local investors and propose to open up a new industry in Winnipeg, making it the leading center for the supply of this lighting system for the whole of the Dominion of Canada. It is their intention to apply to the local legislature for charter for the new company, and next year they propose to build a factory at Winnipeg for the manufacture of plants, machinery and fixtures, including chandeliers. Col. Morey, the inventor, of the new light and Judge Johnson, are at present in the city.

THE BLOCKHOUSE SYSTEM

Their Utility in Shortening the War Now Admitted

London, Dec. 31—De Wet, in his history of the war in South Africa, expressed the opinion that the blockhouses erected by the British had little effect in impeding the operations of the Boers or hastening the conclusion of the war. Upon this point however, other authorities do not agree with him. Major-General Elliott Wood writes to the Times to say that, prior to the introduction of the blockhousing system, railway tracks or railway trains were blown up nearly every other day, but that, when the system had advanced toward completion, there was no such occurrence for months at a time. The gain to the British from such freedom of interruption of their communications was of course enormous. "As a matter of fact," says General Wood, "the Boers, with very rare exceptions, did not attempt to cross these blockhouse lines by day. In many cases they were driven on to them, and were captured in considerable numbers. By means of these, convoys could safely travel through the country, our columns could find support on them, and the movements of the enemy were far more easily observed and reported." It is not at all likely that General Kitchener would have pushed the blockhouse system so far if it had not been progressively justified by results.

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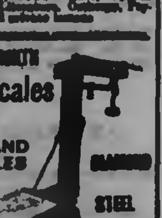

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2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
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July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

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NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
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The Bell Telephone Co. of Canada will issue a new

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for the District of Eastern Ontario, including the City of Peterborough, early in January, 1903. Orders for new connections, changes of firm names, etc., should be placed at once to insure appearance in this book.

F. W. DOAN,
Local Manager.

Peterboro', Dec. 6th, 1902.

STOCK MARKETS

Buy St. Paul Immediately

New York, December 31st—There is no question about it, St. Paul is being greedily purchased by powerful interests. It is going much higher. The entire action of the stock even during the September, October and November decline clearly shows this to be a fact. The market indications for the past few days plainly portray the fact. Someone is buying St. Paul. We have no hesitancy in committing ourselves to the opinion that this stock will cross 200 the first six months of the coming year. The new issue of stock which has been authorized by the directors of the company is to be used for some purpose yet unannounced. Its use, however, is undoubtedly connected with the yet unknown reasons which will when announced materially advance the price. St. Paul has also of high interest bonds maturing shortly which will be replaced with lower interest bearing obligations. St. Paul has expended within five years fully forty millions of dollars upon its property, charging same to operating expenses. St. Paul within two years will be as valuable as is the Northwest and should sell equally as high. St. Paul has now the right of way through to the Pacific coast via the Union Pacific lines, enjoying equal privilege with the North West. St. Paul sold in September at 198 3-4 and had the market not given way at the time would probably have reached 210. St. Paul sold above 190 in October, having dropped below 180 after its previous high market. St. Paul we believe, will sell up ten to fifteen points within 60 days, and will sell well above 200 within the coming six months. Buy and hold St. Paul. The general market looks most promising for January. We believe it can be most safely purchased at present. The coal shares look unusually well. They are going to sell on a much higher plane the coming year. The trunk lines as well as the extreme western lines, including the Pacifics, will give a good account of themselves also. Copper is also specially attractive at present. We have been persistently bullish since it left 54 and expect to get pretty close to 70 in January. If you are a reader of these letters and have no open account at present time we most strongly urge you to open one immediately and avail yourself of the present opportunity. Buy some stocks.

HAIGHT & FREESE.

LYNCHED THE WRONG MAN

Brother of the Man Hanged in Kansas May Have Been Guilty

Pittsburg, Kan., Dec. 30.—It is now thought here that in the lynching of Mont Godley on Christmas morning probably the wrong man was hanged. The opinion is that it was the brother of the man who was lynched that fired the shot that killed Policeman Hinkle. A physician in this city was called upon by the mother of the Godley boys to treat one of them for a bad gunshot wound in the neck, received in a fight on Christmas eve. The physician could not get the woman to tell where her son was. Officers went to the Godley home, but he was not there.

From Weir City it is reported that he was at his home there, and the Sheriff has gone to look for him.

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Friday, the 2nd day of January next

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By order of the Board,
W. G. MORROW,
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PETERBOROUGH, JAN. 1, 1903

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

A HAPPY NEW YEAR

The Times wishes its readers, one and all, a happy and prosperous New Year.

Watch Night Services

There were watch night services in the Methodist churches last night. The attendance was not large.

Band Concert to Night

Don't forget the band concert this evening in the market building. A splendid programme has been arranged. Admission 10 cents.

Sad Death of a Child

The little three year old child of Mr. John Harde, of Omemee, died a very agonizing death of convulsions last week as a result of eating a box of pills containing arsenic sugar-coated pills. The child came into possession of the pills accidentally, and the result proved fatal.

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SMITH MUNICIPAL ELECTION

The Council Elected by Acclamation but Contest for Reeve

There will be a stiff contest for Reeve of Smith, the candidates being Mr. E. M. Elliott, and Samuel Stinson both members of last year's council.

The following comprise the new council: Messrs. Wm. M. Bell and Jas. Fowler, re-elected, and R. J. Duff and R. N. Scott, new members.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. W. Sherin, Clerk of Lakefield, was in town yesterday, and gave The Times a call.

—Mr. Wm. Anderson, M.P.P., was in town yesterday and dropped in to see The Times.

—Mr. H. Fralick is spending the holidays with his parents in Napanee.

—Mr. George J. Chalmers, Water street, leaves this morning for the North Shore lumbering districts, where he and his son, Alex, hold responsible positions with the Edmund Hall Lumber Company, one of the largest lumbering concerns doing business in Canada.

—Miss Maggie O'Sullivan, of Ennismore, after completing her studies at the Norwood Model School, is visiting with Mrs. Dr. Blanchard, Charlotte street, and after the holidays will proceed to Ennismore, where she has been engaged as teacher for the ensuing term.

—Mrs. Jas. O'Neill, who has been visiting in town with her father, Mr. Harry Best, of the Palace Hotel, left for her home in Bobcaygeon yesterday.

—Miss Edith Bugg, of Bowmanville, is spending the holidays with Miss Nellie Pratt.

—Messrs. E. Bartlett and B. Beatty of the Times, and Alf. Smith of the Review, are spending the holidays in Toronto and other western cities.

—Mr. William Clemence, of Niagara, N.Y., and his son, Master Roy, arrived last night on a visit to his brother, Mr. J. Clemence, No. 7 Walton street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Clemence, and two children, have returned to their home in Uxbridge, after spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Clemence, No. 7 Walton st.

—Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Torrance will receive from 3 to 6 p.m. on New Year's Day.

—Miss Jennie Owen, Campbellford, is visiting with Miss Nellie McKee, of Rubidge street.

—Miss Quirk of Ashburnham, has gone for a month's visit to points in Western Ontario.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Noyes, and Master Maxwell, of Hamilton, left this morning, after spending Christmas with friends in town.

—Mr. Jas. Robinson, of Lyn, has returned home after a few days' visit in town, the guest of Mr. Jas. McKibbon, No. 1 Dennistoun avenue.

—Miss Cora Paul, of Port Hope, returned home on Monday evening after spending her Christmas holidays in town, the guest of Miss Maye Taylor, George street.

—Mr. Jas. Hogue was in Lindsay yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Bentley are visiting friends in Kingston.

—Miss Belle Armstrong, Campbellford, is the guest of her brother, Mr. R. B. Armstrong, for New Year's.

TO THE ELECTORS OF PETERBOROUGH

Your vote and influence is respectfully requested for the office of Water Commissioner for 1903.

T. F. MATTHEWS

LIVE LAKEFIELD LOCALS

Interesting Grist of News from Our Pretty Northern Village

—There is some wood coming in, for which prices from $6 to $7 is asked.

—For whom do you vote? This is the question.

—The following are the candidates for the municipal elections: For Reeve, Harry Fitzgerald, elected by acclamation; for Councillors—J. H. Davis, A. Northey, F. J. Burgis, E. A. Tanner, A. J. Kidd.

—For the school board the following were elected: Dr. J. R. Frazen and R. H. Little. Mr. Burgis, who is a candidate for the Council, and who was nominated for the Board, retired. This leaves the School Board one man short, which means another election.

—Mr. Walter Sherin, Town Clerk, was in town yesterday.

THE REFERENDUM

The Complete Returns Increase the Majority To 96,[illegible]

Complete returns from Fort William and Lake of the Woods show that the total vote cast in that constituency in favor of putting the Ontario Liquor Act into operation was 769, against 744, giving a majority in favor of the act of 25 instead of 19 against, as at first reported. This brings the total vote cast, irrespective of spoiled ballots, up to 302,128, of which 199,977 were in the affirmative, and 102,851 in the negative, giving a majority of 96,[illegible]. The respective percentages of 65.9 for and 34.1 against are not affected by the change in the figures. East Nipissing is now the only constituency from which the returns are incomplete.

AN INTERESTING WEDDING

Miss Ethel Bradburn and Mr. Amos H. Wood of Town are United in Marriage

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bradburn, Union street, was the scene of a very pretty wedding yesterday afternoon, when their daughter, Miss Ethel Vivian, was married to Dr. Amos H. Wood, of town. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. C. Davidson, M.A., in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends guests being present from Winnipeg, Ottawa, Toronto and other places. Miss Foster, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid; Miss Gertrude Bradburn, sister of the bride, was maid of honor while Miss Mata Middlebrook, cousin of the bride, made a very pretty flower girl. Mr. W. C. Bradburn, brother of the bride, was groomsman.

The bride was charmingly attired in white marleveloux, with trimmings of white medallions over white taffeta, and she carried a beautiful boquet of white carnations. White silk organdie over blue taffeta composed the becoming gown worn by the bridesmaid, who carried pink carnations. Miss Gertrude Bradburn's dress was of white muslin de soie over yellow silk. The flower girl was prettily gowned in white silk organdie over India silk. The groom's present to the bride was a diamond ring, and to the bridesmaid, a pearl crescent.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the guests sat down to a sumptuous wedding breakfast.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood left by the 5.10 C.P.R. for Toronto and Buffalo, and on their return will reside on Union street. The Times extends its hearty congratulations.

For Alderman

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—As I have once more been nominated for the position of Alderman for the Town, I take this opportunity of stating that I am in the field again as a candidate for 1903. My aim in the past has been to lean towards the most careful economy in the management of our municipal affairs. At the same time, if elected, I will always give my support to such measures as are calculated to build up and maintain the prosperity of our live and growing town.

Your Obedient Servant.

JOS. BATTEN

FOR ALDERMAN

To The Electors of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—Having been nominated as a candidate for alderman for the council of this flourishing town for 1903, I take this opportunity of calling the attention of the ratepayers that I am in the field. As I shall not make a personal canvass of the town, I trust that any services which may have been rendered by me during the last year will warrant your vote and influence. My interests in the town personally are by no means small, and in consequence it will be my best effort to advance every measure that will lead to the rapid progress of our town.

Trusting that my municipal experience in the past, together with the rapid progress which my own business has made, will warrant your vote on January 5th I remain, respectfully yours,

J. J. TURNER

A happy New Year to all.

TO THE ELECTORS

—OF THE—

Village of Ashburnham

Ladies and Gentlemen, — Having been repeatedly urged to stand for Councillor for the Village for 1903, I have accepted the nomination tendered me on Monday last.

I therefore respectfully solicit your votes and support. You may rest assured that, if elected, I shall do all in my power to secure the very best service to the municipality at as little cost as is consistent with good work.

Among other things, I will favour the construction of granolithic walks on the principal streets of the Village, payment to be extended over a term of years, on the basis of a frontage tax.

Your Obedient Servant,

ALLAN McCARTHY.

Ashburnham, Dec. 31st, 1902.

Municipal Elections

To The Ratepayers of Peterborough:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

Having been nominated as candidate for election as alderman for 1903, and remaining in the field, I solicit your votes and influence to assure my election, promising to give the duties of the office faithful and careful attention.

Very respectfully,

D. O'CONNELL

The Municipal Elections

ALDERMAN FOR 1903

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I solicit your support and influence to ensure my return as alderman for 1903. I have served you for four years and have endeavored to do my duty impartially and well. I promise, if elected, to do my best for the advancement of the interests of the town.

I trust to have your support.

Very respectfully,

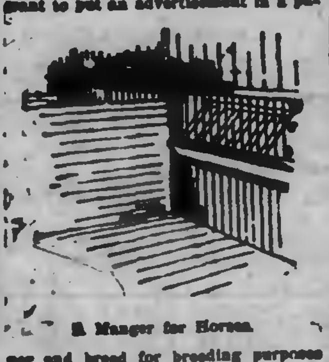
ROBT. CLINKSCALE

MANGER FOR HORSES.

A Simple Device Meets Many Advantages.

One thing that hinders many farmers from making a good profit on their farms is keeping scrub stock instead of good breeds. No one who has ever tried feeding a Poland China or Berkshire hog in the same pen with a scrub would need anything else to convince him of this. A good thoroughbred will simply return twice the increase for the same amount of feed that the scrub will. This is a matter of far greater importance than most people think. There is no money in scrub stock, and the sooner it is universally known the better it will be for the country. We feel and realize, says John A. Wallace, in the Farmer's Home Journal, the fact that Kentucky loses thousands of dollars each year by feeding inferior hogs. There is quite a large number of hogs now being fed in Kentucky which would not pay for half the care and feed given them.

Just why this is so is hard to explain, when we know that there is a good profit in good hogs and a good sow and boar can be bought so cheap and soon stock any farm with good hogs. A good brood sow can be bought for $15 or $20 and upon an average will bring from six to eight pigs. A good boar pig can be had for $8 or $10 and from 25 to 30 per cent of the feed now consumed can be saved thereby and this alone would buy good hogs by the dozen. Not only this but if you do not want to put an advertisement in a paper and breed for breeding purposes you could sell all your surplus pigs to neighbors at from six to eight cents per pound. We have tried several experiments with good Poland and China pigs and good scrub pigs finding from $3.00 to $4 difference per head in a year. Now, this would make a difference of from $30 to $40 in a scrub sow and a good sow in a year, when we remember that a sow will bring two litters a year.



A Manger for Horses.

A number of the breeds of hogs are now being bred for early maturity, and need not be kept till one year old to mature, but can be kept to six or eight months old and be turned off to top the market the sweetest and best bacon, and the pigs in the fall turned off to neighbors at from $3 to $5 per head at four to six weeks old, or fed for spring market, as may be desired, not forgetting that extra attention is what makes the extra profit, especially during the winter months. Now, young man, are you in the old rut, breeding that old roach-back scrub? If so pull out this fall while you yet have time to make preparations for next year by buying a bred sow or sows, as needs be, and a good boar to breed to next summer for a fall litter, and don't forget to get a good pedigree with what you buy, which will induce your neighbors to buy from you at good, if not fancy prices.—Rural World.

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AUTHORS & COX

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ASHBURNHAM REEVESHIP.

To the Electors:

In accepting the nomination for the office of Reeve, so generously tendered me by my fellow-ratepayers, I would say that I am strongly opposed to a personal canvass, and take this means of informing the electors that I do not propose to solicit their votes.

If elected I shall endeavor to perform the duties pertaining to the office in a business-like manner, and thus justify the confidence which the ratepayers repose in me.

In conclusion, I desire to wish every ratepayer in the village, regardless of whether he votes for me or not, a happy and prosperous New Year.

George Stevens.

Ashburnham, December 29, 1902.

How long will it take the man to fill the sack if he does not stop the leak? To attempt to nourish the body when the stomach is diseased is like trying to fill the sack with the hole in it. When the stomach and other digestive and nutritive organs are diseased, there is a constant loss of nutrition. Enough is eaten but the body loses flesh,—plain proof that the food eaten is largely wasted because it is not digested and assimilated.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation.

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LOST—On George Street, Saturday, Dec. 27th, a Parcel of Goods. Finder will please leave at Gough Bros.

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WILL CANADA BECOME PART OF UNITED STATES

The New York Sun Says That We Are Rapidly Becoming Americanized

Foolish Statements Regarding Canada by This Great American Newspaper

New York, Dec. 30—Those Canadians who profess ardent loyalty to the British Crown are a good deal worried by the emigration which has begun to flow into the Northwest territories of the Dominion from the adjoining sections of the United States. They apprehend that the newcomers will not appreciate the position of dependence on a transatlantic monarchy of which the Canadian Conservatives are proud. There may be some ground for the misgiving, but there are other reasons for thinking that at no distant day loyalty to the British Crown will cease to be a dominant sentiment in Canada. As it is, the sentiment is shared by descendants of English and Scotch emigrants and of the loyalist refugees who settled in British North America after our Revolutionary War. Now it is precisely this element of the Canadian population which, according to the census of 1901, is increasing less rapidly, and which, unless recruited by unexpected emigration from Great Britain, will be greatly outnumbered in the course of a few decades.

The figures of the recent census show that the emigration from the United Kingdom into the Dominion does not suffice to supply the loss by death among the British-born and Irish-born inhabitants of the country. Of persons born in England, Ireland or Scotland there were residing in Canada in 1901 only 390,062, as against 485,524 in 1871. That is to say, there are fewer British and Irish-born people in Canada today by nearly 100,000 than there were thirty years ago. On the other hand, the number of immigrants from countries other than those embraced in the British Empire was 278,804 in 1901, as against only 131,983 in 1881. Of the 49,149 immigrants that entered Canada in 1901, only 11,810 were of British and Irish birth. If the inflow from the United States shall continue to increase as it has increased during the last twelvemonth and no change takes place in the inflow from the United Kingdom, the foreign-born residents in Canada will soon outnumber the immigrants of British and Irish birth.

There is another ominous fact brought out by the last census. The Canadians of English, Scotch, or Irish descent are increasing much less rapidly than are the French-Canadians. The latter double in numbers every quarter of a century. In Quebec, the province in which French-speaking people are most numerous, the birth rate is 36.86 per thousand. In this part of the Dominion families of eighteen, twenty and even more children are not infrequent. The last census, when compared with preceding censuses, proves that English-speaking people are being gradually squeezed out of the Province of Quebec, while settlements of French-Canadians are being formed in other parts of the Dominion. If the emigration of French-Canadians in the United States were checked, their tendency to preponderate at home would be emphasized. As it is they are certain greatly to outnumber the Canadians of British and Irish descent before the middle of the present century.

It is improbable that the sentimental tie which at present connects the Dominion with the United Kingdom will survive the attainment by the French-Canadians of that ascendancy in the Ottawa Parliament to which their numerical superiority will entitle them. The stories that ascribe to the French-speaking inhabitants of the Province of Quebec a feeling of attachment to the British sovereign are fairy tales. How could "loyalty" be expected from this element of the population? The children of French-Canadians are brought up, for the most part, in entire ignorance of the English language, under French civil law, and without any knowledge of English customs. Quebec, in truth, is more French than is France. Never would the French-Canadians, however, desire incorporation with the French Republic, because they are fervent Catholics and abhor the treatment to which the Catholic Church is subjected at the hands of the civil power in the country of their forefathers. What the French-Canadians are likely to desire, when they acquire the political preponderance at Ottawa, for which they are destined, is complete political independence, although they may come to favor annexation with out Union when they are made to understand that Quebec, as a State, would have exclusive control of her own religous institutions. Our Federal Government is prohibited by the Constitution from establishing any particular form of religion, but nothing prevents a State from doing so.

COAL DEALERS TO ANSWER

Chicago Council Summons Them to Explain Juggling of Prices

Chicago, Jan. 2—Coal dealers will have to answer the scarcity and high price of the fuel coal. One hundred and fifty jobbers and dealers have been notified to meet the Aldermanic investigating committee this afternoon.

Attorney-General Hamlin and the aldermanic investigators assert that the railroads practically have cleared their skirts and are now doing all in their power to relieve the situation, even if they have not done so in the past. Its "up to" the dealers, they say.

Information declaring that an arbitrary increase in the price of coal was decreed by a meeting of soft coal dealers this week was laid before the aldermen yesterday, and this evidence of a combination to rule prices will be investigated.

NEW MEDICAL WONDER

Chicago Doctor Proposes to Inject Medicine Into Human Heart

Chicago, Jan. 2—Dr. W. Byron Coakley, who claims he can cure human hearts without killing by squirting medicine into them through a machine he has invented, is all ready to try his treatment on a human being, when he finds one willing. His experiments, so far, have been with dogs as subjects. No sentient being has yet come forward to be relieved of heart disease by the Coakley process.

The doctor uses a gold needle eight inches long, which he calls an organotone, in making the injections. The solutions to be injected are handled in a machine called an organometer, which nicely regulates the quantity, temperature and pressure. The various ventricles and auricles of the heart are reached by inserting the needle between particular ribs. To reach the left ventricle, the needle is plunged through the right, or through the lung.

Coakley hopes to get a human subject before long, so he can demonstrate his process before the international medical congress at Madrid.

Grand Trunk Exhibition in Japan

The Grand Trunk Railway System through the Exhibition Commissioners of Canada, at Ottawa, have just shipped a very fine and complete collection of their well known scenic views depicting scenes along their line, to the land of the Chrysanthemum for display at the Fifth National Exhibition of Japan which will open in the City of Osaka, March 1st. 1903. The collection includes some of the best pictures of the districts in the "Highlands of Ontario" and other summer resorts located on the Grand Trunk, as well as reproductions of several of the engineering feats on the line, such as the St. Clair Tunnel, the double track single-arch steel bridge across the Niagara Gorge, and the more recent Victoria Jubilee Bridge across the St. Lawrence River at Montreal. This series of pictures will make a very comprehensive display and will be the means of bringing before the people of the Orient, some of the charms of Canada, which have hitherto been unknown.

NEW LAW FIRM

Firm of Dennistoun, Peck, Kerr & Stevenson

This firm has a new member in the person of Mr. F. D. Kerr, who commenced the practice of law in Peterborough seven years ago. Mr. R. M. Dennistoun started the firm in 1886 with Mr. Arthur Stevenson. Subsequently Mr. E. A. Peck joined. The Peterborough Light and Power Company is under the management of Mr. Arthur Stevenson, who has, however, not severed his connection with the legal firm.

By agreement the partnership existing between Mr. F. D. Kerr and Mr. D. O'Connell terminated on the expiration of the last of the year. As a son of Hon. Senator Kerr, of Cobourg, and as a brilliant barrister, he has a great future before him.

Mr. O'Connell will occupy the same business offices on Hunter street, and the firm of Dennistoun, Peck, Kerr and Stevenson will still dispense legal wisdom at their old address, 415 Water street.

The Day of Miracles Not Past

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KAISERS' SLANDER ON GREAT BRITAIN

National Review Insists That Its Revelations Were Correct

THE STORY DENIED BY GERMANS

North German Gazette Ridicules the Report as an Audacious Invention

London, Jan. 2.—The National Review in its January number reproduces the story which appeared in its December issue, to the effect that the German Emperor made disparaging remarks about the King of Britain, the British Government, and the British people while on board an American yacht off the coast of Norway last summer.

The North German Gazette, the semi-official organ of the Berlin Foreign Office, characterized the story as an audacious invention, and now the National Review says: "Our readers may rest assured as to the absolute accuracy of the recital, which we only abstain from making more circumstantial because we have no desire to bring in the names of private individuals, which are, however, perfectly familiar in well-informed circles both in the United States and Great Britain.

"However wildly improbable the story may seem to the Anglo-Germanising journalists of London, it happens to be substantially and literally true, though we have given an exceedingly moderate version of the actual incident. The denial of the North German Gazette is inspired either by ignorance or is a falsehood."

Madrid, Jan. 2.—Germany has notified Spain that she intends to observe an attitude towards Morocco similar to that of France and Great Britain. All the powers are thus in accord with Spain's desire to maintain the status quo.

A despatch received here from Ceuta Morocco, says that a Moor who was under British protection has been murdered by Moors between Tangier and Tetuan.

The Kabyles, in the vicinity of Melilla, Morocco, are quiet.

People who have arrived at Ceuta from Fez do not take very serious views of the situation.

WIRELESS AT ONE CENT A WORD

Messages Across the Atlantic May Be so Cheap as That Says Marconi

Sydney, N.S., Jan. 2—The dinner given in the Sidney hotel last night by the citizens in honor of Signor Marconi was a great success. The electrical display was a feature of the decorations. At the opposite ends of the table were placed two miniature towers, representing the stations at Table Head and Poldhu, Cornwall. Between these two station an electric spark flashed at intervals, signifying the passing of wireless messages.

Mayor Crowe paid a high tribute to Marconi, and the inventor spoke at length on the progress of his invention. After reviewing the early stages of wireless telegraphy, Marconi said:

"The cost of establishing a transatlantic wireless telegraph service is less than $250,000 while it cost $4,000,000 to lay an Atlantic cable. From this you can readily see that wireless telegraphy can be carried on at a much less cost than cables. At the present time the cable companies serve the purpose admirable, that is for the rich, but the masses—the great majority of people in the civilised world—are precluded from using the cable, because of its cost. Wireless telegraphy, by bringing down the cost of communication over the sea, will do a great thing for mankind. As for great Britain and her colonies and the great American republic to our south it will give a better understanding between them all and strengthen to a large degree the family ties which bind them.

As you are aware, we are under contract to submit messages at ten cents a word, but you need not be surprised if in the future wireless messages are flashed across the Atlantic at a cost of a cent a word."

AGAINST DOUBLE-HEADERS

Trainmen West of Mississippi Planning to Strike to Stop Them

Austin, Tex., Jan. 2—It was said here today on high authority that a strike of the conductors and brakemen on every railroad west of the Mississippi River on which double-head er trains are operated is imminent. The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen embodied in their demands presented to all the railroads west of the Mississippi River on Nov. 28, that the operation of double-header trains on three roads be abolished.

The exact demand is that not to exceed thirty cars be hauled with two engines, which is equivalent to abolishing the practice, as that number of cars is easily hauled with a single engine. An exception is made of the mountain divisions of the roads, where the grade is heavy and two engines to draw each train are necessary.

It is understood that the roads are willing to treat liberally with the trainmen in their demand for a 20 per cent. increase in their wages, although the increase which they are willing to give will not probably exceed 10 per cent. This may be acceptable to the employees as they did not expect to get the full 20 percent.

The Southern Pacific, the Santa Fe, the Colorado Southern, the Missouri Pacific, the Northern Pacific, the Burlington, the Rock Island, and other roads upon which double-headers are operated, are said to be willing to grant the demand of the men for the abolition of that practice and will soon notify the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen on Jan. 5, which is the date on which an answer is to be received. The engineers and firemen did not join the conductors and brakemen in this demand. The Railway Trainmen have been striving to secure legislation prohibitory of the double-headers in Texas and other Western States for several years without success.

AN AGED COUPLE BURNED TO DEATH

Lived All Alone in House at Gatineau Point

LAMP SET FIRE TO CLOTHING

Thurso Girl Succumbs to Injuries Stumbled While Descending Stairs

Ottawa, Ont., January 2 — Phifias Pichette and his wife, Marie, an old couple living about two miles east of Gatineau Point, were burned to death in their house last night. Mr. Pichette and his wife were about 60 years of age and their family having grown up and married, they had been living by themselves.

A sad death occurred at Thurso yesterday, when Miss Leonie Bergeron, daughter of the late Baptiste Bergeron succumbed to injuries from burning. Nine days ago Miss Bergeron was carrying a lamp downstairs, when she stumbled. The lamp set fire to her clothing and severely burned her face. Members of the family were on hand immediately, and extinguished the blaze in a few moments. With the aid of medical attendance it was thought for a time she would recover, but she sank gradually.

EVANGELIST H. D. KENNEDY

Home After a Very Successful Season in Algoma District

Evangelist H. D. Kennedy, son of our esteemed fellow-citizen, Mr. Dawson Kennedy, has returned to Peterborough, after having completed a six months' revival service in Algoma district, and has left for Deseronto, where he will conduct a series of meetings. The following, taken from the Christian Guardian, tells of the splendid work which is being done by this popular and successful young revivalist:

It is now some months since we first reported a gracious old-time revival on this district, which is still in progress. For the past six months Evangelist H. D. Kennedy has been laboring with us, under the sanction and direction of the chairman of the district and the financial secretary. His work has been greatly blessed of God in the salvation of many souls, and in the quickening of the churches during these months, and we regret that he is now leaving the district. Mr. Kennedy is a strong and original preacher, thoroughly possessed of the importance and sacredness of his work, and well qualified for it, both mentally and spiritually. His treatment of the great characters of the Bible, like Jacob and Samson, David and Judas, and many others, is so vivid and well imagined that these great types of character fairly live again in the imagination of the hearer. He is an expository preacher, rather than doctrinal, but the grand old doctrines of repentance from sin, and regeneration of life through faith in Christ are clearly and faithfully presented. His methods are thorough, and there can be no doubt of the permanence of the work when followed up by a faithful pastor. As a direct result of this campaign about 450 persons have been led to definitely accept Christ as their Saviour, and have been added to the various Protestant churches. Methodism, of course, has reaped the lion's share, and nearly all of our churches along the north shore have been strengthened and established in their loyalty to Christ and to Methodism. We rejoice in this work, not only for its present direct results, but because such a revival spreading over these new settlements is fraught with so much importance for the future. The church that wins the country now is the church that will lead the hosts of the Lord when the resources of this new country are fully exploited. There is a steady and rapid increase in population and prosperity throughout these regions, and it will only be a few years until Algoma will be dotted over with flourishing communities, and now is the time to plant the church on the firm foundations of spiritual religion. Such a campaign as has been carried on in this district would, if judiciously planned and wisely carried out, be of great advantage to every mission district in New Ontario.

The War of 1812

The unjustness of the War of 1812 is well explained by Dr. James Hannay in the first instalment of his history of that great struggle, which appears in the January Canadian Magazine. He points out that before the news of the declaration of war had travelled from Washington to London the objectionable Orders-in-Council, concerning the Right of Search had been withdrawn. Thus the only acknowledged reason for the war was removed before a blow was struck. There was an armistice on receipt of the news, but the United States would not agree to stop the war. Napoleon was preparing to invade Russia, Great Britain's hands were full of war. Hence the United States considered it an excellent moment to strike a blow at England—the old mother who was so keenly hated—and at the same time gain possession of Canada. President Madison was coerced by his political friends, who declared he only could secure a second term by carrying on the war. He yielded against the dictates of his better judgement.

Dr. Hannay's narrative is clear and spirited, and is probably the best account of the struggle yet published. Future instalments will be eagerly awaited.

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Twenty-one miles north of Detroit is situated Mount Clemens, a City known as "The Carlsbad of America" at which place thousands of people visit every year for treatment of different ailments; and the wonderful cures that are made with rheumatic sufferers are almost miraculous. Principal among the diseases cured are those that accrue from traces of uric acid in the blood. But the waters of the Springs are a panacea and cure for bilious and liver troubles, digestive troubles, nervous disorders, general debility, etc.

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SAMUEL WATSON MUST STAND TRIAL

Brantford Magistrate Commits Him on Manslaughter Charge

HE IDENTIFIES THE ASSAILANTS

Alfred Hanley and Edward Ray, the Alleged Burglars, Plead an Alibi

Brantford, Jan. 2.—After hearing the evidence in the preliminary trial in the case of Samuel Watson, charged with killing his brother Wesley while sleeping, mistaking him for a burglar, Mr. Leitch, J.P., on Wednesday committed him for trial at the Spring Assizes, on a charge of manslaughter. The evidence revealed the fact that the killing was directly due to an outrage committed on the brothers by burglars on November 22 last, and they feared another attack of the same kind.

The Watsons rented their farm at $500 annually, falling due on January 1. The landlord had refused to do some repairs, and, after securing advice, they decided to withhold the rent. But they were afraid he might garnishee their money in the bank and their chattels, so withdrew it entirely, and sold nearly everything they possessed and buried the money in two fruit jars. In one jar there was $3.50, and in the other $2,250. The burglars entered the house in broad daylight, seized and gagged Samuel Watson, and by torture forced him to reveal the hiding place of the lesser sum. He was about to tell of the other also, when the men were frightened away by the other brother firing his rifle. Samuel was quite collected in court, and told his story clearly. It was retold without material variation by his brother James.

After the committal Alfred Hanley and Edward Ray were arraigned on the charge of entering the Watson's house and by force stealing the $3.50. They are butchers of Ancaster, and James Watson stated they came often to the farm, as they had a number of cattle there. Few, he said, knew of the hiding of their money, and he positively identified the prisoners by their clothing, their general bearing, and their voices. The case was enlarged till Wednesday next and bail accepted. The accused will endeavor to establish an alibi, and they will bring about 25 witnesses to swear they were in Hamilton on the day of the robbery.

ROLLING MILL FOR TORONTO

New One Will Be Started in the Near Future It is Said

Montreal, Que., Jan 2.—It is understood that a new rolling mill will be started in Toronto in the near future, and while the enterprise has no connection with the Dominion Iron and Steel Co., it is believed that several of the western directors of the Sydney concern are also amongst the promoters of the enterprise that is to be launched in the Queen City. The product of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co., will thus find a new market, as their pig will be exclusively used.

GIRL KNOCKS DOWN HER FATHER

He Was Beating Her Mother For Which He Goes to Jail

New York, Jan. 2—Henry Shazy, of North Bergen, N.J., was committed to the Snake Hill penitentiary by Recorder Pullis in Hoboken yesterday for wifebeating.

On Sunday night he found fault with the supper and said he would give his wife a lesson in cooking. He was beating his wife with a rolling pin, when his fourteen-year-old daughter, Louise, went to her mother's assistance and felled him with a stone pitcher.

The Recorder commended the girl's action.

ITALIANS FOR SOUTH AFRICA

Plan to Bring Them into Natal To Build Waterworks

Pietermaritzburg, Jan. 2—A scheme is projected to induce the Government of Natal to sanction the importation of Italian laborers from northern Italy to work on the new waterworks. After completing this service they will be at liberty to settle in the country where they will become valuable agricultural laborers.

It is argued that such labor is used beneficially in Switzerland, Austria, south Germany, the Argentine Republic and the United States. Some Italians are now employed on the Cape Colony railway lines, where they give the greatest satisfaction. They do three times the amount of work done by the blacks.

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PUBLIC MEETING IN THE OPERA HOUSE LAST NIGHT

Municipal Matters Discussed by the Nominees for Civic Honors Before a Small Audience

Ald. Batten Proves That He is a Union Man—The Fuel Yard Would Cost $50,000 to Establish—Vote of Thanks to the Council of 1902

The mass meeting at the opera house last night was not very largely attended. Mayor Corkery made a very acceptable chairman, and was well received. He explained that the object of the meeting was to discuss municipal matters, and reading a list of the nominees for the Council of 1903, invited them to take a seat on the platform. Messrs. R. F. McWilliams, Best, Turner, Batten, Morrison, O'Connell and the Mayor-elect (Ald. G. M. Roger), responded to the invitation.

THE MAYOR ELECT

Was the first speaker, and received a very enthusiastic reception. He thanked the electors for the honor conferred upon him and promised to do all in his power to advance the interests of the Town. The Town has reached an important crisis in its history, when it must keep apace with the march of progress in order to hold its own with other Towns in the Province. The important issues for the next Council to deal with are the Light and Power contract, which expires in January next, and the telephone monopoly, the contract for which also expires next year. The Council for 1903 will have to determine whether it will be wise to renew these agreements or not. Then the question of amalgamation with Ashburnham will also have to be considered. Sooner or later a union of these municipalities will have to take place, and such a union must, in his opinion, be productive of benefits to both corporations. But there is considerable opposition to the scheme. A number of Peterborough's ratepayers feel that this amalgamation will give immediate increased value to Ashburnham property at an expense to Peterborough ratepayers. In the village the greatest opposition to the proposed union is met with in official circles; it has been argued that in the event of amalgamation, the government of Ashburnham's interests will pass entirely into the hands of Peterborough officials. So far as the support of the Hunter street bridge is concerned, the cost of that structure has already been paid for and he did not think its maintenance could be accepted as an important factor in the question. The sewage question was perhaps more serious, as Peterborough ratepayers feel that, as Ashburnham has no such system, they would be called upon to pay a large proportion of the cost of constructing such a one for the village. Turning to the proposed municipal fuel yard Ald. Roger opined that the fuel question is a matter of life and death to Canadians, which will not be settled in Peterborough next Monday, but will have to be dealt with in the legislative halls. The causes of the present fuel famine are outside of our own country altogether, and it is exceedingly questionable whether any action on our part will help to improve the situation. Municipal ownership of the waterworks is yet in its infancy, and this together with the Light and Power and Telephone issues, makes it questionable whether it would be wise to go into the fuel business. The Mayor-elect supported Ald. Best's by-law to raise $20,000 for street and bridge improvements and permanent works, and argued that the building of permanent structures, and issuing for the same debentures covering a period in which the coming generation will contribute toward the payment of benefits derived equally with us, is a wise policy to pursue.

ALD. BEST

Was well received. He explained that a portion of the $20,000 asked for in the bylaw to be voted on next Monday was to be expended in an iron bridge at the corner of Aylmer and Brock streets. It was thought to be economical to make the structure a permanent one, so as to avoid future expense. Then a better system of storm drainage is to be provided, so as to lead the water directly to the creek, and to avoid the danger arising from overtaxing any one portion of the present sewage system. Permanent road beds are also to be constructed in the main portion of the Town. Asphalt pavement can be built at from $2.25 to $2.40 per square yard, and he figured that we could construct good Macadam roads in Peterborough at one-half that price.

R. F. McWILLIAMS

Was enthusiastically welcomed. He thought the main issue before the public was one of administration. He supported Ald. Best's bylaw and maintained that the streets most used should receive attention of a permanent nature. Good work can be accomplished in this direction if the roads are looked after properly and with constant vigilance. He believes in encouraging the location here of industries, but the taxpayers should not be overburdened. He objected to a wholesale exemption, without due regard to the benefits to be derived by the citizens from these industries exempted. Before the J. J. Turner and Sons' bylaw was submitted to the people the Council should have shown the public what benefits they were deriving from that institution. He thought, however, that local industries were entitled to consideration in the way of exemption as well as new concerns. Mr. McWilliams advocated a judicious advertising of the town's many natural advantages, which should be brought to the notice of capitalists and manufacturers. He thought that a committee of the Council should enter into all disputes between capital and labor, and work together with them in the interests of the Town, which stands to gain considerable by the introduction of conciliatory measures between manufacturers and employees.

ALD. TURNER

In support of his by-law explained that last year his firm had paid out $8,000 in wages alone and had spent $10,000 in buildings, etc. The fact that when a little while ago so many concerns were losing their female help, he did not lose one single girl, is sufficient proof that J. J. Turner & Sons pay good wages. Under the provisions of the bylaw they will be enforced to employ at least 20 hands for ten months in the year. They export a large quantity of goods to London, England, which is in itself a good advertisement for the Town, and their present building is the largest of its kind in Canada. An evidence of the magnitude of their business is the fact that last week the manager of the Merchants Cotton Mills, of Montreal, visited them personally to take their order for 25,000 yards of duck, which will be used before next spring. Ald. Turner regretted that circumstances over which he had no control, such as the death of his mother in England, had enforced his absence from a few meetings of the Council. However he has always done his best in the interests of the Town, which he considered to be the most foremost in the province. He advocated the immediate completion of the Trent Valley Canal, which would materially influence freight rates, particularly on coal. He is now urging the establishment of a postal delivery, the want of which is now very much felt in Peterborough.

MR. O'CONNELL

Made a very acceptable speech, in the course of which he remarked that the time has come when Peterborough must either become a city of some importance or retrograde year by year. He thought our natural advantages should offset any inducements offered manufacturers by other towns. He did not think that the Council or the Board of Trade had in the past properly placed before industries seeking location Peterborough's splendid advantages in the way of railways, waterways, the T. V. C. and an unlimited supply of power. He did not believe in booming, and argued that it was a very unwise policy to double the population and at the same time double the burden of taxation; still he did not object to a judicious exemption when due regard was entertained for future taxation. He did not think municipal ownership of the waterworks had so far proved of much benefit to the people in the way of reduced water rates, and argued that all classes (the poor as well as the weathy) should have equal sanitary advantages. As to the workingmen, they have the same rights and privileges to organize as capitalists and and members of the various professions. He would encourage the Manufacturers' committee of the Town Council taking a hand in all industrial disputes.

ALD. BATTEN

Was well received. He thought the Town had during the past two years made as much progress under the government of workingmen as it did prior to that time under the administration of lawyers and doctors. We have done all in our power to secure new industries, but could not do so because other towns offered big cash inducements.

In reply to a voice from the audience, Ald. Batten explained that the new boiler in the Town building was built and put into position by union men. On being charged with not being a union man himself, he produced, amidst prolonged cheering, his Blacksmiths' Union card.

ALD. MORRISON.

Supported Ald. Best's bylaw to borrow $20,000 for street improvements, etc., and explained that should it be carried permanent work will be constructed on our main streets, and the $12,000 or $14,000 annually expended on streets and bridges will then be available for improving the outlying districts, which have hitherto been neglected. He is, he said, in favor of municipal ownership so far as it will not injure our credit in the money markets of the world, which to-day stands par excellence. We can now sell our debentures at 3 3-4 per cent. and almost at par. As to the fuel yard by-law, Ald. Morrison argued that its establishment would cost at least $50,000, the taxation on which would probably bring the price of fuel up to that sold by local dealers under normal conditions. He characterized the bonus system as a pernicious one, but that we must, in order to make progress, do as our neighbors do. One thing against Peterborough is that it is not on the water, front yet, and owing to this disadvantage we lost one big concern which located recently in Hamilton. He took exceptions to bonusing or giving exemption to big concerns with millions at their back. In conclusion he eulogized the Mayor-elect as a progressive man who would do honor to the confidence placed in him.

Rev. J. C. Davidson moved, seconded by Mr. Layfield, a vote of thanks to the Mayor and Council of the past year, which was unanimously carried.

Three cheers were then given for the King, after which the meeting dispersed.

Pekin, Jan. 2—The stories that are current to the effect that the Empress Dowager is implicated in the alleged rebellion said to be headed by Gen. Tung Fu Hsiang and Prince Tuan are not believed here. Neither is any credit placed in the reports of the missionaries upon which Mr. Fraser, the British Consul at Hankow, ordered all women and children in [illegible] and Shensi, west of [illegible] in view of anticipated [illegible] Fraser also warned the [illegible] ers in the districts [illegible] prepared to leave at a [illegible] ing.

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AN OLD HYPOCRITE

There seems to be no doubt of the accuracy of the charge made by General Botha that Kruger and Leyds recently received $600,000 in gold from the Transvaal, making a total of over $8,000,000 of the public funds of the late republic that they now have in their possession. Even the New York Tribune is moved to remark on the subject:

Mr. Kruger has wept many tears for the losses and sufferings of his former countrymen. There is no doubt that there is much suffering among them, beyond all the relief which the British government is giving. Boer generals who fought on the veldt while Messrs. Kruger and Leyds were living in security and luxury in Europe are lecturing and writing books and soliciting contributions, all for the relief of their suffering countrymen. Between their conduct and that of the two custodians of the Transvaal gold there is a striking contrast.

TO WIPE OUT CHURCH DEBTS

The Methodists in the United States undertook to raise a twentieth century thank offering fund of $20,000,000 and on New Year's eve the fund was complete. About $19,000,000 has been raised and a millionaire has promised to complete the amount. The name of the generous donor was to have been announced at the watchnight service held by the Methodists of Springfield, Mass.

Eight million dollars will be expended in paying off the debts of all the Methodist churches in the United States and a million and-a-half will be devoted to the establishment of a fund to provide pensions for aged and infirm ministers. For the education of Methodist children $3,000,000 will be set apart and $5,000,000 will be expended on hospitals, of which the church has already twenty; all established within the past ten years.

In connection with the various divisions of the fund individual promises of large additional amounts have been received, contingent upon the raising of additional amounts. For instance, an addition of $50,000 is promised to the pension fund in case another $100,000 is raised, and the condition has nearly been fulfilled.

POSTAL ANOMALIES

Our attention has been more particularly called this week, says the Journal of Commerce, to a condition of things, confined probably to one or two of the larger cities, bearing upon the administration of the Post Office Department as affecting our internal revenue. We directed attention some time ago to the employment of departmental privileges for the purpose of private circulars from the Capital. The old "franking" system had had its day, but there were more ways than one by which the country could be made to carry some people's letters and parcels free. Much of the leakage going on in this way has doubtless been checked, but there still exists a remnant of it with which business men are not so likely to become acquainted. It is an open secret, that some of the postage stamps which have latterly taken the place of "franks" to members of Parliament and others find their way into private families throughout the country; not only these, but other trifling perquisites supposed to be used exclusively "On His Majesty's Service" can with a little effort be obtained for ordinary use. There can be but one term for such appropriations, but nearly everybody knows with how little scruple many otherwise honest visitors to Europe will evade the revenue dues, and they can hardly be expected to have less tender consciences in respect of other departments of the public service.

President of Italian Council of State Dead

Rome, Dec. 31—Signor Saredo, President of the Council of State, is dead.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

An Oregon firm has closed a contract with Major H. P. Myton, Indian agent at Fort Duchesne, Utah, for five thousand Indian ponies running wild on the Uintah reservation. The Portland packers expect a big boom in their beef-canning trade as the result of the improved quality of horseflesh out of which they manufacture it. The greater portion of the beef manufactured from Indian ponies will be sent to Japan for the use of the Japanese army. The Indians are to get $2.50 each for the ponies, and the roundup is now on.

SIX DIE IN BURNING HOUSE

Bodies of the Mother and Five Children Found in the House

London, Dec. 31—A small house in Stepney caught fire tonight and burned with amazing swiftness.

When it became possible for the firemen to enter the building they found the charred bodies of the tenant's wife, and her five children, the latter clinging to their mother as though depending on her to save them

CHURCHES CLOSED TO PRINCESS

Lutheran Synod Takes Action on the Elopement of Louise of Saxony

Vienna, Dec. 31—The Imperial Court has refused to furnish means for the support to Archduke Leopold, who accompanied his sister, the Crown Princess of Saxony, to Geneva, after she left her home, unless he makes an unconditional renunciation of all rights to the family fortune.

Berlin, Dec. 31 – The Lutheran Synod of Saxony has issued a decree denying the Crown Princess Louise, who recently ran away with Prof. Giron, the privilege of praying in churches of that denomination in Saxony."

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The Complete Returns Increase the Majority To 96,826

Complete returns from Fort William and Lake of the Woods show that the total vote cast in that constituency in favor of putting the Ontario Liquor Act into operation was 759, against 744, giving a majority in favor of the act of 15 instead of 19 against, as at first reported. This brings the total vote cast, irrespective of spoiled ballots, up to 303,128, of which 199,977 were in the affirmative, and 103,151 in the negative, giving a majority of 96,826. The respective percentages of 65.9 for and 34.1 against are not affected by the change in the figures. East Nipissing is now the only constituency from which the returns are incomplete.

SMALLEST WOMAN DEAD

Was Twenty-two Years Old and Weighed Fifteen Pounds

Beaumont, Texas, December 31—Fatma Sing Hhoo, reputed to be the smallest adult person in the world, died suddenly here yesterday. She and her brother, Smaun Sing Hpo, were on exhibition, and after the afternoon performance Fatma became ill and died before a doctor could reach her. She was 22 years old, weighed 15 pounds and stood 23 inches high.

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3.—FLUX.

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When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows:—

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Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000

or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years........ $670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

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Mainly About People.

A man went with his wife to visit her physician. The doctor placed a thermometer in the woman's mouth. After two or three minutes, just as the physician was about to remove the instrument, the man, who was not used to such a prolonged spell of brilliant silence on the part of his life's partner, said: "Doctor, what will you take for that thing?"

In connection with the question of the extent of Dumas's indebtedness to his collaborators, the following anecdote is told: Dumas, it is said, was once reproached in conversation for some inaccuracy in one of his works. His answer was: "I never read the book. Let me see. Who wrote it for me? Ah! I remember. It was the little Auguste Maquet. I must go and box his ears."

An English temperance advocate was once arguing the case of public-house reform. Pressing the matter home, he thus addressed Lord Salisbury: "At least, my lord, you will admit that a great increase in the number of drinking-places in a given locality is an additional temptation to over-indulgence." "Not at all," retorted Salisbury; "if I visit in a home with forty bedrooms, I feel no greater inclination to sleep."

In his volume, "The Kiss and Its History," Dr. Christopher Nyrop of the University of Copenhagen, relates that in England in 1837, Thomas Saveland brought an action against Miss Caroline Newton, who had bitten a piece out of his nose for his having tried to kiss her by way of a joke. The defendant was acquitted, and the judge laid it down that "when a man kisses a woman against her will, she is fully entitled to bite his nose, if she so pleases." "And eat it up, if she has a fancy that way," added a jocular barrister half aloud.

To Professor Ramsay, at one of the schools of mines, came one day a commercial magnate, who wished his son to enter upon a course of the school's instruction. "But mind you," said he, "I don't want him to learn about strata, or dips, or faults, upheavals, or denudation of surfaces, and I don't want to fill his mind with fossils, or mineralogy, or stuff about crystals. What I want him to learn is how to find gold and silver and copper in paying quantities, sir—in paying quantities."

The other day a firm of lithographers received a circular announcing the death of the head of a well-known business house. In reply they wrote: "We regret to learn the loss sustained by your firm in the death of Mr. ——, and beg to express our heartfelt sympathy. We notice your circular is printed by Messrs. ——. We are confident that, had you asked us, we could have quoted you cheaper and better than any other firm in the market, and in the event of a future bereavement, we hope you will afford us an opportunity of making you an offer."

Commenting on the dubious Disraeliana perpetrated in Sir Edward Blount's "Memoirs," a correspondent of the London "Times" thus writes on the fallibility of this sort of reminiscence: "Much nonsense was talked about Disraeli in those days; men perhaps began to believe the stories that passed from mouth to mouth, and even to think they had themselves been present at scenes which never were. Lady Ashburton used to say that as a child she declared she remembered being present at her mother's wedding; and that, though she was whipped for making the statement, she never ceased to believe it."

Apropos of the difficulty of speaking foreign languages correctly, a story is told of a dainty French lady who recently visited our shores. She is sensitive to the point of nervousness, and realizing the liability to err in a foreign tongue, she was generally careful to make selection of each individual word. Wherefore she was but the more amusing when, one evening, feeling moved to remonstrate with a gentleman upon the chilliness of our northern May, she said: "Reely eet ees so cold here all se time sat I have sat all se day weeth my feet over se transom" (register).

A lady once gave Robert Browning some flowers, and when he asked for their common name, hesitated about telling. Finally, says the "Cornhill Magazine," on being urged, she shyly confessed that they were called "bloody noses." Browning was very fond of telling the story, and one day, after finishing it, he "dropped into poetry," to this effect:

I'll deck my love with posies,
I'll cover her with roses.
Should she protest,
I'll do my best
To give her bloody noses.

When Dion Boucicault was playing "The Vampire" at the Princess' Theater, London, the opening scene represented the highest regions of the Alps by moonlight, while a thunder-storm raged in the distance. One night, in the height of the season, a tremendous clap of thunder startled the audience, and interrupted Mr. Boucicault in the middle of a speech. Lowering his voice so that it could be heard only by the propertyman, he said: "Very well, Mr. Davids, you are making more mistakes. That clap of thunder came in the wrong place." Mr. Davids replied in stentorian tones, which could be plainly heard all over the auditorium: "No fault of mine, sir; it wasn't my thunder. Thunder's real out of doors; perhaps you can stop it there."

Worse Than Creeds.

"Did you hear of the split in the Church of the Extended Invocation?"

"No; I haven't heard. What could it be about? I thought the members of that church were the most united in the city."

"They have always borne that reputation, but there is trouble enough there now."

"What about?"

"The members decided to give their pastor an automobile so he could more easily make the round of his parish, and, after the money had been collected, the question of whether it was to be a steam, an electric or a gasolene vehicle came up, and you can easily imagine the rest."—"Automobile Magazine."

One Point of View.

From the Chicago "Post."

"Considering the work they do," commented the citizen, "the police are poorly paid."

"And yet," replied the old lush, "in considering the rate of pay we must also consider the expenses. Now, a policeman doesn't have to buy either cigars or drinks if he has the right kind of beat."

POPE RECEIVED 22,000 GIFTS

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Week of Prayer

The week of prayer observed in Protestant churches throughout Christendom has been arranged for Peterborough as follows:

Monday, January 5th, St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. Speaker, Rev. J. P. Wilson. Subject, "The Church Militant." Acts 20:28-35. Eph. 2:19-22; 5:17-31. Heb. 12:18-29. Rom. 12:1-13.

Tuesday, January 6th, Charlotte street Methodist church. Speakers, Rev. O. L. Thompson and Rev. J. A. Wilson. Subject, "Foreign Missions." Matt. 28:18-20. Mark 16:14-20. Acts 10:9-20; 26:14-18. Rom. 15:18-19. II. Cor. 10:12-18.

Wednesday, January 7th, George street Methodist church. Speaker, Rev. Dr. Torrance. Also Mark street Methodist church. Speaker, Rev. J. G. Potter. Subject, "Home Missions and all Gospel Work in the Colonies and Outlying Settlements of all Nations." II. Chron. 20:1-12. Psa. 19. Eph. 4:7-24. Phil. 1:3-20. Rev. 3:1-12.

Thursday, January 8th, St. Paul's Presbyterian church. Speaker, Rev. J. Bestow. Subject, "For Special Work Among the Young. For Families and Schools." Judges 13:8-14. Psa. 144:9-15. Prov. 2:1-9; 4:1-19. Matt. 19:1-14. II. Tim. 2:1-9; 22-26.

Friday, January 9th, Murray street Baptist church. Speaker, Rev. W. J. Jolliffe. Subject, "Nations and their Rulers." Psa. 9. Psa. 126. (Deut. 2:44-49; 5:17-29. Acts 9:10-16. I. Tim. 2:1-8. Rev. 11:15.

BIG FREEZE IN FLORIDA

Thousands of Fires Burning to Save the Orange Groves

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 30.—Thousands of fires are burning to-night throughout southern and eastern Florida in the orange groves to protect the trees and fruit yet unpicked from the threatened cold wave. Last night the thermometer was 24 in northern Florida and 30 at Tampa.

The Weather Bureau here issued warnings to-night to look out for colder temperature and this was carried by telegrams, cold-wave flags on locomotives, and by warning blasts from locomotives as they sped through the farming regions.

In some places the growers use large piles of pine wood, with damp wood mixed, producing a heavy smoke to cloud the grove in. In others, hundreds of little sheet-iron stoves are used, the fires being kept up all night.

COOKE SEPARATION SUIT

The Catholic Priest Loses His Case and Will Have to Divide Property

Ottawa, Dec. 31—Judge Rochon in Hull today gave judgment in favor of Mrs. Cooke, Buckingham, against her husband for separation. Cooke, who was at one time a Catholic priest, pleaded that his vows made a marriage null. The Judge held, however, that he should have come to the courts long ago and had his marriage declared null. Besides securing separation, Mrs. Cooke will receive her share of the property. Cooke, in pleading that his vows prevented legal marriage, tried to evade the division of his property.

DISTRICT NEWS

NORTH MONAGHAN.

—The municipal elections are now on in earnest, and out of the entire list of nine candidates, only two of the old council seek re-election. Indeed, Mr. May, who served so faithfully in the past, was with difficulty induced to remain in the field. It is the duty of the ratepayers to elect him with a good majority. Mr. Smith also deserves re-election. He has shown himself to be the right man in the right place. Familiar with the requirements of the municipality, and having a deep and abiding interest in the welfare of the township, no man is better qualified to sit in the council than Mr. Smith. The Times would like to see Mr. Smith and Mr. May head the poll.

KEENE.

—Nominations for township councillors took place in the Town Hall on Monday. The following gentlemen elected by acclamation compose the council for 1903—Reeve, John Doyell, councillors, John Moore, John Carey, John H. Fife, and W. J. Porter. The following gentlemen were nominated but resigned: Archibald Weir, Joshua Hutchison, Robert Hobbs.

—The meeting for the election of School Trustees was held in the school room on Wednesday. The trustees for 1903 are Richard Skinner, Secretary-Treasurer; John O'Keefe and James Kimhurst.

—The Bachelors' Ball on Tuesday evening passed off very pleasantly, about 125 being present. The Misses Hurley, of Peterborough, furnished the music and Mr. Archie Moore was floor manager.

—Mr. Walter Bryce, wife and family are spending the holidays at his father's.

—The Foresters hold their annual ball on Friday evening.

—The death occurred on Friday last of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McFee. The funeral took place to the Keene cemetery on Saturday. They have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

—Dr. McWilliams left for Toronto on Wednesday to spend New Year's.

—Miss Theresa Doris, who is attending the Business College, is home for the holidays.

APSLEY.

The opening of the new Methodist Church at Apsley, of which the Rev. C. S. Reddick, is pastor, will shortly take place.

Dedication services will be held on January 11, at 10.30 a.m.; 2.30 p.m. and 7 p.m. Sermons will be preached by the Rev. J. P. Wilson, of George Street Church, Peterborough, and the Rev. P. W. Leggett, of Lakefield. On Monday evening, January 12th, a tea-meeting will be held. Refreshments will be served in Temperance Hall and a programme of addresses and music, etc., will be given in the new church after tea. Admission, adults 25 cents, children under twelve 15 cents.

HARVEY.

—Mr. George I. Eason, who resided on Lot 2, concession 16, Harvey, was found dead in his house on Monday morning. The deceased was about 65 years of age, and since the death of his wife, about three years ago, he had lived by himself. He attended a Christmas tree entertainment on Wednesday evening of last week and that was the last seen of him alive. He was found on Monday morning by his son, Mr. George Eason. Death is supposed to have been due to heart failure. He leaves three sons. They are Messrs. Thomas and George, of Harvey, and Robert of Kinmount. The funeral took place on Wednesday.

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Peas, mammoth	65 to [illegible]
Oats	31 to 32
Buckwheat	[illegible]
Rye	[illegible]
WOOL AND HIDES	
Wool, unwashed	[illegible]
Fleece Wool	11 to 12
Veal Calf Skins	[illegible]
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Lard	[illegible]
Chickens, per pair	[illegible]
Ducks, per pair	[illegible]
Geese, each	[illegible]
Turkeys, each	[illegible]
Butter, fresh roll, per lb	[illegible]
Butter, crock	[illegible]
Eggs, per doz	[illegible]
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Feeders, 1,000-1,200	[illegible]
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Hogs, select, 160-200	[illegible]
Fats and heavies	[illegible]
Lights	[illegible]
Sows	[illegible]
Stags	[illegible]
Sheep	[illegible]
Lambs, per lb	[illegible]
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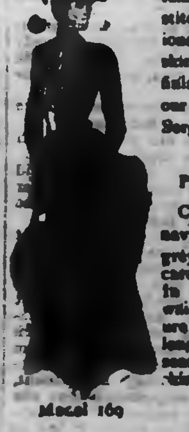

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She ceased speaking, and there was a long silence. Mrs. L'Estrange had buried her face on the arm of the sofa, and her whole graceful form was trembling with emotion, but not a sound escaped her lips. In the silence Hilda could hear the sound of the gay dance-music in the hotel parlors, mellowed and sweetened by the distance, and outside on the graveled path the monotonous tramp of Cecil Courtenaye's feet as he walked up and down, waiting for her.

Mrs. L'Estrange looked up at last with an altered face. It was sad and melancholy still, but there was a look of peace upon it that it had not worn before.

"Hilda," she said, looking curiously at the girl, "have you never wished that you instead of Florence were the earl's granddaughter?"

Hilda flushed and hesitated, then she said, with sweet frankness:

"Yes, Mrs. L'Estrange, I have sometimes wished that I could put myself in Florence's place."

"You thought it would be a fine thing to have a beautiful home, fine dresses, and jewels?" said Mrs. L'Estrange, looking keenly at her.

Hilda flushed brightly under that searching glance.

"I declare to you, madame," she said, earnestly, "that I have never once thought of those things in connection with my envy of Florence. You will laugh at me, perhaps, but I will tell you the truth. I loved the beautiful face in the locket I had worn from childhood. I envied my cousin her lovely, unfortunate mother more than all the glories that will be hers as the earl's granddaughter."

"Hilda," said Mrs. L'Estrange, drawing the girl fondly into the clasp of her arm, "did you ever hear of a fairy godmother?"

"Oh, yes," said the girl, smiling. "They are the good fairies who grant even the most unreasonable wishes in the fairy stories."

Mrs. L'Estrange smiled gently.

"My little one," she said, softly, "I am going to leave here in a few hours, but you will see me and hear from me again. I want you to give me your address on a card now. And, Hilda, until I see you again, will you think of me kindly as of a fairy godmother?"

"I do not understand you," said Hilda, giving her a puzzled look while she scribbled her address on a card, and put it in the lady's hand.

"You do not? Well, never mind," said Mrs. L'Estrange, with a sigh and a smile. "I mean that I may bring you good tidings some day. Now good-night, my darling girl. Your friend may be impatient waiting so long."

She kissed and embraced Hilda, and accompanied her to the door, watching her as she ran down the steps, and a smile of pleasure curved her lips as she saw how eagerly Cecil Courtenaye joined her.

CHAPTER IX.

Hilda's Defiance.

Hilda had not walked ten paces from the cottage with Cecil Courtenaye beside her, when she was confronted by her father. He was walking toward her at a rapid gait, and as soon as he saw her he sprang forward and caught her almost roughly by the arm.

"Hilda, where have you been?" he exclaimed sharply.

Hilda looked up at him in surprise. He did not usually trouble himself about her movements. She shook off the grasp of his arm, and said, gently:—

"Don't papa, you hurt me! I have been to see Mrs. L'Estrange."

"What business did you have with that woman?" he inquired, roughly.

"She asked me to come," said Hilda, without a suspicion that her own interests demanded that she should keep that fact a secret.

"Oh! she did—did she! And what business did she have with you?" he inquired, with increasing agitation and anger. The fact was, Florence had told him of the incident of that evening, and he had become unaccountably excited over it—so much so that he had gone straight from the ball-room to seek his neglected daughter. Finding her absent, he had rightly conjectured that she had gone to the cottage of the mysterious lady whose curiosity had so affronted Florence. He immediately went to seek her, with what result we have seen.

"Good evening, Mr. Aylesford," said Cecil Courtenaye, with a significant cough, as a gentle reminder to the irate gentleman of the presence of a third party.

"Ah! good evening, Mr. Courtenaye," said the gentleman, turning with a start. "Pardon me for overlooking you, the fact is I was so vexed with my little girl here for running off so indiscreetly after a strange woman of whom she knows nothing, that I——"

"I did not suppose you would care, papa," interrupted Hilda, quickly. "You have never taken any account of my coming and going. Why should you do so now?"

Mr. Aylesford bit his lip at this spirited reminder.

"Tut, child," he said, in some confusion, "your remark would lead our kind friend here to suppose me a careless father. I must assure him in explanation that in the safety and seclusion of our mountain home no surveillance was necessary. In a public place like this it is quite different."

"Certainly," assented Mr. Courtenaye, as the speaker paused for a reply.

"Ah! by the way," said Mr. Aylesford, a sudden thought striking him, "were you, too, visiting Mrs. L'Estrange, sir?"

Courtenaye hesitated a moment. He saw that Mr. Aylesford required an explanation of his presence with his daughter.

"No, sir," he said, stiffly, after that momentary pause for thought. "I saw Miss Aylesford leaving the cottage alone, and I volunteered my escort, thinking it perhaps unsafe for her to go back alone."

"Quite right, sir, quite right, my own feelings exactly, I assure you," said Mr. Aylesford, quickly. "But now that she has her papa to take care of her she will not trespass further on your kindness."

Thus blandly dismissed, Mr. Courtenaye bowed coldly, and walked away, leaving the father and daughter to pursue their moonlight walk alone.

No further words passed between them until they had reached the hotel, and gone up to Hilda's room. Then Mr. Aylesford turned the key in the lock, and spoke abruptly to his daughter.

"Now, Hilda, you will inform me at once on what errand you were summoned to the cottage of that impertinent woman!"

Hilda stared at him in blank silence. She resented the tone of authority in which he spoke. Her proud spirit rose in rebellion.

"Mr. Aylesford," she said at length, "you will have to adopt a more conciliatory tone before I gratify your curiosity."

His face grew white, his knees trembled at her words.

"Mr. Aylesford," he gasped. "Hilda, what do you mean by addressing your own father thus!"

She looked him steadily in the eyes as he cowered before her, and her red lip curled scornfully.

"I mean," she answered, steadily, "that I will not address you as a father until you treat me like a daughter. You commanded me like a slave, but I will not cringe to you nor to any mortal living!"

He was angry enough to have struck her down at his feet, but a certain relief came into his face at her cool explanation. He hastened to say in apology:

"My dear, I was so vexed at finding that you had gone off alone to visit that strange woman, that I am not answerable for what I said in the heat of anger. You must forgive me, and tell me what she wanted of you. You are too young, and too innocent, my dear, to have secrets from your elders. Believe me, I know best what is for your good."

Hilda was somewhat mollified by his humble apology, but still answered, a little impatiently:

"I have not tried to have any secret from you, sir. The lady did not have any particular business with me. She had only taken a fancy to me because I reminded her of a person who is dead."

"Indeed! Did she tell you the person's name?" inquired Mr. Aylesford, with a searching glance.

"She did not," answered Hilda, calmly.

"What did she talk to you about?" he asked, eagerly.

"Of myself, and of Florence," said Hilda, giving him a curious look. "She asked me where we were born, how we had been reared, and similar questions."

"Impertinent!" muttered Mr. Aylesford. "Well, and how did you reply to those questions, my dear?"

"I told her all that I know," said Hilda, calmly.

"Which was not much," uttered the listener to himself.

"You are right, sir," answered the girl, overhearing the words. "It was but little I knew to tell. It never struck me how very little I knew about myself until Mrs. L'Estrange talked to me to-night. I could not even tell where I was born. You had told me I was born in the South, and that was all. I did not even know the name of the city."

"I wonder at your telling her what little you did know," said Mr. Aylesford, with a dark frown. "I should have thought that a girl of your high spirit would have resented such unwarrantable curiosity and impertinence from a mere stranger."

"That was the strangest part of it, papa," said the girl, earnestly and innocently. "She did not seem like a stranger to me, but rather like one I had known and loved for years. I felt so sorry for her, too. She has known great sorrow, I am sure!"

Her great dark eyes grew misty, and her face softened into tenderness as she spoke.

"Why did you think so?" he inquired, with a slight sneer.

"I thought so for several reasons," said Hilda, gravely. "The first was because her long, thick hair was quite white. She looked too young and beautiful for time to have changed its color, and I am sure that some great and sudden grief must have caused the change. She looked very sad, too; even her voice had a mournful tone in it. Whatever her sorrow has been, papa, it was a terrible and lasting one!"

"You are too young to be a proper judge," he said, sharply.

"Perhaps so," she answered, quietly, but he knew that she did not give credence to his assertion.

He paced up and down the floor impatiently for awhile, then turned back to his daughter.

"Hilda," he said, sharply, "I forbid your holding any further communication with that woman. If she sends for you do not go; if she accosts you anywhere, do not notice or reply to her. She is a mad woman. I will not have you mixed up with her in any way."

Hilda was at the window with her back turned to him. She did not turn around, did not in any way notice the imperious command.

"Hilda, do you hear me?" he inquired, after vainly waiting for an answer.

"Yes, I heard you," she replied, laconically.

"Will you do as I bid you?" he inquired.

Hilda whirled around from the window, and measured the impatient speaker with a cool, defiant eye.

"I am not prepared to give you an affirmative reply to-night, sir. I will consider your command, and let you know my decision in the morning."

The cool, defiant reply exasperated Mr. Aylesford almost beyond endurance. He sprang forward and clutched the speaker by her slight shoulder as if he would have shaken the life out of that slender frame. But at length she wrenched herself free from his ruffianly grasp, and stood beside a chair panting for breath.

"How dare you make such an impudent reply to your father's command?" he shouted at her stormily.

She stood silent, looking at him with flashing eyes, her slight form quivering with passionate indignation. At length she uttered a few words in a low, intense, concentrated voice:

"I do not believe you are my father!" was what she said.

CHAPTER X.

A Terrible Deed.

Mr. Aylesford stood as one petrified, as Hilda's words, spoken in the heat of passionate resentment, fell on his hearing. His face grew ashen white, his lips fell apart in a rigid line, his eyes glared at her stonily. He looked like a statue of terror.

The indignant girl, looking at him

To be Continued.

AN INVASION OF CANADA

Pro-Boer Americans Had Decided to Come in Force

Monterey, Mexico, December 31 — General Samuel Pearson, the former Boer commander, who is here, says that plans have been made for an invasion of Canada with an army of pro-Boer Americans, when a stop was put to the proceedings by the death of the financial backer of the movement. says that had it not been for the death of Edward Vassmer, New York, the invasion would have been made during March or April. Vassmer had agreed to furnish all the money necessary to equip an army of at least three thousand men. He was a wealthy retired New Yorker, whose entire sympathy was with the Boers, according to General Pearson's statement.

Interesting Items.

An Illinois weekly paper has begun the publication of the entire Bible as a serial. It will take about fifty years to complete the publication.

The Chesley (Ont.) "Enterprise" says that a woman who was driving near the railway track at Edengrove, lost control of the horse, which made straight for the crossing. The animal's nose was just over the first rail when the train whizzed past, "taking the horse's head off as clean as a whistle." No other injury was done.

The manufacture of paper milk-bottles will soon be begun by the North Adams Paper Box Company. The process was invented by a Burlington, Vt., man, and the bottles will be made exclusively in North Adams, Mass. The bottles are water-proof and air-tight, and can be made so cheap that they can be thrown away after using once.

As a sequel to the tragic death of Baron George von Bleichroeder, the well-known banker, through an automobile accident the other day near Cologne, Emperor William has informed the burgomaster of Weisbaden that he considers the automobile a serious menace to public safety, and that he favors most stringent control of that method of locomotion. The Emperor is said to have added that men have no right to endanger human or animal life in the name of sport. The Kaiser owns several motors, but rarely uses them, although he has approved their adoption by the army.

The famous Humbert safe passed along the boulevards of Paris recently, and attracted considerable attention. It was removed from the Hotel Drouot on a dray drawn by three horses, adorned with flowers, ribbons and bells, and was conveyed to the residence of its purchaser. A large band of calico stretched over the vehicle bore the inscription, "This is the one-hundred-million-franc safe." The men in charge did not appear to be in a great hurry, and made frequent halts at taverns, while an admiring crowd surrounded the dray. Perhaps they had been instructed to make the best possible use of the opportunity offered for cheap advertisement.

D. G. Longworth of the Cairo "Sphinx" declares that the famous Egyptian Sphinx is rapidly decaying. This is said to be the result of the altering climate of Egypt, due to the irrigation of recent years. Heretofore, an hour's downfall of rain once a year was a novelty in Egypt. The natives regarded it as some dire message of reproach from the gods. The irrigation and the many trees about the Delta, however, have changed this. Fifteen to eighteen days' heavy rain falls now every year on the head of the Sphinx. The severe "khamseen" sandstorm follows and cuts into the soddened limestone of the ancient monument, whittling it away all over the surface.

Frank Reilly was the victim of a curious accident at Port Costa, Cal., recently. He was standing near a switch to a siding on which freight trains generally wait for the passenger trains to pass. He saw a young lady walking on the siding, and, believing her to be in danger, gesticulated vehemently to cause her to step from between the rails. She, in her turn, seeing the oncoming freight train, motioned back to him that he was in danger. As the train came nearer both became the more earnest in their shouting and gesticulating, while neither thought of stepping off the tracks. Reilly proved to be in the wrong. The freight, instead of taking the siding, went straight through. While he was still trying to cause the young lady to get out of the way of supposed danger, the train struck him from behind, hurling him from the track and breaking his right arm in two places, badly cutting his head and bruising his side. He will recover.

Theory of an Old Angler.

Nine out of ten fishermen believe that when trout will not bite they are already gorged with food; but this is not the case. Even during the off days of the trout, one will be caught now and then, but always on bait, and if the angler could see the fish when it takes the bait he would notice that it does it in a very perfunctory manner. The trout does not move out of its way in doing it, but mechanically takes the bait in much after the fashion of the sucker.

Then, if the trout fisherman who makes a catch at such a time will open the trout and examine its stomach he will be surprised to find that instead of the fish being gorged with food, and hence indifferent to more, its stomach has not a trace of food in it.

This will be found to be the case invariably, and disposes of the belief that when trout refuse to bite it is because they are already full of food. It would naturally be supposed that the best time to catch trout would be when they are hungry, but it will be found that when they are rising best to the fly, or are taking bait with the most avidity, there is plenty of food in their stomachs, frequently so much, in fact, that it would seem impossible that any more could be taken in.

Why this should be no one can tell. It is a fact, nevertheless, which any fisherman may easily verify by investigation.

The Bishop and the Drummer.

The Right Rev. Thomas Underwood Dudley of Kentucky, one of the eminent bishops in the Episcopal Church, enjoys a good story as well as if he did not wear the cloth. He tells this one on himself:

A number of years ago he was going by train to one of the smaller towns of his diocese to hold services. He was enjoying a cigar in the smoker, and upon the seat facing him was a very large valise, containing his clerical vestments. A drummer sitting back of him, noticing his jaunty traveling cap, leaned forward and enquired:

"Traveling man, eh?"

"Yes," answered the bishop.

"What house d'ye represent?"

"The biggest house in the world."

"Shillito's?" (the largest house in Cincinnati) asked the drummer.

"Bigger than that."

"Marshall Field?"

"Bigger than that."

"A. T. Stewart's?"

"Bigger yet."

"Well, what house is it? Those are the best I know."

"I represent, sir," said the bishop, impressively, "the house of God."

The salesman gave a gasp, then glancing at the mammoth valise, exclaimed:

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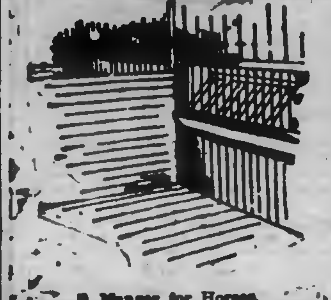
Just why this is so is hard to explain, when we know that there is a good profit in good hogs and a good sow and boar can be bought so cheap and soon stock any farm with good hogs. A good brood sow can be bought for $15 or $20 and upon an average will bring from six to eight pigs. A good boar pig can be had for $8 or $10 and from 25 to 30 per cent of the feed now consumed can be saved thereby and this alone would buy good hogs by the dozen. Not only this but if you do not want to put an advertisement in a paper and breed for breeding purposes you could sell all your surplus pigs to neighbors at from six to eight cents per pound. We have tried several experiments with good Poland and China pigs and good scrub pigs finding from $2.50 to $4 difference per head in a year. Now, this would make a difference of from $30 to $40 in a scrub sow and a good sow in a year, when we remember that a sow will bring two litters a year.



A Manger for Horses.

A number of the breeds of hogs are now being bred for early maturity, and need not be kept till one year old to mature, but can be kept to six or eight months old and be turned off to top the market the sweetest and best bacon, and the pigs in the fall turned off to neighbors at from $3 to $5 per head at four to six weeks old, or fed for spring market, as may be desired, not forgetting that extra attention is what makes the extra profit, especially during the winter months. Now, young man, are you in the old rut, breeding that old roach-back scrub? If so pull out this fall while you yet have time to make preparations for next year by buying a bred sow or sows, as needs be, and a good boar to breed to next summer for a fall litter, and don't forget to get a good pedigree with what you buy, which will induce your neighbors to buy from you at good, if not fancy prices.—Rural World.

A Sartorial Superstition.

The superstition that London tailors and London men combine to produce the best-dressed men in the world dies hard. Yet this very season, of all seasons, says a writer in "Town Topics," should see its final extinction. "If ever the London average in masculine apparel might be expected to be high it is this summer," remarks the critic. "Yet such abominably turned-out men would be a conspicuous vice in any second-rate town in America. The number of shocking hats, distressing trousers and shabby ties is equaled only by the abominable boots to be seen everywhere in London. When the average Londoner ties his four-in-hand he likes to leave a gaping half-inch or so between the knot and the shirt-stud; the result is as if he had dressed for an alarm of fire. Speaking of footwear, it is to be noted, as evidence of the sad state of English concern for the niceties, that one may see in the most exclusive hotels in London men who wander about the lounges wearing spats after six o'clock in the afternoon. Only in sporting togs is the Englishman still something of a model for the world. At Hurlingham in the polo matches, on the roads to Windsor and Epsom, and in the Row, one still sees men who are in every way well-groomed." The writer says his contention is proven by the recent London exhibition at the National Academy, where John Sargent's two notable portraits of Alfred Wertheimer and Lord Ribblesdale show two of a very small handful of well-dressed men in England. "Both are in attire smacking of outdoor life. The sporting peer is in full riding togs, which hang on his gaunt frame in a slovenly, careless way that denotes his scorn of all but comfort; riding-breeches with more wrinkles than fit; a top-coat that falls limply, and a black stock tied away under the right ear. The top-hat, the riding-boots and the crop, on the other hand, are stiff and uncompromising, and mate well with the thin face, the keen eyes, and the strong nose. Opposed to this scene of aristocratic slovenliness is the immaculate young Jew, Alfred Wertheimer. He wears an ordinary sack suit, black, perfect in fit, and with a buff waistcoat and a riding stock. Not a wrinkle anywhere. The clothes are really good. The two lower buttons of Lord Ribblesdale's waistcoat are recklessly open, but about Wertheimer there is not so much as a pin-point wrong. Mr. Wertheimer and Mr. Sargent together have produced at least one well-dressed man in London this season."

Modern Proverbs.

The good may die young, but the bad nearly always outlive their usefulness.

Don't cast your bread on the waters when you might just as well hand it to some hungry one.

Everyone is supposed to know his own business, but it is often hard to convince his friends that he does.

Many a man looks upon marriage as an institution that enables him to put his property in his wife's name.

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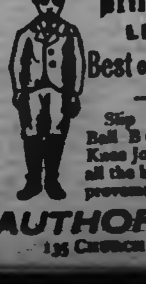

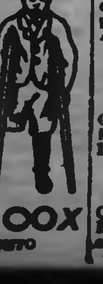

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Peterboro', Dec. 8th, 1902.

STOCK MARKETS

The Old Year

New York, Jan. 2nd—The old year just finished has been one of success for the American people. The promise for the new year just commenced indicates greater strides than ever. The Bradstreets report adequately sums up the progress of the country ; the gist of their article is as follows : 1902 was the best year this country has ever experienced. This statement while truthful does not fully suggest the enormous strides made by the United States in the year just closed. Practically every branch of ordinary trade and manufacture showed an increase above the best of previous years, and yet the enlarged output was insufficient to satisfy the growing, it might be termed insatiable, demand for all kinds of materials. The usual foreign outlet for our products was perforce neglected by American producers, who confined their efforts to supplying insistent domestic demand, while the foreign production was called upon to reinforce domestic output, with the result that new currents and channels were created in our foreign trade. The railroads of the country in their efforts to handle business suffered as never before from congestion and complaint of interference with production and distribution of the products of the farm, the mine, the shop and the loom. Industrial unrest as naturally marked as it always is in times either of prosperity or depression, and serious disorganization of some of the country's basic industries resulted for a time. In many cases resorts to extremes were avoided by liberal recognition by employers of changes in the standard of living, and it is safe to say that two men obtained higher wages or had their working time reduced without strikes for every one who actually quit work. Speculation felt the checks put upon it by conservatism, by short crops, in the preceding year, and last, but not least, by high money. Despite the fact that stock operations were but about half of the record amount for 1901, Bank Clearings, usually reliable guides of business, showed aggregates equal to the hitherto unheard of totals of 1901. All this was accomplished with a minimum of friction as reflected in the form of business embarrassments.

Summary — Distinctive and pronounced strength characterized the market today, while the volume of business was comparatively heavy. Outside market interest increased perceptibly. Copper advanced over 2 points, selling up to 66. Steel common crossed 37. T.C.I. jumped from 60 to 68. The balance of the industrial list was exceeding firm. Among the railways, St. Paul made a new high figure for present rise, touching 79 3-4. It is going much higher. Mo. Pacific most regained its div. Reading and the other coalers were strong. These shares are all good to buy at the moment. Manhattan sold above 150. A bull pool in these shares promises to advance them sharply. The Pacifics were in sharp demand, also the entire market looks well. A natural sliding of prices in the afternoon took place, due to profit taking. We remain confidently bullish upon the market and recommend liberal buying at present. Money closed six per cent. Sales 850,000.

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Municipal Elections

To The Ratepayers of Peterborough:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

Having been nominated as candidate for election as alderman for 1903, and remaining in the field, I solicit your votes and influence to assure my election, promising to give the duties of the office faithful and careful attention.

Very respectfully,

D. O'CONNELL

The Municipal Elections

ALDERMAN FOR 1903

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I solicit your support and influence to ensure my return as alderman for 1903. I have served you for four years and have endeavored to do my duty impartially and well. I promise, if elected, to do my best for the advancement of the interests of the town.

I trust to have your support.

Very respectfully,

ROBT. CLINKSCALE

For Alderman

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—As I have once more been nominated for the position of Alderman for the Town, I take this opportunity of stating that I am in the field again as a candidate for 1903. My aim in the past has been to lean towards the most careful economy in the management of our municipal affairs. At the same time, if elected, I will always give my support to such measures as are calculated to build up and maintain the prosperity of our live and growing town.

Your Obedient Servant.

JOS. BATTEN

FOR ALDERMAN

To The Electors of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—Having been nominated as a candidate for alderman for the council of this flourishing town for 1903, I take this opportunity of calling the attention of the ratepayers that I am in the field. As I shall not make a personal canvass of the town, I trust that any services which may have been rendered by me during the last year will warrant your vote and influence. My interests in the town personally are by no means small, and in consequence it will be my best effort to advance every measure that will lead to the rapid progress of our town.

Trusting that my municipal experience in the past, together with the rapid progress which my own business has made, will warrant your vote on January 5th I remain, respectfully yours,

J. J. TURNER

A happy New Year to all.

TO THE ELECTORS
—OF THE—
Village of Ashburnham

Ladies and Gentlemen, — Having been repeatedly urged to stand for Councillor for the Village for 1903, I have accepted the nomination tendered me on Monday last.

I therefore respectfully solicit your votes and support. You may rest assured that, if elected, I shall do all in my power to secure the very best service to the municipality at as little cost as is consistent with good work.

Among other things, I will favour the construction of granolithic walks on the principal streets of the Village, payment to be extended over a term of years, on the basis of a frontage tax.

Your Obedient Servant,

ALLAN McCARTHY.

Ashburnham, Dec. 31st, 1902.

ASHBURNHAM REEVESHIP.

To the Electors:

In accepting the nomination for the office of Reeve, so generously tendered me by my fellow-ratepayers, I would say that I am strongly opposed to a personal canvass, and take this means of informing the electors that I do not propose to solicit their votes.

If elected I shall endeavor to perform the duties pertaining to the office in a business-like manner, and thus justify the confidence which the ratepayers repose in me.

In conclusion, I desire to wish every ratepayer in the village, regardless of whether he votes for me or not, a happy and prosperous New Year.

George Stevens.

Ashburnham, December 30, 1902.

A SERIOUS MISHAP

A Sleighing Party Have an Upset and a Lady Has Broken Arm

On New Year's night a load of young people left town to attend a party at Warsaw, but when they got within a few miles of that place the sleigh overturned, dumping them all into the ditch and injuring a number of them. One young lady had the misfortune of having her arm broken near the shoulder. When the young people got back to town Dr. Morgan's services were required to rectify matters.

Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, JAN. 3, 1903

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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BEGINNING OF 1903

Magnificent Weather Given Peterborough to Commence the Year With

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If there had been more seats in the opera house they would have been filled at the concert of the 57th, as the performance was of the usual excellence.

NECROLOGY

An Old Resident of Peterborough Passes Away

The New Year, while conferring temporal blessings on a great many, has given a spiritual and just reward to Mr. Thos. Rawlings, by translating him to the realms above.

His well known personality was deprived of his spiritual part at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. H. C. Bacon on Westcott street. He had passed the allotted three score and ten by over twelve years, and was a man remarkable for his intelligence and morality. While he has no better half to mourn for him (she having predeceased him by 40 years), everybody regrets his departure, mostly his immediate relatives: Mrs. H. C. Bacon and Geo. Rawlings, of town, and Elizabeth Rawlings, Buffalo.

The "Times" hereby tenders its heartfelt sympathy for the bereaved and sincerely hopes and wishes that the knowledge of his having gone to his just reward will assuage the natural grief of his departure.

Y. M. C. A.

Local and Out of Town Friends Visit the Building

The attraction was in the evening, when the exercises were viewed and applauded by an admiring, enthusiastic and appreciative throng. A wand drill by the "Intermediates" was gone through with precision and grace, followed by a basketball match between the "Beavers" and a selected intermediate team—score 4 to 2 in favor of the latter. Gymnastics on apparatus under the leadership of Messrs. G. Miller, A. Hodgson and A. Gillespie elicited warm applause.

The physical director, Mr. Ayers, was presented with a handsome bible accompanied by an address, read by Mr. Fitzgerald, appreciative of his faithful services, which address astonished Mr. Ayers so, that he made a brilliant acknowledgment of the honor done him.

But the long waited for event was the match between the Toronto West End Y.M.C.A. boy's Club, champions of Canada, and the Peterborough Brownies.

When the score was 7—6 for Peterborough an intermission was taken with acid juice, in the shape of orange and lemon drinks, after which the game went on, with varying success, until time was called and the game stood 16—12, making the Peterborough Brownies winners of the game and junior champions of Canada.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Miss Sullivan, Toronto, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Clancy, for New Year's.

—Mr. Dennis McMartin, of Deseronto, is in town, for a few days, the guest of his brother-in-law, Mr. Joseph Naylor. Mr. McMartin was quite interested in the changes being made at Dickson's dam, and could hardly believe it was the same place.

—Mr. Erny Wasson, Warsaw, is spending a few days in town.

—Mr. John W. Walker, one of Belleville's progressive business men, spent New Year's in town, a guest of the Oriental.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crosby, of Toledo, are the guests of Mrs. Crosley's mother in town.

—Mr. Thomas Kennedy, of Chicago, who has been the guest of his sisters in town, will leave for home to-morrow.

—Mr. Roland Johnston, Lakefield, was in town yesterday.

—Miss May Butler leaves to-day for Brickley to commence her duties as teacher for the coming year.

—Miss Addie McMartin, who has been the guest of her uncle, Mr. Joseph Naylor, left for Lindsay to visit friends.

—Miss Irene Noble is a guest at "The Avonmore," Jarvis street, Toronto.

—Mr. Walter Squires, of Toronto, is in town on a visit to his relatives.

—Rev. J. P. Wilson was again the means of conferring happiness on two young people by uniting in marriage Mr. John King and Mrs. Jane Barrie, of this town. Callers will find them at their home on Water street.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hiland are here again, among their friends, from a sojourn in Toronto.

—Peterborough is deploring the fact of Miss Lita B. McHary's absence, as she is enjoying her holidays at Port Perry.

—While we regret that Emily township loses such estimable people as Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Switzer, we are not only glad, but proud, to have them take up their abode in Peterborough. Their ecclesiastical work and their successful efforts to promote such in finances will endear them to all their friends and acquaintances in Peterborough.

—Mr. George Cairns, a former resident of town, who has been living in Toronto for some time, has accepted a position with The Times.

—Mr. and Mrs. Croft, Toronto, are in town on a visit to Mr. Croft's parents.

—Dr. Young spent New Year's in Toronto, where Mrs. Young and two children have been visiting, the guests of Judge McDougall.

—Miss Carroll, of Arthur street, Toronto, is spending a few days in town, the guest of Mrs. M. McFadden, Elm street.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Wanted, a second hand refrigerator. R. J. Munro, Munroe House. 3d

—Lakefield News: Mr. A. Kennedy, of Peterborough, has purchased the stock and business formerly carried on by Mr. O. Young, and will conduct the same in the future at the old stand. Mr. Kennedy will keep a carefully selected and up-to-date stock of groceries and provisions, and all orders will receive prompt attention.

—Hostler wanted at the Munroe House. 3d.

—Lindsay Post: On Christmas eve Ven. Archdeacon Casey, pastor of St. Mary's, received a visit from Santa Claus or some other kind fairy, who left behind a very gratifying momento of the congregation's good will in the shape of a handsome easy chair of large proportions, magnificently upholstered in green velvours. Attached was a card expressing the hope that the popular pastor would find in its ease-inviting recesses the comfortable relaxation so grateful at the close of a busy day.

—Lindsay Watchman-Warder: The work of the Victoria County Council for this year must be satisfactory. A surplus of $1500 is reported and the rate was 1 3-4 mills instead of 2 as in 1901.

—Lakefield News: On Friday evening of last week three ladies met with an exciting experience while driving home from Peterborough. In passing a rig near Walton's hill, the cutter upset and threw them out, the horse running away. Fortunately two rigs driving to Lakefield came along and picked them up, and conveyed them to the village. The horse and rig were found standing on the road a short distance from the village. The ladies escaped with nothing more than a severe shaking up.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Nuptials of Miss Ethel Gertrude Brown, of Town, and Mr. E. A. Duncan of Cobourg

Mr. J. C. Brown, No. 162 Smith street, loses, and Mr. E. A. Duncan, of Cobourg, wins, a charming young lady. This lady is the daughter of the former named gentleman of Peterborough, and, by the kind offices of the Rev. Dr. Torrance is the wife of the happy groom, Mr. Duncan. Besides the bridesmaid, Miss Annie Patterson, town, and the groomsman, Mr. A. R. Roberts, Cobourg, there were nearly forty close relatives and friends present, some of them from out of town.

Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by the cousin of Miss Brown, Miss Maud Clark, was preceded by the rendering of Handel's "Largo" by Miss Ethel Best.

SENATOR ARMAND DEAD

Has Been a Member of Red Chamber Since Its Inception

Montreal, Quebec, Jan. 2—Hon. T. E. Armand, the representative of the division of Repentigny, in the Dominion Senate, died in the city last night. Senator Armand was one of the few remaining members of the Senate who saw power applied to that body by royal proclamation on its organization in 1867. He had previously been a member of the legislative council of Canada. He was born at Riviere Des Prairies, Que., in 1820. He was a Conservative in politics. This leaves six vacancies in the Senate.

SOCIETY WOMEN

As Well as the Housewife and Professional Women Endorse Pe-ru-na as a Specific for Winter Diseases.

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A SOCIETY LADY'S LETTER.

Miss Blanche Myers, 3120 Penn street, Kansas City, Mo., a prominent young society woman of that place, has the following to say of Peruna:

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Mrs. Jennie Cable, Spokane, Wash., writes:

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A BOER'S OPINION ON THE LATE WAR

What the Assistant Commandant General Thinks of the British Army

INTERESTING FACTS KNOWN FOR THE FIRST TIME

Viljoen Writes a Book Containing Some Very Humorous References—Infantry Did Hardest Work

London, Jan. 6—Graphic to the last degree are the pictures presented by the first of the Boer books on the war, "My Recollections of the Anglo-Boer War," by Assistant-General B. J. Viljoen, written in Dutch, just published Amsterdam. From the time when he began warlike preparations, on Sept. 28, 1899, to his capture by our troops in January of this year, the dashing leader had as hot a time as anyone who fought in the war, says a writer in the London Express.

The first cannon he heard was at Elandslaagte, and "no sweet music" he found it. After many hairbreadth escapes he managed to get away from the scene of the Boer defeat, and joined the Boer forces in front of Ladysmith, where he got the coldest of welcomes from General Joubert.

Of the latter Mr. Viljoen had a very mean opinion. His irresolution cost the Boers many a victory, and of his "incredible" superstition the writer relates that on one expedition when two burghers were struck by lightning, Joubert saw "the finger of God" in it, and immediately ordered a full retreat.

Ladysmith, in Viljoen's opinion, would undoubtedly have fallen to Joubert if he had had sense to attack on October 30, 1899, when General White had lost more than one thousand six hundred men, killed, wounded and captured. Not only was no attack made, but the railway to Maritzburg was not blown up for several days, "giving the enemy the chance of bringing into Ladysmith the naval guns, which later caused so much trouble and loss."

Great difficulty was experienced by the author in getting his commando together after the defeat at Elandslaagte.

"I soon saw that among the burghers the inclination to go on fighting was not of the strongest. I therefore asked those of the burghers who had not the courage to return to the fighting line to

STAND ON ONE SIDE.

Some thirty fell out of the ranks. I gave each of them a pass good for the journey by rail to Johannesburg which pass read as follows—

"Pass ——— to Johannesburg, on account of cowardice, free at the expense of the government."

Two of our "heroes" get but slight credit at the hands of this Boer critic. They are General Baden-Powell and Mr. Winston Churchill. Of the former he says :— "General Snyman . . . . was the real saviour of Mafeking, which had a garrison of a thousand men, whom he, with 2,000 men, had not the courage to attack. The English wrongly gave the credit for saving the town to General Baden-Powell."

He speaks of the easy escape of Winston Churchill and Captain Haldane from a pack of sleeping guards, "about which they (the escaped prisoners) have, entirely without reason, boasted such a lot. To this day I cannot see what there was heroic in this escape."

It is a curious picture that he gives us of life and discipline among the Boer forces. There was too much praying among the Boers for his taste, and too little centralization. At the Tugela River, for instance, "I received sometimes in ten minutes four different orders from four different generals.

Of the use of the sjambok in the field we have heard before now, but never so definitely as in the following passage.

"To quench an open outbreak of mutiny I was obliged to have a burgher stripped of his upper garments and cause him to be given fifteen strokes with the sjambok."

The English phrase most often heard in the war, it appears, was "Hands up!" and on this Viljoen has

A mounted Kaffir attendant of one of the Boer commandants was hard pressed by an English lancer, and called to him "Hands up!" The Kaffir had so often heard the words spoken of that he thought they were about the only words in the English language. He took them for a kind of general phrase, implying greeting and conciliation.

When the lancer, in turn, called out "Hands up!" he therefore said again, "Hands up, baas!" and was astonished to get a lance thrust through the arm. He saw there was some mistake, and bolted, but in the midst of his precipitate flight kept shouting, "Hands up! hands up!" in the hope of softening the heart of his pursuer, from whom he eventually made good his escape.

The capture of the naval gun christened "Lady Roberts" by Viljoen led to an exchange of pleasantries between the latter and General Smith-Dorrien.

"I was compelled," Viljoen wrote, "to remove 'Lady Roberts' from Helvetia . . . . I can assure you that in her fresh surroundings and new company, she was very happy and very contented with her lot."

To which General Smith-Dorrien replied as follows—"As the lady you refer to is not accustomed to sleep in the open air, I would recommend you to try flannel next to the skin."

Most interesting of all is the author when he criticises our officers and men. He gives more than one amusing instance of what he calls "the ordinary hee-haw style of speaking" of our officers. After Viljoen had been captured

"The colonel twisted his mustache, which had got very much disarranged, leaned back in his chair, puffed the smoke from his cigar into the air, and said without looking at me, "Well, ah, you are banished, don't yer know, ah, are being sent to, ah, hum, St. Helena, or as they call it, the oh, ha, Rock. 'Tis a nice ship you go in, called the ah, let me see, oh yes, the ah 'Britannia.' Now you may proceed to the station, get your kit, and in the meantime sign this parole, and report yourself at 8 p.m. at the Docks." I muttered in Dutch, Lord preserve us from the Evil One."

THE BRITISH OFFICER

he declares, is generally one of two extremes —either a gentleman or a cad. The mistakes of officers during the war need not necessarily be ascribed to stupidity, cowardice or indiscretion. Luck, he thinks, had a great deal to do with success or failure, and he cites General Gatacre as an instance of a man who had more than his share of ill-luck.

Of the self-sacrifice and devotion to duty of our Tommy, Viljoen speaks highly. But if Tommy comes across anything outside ordinary routine he is a most helpless being. But "in his faithfulness and patriotism lies the secret of the success of the British army,—a truth which I do not think can be gainsaid." And of the Tommies that he met, the writer found the Irish and the Scotch "far better than the others."

"The infantry did the heaviest and hardest work of the war." Cavalry, he prophesies, will in future wars, be a sort of white elephant. Infantry, mounted infantry and artillery are the forces of the future.

The author traverses Sir Conan Doyle's allegations of treachery against the Boers, and concludes—

"Shall the errors of one side weigh heavier than those of the other? Neither Boer nor Briton is in a position to judge impartially of the sins of both sides. Let us try to see each other's virtues instead."

RATEPAYERS of ASHBURNHAM

Be True to Your Own Interests and Vote for Stevens for Reeve

THE ENERGETIC CANDIDATES WHO SHOULD BE ELECTED TO SUPPORT HIM IN THE COUNCIL

The ratepayers of Ashburnham have to-day an opportunity of delivering themselves from the rule of the clique that has so long had control of the civic treasury, and who have in various ways, contributed to the present unenviable position of the municipality. *It is time for a change, and the call for it is deep*, loud and long. It has been slow in coming, but has made itself heard throughout the width and breadth of the village in no unmistakable way. It is an old and likewise a true axiom that the "Gods grind slowly but grind exceedingly small," and this applies with particular force to the members of the clique who are now before the ratepayers for election. The Council of the past have many sins to answer for, a few of which have been referred to at the nomination. Mr. J. M. Smith, the Reeve, is not here to speak for himself, but the "boss" of of the Council is, and to Mr. Adams, who is seeking the position of Reeve, the people look to for an answer to the following questions :

(1.) Will Mr. Adams and the clique tell us why they are so anxious for election?

(2.) Was there anything peular about the letting of the contract for water mains and the sewer pipes?

(3.) Why was it proposed to move the polling booth from the North Ward to the South?

(4.) Was it not to "get even" with a number of North Warders who have long been opposed to the methods of the clique?

(5.) Why is Messrs. Adams, Agnew, Faint, Gibbs and Scott running on one ticket?

(6.) How about the village constable? Why is it that so many complaints are heard regarding the apathy with which he performs his duties? Why does not the Council, which is his master, compel him to do his work?

(7.) Why is it that the water mains have been laid to Mr. Adams' residence and other more important thoroughfares neglected?

(8.) Why did the Council compel Mr. King to vacate his store in the market building, in order to give it to another? Everybody knows the facts concerning this most disgraceful piece of favoritism.

(10.) Is it not a fact that a municipality, which never paid a bonus to a railroad or industry, and had all the advantages of a city in the way of gas, electric light, water, fire protection, etc., should be the lowest taxed municipality in Canada, instead of being one of the highest?

The Above are a few of the many questions which the ratepayers would like to have answered. It shows clearly that a new and progressive council is the one urgently needed—men who will give the people the worth of their money. Therefore the ratepayers are asked to vote for Mr. George Stevens, Reeve, and Messrs. McCarthy, Agnew, Gibbs and Hourigan, as Councillors.

"IT IS TIME FOR A CHANGE."

ASHBURNHAM SIDEWALKS

The Difference Between Permanent and Plank

To the Editor of The Times :

Sir,—Please allow me space in the columns of your paper to place before the ratepayers of the village a question concerning the cost and construction of sidewalks, which articles some of our officials and ratepayers refused to hear on the day of nomination.

I must say the responsibility for the existing condition of our walks has been very properly placed. The property owners are to the greatest extent responsible for the bad condition of our sidewalks. The fact is that property owners of this village do not, as compared with other places contribute sufficiently to the revenue to keep the several municipal services up to the standard of a thriving village, as the one we have the pleasure of living in.

The fact is that in nearly all the large cities, the cost of sidewalks, whether plank, or other material is paid to a great extent by the property owners, while in this place the expense of laying plank walks is borne altogether by the corporation, the cost being taken from current revenue.

The following is a table showing the approximate cost in Toronto of concrete and plank walks varying in width from four to eight feet :—

	Width in feet.	Frontage per foot.	No. of Ann'l Payments.	Frontage Cost per ft. per Annum.
Concrete, light	...8	$1.20	10	16.7
" "	...6	1.00	10	12.2
" "	...5	.85	10	10.4
" "	4	.67	10	9.2
Plank	...8	.33	8	12.7
"	...6	.29	8	14.
"	...5	.25	8	12.3
"	...4	.26	8	9.3

After carefully estimating the cost of plank walks at the present prices of material, I find that the plank walks cost six cents per square foot, while concrete can be laid down at eleven cents per square foot.

As one is a permanent walk, the other has to be replaced every eight or ten years, judge for yourselves which is the cheapest.

In the annual report of the City Engineer of Toronto, he says: "To compare the lifetime of concrete with that of plank sidewalks, the former is much cheaper. As I have carefully inquired from competent workmen, concerning the cost of concrete walks, I find that Class B, can be laid down for eleven cents per square feet. I trust that within two or three years the construction of plank walks will be entirely discontinued."

While it appears to be generally agreed, even in this village, that plank must give way to some material of a more permanent nature, and that before many years the antiquated plank sidewalks will be entirely done away with.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for the space allowed me to place this article before the ratepayers of the village, which article some did not want to hear from the platform on the day of nomination.

Yours truly,
A. McCARTY.

Ashburnham, Dec. 29, 1902.

MUNICIPAL MATTERS DISCUSSED

The $10 000 By-Law for Permanent Improvements—Why I Would Vote Against It

To the Editor of The Times:

BRIDGING THE CREEK.

Sir.—This is one of the expenditures contemplated. Too much money has already been spent in this way without giving the whole of the creek within the limits of the town that serious consideration which it should have. The creek, as it now exists for a considerable portion of the summer, is not much better than an elongated cesspool. Closets are in existence over it, pig pens have been built over it, and foul drains have been allowed to discharge into it, and it may be considered anything but a desirable thing to have in the centre of our town in its present form and condition. If this stream cannot be switched off to a more desirable location, then it might be reduced to one half its present width, made very much deeper, and walled up on either side. This would make the bridges of much less span and put the creek in a sanitary and desirable condition, and it need not take up more than one half the space that it now does. If the creek was deep and narrow we would not be troubled with the annual spring blockades of ice, and the land reclaimed would be of considerable value to the property owners along its course. Bridges that have been built over the creek have broad shallow water-ways, and would not meet the requirements if the creek were made narrow and deep, which I submit would be the better form.

PERMANENT PAVEMENTS ON ROADWAYS.

This is a matter that should not be done until such time as the wire and pole nuisance has been dealt with, and the wires placed under the ground where they should be. In the City of Rochester where pavements were being laid, the wires were being placed in glazed conduits made of same material as sewer pipe. There were several ducts square in section along side of one another, through which the different wires were run. The ducts were about 18 inches below the surface of the street. Another matter that should be dealt with before the streets are paved would be the street railway. The question should be settled whether we are to have a street railway or not, and if we are, then provision should be made for it, and the ownership of it settled before any permanent road beds are made.

Drains *for surface* water—Drains and sewers are very necessary nuisances, but the less you have of them the better, so long as they meet the requirements of the circumstances, and it is certainly not desirable to have a network of unnecessary drains in the centre of the town. I am informed that the present outlet, though badly located, and of insufficient depth, is also reduced to about one half of its capacity by the steel pipe which crosses the creek at George street, which causes the water to back up into the Ackerman and Piano Company's cellars, and other cellars on George street. The outlet, for all the sewers north of the creek and flowing in this course is only equal to the capacity of this steel pipe, hence the trouble combined with the lack of depth, the sewers on either side of this pipe are equal to double the capacity of the same. If this outlet was made equal to the capacity of the sewers, then the suggested surface drainage would not be required, and the streets would be better without them. The more water that runs through the sewers the better. It is not when large quantities of water is running through that the settlement of solids takes place, but when the quantity is not sufficient to carry away the solids. What is required more than this surface drainage is an outlet sewer more to the west and in the centre of the town (where the first one would have been placed had it not have been for Aldermanic influence) and at a greater depth so that the sewers could have drained the low portions in the western portion of this town. As it is now a man can stand in some of the man holes and his coat tails will come above the ground in a location in which the ground is full of water, and the only way one can have a cellar is by building up in the air and filling in his lot at great expense.

"Ratepayer" in his communication of Dec. 29th, gives several reasons why these by-laws should be voted against which are worthy of consideration, particularly the first one. That from the manner a great deal of the improvements have been made it does not inspire confidence. The putting of good material on top of a bed of mud in places where the streets were already too high relatively to the pavements, namely, on Hunter street, just west of George, and on George, between Hunter and Simcoe, and the placing of dust on the surface, which blows all over when dry, and is mud when made wet.

Pavements have been laid and no attempt has been made to grade the streets to them, but material has been put on making the pavements lower relatively than they were when laid.

Lack of time prevents further consideration.

Yours truly,
ANOTHER RATEPAYER.

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WILL NOT LET THE MINERS GO TO THEIR WORK.

Mitchell Declares That the Men Are Eager for Employment and Resents the Charge of Ingratitude to the Public

Detroit, Jan. 3—The Tribune today publishes a letter from John Mitchell president of the United Mine Workers of America, in which Mitchell declares that the miners are unjustly charged with ingratitude toward the American people, in connection with the miners reported refusal to work on holidays. In his letter, Mr. Mitchell says :

"The allegation that the anthracite mine workers refused to work on holidays has been grossly exaggerated. It is true that they did not work on Christmas, but they did not understand that they were expected to work. They have always observed religious holidays, but many of them worked on New Year's Day. The charge of ingratitude toward the public is being made against them by those who would malign them and who seek to divert attention from the real cause of the coal famine. The truth is that several thousand miners have been refused the privilege to work at all since the close of the strike, although they have daily importuned the companies to permit them to return to the places they occupied prior to the inauguration of the strike."

Young Women to be Hanged

Two Girls in Liverpool, Eng., Convicted of Murder

SMOTHERED AN OLD MAID.

THOUGH SENTENCED TO DEATH THE SECRETARY OF STATE MAY BE ASKED TO REPRIEVE THEM

Liverpool. Jan. 3—At the recent assizes sentence of death was passed on two women convicted of the murder, under extraordinary circumstances of an elderly maiden lady. The case was a sensational one. The girls, Ethel Rollinson, aged 20, and Eva Eastwood, aged 17 were proven to have smothered Miss Marsden, who resided in Oriel Road, Bootle, with pillows as she lay asleep in bed.

When the crime was first discovered the deceased's servant girl, named Miss Hamilton, was arrested on suspicion, and afterwards she related to the police a sensational story implicating the two prisoners Rollinson and Eastwood. The story was to the effect that after seeing her mistress in bed on the night of the crime she had occasion to again go downstairs, when she discovered Rollinson and Eastwood, whom she had not previously known in the house. They afterwards proceeded to Hamilton's bedroom, where they spent some time, and finally they went to the room occupied by Miss Marsden, whence Hamilton shortly afterwards heard the old lady moaning. After a lapse of about ten minutes Hamilton made her way to Miss Marsden's bedroom, which she found in great confusion and the prisoners trying on hats and other articles of wearing apparel.

GAVE NO ALARM.

An extraordinary feature of the case was that Hamilton gave no alarm, notwithstanding the remarkable conduct of the prisoners, but went in and out of the room several times while they were there. On one of these occasions she said she saw the prisoner Eastwood sitting on the pillows on the bed. Hamilton left the room with the prisoners, but afterwards becoming frightened, she related to a friend what had taken place, with the result that the police were informed, and on proceeding to the house, they found Miss Marsden dead in bed, having, according to medical testimony, been suffocated.

When the trial opened on Friday the prosecution intimated that the indictment against Hamilton would be withdrawn, and she was called as a witness, and practically repeated the story she had originally told to the police.

The jury, after half an hour's absence convicted the prisoners of murder, recommending them to mercy on account of their youth, their sex, and their previous good character.

Mr. Justice Jelf passed sentence of death. A painful scene ensued, the prisoners bursting into hysterical weeping, and having to be helped out of the dock.

A petition to the Home Office for their reprieve on the grounds specified by the jury will be set on foot.

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ENGLISHMEN WON SOUTH AMERICANS INDEPENDENCE

Britons Fought for Venezuela--Withstood the Spaniards.

They Held Them Firm when the Venezuelans had Fled—An Interesting Incident

London, Jan. 4.—A writer in the Westminster Gazette tells an interesting story of how Englishmen and Venezuelans once fought side by side and how the former won for the latter their independence. It was at the beginning of the last century, when Spain lay crushed beneath the heavy hand of Napoleon, that her South American colonies, among them Venezuela, rose against her

She poured troops into Venezuela, and an interminable guerrilla war dragged on until a new factor was introduced in the shape of a British legion which landed to assist Bolivar and his patriots, who were powerless to defeat the Spaniards.

"Thus reinforced, Bolivar and Paez advanced once more to the attack, and marching stealthily through their trackless mountains they at last saw below them General La Torre and the main Spanish army calmly awaiting them in the plain of Carabobo. A single narrow pass led from the mountains into the plain; no sooner, however, had the foremost ranks of the insurgents emerged from it on to the level ground that four Spanish battalions fell upon them and swept them back to their mountains in headlong flight.

THE BRITISH STOOD FIRM.

"When the Venezuelans, as usual, fled before the Spanish charge, they fell back upon the British legion, and the British were not accustomed to that fashion of making war. Contemptuously brushing aside the fugitives, the Englishmen steadily defiled from the mountain pass, formed line under fire as cosy as if on parade, and gave the Spaniards volley for volley with the doggedness they had learned under the great Duke. The odds against them were fearful; their ranks were riddled by the hail of Spanish bullets; one by one all their officers dropped at their posts; still these dogged Englishmen, 'each stepping where his comrade stood,' loaded and fired.

"Never had the Venezuelan guerrillas seen such a thing before; and seized with a generous emulation, they rallied to the support of their allies and swarmed down again out of their hills. They galloped round the Spanish force, they attacked it in flank and rear, and when the ranks were broken their spears did much execution on the enemy, and one alone of all the Spanish battalions survived to save itself by flight. At a single blow the Spanish army had been destroyed, and the prestige of Spain was shattered. The victory won the liberty of Venezuela; Puerto Cabello surrendered and the Spanish rule was over forever."

LEMON JUICE KILLS TYPHOID

Value of the English Discovery Confirmed

Chicago Health Department Finds That the Juice Kills Bacilli of the Disease

That lemon juice will destroy the typhoid germs in water is announced authoritatively by the Chicago Health Department after careful experiments extending over three days. One teaspoonful of the juice to half a glass of water is known to be a good combination, and repeated trials have invariably produced the same result. Every germ was killed.

Further tests will be made at once to ascertain how small an amount of lemon juice will destroy the bacilli. Dr. Reynolds is also investigating the properties of manufactured citric acid. If the acid will take the place of the lemon a great saving will be accomplished, for it is inexpensive as compared with lemons.

The action of the lemon juice is to cause the bacilli to shrivel up and die. Their power to produce the poison which causes typhoid is thus destroyed, and water which in its original state was *highly* dangerous to drink becomes as innocuous as if it had been distilled.

The investigations and announcement of the Chicago health authorities are the result of an announcement made on Christmas Day by Dr. Asa Ferguson, a London physician. Dr Ferguson announced that the lemon juice was a deadly foe to typhoid. It had long been known that certain acids would kill the bacilli, but their effect was also to kill the human beings The harmless acid in lemons was entirely overlooked until Dr. Ferguson chanced to drop a little lemon juice into a culture tube containing typhoid germs. To his amazement he discovered that they died almost immediately, and he at once began further experiments, which resulted in the announcement of the discovery.

When the news reached Chicago on Christmas Day experiments were at once begun by the laboratory experts At the close of office hours on Saturday they found that Dr. Ferguson's claims were completely sustained by their results. The report of Dr. Jacques the medical director of the laboratory, tells the story in technical language —

"The following experiment was made in the laboratory to test the value of lemon juice in destroying the typhoid fever bacilli. One hundred and twenty cc. of bouillon was inoculated with bacillus typhoid. The flask was placed in the incubator at 90 degrees for twelve hours. At the end of this period 64 cc. of lemon juice was added. At the end of four hours plates were inoculated from this flask. The plates at the end of twenty-four hours showed no growth." A L

Commenting on the lemon juice test in London, Dr. Ferguson said :

"Typhoid germs must be taken into the stomach in order to cause typhoid fever. If, therefore, people will put a drop or two of lemon juice in the water they drink they will be safe."

For the present the recommendation of Chicago's health officials is to use more of the lemon than Dr. Ferguson suggested. Tests will be made during the coming week which will show just how small an amount is necessary to destroy the germ life in a glass of water. Future health office bulletins may read instead of the familiar phrase "Boil the water," "Drink lemonade today," and probably recipes for the drink will probably be issued. In addition to the use of lemon juice in drinking water the department recommends that the juice be freely sprinkled on oysters when eaten raw. Numerous outbreaks of typhoid have been traced to raw oysters, the most recent following a mayoralty banquet in England. Among the victims of this outbreak was the Dean of Winchester.

THE LATE MR. T. M. CROLY

His Demise at Nicholls Hospital on Saturday Last

The demise of M. T. M. D. Croly, which occurred at Nicholls Hospital on Friday last, will be universally regretted. Mr Croly had been a resident of Peterborough for over forty years, and was universally esteemed. He had been ill for over a year, but was able to move about, In March last he went to New York, where he underwent an operation, which, while it gave him relief, did not effect a cure. Another operation was performed at Nicholls Hospital on Monday last, but his strength was not equal to the strain, and he passed away as above.

The late Mr. Croly came to Peterborough in 1860, where he resided ever since. In 1865 he married Rebecca Spear, daughter of the late John Spear, of Peterborough. His wife and two children, Mr. Louis Croly of New York City, and Miss Annie at home, survive him.

The deceased was a contractor by trade, and built the registry office and the south ward school, which, with many other structures stand as monuments of his handiwork.

The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2.30 from family residence, 65 Auburn street, and proceed to Little Lake cemetery.

A PROGRESSIVE FIRM

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

At a sanatorium near Melbourne, massage with olive or cod liver oil has been found of great aid in shortening the time of treatment for consumption.

The importance of washing all fruit, especially after it has been exposed by grocers on the sidewalks to the dust, is emphasized by the recent investigations of a German bacteriologist who has traced cases of typhoid fever, consumption and other deadly diseases to this source.

Exports of American corn to Europe are steadily increasing. The indications are that the exports for December will be three times as great as in the corresponding month of last year, though the shipments will hardly be more than 20 or 25 per cent. as much as they were in December, 1900.

Thousands of cattle are reported to be starving on the range in North western Colorado. The Humane Society appealed to the owners to rescue their stock, and they replied that they were powerless to do it. The cattle are snowed in on the high range in Routt and Rio Blanco Counties, without pasture and without water. It is impossible to get feed to them and equally impossible to drive them into suitable winter quarters.

"The French banks, as was expected," writes the London Statist, "are not renewing the American bills which they hold in very large amounts, and which are falling due all through the present month. Happily, however, the crops are so good in the United States that trade bills are very numerous at present, and the proceeds of these trade bills are being availed of to take up large numbers of the finance bills as they mature. Consequently, the circulation of American finance bills is being rapidly reduced just now."

In a communication from Petropavlovsk, on the east coast of Kamschatka, it is stated that enormous masses of dead fish were seen on the coasts of Kamschatka. The fish were of the salmon species, and were seen about thirty miles off the coast, and covered about forty square miles of the sea's surface. The phenomenon can only be attributed to some disturbance of the waters by volcanic action, but no date of its occurrence is mentioned in the report.

Great interest has been aroused in labor circles in England over the late decision of a jury in the High Court holding the Amalgamated Society of Railway Servants and its officials, including Richard Bell, M.P., responsible for damages to the Taff Vale Railway Company, which are estimated at $125,000, and were caused by a conspiracy to produce a strike of the employes. The strike arose because the company refused to accept the intervention of the society and insisted upon transferring a distance his signalman, who was a prominent agitator. The jury find that the society maintained a system of terrorism to compel a strike and to prevent the employment of "blacklegs," that is, to say, non-unionists. The results of the decision cannot fail to be momentous.

The Novosti of St. Petersburg, asserts, in what is taken as an authoritative tone, that the Russian minister of the Interior has under consideration a scheme for the gradual revision of the whole of the exceptional laws to which the so-styled "Evrei" are subject throughout the Czar's dominions. As a beginning, the draft of a measure has been prepared for submission to the Council of State in accordance with which members of the Hebrew community will be allowed to acquire land and settle in any part of the empire, without restriction as to locality. As the chief disability under which the Russian Jews labor is the restriction as to the right of domicile and the inability to hold land it is obvious that the enactment of such a law as is now said to be in contemplation will practically solve the Jewish problem.

Although the Venezuela trouble is not near enough to us to cause any embarrassment, we have our say about it:—

104 Revolts in 70 years!

How is that?

They simply can't help it; they are built that way and, being small, are "sassy," all small things are, expecting some "big feller" to side with them.

Volcanoes are not small things, but they have their periodical upheavals, like our South American effervescent fellow beings, with this difference—they are not always at it; they give themselves and others, at least, some rest, and they do not make any debts that are difficult of collection.

The Portugese Government has granted to an English syndicate a concession for a railway from Lobito Bay, near Benguella, in Portugese West Africa, to the eastern frontier of the colony, to be subject to Portugese laws and to be directed by a company established in Lisbon. The concession it for a period of ninety-nine years, and carries with it the right to all minerals found within 75 miles on either side of the railway from end to end. The syndicate already controls large concessions for mines and railways in the Congo State and Northern Rhodesia, and it is declared that the value of the mines already opened up in these districts will ensure financial success of the railway, which will cost several millions. The work is to be pushed forward energetically by a staff which has been held in readiness at Benguela for several months. This concession is expected to mark a new area in the economic development of Central and South Africa. Lobito Bay is four days nearer to England than the Cape, and is described as one of the finest harbors in the world, able to accommodate larger vessels than Delagoa Bay. With the new railway, which will establish sooner or later, a connection with British Central Africa, this part of Lobito is almost certain to become a great centre of commercial activity.

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so scornfully, was surprised at the effect of her angry words.

"Why should my words affect him so strangely?" she thought, wonderingly.

He saw the surprise and wonder in the expressive young face, and by a powerful effort shook off the lethargy that had fallen upon him.

"What— what did you mean by those words, Hilda?" he demanded, in a voice that trembled with fear. "Who says that I am not— not your father?"

"I say so!" answered Hilda, spiritedly. "What father would maltreat his child as you did me? What father would rear a daughter and neglect her as you have neglected me—lavishing all your means and all your affection on the child of one whom you have declared was your deadly enemy? It is unnatural and impossible. I could sooner believe that Florence, whom you have pampered and petted all her life, is your own child, and that I myself am Lord Devon's granddaughter."

The thought had occurred to her with the swiftness of the lightning's flash, and in her anger she had given it instant expression. But she was not prepared for the terrible rage it excited in the man before her.

The perspiration started out on his livid features, his eyes glared like a madman's, as he sprang toward her.

Seizing her rudely by her shoulders, he shook her until her breath was nearly gone.

"You little she- devil!" he hissed in her ears. "Dare to tell me such a thing again, dare to breathe such a suspicion abroad, and I will kill you—kill you, do you hear?"

He drew back his hand and struck her several times cruelly upon the head, then threw her from him with such force that she fell upon the floor. Without waiting to see the effect of his brutality, he hurried out of the room.

"Little she- devil!" he muttered again, as he descended the stairs. "Her cursed tongue has sealed her fate!"

He went out upon the lawn and directed his steps toward Mrs. L'Estrange's cottage.

"I will try to get a look at that mysterious woman," he muttered. "Surely it cannot be——"

He paused, and would not give expression to the name, but the very thought of it caused his frame to tremble, and the dew of terror beaded his high forehead.

Walking slowly along, he gained the cottage which he had seen Hilda leaving a short time before.

A subdued light gleamed through the parlor window, which was shutterless, and protected only by curtains of white lace.

Mr. Aylesford peered cautiously around him. There was no one in sight, and he softly opened the gate of the small front yard, and stepped within. Then he stepped forward and peered into the window, whose lowest pane of glass was just upon a level with his eyes. For several minutes he continued to gaze cautiously into the apartment, then quite suddenly he dropped upon the ground, and crouched there, trembling with terror.

"My soul!" he muttered, huskily. "All the fiends below have conspired against me!"

He remained in his crouching position several minutes longer, then quietly rose and peered through the lace curtains again.

The lady whose mere sight had inspired Mr. Aylesford with such terror lay upon the sofa, wrapped in a warm, white cashmere dressing-gown, her white hands pressed upon her heart as if in pain. She had been weeping, and in the brilliant light that shone through the room, the dew of tears was still visible upon the dark fringe of her silken lashes. An elderly maid across the room was busy pouring some dark- colored drops from a small vial into a wineglass half filled with water.

"Here, madam," she said, gently, as she crossed the room, "you had better take your drops. This agitation is very bad for you."

Mrs. L'Estrange lifted her head, and drained the potion obediently.

"My kind, faithful Margery," she said, looking gratefully at her patient attendant. "I do not believe my present agitation can hurt me. I have been weeping, it is true, but my tears are tears of gladness. I have had tidings of great joy."

"Thank Heaven!" exclaimed Margery, fervently. "Was the young girl who visited you the bearer of your good news?"

"Yes, although she was not aware of it. Sit down by me, Margery, and I will tell you about it, that your faithful heart may rejoice with me."

Margery brought a chair and sat down by the side of the sofa, and the man outside listened intently, anxious to catch the import of their talk. But either through weakness or excessive caution, the lady lowered her voice to a whisper, and he could not understand the low, agitated murmurs in which she spoke to her faithful attendant.

"I can very well guess what she is talking of, though," he muttered with a terrible scowl of hate at the unconscious woman. "And now —now I must hit upon some plan to secure her everlasting silence. The future of my daughter and myself hang trembling in the balance. I cannot afford to be squeamish now. I must strike at once, and in the dark!"

He moved away silently, and went back to the hotel where Florence reigned conspicuous among the brilliant beauties gathered there from every part of the country. Her beauty and the odor of romance that hung around her made her quite a belle. Mr. Aylesford went into the ball room and told Florence that he was unwell and would retire to his room if she would excuse him. She readily consented to do so, and consigning her to the care of Sir Wilfred Hale, he went away.

But in the "dead waste and middle of the night," when the ball room was deserted and everything was still in slumber, when the moon had gone down, and the world was wrapped in darkness, he stole forth again, and took his way to Mrs. L'Estrange's cottage.

All was calm and silent there. The lights were extinguished, the inmates sound asleep. He crawled under the front porch and remained there a few minutes, then came out and went around to the back part of the house.

In a little while he stole cautiously back to the hotel, and went up to his room and to bed.

After a little, as he lay trembling under the bed- clothes, he heard some voices out on the lawn shout-

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Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
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Ash	5.23
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COAL VEINS.

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TITLES.

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1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
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July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
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If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 100,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

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Municipal Elections

To The Ratepayers of Peterborough:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

Having been nominated as candidate for election as alderman for 1903, and remaining in the field, I solicit your votes and influence to assure my election, promising to give the duties of the office faithful and careful attention. I.

Very respectfully,

D. O'CONNELL

The Municipal Elections

ALDERMAN FOR 1903

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I solicit your support and influence to ensure my return as alderman for 1903. I have served you for four years and have endeavored to do my duty impartially and well. I promise, if elected, to do my best for the advancement of the interests of the town.

I trust to have your support.

Very respectfully,

ROBT. CLINKSCALE

For Alderman

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—As I have once more been nominated for the position of Alderman for the Town, I take this opportunity of stating that I am in the field again as a candidate for 1903. My aim in the past has been to lean towards the most careful economy in the management of our municipal affairs. At the same time, if elected, I will always give my support to such measures as are calculated to build up and maintain the prosperity of our live and growing town.

Your Obedient Servant.

JOS. BATTEN

FOR ALDERMAN

To The Electors of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—Having been nominated as a candidate for alderman for the council of this flourishing town for 1903, I take this opportunity of calling the attention of the ratepayers that I am in the field. As I shall not make a personal canvass of the town, I trust that any services which may have been rendered by me during the last year will warrant your vote and influence. My interests in the town personally are by no means small, and in consequence it will be my best effort to advance every measure that will lead to the rapid progress of our town.

Trusting that my municipal experience in the past, together with the rapid progress which my own business has made, will warrant your vote on January 5th I remain, respectfully yours,

J. J. TURNER

A happy New Year to all.

TO THE ELECTORS
—OF THE—
Village of Ashburnham

Ladies and Gentlemen, — Having been repeatedly urged to stand for Councillor for the Village for 1903, I have accepted the nomination tendered me on Monday last.

I therefore respectfully solicit your votes and support. You may rest assured that, if elected, I shall do all in my power to secure the very best service to the municipality at as little cost as is consistent with good work.

Among other things, I will favour the construction of granolithic walks on the principal streets of the Village, payment to be extended over a term of years, on the basis of a frontage tax.

Your Obedient Servant.

ALLAN McCARTHY.

Ashburnham, Dec. 31st, 1902.

ASHBURNHAM REEVESHIP.

To the Electors:

In accepting the nomination for the office of Reeve, so generously tendered me by my fellow-ratepayers, I would say that I am strongly opposed to a personal canvass, and take this means of informing the electors that I do not propose to solicit their votes.

If elected I shall endeavor to perform the duties pertaining to the office in a business-like manner, and thus justify the confidence which the ratepayers repose in me.

In conclusion, I desire to wish every ratepayer in the village, regardless of whether he votes for me or not, a happy and prosperous New Year.

George Stevens.

Ashburnham, December 30, 1902.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, JAN. 5, 1903

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

A. O. U. W.

Notice.—Members of Peterborough Lodge, No. 135, A.O.U.W., are requested to meet at their lodge room, Simcoe street, on Monday, January, 5, 1903, at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late W. Bro. T. D. M. Croly. By order, J. J. Turner, Master Workman; T. G. Gillespie, Recorder.

Saturday's Market

The market on Saturday was not as largely attended as usual, no doubt the unfavorable weather being the cause. The prices were as follows: Turkeys, $1 and $1.50; geese, 90c. to $1.10; chickens, 50c. to 90c. per pair; eggs, 25c. per dozen; butter, 20c. to 23c. per pound; apples, $1.25 to $2 per bag; beef, 7 and 8c. per pound; wood, from $4.50 to $7.

Farmers' Institute Meetings

The winter series of meetings to be conducted under the auspices of the Farmers' Institute will open next Tuesday with lectures in different districts: West Bruce, South Oxford, North Oxford, Halton, Peel, West Durham, West Peterborough, Lennox, Brockville, Leeds, East Parry Sound and West Nipissing.

Wiarton Beet Sugar Factory

The success of the beet sugar industry in Ontario seems assured, judging by a sample received by the Globe of the work being done by the Wiarton Beet Sugar Manufacturing Company of Wiarton. The factory is now turning out on an average of 150 to 200 barrels of the very best sugar daily and expects to increase this on an early date.

30,000,000 Pounds of Dairy Products

The annual meeting of the Eastern Dairymen's Association will be held at Ottawa, next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Hon. John Dryden, Mr. D. C. James and Mr. E.C. Creelman will attend. It is expected that the proposed apointment of additional inspectors to more thoroughly carry out the Government's plan that worked not satisfactorily last year will take definite shape. Some idea of the need of competent inspectors may be formed from the fact that last year 30,000,000 pounds of butter and cheese were produced in the Dominion.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. Ed. Speirs, of Toronto, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. Hamilton, Alymer street.

—Port Hope Times: Miss Effie McWhinnie, Peterborough, is the guest of Miss Elva Brownscombe, Ridout street.

—The organist of St. Andrews' church, Prof. Davies, was a welcome entertainer at his home on Friday night. The invited members of the choir appreciated their invitation.

—Cobourg Sentinel Star says that Mr. and Mrs. Sorsoleil and infant are enjoying a sojourn with Mrs. Sorsoleil, sr.

—Hon. Senator Vidal of Sarnia is spending the Christmas and New Year's holidays with his daughter, Mrs. Gardner, in Ottawa. Although in his 87th year Senator Vidal is in most excellent health and condition.

—Toronto Globe: Mrs. Messom Boyd is now settled in her new home at No. 679 Ontario street, and will receive on Monday and Tuesday afternoons of next week, and afterwards on Mondays.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Board of Directors of the Y. M.C.A. will meet to-morrow at 8 p.m.

—A small purse was picked up on the street on Saturday and awaits an owner at the police station.

—The Times tomorrow will contain a full report of the municipal elections.

—The A.R.M. Bible Club will hold a social evening on the 7th, to which all young men are invited.

—A Chinese laundry is to be opened in Hastings. It is owned by the Celestial who runs the Campbellford laundry.

—Norwood Register: While cutting a piece of frozen meat, Mr. Wm. Franklin, of Douro, the other day, accidentally cut off one of his thumbs.

—Peterborough young men should take warning from one of their number who told a Port Hope young lady she was as sweet as honey, for since then the poor girl has been troubled with hives.

—There is no doubt of the fact that Mr. A. Moore is an efficient and well recognized floor manager. Young people at Keene, on Tuesday; Westwood bachelors, on Wednesday, and the Railway men's annual at Havelock, are sufficient mention.

—An action is being taken against the corporation of Campbellford for $3,000 damages, for injuries received by the infant daughter of Mr. Chas. Saylor. It appears that Mrs. Saylor with her child, in company with two or three others was in a democrat drawn by a team driven by Mr. John Fairbourne, and when near the foot of the hill one wheel collapsed, the occupants were thrown out, and the horses ran away. Next!

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THE TURNER BY-LAW

The Firm Give Substantial Reasons for Municipal Exemption

To the ratepayers of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and gentlemen.—There has been some expressions of opinions in the daily papers re exemption of taxes on Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons' factory. We feel that the public are not conversant with all sides of the question and take this means of setting forth some facts which may commend our petition to your judgment, so that we may receive your support when voting on the by-law.

In reply to "Ratepayer's" letter of December 22nd, we beg to say. "Because we have done well here, we return sincere thanks to the public for their patronage which we fully appreciate, but we would remind 'Ratepayer' that the bulk of our trade is done outside of Peterborough, there not being nearly enough here to keep our hands employed."

This outside trade is secured by advertising, by travellers, by agents. Of the latter we have thirty-one scattered throughout Canada to whom we must sell wholesale only, so that they may have the necessary retailer's margin. We have seven travellers—three salaried men and four commission men—who look after our interests outside of Peterborough. We advertise freely, and in this way, secure many orders. The whole we think shows that we bring a great amount of trade to Peterborough through our efforts which would not come unless looked after and drummed up. This must mean expenditure of money for power, wages, light and fuel, and an increase in floor space to accomodate increasing trade.

This is what induced us to spend our money in a building which is at once a credit and an advertisement to the town. We employ at present (which is not a busy season) nine girls and eleven men, eight of whom are heads of families. This does not include our commission travellers, the number of which we mentioned was four. There has been some talk of the bulk of our employees being girls, who receive low wage. To this we reply that no girl works for us, for one day even, for nothing. Her wages commence the moment she is engaged. The hours are shorter than usual, being from ten minutes to eight to twelve and from one to six, with the exception of Saturdays, when they quit at four o'clock.

We pay good wages, as evidenced some time ago when wages were high and different factories and stores were losing some help, we lost none, which speaks for itself.

Again, our factory could have been built on almost any out-of-the-way place at half the expense for land and style of building, which would not have interfered in the least with the bulk of our trade, but we were energetic and enterprising enough to endeavor to add to the appearance of our main thoroughfare and built in as conspicuous a spot as possible and erected a building in keeping with the situation.

Had we asked for exemption before commencing to build, we have no doubt but that it would have been granted to us the same as other factories enjoy, but because we pushed ahead (unnecessarily as we had an option of two or more years in the old premises), relying on the same privileges being extended to us as were granted to others,—we now hear some dissenters, some who fail to appreciate our enterprise and energy to bring Peterborough before the minds of the people as a great manufacturing centre.

It is unnecessary for us to enumerate the many advantages which accrue from a town being known as a good live town, further than to say that it induces people to locate here, *increases the value of property*, as evidenced by the way rents have advanced and the number of houses which have been sold this past year to new residents who have been drawn to Peterborough by the free advertising given by her factories.

We regret that "Ratepayers" accused us of such small principles as to use our position as a public servant to force our petition on the public. This is altogether unwarranted and unexpected. and while "Ratepayer" is accusing our Mr. Turner of such smallness, he also includes those who voted for the by-law in Council.

We believe that we have a reasonable claim for exemption from taxes, complying with the by-law to employ at least twenty hands ten months of the year, because we do a large wholesale business; because we advertise the town; because we are endeavoring to increase our trade every year, and to do this we must bring more business to our factory than in former years; because had we asked for exemption before commencing to build we would no doubt have been granted our request.

What better advertisement could Peterborough have, as evidenced by the advertisement, said same our hospital tents made for themselves, so that we received an order from the Cleveland Board of Health, Cleveland, Ohio, U.S.A. This was not solicited, but obtained by merit.

Again, we export a large quantity of goods to London, England, which advertises Canada in general, Peterborough in particular.

This trade has not been built up in a day, but has taken thirty years to acquire, which period represents the years we have been in business.

In conclusion, we will continue to do all we can to advertise the town, and will appreciate the favor we ask the people to grant. We commend our petition to you for your kind consideration, and ask you to mark your ballot in favor of the by-law granting us exemption from taxes. (school tax excepted).

Wishing one and all the Compliments of the Season we are, yours sincerely,

J. J. TURNER & SONS.

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WESLEY—GILLEN.—On Saturday, December 3rd, in All Saints' Church, by the Rev. W. L. Armitage, Walter R. Wesley to Mary E. Gillen.

WEATHER NOTES

Fair and a little colder.

"WILFUL WASTE
MAKES WOEFUL WANT."

That old copybook maxim finds its most forceful application in the waste of vitality, which is called "burning the candle at both ends." A woman is often tempted beyond her strength by domestic or social demands. Some day she awakens from this waste of strength to the woeful want of it. She has become weak, nervous and miserable.

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Kermit stubbed his toe this morning. Mrs. Roosevelt turned pale and tottered, but bravely recovered her equanimity. Secretary Cortelyou was summoned by the President and rubbed the injured member until the circulation was restored.

Archie ate six waffles at breakfast this morning. Ethel, who is really the life and soul of the Presidential party, humorously observed: "If you don't look out, Archie, you'll become a waffle yourself." Unrestrained hilarity, of course, succeeded, and Ethel was congratulated on all sides on her bon mot.

Teddy having successfully attained the summit of the Oyster Bay Church, proceeded to stand on his head upon the weather-vane. Secretary Cortelyou was instantly despatched to fetch him down, tearing his trousers—his Sunday ones—in so doing. The Board of Estimates has voted him a new pair if the old ones cannot be patched. Pork for lunch at Sagamore Hill.

Mrs. Roosevelt gathered a posy of daisies this morning, a token of pastoral innocence truly symbolical, and proving that simple tastes are not wholly confined to the lowly. The President ate pickled onions for afternoon tea with an evident relish.

This morning Kermit's pet rattlesnake died. He was convulsed with woe, and pleaded grief as an excuse for not accompanying his family on one of their fifteen daily baths or twenty-six daybreak gallops over the Sagamore Hills. The Secretary of State has promised him a baby white elephant to console him for his loss.

Secretary Root arrived at Oyster Bay this evening. Query by Ethel at tea time: "I say, Mr. Secretary, are you the root of all evil?" Mr. Cortelyou immediately cabled this truly wonderful child's whoeze to the foreign courts. Ethel's future is assured or should be. The following is the routine planned for the Roosevelt menage during the summer: Breakfast, lunch, dinner, bed: truly a sensible one, which doubtless caused the President and his wife much trouble to draw up.—"Town Topics."

Stubbs's Tip.

The chafing-dish supper was over, says the Chicago "News," and Mr. and Mrs. Stubbs were wending their way homeward.

"But, John," said Mrs. Stubbs, who was feeling perfectly well, and consequently was sure that everybody should make an effort to be above indigestion, "how do you know that Welsh rabbit is going to disagree with you?"

"I—I have inside information," Stubbs returned, promptly but sadly.

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A DESPERATE FIGHT NEAR THE CITY OF CARACAS

The Revolutionists Score a Victory Over General Castro's Army

Castro's Position Hopeless—He will Hold Out, However, Until the Decisive Battle—Plans to Escape

New York, Jan. 5—According to the Herald's correspondent in Willemsted, the revolutionists are advancing in three columns on General Castro's army. "A desperate fight occurred on Saturday night within eight miles of the city of Caracas, resulting favorably to the revolutionists. They are cutting all the telegraph lines, tearing up the railroad tracks, and are hourly expected in the immediate neighborhood of the city. A condition of extreme panic prevails amongst those who have heretofore believed that Castro was invincible.

A committee of the most prominent citizens has gone to President Castro and made representations to him of how hopelessly untenable is his position. But he insists on holding on until his forces are defeated in a decisive battle. It seems that this cannot be far distant. President Castro is already planning what he shall do when the inevitable comes, but he will make a desperate fight before quitting, as he has no chance of escape. The only alternative is imprisonment. The correspondent adds that no attempt is now being made by the allies to conceal the fact that they are affording assistance to the revolutionists.

BLOCKADE IS IN FORCE

Berlin, Jan. 6 — Great Britain and Germany came to an understanding four days ago to enforce the blockade of the Venezuelan coast precisely as though the negotiations for arbitration were not going on. It was doubtless in consequence of this understanding that the vessels at Porto Cabello were taken, although both the Foreign Office and the Navy Department are yet without advices showing that vessels were taken or that marines were temporarily landed.

LYNCH'S TREASON TRIAL AND ITS OUTCOME

Colonel Lynch If Found Guilty May Escape With Life Imprisonment

This is the General Impression of Those Who are in a Position to Know

London, January 4— Col. Arthur Lynch, member of the British parliament for Galway, has been indicted for high treason by a special grand jury of Middlesex, and will be called on to plead to the indictment in January next. The charge against him is that he actively assisted the Sovereign's enemies, and is based on the alleged fact that he commanded the so-called "Irish brigade" in the army of the South African republics during the recent war. Col. Lynch was arrested six months ago, on June 11, when he landed in England on his way to take the seat in Parliament to which the voters of Galway had chosen him, and has been in prison ever since.

In receiving the bill of indictment from the grand jury, Lord Chief Justice Alverstone remarked that it was sixty-two years since a grand jury had had to consider a charge of high treason, which was the highest crime known to British law. He referred to the indictment of John Frost, Esq., a magistrate of Monmouthshire, who in November, 1839 "levied war" against Queen Victoria during the Chartist excitement.

Frost and his son, at the head of nearly 10,000 Chartists, entered the town of Newport, Monmouthshire, on Nov. 4, 1839, and refused to disperse when ordered to do so by the mayor. They broke open the window of the hotel where the magistrates had gathered and fired upon the officials, wounding several. A small detachment of soldiers, thirty in all, fired upon the mob, which fled, leaving twenty dead, and many wounded. Mr. Frost and other leading Chartists were arrested the next day, and on trial were convicted and sentenced to death.

The punishment under the law was the infamous and barbarous one of the middle ages—they were condemned to be "hanged, drawn and quartered," or as the sentence reads, "to be drawn on a hurdle to the place of execution, and there to be hanged by the neck, being yet alive, to be let down, and your bowels taken out before your eyes and your head to be struck off and your body cut into four pieces," which were, with the head at the disposal of the Crown.

The sentence was not carried out in the case of Mr. Frost for an act of George IV's time gave to the Sovereign the power to mitigate the punishment. The convicts under this were sentenced to transportation for life, and sent to Australia, where they lived until 1856. An act of amnesty was granted to them in that year, and along with Wm. Smith O'Brien and others they returned to England. Mr. Frost died in 1877, in the ninety-seventh year of his age.

This was the last trial for high treason in England. The trials of Fenians were on charges of murder and often of treason-felony, a crime defined by the act of 1848 known as the Treason-Felony act. Under this no such punishment as could be imposed under the treason acts was permissible; convicted prisoners were punished by hanging or less capitally.

The procedure in the coming trial of Col. Lynch is regulated by many old statutes. Col. Lynch may not be bailed, unless by order of the secretary of state for the home department; nor is he clerkyable, though that fact is of no practical interest nowadays. He will be tried in the King's Bench Division of the High Court of Justice and not less than five days before he is called to the bar will receive a copy of the bill of indictment. If he has no counsel, the court will assign counsel to him, and will obtain his witnesses just as it would claim those for the Crown.

To convict Col. Lynch, unless he confesses in open court—forced "third-degree" confessions are not accepted—the oaths of two witnesses to the same overt act are necessary and two days before trial the names of all the Crown's witnesses are to be submitted to him. If he is convicted, he may be hanged or beheaded, or punished in a lesser degree. The last persons beheaded in England were Thistlewood and his fellow Cato street conspirators who suffered death by the axe as traitors on May 1, 1820. The proceeding was so repugnant to modern ideas that the punishment was changed, and hanging made permissible. The upmost that Col. Lynch may expect, if he is found guilty is probably life imprisonment.

BlocKade Raised, Sultan Safe

Morroccan Pretender Has Fled, Taking All His Available Stores

London, Jan. 5.—A marked improvement has come over the situation in Morocco. The Pretender has fled, possibly to Taza, taking with him all his available stores, and the Haina tribe, who were fighting for him, have now joined the Sultan.

Mulai Mohammed, the Sultan's brother, has taken the oath of allegiance to the sovereign, and has assumed command of the Shereefian army. He will set out in pursuit of the enemy on his arrival at Fez.

Reliable news from Fez, dated December 29, states that 20,000 cavalry and infantry have arrived there from Sus, and 10,000 cavalry have left for Ghiatta. The Sultan's army is now a large one.

London, Jan. 5.—Six hundred veterans of the Sepoy Mutiny were present at the proclamation of King Edward as Emperor of India at the durbar on Thursday, says the Delhi correspondent of the Times. Some of the Europeans were plain mufti. Some were in uniforms long ago discarded and now tarnished and faded in the course of the years. Several wore uniforms of the civil-military employment.

The natives belonged mainly to the humbler classes and wore long flowing robes that were plain and unadorned. One of these native veterans is said to be 100 years old. Another, who enlisted in 1836, had been wounded four times.

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THE FUTURE OF CANADA

Is About to Become a Great Commercial Nation

London, Jan. 5—The London Daily Mail prophesies that Canada is at last about to become a great commercial nation. The paper notes that new industries of all kinds are springing up as though by magic. The people are ambitious to possess the power to fight politically by themselves, with other lands for commercial privileges, independently of Downing street. The attempt to promote reciprocal trade with England has been disappointing, owing to the failure of England to respond. Already Canadian public men are discussing the desirability of repealing the preferential tariff granted England.

MUST NOT DRINK

Drunkenness for Railroad Employees to Be a State Prison Offence

New Haven, Conn. Jan. 4—Attorney Benjamin Slade, of this city, has drafted a bill which will be presented to the legislature in January.

In a few words, the bill provides that any motorman in charge of a street car or engineer in charge of a train who shall be under the influence of liquor while in charge of the same, shall be guilty of a crime punishable by a term in state prison. Also a death resulting because of the intoxication of either of the above mentioned employes shall constitute murder in the first degree.

In one or two trolley accidents recently it has been stated that they were caused by intoxicated motormen. This is given as a reason for framing the bill, the hope being that the severe penalty will lessen the danger of accidents from this cause.

TRADE IN SOUTH AFRICA

Commissioner Jardine Tells of Business Movements of Interest to Canadians

Ottawa, Ont, January 4 — A report from J. G. Jardine, Canadian commissioner has been received at the department of trade and commerce. It is dated Cape Town, Nov. 20th, and deals at length with existing trade conditions in South Africa, towards which market Canadians are now turning attention. He notes three recent events of importance, namely, the adoption of the new Transvaal tariff, the arrival, Nov. 18th, of the Ontarian, the first vessel of the direct steamship line from Canada, and the first meeting for years of the South African associated chambers of commerce. The object of the latter meeting of business men was to consider the advisability of a South African customs union. Mr. Jardine believes that the Dutch farmers, in whose interest the present high duties on foodstuffs were imposed, will consent to a reduction in view of the impossibility of native productions supplying the local market.

Mr. Jardine notes that Canadian companies are already turning attention to the supply of rolling stock for South African railways. Present retail quotations are: Butter 36 cents to 48 cents per pound; cheese 28 cents to 48 cents per pound; flour, 4 cents to 5 cents per pound; bacon, 25 cents to 30 cents per pound; hams, 27 cents to 36 cents per pound. But, as the agent notes, there is a wide margin between wholesale and retail figures and "fancy prices" are unobtainable. As to trade generally Mr. Jardine reports a good business to Canadian flour, and good prospects for a large trade in agricultural implements dairy produce and boots and shoes. He advises importation of hides and skins from South Africa to give the direct line steamers return cargoes. Canada is expected to make a good display at the Cape Town exhibition of 1903. It is to be a purely British exhibition with ample space reserved for Canada and the other colonies.

DAMAGES FOR BOYCOTT

Chicago Labour Association Lose Court Verdict With Heavy Damages

Chicago, Jan. 4—A verdict having a significant bearing upon the right of labor organisations to maintain or assist in enforcing a boycott was rendered this morning in Judge Vail's court, where George Hinchliff was awarded $22,000 damages against the members of the Chicago Masons' and Builders' Association and the Brick Manufacturers' Association. Hinchliff asked for $100,000 damages, which he alleged he had sustained owing to a boycott of the product of his brickyards at Hobart, Ind., on the part of the associations mentioned in 1898.

THE GREAT DROUGHT IN AUSTRALIA

Means Large Imports of Foodstuffs by the Commonwealth

AND CANADA WILL BENEFIT BY IT

Report Received at State Department Washington Tells of Conditions of Affairs

Washington, D.C. Jan. 3—The State Department yesterday received this report from Melbourne, Australia:—"It is now realized beyond doubt that the Australian wheat harvest for the coming season will be a failure, and must be followed by heavy importations of food stuffs from foreign countries. Competent authorities have expressed the opinion that during the season fully 600,000 tons of breadstuff must be imported from various wheat producing centres in order to meet the harvest deficiencies in the Commonwealth.

"In New South Wales the crop last year was fairly good, but the present season provides the gloomiest outlook that the state has known for many years. The food and seed requirements of the state are computed at 900,000,00 bushels; this would leave 4,500,000 bushels available for export, but there will be from 1,500,000 to 2,000,000 bushels less than are needed for home consumption and sowing.

"In Victoria the crop last year yielded 12,127,382 bushels, while the present harvest is estimated at 2,948,750 bushels, to which may be added 2,998,953 bushels of old wheat on hand, making a total available supply of 5,946,953 bushels. But before the harvest supply can be gathered at the end of the year, Victoria will need 7,884,882 bushels of wheat for food supply, and 1,700,000 bushels for seed purposes, so that instead of exporting the state will have to import about 3,637,929 bushels of wheat to supply her own needs.

"The position in South Australia is somewhat happier, inasmuch as the crop is estimated to be enough for home consumption and to yield about which pass read as follows—4,000,000 bushels for export.

"Queensland, West Australia and Tasmania have suffered seriously and will be entirely dependent on imports, the crop being inadequate. It is estimated that fully 200,000 tons of bread stuffs will have to be imported into the Commonwealth from the United States to cover the demand. Already 15,000 tons are afloat for New South Wales, the majority coming from California. San Francisco is the national port for Australia to look to, but California flour has risen since Australian orders went to the market, and at present values are at a level, which almost precludes purchase. The effect of this will be to divert a good deal of trade to Canada, which can supply hard wheats of a class well suited to mix with California flour. During the past few days merchants here have been making enquiries in Russia and India where crops are good, and also in Argentina and Europe. While the prices may rise it is not thought likely that they will reach an abnormal level as Canada is well supplied and both grain and flour can be landed at figures which will prevent any extreme inflation of values.' '

FATE OF GOVERNMENT HANGS IN BALANCE

By-Elections in Ontario To-morrow Mean a Great Deal

MAY RESULT IN A PARTY TIE

There is Practically Nothing Talked of But Corruption—Other Issues in the Background

Toronto January 6—The fate of the Ross Government is now in the hands of the voters of three constituencies, in which by-elections are now in progress. At the general elections in May these ridings returned two Conservatives and one Liberal. All were unseated, and now the forces of both parties are working with unusual vigor to retain the seats they formerly held, and to make gains as well. It is questionable if either Mr. Ross or Mr. Whitney were to carry the entire three seats whether they would be able to conduct a government, though a clean sweep for either side will pave the way for victories in the future.

CORRUPTION THE ISSUE.

The issue of the campaign is corruption. All other topics, New Ontario, and the like, are away to the rear. Liberals fear that the cry is going to be their death knell. Hon. Edw. H. Blake's letter is bound to turn a good many Liberal votes in all the ridings, for Liberal organizers admit that it only needed a big man in the party to take a step like that of Mr. Blake, for others to follow.

TEMPERANCE INFLUENCE.

The temperance people will also be a considerable factor in these by-elections, especially in North Grey and North Norfolk, where there is much disaffection among the temperance Liberals over the referendum. E. C. Carpenter, the Liberal candidate in North Norfolk in May, is not in the field in the bye-election. A. M. Little, a strong temperance man, took his place, the purpose of the change being to keep the troublesome temperance vote in line.

Dr. Snider, the Conservative candidate in May, is again in the field. North Norfolk has been Liberal for years, and Dr. Snider was the first of any other color to sit for the riding since Confederation. He is a tireless canvasser, and has the experience of one election, which is not the case with Mr. Little, but the latter gentleman is being vigorously supported by that veteran campaigner, John Charlton, M.P.

IN NORTH GREY.

North Grey is seeing a bitter personal fight, in which both candidates are openly casting reflections on one another's character, until law suits are threatened at every county school house. Boyd, the Conservative candidate, is a popular fellow, "one of the boys," so to speak. McKay, the Liberal nominee, is young and able. McKay, it is admitted by Liberals, has made enemies since the general election. Owen Sound is the pivotal point in this riding and both parties are exerting their greatest energies in that town. McKay expects to gain there, and so does Boyd. Of all the three constituencies it is known that the Liberals are more afraid of losing North Grey than of the Conservatives holding either North Perth or North Norfolk.

NORTH PERTH DOUBTFUL.

North Perth is a debatable riding at any time. It has no long record one way or the other. John Brown, the Ross candidate, sat for the riding for one Parliament, until the last general election, when John C. Monteith defeated him. Both men live in Stratford, and in May Monteith got a majority in that city, where Brown had one before. Now the Liberals say Brown will carry Stratford. He did not pay attention to the city in the last election, because he thought he was strong there. He confined his attention to the county and gained votes, but not enough to overcome the slump in his own city. That's really the position of affairs in North Perth. The "corruption" cry is being used, of course, but the personal strength and the candidates is the great test.

The prospects, after a careful discussion of the situation with men of both parties, who know the riding, are that the Liberals will lose North Grey and gain North Norfolk. The Tories will hold North Perth, leaving both parties a tie in the province, with N. Renfrew still vacant.

COAL IS SCARCE

Mr J. H. McClellan Tells an Ottawa Paper What it Cost Him For Coal

Ottawa Citizen:—Mr. J. H. McClellan, the lead coal merchant of Peterboro, was in the city yesterday, and registered at Grand Union Hotel. To the Journal he stated that the coal situation was but little relieved in Peterborough. "It is next to impossible to get coal in any large quantities," said Mr. McClellan, "and any that can be purchased must be paid for dearly. Recently I bought a shipment of coal from the independent miners at the mines, paying $8 a ton at the mine for it. The freight on this to Peterborough is $3.25 per ton making the total cost of the black diamond $11.25 per ton. I am selling it at $12, making just 75 cents on the ton, hardly enough to pay for the handling of it."

The situation in Western Canada said Mr. McClellan, is practically the same. I know of one Brantford manufacturer who went to Buffalo and paid $15 a ton for 100 tons of coal to keep his factory going.

PERCY WIFE TRADING CASE

The Woman Was Traded Off For Gold Watch and Chain

Cobourg, Jan. 6—Geo. Reynolds, who was arrested for bigamy, is now in jail here, and has been committed to for trial.

A short history of the case is as follows:—Geo. Reynolds, of Dartford, and Annie Clark, of Campbellford, were married at Norwood in Sept., 1900. Walter Reynolds, brother of George, who it is reported had the same intentions as George, took it so bad that he considered a change of atmosphere good and went to Michigan, but, absence must make the heart grow stronger, and notwithstanding he was in a state full of grass widows, he returned home last summer. His affections for his brother's wife again got the best of him and it ended in George selling out to him. The bargain, Walter claims, was his gold watch for wife, two children (one, one and a half years old and the other two weeks) and the household furniture. The two brothers went to Roseneath and procured the license and then Walter and his sister-in-law went to Warkworth and got married. They returned and took up their residence near Dartford. Everything went well until George, after going two Sundays to visit them, was refused admission. He then went to Cobourg and laid a charge of bigamy against his wife, and Walter, for inciting her to commit bigamy. They were arrested on Dec. 10th and taken before John Miller, J.P., and were committed for trial.

TARRED AND FEATHERED

A Dastardly Outrage on a Glanford Township Farmer

Hamilton, Ont., January 5 — The residents of Glanford township, especially those who reside in the vicinity of Mount Hope, are stirred up over an unusual event which occurred there a few days ago. About a mile east of Mount Hope, on adjoining farms, reside two prosperous farmers, Christopher Hostine, and Robert Smith. Hostine is a married man, but Smith a young man about 25 years of age is a bachelor. Recently relations between the two became strained over the alleged conduct of Smith towards Hostine's wife, and a couple of weeks ago Smith was ordered by Hostine and his friends to sell out and leave the country at once if he wanted to avoid trouble. This he refused to do, and a few nights later, while he was milking in his barn, he was seized from behind thrown down and bound by a body of masked men. He was then carried over to a shed adjoining the Hostine residence, where he received a warm reception. A large pot of tar was put onto a stove and heated to a boiling point. Smith was then stripped of his clothing and a goodly coat of biling tar was applied to his body. By way of variety a few feathers were mixed with the tar, and in this condition Smith was sent back to his friends.

All of the men being masked, Smith was unable to positively identify any of them. He, thinks, however, that he recognized Hostine's voice, and also the voices of some of the latter's friends from Caledonia. The day following the occurrence he came to the city to secure legal advice, and if he can secure evidence as to who were in the party an interesting police court case may be expected.

Wiarton Beet Sugar Factory

The success of the beet sugar industry in Ontario seems assured, judging by a sample received by the Globe of the work being done by the Wiarton Beet Sugar Manufacturing Company of Wiarton. The factory is now turning out an average of 150 to 200 barrels of the very best sugar daily and expects to increase this on an early date.

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GREAT BRITAIN IS ABLE TO WATCH FRANCE

Sufficiently Free Elsewhere to Keep Any Power Out of Morocco

New York, Jan. 5.—A special cable to the Post from London says:

For an empire whose chiefest interest is peace, the British Empire cannot be said to open the year well. The South African war is hardly over; at least, large numbers of troops are still needed to garrison the acquired territories; yet the British army and navy already are on the alert, if not actually engaged in or off Venezuela, Nigeria, Somaliland, and Morocco.

As regards Venezuela, the most interesting suggestion of the moment comes from a [illegible] French diplomatist in close touch with the French Ministry, who believes the futility of The Hague arbitration unless means be taken to compel Venezuela to execute the award. He suggests that The Hague tribunal be invested powers to establish an international commission of financial control, similar to that created in Greece. The commission, of course, would be temporary, and its task limited to the payment of The Hague awards, but the effect would be most wholesome upon other South and Central American States, who will act in the future under the shadow of the possibility of similar treatment. [illegible] this [illegible] of this proposal, the possible significance of it is unlimited.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS HELD YESTERDAY

Result in Town as Well as Several Places Throughout the Country

Mr. R. F. McWilliams Heads the Poll for the Council—Urquhart Elected Mayor of Toronto

The municipal elections took place yesterday, and were quietly conducted. There was little to indicate that a battle of ballots was in progress, few rigs being out, and comparatively little interest being taken. The fact that there was no contest for the Mayor's seat lessened the interest in the proceedings. The two by-laws which were voted on were snowed under in a manner that left no uncertain feeling in regard to the opinions of the ratepayers on the subject of exemption or street expenditure. So far as permanent roads are concerned, the ratepayers are evidently afraid to "trust" the work to the present management. They look around and see on all sides evidences of incompetence, and it is not to be wondered at, therefore, that a large grant of money is refused.

The defeat of Mr. Turner will be regretted by many. He was a good councillor, and was progressive to a fault. But many people blamed him for trying to secure exemption, and this, no doubt, contributed to his defeat.

WARD No. ONE

	Subdivisions No. 1	No. 2	Total Votes
Harry Rush	71	96	167
R. F. McWilliams	102	114	216
Robt. Clinkscale	57	76	133
Henry Best	122	112	234
James Finnie	72	60	132
Harry Phelan	14	29	43
John Sawers	36	45	87
Robt. Weir	21	27	48
M. A. Morrison	63	78	141
Jas. Edgcumbe	46	67	113
Joseph Batten	94	107	201
J. J. Turner, sr.	30	53	83
Benj. Shortly	63	76	139
R. F. McGregor	64	70	134
Daniel O'Connell	101	75	176
John Corkery	130	94	224

WARD No. TWO

	Subdivisions No. 3	No. 4	Total Votes
Harry Rush	133	81	214
R. F. McWilliams	154	62	216
Robt. Clinkscale	86	57	143
Henry Best	118	64	182
James Finnie	62	38	100
Harry Phelan	28	22	50
John Sawers	56	31	87
Robt Weir	30	30	60
M. A. Morrison	90	76	166
Jas. Edgcumbe	71	69	140
Joseph Batten	126	60	186
J. J. Turner, sr	49	48	97
Benj. Shortly	93	61	154
R. F. McGregor	56	42	98
Daniel O'Connell	106	69	175
John Corkery	115	74	189

WARD No. THREE

	Subdivisions No. 5	No. 6	Total Vote
Harry Rush	110	60	170
R. R. McWilliams	165	105	150
Robert Clinkscale	36	70	106
Henry Best	100	62	164
James Finnie	57	41	98
Harry Phelan	11	19	30
John Sawers	106	62	168
Robt. Weir	55	73	128
M. A. Morrison	94	62	156
Jas Edgcumbe	100	61	161
Jos. Batten	109	104	112
J. J. Turner, sr.	28	71	99
Benj. Shortly	93	47	140
R. F. McGregor	64	70	134
Daniel O'Connell	46	60	106
John Corkery	74	63	137

WARD No. FOUR.

	Subdivision No. 7.
Harry Rush	116
R. F. McWilliams	136
Robt. Clinkscale	91
Henry Best	113
Jas. Finnie	115
Harry Phelan	17
John Sawers	75
Robt. Weir	40
M. A. Morrison	87
Jas. Edgcumbe	161
Joseph Batten	122
J. J. Turner, sr.	65
Benj. Shortly	161
R. F. McGregor	60
Daniel O'Connell	62
John Corkery	107

TOTAL VOTE POLLED.

Harry Rush	686
R. F. McWilliams	817
Robt. Clinkscale	562
Henry Best	693
James Finnie	445
Harry Phelan	134
John Sawers	406
Robt. Weir	274
M. A. Morrison	517
Jas. Edgcumbe	667
Joseph Batten	690
J. J. Turner, sr	291
Benj. Shortly	643
R. F. McGregor	412
Daniel O'Connell	646
John Corkery	667

THE COUNCIL OF 1903.

Geo. M. Roger, Mayor.

R. F. McWilliams	817
Joseph Batten	690
Henry Best	693
Harry Rush	686
John Corkery	667
Jas. Edgcumbe	667
Daniel O'Connell	646
Benj. Shortly	643
Robt. Clinkscale	562
M. A. Morrison	517
James Finnie	445

WATER COMMISSIONERS

WARD No. ONE.

	Div. 1.	Div. 2.
T. H. G. Deane	67	108
W. H. Hill	82	105
T. F. Matthews	156	161
A. McDonald	91	69

WARD No. TWO.

	Div. 3.	Div. 4.
T. H. G. Deane	166	66
W. H. Hill	135	98
T. F. Matthews	147	100
A. McDonald	60	38

WARD No. THREE.

	Div. 5.	Div. 6.
T. H. G. Deane	165	75
W. H. Hill	136	98
T. F. Matthews	145	95
A. McDonald	39	46

WARD No. FOUR.

	Div. 7.	Total Vote
T. H. G. Deane	138	667
W. H. Hill	161	704
T. F. Matthews	162	866
A. McDonald	69	412

The Water Commissioners elected are:

T. F. Matthews	866
W. H. Hill	704
T. H. G. Deane	667

BY-LAWS

FUEL BY-LAW.

		For.	Against.
Subdivision	1	30	91
"	2	28	77
"	3	13	40
"	4	27	42
"	5	28	60
"	6	31	60
"	7	37	107
Total vote		196	466

GOOD ROADS.

		For.	Against.
Subdivision	1	42	92
"	2	43	62
"	3	30	38
"	4	25	32
"	5	24	50
"	6	25	42
"	7	60	67
Total vote		249	383

TURNER BY-LAW.

		For.	Against.
Subdivision	1	11	122
"	2	10	100
"	3	3	40
"	4	12	67
"	5	6	76
"	6	8	68
"	7	21	127
Total vote		71	600

It will be seen by the above figures that each of the by-laws was snowed under. The good roads by-law, however, fared far better at the hands of the ratepayers than either of the other two.

TRUSTEE

SCHOOL TRUSTEE.

The election for School Trustee in Ward No. 4 resulted as follows:

Wm. Pringle	124
Wm. Langford	64
Majority for Pringle	60

NOTES.

It will be seen from the above that Mr. McWilliams headed the poll, and he is accordingly receiving well deserved congratulations. Mr. McWilliams' vote in No. 1 Ward, which is the business centre, is very flattering, and shows that he has the confidence of the business men of the town. The Times had something to do with bringing him out, and we naturally feel proud of the way he has been received.

Mr. Joseph Batten is a worthy second, and is also entitled to congratulations.

The Town has on the whole one of the best Councils ever elected in this place.

Mr. T. F. Matthews polled the biggest vote in town, and by virtue of the statute is now Water Commissioner for the next three years. Yesterday's vote not only voices the esteem and confidence placed in Mr. Matthews by his fellow citizens, but also is a [illegible] the very valuable services rendered by him during the past year as Water [illegible]

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RESULT OF THE COAL STRIKE

One of the results of the great coal strike is the announcement of Senator Mason of Illinois that he will introduce to the consideration of congress a bill permitting the federal government to engage in coal mining whenever a prolonged strike ties up the ordinary sources of fuel supply. He is urged to this, he says, by the petition of more than fifty thousand residents of the State of Illinois, which he represents. He proposes that congress shall empower the attorney-general, in the name of the public, to enter a court of equity, and ask for the appointment of a receiver who in seasons of emergency shall provide for the resumption of work at the mines, pay the miners and render an accounting to the owners of the property. Senator Mason believes that congress has the right to pass such legislation under that section of the constitution known as the "general welfare" clause which authorizes it to "pay the debts and provide for the common defence and general welfare of the United States.

Perhaps, not to say probably, when congress gets through with this bill its own father wont know it. It is not likely that the United States is ready to go into the coal-mining business, either temporarily or permanently. But Senator Mason's bill will have some popularity.

CANADA U. S.

Regarding the N.Y. Sun's statement that "We are rapidly becoming Americanized," we must emphatically and determinedly rear up on our hind legs, and talk with our front ones—without mitts. We have not read the article but have a sufficiency by perusal of the head lines.

Coming down to brass tacks, with the business end upwards, there are more U.S. people coming to Canada than there are Canadians going to the U.S.; whether the former are a desirable lot or not, time will show; whether the immigration from the U.S. is through the wrong-doers' mistaken idea immunity from arrest or not, the legal status will soon show them.

There is too much loyalty for the "Old Country" to fasten the Canadians to U.S. soil by relinquishing their nationality—leaving alone the Gallic element acclimatized here.

While there is no fear and no need of getting hysterical about it—as the starters of this rumor wish—it is proper to let our readers know what is what—

Canada is Canada and will remain Canada.

THEY OBJECT TO IMPERIAL OFFICERS

Enlisted on the Understanding That They Were to Serve Under Canadians

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—The Militia Department has received a cable from Lord Strathcona referring apparently to the Canadians serving in the South African Constabulary, who were recently reported to have mutinied. The story was that a whole troop was sent down to headquarters, and without trial, the men were summarily discharged from the service. Lord Strathcona's cable asked whether the terms of enlistment of the S. A. C. men in Canada, included a third-class 30 men were expected daily, that they had been discharged as unsuitable, that the Imperial Government was not prepared to return them to Canada, and the men were without means. These men, it is stated, enlisted on the understanding they were to serve under Canadian officers, and the alleged cause of the offence is that Imperial officers were appointed, under whom they refused to serve. If 1,000 men were raised there were to be twelve Canadian officers; 1,200 men were raised and fifteen Canadian officers were appointed. The men enlisted for five years on the following scale:—First-class troopers, $1.90 a day; second-class troopers, $1.75 a day; third-class troopers, $1.50 a day. The department is taking the question into consideration, but does not see what can be done, and it is felt that after two years' service some of the men should be without means as claimed.

A Form of Hero-Worship.

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Hero-worship of a certain variety is no doubt responsible for the fact that the prize-fight holds its place in popular favor, despite all the reasons why a civilized and refined people should object to it. Some popular sports touch human nature so near to its innermost impulses that laws cannot prevail against them—and the combat of man to man with fists, the trial of strength, skill, and endurance between two splendid specimens of the physical animal, appears to be one of these with the people of our race. In the victor in such a trial the people whose tastes incline that way simply see a hero; and this perception, that has endured in the popular mind of our race or other races for several thousand years, will not out because of something printed on paper and called a law. Law has its limit in the modification of the lives and sports of the people; and if prize-fighting is ever looked upon by the people with disapproval it will not be because of statutory fulminations against it, but because there has come over the nature of the people themselves some profound change. Ought we really to desire such a change? asks an exchange. While it might be pleasant enough to know that all our countrymen are so far refined as to consider this combat a disagreeable and brutal spectacle, would not that state of mind imply other changes in the nature of the people altogether undesirable in a nation that has probably before it a history that may call for all the fighting instinct any people can possess?

Anecdotes of Barnum.

It may be said of P. T. Barnum that he was the Major Domo or Lord of Laughter and Fun, the protean Dispenser of Amusement. How well he became known through this function one curious incident certifies. Some years before he died, an obscure person in some remote part of Asia wrote a letter, which he dropped in the post-office near him, directed to "Mr. Barnum, America." The letter reached its destination without an hour's delay. The great showman unaffectedly enjoyed being known from the very beginning of his celebrity; and when he found his celebrity was a tremendous factor in his success, he did everything that he could think of to extend the exploitation of his name. This was not to nourish vain imaginings or because he felt exalted; it was to promote business.

Around his successive homes at Bridgeport, Conn., he was fond of putting something that suggested a show. Queerly marked cattle, the sacred cow, or an elephant, were frequently among the stock to be noticed in his fields. On one occasion he had an elephant engaged in plowing on the sloping hill where it could plainly be seen by the passengers on the New Haven and Hartford Railroad, an agricultural innovation that he knew would get notice of some sort in every newspaper in the country. It was even said that he received letters from farmers far and wide asking how much hay one elephant ate, and if it was more profitable to plow with an elephant than with horses or oxen. His replies were invariably frank, and were of this purport: If you have a large museum in New York, and a great railroad sends trains full of passengers within eyeshot of the performances, it will pay, and pay well; but if you have no such institution, then horses or oxen will prove more economical.—Joel Benton in the "Century."

A New Lincoln Letter.

When Lincoln was in Springfield practising law, he had a pass on the Chicago and Alton Railroad, perhaps because he was attorney for the company. The following letter asking for a renewal of his pass—or "chalked hat," the old slang word that Lincoln uses—was found seven years after it was written in a box of old papers belonging to the railroad, and was recently published for the first time in the "Century Magazine":

Springfield, February 13, 1856.

R. P. Morgan, Esq.

Dear Sir: Says Tom to John, "Here's your old rotten wheelbarrow. I've broke it, usin' on it. I wish you would mend it, case I want to borrow it this arternoon."

Acting on this as a precedent, I say, "Here's your old 'chalked hat.' I wish you would take it and send me a new one, case I shall want to use it the first of March."

Yours truly,

A. LINCOLN.

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A ROMANCE.

ing "Fire! Fire! Fire!" He sprang up, and looking out the window saw the pretty white cottage of Mrs. L'Estrange wrapped in a winding-sheet of lurid flame.

CHAPTER XI.

Heroic Deeds.

Quite a panic ensued after the rapid reiteration of that frenzied cry of fire. The green lawn directly became alive with people who had sprung from their beds at the first alarm, hurried into their clothing and rushed out in quest of the cause. Women as well as men were seen eddying toward the burning building, which at once became the cynosure of all eyes.

"Is anybody there?" "Is it occupied?" "Is it possible to save the adjacent cottages?" These were some of the questions people anxiously asked of each other as they hurried along. No one inquired if the burning cottage could be saved. They knew that that was impossible. The flames had already gained such headway that the building was almost wrapped in flames, and the men rapidly set about measures of precaution to prevent the fire from communicating to the adjacent cottages.

And amid the wild terror and confusion a girl's voice suddenly rang out shrilly and sharply on the air:

"Oh, Heaven! Mrs. L'Estrange is in there! She will be burned to death! Will no one save her?"

People pressed forward, and saw a young girl, with frightened dark eyes and streaming hair, rushing wildly up and down before the cottage, crying out that her friend would be burned to death unless some one would go into the house and awaken her. But no one responded to those wild appeals. The venture was one too full of danger to be lightly undertaken. The woman who lay sleeping in that terrible funeral pyre was a stranger, and had been at the springs so short a time, that none had formed her acquaintance or become interested in her. Rescue seemed impossible. The bravest shook their heads in despair, and the women wept aloud at the thought of her danger.

But suddenly, while every eye was concentrated on the burning house, and every heart throbbed with the expectation of seeing the doomed woman appear amid the flames at some door or window, a slender figure was seen rushing forward toward the burning porch. The next moment the girlish form sprang with lightning speed across the fiery threshold, and disappeared in the volume of thick, black smoke that filled the hall-way.

"Hilda has gone into that awful place. Oh, Heaven, she will be burned alive!" exclaimed Florence Aylesford, excitedly.

"Be quiet, love," said her uncle, on whose arm she was leaning. "We cannot help it if she chooses to throw away her life so rashly."

She looked up at him in surprise, but he had buried his face in his hands to hide the look of demoniacal joy that overspread it when Hilda rushed into the burning building.

"Good heavens, Lady Florence," exclaimed an excited voice, "was it Hilda that rushed into yon terrible holocaust?"

It was the voice of Cecil Courtenaye. He had just reached the spot in time to see the slender form disappear through the burning doorway, and to hear Florence's shocked ejaculation.

"Yes, it was Hilda," she answered, with a terrible shudder.

"Oh, Heaven!" he cried, in a voice of anguish. "Then I will save her or perish with her."

He tore a silk handkerchief from his pocket, dipped it in a pail of water a man was carrying, bound it about his head and face, and darted impetuously forward.

Mr. Aylesford sprang forward and caught him by the arm.

"Are you mad?" he cried. "You can never come out of that terrible place alive!"

Cecil Courtenaye turned one flashing glance on the face of the inhuman father.

"Your daughter is in there," he said, with terrible sternness. "Do you wish her to perish, coward?"

He threw off the man's grasp as if he had been a poisonous viper, and sprang forward, with dauntless heroism.

The next moment the dark form was seen a moment, awfully distinct amid the leaping, serpent-like flames, and then it disappeared in the smoke of the hall-way, as Hilda's had done.

Mr. Aylesford sank upon the ground and hid his face in his hands. He knew that people would expect him to make some demonstration of alarm at the imminent peril of his only daughter, and he was willing to make that much concession to public opinion, but the face that was hidden behind the hypocritical hands was convulsed with a fiendish joy.

"Every obstacle is removed from my path at one fell stroke!" he muttered, balefully, to himself.

Meanwhile Cecil Courtenaye rushed through the black volume of smoke that filled the hall-way of the burning cottage, his heart full of sickening apprehension.

The rapid flames had not communicated with the flooring yet, but the small rooms were filled with blinding smoke and terrible scorching heat. The young man felt as if he would shrivel into ashes like a slip of paper in the dreadful atmosphere, but he ran hurriedly from one small room to the other, shouting and calling, and straining his eyes through the hot black smoke in quest of Hilda and the mysterious lady she had come to rescue.

There were but four rooms in the house. He had gone through three of them, and found them empty, and his heart was beginning to fail him when he rushed into the thick darkness of the hall again to enter the fourth one.

Blinded by the smoke and heat, he could see nothing, but as he stepped over the threshold his feet tripped over a soft body on the floor. With a cry of horror he bent down and peered into the face of the recumbent figure.

Oh, horror! it was Hilda Aylesford lying there pale and still, without a sign of life!

At the same moment he heard a loud, tumultuous cry of horror from the throng outside. It instantly apprised him that some new and sudden peril menaced him. With desperate haste he caught the slender form of the unconscious girl in his arms, and

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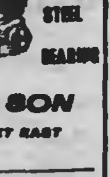

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Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
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	100.00

COAL VEINS.

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1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
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100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Births, Marriages And Deaths

During the year of 1901 there were in Peterborough 215 births, 113 marriages, and 109 deaths. In 1902 the record was as follows:—Births, 213, marriages, 142, deaths 183. During the month of December, 1902, there were 25 deaths, the largest number on record for one month.

Police Court

At the police court yesterday Joseph Shamy was charged with unlawfully abandoning and exposing an infant under two years of age. The case stands for judgment. Frank Scriber was charged with stealing a pair of moccasins. He was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

A Chance for Peterborough

Here is an item taken from the Globe, which might be of use to our Board of Trade. An expert in lace manufacturing, Mr. G. Ferguson of Nottingham, England, has written to the Canadian Manufacturer's Association asking what the prospects are for the establishment of a lace industry in this country. He is coming out here in May or June to see for himself.

A New Local Company

The Ontario Gazette gives notice of the incorporation of the Imperial Underwear Company, a Peterborough enterprise, with a capital of $100,000. The provisional directors are: Messrs. A. H. Stratton, Adam Hall, F. J. Jameson, Geo Hay, and R. H. Kells. It is understood that the company proposes to acquire the plant and premises of the Peterborough Underwear Company, which failed some months ago. The promoters are Messrs. Stratton & Hall, of town.

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A Narrow Escape

A young man named Samuel Fawcett, who lives in Otonabee, a short distance from the locks, was nearly drowned on Sunday. It appears he set out from the Otonabee side of the river about noon to cross to his brother Joseph's on the Monaghan side. He had ventured a considerable distance when the ice gave way and he sank. His cries for help attracted the attention of Mr. John Holmes, who resides near the river, and he hurried to the rescue. Fawcett had been in the water fifteen or twenty minutes before help arrived and he was pretty nearly exhausted when his timely rescuer succeeded in pulling him out.

Entertainment Postponed

Rev. J. C. Davidson has announced that owing to the prevalence of disease among the children of town, a conclusion [illegible] arrived at that in justice to the public interest, the Sunday School entertainment should be postponed, which was to have been held on Wednesday night. This decision had been come to after the advice of three doctors had been taken. The postponement will mean some disappointment, but this action on the part of St. John's Sunday school indicates a considerate spirit of co-operation with the civic authorities in their efforts to stamp out prevalent disease. Conditions were assuming serious proportions, and it might be advised that other institutions should follow the example set by St. John's to have the children exempt as far as possible from all danger.

The Times Returns Thanks

It remained for the Winnipeg Free Press to mark its Christmas edition in a decidedly unique manner. This great family journal is in receipt of a sample package of Pemmican, made expressly for the Free Press by the Hudson's Bay Company, at Fort McPherson, sixty-five miles within the Arctic circle, and 2,071 miles northwest from Winnipeg, which latter has always seemed far enough in that direction for comfort. From the little book which accompanies the Pemmican we learn that it is made of reindeer and is considered a great luxury up around the North Pole, but that in civilization it tastes very much like a warmed-over tallow candle. This g.f. I shall, therefore, postpone sampling the stuff until we get further away from a square meal than at present, but shall keep it in the house against emergencies, which may arise at any moment in this day of uncertain domestics and scarcity of fuel for the range.

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HE AND LIEUT.-COL. MILLER ARE THE GUESTS OF THE 57TH OFFICERS

Entertained at the Regimental Headquarters—Lieut.-Col. Edwards Presented with Field Glasses

The officers' rooms at the armories was the scene, last night, of a very enjoyable event, when the officers of the regiment met together to say farewell to their late commanding officer, Lt.-Col. Edwards, and to welcome their new commander, Lt.-Col. J. W. Miller, who for some time has been regimental major. The two commanding officers were the guests of the officers at a very pleasing banquet, which was a splendid success.

After the good things had been disposed of, Col. Edwards was presented with a very fine pair of field glasses. The ex-colonel was completely taken by surprise, but recovered himself and warmly thanked the officers for their kindly remembrance.

Col. Miller was warmly received and surpassed himself in a speech in which he outlined the work of the regiment for the coming season.

A short toast list was presented, at the close of which the event came to a close by singing the National Anthem.

The 57th Regiment Band was present and enlivened the time by some splendid selections.

Mr. Harry Long had charge of the tables, which were served in his usual excellent style.

A QUIET WEDDING

Mr. W. T. Hall and Miss Gwendoline Meade Are Wedded

At St. Luke's church, Ashburnham, yesterday morning a pretty wedding was solemnized by Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, when Miss Gwendoline, daughter of the late Mr. Robert Meade, became the bride of Mr. W. T. Hall, son of Mr. Adam Hall. The bridesmaids were Miss Kathleen Meade and Miss Agnes Hall, sister of the groom, and the groomsmen Mr. G. Hall and Mr. Frank Bradburn. Mr. and Mrs. Hall left on the 11.45 G.T.R. train yesterday morning for their honeymoon tour, carrying with them the good wishes of a very large number of friends, in which The Times cordially joins.

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Story of Prosperity Told By a Manitoba Farmer

W. C. Robinson, of Hartley, Manitoba, well known in Peterborough, called upon Immigration Agent, J. C. Hartney at Winnipeg. Mr. Robinson is a splendid sample of the prosperous Manitoba farmer. He remarked that he settled in the prairie province twenty years ago, with a sound constitution and a willingness to work, as his sole capital stock—in fact he then had not twenty-five cents to his name. This year Mr. Robinson threshed 15,000 bushels of wheat and 7,500 bushels of other grain, the product of 900 acres of his 1,600-acre farm. Besides this, Mr. Robinson owns two threshing outfits which this fall prepared 100,000 bushels of wheat for market. He declared that now $60,000 would not buy him out—not a bad showing for twenty years' work. Mr. Robinson contends that all the grain the C.P.R. and Canadian Northern railroads can take out of the west will not make a noticeable hole in next year's crop, as with the great influx of immigration there will be a much increased acreage under cultivation next year.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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—Mr. E. Hiram Munro, representing the well known firm of Wilson, Munro & Co., Toronto, was in town yesterday on business.

—Mr. N. D. Chambers, Toronto, formerly of town, spent yesterday in town, the guest of his sister, Miss O'Chambers, Water street.

—Misses Katie and May Overend left yesterday evening for Toronto to see the "Taming of Helen" at the Princess.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Board of Education will meet this evening.

—The wicked and righteous alike walk in slippery places these days.

—Crowds of people visited the new Cereal Company's dim on Sunday.

—How does the municipal election suit you?

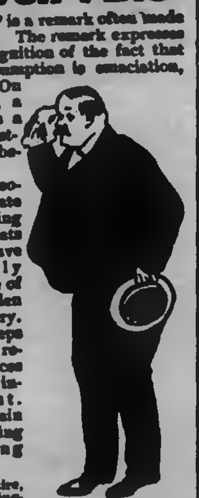
—Charlotte street Young Men's Guild will hold their regular monthly meeting on Friday night. Mr. R. M. Dennistoun will give an address on "Success."

—Some of the Protestant churches are preparing for evangelistic services to be held shortly. Rev.'s Turk and Kirby, evangelists, are expected about the end of the month.

—Mr. Silas Stiles passed away on Saturday afternoon at Ennismore, in his 77th year. The funeral took place yesterday morning from his late residence, lot 2, concession 5, Ennismore, and proceeded to Omemee cemetery.

—The Belleville Portland Cement Company, Limited, is among the new companies incorporated last week, with a capitalization of two and a half million dollars. The provisional directors are F. Rielly, M. M. Murton, W. J. Phillips, Nicholas Sweetman and Thomas Crowther, all of Toronto.

—A Toronto despatch says that the Grand Trunk officials have notified all their conductors and engineers that when a train stops on the crossing of any street the train must be broken and the crossing cleared. The rule heretofore has been to have pedestrians await the pleasure of the train crew. This will be welcome news to Peterborough people who have been put to great inconvenience by trains standing for long periods upon crossings in town.



"He Won't Die

Of consumption" is a remark often made of a fleshy man. The remark expresses the popular recognition of the fact that the sign of consumption is emaciation, loss of flesh. On the other hand, a gain in flesh is a sure sign that wasting diseases are being cured.

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MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

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Commissioner is fully recognized by a grateful community.

Mr. W. H. Hill polled the third largest vote, and will now be Water Commissioner the next two years. The ratepayers spoke in no uncertain tones yesterday, and have done wisely in re-electing him to this important office in connection with municipal ownership of the waterworks.

The ratepayers also accepted the opportunity of retaining ex-Mayor T. H. G. Denne in official connection with the town, and have elected him as Water Commissioner for another year. The Times advocated the necessity of this step in the town's interests, and is pleased to see that its opinion has been substantially supported.

VILLAGE OF ASHBURNHAM

Mr. Frank Adams Elected Reeve by a Good Majority

The election in Ashburnham was hotly contested, there being a contest over the Reeveship between Messrs. Frank Adams and Geo. Stevens; the former being elected by a majority of [illegible].

The following is the vote:

FOR REEVE

Frank Adams	285
George Stevens	146
Majority for Adams	[illegible]

FOR COUNCILLOR

W. Scott	239
W. Gibbs	228
M. Hourigan	194
W. Paint	177
J. Agnew	164
A. McCarthy	117

The first four are elected.

TOWNSHIP OF SMITH

Mr. R. W. Elliott Elected Reeve by Nearly a Hundred

Quite a spirited contest took place in Smith for the Reeveship, the result being the election of Mr. R. W. Elliott by a majority of about one hundred over his opponent, Mr. Samuel Stinson. The members of the Council were elected by acclamation.

The following is the vote at each polling division:—

	Elliott	Stinson
No. 1	77	161
No. 2	86	77
No. 3	96	41
No. 4	41	14
Total	[illegible]	[illegible]

Majority for Elliott [illegible].

The following will compose the Council for 1903:—R. M. Elliott, Reeve. Councillors, R. N. Scott, W. N. Bell, J. A. Fowler, Robt. Duff.

NORTH MONAGHAN

Joseph Madill Elected Reeve by 17 Majority

The election in North Monaghan was quiet, and resulted in the election of Mr. Joseph Madill, Reeve, over Mr. Robt. Dobbin, by seventeen of a majority. The following is the vote:

FOR REEVE

Joseph Madill	141
R. Dobbin	124

FOR COUNCILLOR

R. Fowler	140
John Brown	129
James Morrow	104
Jonathan Smith	104
John Cox	98
Joseph Bell	85
Geo. H. May	76
Thos. Williams	62
H. Clarke	30

The first four are elected.

NORWOOD ELECTIONS.

A late despatch from Norwood last night says that Messrs. Curtis and Buchanan have been elected Councillors.

TORONTO MAYORALTY ELECTION.

The election for Mayor of Toronto resulted in the election of Urquhart, by a majority of about [illegible].

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Year 1902 Noted For Awful Calamities Involving Appaling Loss of Life and Destruction of Property Reaching Millions

Disaster at Mont Pelee, Earthquakes in Cmyrna, Shamaka and Andijean and Other Happenings of Dirful Nature

New York, Jan. 6—Disasters of unusual character and direct result make 1902 a black page in Time's annals. Besides a sad list of railway accidents, great fires, serious floods, varied explosions and losses at sea, perhaps not unprecedented, rarer misfortunes of Titanic proportions befell mankind.

Seismic shocks occurred in almost every portion of the globe. Volcanoes were active synchronously and scores of thousands lost their lives in consequence of these cataclysms.

The disaster of Mont Pelee is so recent and so appalling in its extent as scarcely to need recalling. On May 8 the world was startled by the report that forty thousand lives had been lost by the eruption of lava, smoke, vapor and gas, a disaster unparalleled on this side of the atlantic. May 9 to 18 further outbursts occurred, doing more damage, and as late as September 2 two thousand more lives were reported lost in these troublous West Indies. But great losses of a similar kind fell upon Europe and Asia, too, during the last twelve months. A thousand lives were lost in Smyrna September 28; 2,000 at Shamaka, Siberia, February 14, and 2,500 to 3,000 at Andijan, in Asiatic Russia, December 17.

Taken chronologically one can better understand how scarcely a week has passed without a convulsion of nature of one sort or another.

Mexico, January 16; Shamaka, February 14; Spain France and Italy, Mar. April and May; Sicily, April 14; Mont Pelee, May 8; Guatemala, May 14; San Salvadore, June 8; Tulcan, June 12; Hawaii, June 12; Sicily, June 15; Salonica, July 5; Italy and Portugal, August 5; Skagway, Alaska, August 11; Southern California, August 12; Mindanao, P. I., Aug. 27; Adelaide, Australia; September 19; Jamaica, W.I., September 22 and 23; Mexico, September 25; Artasch, Turkistan, September 26; Smyrna, September 28; St. Thomas, Oct. 26; Guam, November 15; Jamaica, November 28; Andijan, Russian Asia, Dec. 17. In this country slight shocks were felt in Utah Iowa, California, Georgia, the New England States, and scattered points between.

All in all, the total loss of life through seismic shocks may be set down as approximately fifty thousand. The damage to property is not easily calculated, but must have run up into the millions of dollars.

While the fire losses may not have been any more spectacular than usual, the disasters due to explosions, collapses and similar accidents were out of the ordinary. This is especially true of this city. The caves-in, explosions, and what not mishaps attending the construction of the subway at once come to mind.

The explosion of Park avenue and Forty-first street on January 27 killed six outright and injured seventy-five others besides causing $400,000 damage. Coming right on the heels of the rear end collision in the Park avenue tunnel, only a few blocks away, Jan. 8, when fifteen were killed and thirty five injured, this disaster seemed all the more impressive.

Two other misfortunes occurring in one month also marked the latter part of the year. On election night, November 4, the explosion of a mass of fireworks amid a crowd of bystanders in Madison square killed fourteen and injured two more more. On the night of November 19 a rare spectacle of festoons of flames hanging over a river met the gaze of many thousands who will recall the new East River Bridge fire for years to come. No lives were lost, but $100,000 damage was done and a great municipal improvement set back nearly a year.

Other explosions of the year readily recalled are the gas works, on avenue C. on November 11; a mill at Barcelona, 60 killed, 100 hurt; February 5; an Iowa mine, 21 killed 8 injured January 24; Dupont powder works, 20 killed, March 10; a powder magazine at Madrid, 40 killed. June 26; a mine in Galicia, 16 killed, June 2; the Pittsburg railroad yards, 25 killed. 150 injured, May 12; the Daly Mine in Utah, 40 killed, July 16; Delaware pulp mills, 8 killed, August 26; coal mine Bowen Co, 16 killed, August 7; magazine Cairo, Egypt, 18 killed. November 18; and the steamship Progresso, laden with oil, San Francisco, Dec. 4.

LOSS DUE TO FLOODS.

Not less than $6,000,000 loss in 1902 in the United States was due to floods, and the total very likely exceeded this considerably. Twenty-five lives were lost early in March when the Rivers and streams of New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and New England leaped their banks and did enormous damage in thickly settled localities, roughly estimated at $5,000,000. The latter part of March saw the South inundated, a dozen lives lost, and property estimated to be worth half a million dollars destroyed. On July 9 the Western States suffered equally heavily pecuniary losses from flooded streams, and on July 18, the Father of Waters augmented by many swollen tributaries, inflicted $600,000 damage through the Mississippi Valley. Early in 1902, flames worked havoc in and about New York. Probably the most conspicuous instance was the destruction of the Seventy-first regiment armory, and the burning of the Park avenue hotel, on the night of February 22, when 16 were killed and 35 injured, and a monetary loss of $550,000 dollars inflicted. Two weeks before, February 8, occurred the $10,000,000 fire, at Patterson, N.J., and still earlier in the month, February 2, Waterbury, Conn., suffered by fire to the extent of $2,000,000. Other fires memorable for loss of life or property, or both, were the burning of the steamship British Queen, at Hoboken, loss, including wharf and salvage, being $800,000; on March 19, the fire at Atlantic City, along the famous board walk, on April 3, when $1,000,000 damage was done to eleven hostleries; the somewhat similar fire at Rockaway Beach on June 4, when the damage was placed at $300,000, and four lives were lost as well; a half million dollar fire in the tobacco houses at Norfolk, on January 31; the Lindell Hotel fire, ten killed, January 28 and the Empire Hotel fire, February 9, 11 killed in St. Louis; the fire at Saratoga, on June 9, when 5 were killed; the Texas oil wells fire on October 7, when 30 were killed, and $500,000 damage done; the St. Luke's Hospital fire, in Chicago, June 9, 12 killed; the fire in the Hotel Lincoln, Chicago, December 4, 14 killed; and the factory in Chicago, on October 21 when twenty-nine lost their lives. In Boston a tenement house fire on January 28, cost ten lives, and half as many more died in St. Paul, October 21, when a large packing house was burned.

The railway statistics for 1902 will not be available for some time, but the loss of life on our railways seems not to diminish, in grievous contrast to the wonderfully safe records made by the British and Continental lines. According to the last figures furnished by the Interstate Commission the total number of lives lost, including employees, who formed at least 70 per cent, was nearly 1,500, and those injured chiefly employees, 19,000. About 1,200 collisions, omitting petty ones, occurred, and nearly 900 derailments. The total damages, aside from suits, were nearer three than two millions of dollars. In Canada the closing days of the year witnessed the awful calamity at Wanstead, when a G.T.R. express was wrecked and 28 were killed and 40 injured.

HONDURAS TO COME NEXT

Citizens Fear That England and Germany Will Pounce on it For Debt

New Orleans, Jan. 6 — Passengers from Honduras report that the people of that republic expect a repitition of the Venezuelan incident there over the English debt. A representative of the Englishmen and Germans now holding this debt is in Honduras demanding payment.

When the Honduras Government wanted to build the fifty-six mile railroad running into the interior from Puerto Cortes it floated a large amount of bonds. The bonds were taken up by Englishmen and Germans principally. The Government has never made either a pretence to pay either the interest or the principal, and the whole now amounts to about $100,000,000 which is more than the country is worth.

The bondholders are disposed to compromise. The impression, however prevails in Honduras that England Germany will take up Honduras next and force the Government to pay its debts, as the two Powers are now doing with Venezuela.

CHINESE REBELS ARE STRONG

Pekin Believes They Can Defeat the Troops

Pekin, Jan 6—The Board of Foreign Affairs now admits it is probable that Gen. Tung Fu Hsiang and Prince Tuan are at the head of a rebellion.

Members of the board say that the leaders of the rebels never left Shensi as they were ordered to do, following the Boxer revolt, and the throne was afraid to execute them or drive them into exile, believing that such action would precipitate rebellion.

Consequently the Government has been expecting to hear ever since the court returned to Pekin that Gen. Tung Fu Hsiang and Prince Tuan were leading a rebellion.

The board declares that the Government troops in Shensi are sufficient to cope with the rebels, but it is the conviction here that Gen Tung Fu Hsiang's force is superior to the Chinese troops opposing him, and that he is seeking revenge for the treatment accorded him by the Empress Dowager.

The Governor of Shensi, who reported that peace prevailed there, has been ordered to make a complete secret investigation, and his report is expected in a few days.

A report is current that Pu Chun, Prince Tuan's son who was deposed by the Empress Dowager from his position of heir apparent to the throne, escaped from Pekin some time ago, and has joined his father.

Ringing in The Ears

This is an unfailing sign of catarrh and if not checked will ultimately result in deafness. The simplest remedy is Catarrhozone, which is inhaled a few times daily, prevents the catarrhal condition from spreading. Catarrhozone quickly stops the ringing in the ears, head noises, gives permanent relief to catarrhal deafness. For Catarrh in any part of the system, Bronchitis, Asthma, Lung, or Throat Troubles, Catarrhozone is a specific, and is guaranteed to permanently cure or your money back. Large size, $1.00; trial size 25c. Druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Dr. Hamiltons' Pills cure Constipation.

DEFENCE OF CARACAS

Castro Sends Out an Army to Meet the Rebels who Threaten the Capital

Paris, Jan. 6A despatch from Caracas to the Matin says numerous Government troops left that place yesterday for the Tuy Valley to meet the vanguard of the revolutionary army, which is marching on Caracas.

MAY YOHE GETS $45,000

Settlement of Her Claims Against Her Former Husband, Lord Hope

London, Jan. 6.—It is stated that the claims of May Yohe against the estate of her former husband, Lord Francis Hope, who obtained a divorce from her after her flight with Major Putnam Bradlee Strong, has been settled by the payment to her of £9,000.

DIED OF ODD DISEASE

Minister Killed by Bony Growth That Spread

Shelbyville, Tenn., Jan. 6.—The Rev. Dr. Marks, a retired Methodist clergyman, aged 80, died today from a disease which baffled physicians of New York, Chicago and other cities. A thin sheet of bone, commencing its growth four years ago, encircled the man's body from the pelvis to the chest, gradually suspending the function of the organs until death ensued.

WIRELESS IN THE ROCKIES

Marconi's Experts to Make Experiments in High Altitudes

Winnipeg, Man, Jan. 6—Two experts employed by Marconi, are in this city today on their way West to arrange for a series of experiments in wireless telegraphy in the Rocky Mountains. It is said that Marconi is preparing to install a wireless transcontinental service through Canada.

It is expected by the inventor that the electrical currents in the rarified atmosphere of high altitudes may interfere with the successful sending of his messages, and it is to satisfy his mind on this account that the tests are made in the winter time when the conditions would naturally be more unfavorable.

RUN TO, NOT ON, A BANK

Swarm of Folks Eager to Make Deposits in the Bank For Savings

New York, Jan 6—A crowd that some of the bank officials estimated at 3,000 went to the Bank for Savings at Fourth avenue and Twenty-second street yesterday to deposit money so that they could draw interest from Jan. 1. Passersby began to wonder if there was a run on the bank, but as a matter of fact, it was just the reverse.

Most savings banks pay interest from Jan. 1 on money deposited within a week or ten days from that date, but the Bank for Savings is an exception. The Bank folks said it was the biggest rush they had ever had. Three men were kept busy taking in the money and the bank kept open an extra hour.

ROUND THE WORLD TIMETABLE

Journey May Be Made Comfortably in 40 Days Before Next Year

Vienna, Jan. 6—Director Nagelmackers of the sleeping car company says a journey around the world, in the course of the next year may be accomplished in forty days. When the rails of the Siberian line are all relaid it will be possible on the first through trains to go from Moscow to Irkutsk in six days, and from Irkutsk to Vladivostock or Port Arthur in three days.

The timetable around the world will then be—Paris to Vladivostock, 13 days to Nagasaki, 2 days; to Yokohama, 2 days; to Vancouver, 12 days; to New York, via the Canadian Pacific Railway, 4 days; to Cherbourg, 6 days; and to Paris in less than half a day.

Director Nagelmackers says he is now receiving letters from Pekin by way of Siberia in from 20 to 22 days.

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INCONTESTABLE CLAIMS

Their Settlement to Come Before Hague Tribunal Is Appealed to

Cologne, Jan. 6—A despatch from Berlin to the Cologne Gazette, says it is stated officially that The Hague tribunal has not yet been asked to arbitrate the Venezuelan dispute, because negotiations are passing in regard to prior conditions. Great Britain and Germany demand first the settlement of certain claims, whose incontestability puts them outside arbitration. Germany's claim of this nature amounts to 1,700,000 bolivars—($340,000.)

Paris, Jan. 6—A despatch from Caracas to the Matin says that Venezuela has promised to treat France's claims on the same basis as those of the allies, but has refused to promise similar treatment to Belgium, Spain and Holland.

GERMAN MARINES LANDED

Held Puerto Cabello Wharves While Ships are Seized

Caracas, Jan 6—Just about daybreak this morning 150 armed marines from the German warships Vineta and Gazelle were landed at Puerto Cabello and occupied the wharves. Commodore Sheder, the commander of the German fleet, sent a note to the American Consul informing him that the occupation was only for the purpose of protecting a force which was to seize Venezuelan ships which had taken refuge inside the harbor. This was to make the blockade effective.

The marines reembarked at 8.30 o'clock after their comrades had captured seven sloops, seven schooners, eight small boats and taken them to sea. The captured vessels are worth about $40,000.

The people remained calm while this action was in progress.

CRUEL SHOCK TO MURDERER

Notified of a Reprieve Which Was Afterward Withdrawn

New York, January 6—George Taylor, a negro, who is under sentence to be hanged next Tuesday, in the Hudson county jail, Jersey City, was notified on Friday that Governor Murphy had granted him a reprieve of two weeks. The murderer was delighted and said that he would now have time to prepare for death.

Later his lawyer, received another telegram from the Governor saying that he had recalled the reprieve, having been advised that he had no legal right to grant one in Taylor's case.

Taylor was unnerved when his lawyer, Mr. Noonan, told him of the contents of the second message. He dropped into a chair and wept bitterly. The constables on the death watch fear that he will collapse before the day of the execution.

Cook's Sentence May Be Commuted

Ottawa January 6,—Council yesterday considered the report of the Minister of Justice, on the case of Cook, the Halifax murderer. An enormous petition in favor of commutation has been received, and it is understood, favorably considered. No announcement can be made until His Excellency's pleasure in the matter has been learned, but it is understood that the sentence will be commutated.

THE SCHOOL BOARD'S FINANCIAL STATEMENT

As Submitted at the Regular Monthly Meeting Held Last Night

$25,000 Required from the Town for Collegiate Institute and Public School Current Expenditure—School Closed till Jan. 12th

The Board of Education met in regular session last evening, when there were present Chairman W. H. Hill, and Messrs. Dr. Burnham, W. H. Wrighton, L. M. Hayes, F. J. Jameson, Jas. Stevenson, W. G. Ferguson, Dr. Caldwell, V. Eastwood, J. J. Hartley and R. Fair.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

COMMUNICATION.

From Miss A. Staples, of Port Hope, applying for a position on the Public School teaching staff.—Referred to the Committee on Appointments.

From Dr. J. Bingham, Medical Health Officer, stating that as the Board of Health has ordered a thorough disinfection of the schools, they will not be opened until January 12.—Received.

MONIES RECEIVED.

Town Treasurer	$6500 00
Fees, Collegiate Institute	349 00
Fees, Public Schools	15 00
Fees, Kindergarten	26 00
Town Trust Commissioners	45 00
Government Grant re inspection	160 00
	$7695 50

ATTENDANCE FOR NOVEMBER

Public Schools,	On Roll.	Ave.
Central School	372	315
South Central School	405	264
Bernardo Avenue School	154	140
Park Street School	148	121
George Street School	157	141
	1236	1071
Kindergarten	113	78
	1349	1148

Collegiate Institute,	On Roll.	Ave.
Form IV	13	12
Form III	46	42
Form II	48	46
Form Upper I	46	45
Form Lower I	45	43
Form Commercial	26	32
	224	220

ACCOUNTS.

A number of accounts were referred to the Finance committee.

FINANCE REPORT.

Dr. Caldwell submitted the report of the Finance committee, recommending payment of the following accounts,

H. Hicks & Co.	$ 7 91
O. S. McClelland	1 20
Kingan Hardware Co.	11 42
Bacon Bros.	28 20
Adam Hall	29 19
McClelland Coal Co.	475 94

The report was adopted as read.

ACCOUNTS PAID.

Dr. Caldwell submitted the following statement of accounts paid:

T. Williams	$ 6 00
Jas. Russell	1 25
T. H. Sheppard, [illegible] 1st December	100 00
C. Fessenden, Nicholls Scholarship Prize	100 00
	$207 25

The report was adopted as read.

AMOUNT TO BE RAISED.

Moved by Dr. Caldwell, seconded by Mr. W. H. Wrighton, That pursuant to 57, Victoria section 5, the Municipal Council of the Town of Peterborough be, and they are hereby required, to pay the Treasurer of the Board of Education, in monthly, instalments, the money to be raised for current expenditure of the Collegiate Institute and Public Schools, as follows,

January 15th	$ 2000 00
February 15th	2500 00
March 15th	2000 00
April 15th	2500 00
May 15th	2000 00
June 15th	2000 00
July 1st	2000 00
August 15th	500 00
September 15th	500 00
October 15th	2500 00
November 15th	2000 00
December 15th	2500 00
	$25000 00

and that the Secretary be instructed to forward a copy of this resolution to the Town Council.—Carried.

NEW BY-LAWS.

Dr. Burnham submitted a copy of revised by-laws to govern the Board, which were referred to a special committee. The by-laws at present in force were adopted in May, 1878.

The Financial Statement for the year ending 31st December, 1902, will appear in to-morrow's issue.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

RESULT OF THE VOTE IN OUTLYING MUNICIPALITIES

The Norwood Division of the County Council Elects Messrs. Buck and Curtis

The following is the result of the election for the County Council (for the Norwood Division of the County Council:

Wm. Buck	567
W. T. Curtis	441
J. B. Pearce	384
Dr. Jeffs	322
James Andrews	309
Robert Anderson	127

Messrs. Buck and Curtis are elected. The defeat of the two old members, Messrs. J. B. Pearce and Dr. Jeffs, will be a surprise to many in the country.

DOURO.

The elections here Monday resulted in the return of Mr. John Quinn as reeve, over Mr. McGiggott, by a majority of 15. The councillors elected were Messrs. John Allan, Jas. Condon, Charles Curtis and Patrick Ryan.

MILLBROOK.

Mr. W. S. Given was elected reeve over Mr. Isaac Needham.

LINDSAY.

Mayor—J. H. Sootheran. Councillors—McWatters, Cinnamon, O'Reilly, Storey, Maunder, McRae, Robinson. Mr. J. D. Flavelle, for Water Commissioner. Bryans and J. Graham, County Councillors.

CAMPBELLFORD.

Reeve—J. R. Diamond, acclamation. Councillors—C. L. Owen, W. J. Dunne, C. H. Cannon, S. Abernethy. School Trustees—Robert Lowery, W. W. Armstrong, H. R. R. Dryden.

NEARLY A MILLION

The Grand Trunk Railway's Record Breaking Week's Business

The Grand Trunk Railway experienced a record-breaking increase in receipts during the week ending December 31st, 1902. The total receipts for the week aggregated almost a million dollars, an increase of $187,000 over the corresponding week of the previous year. All the other railroads report very heavy holiday traffic.

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Fair and [illegible]

THE NAVAL DEFENCE OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA

Mr. H. F. Still Thinks Canada Should Contribute to the Imperial Fleet

Montreal, Jan. 6.—"Canada, as Sir Frederick Borden, on behalf of the Government, has announced, is to have a naval force. Thence arises the question, What kind of naval force would be of greatest benefit to the country? Of this there cannot be the slightest doubt, for I would say, without the slightest hesitation, that if such a force is to be of any use for the defence of Canada, it can achieve that object only by remaining an integral portion of the fleet of the empire, ready to act with it wherever it may be most needed."

This was the important announcement made to a reporter to-day by Mr. H. F. Wyatt, of London, England, the special envoy of the Navy League of the United Kingdom, to Canada, Japan, Australia, and New Zealand. Mr. Wyatt today completed his tour of all the larger cities of Canada, and after pointing out his reasons for his statement, made public the most important portions of the report he would send to England.

"And I would even say," Mr. Wyatt went on to say, "that this strategic necessity of unity of naval force is perfectly compatible with the principle of Canadian autonomy. This is so because the Dominion Government can always retain the power to recall her ships to Canadian shores on the outbreak of war, if it decides that Canada is to take no part in the conflict. If, however, it is desired that Canadian participation in any naval struggle of the future should be effective, the training of the ships and crews in times of peace must be carried on in conjunction with ships of the Imperial Navy.

"At the present time the nature of naval war is such that there cannot any longer be such a thing as local defence. Austria has found this out; Canada would shortly find it out. My particular reason for saying so is that any fleet or combination of fleets powerful enough to defeat the Imperial Navy in war could have no possible difficulty in subsequently wiping out any local defence squadron which Canada for many years to come is likely to be able to raise. The real means of defending the coasts of the whole Empire is by attacking the enemy's fleet as they issue from the enemy's ports. On this account, I say again, Canada would benefit most by having her naval force form a portion of that of the Empire."

Mr. Hays on G.T.R. Accident

General Manager Declares That the Company's System is as Perfect as Any in the World

Montreal, Jan. 6.—"In answer to the statement that has been made by some experts that if the block system had been in practice on the Grand Trunk Railway, the recent accident at Wanstead would not have occurred," said Mr. C. M. Hays, general manager, to the Star correspondent, "I would point out that such is not the case. In the first place, in the Wanstead accident the block system was practically in use, for the train stopped at Watford to get an order to go further. Then again, in the accident on the Victoria Jubilee bridge the most perfect system of electrical signalling in the world is in use, and was in perfect operation. But accidents may happen as long as we must depend on human intelligence to have orders carried out. The system used on the Grand Trunk Railway is as perfect as that of any railway in the world."

Continuing, Mr. Hays pointed out how the Grand Trunk had practically done more in perfecting its system than any other railway by erecting a double track.

"Then I might go further," Mr. Hays went on to say, "and point out how the Grand Trunk has even done more in trying to assure perfect safety to its passengers than any other railway in Canada. Accidents, especially of the nature of those that have occurred recently, are most likely to happen where only a single track is in operation. The Grand Trunk has at the present time over 1,000 miles of double tracking, and by the end of the present year the entire route from Montreal to Chicago will have all the advantages to be desired from the double track system.

"But then I am not in a position at the present time to make any official statement with regard to the accidents. Not satisfied even with the verdict of the coroner's jury, we are investigating every circumstance connected with them. On this account such an announcement can only be made after I have conferred with Mr. McGuigan, manager of the railway, who is conducting the investigations."

"Would you say that the time has come when trains are run at such a high rate of speed that in order to have perfect safety the block system should be introduced?"

"No, the system at present in use on the railway is in every way as perfect as the block system. The accidents that have happened would have happened just as easily on a railway with the block system."

CHFAP FOOD, HIGH WAGES DEVELOP THE NATION

Benjamin Kidd Speaks of Reforms Necessary in South Africa

Dishonorable Men Get the Honors—Sultan Gives Pecuniary Reward to His Spies—Latest News Regarding Situation in Morocco

London, Jan. 6.—A comparison of the development of the United States and of South Africa is made in an article by Benjamin Kidd, published in the Times this morning. Speaking of South Africa, he points out that its prosperous future depends upon its rapid settlement by the largest possible white population. In order to supply the needs of rising industries the cost of living must be reduced and all existing monopolies must be abolished. Mr. Kidd declares that the most characteristic and most important result contributed to economic knowledge by the rapid industrial expansion of the United States in the last quarter of a century has been a demonstration of the remarkable potency and efficiency of cheap food and highly paid labor as a factor in national development. In South Africa, one is reminded on ever side, he says, of exactly converse conditions. Natal is one of the finest fertile of territories, like Illinois, the basis on which Chicago first achieved its world-famed prosperity, yet the eye searches in vain the vast panorama for signs of white inhabitants. Native tillers of the soil outnumber the European population twelve to one. It is simply not lack of economic wants, but the curse of cheap labor that rests on the land, he holds. It may be seriously questioned whether the much reputed cheapness of native labor will not be proved to be apparent only. He points out that Americans are said to lead the world in the matter of cheap production of goods, although wages paid to working men are on an average very much higher than those in Europe, and yet it is the constant complaint of a certain party in the United States that the workingman receives less per unit for work done than the workingmen of Europe. In other words, he concludes that the American workingman as a system, is nearly twice as efficient as his European rival. The statement that there is economy in high wages or cheapness in dear labor may sound paradoxical, but nevertheless it is one of the well established facts of the industrial expansion of the United States. It is to this example in America that the far ahead view of the interests of South Africa would commend its leaders.

Ladysmith, Natal, Jan. 7—Col. Sir Henry McCallum, the Governor of Natal made an important announcement at a banquet in honor of Colonial Secretary Chamberlain last night. He said that the Government had decided to establish a new seaport at Umhlatuzi, Zululand, and in this way connect the coast with the newly annexed territories of Vryheid and Utrecht. Thence connection would be made with the Transvaal and there would be no occasion for using Delagoa Bay, the seaport of Portugese East Africa.

Port Antonio, Jamaica, Jan. 6 — Among the prizes offered by the Gleaner, a Jamaica newspaper, in its Christmas number was one to the servant who could show the longest continuous service in one family in Jamaica.

There were fifty-nine competitors, and the prize was awarded to an old African woman, with seventy-four years' service to her credit. She is now eighty-nine years old and quite hearty.

The other fifty-eight servants had been employed from five to seventy-two years.

Mexico City, Mex. Jan. 6—The Mayor of the city of Leon, which has a population of 60,000, has issued an order that every house in the city must be painted within a month.

Paint dealers have had their stocks depleted as a result of the remarkable order.

Burrard By-Election

Vancouver, B.C., January 6 — The date set for the by-election for the Dominion House is February 4th, and the nomination day, January 28th.

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A SHIP OF THE DESERT

All the inventors are not in Connecticut. One of them is in England, and he is having a ship made on wheels with which he hopes to take the place of the camel on the Desert of Sahara as a carrier of despatches and express parcels. He calls his invention a motorless motor and according to his description it consists of a frame 12 feet long, 10 feet wide at the front end, and 7 feet wide at the rear, composed of 2 1-4 inch steel tubing. At the four corners of the frame are wheels 4 feet in diameter, with iron tires 6 inches broad so that the wheels will not sink into the sand. At the forward end of the steel frame is a 4 inch bamboo mast, fourteen feet high, fitted with a silk leg-of-mutton sail having one hundred square feet sail area. The sail can be hoisted and controlled entirely by the "driver—as perfectly as the skipper controls a small sailing boat. The mast is strongly braced with wire rope and there are also braces of wire rope under the steel framework, so that it cannot sag under the greatest strain.

The brake lever at the driver's seat connects with wire ropes which run on pulleys, connecting the forward wheels in such a manner that a twist of the lever checks the speed or brings the "car" to a standstill. By means of the trade winds—which in the desert can be depended upon six months in the year—it is hoped that the car will make such speed over the sand as to render it a much better carrier of despatches etc., than the primitive camel corps or native runners.

This is ingenious. Almost as ingenious as the plan of the inventor who thinks he can make something that will act both as a boat and a flying machine.

THE FINISHING TOUCH

If South Africa isn't speedily pacified and civilized it won't be Lord Milner's fault. His South African emigration bureau for women is doing a rushing business and the agents in London are receiving thousands of applications from girls anxious to settle in South Africa. During January three parties of fifty girls each will go out under the care of a "certified matron," and a situation, with a fine chance for a husband, is guaranteed to every girl. The London committee takes every precaution to insure the safety and well-being of the emigrants who are cooks, housemaids, and children's nurses. Their wages are to be $150 a year, with an increase in prospect. Good health, and good character and experience are required qualifications. Some three hundred have already been sent, and one hundred more will go each month so long as the present active demand continues.

Good work. English men have had some influence in South Africa, but the real conquest is about to begin.

THE WRECK ON THE GRAND TRUNK

The inquest, which began last Monday, into the cause of the frightful wreck on the Grand Trunk Railway at Wanstead, wherein twenty eight persons were killed and as many more injured reveals not only the startling proof of the carelessness shown by the man or men responsible for the accident, but serves also to emphasize again the need of some change in the present system of train despatching. Sifting the evidence taken at this preliminary investigation, it is found that the wreck occurred through the failure of the operator at Watford to hear one word, namely, the word "may" alleged to have been sent by the despatcher.

MARCONI'S HOPES

It is an extraordinary prospect that Marconi opens up, with his suggestion that wireless cablegrams may yet be possible at a cent a word.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

A British expedition is to be started against the Emir of Kano in Northern Nigeria, who has been doing something Britain does not seem to get quit of policing most of the earth.

The United States Steel Trust has taken a most momentous step to all industry, and a most creditable one to the trust, in its plan to enable its enormous body of workingmen to share in the manufacturing profits.

At the great Durbar in Delhi, announcement has been made that it is decided not to exact interest for three years on all the loans made or guaranteed by the Government of India, to the native states in connection with the recent famine. We conjecture that there is poignant regret in some native states that they did not get larger loans.

District Attorney Jerome of New York city has created something of a stir in the community by an announcement that a large proportion of the gambling paraphernalia which he captures in his frequent raids is "crooked," that is, so constructed as to enable the house to rob the player. The gambling houses, though always sure to win anyway, evidently are bound to make the pace very rapid.

A little more than a year ago, a wreck on the Wabash Railway, in Michigan, in which between sixty and seventy persons were killed and a hundred injured, was caused by the failure of an engineer to see, or the neglect of the despatcher, to transmit two words of an order, which changed its meaning completely. Many other serious railroad accidents in America have been due to causes very similar to the two in question. Effective steps should be taken immediately to render impossible fatal misunderstandings like those in the past between operators and trainmen.

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Money in Capons.

They who wish to make money in poultry should turn their attention to caponizing. Any one with steady nerves and fair eyesight can do the work, and it is very remunerative. Begin by getting a book of instructions and a set of tools; then, after becoming acquainted with the directions, practice on dead chickens until you are expert. Learn to be quick and thorough. Chickens should be kept on short rations one whole day before the operation. It may be performed at any time after the chickens are old enough so that one may distinguish between pullets and cockerels. It does not make much difference as to the season, but I think fall is preferable. When you have learned to do the work well, you will find that you can make considerable by doing it for your neighbor, especially when they see how much more you get for capons than they can get for fowls that have not been caponized. One usually charges ten cents per fowl for caponizing.—Emma Clearwater, in Housekeeper.

—Crowds of people visited the new Cereal Company's dam on Sunday.

—How does the municipal election suit you?

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Brunette and Blonde.

A ROMANCE.

made another rush through the hall. On the threshold he paused an instant, almost daunted by the awful peril of the burning porch, then with a swift, courageous bound, he cleared it and landed on the graveled path outside.

He was not an instant too soon, for at that moment the heavy, ornate roof fell in with an awful crash.

Courtenaye staggered forward a few paces, dropped his lifeless burden on the grass, and knelt beside her, too exhausted to stand.

People crowded around with restoratives, and when Hilda opened her flame-scorched eyes again, she looked straight into the anxious eyes of the young Englishman, and asked, piteously:

"Did any one save them? I mean Mrs. L'Estrange and her maid?"

He shook his head sadly, and then rumor ran from lip to lip that two women had perished in that terrible holocaust of flame.

CHAPTER XII.

A Hurried Flight.

Hilda quietly relapsed into unconsciousness when she learned of the tragic fate of the beautiful stranger in whom she took such a warm interest. She was removed to her room at the hotel by Mr. Aylesford, who appeared quite overwhelmed by her condition. A physician was summoned, and he pronounced her suffering from a severe shock to the nervous system. This combined with several painful though not dangerous burns, would be sufficient to confine her to her room, for several days. He carefully dressed the burns, administered a quieting potion to soothe her excitability, and went away, leaving her to the care of Florence and Mr. Aylesford.

Florence stood still a few moments when the physician had gone, looking down at the white face of the suffering girl. She thought she was asleep, she lay so still, the long, dark fringe of her lashes lying motionless on the colorless cheek, her black hair, scorched and thinned by the fire she had passed through, streaming loosely over the snowy ruffled pillow

"The girl is actually growing quite pretty," the blonde said to herself, with a start. "She might prove a dangerous rival some day if we remained together. But that is not to be, and I will take care that she shall never pay a visit to my English home. She must fully understand that!"

She crossed the room to Mr. Aylesford's side, where he stood looking moodily out in the direction of the glowing embers of the burning house.

"I wish to tell you something," she said, in a whisper, laying her white, jeweled hand on his arm.

"Well," he said, turning round abruptly, "what is it?"

She glanced around toward the quiet form on the bed, then back at him.

"It is this," she said, softly. "When I came up from the ball-room tonight I came into Hilda's room for her to plait my hair for the night, as she usually does. I found her lying on the floor, moaning with pain Her temple was cut and bleeding. When I tried to raise her up by the shoulders, she flinched and cried out that I hurt her. I asked her what had happened to her, and she seemed confused, and declined to tell me."

Lady Florence paused and gave him a keen glance from her pretty blue eyes, that could look very keen and penetrating when they chose. His glance wavered and fell before that look.

"What had happened to her?" said she, shortly.

"How should I know?" he sullenly inquired.

"You do know," she answered, steadily. "Tell me the truth."

"Well, then, if you must know the truth, I struck her and knocked her down!" he replied, in a low and brutal tone.

The listener recoiled before his cruel look and tone.

"Why did you do that? What had she done?" she gasped, in profound surprise.

He took her hand, and drew her nearer to him.

"Florence," he whispered, hoarsely "she suspects my secret! She dared to taunt me with it."

Florence's face whitened to a corpse-like pallor, and her eyes looked wild and frightened. She stared speechlessly into the man's stern, set face.

"Ah, you may look frightened," he said. "It is true. Sit down here Florence. I have much to say to you."

He wheeled an easy-chair to the window, and the beautiful girl sank into it. Then he brought another for himself, and with their heads very close together, they conversed a long while, both visibly excited.

"I will never give it up now," muttered the girl, clenching her white hands passionately. "Never, never, not even if I have to——"

She stopped short, and would not speak the thought in her own mind, but Mr. Aylesford understood it, and nodded his approval.

"Spoken like my own brave girl!" he said. "And indeed it may have to come to that yet, for she is terribly in the way. As long as she lives our future is menaced with danger."

"Oh, if she had but perished in the fire to-night!" muttered the girl, wickedly.

"She would have done so, but for that jackanapes, Cecil Courtenaye," said Mr. Aylesford, with a scowl. "Do you know, Florence, I believe that he is her lover?"

"Well, let him be," was the scornful answer. "I have never liked him. She is quite welcome to his love. But it is wasted on her, after all, for she dislikes the proud, conceited prig as much as I do."

Florence's words were prompted solely by pique, for she had tried hard to enlist Cecil Courtenaye in her train of admirers, but Cecil's perfect politeness was so distinctly tinctured with careless indifference that she resented it with all the petty spite of a little nature.

"I dislike the fellow as much as you do," was the answer, "and yet I am very sorry he has not been attracted by you instead of Hilda. I learned to-day from Sir Wilfred that the haughty prig, as you call him, is a distant relative of yours."

"He has never taken the trouble to apprise me of it," said Florence, with a bitterness of tone that belied her assertion of indifference.

"Yes, and I learned more," con-

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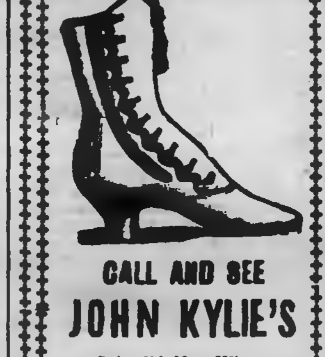

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It is quite true that eggs may take the place of meat on many tables, and it is also true that meat scraps, which would otherwise go to waste because they are wholly unfit for food, if fed to hens will assist largely in the production of eggs. Meat and meat scraps need not be furnished laying hens if it has to be furnished at an expense that will not justify its use. Feed the waste meat scraps to the hens and feed the eggs to yourself and children, or sell them to feed other people's children; but whatever you do, do not forget the value of the egg as a food product. There is no going behind the real value of some things, and all the fluctuations of the market will not affect the food value of an egg. They are just as valuable for food at five cents as they are at forty cents per dozen.—Farm and Trade.

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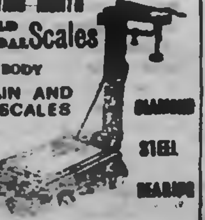

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Total Capitalization	$6,000,000 00

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ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
	100.00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, abou 1350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 ton [illegible] re above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

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MARKETS.

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OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows:—

	ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

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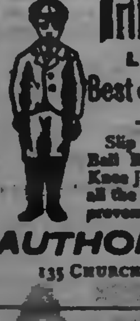

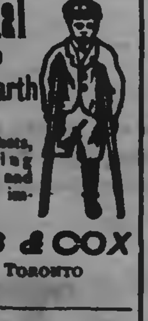

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I wish to thank you most heartily for the very flattering vote given me for Alderman for 1903. I feel that you have placed me under a great obligation, and I shall do my utmost to repay the confidence which you have shown in me.

I have the honor to be

Your obedient servant,
R. F. McWILLIAMS.

Card of Thanks

To the Electors of Peterborough

Allow me to return you my sincere thanks for the large general vote which was given me for Alderman yesterday. Such a vote must represent all classes of the ratepayers, and is very gratifying to me.

Youn Obedient Servant,
JOS. H. BATTEN

January 6th, 1903.

Card of Thanks

To the Electors of Peterborough

To the Electors of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—Permit me to thank you very heartily for your appreciated support in electing me as a member of the Board of Water Commissioners for the Town of Peterborough.

Yours Very Sincerely,
T. F. MATTHEWS

January 6th, 1903.

Card of Thanks

To the Electors of Peterborough

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I take this, the first opportunity of cordially thanking the large number who, by their support on Monday, elected me a Water Commissioner. I shall endeavour to faithfully discharge the duties of the position in the interests of the citizens of the town.

Very respectfully yours,
W. H. HILL

January 6th, 1903.

Card of Thanks

To the Electors of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I desire to gratefully acknowledge the hearty support accorded me in electing me Alderman for the year 1903. I shall try to so discharge my duty as to fully justify the confidence you have again reposed in me.

Very respectfully yours,
H. RUSH

January 6th, 1903.

To the Electors

To the Electors of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I desire, in this public manner, to convey my thanks for the hearty support which resulted in my election as Alderman for 1903. I shall endeavour in the discharge of the important duty imposed on me, to fully justify your confidence.

I remain, yours faithfully,
D. O'CONNELL

January 6th, 1903.

Thanks to the Electors

To the Electors of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—Permit me to heartily thank all who, by their votes and active support, assisted in again electing me as Alderman for the Town of Peterborough. The support shown me is all the more gratifying to me, seeing that it was bestowed voluntary and unsolicited.

Very respectfully yours,
JOHN CORKERY

January 6th, 1903.

Card to the Electors

To the Electors of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I take pleasure in expressing my thanks to all who, by their support in Monday's election, helped to elect me as Alderman for 1903. I have special reason to feel seeing that it was bestowed voluntary in the fourth year you have expressed your confidence in me for a similar position.

Your Obedient Servant,
ROBT. CLINKSCALE

January 6th, 1903.

To the Electors

To the Electors of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—Please accept my hearty thanks for the renewal of your confidence in me as Alderman for 1903. I appreciate the honour conferred on me, and will endeavour, by faithful service, to show that your confidence has not been misplaced.

Your Obedient Servant,
BENJ. SHORTLY

January 6th, 1903.

Card of Thanks

To the Electors of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—Permit me to tender my sincere thanks to those who voted for me for the Council on Monday. The fact that I was not a candidate, and was not seeking election, makes my gratitude all the more keen. I may state that I had intended to have my name withdrawn, but overlooked doing so until too late. I have the honor to be, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your Obedient Servant,
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January 6th, 1903.

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Late Veterans

The last week of 1902 brought 1,050 applications to the Crown Lands Department for veterans' land grants. Since the time expired, however, several additional applications have been received.

Lindsay By-Laws

The bylaw voted on in Lindsay on Monday for a grant of two thousand dollars to purchase a site for the Carnegie Public Library was carried. The bylaw to grant forty thousand dollars for good roads was defeated.

T. A. S. Anniversary

The third anniversary of the organization of St. Peter's T.A.S., will be observed to-morrow evening in the T.A.S. rooms when Rev. Father F. J. O'Sullivan, of Lindsay, the organizer of the society, will deliver an address. On Friday evening Mr. Earle will deliver a talk on Shakespeare at the Literary Evening of the Ladies' Reading Circle. The members and friends of the Circle are invited to attend.

Victim of Fever

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Leahy, of Douro, will deeply sympathize with them in the great loss which they have sustained through the death of their son, from scarlet fever. The disease was of a virulent type, and carried the little fellow off in spite of all that physicians could do to prevent it.

Too Many Teachers

In speaking of the over abundance of teachers the Campbellford Herald says: "Although beggarly salaries are paid a great number of teachers in country places, there is an army of them still in the field either without a school or looking for a change of locality. As an evidence of this we find a vacancy in a certain school there were seventy applicants and last week the School Board of Havelock received fifty-one applications for a position in the public school of that village."

Trooper Brace Coming

Trooper Brace, of the Third Mounted Rifles, has been touring Ontario telling his thrilling story of the war, and will be in the Y.M.C.A. Hall on Monday evening, January 12th, under the auspices of the gymnasium classes. Trooper Brace has been greeted with crowded houses everywhere and his story is simply captivating. Lieut. Col. Miller has kindly consented to take the chair at the lecture. Trooper Brace will address the Men's Meeting on the Sunday preceding.

SMALL MONEY

What a Quarter Did

The person who uses the brain and nerves actively needs food to rebuild them and replace the waste, and should not rest on stimulants. Coffee excites these organs so they cannot get the necessary rest and nourishment and steadily tears them down, then other disorders follow.

"I am under a constant nervous strain, as I have 62 girls under my care," writes a school teacher from Knoxville, Tenn.

"I suffered terribly with indigestion and nervousness in its worst form, and paid out hundreds of dollars in doctors' bills. Many of my friends advised me to quit coffee and use your Postum Food Coffee, and I tasted it once and it was something horrible. Some time later I met a friend who wished me to try a cup of Postum and her manner was so convincing that I finally tasted the Postum to please. Great was my astonishment to find it so different from what I had drunk before and I immediately asked how the difference in taste was brought about and I discovered it was simply that the first I had was only boiled a minute or two, whereas 15 minutes boiling brings out the delicious flavor and food value, so I determined to use Postum in the future, following the directions carefully, and have done so ever since.

"My indigestion has entirely left me, my nervousness gone, and I now feel bright and well after the most tiresome day in the school-room. A little 25-cent package of Postum did me more good than the hundreds of dollars I paid for doctors and medicines." Name given by Postum Co. Battle Creek, Mich.

TO-DAY'S ELECTIONS

Full Returns Will Appear in To-morrow Morning's Times

The bye-election in North Norfolk, North Grey and North Perth will appear in to-morrow's issue of The Times. On the result of the election in these constituencies hangs the fate of the Government.

PETERBOROUGH TURF CLUB

What the Canadian Sportsmen Says to The Club

In the Canadian Sportsman of Dec. 19, appears portraits of Mr. R. J. Munro, Treasurer of the Peterborough Turf Club, and Mr. A. Rountree, the Secretary, with the following flattering notices.

The portrait of Mr. Munro is a faithful likeness of a gentleman, who for 11 years was one of the popular hotel keepers of Lakefield and since then he has enjoyed equally popularity in his big hotel at Peterboro'. Aided by his zeal and influence the Peterboro Turf Club has been established, of which he is the Treasurer. The meeting given by them last summer was a thoroughly enjoyable one, and it looks as if the future of the Peterboro Association would be decidedly successful.

Mr. A. Rountree, Secretary of the Peterboro Turf Club, is also a popular hotel keeper. One fond of a good horse and equally fond of all classes of legitimate sport. In the position occupied by him in the Turf Club he is evidently the right man in the right place.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Ex-Mayor F. C. Taylor, of Lindsay, was in town yesterday on business.

—Mr. Sim Morrison, who is at present staying in town at one of the hotels, is a son of a former Mayor of Toronto.

—Mr. A. G. Gillespie, of the firm of White & Gillespie, is in Brockville to-day on business, and will attend the Dairymen's Convention at Ottawa which opens there to-day.

—The many friends in Peterborough of Mr. W. H. Biggar, of Belleville, will be pleased to know that he has been appointed assistant counsel of the Grand Trunk Railway, with his headquarters at Montreal.

—Mr. and Mrs. Rye, and infant child, left on Monday for their home in Toronto, after spending the holiday with Mrs. Rye's mother, Mrs. I. Robinson, town.

—Mr. Fred W. Palmer and son, mason, of Wheatland, N.D., are in town, the guest of Mr. Palmer's sister, Mrs. Geo. W. Hall. Mr. Palmer left Peterborough about 25 years ago and naturally sees a new town where the old one once stood. He is engaged in farming extensively.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Harrington, of Toronto, recently married in the Queen City, are visiting the bride's father, Mr. A. H. Smith, 23 Stewart street. Mr. and Mrs. Harrington leave for Toronto this afternoon via the C.P.R.

C. P. R. LAND SALES

Record Receipts From Sale of Railway Lands

The Canadian Pacific Railway, besides splendid traffic receipts, had heavier receipts last year from land sales than ever before. The sales for the month of December totalled 677,482.61 acres for $1,053,289.45, as against 121,151.16 acres for $408,261.78 in 1901. For the year of 1902 the sales were 2,420,000 acres for $8,140,000, against 681,922 acres for $2,640,000 in 1901. The increase in acreage sold is therefore 1,589,000 acres. The returns not only enrich the Company, but give promise of such development in the Northwest as will add materially to the productive resources and trade of Canada.

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A Five Dollar Bill

On Monday morning when George Cochrane, agent of the Children's Aid Society, opened the door of his residence, he found on the floor a five dollar bill, with the request that it be placed to the credit of the Children's Aid Society. This is not the only money that has come to the Society from anonymous givers. Mr. Cochrane says he has received over $50 in this way during the past fortnight.

Will Leave Peterborough

Mr. J. W. Garvin, who came to Peterborough some years ago to fill the position of local school inspector, and subsequently went into the life assurance, is about to take his departure for Detroit, where he will remain. Mr. Garvin since his coming here has been associated with the local militia, and has also devoted some attention to politics. The fact that West Peterborough is still in the cold shades of opposition in the Ontario house, is no fault of Mr. Garvin, who did his best to win it over to the Conservatives a few years ago, but was short a thousand or so when the votes were counted. His friends in Peterborough will wish him well in his new home.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

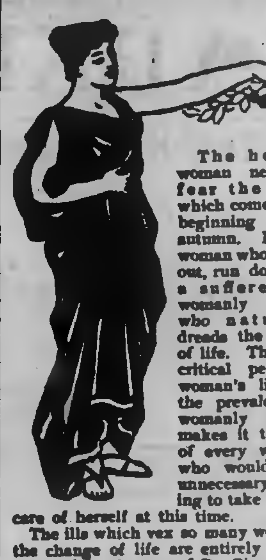
—The light fall of snow yesterday improved the sleighing.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. G. G. Pope, 700 Water street, took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence.

—Yesterday being the Festival of the Epiphany, four masses were celebrated in St. Peter's Cathedral, at 6, 7, 8, (sung by His Lordship the Bishop) 9 and 10 o'clock, the latter being High Mass.

—The members of Court Queen are reminded of the meeting to-morrow night in new hall, over vacant store, formerly occupied by Messrs. Simons & Co.

—The members of the Peterborough Fortnightly Club, and the public in general, are reminded of the lecture under the auspices of the club, to be given in the Y.M.C.A. Hall on Thursday, Jan. 15th, by Hon. J. W. Longley, Attorney-General, of Nova Scotia. Mr. Longley's subject will be "Men I have Met."



The healthy woman need not fear the change which comes as the beginning of life's autumn. It is the woman who is worn out, run down and a sufferer from womanly diseases who naturally dreads the change of life. This is the critical period of woman's life, and the prevalence of womanly diseases makes it the duty of every woman who would avoid unnecessary suffering to take especial care of herself at this time.

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New York, Jan. 7 — The World newspaper makes the following announcement

A few months ago the greatest and most valuable concession ever obtained in Venezuela was taken over by a big Canadian syndicate known as Mackenzie & Mann, a railway and contracting firm. The concession covers a large slice of the famed Itatima gold fields, said to be the richest in the world, and it is a curious turn in the wheel of fortune that it should now be in British hands, for only a short time ago part of its rich grounds by the settlement of that other boundary question between Venezuela and England, was lost to the Orinoco company and passed into British territory.

The concession covers 11,000,000 acres, and on it are great groves of balata rubber trees, besides untold deposits of gold, iron, copper, and many other minerals whose riches, though well proved, have never yet been half uncovered. So far as can be learned to date Barima has gold fields that excel the richness of Alaska and the Youkon sands, and though beneath the blazing tropics, present even greater difficulties of working than do the frozen areas of the north.

Like that other great concession in the same quarter of the globe, the Trinidad concession, it, too, is rich in asphalt, an unusually fine deposit being on the island of Pedernales, which lies within the confines of the Orinoco company's great tract. This asphaltum experts have declared, is much more pure and of higher grade than any of its competitors in the market, being ready in its native state both for the market and for use. The right of working these deposits was granted nearly two years ago to the United States Paving company, a syndicate formed in the United States for the special handling of the Pedernales product, which is run into tankships specially built for the service and carried to New York.

HARD ROAD TO WEALTH.

The whole history of the concession is a strange one. Obtained in the first place by an American named Campbell, he was without the means of developing or working so enormous a project, and so gladly sold his big white elephant to Donald Grant, of Faribault, Minn., a well known capitalist and railway contractor. Then Donald Grant, with T. B. Clement, president of the First National Bank of Faribault, and others, formed a company and became directors of the Orinoco Concession company, with headquarters at Faribault. About 1899 the value of the concession becoming known in New York, a company, of which Fred Corning, of financial fame was to be president, was formed, with offices at No. 11, Broadway. But for some reason these plans never matured.

In the meantime the company was disturbed by the claims of a man named Turnbull, who asserted rights to the Imataca iron mines, which lay within the big concession. This was a small portion of the concession, but the apparent design was in some way to make good a bigger claim than simply that about the iron mines. Turnbull, who, like the others interested, was an American, claimed the title to the Imataca mines by virtue of some right which he asserted had been granted the first husband of his wife. His claim led to a series of small and unimportant suits, settling one petty right or another, sometimes in favor of Turnbull, and sometimes in favor of the Orinoco company.

DISPUTED OWNERSHIP.

But Turnbull was not content with gaining what he sued for, and he procured a most remarkable forgery, in order, so the company declared, to cast a cloud upon its title, with what object can only be surmised.

Investigation soon clearly brought out the fact that the dispute was one of ownership between American citizens, and that Turnbull had no standing as a British citizen. Thus the matter simmered down with the Orinoco company still in possession.

Several times the Venezuelan concessions have been reported as cancelled by this or that dictator or revolutionary chief who has managed to obtain a temporary and unfirm grasp upon the presidential chair. The Trinidad company's concession was so reported several times. The only way in which such rumors could effect these great concessions was by impairing their standing temporarily among the ill-informed. Nevertheless, the Trinidad people took the trouble to prove conclusively that the power of cancellation lay beyond the whim of the dictator or any Venezuelan government.

NO LACK OF MONEY.

Mackenzie & Mann, the new holders of the property, are well known up in Canada as a big contracting firm. Raised to the rank of millionaires by Canadian Pacific railway construction, they have since been prominent in many other fields—street railways in the towns of Canada and the cities of England have been absorbed and rebuilt by them. Mines in different parts of the country have been developed by their men. Best known in New York as the promoters of the second Canadian road across the continent, the Canadian Northern, of which about half is already constructed, they have long had at their back untold sums of British capital ready for investment in whatever enterprise they may undertake.

What may be their intentions in regard to the immediate development of this principality as yet is unknown. They they have been fully impressed with the great value of its products there is no longer doubt. It is quite certain that the concession is one of enormous riches, of incalculable value of untold wealth, but its development is a terrible undertaking. A tropical climate must be faced, hot pestilential and breeding gnats, flies, reptiles and things with wings and stings innumerable. Worked by the natives the richest product amounts to nothing. One hour's work, followed to two hours' rest is the prevailing custom among these people. Magnificent forests, virgin and almost impenetratable, lie waiting for the axe. The rubber trees alone offer fabulous returns, while untold quantities of mahogany and other splendid hardwoods of the tropics await the harvest of the lumberman.

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New, York, Jan. 7—Pictures of the New York of 1910 are beginning to form in the minds of the millions here an especial stimulus having been given to this pleasant occupation by the granting of the franchise for the Pennsylvania railroad's $50,000,000 tunnel across the island of Manhattan.

Enormous sums are to be spent on other improvements in the next seven years. Instead of one bridge, there will be three or four across the East River to Brooklyn. Underground trains will be rushing about from one end of the island to the other. The immense terminal station of the Pennsylvania, covering four blocks, and closing streets will be completed long before 1910.

A dozen great new hotels will be built and probably the beautiful Theater of the Nation which Richard Mansfield hopes to see established and endowed, with himself as the presiding genius. Thousands more of homes or dwellings will have been crowded off the island by business or apartment dwellings, and there will be several additions to the number of vast department stores. Wanamaker's will cover two full blocks, instead of one, as now, and be the largest. It will have a special entrance from a connection with the underground railrailroad. Ten-story schoolhouses, steel, glass and iron sky-scrapers, with nothing but the books to burn, are among the possibilities forced into consideration by the fearful jamming together of people on the island of Manhattan. A few old, neglected, neighborhoods away down near the down town business centres, within walking distance of the city hall, may be restored to some of their former favor by the erection of elegant apartment houses in the place of the old dilapidated mansions. Real estate men, mindful of the frightful jams on the elevated lines and the surface cars, and having doubts as to much relief when the underground trains begin to run, are very seriously considering suggestions from would-be tenants to make the experiment of apartments at $40 to $100 a month in several good old downtown centres of fashion 60 years ago, overlooked in the mad rush of homeseekers uptown. The crush on the elevated has simply become unbearable at certain hours, and something must be done to relieve it.

And so it will be, the New York of 1910—a shapeless, disorderly mass of towering business blocks, apartment houses, hotels, vast stores, enormous railroad stations, elevated and underground trains, its streets, mostly narrow, crowded with traffic; its millions of wokrers, high and low, pouring in each morning over bridges, on ferries, underground, overhead and on the ground, choking the narrow lanes between the tall office buildings until they are nearly all stowed away in them. Then pouring out for luncheon and back again, then rushing, hordes and myriads of them, to their apartments, boarding houses, hotels, and homes, up town and in Brooklyn, Hoboken, Jersey City, and the hundreds of suburbs in all directions. Some persons predict a population of 15,000,000 for New York and its suburbs within twenty years after the Pennsylvania and other tunnels are completed, and projected great increases in facilities for rushing crowds in and out of town, to and from business are completed. If this prediction is correct, the congestion of human beings at certain points in New York at certain hours or on the occasion of some great public demonstration, will be something terrible to contemplat.

The project of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's new station is typical of New York in 1910. The station, four entire squares, will rise fourteen stories, and the squares are much larger than blocks in Minneapolis. The station proper being all underground, all the vast structure above the ground will be at the company's disposal for other purposes. Besides offices of the road there will be, among other things, a hotel, a theatre, a roof garden and a concert hall. Work on this monster epitome and sample of New York of 1910 will begin at once.

Unless the unexpected happens, and some Vanderbilt, Rockfeller or Morgan builds a palace to outstrip all others, Andrew Carnegie will have the greatest residence in the New York of 1910. The mansion is now virtually completed. It occupies half a block. The ground extends from street to street on Fifth avenue, but only half way from Fifth avenue to Madison avenue. The plot is not more than half as large as that of the Washburn residence in Minneapolis, and yet not even the Cornelius Vanderbilt mansion at the Plaza occupies as much land. That has a frontage from fifty-seventh to Fifty-eighth street on Fifth avenue, but its depth is about half that of Mr. Carnegie's plot. Along the side of Mr. Carnegie's land, and towards Fifth avenue, extends the house, a rectangular structure of brick, chiefly, about four stories high. It is rather plain, though imposing. In front of it is his wide lawn and some trees, evergreens, flowering shrubs, and other ornaments, a pretty place in summer for a garden party, with Central park just across the street. The house stands on the highest point of Fifth avenue and the liberal use of the most expensive residence real estate in the world proclaims to New Yorkers who well know the enormous value, that the owners must have millions that he does not need.

Boers Show Passive Loyalty

They Cannot Grasp the South African Situation from a British Standpoint

London, Jan. 7.—With reference to the attitude of the Boer leaders towards the visit of Colonial Secretary Chamberlain, the Times correspondent at Pretoria says that they have so far shown no more than passive loyalty which Mr. Chamberlain referred to during his visit to Natal. They cannot grasp the situation from a British standpoint. There still remains a feeling that they have handed over the country to British Government and are consequently entitled to have few requests granted. British sacrifices have been persistently ignored, the correspondent continues, and the Boers cannot see the disinterested nobility of British action in settling the country hitherto. The Boer leaders do not seem to recognize the futility of trying to reopen negotiations on the basis which might have been tenable before the war. Mr. Chamberlain has held out the hand of friendship consistently since his arrival in South Africa, but any attempt to reopen the Vereeniging conference will only postpone the settlement of the country. On the whole, however, the correspondent believes that it may be expected that the Boer deputation which will wait on Mr. Chamberlain will be less importunate and more amendable to reason than the Boer leaders were in London.

Constantinople, Jan. 8.—Great Britain's protest against the permission granted in September last to four unarmed Russian torpedo boat destroyers to pass through the Dardanelles into the Black Sea, under the commercial flag of Russia, will, it is believed, be followed by similar action on the part of Austria-Hungary and Italy, while Germany and France will remain aloof. Germany's aloofness is in consonance with her traditional policy not to embarrass the Porte, while France, naturally, abstains from acting against the interests of her ally, Russia.

London, Jan. 8.—Approval of the action of the British Ambassador at Constantinople is being shown here, since he protested against the passage of four Russian torpedo boats through the Dardanelles. It is merely farcical for the St. Petersburg Government to contend that the vessels were stripped of their armament and carrying a commercial flag, were thus entirely changed in character. This is not the first time that evasions of the same kind have been practised, and on similar pretexts. Warships, when smuggled through the Straits are represented by the Russian authorities either as harmless merchantmen or transports conveying home time-expired troops. There can be no doubt that such expedients are in conflict with the spirit of the convention of 1856 and the treaty of 1871.

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THREE LIBERALS ELECTED IN THE BYE-ELECTIONS

A Clean Sweep in the Three Constituencies by the Ross Government Yesterday

Mr. Ross Now Has a Majority of Five Members in the House

The Liberals are Everywhere Jubilant, While the Conservatives are Dejected

The bye-elections yesterday resulted in a complete victory for the Ross Government, all their constituencies going Liberal. This was unexpected, even by the friends of the Government, who hoped only to secure two out of the three seats. The parties now stand as follows:

Total number of members	98
Ministerialists	51
Opposition	46
Seats vacant	1

It will be seen from the above that Mr. Ross has now a majority of five, which will probably be increased to six when the vacancy in North Renfrew is filled. This would give the Government a clear majority of five after providing a speaker.

At the general elections in May the result was as follows:

North Norfolk, Conservative, majority 23.

North Perth, Conservative, majority 2.

North Grey, Ministerial, majority 5.

THE LATEST RETURNS

Toronto, Jan. 8, 2 a.m.—The following is the result of the polling yesterday:

NORTH NORFOLK, Little, (Liberal) has 55 majority, with 2 places to hear from.

NORTH GREY, McKay, (Liberal) has 278 majority.

NORTH PERTH, Brown, (Liberal) has over 161 majority.

ANOTHER LITTLE WAR FOR BRITAIN

Emir of Kano May Give King Edward Some Trouble

Britain's Splendid Work for Mankind in Policing the World

London, Jan. 6—England will soon have another war on its hands, and it may prove to be as difficult an undertaking as the operations against the Mad Mullah. The Emir of Kano, one of the important Mohammedan rulers in North Nigeria has recently given many evidences of hostility to the British and a force will soon be sent against him.

The base of operations will be at Zaria—about 150 miles southwest of Kano—where there is a strong garrison. It is estimated that between 400 and 600 troops of the West Africa frontier force will be employed.

The Emir of Kano has large forces of horsemen at his command and severe fighting is possible. As early as October he began to make preparations for hostilities. His capital is surrounded by an ancient wall, forty feet high and fifteen miles in circuit.

His capital is about 250 miles south west of the city of Sokoto. Kano Province is estimated to contain half a million inhabitants, and has, from its beauty and wealth, been called the "Garden of Central Africa." The capital has a population of 30,000.

It has always been foreseen that, as the British effective occupation of the country advanced northward to the Anglo-French boundary, the powerful emirs of Sokoto, Kano and Gano would have to be dealt with, but it was hoped that they would quietly acquiesce in the new order of things. In case of Sokoto and Kano, there has been no evidence of friendliness. The Emir of Gando, who is the second most important Mohammedan ruler, has recently promised that his country country would be kept open to all.

APSLEY.

—For the first time in the history of the world—I mean the Apsley world—the Reeve and Councillors were elected by acclamation, while Chandos was in the midst of an exciting contest for the Reeveship, the first since the Township became a municipality, with the result that Mr. D. S. Campbell is elected to fill the chair for the ensuing year.

—We are having an epidemic of measles up here. Quite a number of the grown people have them as well as the children. It broke out in the lumber camps, but so far there has been no serious results.

—Weddings are the order of the day. Mr. Henry Hubble and Miss Mary Campbell, of Chandos, were married on Christmas Eve; Thos. Staples, of Burleigh, and Miss Effie Gerard, of Chandos, on New Year's eve; Andrew Pattison and Miss Julia Hales on New Year's Day—a good beginning for the year, and we wish them all happiness.

—The village population is increasing—Mr. Fred. Young was presented with a fine young son on New Year's morning.

The new church boasts of a bell, which was put in place in the tower on New Years day, and will perhaps bring the faithful to service on time. Just the same, it's hard for the members of another church here to be on time, although the bell rings promptly but one member was early on Christmas morning to the surprise of Burleigh.

The stores are doing a rushing business; Tommy is kept busy hauling up goods from Lakefield and Peterboro, and is keeping up to the times.

—There is some talk of building a new post office as the present accommodations are limited.

—The boys who were home from camp for the holidays, have nearly all returned to work again. Wages are good.

—Timber of all kinds is in great demand; Messrs. Lillicrap & Tait, and the Rathbun Co. are buying all kinds giving good prices.

—The Band of Hope will give their annual entertainment Thursday evening, 8th inst.

TWINS NOT BORN IN SAME YEAR

One Came on December 31, 1902, and the Other on Jan. 1, 1903

Chicago, Jan. 7.—A difference of about three hours in the birth of sisters has led to the strange situation of twins having birthdays on different days and different years. Mr. and Mrs. John Stift, 120 Sheffield avenue, are the parents of the twins, and every one in the neighborhood is commenting on the curious circumstance. One of the twins was born at 10.30 p.m. on the last day of December, 1902, and about an hour and a half after midnight the second child was born! Her birthday is therefore January 1, 1903.

THE STREET RAILWAY

A Representative of American Capitalists Making Inspection

A gentleman, representing American capitalists, is in town, inspecting the roadbed and plant of the street railway, with a view to its purchase. To a Times reporter he said that there was nothing for publication. He refused to disclose his name, and simply said that he was here in the interests of gentlemen living in the United States, who would probably purchase the property if satisfactory arrangements could be made.

Mr. Shook, President of the Company, drove the visitor to Chemong Park, and other points. It is to be hoped that so valuable property will not long remain dormant.

A SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR

Was the Dance Given by the C. D. A. in the Forester's Hall

One of the most successful social events of the season was the dance given in the Foresters' Hall, Simcoe street, on Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the C.D.A. There was about 100 young people present, the married people being confined to the patronesses and their husbands. Mr. Harry Long, with his usual ability, successfully catered. The handsome hall was tastefully decorated

The patronesses were: Mrs. R. H. Bradburn, Mrs. E. M. Pousett, Mrs. R. R. Hall, Mrs. T. A. S. Hay and Mrs. A. H. Stratton. The Hon. Secretary of the dance was Mr. George B. Revell.

ELEPHANT KILLING

Topsy the Terror of the Zoo Was Electrocuted—She Weighed Four Ton

New York, Jan. 7—Several hundred people witnessed the execution yesterday by electricity at Coney Island of "Topsy," an elephant who had killed three men and had recently become unmanageable. Immediately after 200 grains of cyanide of potassium concealed in a carrot had been administered a current of 6,600 votes was turned on through copper plates on which the elephant stood. Almost instantly the elephant fell, and at the end of ten seconds, when the current was turned off, was pronounced to be dead. An autopsy showed that the poison had not had time to take effect. The execution was conducted under the supervision of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. "Topsy" was about 35 years old and was the first baby elephant exhibited in the United States, she being brought there by Adam Forepaugh 28 years ago. She was nearly ten feet high and weighed about four tons.

IRISH LAND CONFERENCE

Meeting Between Tenants and Landlords was Harmonious

London, Jan. 7—The report of the conference between Irish landlords and tenants has been issued. The proceedings were very harmonious. The report, which is signed by Lord Dunraven, the chairman; John Redmond, M.P.; William O'Brien, M.P., and all the other members of the conference, declares that the only satisfactory solution of the land question is the abolition of dual ownership and the substitution of an occupying proprietary.

It is proposed that an equitable price be paid to selling owners, based on their incomes as represented by "second term" rents, this proposal being aimed to induce sellers to continue residing in Ireland. Other inducements are also specified. The report recommends a method of payment for purchasing tenants which will secure a reduction of from 15 to 25 per cent in rents. It advises State help in order to enable new occupiers to start well, and to pay their installments as they fall due.

Other recommendations deal with evicted tenants and the housing of laborers.

London, Jan. 7—Though British emigration returns are admittedly defective it is noteworthy, that those issued today for the past 12 months indicate increased emigration to Canada of 60 per cent., the totals being 1902, 67,712; 1901, 42,20[illegible].

Emigration to the United States increased 23 per cent., and to South Africa, 25 per cent. Emigration to Australia declined 2 per cent.

WEATHER NOTES

you have shown to me by chatinging me Strong northwest winds; mostly fair and cold.

AMERICA IS ADVISED TO PREPARE FOR WAR

Senator Elkins Says That Fifty More Battleships are Needed by United States

New York, Jan. 7—A Washington despatch is as follows:

"We should build 50 more battle ships before we talk about paring down our naval appropriations," said Senator Elkins today, while discussing the proposed expansion of the navy in connection with the Venezuelan situation. "We should make liberal provision for four or five new battle ships at the present session, and, if I understand the sentiment among the members of the Senate, we are going to get a substantial increase.

"I do not wish to pose as an alarmist," continued Senator Elkins, "nor do I pretend to be familiar with the diplomatic and court intrigues of Europe. As a practical business man, however, I know that Germany is a bold, aggressive and progressive nation. Germany believes in expansion of territory, as well as broadening her commerce, and she has built a large navy and maintains a large standing army to look after her interests in all parts of the world.

"It is idle for us to close our eyes to the possibility that we may, sooner, or later, become involved in a war with one of the great Powers of Europe, as a result of our new policy of territorial expansion. We might as well look the situation squarely in the face and be prepared to defend our interests and assert our rights in all parts of the world."

TWO GAMES SATURDAY

T. A. S. PLAY AT BOBCAYGEON AND VARSITY PLAYS INTERMEDIATE COLTS HERE

The Peterborough seniors and juniors turned out in good numbers last night at the Brock street rink, and chased the puck.

The T.A.S. will take a strong team to Bobcaygeon on Saturday that will give a good account of themselves. A number of supporters will accompany the team.

TUESDAY'S HOCKEY SCORES.

O.H.A. Intermediate.			
Barrie	7	Midland	4
St. George's II	8	Wellesleys	3
W.O.H.A. Intermediate.			
Berlin	8	Waterloo	2
Preston	7	Milton	3
Elora won from Guelph by default.			
Toronto Bank League.			
Toronto	13	Imperial	5
Northery Hockey League.			
Listowel	11	Harriston	6
Exhibition.			
Belleville	16	Varsity	3

Belleville, Jan. 7.—Belleville's O.H.A. intermediate team played all around Varsity last night in the exhibition game played here. The Collegians played a pretty game enough, but they could not skate fast enough to keep up their end, and the heavy locals banged them around almost at will. In the first half the play was more even, the score at half-time being 6 to 1, but in the second half the college boys hardly had a look in at all, the final score being 16 to 3. The teams were:

Varsity—Carruth, goal; Evans, point; Wright, cover point; Housser, rover; Wood, center; Dillabough, Caulfield, wings.

Belleville—Winchester, goal; Wallace, point; Brown, cover point; McGuire, rover; Burrows, center; Marks, Kennedy, wings.

Referee—Ernie Ford.

Ayr, W.O.H.A. team defaulted to Galt Tuesday night, owing to the senseless smallpox scare. A Preston team substituted. Galt won, 10—4.

Probably a course in hockey might be added to the Varsity curriculum with advantage.

Belleville now wants to play hockey with McGill. They have beaten both Queen's and Varsity, the Intercollegiate Union seniors, and want to make it a clean sweep.

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APPENDICITIS CASES

Extraordinary Number of Patients in England Since King was Sick

London, Jan. 6—The busiest men this Christmas have been the doctors. There has been a great deal more influenza about than has been known in December before, because the influenza fiend does not usually make a determined attack till the turn of the year.

But people in high life, at any rate, are more concerned at the prevalence of appendicitis than of influenza. Since the King had it, or rather what is called perityphlitis, it is extraordinary the number of people who have been attacked.

A physician, in speaking about this recently, said: "The idea that appendicitis is merely a fashionable disease, like many a popular notion, is quite a fallacy. It is an ailment which is prevalent at the present time among both rich and poor. Nor is the general belief that it is a new disease manufactured by modern surgeons any more correct.

"Only recently, during some excavations in Egypt a mummy was brought to light upon which the doctors made further excavations. At this strange post-mortem it was discovered that the cause of death, at least two thousand years before, must have been appendicitis."

As to the cause the doctor told me strange things, as that appendicitis may sometimes be caused by the imagination.

There is not the least doubt that appendicitis is increasing by leaps and bounds. A glance through the reports of three of London's hospitals—St. Thomas', St. Bartholomew's and Guy's—reveals a state of affairs which looks rather alarming. In 1890 only thirty-eight cases of appendicitis were treated, but in the year 1900 there were 382 cases treated at these hospitals. Out of these 382 cases only ten had fatal outcomes after the patients were surgically treated.

Sir Frederick Treves, the greatest authority on the subject, has performed more than one hundred consecutive operations successfully. There seems therefore no reason for the fears of a gentleman mentioned in an article in the Guy's Hospital Gazette. This unfortunate individual is occasionally seized with violent attacks of colic when he is unable to give a coherent account of his condition. He has therefore had written across his body in indelible ink, "Please don't operate, as I have had my appendix removed three times."

FIFTY MILLIONS IN A MERGER

New Yorkers in Control of Country's Great Electric Plants

MORE THAN FIFTY PLANTS

Niagara Falls and the Soo are Embraced in the Big combine—James J. Hill is in it

New York, Jan. 6.—New York men now have acquired control of the greater electric power plants of the United States and Canada, says the Herald.

According to the census the total electric power in America in 1900 was 311,016 horse power. Great additions have been made since. The additions on the American side of Niagara Falls are 65,000 and 60,000 horse-power plants, to be installed as fast as each 5,000 horse-power unit is completed probably by next August. On the Canadian side 110,000 horse-power is in process of construction for 1904 by one company, and 60,000 horse-power for another company at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., 67,000 additional horse-power has just been turned on.

At Niagara Falls the financial support of the Niagara Falls Power Company and the Canadian Niagara Falls Power Company is furnished by New York capitalists.

At the Soo the Michigan Lake Superior Power Company, with 67,000 horse-power on the Michigan side, and the Algoma Company, Commercial, Ltd., with 20,000 horse-power on the Ontario side, are owned by New York men.

The Great Falls, Mont., Electric Power Company is backed by J. P. Morgan and James J. Hill.

In California the longest electric transmission system in the world is largely financed by a New York capitalist, and the Pike's Peak Power Company, of Colorado, is largely owned by New Yorkers.

In addition there are upwards of fifty electric power plants, operated by turbine water wheels, having a total of 1,500 miles of circuit, in which New York has heavy financial interest. An estimate of $50,000,000 is believed to be the minimum of New York's investment in electric power plants.

GREAT BRITAIN LOOKS FOR CANADIAN BOOM

London Daily Express Says Things will Take a Spurt

London, January 7 — The financial writers of the daily papers report the feeling inside the stock market as bullish as ever. Regarding Canada, the Daily Express says there is a general talk of a smart spurt for things Canadian during the spring.

London, Jan. 7 — The British Board of Agriculture is awaiting the issue of the Argentine decree, enforcing the new Argentine laws in regard to cattle disease.

When the decree was issued, the board expected to place Argentine cattle on the same footing as Canadian. There is no sign of the board yielding to the Canadian demands for the free entry of store cattle.

Cook's Sentence May Be Commuted

Ottawa January 6.—Council yesterday considered the report of the Minister of Justice, on the case of Cook, the Halifax murderer. An enormous petition in favor of commutation has been received, and it is understood favorably considered [illegible] ment can be made until [illegible] leany's pleasure in the matter [illegible] learned, but it is [illegible] sentence will be [illegible]

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LEMON JUICE OR BOILED WATER IN PREVENTING TYPHOID?

The press of the United States, in a recent despatch emanating from Chicago declares that the Health Department of the typhoid centre, after careful experiments extending over three days, has discovered that "lemon juice kills typhoid." This may or may not be true. Three days is a very brief period in which to demonstrate a scientific fact. The announcement is probably premature. The improved David Crockett maxim, which is "be sure you are right, then sit down and think it over," might serve a good purpose as a motto upon the walls of the chamber in the Health Department's office.

Unless based upon a positive demonstration, this announcement is fraught with great danger. Even should lemon juice be capable of destroying the germ of typhoid fever, but few can afford the costly preventive. The poor would still have to look elsewhere for a prophylactic. Fortunately, they have it, for the cheapest, simplest and safest way to prevent fever is to drink only water which has been boiled.

If the Chicago Board of Health, or the responsible authorities in that or every other community which is supplied with polluted water would see to it that the heads of the family were impressed with the importance of this measure they would come nearer fulfilling their obligations to the public. The health inspectors should go from house to house warning the inmates of the danger threatening, and should show them how to avoid it.

There is not a single sound objection to drinking boiled water, for it has lost no nutritive value, and any unpleasant taste which it may have is due to the fact that it is boiled or afterward stored in an unclean or unsuitable vessel. It is preferrable to boil the water in a kettle lined with porcelain or enamel, but when this is not convenient, the question of taste should not be considered when compared to the absolute safety which is secured by using pure water. There is no other sure method of doing away with typhoid fever and the sooner the human family realizes this fact the better.

GOOD OR BAD MONEY

What is good and what is bad money? "Carnegie, Rockfeller, Rhodes, made rich by corrupt bargains with office-holders, monopoly of oil wells and pipe lines, control of law courts and politicians, avoidance of taxes, ruthless crushing of independent dealers, control of markets by trusts, tariff protection purchased—is it safe and good to take charity from such men as these?" is the question John A. Hobson, the English Economist, asked of the Philadelphia Society for Ethical Culture. Mr. Hobson continued: "The fact that these millionaires give us great bequests should not keep us from tracing the origin of their wealth. Most of the wealth of today is wrung from the people. Force, luck and cunning, are its chief sources. The churches are foremost in condoning this kind of philanthropy."

In a talk to teachers in Milwaukee Dr. John Bascom, formerly president of the University of Wisconsin, said: "I never go near the divinity school in Chicago without wanting to tell them what I think of their accepting money made by the underselling of poor men, crowding them out of business and immediately raising the price of wares; accepting, I say, this money out of the ruin of good and honest tradesmen, and trying to train young men to the gospel with this money and under the influence of such men."

Of course there shouldn't be any bad money, but if there is the question whether good should be or can be done with it is decidedly interesting and important. It is better for a University to be poor and honest than rich and lacking in moral tone. If a man has robbed the people perhaps he doesn't clear himself by founding churches, libraries, universities or hospitals. But should a robber's money be refused by those who will try to do good with it if they take it? As long as we haven't reached a stage of development in which there are no robbers and as long as robbers will rob, should they be allowed, either in repentance or benevolence, to give back some of their stealings? We pause for a reply.

AN IMPORTANT MATTER

The legislature of Victoria, one of the States of the new Commonwealth of Australia, has taken action on a matter which is becoming important in several countries. It has passed a bill, proposed by the government, for the separate representation of public employes. As Victoria owns and operates its railroads, it has many thousands of employes, including those in departments of the government, other than the railroad department. In some countries public employes are deprievd of the privilege of voting on the ground that they should not be in a position both to control wages and to receive wages. The idea is that if employes have votes they may decide the election of representatives, and thus in effect be in a position to vote themselves wages. Victoria does not take the extreme course of disfranchising "public servants"—as they are called there—but prevents them from voting in several districts where they would influence a great many elections. By combining they could get, it was supposed, an excessive number of representatives elected to voice their special interests, whereas under the act just passed they will vote for such a number of candidates at large as is in proportion to the number of public employes. If 10,000, for example, is the average number of voters for one representative and there are 20,000 public employes, they will have two representatives in the legislature and will be powerless to influence greatly other representatives than their own.

It may yet become necessary in the United States to do something to to check the election and control of representatives by public employes.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

A Chicago Dutchman who joked with a young woman about marrying her, had to pay $2,500 for the little pleasantry and is unable to see where the laugh comes in. Still, it might have cost him a great deal more if he had been in earnest and married her.

GERMAN MARINES LANDED

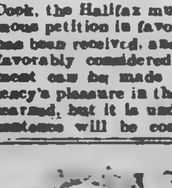
Held Puerto Cabello Wharves While Ships are Seized

Caracas, Jan 6—Just about daybreak this morning 150 armed marines from the German warships Vineta and Gazelle were landed at Puerto Cabello and occupied the wharves. Commodore Sheder, the commander of the German fleet, sent a note to the American Consul informing him that the occupation was only for the purpose of protecting a force which was to seize Venezuelan ships which had taken refuge inside the harbor. This was to make the blockade effective.

The marines reembarked at 8.30 o'clock after their comrades had captured seven sloops, seven schooners, eight small boats and taken them to sea. The captured vessels are worth about $40,000.

Cook's Sentence May Be Commuted

Ottawa January 6.—Council yesterday considered the report of the Minister of Justice, on the case of Cook, the Halifax murderer. An enormous petition in favor of commutation has been received, and it is understood, favorably considered. No announcement can be made until His Excellency's pleasure in the matter has been learned, but it is understood that the sentence will be commutated.



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"Is it possible!" exclaimed Florence, with a start.

"Yes, it is true, and Sir Wilfred told me also that Lord Devon had cherished a desire to unite one of his recently deceased grandchildren to Cecil, that his title and his large private fortune might descend undivided to his next of kin. His other descendants being dead, you can guess what may happen when he sees you, Florence."

Florence blushed and smiled.

"He will wish to marry me to Cecil Courtenaye," she said, quickly.

"Yes," he answered, watching her keenly.

"My grandfather will not find me averse to cherished desire," she said, demurely.

"I thought you disliked him, Florence," he said, quickly.

"I lied to you just now," she answered, unblushingly. "I love Cecil Courtenaye, but his indifference to me has piqued me beyond measure. I will win him now, if it is in woman's wiles to do it. What you have just told me is but an added incentive to me to hold my position against all the world. I hate her now," she added, turning a vindictive look toward the still form lying on the bed.

Mr. Aylesford smiled at the vehemence.

"I am glad to find you so determined," he said. "With such a brave will you cannot fail to succeed. But it is worth a great effort to win such a fortune and such a husband. With such a prize in view you will not stickle at anything, will you, my dear?"

"No," she breathed, in a cautious whisper.

"That is well, my dear. I will aid and abet you all I can. You will owe me a heavy debt of gratitude for all I have undertaken and accomplished in your behalf. Can you pledge yourself to reward me properly?"

"You shall be richly repaid—never fear," she answered promptly.

"That is what I want. I shall follow you to England very soon. But we will speak of this again before we leave. At present I will retire, and leave you to keep watch over yonder little spitfire."

Florence turned such a significant look toward the bed that he shook his head warningly.

"Not now, my dear," he whispered, softly. "That affair will wait a little longer. I will attend to it myself."

He tiptoed across the room and went softly out. Then Florence turned around, and saw Hilda rising up in the bed and looking fixedly at her.

"What!" she said, trying to speak unconcernedly," are you waking up, Hilda?"

"I have never been asleep yet," said Hilda, with perfect calmness. "I was very drowsy, but your whispering disturbed me so that I could not sleep."

"Did— did you hear what we were talking of?" demanded Florence, falteringly.

"I did not listen— I did not care to hear," said Hilda, speaking with the languid calmness and gentle serenity of one under the influence of an opiate, "I was wishing all the while that you would stop and let me go to sleep. It was very annoying."

"Well, you can go to sleep now — there is nothing to disturb you further," said her cousin, shortly.

But Hilda was staring at her with wide, wondering eyes.

"Florry," she said, abruptly, "how did I get out of that burning house? I do not remember coming out again."

"Cecil Courtenaye went after you and carried you out unconscious. You must have perished in there but for his timely aid," said Florence, reluctantly.

"I owe my life to Cecil Courtenaye, then," said Hilda, dropping back on the pillow, with a long and bitter sigh. "And I would rather owe it to any one else on earth than him!"

"You owe him no gratitude," answered Florence, carelessly. "It was but a canceled debt. You saved his life, and he has saved yours in return. You are quits now."

"I did not believe he had that much manhood in him," said Hilda, musingly. "I thought him a mere white-handed, haughty trifler. I shall think better of him hereafter."

Florence made no answer. It annoyed her that Cecil Courtenaye was gaining ground in the good opinion of Hilda. She turned away and busied herself in preparing a second draught of her sleeping potion, and offered it to her with a great show of hypocritical kindness.

"Take your medicine, dear," she said. "It will put you to sleep. I am sorry my idle whispering with your father disturbed you, but I will be as still as a mouse now while you take your nap."

"I see no need for you to sit up with me, Florence," answered Hilda, as she drained the glass obediently. "You may go to bed and leave me. I shall go to sleep and not need your attention."

Florence was always selfish, and though she knew that Hilda was really too unwell to be left alone, she took her dismissal very gladly, and went away to her room, and was soon fast asleep.

As soon as she was gone Hilda sat up in the bed with a look of terror and fear on her pale face.

A few words of that whispered conversation in her room had reached her, and filled her with terror and dread.

She knew that she stood in Florence Aylesford's way, and that her life was menaced by the cruel man who had struck and maltreated her that night.

She comprehended that her suspicions were true, and that she, Hilda, was indeed the grandchild of Lord Devon, and that Florence had been fraudulently substituted in her place.

But she also comprehended how utterly futile and dangerous it would be for her to make any attempt to prove her rights.

A vague thought darted into her mind that she might appeal to Sir Wilfred Hale, or Cecil Courtenaye, to help her, but she dismissed the idea the next moment. She believed that they would laugh at any assertion made with no more proof to support it than she had at command.

Mrs. L'Estrange was the only one she could think of in this trying hour as a friend, and she, alas! was dead —buried in the heap of smoking ruins across the green lawn yonder.

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ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
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COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

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2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 tons of ore above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

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OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

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July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6⅔ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
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Summary—The reaction, such as it was, came today. It was very slight and declines met with a lively buying demand. Sugar ran counter current to the general trend, advancing quite sharply, selling up to 132 1-2. Ill. Central was a *firm feature*, and looks like going higher. The resistance of prices to any setbacks is remarkable, and illustrates as strongly the current upward movement. We remain decidedly bullish upon the situation and continue to advocate the purchase of stocks. Money closed 3 per cent. Sales 1,027,300. To-morrow's letter, "Two notable bargains."

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

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An At Home To-Night

The Canadian Order of Chosen Friends will give an At Home this evening at their hall. All members are requested to attend. R. E. Harding, Recorder.

Two Keys Lost

A ring holding two small keys lost yesterday between the Times Bookstore and the Post office. The finder will be rewarded by leaving them at The Times office.

Some Fine Horses

Mr. W. J. Pearson, the well known horse buyer, is in town, and has purchased a lot of very fine horses. Two cars of these animals will be shipped to Montreal to-day or to-morrow, and another probably on Saturday. The animals are of the heavy draught species.

The Fortnightly Club

The public are reminded of the lecture under the auspices of the Fortnightly Club, to be given in the Y.M.C.A. Hall on Thursday, January 15th, by Hon. J. W. Longley, Attorney-General of Nova Scotia. Mr. Longley's subject will be "Men I Have Met."

A Coming Treat

It will be pleasing news to many of our readers to learn that the Ancient Order of United Workmen have announced their intention of putting on a high-class entertainment in the opera house on the evening of Friday, January 23rd, at which the following well known artists will appear: Mr. Harold Jarvis, baritone; Miss Edna Sutherland, elocutionist; Miss Lillian Calder Stock, soprano, and Mr. J. H. Cameron, humorist. Further particulars will be announced later.

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Mr. Batten's Thanks

Through a stupid blunder of our typesetting machine, the card of thanks which appeared in yesterday's Times over the signature of Ald. Batten, was addressed only to the male electors. It should also have been addressed to the ladies, for the worthy gentleman owes much to the fair sex of Peterborough, who have always favored him with their votes. Indeed we might add, in a whisper of course, that Mr. Batten is a ladies' man of a pronounced type, and when this g.f.l. accidentally slighted them as above, our attention was promptly called to the omission by the Alderman. We accordingly tender both the ladies and Mr. Batten our humble apologies.

The Time Extended

The Rev. J. G. Potter, secretary of the local Branch Bible Society, desires to call the attention of friends and collectors to the fact that the Society's year closed December 31st. Owing to the change, some little inconvenience has been caused just for this year, and therefore, a further period of two or three weeks may be taken to finish the canvass. All returns should be in the hands of the local Treasurer, Mr. John Crane, Ontario Bank, on or before January 31st. To branches outside the Peterborough branch the same is applicable —only let the collectors make returns to their own local treasurers, so that all moneys may be forwarded to Toronto by the 31st January. It is earnestly hoped that all Christian people will assist in this great and good work.

FRAUD ON THE MARKET

To the Editor of The Times.

Sir,—I would like to call the attention of our Council to the manner in which the public are being fleeced by farmers in the purchase of their firewood, not only from the extortionate prices they charge for the same by taking advantage of the unfortunate coal strike, but also in the measurement thereof. I bought a load of stove wood the other day, which was piled in the usual way, by two tiers across the sleigh which they call four feet. By actual measurement of a sample stick, it was fourteen inches, which, as you will readily see, that even three lengths would not make four feet. It will thus be seen that while I bought a cord I got less than two-thirds of a cord, or by actual measurement a cord of wood thus sold for $7 would cost $12 per cord, which at a normal price would be worth but $6 per cord. A pretty state of things with so many poor in our midst. I believe that there is a by-law in force compelling the Market Clerk to measure all wood. Let our Councillors fulfill their ante-election promises, and among other things, see that this abuse is rectified.

JUSTICE.

Peterborough, January 8.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of the West Peterborough Agricultural Society January 21st

The annual meeting of the West Peterborough Agricultural Society will be held in the town council chamber of Wednesday, January 21st, when officers will be elected for the ensuing year, and the future of the society fully considered. It is requested that there should be a large attendance of members.

ELECTED OFFICERS

Annual Meeting of the Peterborough Fire Brigade

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Fire Brigade for the election of officers, was held Tuesday night. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Assistant Chief—J. Haggart.
1st Lieutenant—W. Turner.
2nd. Lieutenant—A. Moore.
Secretary—J. Metheral.
Treasurer—J. Gibbs.

ELECTIONS ELSEWHERE

CAVAN.

Reeve—McNeill.
Councillors—Shaw, Berry, Kelly and Staples.

SOUTH MONAGHAN.

Reeve—Buckham.
Councillors—Greer, Jackson, Laing and Robinson.

NORTH MONAGHAN.

Reeve—J. Madill.
Councillors—Jonathan Smith, Robt. Fowler, J. Morrow and John Brown.

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Councillors—Tucker, Wigg, Lane and Dunsford.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. Percy Jamieson, son of Mr. F. J. Jamieson, Harvey street, will leave to-day for his home in the North-West.

—The Times had a pleasant call yesterday from Councillor Ed. Wigg, of Burleigh, who was down on business.

—Miss Lillian L. Trimm left last night for Ottawa, after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Driscoll terrace.

—Prof. John Moore and Mrs. Moore, of Crookston, Minn., are the guests of his brother, Mr. T. J. Moore, No. 3, Homewood avenue.

—Yesterday Mr. J. Manson, Superintendent of the C.P.R., Toronto, was in town on business, and gave The Times a friendly call.

—Mr. W. Pring, of Gladstone, Man., formerly of Haliburton, is visiting in town. Mr. Pring has been engaged in farming, and has been very successful.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Don't forget the hockey march Saturday night.

—The Christmas Tree and Cantata, which was to have been held last night, under the auspices of All Saints' Sunday school, has been postponed until the 22nd and 23rd instant.

—Preparatory Service will be held on Friday night, January 9th, at 8 o'clock. Subject—Luke 22:15, "With desire I have desired to eat this passover unto you before I suffer."

—A meeting of the Executive of the Prohibitory Union is called for Saturday afternoon at 2 p.m. for the settling of all accounts incurred during the recent referendum campaign, and for other business affecting the temperance conditions of the country.

—The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed in St. Andrew's church next Sabbath, January 11th, at the morning service.

A SOLDIER FOUND

What He Had Looked For 25 Years

Many interesting stories are still told by the heroes of the late War of the rebellion. An old soldier of Morris, Ill., related his experience a short time ago.

"When I enlisted in the war," said he, "I was strong and healthy and weighed 180 pounds, and when I was discharged four years later I only weighed 130 pounds, which was the result of a very bad stomach contracted while in the army.

I was treated by medical men for a long time, paying out hundreds of dollars, but receiving no permanent benefit. Patent medicines were also highly recommended for dyspepsia and stomach troubles and I tried a number of them but got no relief, and in the end was actually worse. I became mentally and physically a wreck, had no energy to do business, and I simply got enough sustenance from my food to keep body and soul together and was in pain and misery constantly.

While in this condition I met a friend who asked me if I had used Grape-Nuts. I had not, but had used other prepared foods and got no relief from them and had no confidence in any of them. He continued to urge me to use Grape-Nuts, saying his wife had become so much improved in health by using this particular food.

So, partly to please him, I bought a package and made my supper that night on Grape-Nuts, fully expecting to suffer all night as the result. To my surprise and great joy it agreed with me perfectly. I had a good appetite from that time on, and Grape-Nuts was my only food for the first four months; then I began to partake of other food sparingly. I gained very rapidly, mentally and physically, with energy and force restored, and I also gained in flesh, my weight increasing 35 pounds in about six months. My stomach, from which I had suffered untold misery for 35 years, became perfectly healthy so that I could eat all kinds of food in connection with Grape-Nuts.

Today I am 62 years old and enjoy good health and I believe Grape-Nuts to be the best of food products, scientifically prepared so as to contain the greatest amount of nutriment and tonic properties." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

OF THE PETERBOROUGH BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1902.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Education held Tuesday night, Dr. Caldwell, Chairman of the Finance Committee, submitted the following annual statement, which was adopted and referred to the Town Auditors:

General Statement of Receipts and Expenditure of the Peterborough Board of Education for the year ending 31st December, 1902.

RECEIPTS

Municipal Assessment	
Collegiate Institute rate for 1902	$ 6,000 00
Public School rate for 1902	18,000 00
Government Grants	
Collegiate Institute	1317 83
Public Schools	901 00
Kindergarten	37 70
Inspection	180 00
Fees	
Collegiate Institute	2423 00
Public Schools	90 00
Kindergarten	78 75
Entrance and Teachers' Examinations	143 00
Interest on Nicholls Scholarship debenture	90 00
Balance	226 75
	$29,303 04

EXPENDITURE

Balance due bank, Dec. 31st, 1901	$ 128 50
Salaries, teachers and officers, Collegiate Institute	8,050 46
Salaries, teachers and officers, Public Schools	164,06 74
Printing and Stationery	713 75
Wood account	1,183 53
Expense account	785 97
Repairs and Furniture	1,302 61
Insurance	186 60
Rent, George street school	400 00
Nicholls Scholarship prizes	90 00
	$29,303 04

Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute for the year ending December 31st, 1902.

RECEIPTS

Balance in bank Dec. 31, 1901	$ 287 90
Municipal assessment	6,000 00
Government Grant	1,217 83
Fees from pupils	7,123 00
Fees, Entrance and Teachers' Examinations	143 00
Interest on Nicholls Scholarship debentures	90 00
Balance	253 40
	$10315 06

EXPENDITURE

Salaries, teachers and officers	$ 8050 46
Proportion printing and stationery	136 33
Proportion wood account	406 38
Proportion expense account	523 77
Rent to Public schools	1,100 00
Nicholls Scholarship prizes	90 00
	$10,315 06

Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of the Peterborough Public Schools for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1902.

RECEIPTS

Municipal assessment	$18,000 00
Government Grant	1,093 70
Fees from pupils	163 75
Rent from Collegiate Institute	1,100 00
Balance	73 36
	$20,430 81

EXPENDITURE

Balance due Ontario Bank, Dec. 31st, 1901	$ 437 30
Salaries, teachers and officers	16,406 74
Proportion printing and stationery	575 52
Proportion wood account	779 65
Proportion expense account	257 30
Repairs and furniture	1,302 61
Insurance	186 60
Rent George street school	400 00
	$20,430 81

BALANCE SHEET OF THE BOARD

DR.

Collegiate Institute	$ 253 40
Public School account	73 36
Central School, property acct.	48,411 63
South Central School, property account	21,207 71
Park street School, property account	3,613 07
Barnardo ave School, property account	9,301 95
	$83,741 01

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Ontario Bank	$ 226 76
Real Estate	83,514 25
	$83,741 01

Estimate of Revenue of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute for the year ending 31st December, 1903.

EXPENDITURE

Balance due Bank	$ 254 00
Salaries of Teachers	8,300 00
Proportion of Secy.-Treasurer's salary	300 00
Janitor's salary	300 00
Proportion of fuel	400 00
Proportion of printing and stationery	150 00
Rent to Public Schools	1,100 00
Mepal chemicals, etc.	146 00
Incidental expenses	300 00
	$10,300 00

REVENUE

Government Grant	$ 1,200 00
Fees from pupils	2,300 0
Amount required from Town Treasurer	7,500 00
	$10,000 00

Estimate of Revenue and Expenditure of the Peterborough Public Schools for the year ending 31st December, 1903.

EXPENDITURE

Balance due Bank	$ 75 00
Salaries of teachers	14,000 00
Salaries of officers	1,000 00
Salaries of Janitors	1,200 00
Proportion of fuel	1,000 00
Proportion printing and stationery	500 00
Repairs and furniture	300 00
Insurance	150 00
Rent, Menzies School	400 00
Incidental expenses	100 00
	$19,375 00

REVENUE

Government Grant	$ 1,100 00
Rent from Collegiate Institute	1,100 00
Fees from pupils	175 00
Amount required from Town Treasurer	17000 00
	$19,375 00

RECAPITULATION

For Collegiate Institute	$ 7,500 00
For Public Schools	17,500 00
	$25,000 00

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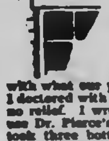

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W. H. HOGG, Manager.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The West Peterborough Agricultural Society will hold their Statutory Annual Meeting in the Council Chamber, on Wednesday, the 21st inst. at 1 o'clock. All those interested are requested to be there, when a full report of receipts and expenditures for the year will be submitted.

F. H. DOBBIN, President.
W. J. GREEN, Secretary.

"FROM LONDON TO LONDON."

An interesting lecture to be delivered in All Saints' next Monday evening by Rev. Canon Richardson, M.A. Also a program and refreshments. Collection.

CARD OF THANKS

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—Permit me to return you my sincere thanks for electing me to the Town Council again this year. I appreciate highly the confidence you have shown in me by electing me ten times in succession to this position, and especially as your support has been given to me without any effort on my part. I shall continue to endeavor to show my appreciation by giving you my best services.

Yours sincerely,
HENRY BEST.

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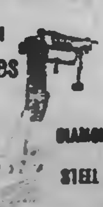

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THE CZAR OF RUSSIA MAY FREE THE PEOPLE

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London, Jan. 8—From Vienna comes the news that the draft of a constitution for Russia is again in the hands of a czar. Will Nicholas prove braver than was Alexander III? Will he put his pen to it, as did Alexander II., who was assassinated on the following day?

It was Louis Menkoff, the son of a peasant who first reconciled a czar of Russia to the idea of Parliament. This statesman was then what Pobiedonostsen is now—the power behind the throne. He talked Alexander II. into his plan, and if the murderers of the Czar had stayed their hands twenty-four hours the miracle of popular government in Russia would have been performed.

In spite of the assassination the plan was nearly carried. "Change nothing in what my father ordered," said Alexander III. This meant that the constitution which the murdered czar had signed was to be published on the following day.

Right here Pobiedonostsen came into that power which still prevails in Russia. That night Loris Metikoff received an order, to withhold the document. Pobiedonostsen had seen the new emperor and induced him to change his mind. Will Nicholas, mindful of what a similar concession meant to Louis XVI. of France, and this prospect of trouble on his other worries, even if he can brave the displeasure of Russia's great apostle of the knout?

UNION URGED WITH THE UNITED STATES

Lord Beresford Urges Closer Relations between The Two Great Nations

Rejoices Over the Venezuelan Crisis Having been Safely Passed Over

London, Jan. 8—Lord Charles Beresford, who will sail for New York on Sunday, on board the Kaiserin Maria Theresa, said in the course of an interview regarding the Venezuela situation:

"Thank God it has come out all right But it has taught our Government a lesson—that they must never try a hand again at such a game without the partnership of the United States. I do not say a word against Germany, but I do think it's to England's advantage to come right out and say not only 'We support the Monroe doctrine' but by 'Heavens we are willing to fight for it.'"

Regarding his trip to the United States Lord Beresford said:

"I am going to America because I have some private business to attend to. It has nothing to do with the shipping combine. If the Morgans had paid me the compliment of offering me something in that connection, which they have not, I should be obliged to decline. However, in addition to attending to private business, I am going to look around although I must be back in London for the opening of Parliament in February.

Praise for Yankees.

"I hope to pick up information regarding the administrative element in American business. That's where America excels. We do not know how to administer here. Our workmen are just as good as theirs, but our administrations are feeble. Our companies want Lords and Commoners as directors who know nothing about business. Yours demand straight business men, who not only know, but put their money into concerns of which they are Directors.

"If I can teach the people here to adopt American business methods we can then have a greater intercommunion of capital and interests between the two countries. It is the only way, and once England and America get on a profit-sharing basis the world will not dare to interfere with either. Neither of us will stand for a political alliance. It is impossible. Changing parties and the sentiments of both countries forbid it.

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"I frankly confess that a business alliance would be more to England's than America's advantage. America can look after herself. She can fight the world, either from an economical on any other viewpoint. They have not begun to realise here yet that the long period which Great Britain held the monopoly of trade is over. They do not know the value of a scrapheap of the minimum cost of production or of the volume of trade.

"The coming century will be one of business. By trying to achieve a community of business interests and methods between America and England, I believe I shall be doing much towards its being a century of peace.

"You put your brightest men into business. We put them into politics, the navy and the army. That has got to be changed. not for the sake of the money it makes for the individual, but for the general good of the country. When I return I hope to have a lot more information in my pocket, which will further these ends in Parliament and elsewhere.'

GIRL TO DIE ON GALLOWS

Pretty Kitty Byron Condemned to Death For Murder of Stock Broker

British Criminal Statute is No Respector of Sex

London, Jan 8—A London judge has just condemned Kittie Byron, a pretty girl of 18 to death, for murdering a stock broker. The jury made a recommendation for mercy, because the girl was inticed to the crime by unusually cruel treatment at the hands of the man who had blighted her life.

It is quite probable that pretty Kittie Byron will be hanged, for the English criminal law is no respecter of sex.

During the last twenty years a dozen women have been hanged for murder, and one was hanged only a month ago. There are four women now awaiting execution in various parts of the kingdom.

An effort will be made to induce the home secretary to commutate Kittie Byron's sentence to imprisonment for life, but there is no assurance that it will succeed, for the home secretary rarely interferes with the course of justice.

He isn't easily swayed by popular clamor, as witness his resistance to the appeals of many years for the release of Mrs. Maybrick, the American woman who was convicted of poisoning her husband.

A Canadian jury would have found Kitty Byron guilty only of manslaughter, considering the extenuating circumstance of her crime, but a British jury invariably blindly follows the judge's charge, and in this case the only verdict consonant with the judge's charge was „guilty" of murder in the first degree.

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REBELS TO MARCH ON PEKIN

Prince Tuan With 50,000 Men Has Joined Gen. Tung Fu Hsiang

Paris, Jan. 8—A Shanghai despatch received here says that, according to the latest reports from Mongolia, Prince Tuan, the exiled anti-foreigner has concentrated 50,000 men and joined forces with Gen. Tung Fu Hsiang, the notorious Boxer leader, with the object of marching on Pekin.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The Annual Meeting was Held on Tuesday Evening Last

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Charlotte street Methodist church was held Tuesday afternoon in the church parlors. After the regular business the annual reports were presented. The secretary's was very satisfactory. During the year eleven regular meetings were held and four special. Twelve new members were added, making now a total of forty-five. The treasurer's report showed a gratifying state of affairs, the receipts for the year being larger than those for many years.

The election of officers was then proceeded with, resulting as follows:

President—Mrs. S. Clegg.
Vice-President—Mrs. Thos. Lew.
Secretary—Mrs. James Wharton.
Assistant—Mrs. Nichol.
Treasurer—Mrs. Mary B. Lyle.

All the officers were re-elected, the treasurer being chosen for the eleventh term.

A QUIET WEDDING

Mr. Clarence W. Davidson and Miss Henrietta L. Rumming are Married

At St. Luke's church, Ashburnham, on Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock, a very pleasing event took place, when Mr. Clarence Wallace Davidson, youngest son of Mr. James Davidson, of North Monaghan, and Miss Henrietta Louisa Rumming, youngest daughter of Mr. David Rumming, of Ashburnham, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. E. A. Langfeldt.

The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. David Rumming, and wore a pretty gown of white organdie with lace trimmings and the customary veil and orange blossoms. Miss Maggie Smith, of Ashburnham, who performed the duties of bridesmaid, was also becomingly attired in white organdie with lace trimmings. The groom was assisted by Mr. James D. Anderson, of Douro. A sumptuous wedding dejeuner was served at the home of the bride after the ceremony. A handsome pair of Persian lamb gauntlets was the gift of the groom to the bride, and to the bridesmaid a pretty gold ring set with garnets and pearls. The happy young couple were the recipients of many handsome and useful presents, and their many friends in town wish them a long life of happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Davidson will reside in Monaghan.

MISS BOOTH COMING

Daughter of General Booth of S. A. to Visit Peterborough

Great excitement prevails in army circles over the expected visit of Miss Evangeline Booth, third daughter of General Booth, on Saturday and Sunday next, only not at all surprising either, for the announcement of this lady in larger cities than our own awakens much interests, and always a crowded house awaits her, whether it be the Massey Hall, Toronto; Orme Hall, Ottawa; Windsor Hall, Montreal, or the Winnipeg Theatre. However she will speak in the Salvation Army barracks in Peterborough, and her subject will be of a purely evangelistic nature. Pearl and Willie, Commissioner Booth's adopted children, accompany her, whose sweet singing with harp accompaniment is one of the pleasing features of this pleasing event.

Lieut.-Col. Pugmire, the Army's spiritual special, and Brigadier Turner, provincial officer of East Ontario, will be in Peterborough for Commissioner Booth's meetings.

Major Burdette, who was recently stationed in Peterborough, has been promoted, and with his wife now takes command of the Army forces in Manitoba. and North-West America, his headquarters being in Winnipeg.

The local S. A. barracks is taking on a very pleasing appearance with a fresh coat of paint. Adjt. Moore is working day and night to have it completed are Sunday.

HEADQUARTERS CANADA

Marconi's Canadian Portion of Organization to be Canada

Montreal, Jan. 7—Montreal is to be the headquarters of the Canadian Marconi Company which is now preparing to instal a wireless transcontinental service throughout the Dominion, and in all probability will stretch out through Alaska and into the Cape Nome district.

Before long, it is stated, wireless message stations will exist in every city, town and village in Canada.

Mr. Willard R. Green has arrived in the city to organize the Canadian company, and Mr. John D. Opp, of London Eng., is also here. He will become the manager of the Canadian company. These gentlemen are now in conference with Mr. J. N. Greenshields, K.C., in whose office the preliminary work is being done. They are, however, now negotiating for a suite of offices for the company, and it is proposed to commence the practical work of the enterprise immediately.

Preparations for the establishing of the stations in the west have been completed for some little time, and two experts have been sent out to the Canadian Rockies to complete such tests as Mr. Green thought necessary in connection with the actual placing of the stations. As soon as possible the first messages will be sent west from the summit of Mount Royal.

Speaking of the proposed work of the company, Mr. Green yesterday remarked to a Star representative that they would be prepared to accept commercial work of every description, and he believed that press despatches would in a comparatively short time be sent direct from correspondents in one city to their office in another. All the gentlemen interested in the project are enthusiastic over the possibilities and have settled down to the hard work or organization.

THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF ST. PETER'S T.A.S.

Lecture in the Hall on Catholic Emancipation

A SURPRISE FOR DR. O'BRIEN

The Popular Chaplain of the Society Presented with a Gold Chalice and Purse

Father F. J. O'Sullivan, of Lindsay, the founder and first Chaplain of St Peter's Total Abstinence Society, was present at the hall of the society last evening to deliver a lecture on "Catholic Emancipation," yesterday being the third anniversary of the formation of the T.A.S. in Peterborough.

Preceding the lecture were the following musical numbers: An instrumental duet by the Misses McCabe and Doherty, vocal solo by Mr. W. Stocker, and recitations by Mr. Miller, all being well received and heartily applauded by the crowded audience.

In opening his discussion of the various steps towards the religious and political freedom of Catholics under the sovereignty of Great Britain, Father O' Sullivan took his audience back to the days of the Battle of the Boyne and the Treaty of Limerick. This treaty guaranteed to the Catholics of Ireland their rights as citizens and Catholics, but when the Irish Parliament met in 1692 it framed an oath to be taken by the members of both houses, directly opposed to the terms of the treaty. This oath explicitely denied the Catholic doctrine of transubstantiation and declared the sacrific of the mass and the honor paid to the mother of God as damnable and idolatrous. The Poynings Act, passed in the reign of Henry VII, made it necessary that all laws passed by the Irish Parliament should receive the sanction of the English House, which was also entirely Protestant at this time, the Test Act having been passed nine years before, excluding all Catholics from office. The Irish Parliament of 1692 ratified the penal laws already in force, and passed new ones also. Among those cited as examples were the Oath of Supremacy, which forced those taking it to admit the head of the state as the head of the church also; a fine of for shilling for those absenting themselves from services in the established church; a law preventing dissenters from acting as private tutors; an act preventing Catholics from taking degrees in the universities and placing restrictions on education, the banishment of priests and bishops. Also, in the reign of Ann, laws were passed offering inducements to those who would abandon their faith by placing them in possession of the property of those who remained firm. Those were the days when Protestants persecuted Catholics on account of their religion, and Catholics in turn persecuted the Protestants.

In 1778, when England was in danger from other sources, Lord North, the Prime Minister of England, permitted Catholics to acknowledge their allegiance to the king. This of necessity admitted their rights as subjects. When England demanded that 4,000 Hessians be admitted to Ireland to defend the country, Henry Grattan strongly opposed the act, and raised 18,000 volunteers in the country, showing that it was unnecessary to bring in others to defend it. Grattan now brought in an act to repeal the Poynings Act, and carried it to a successful issue. Ireland had now an independen parliament, but England was now free from her former troubles, and nothing was done to relieve the Catholics of their disabilities.

The unsuccessful rebellion of 1798 was the next influence for the ultimate freedom of Catholics, but the Act of Union followed shortly afterwards which destroyed the last vestige of an independent parliament for Ireland, and for a time things were darker than ever before, though Pitt held out promises of emancipation.

By the repeal of the Poynings Act in 1793, Daniel O'Connell had been permitted to become a barrister, and he now exerted every effort for the repeal of the penal laws still existing, uniting Catholics in every part of the country, from Londonderry to Cork. He introduced an Act of Emancipation into the British Parliament in 1813, but as it would not be accepted by the Parliament without a clause of veto regarding the appointment of bishops, it had to be abandoned. O'Connell formed an association of Catholics, the members of which refused to take office under Lord Wellington while their rights were still refused. When O'Connell was elected as member for County Clare he went and demanded admission into the British Parliament He refused to take the Test Oath and was obliged to return to Ireland. The excitement caused by the course he had taken made it evident that a rebellion would follow if their demands were not granted, and on the advice of Lord Wellington, George IV. signed the Catholic Emancipation Bill.

The effects of this act were great, and Catholics may now hold all public offices with the exception of the position of Sovereign or of Lord Lieutenant of Ireland. The Oxford Movement was the result of the discussions raised at this time and the entire social position of Catholics was improved.

The reverend speaker in conclusion paid a tribute to the sentiments of the present Sovereign, and said that all should make use of the liberties enjoyed in the country in which we live, where equal liberties are enjoyed by every citizen.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the lecturer, after which short addresses of a complimentary nature were given by the following gentlemen who occupied the platform: D. O'Connell, R. Begley, H. Burnham, Ald. McWilliams, Fathers McColl, O'Sullivan, Crowley, O' Brien and Dr. O'Brien.

The deserved popularity of Rev. Dr. O' Brien with the members of the T.A.S. was shown in a palpable manner in the course of the evening, when he received a gold chalice and a purse of gold as a gift from the society in recognition of his many merits, accompanied by the following address:

Reverend and Dear Father:

We take this opportunity, the third anniversary of the organization of St. Peter's Total Abstinence Society, of expressing to you in a tangible manner, our appreciation of your labors among us.

When you took charge, as Spiritual Adviser of this society, on the departure of the reverend organizer and lecturer of this evening, many looked askance at the young priest, who, having been raised in the town, was supposed to hold some opinions that would develop into aggressiveness, and who would use an iron glove in dealing with those outside the pale of the Church. However as the time rolled on your aggressiveness has developed, but not in the dreaded line. The enthusiasm displayed by you in promoting the cause of temperance, manifested in the securing of the banner in competition with the whole of America, gives great satisfaction to this Society, which has every reason to congratulate itself upon the aggressiveness of its Chaplain.

Judging by the public press you may think you are without honor in your own country, but if you do not hear it, it is because you are not seeking worldly honor. We can assure you, however, that there is not a man in the district, whether Catholic or not, but deems it an honor to be counted among your acquaintances, as to have your acquaintance is to have you for a friend. As a contemporary puts it, it takes a soul to be a true friend—a large, catholic, steadfast, and loving spirit. One must forgive much, forget much, forbear much. It costs to be a friend. It not only costs time, affection, strength, patience, love—sometimes a man must even lay down his life for his friends. There is no true friendship without self-abnegation, self-sacrifice.

The love and respect shown you by your fellow priests shows clearly their estimation of you as a confrere.

Many of us here present and others in the surrounding town and country must acknowledge that by your influence we have been lifted by the hand of God's servant to a secure footing, when we had abandoned ourselves to a downward path. Many an aged mother, or wife, sister or brother, when offering their devotions to the Almighty, remember you in thanksgiving for the saving of a reckless son or husband, brother, or even sister, from an evil course, as you are ever ready to sacrifice your time, and unbounded labor to save their souls and make them good, useful, citizens of the State, looking both to our spiritual and temporal needs.

In your estimation no fellow being is so lowly or even degraded that you should not seek him, and by kindly advice and gentle admonition — which none can use more effectively—stir in him that manly spirit, long dormant, thereby following in the footsteps of our Lord and Saviour when on earth.

In conclusion we again sincerely thank you for your many acts of kindness and favors shown us. Hoping you will be spared many years to comfort your well-beloved parents and to be our Chaplain, we ask you to accept this Chalice and purse as a token of our sincerity.

We trust you will ever remember us in offering up the holy sacrifice of the Mass.

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SUCCESSFUL PUPILS

Of Notre Dame School at Christmas Examinations

The following are the results of the Christmas promotion examinations at Notre Dame school:

FORM 1, PART FIRST.

Senior Part 1st to Junior Part 2nd.

Lydia Delaire, Gertrude Jones, Beatrice Malone, Ellen Killen, Minnie O'Connors, May Downey, Emma Kearns, Clara Sullivan, Leona Hummel, Eveylin Grady, Kate Kane, Eva Clancy.

Junior Part 1st to Senior Part 1st.

Veronica Carveth, May O'Brien, Lizzie Conroy, May Thibault, Mary Gorham, Laurine Mollet, Mary Cavanagh.

Grade B to Junior Part 1st.

Annie Kelly, Bertha Shanahan, Mabel Merrill, Magdalen Hickey, Aleda Lajeunnesse, Lizzie Ward, Margaret McDonnell, Kathleen Gorman, Nora Butler, Lizzie White, Mariann Overend.

FORM 1, PART SECOND

Senior Part 2nd to Second Book.

Genevieve Fitzsimmons, Lettie Hatrick, Mary Hobbins, Gertrude Kylie, Gertrude Londreville, Minnetta Reiley, Irene Sinnott.

Junior Part 2nd to Senior Part 2nd.

Kathleen Collins, Minnie Dwyre, Nelll Bano, Irene Hickey, Loretto Hobbins, Stella Lajeunnesse, Rose LeFebre, Oliv Tangney, Mary Londregan, Lucy Conroy.

FORM 2.

Senior 2nd to Junior 3rd.

Margaret Burns, Mabel Sullivan, Lillie O'Reilly, Loretta Whaley, Katie Collins, Lillian Callaghan, Mary McIntee, Evylin O'Brien, G. Sullivan.

Junior 2nd to Senior 2nd.

Cecelia Shevlin, Marion Shevlin, Lizzie Grady, Emma Derocher, Delia Heffernan Nellie Kylie, Eva Lajeunnesse, Jennie Stockdale, Jennie Crawford, Dora Mennell, Maggie Vinette, Laura Heard, Geraldine Rudkins.

FORM 3.

Senior 3rd to Junior 4th.

May Callaghan, Loretta Kelly, Mabel McGrath, Loretta Ward, Nettie Overend.

Junior 3rd to Senior 3rd.

Katie Hobbins, Mabel Powers, Annie Doig, Margaret Fitzsimmons, Mary Morency, Agnes McDonnel, Mary Doris, Mamie Rose, Nellie Halligan, Mary Halpin, Angela Devlin, G. Coughlin, Mar Guerin, Katie Derocher, O. Schapp Martha O'Brien, A. Lynch, Clara Doig.

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BOERS WANT ABOLITION OF CONSTABULARY FORCE

General Amnesty Also Wanted--Address to be Presented to Mr. Chamberlain Makes Several Requests

Pretoria, Transvaal, Jan. 8.—An influential meeting of burghers yesterday drafted an address for presentation to Colonial Secretary Chamberlain and the Legislative Council, embodying the views of the leaders.

Among the recommendations are general amnesty, the maintenance of the Transvaal's pre-war regulations regarding natives, the importation of cattle by the Government, and their sale to the burghers at actual cost, and the abolition of the South African Constabulary.

Generals Botha, De Wet and Delarey strongly urge the necessity for a moderate attitude and organization to assist the present Government.

General Botha, reported that $525,000 had been collected in America and Europe for the relief of destitute Boers.

A FAMILY'S MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

The Awful Experience of Sarnia People

NONE OF THEM BADLY INJURED

An Hour of Agony Spent After They Got Out of the Wreck—Mrs. W. Morse's Story of the Wanstead Disaster

St. Thomas, Ont., Jan. 8—In a letter to Mr. F. Doggett, of this city, Mrs. W. Morse, of Sarnia, who with her husband and children were passengers on No. 5 G. T. R. Pacific Express, wrecked at Wanstead, says:

"It was indeed an awful experience we went through, and no other family in that ill-fated coach has such cause for thankfulness as we. So many spoke of it on our way to London in the hospital car. That a family of five could all escape with their lives seemed almost a miracle. When we boarded the train at Stratford it was so crowded we could not find seats together. Truman and I sat down by an elderly lady about four seats from the rear of the coach, while Mr. Morse, Mamie and Helen went on down the aisle, almost to the other end on the same side—the right hand side, our seats being a double seat. In a short time my little boy was sleeping on the seat in front of me. We were running very fast when the awful crash came. I seemed to realise instantly that it was a collision, and either threw myself or was thrown down partly in the aisle, and partly between our seats. I think I owe my life to that, for in a second the timbers crashed over my head, pinning the lady who sat with me there. Of course I expected every second to be crushed to death.

"My first thought was for my little boy in front of me. He awakened at once and cried, "Mama, what is it?" I could feel the back of the seat crushing down on him. Everything was pitch dark. The back of the seat closed over him, held down by tons, I suppose. I could not move it, and I was sure he was killed. I pulled at him and at last I got him out and he was all right, the soft back and cushion of the seat had saved him. When I felt we were both unhurt I felt around for some way out. We could not move in any direction. Everything seemed to be piled over and around us, and the heart-rending groans were terrible. Everyone else around us seemed to be fastened but one man back of me in the aisle. I don't know how long we remained there, probably only a moment or so. It seemed long to me as the awful thought of fire came to me. Presently some one at the rear of the car lit a match and held it down to the floor. At once my little boy perceiving an opening under the seats, crawled under, I following. Then we jumped out of a window in the rear of the car. (Blessings on the man's head who lit the match.)

After our escape I cannot describe the hour of agony I spent till I found out Will and my two little girls were safe. They were looking for us and we for them. I did not recognize Mamie when I saw her. Her face was so cut and swollen and Will was covered with blood, but they were alive. That was enough. I imagined them caught in the wreck and burning as I saw the flames. The scenes that followed are not at all overdrawn by the papers.

LIVED IN THREE CENTURIES

Mrs. Henry Morgan Dies at Dubuque at the age of 105

Dubuque, Iowa, Jan. 8.—One of the oldest women in the State of Iowa, and probably in the United States, is dead in this city, at the age of 105 years. She was Mrs. Mary Morgan, and died of old age.

The dead woman retained the full possession of her faculties, and her mind remained clear and her memory unimpaired until the end. Her illness was of short duration, and her death was peaceful.

For the last fifty-four years Mrs. Morgan has been a resident of this city, having emigrated to this country in her early youth from Ireland, where she was born. She was married in 1818, three years after the battle of Waterloo. She had lived in three centuries.

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IMMENSE RAILWAY SCHEMES PLANNED

1903 Will Witness Some Gigantic Undertakings Commenced

THE GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC

American Roads Also Propose to Expend Enormous Sums Next Season

Montreal, Jan. 8—Schemes of railroad extensions and improvements that will start early in the new year, both in Canada and the United States promise to exceed in magnitude and in financial outlay even the investments of new capital in railroad development of the past year.

The Grand Trunk Pacific project, involving an expenditure of some $200,000,000, the contemplated improvements to the Canadian Pacific in the reduction of gradients and curvature, the numerous branch lines which are projected and the irrigation scheme of two and a half million acres are some of the more important schemes of Canada. If the Canadian Northern is not absorbed by the Grand Trunk Pacific, it will be extended from the prairie terminus through the Yellow Head Pass to the Pacific, and the Mackenzie and Mann roads in the Maritime Provinces will be pushed to completion. The Grand Trunk is also contemplating the erection of a fine new station to replace the present Bonaventure structure, and by the end of 1903 will have a double track from Montreal and Chicago to Niagara Falls.

In New York the Pennsylvania Railway next month will commence the construction on contracts aggregating $100,000,000, while the New York Central's new viaduct entrance into the city will cost $20,000,000.

The viaduct will give an entrance from the north to the immense passenger station planned by the road, and will open a large part of Park avenue heretofore closed, and which would have remained closed had the original plans of the Central been adhered to.

SOME OF THE ADVANTAGES.

Some of the advantages to be derived from the new scheme are:

The abandonment of the use of steam as a motive power, and with it the freeing of the tunnel from steam, smoke and gas.

The opening of eleven new cross streets.

The relief of Forty-second street, Depew place and Vanderbilt avenue, from all carriage and wagon traffic, by the construction of an elevated carriage way and carriage stand within the station about eight feet above the concourse. This elevated carriage way will be reached by the Forty-fifth street viaduct from both Lexington and Madison avenues.

The extension of the waiting room across the entire street front of the station.

The elimination of nearly all grade crossings maintained by the railway in the city.

An annual rental of $25,000 will be charged by the city for the use of the sub-surface of the streets and the space under the sidewalks about the station.

An important feature in the changes is the connection to be made with the rapid-transit system at Forty-second street. Two express tracks of the Central are to run beneath the station for this purpose. The Board of Estimate suggests that the Rapid-Transit Commission shall adopt this change.

It is also provided that no power houses shall be erected more than two blocks from the water front except by special permission of the city authorities.

Commenting on the new station the New York Times says: "Remodelled upon the plan formulated by the committee, with the assistance of Engineer Lewis, the railroads which connect New York with the North and East will have the most capacious and convenient terminal of any railroad in any city of the world. It will identify them with a great public improvement from which the direct and immediate advantage of those who direct will be magnificently and permanently compensatory. This is all in the way of opportunity, which a railroad company could ask."

THE BALTIMORE AND OHIO.

The directors of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad have determined upon further improvements, the cost of which will add not less than $20,000,000 to the $80,000,000 already expended on the reconstruction and re-equipment of that system. The plans yet to be carried out involve the four-tracking of the B. and O. system between Chicago and Pittsburg.

Atchison, Topeka, and Santa Fe interests are spending upward of $20,000,000 in the construction of new lines in Oklahoma. A separate company has been formed to conduct this work, which includes the construction of about 1,000 miles of new line, taking all of the principal points in Oklahoma.

NERVOUSNESS

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Morning Times

UNION LABEL

PETERBOROUGH, JAN. 9, 1903.

A COMING DEMAND

A deputation of the prohib. party is to wait upon Premier Ross to demand the enforcement of the minority vote on the referendum in regard to the retail selling of liquor. By their pre-election estimate the prohib. party were "snowed under" in the result, notwithstanding they got a clear majority of the votes polled. They laid it down positively that the electors who did not vote at all should be counted against them. The total vote cast was about 300,000, the "yes" side getting 198,000. The "no" side got 103,000. The unpolled votes numbered 125,000. The total result in, brief is thus:—

Voted No...	103,000
Unpolled Votes...	125,000
	228,000
Voted Yes...	198,000
Total Adverse Vote...	30,000

With this large majority against them on the total register, taking their own reckoning of the non-voters, it is hard to see with what face the Prohib. party can go to Mr. Ross as if they had been victors. Mr. Ross will get out of the matter by, answering first that they are in a large minority of the electors, and secondly, that the majority the Prohibs. claim was not cast for prohibition but rank politics, the "Tories" voting in their thousands as in Toronto, to "put him in the hole." But he could add a third reason why it would be inexpedient to attempt to put prohibition in force, quoting the failure of that measure in that State of Maine, where it was carried by a clear majority of the electors. The Portland Press, of Jan. 3 says—

"The law against liquor selling partly perhaps on account of its non-enforcement, and partly, because a large number of people do not believe in it, is looked upon very differently from other criminal laws by the community. No man could ignore the law against larceny and escape universal condemnation, but a man can, to a degree, at least, ignore the law against rumselling and not lose caste very much in the community.'

A GOOD RESOLUTION

One of the good resolutions to start the New Year with is the resolution to pay the January bills promptly. Such payment makes both the payer and the payee feel better, it oils the machinery of trade, and scatters good around. Needless delay in payment makes bad feeling, hurts both the man who should pay, and the man who should be paid, and is in many ways hostile to a happy New Year.

One great beauty of the good resolution to pay the January bills promptly is that if it is made, more likely to be kept than some of the good resolutions. It doesn't have time to get sicklied o'er with the pale cast of thought or thoughtlessness. A resolution that won't keep or be kept a month may last two or three days. Pay "the little bills," and congratulate yourself on having kept one good resolution.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

An American tells this story of Mexican justice: One morning the body of a cowboy was found in a border town. It was supposed he had crossed the Rio Grande to attend a dance and flirted with some senorita, and so was shot by a Mexican. At least, that was the theory, because a bag of money, amounting to $200, all in gold, was found on the body, proving that the murder had not been done for robbery. Besides the coin, a very costly six shooter, silver mounted, and ivory handled, was strapped around the deceased. The finding of the gun was the occasion of a trial before the local alcalde, or justice of the peace. It was against the law to carry weapons, and the dead man was fined $200, just the sum they found on him, for violating the Mexican statute.

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Efforts are being made in some of the larger cities of England, and especially in London, to put a stop to swearing on the public streets. There is a law on the subject, but it is rarely enforced, except, perhaps, in some small town where the mayor may for the time get a virtuous streak. The trouble with the law is that it is only put in practice when some citizen makes a complaint to a policeman, and the statistics of the police courts show that even when arrests are made the prosecutor very seldom appears to press the complaint the next morning. In Liverpool, where there is a large proportion of the hoodlum in the population, the habit of cursing in public has been largely restrained recently but that was because the police received strict orders to arrest any person, male or female, who might be heard using vile language on the streets without waiting for a complaint from a citizen. The habit of swearing, too, it is asserted, is not confined to the lower classes, but has made great inroads into society, especially among the women.

No Better off Than Before.

A small town in Posen near the Silesian frontier still keeps that relic of other centuries, the night-watchman who calls the hours. One night—the London "Telegraph" tells this remarkable story—one of these watchmen, an old worthy long in service, failed to blow his whistle when the clock struck the hour.

The burgomaster summoned the delinquent to account for his negligence. After some hesitation he declared that his last tooth had dropped out, and that he could not hold in his mouth the official flat tin whistle.

A council was called, and the subject was gravely discussed. Finally one of the members said that he had heard of a dentist at Breslau who supplied artificial teeth. After long debate the council appropriated money to send the aged watchman to Breslau to get a set of new teeth.

In due time the watchman reported that his teeth had arrived. That night the burgomaster sat up to hear the result. To his astonishment there was no whistle at ten, at eleven, or at midnight. The next morning he summoned the watchman.

"You have got your teeth," he said, indignantly. "Why do you not whistle as before?"

"Yes, I've got a new set of teeth," replied the old man, "but the doctor told me to put them in water at night."

Gives Him Pain in the Purse.

"I'm really worried about Charlie," said young Mrs. Torkins.

"What's the trouble?" asked her mother.

"All my care seems to have been in vain. I wouldn't let him play golf for fear he'd get the golf elbow, nor ping-pong for fear he'd get ping-pong ankle."

"Well, he has escaped so far!"

"Yes. But I haven't the heart to ask him to stop playing cards, even if it does lead to his becoming deformed."

"What do you mean?"

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A ROMANCE.

Weeping bitterly at the tragic fate of the beautiful woman, Hilda laid her head down on the pillow again, and tried to lose herself in sleep, but the strong sedative Florence had administered to her was of no force against the grief and terror that possessed her. She rose at last, and, carefully locking her door, dressed herself in the dark traveling suit she had worn when she came to the springs. She had suddenly conceived the idea of flight. Youth and hope were too strong within her for her to tamely remain in the power of the man who thirsted for her life.

"I will go away —no matter where —so that I get out of his way," she said, to herself, in a frenzy of terror, as she arranged her toilet with trembling fingers.

Hilda was a very brave girl ordinarily. She had faced imminent peril in the rise of the New River with a dauntless heart, and she had rushed into the fire to seek Mrs. L'Estrange without a single pang of terror at her own terrible danger; but this death that threatened her now had in it none of the elements of heroism that had prompted her glorious self-sacrifice before. This new danger that menaced her at the hands of those with whom she had passed all her brief, neglected life, was terrible to contemplate. She could not choose but flee from it.

She quickly packed a few articles of clothing into a little hand-satchel and for the second time that night stole quietly out of the hotel and down upon the lawn.

The railway station was not very far from the hotel. She hurriedly made her way to it, but she did not enter the little waiting room. Weak and weary, she sat down upon the ground outside, and waited perhaps half an hour until the eastern bound mail train came thundering along on its way to Richmond, Virginia. When it came to a stop at the station, she crept into a coach, and seated herself in a dark corner, with her vail drawn closely over her face. Ten minutes later she was speeding along in the faintly glimmering dawn of the new day, away from the reach of her cruel and relentless enemies.

CHAPTER XIII.

A Fruitless Quest.

It was late in the day before Hilda's flight became known. Mr. Aylesford and the blonde heiress were both tardy risers, and it was not until a messenger came from Cecil Courtenaye to inquire how the young girl passed the night that her absence was discovered. Then the grief and terror of the bereaved father was acted so naturally and touchingly that even Cecil Courtenaye, who had deemed him a cold and unloving parent, was somewhat deceived by his acting.

"Oh, Florence, how could you have been so careless?" he exclaimed again and again, while Mr. Courtenaye who had come over to the hotel immediately after the reception of the ill news, stood silently by. "She was ill, and her head was turned by the dreadful scene she passed through. You should not have left her alone a moment. She has gone away in some wild, delirious fever of the brain, and she will be lost in the mountains, and perish miserably. Oh, my daughter, my daughter!"

Florence threw herself into his arms and sobbed out her grief and contrition in such tender, womanly, sorrowful terms that the young Englishman began to think that he had wronged her in his secret heart, for though he acknowledged her grace and beauty, he had condemned her as a heartless and empty-headed coquette, who cared for nothing but dress and admiration. So little had he esteemed her that he had never wished to apprise her of their distant relationship, or the fact that he was the next male in succession to her grandfather's earldom. But now, though his heart was torn with anxiety over the probable fate of the missing girl, he was touched by the soft womanliness of Florence, and said to her, quite gently:

"Do not grieve so hopelessly, Lady Florence. I will at once organize parties to explore the mountains. She shall be found if human skill can avail. I will go at once that not a moment may be lost."

He went out, and the girl turned quickly to Mr. Aylesford.

"I believe that Hilda has run away from us," she said, softly. "She must have overheard some of our conversation, and being frightened, took that means to evade us."

"If that is the case we must find her by all means," said he, with a start. "If she gets away and betrays us, we will have a terrible fight to retain our position! You should not have left her alone for an instant. You are greatly to blame, Florence."

"I thought she was too ill to get out of her bed, and I was tired and sleepy," was the sulky response.

"If it be as you suppose, she has most probably gone off on one of the trains," said Mr. Aylesford. "I will go down to the station and make inquiries."

He went to the station and learned that only one passenger train had passed since the fire that night, and that no one had left the White Sulphur Springs on that train except Sir Wilfred Hale, who had bought a ticket to Richmond. None of the officials had seen any other person enter the train at all, and they affirmed positively that Hilda had not gone off that way.

"I did not know that Sir Wilfred had gone away," said Mr. Aylesford, turning to Mr. Courtenaye in surprise.

"Yes, he went to Richmond on business," said Cecil, "and to make assurance doubly sure I will telegraph to him immediately, and ask him if he saw Hilda on the train."

The telegram was sent immediately, and directly the answer came back:

"Cecil Courtenaye:

"I have not seen or heard aught of Mr. Aylesford's daughter since I left you. Wilfred Hale."

So the mystery of Hilda's disappearance remained a mystery still. Men went out in every direction, the woods and mountains were searched, but no trace of her was found, and at last they gave up the quest. Every one believed that she was dead. They thought she had either drowned herself in the river or been lost in the mountains.

The hopeless search being over, Mr. Aylesford declared that he should

(To be Continued.)

DISTRICT NEWS

APSLEY.

A good joke was played on one of our most esteemed citizens, a short time ago, who himself is a practical joker. It appears that our friend whom we will for the time being, call Mr. Quart, had a bag of oats dumped on the crossing in front of his door. Before Mr. Q was on hand to take the oats to his barn, a couple of the "boys" had removed some of the grain and placed in the bag an enormous boulder. When our genial friend, Mr. Q got back he tried to shoulder the oats and take it to the barn. He was unable to lift the bag, and was naturally very much nonplussed. "By the holy smoke," he was heard to exclaim, "that is the heaviest bag of oats I ever tried to lift; I'll bring the wheelbarrow!" And he did, and after a tremendous effort he succeeded in loading the "oats" on to the vehicle and wheeling them to the barn, where an investigation disclosed the cause of the trouble. He has been lying awake at night even, since fixing up a plan to get even. He says that people who accidentally drink communion wine without knowing the difference between it and the real old stuff, are dead easy anyway, and as for our worthy P.M., and others, he has a joke in pickle for them.

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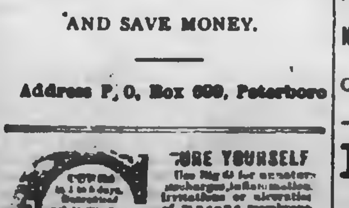

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1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

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Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6⅔ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

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STOCK MARKETS

TWO NOTABLE BARGAINS

New York, Jan. 8—It may partake *largely of repetition* to have a little talk about Metropolitan and Manhattan, *inasmuch* as we have had so much to say about them recently, but we cannot *refrain* from again speaking of these two issues as they are at the *present time so very cheap* and so certain in the near future to sell materially higher than they are selling just now. Bear in mind that both of these stocks are guaranteed seven per cent. per annum, and the guarantees are thoroughly good. Bear in mind that the business of these two lines is constantly increasing and is bound to continue to do so. No other thing can be expected of the transportation companies of the great and fast growing Metropolis of these lines, which earn far in excess of the seven per cent called for. Both will continue to grow more and more profitable. Metropolitan has sold above 250 and Manhattan has sold at 175 without any guarantee whatsoever. St. Paul only pays seven per cent. and just commenced that rate of dividend to shareholders, and it sells above 180 and will this year probably sell well above 200. Dont' you think Metropolitan and Manhattan are relatively as cheap and secure as is St. Paul, and as worthy of equally as high a market quotation. N. W. sells considerably above 200 and only returns the same amount of dividend, while neither St Paul or N. W. are guaranteed. A short time ago Manhattan sold at 158. Profit taking and a bad market again carried the shares down. They will go higher this time than they did then. The two systems will in time be worked in harmony with the new Underground Co., and have many feeders running outside of Manhattan Island. This will reduce its expenses and increase *profits*. The stocks of the two guarantors are destined to sell very high within five years time. At present writing we recommend immediate purchases of both Metropolitan and Manhattan, believing, as we do, that both will shortly sell much higher. shortly. These two stocks have been largely purchased in fractional amounts for investment by small investors and taken out of the street. These two stocks will surprise some folks in the next six months.

Summary—The market continues to maintain its remarkable strength. Demand for stocks appears to be as insatiable as heretofore. New leaders were taken up, the coal shares, being pushed to the front under leadership of Erie, which advanced upon huge transactions. Sugar continued to advance, crossing 134, while R. I. issues were remarkably strong leading the granger shares. Copper was inclined to heaviness under Boston selling and a slight decline in the market price for the metal. It should be a purchase upon any further reaction. We maintain our bullish attitude towards the market, believing, as we do, in the continued bullishness of the situation. Money closed 4 per cent. Sales 1,193,-300. To-morrow's letter, "That Steel Report."

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Councils throughout the Province met on Monday.

—The T.A.S. smoker on Monday night next promises to be a great success.

—Don't forget the hockey match in the new rink on Saturday evening. Let there be a big turn out to encourage the boys.

—The good sleighing is helping those who have no coal out. Some farmers are drawing wood to town a distance of 20 miles.

—Preparations are now about completed for the commencement of work on the tail race of the Cereal Company's new power house.

—A bunch of keys were lost on Wednesday. They were returned to their owner yesterday. A small ad. in yesterday's Times did the trick.

—Mr. Wm. Collins, a few days ago, purchased at Landesborough for Mr. Alex. Matchett, Otonabee, a thoroughbred Durham bull, which arrived yesterday.

—The A.B.M. Club entertained about 25 of their friends on Wednesday evening in the parlors of the Y.M.C.A. A delightful program was presented, during which refreshments were served.

—County Magistrate Edmison was in Havelock Tuesday, when he handed out justice on an assault case which originated on Sunday evening between George Cochrane and Harry Alley, on the way home from church. Each were fined $10 and costs. A third transgressor was fined $5 and costs.

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The ratepayers of Peterborough will, we are confident, have no reason to regret the outcome of Monday's election.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Miss Alice Dawson is visiting friends in Port Hope.

—Mr. G. S. Bennett, representing the Canadian Press Publishing Company, Toronto, is in town for a few days on business.

—Miss Edythe Burnett, of Presbyterian Ladies' College, Toronto, is visiting Mona D. Cavanah, Brock street, for a few days before returning to Toronto.

—The many friends of Mr. Pennington Alexander are pleased to see him out again after his two weeks' illness through an injury received while at work. He hopes to be able to resume business again in a few days.

THE TIMES LETTER-BOX

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MEASUREMENT OF WOOD

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—I was greatly pleased to observe that a correspondent has drawn the attention of the Town Council to the fraud which is being worked every day on the market, in the sale of wood.

In this connection I happened to see the following in an Orillia paper, which shows that we are not the only town in which this evil exists. The paper says:

Down at the market the other evening there were eighteen loads of wood standing at a quarter to six. It had been moving in and out all day; a great many loads. Of the eighteen there was not one measured 128 cubic feet. It was the required length and height, was more or less short in width. It ran all the way from 18 to 22 inches. The man who was selling the 28-inch wood was just short a quarter of a cord, and the 22-inch wood was just short one-twelfth of a cord, but both were asking the same price, five dollars, and both averred they had a cord in the load. The Council would earn the gratitude of citizens if they would appoint an inspector and measurer of wood.

I hope, Mr. Editor, that the Council will do its duty and protect the people. Yours,

A WORKING MAN.

GOVERNMENT SEED

To the Editor of The Times.

Dear Sir,—By instruction of the Hon. Minister of Agriculture another distribution will be made this season of samples of the most productive sort of grain to Canadian farmers for the improvement of seed. The stock for distribution is of the very best, and has been secured by the Director of the Experimental Farms from the excellent crops recently had in the Canadian North-west. The distribution this Spring will consist of samples of oats, Spring wheat, barley, Indian corn and potatoes. The quantities of oats, wheat and barley to be sent this year will be sufficient to sow one-twentieth of an acre. The samples of Indian corn and potatoes will weigh 3 lbs. as heretofore. Every farmer may apply, but only one sample can be sent to each applicant, hence if an individual receives a sample of oats, he cannot receive one also of wheat, barley or potatoes, and applications for more than one sample for one household cannot be entertained. These samples will be sent free of charge through the mail.

Applications should be addressed to the Director of Experimental Farms, Ottawa, and may be sent in any time before the 1st of March, after which the lists will be closed, so that all the samples asked for may be sent out in good time for sowing. Parties writing should mention the sort or variety they prefer, and should the available stock of the kind asked for be exhausted, some other good sort will be sent in its place.

WM. SAUNDERS,
Dir. Exper. Farms.
Ottawa, Dec. 22, 1902.

A COMPARISON

In Money and Food Value

"Coffee had been used in our family for years, and we all drank it except Husband, who gave it up some years ago, because it injured his health," writes a lady from Granville, Ohio.

"Last year we spent the summer in the northern woods. Among our table supplies, unknown to my husband, I had taken along several packages of Postum Food Coffee, but it was stored away and forgotten for weeks during which time we used coffee.

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FORMAL OPENING OF NEW HOCKEY RINK

Will Take Place on Saturday Evening

A Hockey Match Between Toronto Varsity Hockey Team and the Intermediate Colts The Principal Feature

The formal opening of the new rink on Brock street will take place on Saturday evening. The principal feature of the opening will be a hockey match between the Toronto Varsity hockey team which is at present on a tour in Eastern Ontario and Quebec, and the Peterborough Intermediate Colts, winners of the intermediate championship of Ontario in 1902.

That the opening of the rink should and will be attended by a large crowd, goes without saying, and let every person put a shoulder to the wheel and make this season one that will make the Association feel that they are not alone in their work, but have the hearty support of the people of Peterborough at large in their undertaking.

The Hockey Association have spared no pains in erecting a rink that is a credit to the town, being second to none in Canada. The players are provided with a beautiful sheet of ice and outside teams can no longer throw mud at Peterborough in reference to her soup plate rink. The seating capacity is arranged so that spectators will have no trouble in following up the players as they chase the rubber from one end of the ice to the other.

Let the hockey-loving people of Peterborough, and those interested in the welfare of our town turn out on Saturday night and make the opening of the new rink a long remembered event.

Varsity plays at Smith's Falls to-night and will journey from there to Peterborough, where they are scheduled for Saturday night.

The Brock street rink will be open on Monday night for skating, when the band will be present. The skating nights are Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, from 8.15 to 10 o'clock and from 1.30 to 5 p.m. in afternoons. There will be no skating on nights when there is a hockey match.

Barrie and Midland are scheduled for a game at Barrie to-night. S. B. Leslie will referee the game.

The Belleville Intermediates will play at Port Hope to-night. Great interest is being taken in this game, as Belleville is out to win. A number of supporters of the team will accompany the boys to Port Hope. Hugh A. Rose will referee the game.

Brantford, Jan. 7.—The first league hockey game of the season was played here to-night between Brantford and Paris, the two old-time rivals for the hockey championship of this district. The game resulted in a win for Paris, being 6 to 5.

Montreal, Jan. 7.—The Stanley Cup comedy is ended at last. At a meeting of the Canadian Amateur Hockey League, to-night, it was unanimously decided to rescind their previous decision and to give Montreal permission to defend the cup against Winnipeg Victorias during the schedule season, namely Jan. 29 and 31, and if necessary Feb. 2.

It was further agreed that no such permission would be given again. After torrents of wind and balderdash the league has thus climbed down and done what it should have done at first before making itself the laughing stock of the Dominion.

LAST NIGHT'S HOCKEY SCORES

O. H. A. Intermediate.			
Paris	6	Brantford	
Collingwood	4	Orillia	
London 7th	11	Watford	7
Stouffville	7	Uxbridge	
O. H. A. Junior.			
Woodstock	6	Stratford	
Barrie	13	Alliston	
Exhibition.			
Cornwall	7	Varsity	
Wellingtons	10	Dominion Bank	1

About 7,000 people witnessed the football match between the All-Canadian team and the Welshmen at Cardiff, Wales, on Tuesday. The game resulted in a win for the Welshmen by 33 to 3.

THANKFULLY ACKNOWLEDGED.

By the Peterborough Protestant Home Last Month

The committee of management of Peterborough Protestant Home gratefully acknowledge the following donations for the month of December: A Friend, clothing; Mrs. (Dr.) Burnham, Toronto papers and a goose; George street church, sandwiches; Mrs. James Mann, dried apples; Miss Meharry, clothing; Otonabee Lodge, I.O.O.F., cakes; Mrs. A. W. Cressman, clothing and goose; Miss Tucker, clothing; R. H. Hunter, goose, apples and butter; Mrs. T. G. Hazlett, turkey and oranges; W. H. Middleton, evergreens; S. A. Ott, holly; Mrs. Walsh, plum pudding; P. Connal & Son, oranges and apples; Keene Epworth League, turkey; Mrs. J. B. McWilliams, turkey; Mrs. Hotchkiss, cakes; Mrs. Stock, 100 pounds flour; Mrs. Kilgour, apples and candies; Mrs. C. McGill, oranges, reading matter; W. H. Hamilton, turkey, oranges and nuts; S. A. League of Mercy, candies and nuts; River Dale Sabbath school, $3.50; Mrs. V. Best, goose; Miss Nicholls, turkey; Christian Science, Water street, cakes and oranges; St. Andrew's church, milk and cake; Mr. R. Hastie, basket of apples; Anon. 25.

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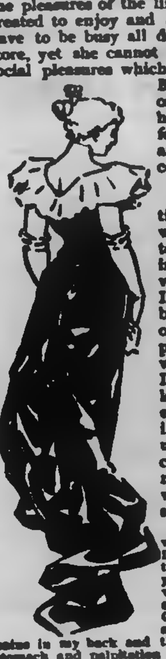

It is hard for a lovely woman to forego the pleasures of the life which she was created to enjoy and adorn. She may have to be busy all day in office or in store, yet she cannot deny herself the social pleasures which are offered her. But the fatigue is often too great for her, and she suffers from headache and backache as a consequence of over-exertion.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The West Peterborough Agricultural Society will hold their Statutory Annual Meeting in the Council Chamber, on Wednesday, the 21st inst. at 1 o'clock. All those interested are requested to be there, when a full report of receipts and expenditures for the year will be submitted.

F. H. DOBBIN, President.
W. J. GREEN, Secretary.

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Telephone Directory

The Bell Telephone Co. of Canada will issue a new **Subscribers' Directory** for the District of Eastern Ontario, including the City of Peterborough, early in January, 1903. Orders for new connections, changes of firm names, etc., should be placed at once to insure appearance in this book.

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Tunisian,	Jan. 10	Jan 12, 10 p.m.
Corinthian,	Jan 17,	Jan 17, 10 p. m

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GERMANY IS ENTIRELY ON THE SIDE OF RUSSIA AGAINST GREAT BRITAIN

Point at Issue is the Passage of Russian Boats Through Dardanelles

The Offensive and Defensive Alliance Between England and Germany

London, Jan. 9.—The Paris correspondent of the Times, referring to the recent protest of Great Britain at the passage through the Dardanelles of four Russian torpedo boat destroyers, quotes Le Temps, which says that Germany is entirely on the side of Russia against England. Continuing, Le Temps says: "The offensive and defensive alliance between England and Germany is starting in singular fashion with their lune de miel un peu russe."

JAMES A MORDEN'S GRAPHIC STORY

His Escape From the Fated Car at Wanstead

HE IS THE MISSING WITNESS

He Was in the Wreck and Paints a Vivid Picture of The Awful Moments Following the Crash—Much Wanted Man at the Sifton Murder Trial Had Close Call for His Life

London, Jan 9—James Morden, one of the two brothers who refused to testify at the last Sifton murder trial had a miraculous escape from injury in the Wanstead wreck. He was in the telescoped coach, but came out with only a scratched nose.

Writing to relatives in this city he gives a graphic picture of the awful moment of the crash and the scenes that followed. He says he was one of the lucky few who were uninjured. There were only four seats in the back of the car that were not covered by the bottom of the baggage car.

"The floor of the baggage car knocked off the back of the seat in front of me," writes Morden, "and slivers went right where my head was a second before. I was in the second seat from the back on the south side. Another gentleman sat beside me, and when the sound came I sprang right past him head first for the aisle. I ducked, so the back of the seat would save my head, and that was the last I knew for a second of time. There was one terrific crash. I found myself standing on my feet facing the door. Everything was still as death. Every light was out.

"I walked safely towards the door. It was open. I turned to the right, and found the vestibule door fast. Breaking the glass, I sprang through. A girl followed me, but got caught in the hole. I helped her out. We stood for a minute, when I left her. Going back, I climbed in through the hole again. In the car everything was dark. Several had come to, and began to cry for help.

"In about two minutes some one came with a light and I saw the two who sat right in front of me pinned down. Where I had been a minute or two before was a sharp bundle of sticks which would have caught me square in the face. I began to pull out the sticks, and soon had the couple in the seat almost freed. In front of them again was a young man, and I tried to get him out, but his feet were fast. He begged me not to leave him."

The shrieks and cries were something awful," he says. One man said to me, "Cut my arm off so I can get out.' I saw a man lying in the snow, and went to him, but his head was in pieces."

Morden took the train for Sarnia before the majority of the unfortunates were released. As he made his way through the wreckage, which was strewn from fence to fence, the last sounds he heard were the piercing calls for help from the poor people pinned beneath the weight of tons. He expresses great thankfulness at having escaped, and says he can get more clothes and a new trunk. But the people who lost their lives cannot get them back again. One of the passengers who particularly impressed him was a tall, fine-looking man. Just before the collision he entered the car, took of his silk hat and placed it in the rack, and, taking a newspaper from his pocket sat down to read. A minute later he was instantly killed.

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Black Letter Days of 1902 and Calamities They Mark.

January, 8—Rear end collision New York Central Railroad Park avenue tunnel; 15 killed, 35 injured.
January 27—Explosion in subway, Park avenue and Forty-first street; 6 killed, 75 injured.
January 27—Earthquake in Mexico; [illegible]
February 2—Fire in Waterbury, Conn., destroyed property worth $2,000,000.
February 8—Fire in Paterson, N.J.; destroyed property worth $10,000,000.
February 14—Earthquake at Shamake, Siberia; killed 2,000
February 22—Fire in Park Avenue Hotel and Seventy-first regiment armory; 16 killed, 25 injured; loss $400,000.
March 1—Floods in New England and Middle States; 25 lives lost; loss $5,000,000.
March 19—Steamship British Queen burned at Hoboken with wharf; loss $900,000.
April 3—Fire at Atlantic City, destroyed 11 hotels with loss of $1,000,000.
May 8—Eruption of Mont Pelee, St. Pierre, etc destroyed; 40,000 lives lost.
May 10—Great anthracite coal strike began; loss $142,500,000.
May 12—Fire in railroad yards, Pittsburg; killed 25, injured 150.
June 26—Explosion of gas works, avenue C, New York; injured 60.
July 16—Explosion in Daly Mine, Utah; killed 40.
August 5—Severe earthquakes in Italy and Portugal.
August 7—Explosion in coal mine, Bourn, Col.; killed 16, injured many.
September 2.—Another outbreak of Mont Pelee; killed 2,000
September 26—Earthquake destroyed Artasch, Turkestan.
September 22—Earthquake at Smyrna; killed 1,000.
October 7—Fire at Texas oil wells; killed 30; loss $500,000
November 4—Fireworks explosion, Madison square; 14 killed, 55 injured.
November 10—Spectacular fire on New East River Bridge; loss $150,000.
December 17—Earthquake at Andijan, Asiatic Russia; killed 2,500.
December 27—Railroad collision, Wanstead, Ont; killed 28; injured 33.

A BRILLIANT GATHERING

Review of Indian Troops by Lord and Lady Curzon in the Durbar

Delhi, India, Jan. 7.—The Viceroy, Lord Curzon of Kedleston, and Lady Curzon and the Duke and Duchess of Connaught today reviewed the retainers of the ruling chiefs in the Durbar arena. The variety of costumes and paraphernalia afforded one of the most striking pictures of the Durbar festivities. Contingents from all parts of Greater India participated, mostly retaining the distinctive features of their customs. The flags or other emblems of the State or Clutch were carried on camels and elephants, accompanied by armed men on stilts, while Arab irregulars danced past the Viceroy to the music of their own instruments. The famous gold and silver guns of the State of Baroda attracted much attention. The ancient Mahratta flags, descended from the Mogul Emperors, were borne past on an elephant carriage.

State barges, camel kettledrums, richly caparisoned elephants, and horses, and agile swordsmen, many shouting battle cries, followed one another in quick succession. A Royal elephant carriage, two storeys high, showed how the palace ladies accompanied the princes of bygone days.

The retinue of the State of Cashmir included a fine detachment of cuirassiers and a huge giant.

The great Sikh States were represented by large, soldier-like bodies of men armed with maces, spears, matchlocks, and hand-grenades. That contingent was headed by an elephant bearing a gorgeous howdah, in one of which the sacred book of the Sikhs occupied the place of honor. The book was guarded by the chief priest. The venerable chief Nabha, escorted by men mounted on richly caparisoned horses, and accompanied by hounds and hawks, was a striking feature of the display, which for wealth of coloring, diversity of components and number of spectators, may be considered to have been the most brilliant of the Durbar display.

LASHED BY FATHER

Farmer Arrested For Cruelly Beating His Fourteen-Year-Old Son

Belleville, Ill., Jan 9—Dieterich Tiedemann, a well-to-do farmer, of Lenz burg, was fined and is under peace bonds today on the charge of beating his 14-year-old son. The boy's hands according to evidence, were clamped in a vise, and he was beaten with a blacksnake whip until he was insensible. The lad had offended his father. Tiedemann took him to a tool shed near the house, and attempted to beat him.

The boy's efforts to ward off the blows of the whip so exasperated his father that he dragged him to a vise, which was set in a work bench. Heedless of his son's pleadings and screams of pain, the father forced his clasped hands between the jaws of the vise and twisted the screw until blood was forced from the boy's finger tips. Tiedemann then lashed the helpless boy until he became unconscious.

The boy's mother, who had been afraid to interfere went into the building after he had left and released the boy's hands, and he fell to the floor. Highway Commissioner Fred. Wassem swore out the warrant against Tiedemann. The case is in the hands of the grand jury.

THE T.A.S. PLAY AT BOBCAYGEON TO-NIGHT

THEIR FIRST GAME IN T. V. L.

Varsity and Peterborough Play an Exhibition Game in the Brock street Rink To-Night

The T.A.S. hockey team will play their first game in the Trent Valley League to-night at Bobcaygeon, their opponents being the hockey team of that place. Captain Lynch gave the boys a work out last night, and judging from the showing they put up in practice they will make the Bobcaygeonites feel around to see where they are at. The forward line of the T.A.S. is very speedy and with Meagher at point and Crowley cover-point, the Bobcaygeon seven will have their troubles breaking through. The following players will represent the team:

Goal, McCoy; point, Meagher; cover point, Crowley; centre, McGrath; rover, Lynch; wings, W. George, Parnell.

The team will leave the T.A.S. rooms at 1 o'clock. Two busses will convey the team and the supporters who desire to accompany the boys.

The Belleville hockey team defeated Port Hope at Port Hope last night by a score of 3 to 2. Considerable money changed hands, as Belleville was out to win, and Port Hope backed their team heavily. Port Hope is at a loss now as what to do with their new rink. It is rumored that they will turn it into a livery stable or a tenement house.

The Varsity hockey septette will chase the rubber with the local Intermediate Colts tonight on the Brock street rink. This will be the first hockey game played in Peterborough this season, and the first match played on our new rink. A large crowd of Peterborough hockey enthusiasts will witness the game. The ice is in good condition for fast hockey and the spectators will look forward to a clean, fast game.

The west gallery at the skating rink will be the reserved side for the hockey match this evening between Varsity and the local team. A limited number of tickets will be sold for this side and no smoking will be allowed there. Tickets are on sale at Ormond & Walsh's, Nugent's and Fred Clarke's. People are requested to obtain tickets in advance as only one office will be available at the rink. Doors open at 7.30. Match called at 8.00.

Tonight eight players will be tried. First half team will be: Goal, Crough; point, Cavanagh; cover point, Armstrong; forwards, Graham, Morgan, R. Armstrong and Whitcroft. In the second half, Glover will be played at point, and Cavanagh will be tried on the forward line. Jack McCabe will referee.

Smith's Falls, Jan. 9.—Varsity hockey team met defeat last night at the hands of the Smith's Falls O.H.A. senior seven, before an enthusiastic crowd of twelve hundred people, to the tun of 9 to 4. Varsity team was strengthened by the appearance of Jamieson, a freshman from Guelph, and O. K. Gibson of last year's seniors in their ranks, both of whom put up star games. The half-time score was 4 all. Lash played a great game in goal.

Toronto Star: Secretary W. A. Buchanan to-day appointed Jas. T. McCabe of Peterborough, as referee for the Stouffville game at Uxbridge on Tuesday night. Mr. McCabe has given excellent satisfaction wherever he has officiated.

Winnipeg, Jan. 9.—The Winnipeg Victoria Stanley Cup challengers were again defeated in a championship game last evening by the Winnipeg Rowing Club seven, the score standing 5 to 3 against the Vics. The half-time score was 2 all. Munton and Keene replaced Nash and Gingras on the Victoria line-up. Green and Burke Wood were the stars for the winners

That fellow McGuire, on the forward line, is a corker from Corkville.—Belleville Intelligencer.

Cobourg juniors beat Port Hope by 9 goals to 1 in an O.H.A. game on Wednesday night at Cobourg.

Two games were played in the Northern League last night. Listowel, who look like pennant winners, beat Lucknow 11 to 4, and Harriston won from Drayton 13 to 3.

Berlin beat Guelph Victorias-O.A.C. at Guelph by 7 to 3, Wednesday night, which accounted for the fact that the A.P. correspondent at the latter city forgot to send out the score. The Berlin papers say a Carmichael played on the Guelph forward line, but his name does not appear in the Guelph accounts.

Brantford hockeyists claim that the score in the Paris game on Wednesday night should have been a tie instead of 6 to 5 in favor of Paris.

The Expositor says that after half-time Taylor of Paris went off for three minutes, and the referee, Percy Dietrich of Galt, did not know who to send off with him. At the moment Dowling had broken his skate, and the game was continued. Taylor served his time and got in the play again, but Dowling had not his skate fixed, and unfortunately the game was not called, as it should have been, to allow him to get on the ice. In his absence, and with seven men to six, Paris tallied and evened up. Then the visitors took the lead and once again Brantford evened. The draw was broken by Paris, who scored shortly before time was up.

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A MURDER AVENGED

Paul Woodward Aged 17 Years Hanged at Camden N. J.

Camden, N. J., Jan. 9—Paul Woodward, aged 17 years, was hanged in the Camden jail today. The drop fell at 10.05 o'clock and Woodward was pronounced dead ten minutes later. He showed remarkable nerve. He murdered on October 1st last, John Coffin, aged 11, and Price Jennings, aged 14. Their bodies were found in a wood near Haddon Heights, six miles from here, on October 4— It was learned that Woodward had been seen in company with the lads on the day of their disappearance, and that the three had purchased pies near where the murder was committed. Woodward was subsequently arrested. An analysis of the boys' stomachs showed they died from arsenical poisoning. The police learned Woodward had purchased arsenic, and he was convicted of murder in the first degree. Counsel for the prosecution claimed that Woodward had poisoned the boys for the sake or robbery, as when they left home the boys had $10 in their possession, but when the bodies were found the pockets of the clothing did not contain a penny.

A MILE HEAD

Wonderful Water Power with a "Head" of 5,000 Feet

Denver, Colo., Jan 9—Arizona engineers regarding the Grand Canyon of the Colorado as affording one of the greatest fields in existence for the development of electricity from water power. In addition to the immense power of the Colorado itself large stores of energy are available in the smaller streams that leap into the vast chasm. The plan by which the power of the main stream, will, it is now thought, eventually be utilized is that of "picking up" the fall of the river by means of tunnels. At a point about a [illegible] miles north of Wiggiams it is said that a fall of five thousand feet can be found in a distance, but little exceeding a mile.

HIDDEN GOLD

A Attempt Being Made to Exploit Gold in Greenland by Danes

London, Jan. 9—There is a belief in Denmark that there is a hidden Klondike somewhere in Greenland, and a private trading company with a large capital has been organized to exploit the country. Hitherto the affairs of Greenland, and such commerce as has existed with the outer world have been monopolized by the Royal Greenland Commercial company, a government institution, but this, it is claimed, has been without resources. Besides the mineralogical enterprises, a feature will be made of the whale fisheries and several great whaling stations will be established next spring on the south coast of Greenland. It is proposed to send out at the same time three scientific expeditions with a view of reporting on the mineral capabilities of the country.

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THE VENEZUELAN TROUBLE

Reservoir Bursts and Causes Panic—Man Drops Dead with Delight

Chicago, Jan. 8—David Thompson, one of the best known prospectors in the Black Hills, over which country he has hunted gold for seventeen years, yesterday struck a ledge of great richness, and after ten minutes of demonstrations of delight, fell dead, says a despatch to the Tribune from Rouboix, S. D. An examination made later by physicians showed a blood-vessel in the brain to have been ruptured.

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London, Jan. 9.—A despatch to the Morning Leader from Lisbon says that the whole city is in a panic owing to the bursting of the reservoir in the northern part of the town.

The low lying districts are completely inundated, and many persons have perished. A large number of buildings have been destroyed.

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TRADED WIFE FOR A WATCH

Judge Benson of Cobourg Straightened Out Tangle—All Got Light Sentence

Port Hope, Jan. 9.—The denouement of a peculiar entanglement of family relations occurred in the County Court at Cobourg yesterday in the trial of George Albert Reynolds of Percy Township, near Dartmouth, for inciting to commit bigamy. The facts of the case as elicited through the evidence were as follows:

On December 10th, 1900, George Albert Reynolds and Annie Clark were married by the Presbyterian minister at wood, and they lived together as man and wife until last fall, when an elder brother, Walter Reynolds, aged 26, came home from Michigan and revived a former intimacy existing between himself and George's wife. George resented this, or else he was tired of his wife, and offered to sell his wife and household effects to Walter, the consideration being a watch bought in Michigan for $25. A bargain to this effect was made, the marriage license procured under false pretenses by the two brothers at Roseneath, and husband No. 1 took charge of his two children, while his wife and brother were being married in innocence by the Methodist minister at Warkworth, in November, 1902. After which husband No. 2 took immediate charge of his brother's wife, two children and household furniture. The affair culminated yesterday in Walter Reynolds and Annie Reynolds pleading guilty to charges of bigamy, and receiving sentences of four months each in the County Jail at Cobourg. George Albert Reynolds, the first husband, was convicted of the charge of inciting bigamy, and received three months. In passing sentence, Judge Benson pointed out that the lightness of the sentences was due to the fact of the ignorance of the parties concerned, and because their offence against society and morality had affected no innocent party injuriously. The parties in this unique domestic mix-up remain unaffected in their relationship, husband No. 1 having promised to take back the wife and children he had sold as soon as the sentences expired.

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GERMANY SAID TO BE IN DEEP FINANCIAL WATER

Radical Revision of Its Whole Fiscal System Must Come Soon

London, Jan. 9.—The Times' Berlin correspondent says the financial condition of the German Empire continues to give grounds for serious reflections. The net estimated decrease in the Imperial revenue which is not appropriated for the separate States, including the income from the post-office, telegraphs and Imperial, as distinguished from State, railways, is between eleven million and twelve million marks. The expenditures are constantly increasing. Forty-eight million marks will have to be appropriated in the estimates to cover the deficit revealed in the final accounts of 1902. It is universally believed that the Government will find it impossible to postpone much longer a radical reform in the whole financial system of the Empire.

THE ORIGIN OF THE MONROE DOCTRINE

Monroe's Declaration

We owe it to candor and to the amicable relations existing between the United Stated and the allied powers to declare that we should consider any attempt on their part to extend their system to any position of this hemisphere as dangerous to our peace and safety. With the existing colonies or dependencies of any European power we have not interfered and shall not interfere; but with the governments which have declared their independence and maintained it, and whose independence we have on great consideration and just principles acknowledged, we could not view an interposition for oppressing them, or controlling in any other manner their destiny by any European power in any other light than a manifestation of an unfriendly disposition towards the United States. —President James Monroe in his message to Congress in 1823.

Which is Now Exciting the Envy of Every Nation in Europe

Historic Facts Showing Growth and Principle of the Subject

New York, Jan. 9.—The trouble in Venezuela is causing the Monroe doctrine to be discussed by every prominent newspaper in Europe. That the United States may be called upon to enforce the doctrine by force of of arms is probable, especially in view of the attitude of the German Empire with regard to the South American republics. The war that would follow such a course would be terrible to contemplate.

Soon after the overthrow of , the empire of the first Napoleon the rulers of Russia, Austria, France, and Prussia formed an alliance for mutual protection, not against aggression from foreign powers, but against revolutionary movements in their own states. At a congress held by the allied powers at Troppau in 1820 it was agreed that the main purpose of the alliance should be to maintain the principle of the legitimacy of the existing dynasties and that if this principle were threatened in any country in Europe, the allied powers should preserve it by actual and armed interference. Popular risings having taken place at Piedmont and Naples, they were put down by the armed forces of Austria in pursuance of a measure taken at the congress at Laibach in 1820, and the revolution in Spain against Ferdinand VII. was suppressed by French armies in consequence of resolutions taken at the congress of Verona in 1822.

At the first two congresses, the English government, then represented by Castlereagh, had, although not strickly one of the allied powers, participated in and sustained the proceedings. But at the point of starting for Verona, Castlereagh committed suicide, and Geroge Canning, becoming secretary of State, disapproved of the Spanish intervention. After the restoration of the Spanish King Canning thought he had reason to believe that the principle of interventoin would be also applied to the reduction of the also applied to the reduction of the American colonies of Spain, which, ever since 1810, had been successively drifting into open revolt. These colonies had freed themselves from the colonial bandage which fettered their trade with the outside world, and England had largely profited by their indipendence. That independence had already been recognized by the United States, and both interest and sympathy made the latter strongly opposed to any effort toward reconquest on the part of Spain.

In the summer of 1823 Mr. Canning mentioned his suspicions to Mr. Rush, the American Minister at London, and expressed his great desire to have the United States join with him in endeavoring to thwart the object of the allied powers. Speaking of a cabinet meeting held in Setpember, 1823, Mr. J. Q. Adams, then secretary of state to President Monroe says—"The subject for consideration was the confidential proposal of Canning, Brisecretary of State, to Mr. Rush, and the correspondence between them relating to the project of the holy alliance upon South America. The object of Canning appears to have been to obtain some public pledge from the United States ostensibly against the forcible interference of the holy alliance between Spain and South America, but really or especially against the acquisition by the United States of any part of the Spanish possessions."

Mr. Adams thought lightly of the matter, but Mr. Monroe and other members of the cabinet, particularly Mr. Calhoun, were, as Mr. Adams says, "very much in fear that the holy alliance would restore all South America to Spain." Upon long and careful consideration it was finally agreed to express some disapprobation of the scheme in the president's message; and the passage relating to this subject was much debated and submitted as finally adopted by the cabinet to Mr. Jefferson and Mr. Madison. The annual message in 1823 accordingly contained this passage, which have come to be known as the Monroe doctrine.

700 FAMILIES LEFT HOMELES

Wholesale Evictions in an English Mining Village Near Sheffield

STRUCK DESPITE THE UNION

And the Colliery Owners Evicted Them from Colliery Owners After Seven Months

London, Jan. 7.—The mining village of Denaby, between Sheffield and Doncaster, was the scene yesterday of evictions by the wholesale. Seven months ago the miners, contrary to the rules and advice of their union, struck because of a dispute with the owners. Many efforts were made to settle the trouble, but they all failed. The owners recently notified about seven hundred of the strikers who were occupying houses owned by the colliery company that if the strike was not settled they would be evicted.

The ultimatum expired yesterday. Early in the day a number of families voluntarily left their dwellings. The others made no opposition to their evictions, and stood in resigned silence while their furniture and other household effects were removed to the streets, mothers and fathers standing holding their children by the hands until their homes were emptied. The scene was pitiful enough, but it was mitigated by the sympathetic tact of the police and by the abundant help bestowed upon the people evicted by tradesmen, co-workers, and others, who provided tents and other shelter.

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THE DOURO T. A. S.

VERY SUCCESSFUL ENTERTAINMENT IN ST. PATRICK'S HALL

A Very Large Audience Present to Enjoy the Irish Drama "Handy Andy"—Presentation to Mr. Dennis Moloney, Douro's Popular Representative in County Council

On Wednesday evening last the Total Abstinence Society of St. Joseph's Church, Douro, presented the celebrated drama, "Handy Andy," in St. Patrick's Hall, to the largest audience that probably ever entered the building. The gathering was made up of the good people of the township, as well as delegations from all the adjoining municipalities, together with a good sprinkling from the County of Victoria.

The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion with flags and bunting, and the entertainment provided was of such a meritorious nature as to reflect the highest credit on the young people taking part.

Rev. Father Fitzpatrick, of Ennismore, acted as chairman of the evening and in opening the proceedings delivered a brief, but practical address. He congratulated the Total Abstinence Society on the good work it was doing in the township. They all knew his views on temperance and he was proud of the splendid organization in his own parish. He urged upon the men of Douro to join the T.A.S., and closed by wishing the society all success.

Then followed the drama of the evening, the caste of characters being as follows:

Handy Andy	B. Leahy
Squire Egan	G. S. Buck
Squire O'Grady	M. Walsh
Mr. Murphy	M. J. Leahy
Dick Dawson	Fred Walsh
M. Furlong	J. Bolin
Edward O'Connor	Jas. Walsh
Simon	Wm. Hayes
Ruffians	Thos O'Brien & G O'Connor
Oonah Rooney	Miss M O'Brien
Mad Nance	Miss M. Sullivan
Fanny Dawson	Miss. E. Powers
Accompanist	Miss A. Flaherty

The play was capitally put on by the young people, and each role was portrayed very creditably. The young ladies in the cast delineated their respective characters in an admirable manner. Of course everybody expected a great deal from Handy Andy, (M. B. Leahy,) and no one was disappointed. The droll and witty sayings as well as his ludicrous mistakes kept the house in roars of laughter. Mr. Stanley Buck, as Squire Egan, portrayed the character very faithfully. The work of the young people certainly deserved the warm praise bestowed by the reverend chairman at the conclusion of the production.

The different scenes in the drama were interspersed with capital specialties. Mr. F. Moher, baritone, contributed two capital solos, and a duet by the Misses Barry was beautifully sung. Miss Lillie Bell, of Keene, contributed two vocal numbers sweetly rendered by this talented vocalist. Messrs. Sam Houlihan and Joe Guerin, the two clever buck and wing dancers and coon song singers brought down the house with their numbers, and will get a warm welcome should they visit Douro again. A beautiful tableau "Gloria in Excelsis Deo," concluded the evening's programme. The young ladies taking part in the tableau were Misses A. Flaherty, A. Walsh, and M. Sullivan, and this number was a beautifully conceived scene, and reflects considerable credit upon Miss Flaherty who arranged it.

The committee in charge of the entertainment are to be congratulated on the successful outcome of the affair. It was a grand success financially, and was a delightful success from a literary and musical standpoint. The committee consisted of Messrs. L. Bolis, R. Leahy and G. S. Buck.

Miss A. Flaherty the talented organist of St. Joseph's church is also deserving of the highest praise for her work in connection with the successful outcome of the evening's entertainment. The programme was virtually under her capable management, and during the evening she also presided very acceptably at the piano.

During the evening a very pleasing incident took place. Mr. Dennis Moloney, President of the Douro T. A. S., was recently elected by acclamation to represent Douro and Dummer in the County Council, and between one of the scenes in the drama, Mr. Wm. O'Brien, Township Clerk, appeared on the stage and read the appended address:

To Mr. Dennis Moloney, County Councillor, Douro:

Dear Mr. Moloney,—It is with no ordinary pleasure, and we hope with pardonable pride, that your numerous friends and well-wishers of Douro, approach you this evening to offer you our most heartfelt congratulations on your recent appointment to the responsible position of County Councillor, and at the same time to couple with the pleasures of this evening's entertainment the still greater pleasure we experience of testifying our deep appreciation of your past services to our Township, whether as Reeve, Councillor, Trustee, or President of our T.A.S. In each and every capacity, we could not fail to recognize your sterling worth, and the wisdom, generosity and foresight you have ever displayed in all your private and public dealings, justly entitle to our esteem and gratitude, and qualify you in every respect for the more onerous duties which your new position will call upon you to fulfill. True worth will always tell, and we are well aware that in doing justice to you, we are only doing honor to ourselves. We know your earnestness and ability, and the deep interest you have always taken in everything pertaining to the good of our Township and our parish, and we trust that the past is a safe guarantee of what we may hope for in the future. Wishing you the compliments of the season, and assuring you once more of our best wishes for a bright and prosperous new year

We subscribe ourselves, your friends in the cause of temperance,

WILLIAM MOHER,
Vice-President.
JAMES BARRY,
Treasurer
WILLIAM O'BRIEN,
Secretary

Douro, Jan. 9, 1903.

Mr Moloney replied as follows:

Rev. Father, Ladies and Gentlemen:—I can hardly find words in which to express my gratitude for that kindly worded address, and the flattering remarks that are made in it. I don't think I am at all deserving of such praise. I am proud to be a member of this T.A.S. and I think it had done a great good in this parish. I hope I will always be able to uphold the principles for which it was founded, and it will be a pleasure for me to do anything I can to further its advancement.

In your address you referred to my election to the County Council I know you were proud to hear of my promotion. I hope I will be able to fill the office with credit to the society and the division I represent. And again I thank you one and all—the members of the Total Abstinence Society—for your very kind address.

The proceeds totalled a handsome sum, which will be devoted to fitting up St. Patrick's hall. The Douro T.A.S. at present has a membership of over 150.

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accompany the party to Europe, that he might wear out his terrible grief by a change of scene and travel. So the saddened party left the White Sulphur Springs, and went on to Richmond, Virginia, where they were immediately joined by the baronet.

CHAPTER XLV.

A Friend In Need.

We will return to Hilda in her terrified flight from the dangers that menaced her from the man who claimed her as his daughter.

She slipped into the coach with its dimly burning night-lamp, and instinctively seeking the most obscure seat, sank down wearily into it, folding her arms upon the back of the next seat, and laying her head down upon them.

There were few passengers in the car, and they were mostly asleep with their hats tilted over their faces to shut out the light. Only one passenger entered the coach after Hilda, and he dropped into the seat behind her without noticing her at all. Leaning back in his seat, he tilted his hat over his eyes like the rest and surrendered himself to thought. And then they were whirled away through the beautiful mountainous country toward their destination.

Presently the conductor came along with his lantern to collect the fare of the few passengers. The man behind Hilda roused up promptly and surrendered his ticket, then relapsed into his musing mood.

"Ticket miss," said the conductor, touching Hilda gently on the shoulder to awaken her. He thought she was asleep.

There was no reply. Hilda had fallen into a lethargic state from which it was difficult to rouse her. The conductor shook her a little more roughly this time, and repeated in a louder tone:

"Ticket, if you please, miss."

Hilda lifted her head wearily, pushed back the vail from her face, and looked around at the impatient conductor.

"Did you speak to me?" she asked, slowly.

"Yes, miss; I am waiting for your ticket," said the man, thinking to himself that she must be very stupid not to know what he wanted.

"I—I haven't any ticket," said Hilda, in a dull tone, like one dazed.

"Haven't a ticket," said the man, in surprise. "Neglected to get it, eh? Oh! very well, the money will do as well. How far are you going?"

"As far as the train goes," said Hilda, with feverish energy.

"We go as far as Richmond. Ten dollars is the fare, and I am in a hurry, if you please," said the conductor.

Hilda started and looked at him. Her embarrassing position suddenly began to dawn upon her. She put her small hand up to her brow in bewilderment.

"I—I haven't any money," she faltered.

"Have you lost your pocket-book?" inquired the man, in surprise.

"No, but I haven't any money," was the frank reply.

The conductor hardly knew what to say to this inexplicable conduct. He began to be angry, and said to her, sharply:

"Well, didn't you know that we don't allow folks to ride free on this train?"

Under the light of the lantern which he held close to her face, a scarlet blush kindled in Hilda's cheeks.

"I—I never thought of it," she faltered. "I was in such a hurry to get away, I just came on the train as soon as it stopped. I didn't think about money."

The man regarded her curiously. He thought she acted queerly, as if her mind was not right. But then, he said, to himself, she might be acting so to deceive him. The latter idea seemed the most plausible.

"I am sorry to seem rude to a lady," he said, "but we don't allow any one to ride free on this train. I shall have to put you off at the next station."

The quick tears sprang to the girl's beautiful dark eyes.

"Oh, pray, pray, don't do that!" she exclaimed, impulsively.

"Compelled to do it, miss," was the grim reply. "Strict orders not to allow any free riding. I'll set you off at the next telegraph station, and you can send a telegram back to your friends to come for you. Hark! there's the whistle. We are at the station now."

At that moment a hand touched Hilda's arm. She turned with a start, and saw Sir Wilfred Hale sitting behind her.

"Oh, Sir Wilfred!" she cried; "I—I," and then, utterly unnerved, she burst into tears.

The baronet turned to the bewildered conductor.

"It's all right," he said; "this young lady is a friend of mine. She has forgotten her purse—that's all."

He slipped a bill into the man's hand, and after looking at it, and saying "all right," the conductor ran to the door and passed through just as the train came to a stop at the station. In a few minutes they were whirled onward again, and then the baronet turned to the still sobbing girl.

"Hilda, my dear child, don't weep so bitterly," he said, in a kind, fatherly voice. "I see you are in trouble. I will help you any way I can."

The kindness of the tone provoked a fresh burst of tears from the agitated girl. She sobbed as if her tender heart would break. He leaned over and spoke to her again.

"Try to control yourself, little one. You will draw public attention to your troubles unless you calm yourself. Come, be brave, like the little heroine you are, and tell me why you are running away from your father."

"How do you know I am running away?" she asked, checking her tears by a strong effort of will, and looking at him in grave surprise.

"I guessed as much," said the baronet, shrewdly. "Come, little Hilda, isn't it true?"

"Yes, it's true," she said falteringly, "and— and— if I thought you were my friend, Sir Wilfred, I would tell you the reason why."

Sir Wilfred left his own seat and sat down by the forlorn little girl.

"Hilda," he said, earnestly, "there are very few people— none, perhaps— who like and admire you more than I do. I would do anything to serve you. You see I have smoothed matters with the conductor so that you can go on to Richmond unmolested. Is not that an earnest of my good intentions toward you?"

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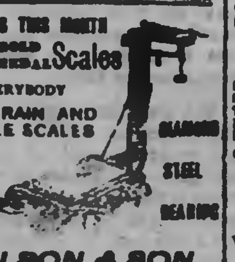

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Horticultural Society Meeting

The annual meeting of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society is called for Thursday next, 15th instant, in the Council Chamber, for the election of officers and other business.

Met with an Accident.

While at hockey practice at the Brock street rink on Thursday night, Mr. Vic. Hamilton was accidentally struck over the eye with a hockey stick, and received a nasty cut.

For Mayor and Aldermen

A special service will be held in St. John's church to-morrow evening at 7 p.m., when municipal and other public matters will be discussed from a religious standpoint. The Mayor and Aldermen have been invited, and doubtless will attend.

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Every school in town has now been thoroughly disinfected with Formaldehyde gas. The most approved apparatus for generating the gas has been used, and the instructions of the Board of Health and of the Provincial Inspector have been carefully carried out, and now with the hearty co-operation of the people we may hope that the town will soon be free from infectious diseases.

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Mr. Stratton's New Secretary

Mr. Elgin C. Myers has been appointed private secretary to Hon. J. R. Stratton, Provincial Secretary, in succession to Mr. Herbert Burrows, who retired owing to ill-health. Mr. Myers has filled the position of assistant private secretary to Mr. Stratton for several years with great satisfaction to the Minister and to the public.

A Norwood Case

This case was for a claim of $100 commission earned on selling the hotel business of the McGregor house, Norwood, for the late proprietor, Mr. J. A. McDonald, to Mr. John White, of Peterborough. The trial took place at the sittings of the Second Division Court held in Norwood on the 28th of November. Judge Edmison reserved judgment at the time, and subsequently handed out a written judgment in Mr. Ghent's favor for the full amount of the claim and costs, which judgment became effective on the 29th of December.

A Pretty Wedding

A pretty wedding took place at one o'clock on Wednesday at the residence of Dr. Archibald Wilson, Fenelon Falls, when his eldest daughter, Violet M., was united in marriage to Mr. F. C. Hare, of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. The bride was attended by her sister, Lillian, and Mr. R. F. Howden, of Whitby, acted as groomsman. Rev. Dr. Hare, of the Ontario Ladies' College, Whitby, father of the groom, conducted the ceremony. The happy couple, accompanied by many friends, left on the afternoon train for Montreal and Eastern points.

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—The entertainment and distribution of prizes in connection with St. Luke's Sunday school was held in the Sunday school last night, and was well attended.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

An Enjoyable Evening Spent by the Society of Chosen Friends

Installation of officers took place on Thursday night in connection with the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the usual order of business, and a delightful evening was spent. The following officers were installed:

Past Councillor—Mr. R. B. McGill.
Chief Councillor—Mr. R. E. Harding.
Vice-Councillor—Mrs. Hickey.
Financial Recorder—Mr. R. E. Harding.
Corresponding Recorder—Mrs. Gibbs.
Treasurer—Mr. W. W. Brown.
Prelate—Mrs. Oliver.
Marshal—Mr. Arthur Upton.

BEET SUGAR MEETING

Farmers Appear Enthusiastically in Favor of the Industry

The first of a series of meetings in the interests of the beet sugar industry was held in Brayley's school-house, North Monaghan, on Thursday evening. There was a good attendance, and considerable enthusiasm was shown. Mr. Joseph Barnard was chairman of the meeting, the principal object of which was to set forth the merits of the industry and the desirability of having farmers take acreage contracts that the industry might be established here. Several gentlemen who had been to Berlin spoke of the importance of the factory there, from a farmer's standpoint, and they seemed to put great faith in the success that would attend the conversion of the raw material right off the farm, and also in the value of the pulp for food for stock. Nearly every one present signified their willingness to take acreage.

Dr. Jeffs, of Havelock, addressed the meeting, going fully into the whole process of manufacture, and Mr. T. M. Bradburn spoke with reference to the proposition to erect a factory in this locality.

Another meeting will be held in May's school house on Monday night next. The canvassers for acreage are reporting very fair results.

DAIRY COMPANY FORMED.

The Object of Which is to Provide Pure Milk for the People

The efforts which have been made for some time to form a City Dairy Company, are about to be realized. At a meeting held in Dennistoun, Peck, Kerr and Stevenson's office on Thursday night, a company to be known as the Peterborough City Dairy Company, Limited, was organized. The following officers were elected:

President—Dr. Halliday.
Vice-President—Jas. Stothart.
Secretary—R. M. Dennistoun.
Directors—J. Carnegie, Robt. A. Wilson, A. A. Cox, W. H. Middleton, W. J. Cox, R. J. Munro, Dr. Boucher, J. Nugent, J. J. McIlpin.

Our readers are aware of the advantages which would result from the handling of milk by a properly equipped company. From a sanitary point of view alone the project is deserving of every encouragement.

The directors have decided that the sum of $10,000 is necessary before any steps can be taken towards active work and they intend to have a canvas of the town made when it is hoped that all citizens who are interested in having a supply of pure milk will subscribe for shares which have been fixed at $25.00 each. Already about $3,000 has been subscribed, and Mr. C. H. Moore was appointed to make a canvas of the town for the purpose of securing further subscriptions.

THE CENTRAL EXHIBITION

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—I see by the advertising columns of your valuable paper that the matutinal annual meeting of the West Peterborough Agricultural Society will soon be held "when a full report of receipts and expenditures for the year will be submitted." This show seems to be run under the same old auspices with the same old result year in and year out. Their only aim seems to be how they can make their receipts exceed their expenditures, and yet their only showing is deficits and unpaid prizes. They have not yet awakened from their Rip Van Winkleism or kept pace with the spirit of the age and the growth of the town and country, but, on the contrary, have actually retrograded.

Not long ago there was an upheaval of public sentiment against the present management which generally declared that it was time for a change. Indeed, with others, I understood that such a change was under contemplation, and yet this meeting would seem to indicate otherwise.

A similar state of things existed for years in our annual horse races until they became a thing of the past. We saw this year how, with the advent of new blood in the persons of Mr. J. M. Brooks, Mr. R. J. Munro, and Mr. A. Rountree, and other similar enterprising spirits, the matter was taken up regardless of receipts and expenditures and the first racing event was a phenomenal success, which will certainly increase with every recurring event. The Canadian Sportsman and Live Stock Journal, while recognizing the efforts of these gentlemen in the cause of clean racing, bespeak for their Club an unqualified success, and adorns its pages with the picture of some of them. Cannot these or similar men take hold of the agricultural show business when the confidence of the public and the success of the show will be ensured?

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your valuable space, I am, etc.

VERITAS.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Mr. T. Cavanagh is purchasing horses for the eastern market.

—Havelock has another doctor in the person of A. H. Crawford, who has entered into partnership with Dr. Jeffs.

—A meeting of the Farmers' Institute was held in Union Hall, Stewart's, Otonabee, yesterday.

—The trains yesterday were all late, on account of the storm.

—Mr. A. B. Sanderson, a former citizen of Peterborough, was elected to the Ottawa city council, at the municipal elections held on Monday last.

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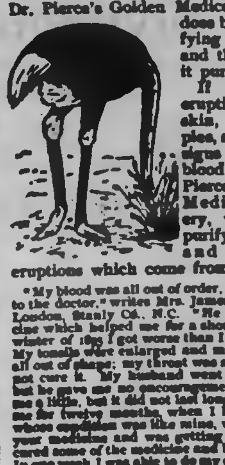
—The Times is requested to state that the annual meeting of Lakefield District Orange Lodge will be held in the Orange Lodge room, Lakefield, on Tuesday afternoon, January 13th, at 1.30 o'clock. All the members are requested to be present.

OSTRICH LOGIC.

"When I can't see danger there is no danger." That's the logic of the ostrich which hides its head and exposes its body to the hunter. There are not a few people who seem to have gone to the ostrich to learn logic. The most dangerous enemies of humanity are the enemies which can't be seen, the disease breeding microbes which infect the blood. It is harder to get the microbe out of the blood than to keep it out, but Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery does both, by purifying the blood and then keeping it pure.



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THE SCHOOLS CLOSED FOR ANOTHER WEEK

The Board of Health and Medical Men Strongly Recommend It

The Times Takes the Matter Up in the Interests of the Children—Opinion of Several of the Leading Physicians

Chairman Hill, of the Board of Education, requests The Times to announce that the schools will not be re-opened until Monday, 19th instant. This course was taken on the advise of the local medical profession and Board of Health.

The above is due directly to the action of The Times. We called up a number of the leading physicians, and got their opinion regarding the prevalence of scarlet fever in town, after which we had a talk with Mr. Hill. When the Chairman of the Board of Education considered the matter, and had taken the advice of the Board of Health as well as the medical men of the town he decided to keep the schools closed for at least a week longer, simply as a matter of precaution against the spread of scarlet fever.

A number of medical men were seen by The Times, with the following result:

Dr. Halliday thought that until the sickness had subsided, it would not be safe to bring the children together.

Dr. Boucher was of opinion that the schools should not be opened for at least three weeks. Scarlet fever was a very infectious disease, especially during the period of recovery.

Dr. Young said: "If the schools were thoroughly disinfected, according to the directions of the Medical Health Board, if these were of any use, the houses properly placarded, people having access to the houses containing disease as well as access to the people, properly isolated—then I see no danger of opening the schools."

Dr. Gray was in favor of keeping the schools closed until the disease was wiped out. It was the only way to overcome and stamp out the epidemic.

Dr. Greer thought it would be safer to keep the schools closed. The fever in its present form was of the malignant type, and was generally fatal. He cited a case where a child was stricken with the disease and was a corpse in 24 hours. Every possible precaution should be taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

Dr. McClelland was very emphatic in stating that the schools should be closed indefinitely. It was not the number of cases which were to be feared so much as the malignant nature of the disease.

Dr. Brown: "I think it would be wise to have the schools remain closed at least another week. Not only is scarlet fever prevalent, but diphtheria also exists. In fact I have had more of the latter lately than the former."

Dr. Morgan said that there was considerable sickness just now, especially amongst the children. A case might be treated as tonsolitis to-day and to-morrow it would be diphtheria. It would be safer to keep the schools closed for the present.

Dr. Bingham, Medical Health Officer, apprehended little danger from the reopening of the schools. The schools had all been fumigated and disinfected, as well as every house where infectious disease existed placarded. He thought that further spread of scarlet fever was not to be looked for.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. Percy Strickland, Lakefield, was in town yesterday.

—Mrs. Wm. Langford, of town, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Burgess, Lakefield.

—Dr. Jeffs, of Havelock, has been in town for several days, a guest at the Morgan House.

—Lakefield News: Miss Lily Fitzgerald, of Ashburnham, spent a few days in the village this week, visiting friends.

—Lakefield News: Miss Freda Graham, of Peterborough, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Fitzgerald a few days this week.

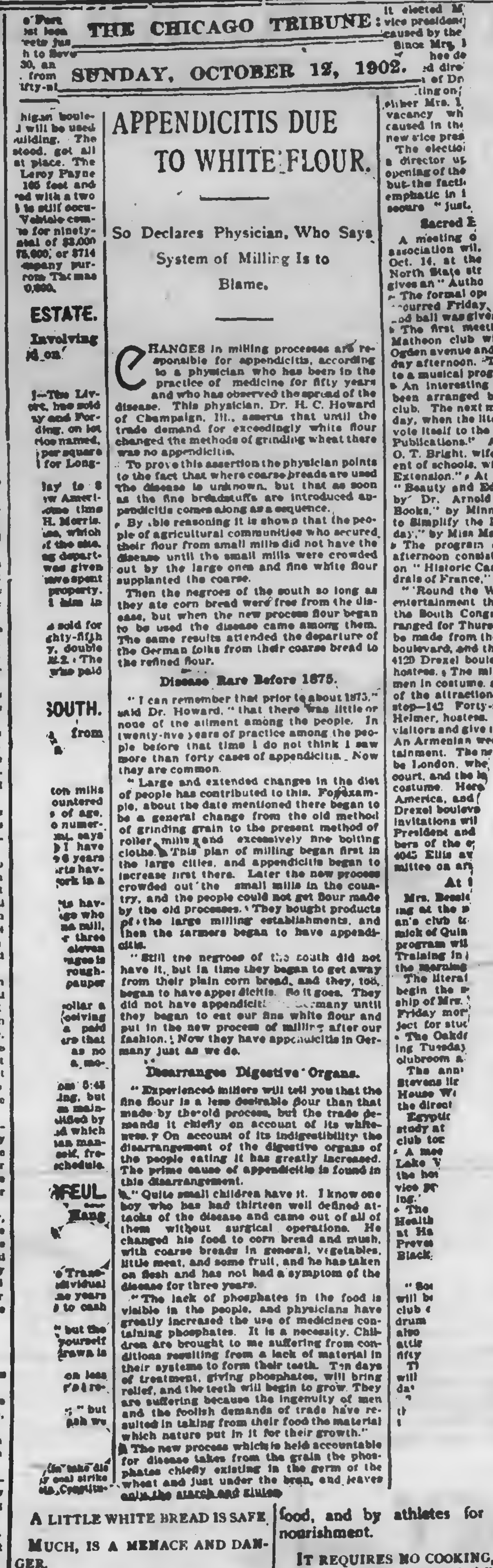
—Mr. O. B. Shortly will sail from New York on Wednesday morning next upon a three months' business visit to the old country and the continent. He will visit the principal cities in France, Germany and Belgium.

Averse to Toil.

The life of the tramp in the West is full of horrible possibilities. One was about to receive sentence for drunkenness the other day when the farmer who had him arrested said, "Don't send him to jail, judge; let me have him." "All right," said the judge; "I will sentence him to you for thirty days." The farmer had to sit on his prisoner all the way home to keep him in the wagon, but his neighbors envied him because he had secured a harvest hand. On a freight train which was wrecked in Kansas fifty or sixty tramps were making their way to Colorado "for their health." The farmers promptly offered them two dollars a day and good food and lodging, but they declined, thinking to "bum" their living. The farmers thought otherwise. They "rounded up" the hoboes with shotguns and set them at work in the fields, where the women, armed with guns, guarded them. Some amateur photographers who thought the chance too good to miss are said to have had difficulty in getting their subjects to look pleasant.

The Wrong Bottle.

During the run of "A Celebrated Case" in New York, in the spring of 1878, J. H. Stoddart played the role of Sergeant O'Rourke. He says he has reason to remember this character, and adds: "In the prologue I had a scene with Mrs. Booth, who played the wife of Jean Renaud, the hero, in the course of which she was supposed to give me, as the sergeant, a cup of wine, which I had to swallow. It so happened that the property-man had been using kerosene on the stage during the day, and had left the bottle containing that liquid upon the dresser, where Mrs. Booth was in the habit of finding the drink for the sergeant. During the business she poured a full cup from this bottle, handed it to me, and I swallowed the contents at a gulp. 'O Lord!' I said, as I received the potion. 'What have I done?' said Mrs. Booth, under her breath. I could only gasp out: 'Kerosene!' and made a hasty exit. For almost a week everyone avoided me, owing to the presence of the noxious fluid. I drank such a quantity that the odor and taste remained with me until I thought I should never be rid of it. Otherwise it did me no injury, and my physician even said that it did me good."



THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE:
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1902.

APPENDICITIS DUE TO WHITE FLOUR.

So Declares Physician, Who Says System of Milling Is to Blame.

CHANGES in milling processes are responsible for appendicitis, according to a physician who has been in the practice of medicine for fifty years and who has observed the spread of the disease. This physician, Dr. H. C. Howard of Champaign, Ill., asserts that until the trade demand for exceedingly white flour changed the methods of grinding wheat there was no appendicitis.

To prove this assertion the physician points to the fact that where coarse breads are used the disease is unknown, but that as soon as the fine breadstuffs are introduced appendicitis comes along as a sequence.

By this reasoning it is shown that the people of agricultural communities who secured their flour from small mills did not have the disease until the small mills were crowded out by the large ones and fine white flour supplanted the coarse.

Then the negroes of the south so long as they ate corn bread were free from the disease, but when the new process flour began to be used the disease came among them. The same results attended the departure of the German folks from their coarse bread to the refined flour.

Disease Rare Before 1875.

"I can remember that prior to about 1875," said Dr. Howard, "that there was little or none of the ailment among the people. In twenty-five years of practice among the people before that time I do not think I saw more than forty cases of appendicitis. Now they are common.

"Large and extended changes in the diet of people has contributed to this. For example, about the date mentioned there began to be a general change from the old method of grinding grain to the present method of roller mills and excessively fine bolting cloths. This plan of milling began first in the large cities, and appendicitis began to increase first there. Later the new process crowded out the small mills in the country, and the people could not get flour made by the old processes. They bought products of the large milling establishments, and then the farmers began to have appendicitis.

"Still the negroes of the south did not have it, but in time they began to get away from their plain corn bread, and they, too, began to have appendicitis. So it goes. They did not have appendicitis in Germany until they began to eat our fine white flour and put in the new process of milling after our fashion. Now they have appendicitis in Germany just as we do.

Disarranges Digestive Organs.

"Experienced millers will tell you that the fine flour is a less desirable flour than that made by the old process, but the trade demands it chiefly on account of its whiteness. On account of its indigestibility the disarrangement of the digestive organs of the people eating it has greatly increased. The prime cause of appendicitis is found in this disarrangement.

"Quite small children have it. I know one boy who has had thirteen well defined attacks of the disease and came out of all of them without surgical operations. He changed his food to corn bread and mush, with coarse breads in general, vegetables, little meat, and some fruit, and he has taken on flesh and has not had a symptom of the disease for three years.

"The lack of phosphates in the food is visible in the people, and physicians have greatly increased the use of medicines containing phosphates. It is a necessity. Children are brought to me suffering from conditions resulting from a lack of material in their systems to form their teeth. Ten days of treatment, giving phosphates, will bring relief, and the teeth will begin to grow. They are suffering because the ingenuity of men and the foolish demands of trade have resulted in taking from their food the material which nature put in it for their growth."

The new process which is held accountable for disease takes from the grain the phosphates chiefly existing in the germ of the wheat and just under the bran, and leaves only the starch and gluten

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Continued Unrest at Fez--Standard Oil Company Encounters Bitter Opposition

Dresden, Jan. 10—The Standard Oil Company is sharing the same bitter opposition which is now being encountered in Saxony by the American Tobacco Company. A journal which represents the Standard Oil Company in Germany recently appealed to the Saxon Government for permission to erect tanks and storage reservoirs adjoining the tracks of the Saxon Railway. The Government referred this appeal to the various Chambers of Commerce, and representative commercial associations, and the result was a chorus of protests and a strong indictment of the methods of the Standard Oil Company. Acting on the advices, the Saxon Government not only rejected the application, but offers its services in behalf of the domestic interests to prevent the so-called Oil Trust from gaining control of the market by sharp competition. The journal referred to has been making strenuous efforts of late to oust its most formidable competitors in the German markets, the Russian and Roumanian Petroleum Companies. In order to regain lost ground in Saxony, where the rival interests have been working with large profits for the last year, it was planned to gain a concession from the Saxon Railway Ministry referred to above. In Prussia the Standard Oil Company has secured concessions from the Royal Railway, allowing the company to pipe oil directly from the railway tanks into the adjoining reservoirs. In Baden the company has also secured special privileges. In Saxony, however, the opposition has been more successful, owing to the combined opposition of the rival companies of Saxon Governments, and of the popular feeling against American products.

International Difficulty Not Likely.

London, Jan. 10—Neither in political circles, nor in the press, says a Paris correspondent of The Times, is there any evidence that the question of the passage of four unarmed Russian torpedo boat destroyers through the Dardanelles is regarded as likely to produce any serious international difficulty. There is no trace of a systematic tendency to find Great Britain in the wrong, which for some years too largely characterised French criticism on almost every diplomatic incident in which Great Britain was concerned. In this instance, the case has been argued in political circles and in the press in a fair spirit and apparently with the wish on all sides to avoid anything which might add venom to a dispute in which France is less immediately concerned than Great Britain and Russia.

Making Von Holleben the Scapegoat.

London, January 10—According to a Berlin correspondent of The Times Vossiche Zietung speaks sharply about the retirement of Dr. Von Holleben as the German Ambassador in the United States. After sarcastically remarking that until the sudden announcement was made that Dr. Von Holleben would go on leave, it had not been thought even worth while to mention his illness, this newspaper continues, as follows:—"If Dr. Von Holleben retires neither the German Empire nor the United States of America will lament any special loss. Germany requires as its representative in Washington a better judge of persons and situations than Dr. Von Holleben." The correspondent says that Vossische Zietung does not stand alone in its haste to make Dr. Von Holleben the scapegoat for mistakes committed by the German Government in its dealings with the United States.

Continued Unrest at Fez.

London, Jan. 10—The belief that situation is no longer serious in Morocco will be largely dispelled by a despatch received from a correspondent of The Times at Tangier. He says that the news from Fez in the last few days is far less satisfactory. The Hyaina tribe, which had sent representatives to pledge allegiance to the Sultan, is reported to be still aiding the rebels. The people of Fez are very discontented at the Government's inaction. The Sultan continues to repair the city's defences, but the population, which was never very loyal, is anxious that the coming struggle should not occur there. At last advices the rebels were reported to be nearing Fez.

THE CANADIAN TROOPS IN SOUTH AFRICA

Canadians who Resigned and Were Discharged From the Constabulary Force

GENERAL BADEN-POWELL SOON TO RETIRE

Canada's Complaint About American Cattle—Improvements in St Lawrence Navigation

London, January 12—Some Canadians who were members of the South African Constabulary arrived in England on Tuesday, and twenty or thirty more are expected soon.

Enquiry shows that some were discharged in certain cases for bad conduct and it is alleged the others resigned because they resented being transferred to different sections under other officers than their own.

Some difficulty exists regarding their passage back to Canada, but negotiations are now being carried on with the Colonial Office as the men were enlisted in the Dominion, but most of them expect to return home on Saturday.

Another authority confirms the statement that most of the men resigned on account of their dislike of the English officers.

It is announced today that General Baden-Powell will retire from the command of the South African Constabulary for a better post, though his future movements are not definitely settled.

The Cape Town papers are full of acrid comment on the general administration of the South African Constabulary.

AMERICAN CATTLE

Canada's Complaint Regarding Landing of American Stock

London, January 12—The Standard Ottawa correspondent cables today that the Canadian Cabinet is considering the action of the Imperial authorities in relaxing cattle quarantine regulations against United States ports, while they are strictly enforcing them against Canadian ports. A high official interviewed by the Montreal Star's representative today, said it was hard to see where there was a grievance. The British Board of Agriculture made no relaxation.

No special orders were issued scheduling the United States ports. The steamer referred to was the Ulstermore from Baltimore, which, by a special order of the board, was permitted an extension of time for the landing of cattle. The board decided that it was better to let the cattle be landed than to have the vessel put to sea again.

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ST. LAWRENCE ROUTE

Improvements in Navigation Aids on St. Lawrence

London, January 12—Officials of the Elder-Dempster Steamship Company, writing in the papers today enumerate the improvements in lights and warnings being effected in the St. Lawrence and the Bay of Fundy, under the instructions of Hon. Mr. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works. They say that the shipping trade will benefit enormously, and also point out as a proof of the safety of the St. Lawrence route, the fact that last season the Elder-Dempster steamers made 73 Anglo-Canadian voyages without a mishap, except that to the Lusingo. No definite information is obtainable here respecting the statement that the Canadian Pacific has concluded plans to run a line of freight steamers to Liverpool, London and Glasgow as soon as the St. Lawrence opens. This service is probable, but is not expected to commence so soon.

APPENDICITIS INSURANCE

For a Premium of 5s the Patient Can be Insured

London, Jan. 11—It is an old axiom that everything can be insured at Lloyd's. Last spring the famous room made a large amount by insuring against smallpox at the low rate of half a crown per cent. Now the prevalence of appendicitis has suggested to one of the most prominent firms in Lloyd's that the public might like to insure against it.

For a permium of 5s. the assured, if he has to undergo an operation for appendicitis, will have all his direct expenses paid up to £200, and in the event of his death under or from the operation a total sum of £200 will be paid.

Though the idea has only been mooted this week a large number of people have already availed themselves of this insurance. The premium it will be noted, is the same percentage as was charged for smallpox. Age does not stale the infinite variety of Lloyd's.

PETERBOROUGH DEFEATS VARSITY

At Brock Street Rink on Saturday Night

A large crowd witnessed the hockey match on Saturday night between Varsity and the Intermediate Colts, at the Brock street rink, it being the first match of the season held in Peterborough and the first on the new rink—Saturday night being the occasion of the formal opening of the rink.

The ice was in good shape for fast hockey, but neither team played brilliant hockey. The Peterborough seven were handicapped for lack of practice, which was very noticeable, and the combination of the forwards was deficient and not up to the mark, what little passing that was done being very inaccurate. On very few occasions did the team appear to be at all up to last year's form; once or twice during the match the forwards got in some very effective combination work, but as a rule the forwards relied too much on individual playing. For Peterborough Morgan and Cavanagh on the left wing, were particularly noticeable and worked well together. Glover at point, and H. Armstrong at cover point played a very strong game. Crough, in goal, for Peterborough, did not show up very brilliantly, and should have picked out many more shots that resulted in goals.—this is his first appearance between the nets for the Colts, and no doubt he will be given a chance to show what he can do.

For Varsity Gilbert, who was an addition to the team Saturday night, was a tour of strength and did very clever work for the visitors, while Lang at point relieved many times. Leach in goal, stopped shot after shot which were poured in upon him, and picked out many of Cavanagh's hot ones, and it was due to his clever stops that the score was not much larger for Peterborough, who kept the puck pretty well in Varsity's territory during the match. The game from start to finish was clean, no rough work being indulged in by either team. The score at the finish was Peterborough, 11; Varsity 6, Varsity being the first to score.

Jim. McCabe officiated as referee.

Jack McDonough and Eugene Hurtubise have agreed to wrestle at the T.A.S. smoker tonight.

St. Peter's T.A.S. Hockey team defeated Bobcaygeon at that place on Saturday afternoon, by a score of 7 to 5. The home players were, Lynch, Meagher, Crawley, George, McGrath, Parnell and McCoy.

Mr. Earle's Address

At the Friday evening meeting of the Ladies Reading Circle of St. Peter's T.A.S., Mr. Barton Earle gave an able address on "Shakespeare and the Drama." This is a subject which Mr. Earle is quite capable of handling in first class style and the audience received an intellectual treat.

Rev. Dr. O'Brien and others also gave short addresses.

The chair was occupied by Mrs. J. O'Hern and the following programme was rendered:—Instrumental duet, by the Misses Hurley; vocal solo, Miss Ollie Tangney; vocal solo, Mr. Frank Pope.

At the next meeting, to be held on Friday, January 23, Miss Drennard will read a paper.

To-morrow evening the Ladies' Literary Committee will hold a meeting.

Schools Disinfected

All the town schools have been thoroughly disinfected, and after another week's vacation it is hoped that everything will be in first class shape for the re-opening of schools on Monday next, Jan. 19. If the people will co-operate with the Board of Health, we believe the town will soon be quite free from infectious diseases.

THE TIMES LETTER-BOX

Letters From the People on Interesting Topics

NOTE,—The Times does not hold itself in any way responsible for the opinions expressed by its correspondents. —Ed. Times.

WHY NOT THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sir,—I quite agree with the action
Sir,—I quite agree with the action of the Board of Education in closing the schools of the town; but would it not be equally as well to have the Sunday Schools closed as well? What have the medical men to say about this?

Surely if it is dangerous for children to meet on week days, it is also dangerous on Sundays?

Let us hear from The Times on this most important subject.

COMMON SENSE.

Peterboro, Jan. 10th.

THE "CITY" OF PETERBOROUGH

To the Editor of The Times:

Dear Sir,—I was not only disappointed, but I must confess, disgusted when looking at the reports of the municipal elections throughout Ontario in the Toronto Press, to find Peterborough not among the large typed list of cities—but instead to find that grand and enterprising municipality among the small typed list of towns and villages. What a poor advertisement for Peterborough that was! Neither did I see a tag attached to the name "Peterborough" that Peterborians were proud to say that it stood as the largest "town" in Canada, and yet more than large enough to be a "city."

I am sure most people in Canada simply thought that our town was not eligible to be in the city class for want of population.

I read so much in the Peterborough Press of some one here and some one there, saying this and that business, and this and that organization is doing so much in advertising Peterborough—but I think I am safe in saying that the grandest advertisement and the most spectacular too, would be the announcement to the world that Peterborough has been made a city. It would be prima facie evidence that we are progressive and have become a large community for which there must be some good reason.

To show how little Peterborough is really known to be what it is,—one of the largest manufacturers in Canada,—a public man, too,—told me lately he was informed that the only factories of any account in Peterborough were the Cereal and Electric factories. I certainly astonished him when I enlightened him about our other large works, such as the Wm. Hamilton Company, the Cordage Works, Auburn Mills, Matthews Packing Co., Peter Hamilton Works, etc., etc. Who is to blame for this lack of knowledge of the outside public?

I noticed by the Press reports that our esteemed Alderman-elect, Daniel O'Connell stated in his nomination speech that he thought Peterborough should be a city. It should be up to him to see that it be made so, and he is a man who is able, I am sure, to carry the matter to a successful issue.

Let us make the world forget our youth and recognize us as "grown up" and as a progressive and large community, for manufacturers find it well to locate in a populated centre so that they can secure a choice of labor.

It may not be out of place here to mention that I have arranged, (informally as yet,) with a large and influential Society—whose profession is wrapped up in the progress and prosperity of this country—to hold this year's convention at Peterborough on the opening of navigation, and on my return to Peterborough I intend conferring with Mayor Roger and the council as to some sort of official reception to that Society. I shall take it upon myself to show them what nature has done for us back of Peterborough, and no doubt others will be ready to join in showing them the sights—I hope to say of—the City of Peterborough.

J. ALEXR. CULVERWELL.

THE MAYOR'S BANQUET

His Worship Mayor Roger will Entertain This Evening

Following a precedent established ten or a dozen years ago, His Worship, Mayor Roger will entertain the members of the council and other prominent citizens to a banquet at Long's Palm Parlors this evening.

The following ex-Mayors have been invited to be present—Hon. Senator Cox, Toronto; H. H. Smith, Winnipeg; James Stevenson, J. J. Lundy, Wm. Yelland, James Kendry, A. L. Davis, and Harry Denne.

In addition to the ex-Mayors, the Water Commissioners, civic officials, ex-councillors and other leading citizens will be present.

The speeches will not be of the usual character at this annual event. Several speakers are to deal with special subjects, such as "Local Industries," "Municipal Ownership," "Union With Ashburnham," etc. It is expected that the aldermen will come away loaded not only with the good things provided by Mr. Long, but also filled to the neck with "pointers" of how the affairs of the town should be managed. This great family journal will be there, and will endeavor to acquire, digest and secure for its readers a portion of the intellectual food so generously supplied.

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Bad coughs, colds and catarrh are responsible for more consumption than is traceable even to consumption. Catarrhozone cures more quickly than ordinary remedies because it is the only antiseptic yet discovered that is volatile enough to reach the root of the trouble in remote parts of the lungs and bronchial tubes, and impregnate every particle of the air breathed with its healing, germ-killing vapor. Colds can't last ten minutes, or coughs more than thirty minutes when Catarrhozone is inhaled. It clears nose, throat and air passages at once, stops dropping, headache, and erradicates catarrh from any part of the system. Two months' treatment, $1.00; trial size 25c. Druggists or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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TOWN COUNCIL AT CHURCH

Rev. J. C. Davidson Discusses Municipal and Other Public Matters at St Johns'

At St. John's church last evening the Rev. J. C. Davidson discussed municipal matters from a religious stand point. The Mayor and Aldermen-Elect attended in a body, together with the Town Clerk and Treasurer, the Chief of Police and other public officials. The reverend gentlemen selected for his text Romans 13, 26.—"They are God's Ministers," and in the course of a very eloquent and convincing discourse, pointed out that the power of doing good in the world is not limited to gentlemen of the cloth, but comes from God also through his ministers in public office. God works for the good of mankind in three spheres—the family, the church and the State. The men chosen by Him for municipal and legislative office are clothed with the authority of the Most High, and they are His ministers as much as those selected for religious orders. Speaking directly to the Mayor and aldermen-elect, the reverend gentleman said the material welfare of this town is intrusted to you by God, who made all material things, and if you realise your office you will recognize that material prosperity is not everything to be desired. As Ministers of the Most High you are definitely given charge of measures for securing public health, and it is of the greatest importance that you should take advantage of those measures which God has revealed in this scientific age of avoiding disease. Should you be careless in this respect then disease is bound to spread, and death will follow. The speaker here expressed his confidence that the new civic board would co-operate with the Board of Health in taking every possible precaution to safeguard the Town against an epidemic of contagious diseases. It is for them to decide whether an extension of the present sewerage system is an immediate necessity, and whether a connection with each dwelling on the extension shall be enforced. Mr. Davidson next took up the question of beautifying the public parts of this town. He thought each successive Council should undertake to beautify some particular part of Peterborough, the natural situation of which is conducive to the picturesque. We are surrounded by hills and undulating country, and, like the garden of the Lord, the town is well watered. We have miles of water front and accompanying islands, which he thought, might be readily beautified.

In conclusion the reverend gentleman asserted that the members of the Council are God's Ministers in Public Righteousness. In this connection he regretted that when we thing of Municipal Righteousness, there exists an evil which defiles this town. But we never had such an opportunity of forcing the Crooks Liquor Act, as has followed in the wake of the Referendum, which has shown liquor men what the true force of public opinion really is. There are two classes of liquor men, and they are separated by a wide gulf. There are men who want the Act enforced to the letter, and are anxious for the Temperance party to get behind the men in power and insist upon its enforcement. He believed that if the Town authorities will take hold of the matter they would have the hearty co-operation of those people who desire to have the Act lived up to by the men who do a rough trade and think they have enough political influence to act as they please. The reverend gentleman was emphatic in his belief that the Hon. J. R. Stratton would give such a measure his hearty support. He said that if petitioned to have the Crooks Act more rigidly enforced "no man would be more ready than the same honourable gentleman—and I do honor him—to grant the petition of his constituents." The reverend gentleman deplored the fact that public men do not receive credit from the people they serve: knaves, villians, rogues, scoundrels, are some of the pet names by which they are called by our ungrateful people. It is true some few public men are honored, but they are dead.

OFFICERS ELECTED

At the Inaugural Meeting of the Separate School Board

The inaugural meeting of the Separate School Board was held on Friday evening all the members being present, viz., J. Murty, J. J. Lynch, Joseph Gosselin, M. L. Henry, D. O'Connell, J. Clancy, J. Kylie, J. Hickey.

Mr. James Murty was re-elected chairman.

Mr. John Corkery was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

The Rev. Father McColl was re-elected the local superintendent of separate schools.

Mr. L. M. Hayes was re-elected the representative on the High School Board.

Messrs. D. O'Connell and T. R. McGrath were appointed auditors.

The following standing committees were appointed:

Finance — Messrs. Lynch, Clancy, and Kylie.

School Management —Messrs. O'Connell, Hickey and Gosselin.

Property Committee — Messrs. Henry, Clancy and Hickey.

The first named in each committee being chairman.

The following statement of receipts and payments for the year 1902 was presented:

RECEIPTS.	
Taxes town of Peterborough	$4400.00
Otonabee	20.00
Ashburnham	417.00
North Monaghan	60.00
Smith	10.00
Douro	1.00
Provincial Treasurer	120.00
Bal. due Bank of Toronto	676.76
	$5704.26

PAYMENTS.	
Balance from 1901	$528.65
Salaries	4530.15
Fuel	316.00
Repairs	178.22
Printing	27.50
Interest	86.95
Furniture	166.05
Insurance	74.75
Supplies	62.10
Miscellaneous	61.91
	$5704.26

—A week ago yesterday a small valise was left in market building. The Chief of Police wants an owner for the same.

GENERAL CHAFFEE COULD HAVE SEIZED $80,000,000

President McKinley Would Not Allow Chinese Gold to be Taken

Greatest Treasure in All China—It was Hidden Within the Forbidden and the Hiding-Place was Well Known to Americans

New York, Jan. 10—If President McKinley had not forbidden it, General Adna R. Chaffee admitted, in an address at the Hamilton Club in Brooklyn, where he was the guest of honor at a dinner in commemoration of the birthday of Alexander Hamilton, that he would have seized a treasure worth $8.000,000 when he was in command of the American troops in China.

He knew exactly the location of this treasure in the Forbidden City, and had planned to take possession of it, he said, when the President vetoed the proposition. It was his intention to hold any amount that might be settled on as proper indemnity and return the remainder to the Chinese Government.

"We and the Japanese had the honor of guarding the gate to the Forbidden City," said General Chaffee, "and may have to endure the mortification of being charged with having allowed a great amount of looting, but it is a fact that the Forbidden City was not looted to the amount of $500.

Jewels of the Empress.

"Within those walls, however, was the greatest treasure in the Chinese Empire, including the jewels of the Empress Dowager. So great was its volume that it took a hundred Chinese soldiers twenty days to transport it from the winter palace to the house where it was secreted. This was done by night, the soldiers taking roundabout and little used streets to reach their destination, and if it had not been for the enterprise of an American whom I will not name, and for the venality and greed of the Chinese soldier in command of the proceeding, the secret might never have become known.

"As it was, I was fully informed as to all the particulars. I even had a map of the Forbidden City, with the location of the house where the treasure was concealed plainly marked on it, and at a moment's notice, I could have seized the entire amount, had not my hands been tied."

TO FORWARD TEMPORAL INTERESTS OF CATHOLICS

New Radicalism in Ireland, Said to be An Unfortunate Departure in Irish Social Life

Dublin, Ireland, Jan. 10.—A writer in a local paper says: "The 'Catholic Association' which has recently sprung into existence in Ireland is a body which has not attracted the attention it deserves. I referred to it a few weeks ago as being in process of formation. It has now taken definite shape, appointed officers, and issued a circular inviting support, and describing its aims. Its president is Mr. Edward Martyn, the well known dramatic author and colleague of Mr. Yeats is founding the Irish Literary Theatre, and it has an Executive Committee composed of Dublin professional men, journalists, and clergy. The objects as stated are:—

"1. To forward the temporal interests of Catholics in Ireland and to promote their social and intellectual intercourse;

"2 To foster a spirit of mutual help and fraternity amongst Catholics;

"3. To promote the practical support of the Irish language, literature, art and industries.

"The circular entitled a 'Summary Statement of Reasons for the Establishment of a Catholic Association for Ireland,' refers to 'the circumstance that the official hierarchy of professional, financial and higher commercial life in Ireland has always been Protestant since the days when the penal enactments necessarily made it so. The long start of us which Protestants enjoyed in 1829 has largely kept it so to this day, and has fostered the spirit that has encouraged them to extend their caste system, with its inevitable exclusive tendencies, to almost every sphere which they can control. In proof that this is so,' the statement goes on, 'it is only necessary to examine the chief financial and commercial concerns in Ireland, and to analyze the constitution of their staffs.' The results of this analysis in the case of the three largest railway companies and of the Royal Dublin Society are then given showing that Protestants have a practical monopoly of the higher paid offices in these organizations. The new association means to change all this, and secure if it can that Roman Catholics shall dominate the economic and industrial life of the country, and develop that country 'upon Irish and Catholic lines. Already it has scored a minor, but distinct success in compelling the Great Southern and Western directors to forego their privileges of nominating candidates for clerkships. The latter will henceforth be thrown open to unrestricted competition.

A Discouraging Outlook

"The association, though a very important one, is also in the opinion of quiet people on both sides an unfortunate departure in Irish social life. It will be an Orange society reversed, and one body of this kind is intolerable enough without having the country rent to pieces among two of them. Perhaps it was inevitable that one should produce the other, but one wishes that the process of time and the progress of human ideas should have gradually brought about the euthanasia of Orangeism rather than the creation of another body of possibly greater smartness and intolerance. Roman Catholics, however, might very well reply, 'How long are we to wait for the liberalizing of Irish Protestantism?'; and I do not quite see what Irish Protestants could retort. There is not, indeed, so much real bigotry and exclusiveness as the new association contends. The reasons why Roman Catholics do not get on in Ireland is not merely that Protestants keep the good positions for themselves. Roman Catholics admittedly show less energy and keenness in qualifying themselves, and it is hard to believe when one surveys the condition of Europe, that this is due to causes peculiar to the history of Ireland. However, there is no doubt that the inherited ascendency feeling among Irish Protestants has worked to prevent the Irish Catholic from having his fair chance of worldly success in his own country. The northern farmer who said to Mr. T. W. Russell, 'Sure, they must be kept down, sir,' gave expression to the general feeling. While the Irish Catholic was content to think himself wealthy in the spiritual things denied to Protestants, he did not mind being "kept down." But it is part of the general reawakening of Celtic Ireland that he is now apparently bent on making the best of both worlds. How far he will succeed in doing so those who live will see, but the game will be worth watching and may lead to some curious and unexpected developments."

While the people of Vermont are trying to get rid of prohibition and substitute high license with local option, the people of Maine are trying to get their prohibition laws enforced more vigorously. For many years the prohibition laws of Maine have been a joke. There was no difficulty in getting liquor in any city or considerable village, though the law of absolute prohibition remained on the statute books. Every few years, however, some part of the state wakes up to determination to prevent the sale of liquor. The first thing it does usually is to elect some clergyman to be sheriff. Under the state law the sale of liquor is under jurisdiction of the sheriff and his policy determines the local conditions. In every Maine city the liquor traffic is just what the sheriff makes it.

It is an interesting fact that the sheriffs in the larger towns adopt exactly the method adopted by many mayors of cities dealing with a grosser evil. They permit liquor to be sold openly in violation of law, but fine the violators at regular intervals. This is called the Bangor plan, because it has been in operation in Bangor for thirty years. Previously the county had elected a parson sheriff and had prohibition for one term. That seemed to be enough. Every subsequent administration adopted the policy that now prevails. Under this there are no disorderly saloons, liquor is never sold on Sunday, and all places are closed before 10 o'clock at night.

There is no disposition to change the administration of the prohibition law in Bangor; but there has been a recrudescence of the prohibition spirit throughout the state, and several counties are going to make an attempt at more vigorous enforcement. One of the most important counties has elected a clergyman for sheriff, and he is going to put an end to the sale of liquor in Lewiston, where it has been going on openly and in a very orderly fashion for about ten years. The same attempt is to be made in other counties, including some where there has been no change in administration; so it may be assumed that there is a real popular movement in the direction of strict enforcement.

Prohibition states are subject to these ebbs and flows of popular feeling like cities. There is this [illegible] difference, the only time they get a "wide open" administration is when they try to shut all the saloons. When they are content to use the prohibition law as a club to compel decency and order, they get the very best regulation of the liquor traffic that is found anywhere.

The Critical Time of Life

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Perfect Manhood

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THE DOUKHOBOR PROBLEM

The story of the Doukhobor pilgrimage, as told in the current number of of the Canadian Magazine, by Mr. John Riddington, a newspaper man, who was an eye-witness of that strange movement, is one of the most romantic and pathetic pictures that the history of the country affords. The martyr spirit is not too common in this commercial age; and here was the martyr spirit, tested by two centuries of Russian persecution, looking upon death as one of the least evils that could come, setting off across the Canadian prairie with all the romantic fervour which must have characterized the knightly pilgrimages of the days of the Plantagenet. The spectator stands upon the steps of a Hudson Bay Company's store, and there walks down the street of a modern Canadian village a procession from the dawn of the Middle Ages.

Absolute faith ruled the pilgrims. They were as certain they would see the Saviour, if they kept on their way, as the common man is that the sun will rise. But they were taken by force and carried back to their villages. We, who thought of the tragedy which would come when they died on the prairie from cold and hunger, conceived nothing so terrible as the tragedy that did come when they were turned back from their quest.

The action of the authorities was necessary. No one will question its wisdom. But it does seem at times that it might have been undertaken with more regard for the feelings of the devoutly sincere men who were obeying the commands of their consciences. Mr. Riddington gives us this picture of the entraining of their leader who thought himself to be "John the Baptist."

"John the Baptist" lay down and gripped the ground with his outspread limbs. He was picked up bodily, and flung face downwards in a farmer's wagon. "Take this man to the cars," said Mr. Speers. "You bet your life," said the farmer, a perfect Hercules. Being hauled in a wagon was the crowning indignity, and the pilgrim attempted to rise to his knees. The driver reached back from his seat, and bore down on the Doukhobor's back with a hand almost as large, and quite as brown as a smoked ham. "Lie still, John the Baptist," he said.

It is clearly the duty of the Government to take some steps toward the enlightenment of these people. They are back in their villages awaiting the coming of the spring and the Summons. It is almost as certain that one will come as the other. Indeed, they—who thought the Almighty ordered a light autumn for their benefit—may easily take the bursting of the spring for the Summons. But they could easily be reasoned with, if it were gone about in the right way. There is a task here which the churches might undertake. We are always sending missionaries to the uttermost ends of the earth to convert far more hopeless cases than these devout Doukhobors, to the truth. Why should not a little co-operation of church and State be arranged to open the eyes of these Russian peasants, who fear nothing but the censure of their own consciences!

PROHIBITION IN NEW ENGLAND

While the people of Vermont are trying to get rid of prohibition and substitute high license with local option, the people of Maine are trying to get their prohibition laws enforced more vigorously. For many years the prohibition laws of Maine have been a joke. There was no difficulty in buying liquor in any city or considerable village, though the law of absolute prohibition remained on the statute books. Every few years, however, some part of the state wakes up to determination to prevent the sale of liquor. The first thing it does usually is to elect some clergyman to be sheriff. Under the state law the sale of liquor is under jurisdiction of the sheriff and his policy determines the local conditions. In every Maine city the liquor traffic is just what the sheriff makes it.

It is an interesting fact that the sheriffs in the larger towns adopt exactly the method adopted by many mayors of cities dealing with a grosser evil. They permit liquor to be sold openly in violation of law, but fine the violators at regular intervals. This is called the Bangor plan, because it has been in operation in Bangor for thirty years. Previously the county had elected a parson sheriff and had prohibition for one term. That seemed to be enough. Every subsequent administration adopted the policy that now prevails. Under this there are no disorderly saloons, liquor is never sold on Sunday, and all places are closed before 10 o'clock at night.

There is no disposition to change the administration of the prohibition law in Bangor; but there has been a recrudescence of the prohibition spirit throughout the state, and several counties are going to make an attempt at more vigorous enforcement. One of the most important counties has elected a clergyman for sheriff, and he is going to put an end to the sale of liquor in Lewiston, where it has been going on openly and in a very orderly fashion for about ten years. The same attempt is to be made in other counties, including some where there has been no change in administration; so it may be assumed that there is a real popular movement in the direction of strict enforcement.

Prohibition states are subject to the ebbs and flows of popular feeling like cities. There is this curious difference, the only time they get a "wide open" administration is when they try to shut all the saloons. When they are content to use the prohibition law as a club to compel decency and order, they get the very best regulation of the liquor traffic that is found anywhere.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

The Coal Strike Commission has begun work again, and for some weeks we are likely to hear more or less of the pros and cons of the case. Meanwhile the people who are on the ragged edge of a fuel famine, will take more interest in the mining and distribution of coal.

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Hilda looked into his noble sympathetic face and felt that he was telling the truth. In her wretched and forlorn condition she felt as if God himself had sent her this kind friend.

So as calmly as she could Hilda told Sir Wilfred the story of her neglected life, passing lightly over parts, but detailing with wondrous power and pathos all that happened to her in her day and night at the White Sulphur Springs.

Sir Wilfred listened to her in perfect silence, yet with an earnest attention that showed he was devouring every word. His kind blue eyes glowed with feeling as she told her simple, pathetic story. Yet when she had finished, he said, half teasingly:

"And, so, my poor, forlorn little Hilda, you believe that you are Earl Devon's granddaughter?"

He half expected that her quick temper would blaze up at the teasing words, but instead she only said, sadly, with a sensitive quiver of her scarlet lips:

"I was afraid you would laugh at me."

"Forgive me, my child," said the baronet, contritely. "I was only teasing you, for I believe with you that a monstrous wrong has been perpetrated by the man who calls you his daughter. I think there can be little doubt that you are Lady Ethel's daughter. I think your great resemblance to her has drawn my heart to you from the first."

"You knew her?" cried Hilda, with a start.

"Yes, I knew her," said the baronet and a shadow crept over his face with the words, "I knew her and—yes, I will tell you that, too, little Hilda—I loved her. I hoped to win her for my wife. She seemed to like me until—until your father came—and then—well, then, little Hilda, I lost her. But I have remained single ever since for her sake; so you can see I would do anything in my power for her daughter."

"Yet you never seemed to be fond of Florence," said Hilda, deeply moved by the few quiet words in which the sorrow of a life-time was so patiently told.

"No, she never seemed like Ethel's child to me. There was something about her that repulsed me always, though I tried to love her for the sake of the woman she claimed for her mother. I did not think of doubting Mr. Aylesford's assertion at first. I thought that Florence probably resembled her father's side of the house rather than her mother's, but, Hilda, I know better now. I can see the resemblance to your mother's family in every line of your face. All of the Lornes were dark and beautiful."

"I am not like them, then," said the girl, wistfully. "Florence always said I was black and ugly."

"Never mind what she said," said the baronet, smiling. "She was not an impartial judge. You are a thousand times lovelier in my eyes than she is. But your beauty needs polish and culture. Do you know what I mean to do with you, my child, when you arrive at Richmond?"

"No, sir," said Hilda, looking at him in wonder.

"I am going to place you at the best boarding school in that city as my adopted daughter. And the better to conceal your identity in case your pretended father should seek you here, I shall give you a fictitious name. I shall provide you with a maid and everything needful. That is my part of the contract. Yours is to study hard and improve every hour, that you may fit yourself to take your place as Earl Devon's granddaughter."

"Ah, that can never be," she said, sadly. "How could I prove my claim?"

"I shall make it my business to seek for proofs," he answered, stoutly. "It may be hard to do, I grant you, but I will try my best. You shall see if I do not environ that villain Aylesford with such evidence that he shall be compelled to acknowledge the terrible fraud he has attempted, and reinstate you in your true place."

He spoke more cheerfully than he felt, for he knew what a stupendous task he would find it to unmask the villain's deep-laid schemes. Yet he swore to himself that he would render that service to Lady Ethel's daughter if it rested in the power of mortal to accomplish it.

"How shall I repay you for all your kindness to me, Sir Wilfred?" she asked, with the bright tears of gratitude shining in her dark eyes.

"By giving me a daughter's love," he answered, kindly. "I am old enough to be your father, Hilda, and you might have been my daughter in truth if your mother had not broken her troth with me. But you shall be to me as my own child, Hilda, and I pledge myself solemnly to your service until you have your own again."

And thus in her hour of deadly peril God raised up a friend for the forlorn and lonely girl, for Sir Wilfred Hale kept his promise to the letter, and no father ever showed greater kindness to his own child than did he to his adopted daughter.

So when they had safely reached Richmond, and the telegram came from the White Sulphur Springs inquiring after his protege, he returned the perfectly true yet rather ambiguous message that he had not seen Mr. Aylesford's daughter.

CHAPTER XV.

There was not a sweeter home in old England than Lochsley Hall, where the Earl of Devon spent his summers. He was an old man, naturally stern and cold, and the pleasures of the world had long since palled upon him. But he took the greatest delight in his beautiful country-seat, and often occupied himself in devising plans for its further embellishment and beautifying. The hall itself was a splendid pile of buildings, gray with age, and picturesque with ivy-covered turrets and oriel windows. The rooms were large and stately, and magnificently furnished. Beneath the drawing-room windows was a lovely terraced walk. Beyond was a beautiful park, with stately old trees, and soft, green grass, where the deer

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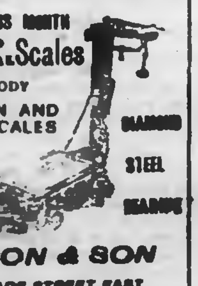

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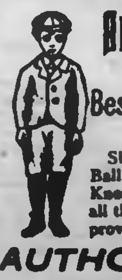

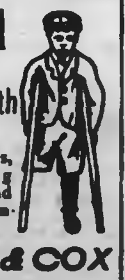

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Review of Indian Troops by Lord and Lady Curzon in the Durbar

Delhi, India, Jan. 7.—The Viceroy, Lord Curzon of Kedleston, and Lady Curzon and the Duke and Duchess of Connaught today reviewed the retainers of the ruling chiefs in the Durbar arena. The variety of costumes and paraphernalia afforded one of the most striking pictures of the Durbar festivities. Contingents from all parts of Greater India participated, mostly retaining the distinctive features of their customs. The flags or other emblems of the State or Cutch were carried on camels and elephants accompanied by armed men on stilts, while Arab irregulars danced past the Viceroy to the music of their own instruments. The famous gold and silver guns of the State of Baroda attracted much attention. The ancient Mahratta flags, descended from the Mogul Emperors, were borne past on an elephant carriage.

State bards, camel kettledrums, richly caparisoned elephants, and horses, and agile swordsmen, many shouting battle cries, followed one another in quick succession. A Royal elephant carriage, two storeys high, showed how the palace ladies accompanied the princes of bygone days.

The retinue of the State of Cashmir included a fine detachment of cuirassiers and a huge giant.

The great Sikh States were represented by large, soldier-like bodies of men armed with maces, spears, matchlocks, and hand-grenades. That contingent was headed by an elephant bearing a gorgeous howdah, in one of which the sacred book of the Sikhs occupied the place of honor. The book was guarded by the chief priest. The venerable chief Nabha, escorted by men mounted on richly caparisoned horses, and accompanied by hounds and hawks, was a striking feature of the display, which for wealth of coloring, diversity of components and number of spectators, may be considered to have been the most brilliant of the Durbar display.

A MURDER AVENGED

Paul Woodward Aged 17 Years Hanged at Camden N. J.

Camden, N.J., Jan. 9—Paul Woodward, aged 17 years, was hanged in the Camden jail today. The drop fell at 10.05 o'clock and Woodward was pronounced dead ten minutes later. He showed remarkable nerve. He murdered on October 1st last, John Coffin, aged 11, and Price Jennings, aged 14. Their bodies were found in a wood near Haddon Heights, six miles from here, on October 4— It was learned that Woodward had been seen in company with the lads on the day of their disappearance, and that the three had purchased pies near where the murder was committed. Woodward was subsequently arrested. An analysis of the boys' stomachs showed they died from arsenical poisoning. The police learned Woodward had purchased arsenic, and he was convicted of murder in the first degree. Counsel for the prosecution claimed that Woodward had poisoned the boys for the sake or robbery, as when they left home the boys had $10 in their possession, but when the bodies were found the pockets of the clothing did not contain a penny.

Cobourg Juniors beat Port Hope by 9 goals to 2 in an O.H.A. game on Wednesday night at Cobourg.

THE NEW YEAR

The New Year, or the first part of it, will more than likely witness materially increased activity in the stock market. All indications point that way. Stocks are being rapidly concentrated by the larger powers and are going to advance.

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STOCK MARKETS

Reading Common Will Go to Par.

New York, Jan. 10—The news has just been announced in anthracite railway coal circles, which is most encouraging for holders of the anthracite stocks, the acquisition of the Reading system through medium of the Lake Shore and Baltimore and Ohio, for the joint interest of the New York Central and Pennsylvania railroads, which means that Reading common will sell at par, or its equivalent, before the end of the present year. It also means higher prices, and very materially for all the coal issues, including the Eries, Baltimore and Ohio, Norfolk and West, Chesapeake and Ohio, etc. It means that coal will be permanently higher than it was prior to the strike; if the Reading company can get fifty cents per ton more for coal than it did one year ago, it could stand an additional fifteen cents per ton expenditure for mining, and show net earnings amounting to over 6 per cent. upon its common stock. Coal is going to average fifty cents per ton more than it did one year ago. Bear in mind that Reading, J. C. Companies own over five-eighths of all the hard coal lands. Another fact that can be proven from what has happened; it plainly indicates that the great New York Central and Pennsylvania systems are in complete harmony, and not antagonistic as has been declared by many people. It is the straw that proves the deliberate and harmonious action of the management of these two great companies. It means much for the future of the market; it was a foregone conclusion that anyone investing in the anthracite coal interests in this country was bound to see his property become more and more valuable. The acquirement of the Reading, Jersey Central stocks as has happened merely hastens the upbuilding process. The railway interests of the country were never so much in unison as they are at present, all working to the one grand end. The development of their properties making them produce the very best net results obtainable, improving all the time their physical condition, and through proper interchange and division of business avoiding all possible conflictions. Nothing at present time excels as an investment in American stocks.

Summary—Market was a strong one. The Bank statement was good, and further stimulated the good feeling. Reserves increased about $6,000,000. Specie increased a million and a half. Deposits increased about five million, while loans decreased about $4,000,000. Reading continued its decline, running counter-current to market tendency. It is now a minority stock without any further chance of a buying movement for control. The Pennsylvania and New York Central people undoubtedly want it down so they can purchase extensively into the shares as cheaply as possible, as they foresee it will ultimately sell above 100, due to what has happened. The general market closed very strong, and the outlook for the coming week is most encouraging. Money closed 4 per cent. Sales 674,466

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Guarding Against Contagion

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Death of Garnett Fitzgerald

Word was received on Sunday of the death at Amherst, Nova Scotia, of Garnet Fitzgerald, son of the late J. W. Fitzgerald, C.E., of town. No particulars are to hand as to cause of death, but it is thought his death was very sudden.

Dog Poisoned

A valuable collie dog, belonging to Dr. Poole, V.S., Water street, was found dead on Brock street on Saturday. The dog was all right on Friday night, and is supposed to have been poisoned. It was a valuable animal, and will be greatly missed by its owner.

Peterboro's New Opera House

Satisfactory progress is being made towards the erection of a new Opera House in Peterborough. Mr. R. H. Bradburn has had plans prepared for a building which will be capable of seating 1600 people and will be up-to-date in every particular. The cost will be at least $30,000, and the building will be in a convenient location.

Y. M. C. A. Convention

To-morrow afternoon the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A. will hold a special meeting to arrange plans for the entertainment of the Provincial convention to be held here in February. All ladies are invited to assist in the work, and every member is expected to be present at the meeting.

May Leave Peterborough?

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Presentation to Mrs. McCarrell

The Trustee Board of Bethel Church on Thursday evening last, presented Mrs. John McCarrell with a handsome chair as a mark of their high appreciation of her very valuable services so cheerfully rendered as organist. The presentation was made by Mr. T. M. Caldwell, and Mr. Moses Ruth read an appreciative address, to which Mrs. McCarrell made a suitable reply, although she was taken entirely by surprise.

THE SERMON TO THE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN

There is no doubt that the inauguration of the annual sermon to the Mayor and Aldermen is a good thing. Apart from the fact that probably some of our representatives will in this way hear the gospel for the first time it is a tribute of respect and consideration to that body, which public men, imbued with a serious sense of their duty, will appreciate. We are inflicted in this young country of ours with a certain degree of freshness, (by some called a dash of progressiveness) which of course we will get over in time when we know more. In the meantime, outside of the universities, there is apparently a vast deal more knowledge than inside. Every man on the street corner has the proper thing to do ready for announcement. With this little failing removed, or altered in the right direction, a public discussion of public affairs is always best. It removes the odious practice of lobbying, so dear to the heart of the schemer. We hope to see the practice repeated from year to year. "Go thou and do likewise."

THE ALBANY CLUB

A New Club Formed in Town Under Favorable Auspices

A new social club has been formed in town with a membership of about fifty, to be known as the Albany Club. A suite of rooms have been secured in the Opera House block, facing George street, which are being handsomely fitted up and furnished. The premises will have a total length of about 80 feet, by about 35 feet deep, and will be divided into four large rooms.

A charter is being secured so that the club will be incorporated. No liquor will be permitted on the premises. The following are the officers for 1903:

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. Sam. English of the Victoria House, Keene, was in town Saturday on business.

—Mr. W. A. King, of Souris, Man, Manitoba agent of the Canadian Cordage Co., is in town.

—We are pleased to see Mr. A. A. Hollingshead, Accountant of the Ontario Bank, back at his post again after being laid up with a severe cold.

—Miss Hattie Richardson, eldest daughter of Mr. Isaac Richardson, has returned to Peterborough after a pleasant seven months' visit in Western Canada. She visited Vancouver, and many other places of interest, returning by way of Chicago.

—Mr. E. W. Elliott, the popular Reeve of Smith, was in town on Saturday evening receiving the congratulations of his many friends in town over his election to the responsible position of Chief Magistrate of that important township.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sherwood, of Peterborough, who have been holidaying in Detroit, have been delightfully entertained. On New Year's Day Mrs. H. B. Ward gave a dinner in their honor. Mrs. A. R. March, of 61 Baltimore Avenue also gave a dinner. On New Year's Eve Mrs. F. H. Chambers, of 670, Second Avenue, gave a large party in their honor. Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood have returned as far as Toronto.

DEATHS

EMMETT—At Nicholls Hospital, on Sunday, January 12th, George Emmett, of Peterborough.

AND SO

She Found How the Coffee Habit Could Be Easily Left Off

"My husband had coffee dyspepsia for a number of years," writes a lady from Dundee, N.Y. "Coffee did not agree with him, as it soured on his stomach, and he decided to stop it.

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How a Girl May Look Tall.

"Can a woman by taking thought add one cubit to her stature?" asks a correspondent of an English exchange. "As a matter of fact, I imagine that no woman would be likely to wish to add a cubit to her stature, either by taking thought or by any other more usual and familiar method. But that there are plenty of women who are desirous of adding two or three inches to their stature is abundantly proved by the ready sale which was commanded by the so-called 'elevators' when they were first introduced. Short, however, of having resourse to these barbarous and inadequate methods of bringing a woman nearer Heaven, is there no means by which a girl who was intended by Nature to be short can make herself tall—or at least taller? The answer may be given unhesitatingly in the affirmative, and the means to be adopted are principally four.

"First, there is the obvious expedient of wearing very high-heeled shoes, but this is only the starting-point, and is of very little use unless it is supplemented by the other three devices.

"Secondly, skirts should, of course, be worn long, as nothing takes off so much from the apparent height as the short skirt.

"The third thing, which can, unfortunately, only be recommended to girls with particularly good figures, is to have their skirts made very tight across the hips, and no one who has not seen this tried would believe how much apparent height it adds to a short figure.

"The fourth point is, of course, to wear hats as high as the rigorous code of fashion will permit, and the same thing equally applies to the dressing of the hair.

"It is, of course, unnecessary to add that all horizontal lines tend towards dumpiness, while perpendicular lines make for willowy slenderness.

"If these rules are carefully observed a girl with a microscopic supply of inches may deceive not merely the unobservant bystander, but the trained eye of a stage manager, into thinking that she is of fair, medium height."

The girl who was the object-lesson from which the above remarks have been studied, fully endorses the truth of them, and lays special stress on having the skirt to fit tight across the hips. She says that when the dressmaker writes down "rather tight" she always makes her scratch it out and substitute "very tight," and certainly, in her own case, the result is remarkable; for anyone would credit her with at least a couple of inches more than she really possesses. This should be good news for all little girls, for surely, to be short, and to look tall, is almost an ideal state of things, as it combines the grace and dignity of the latter with the lovableness and daintiness of the former.

The Old Greeley Coach.

A relic of old times stands, or did stand a few days ago, in front of a carriage factory in Denver, Col., a reminder of the period when days were consumed in going distances over rough and mountainous roads in lumbering stage coaches that are now covered in hours in luxurious and easy running drawing-room cars.

Peculiar interest attaches to this old coach, because it is said on the authority of old residents of Denver to be the one in which Horace Greeley rode on his overland trip in 1859. It has borne many names in the course of its career, as Morning Star, Prairie Flower, Little Pittsburg, and Old Overland, its latest name; but old-timers in and around Denver always speak of it as the Greeley coach.

Old Overland was built in Concord, Mass. There is no doubt of this fact, as it is of the peculiar pattern that made that little manufacturing town well known; but just when it was constructed is not known. The material of which it was built was thoroughly seasoned and perfectly adapted for the strain of use in a rough country. The cost was said to have been $1,100 delivered on the cars at Concord. In all essentials the coach stands to-day precisely as it was in the days when it made its long trips across the plains, having a somewhat weather-beaten and battered appearance, it is true, but still as strong and as serviceable as when first built. Even the leather used to cover the baggage is the same tough bullhide used in the days when the coach was in active service, and the immense thoroughbraces on which the body of Old Overland swings, made of leather, and which gave the coach a forward and backward movement that dulled the strain of days and nights of continuous travel, have never needed repairing of any kind. The trip from the Missouri River to Denver occupied six days and nights, horses or mules being changed every ten or twelve miles, and to reach California by stage required thirty-seven days of continuous travel, and cost $300. The fare from Leavenworth to Denver was $100, and 25 cents a mile was the way tariff.

Another of the fast disappearing relics of the pioneer days of the great West will soon pass into history. What startling and wonderful stories it might tell, if it could, of hairbreadth escapes, for the old coach bears to-day many scars made by bullets; of the hopes and ambitions of young men and of families seeking that fortune in the West that had eluded their grasp in the East; of failures and successes! It will soon reappear on the streets of Denver, reupholstered and painted, and drawn by six horses, carrying parties of tourists to points of interest in that town. It will be the same coach, yet not the same, for it will be so disguised in its new and more fashionable dress as to be unrecognizable as the old Greeley coach.

The Outlook.

Her papa—Yo' aspiah ter marry mah daughtah, sah? H'm! Whad am yo'r prospec's? The suitor (a widower)—Ebery single one ob de pussons fo' whom mah late lamented wife done washin' fo' hab promised ter liberly patronize her successah.—"Judge."

Excited Fisherman (to country hotel-keeper)—There isn't a bit of fishing about here! Every brook has a sign warning people off. What do you mean by luring anglers here with the promise of fine fishing? Hotelkeeper—I didn't say anything about fine fishing. If you read my advertisement carefully you will see that what I said was, "Fishing unapproachable."

"I was a newspaper man," answered the captive.

"An editor?"

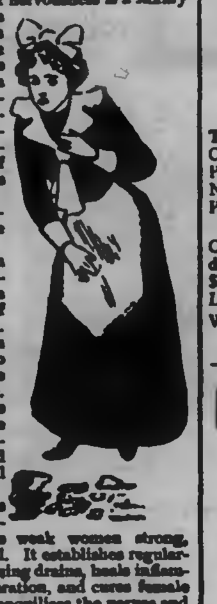
"No; merely a sub-editor."

"Cheer up, young man! Shortly after my chef has finished his perusal of the cook-book you will be editor-in-chief."

Laughing heartily at his bon mot, the cannibal chief wanted to know if the captive had a funny-bone.—"Judge."

STARTLED

By some sudden sound she drops the vase upon the floor. She is nervous and may be told that nervousness is a luxury which only a rich woman can afford to indulge in. Nervousness has cost many a woman her position. Sometimes when women run machinery the price of nervousness is mutilation,—a finger lost or perhaps the whole hand crushed.



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FRIDAY, THE 23rd DAY OF JANUARY

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By order of the Board,
W. G. MORROW, Manager.

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The Annual Meeting of the above Society will be held in the Town Council Chamber, Peterborough, on

THURSDAY, JAN. 15th

1903, at 7:30 o'clock p.m., to receive reports and statements, and election of officers and other business.

By order,
H. L. BEAL,
Secretary-Treasurer

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INAUGURAL MEETING OF THE TOWN COUNCIL

The City Fathers Held Two Sessions Yesterday--Morning and Evening

Mayor Roger Delivers His Inaugural Address—Standing Committees Formed—Accounts Received

MORNING SESSION

The inaugural meeting of the Peterborough Town Council was held at 11 o'clock yesterday morning.

The clerk read a communication from the returning officer stating that the following had been elected: Mayor, G. M. Roger; Aldermen, Messrs. H. Best, J. Corkery, Jos. Batten, Robt. Clinkscale, R. F. McWilliams, Jas. Finnie, H. Rush, M. A. Morrow, B. Shortly, and Jas. Edgecombe and D. O'Connell.

The Clerk also announced that the newly elected members had subscribed to the usual oath of office.

COMMUNICATIONS.

were received and disposed of as follows:

From John Fanning and Frank Range, applying for remission of statute labor tax, they being ratepayers.

From the Post Master General re town postal delivery.—Received.

From the Orillia Board of Trade, enclosing a copy of a resolution that was passed by that body and forwarded to the Ontario Government, asking the legislation to pass legislation absolutely prohibiting bonusing.—Received.

ACCOUNTS.

were received and referred to the Finance Committee as follows:

St. John's Industrial School	$ 18 81
Fitzgerald & Co.	1 25
Peterborough Review	106 29
Victoria Industrial School	26 00
McFarlane Wilson Company	1 10
B. Morrow	2 00
Walter Stocker	10 00
F. F. Garden	5 00
Wm. Hetherington	3 70
Bell Telephone Company	118 07
James Montgomery	3 30
J. E. A. Fitzgerald	118 07
Peterborough Hardware Co	3 30

COMMITTEES.

Moved by Mr. Corkery, seconded by Mr. Rush, that a standing committee consisting of Aldermen Best, Shortly, Morrison, Edgecumbe, and the mover be appointed to strike the standing committees for 1903, to make recommendation in regard to auditors, trustees and Board of Health and to report that evening at eight o'clock.

After some discussion regarding the standing committees, the meeting adjourned until evening.

EVENING SESSION

The Council convened again in the evening at 8.10 o'clock, when there were present His Worship Mayor G. M. Roger, and Aldermen Shortly, Morrison, Rush, Finnie, R. F. McWilliams, Clinkscale, Batten, Best and Edgecumbe.

THE MAYOR'S ADDRESS.

The Mayor opened the proceedings by reading the following address to his colleagues:

Gentlemen of the Council of 1903,—I desire to congratulate you upon the honor which the citizens of Peterborough have bestowed upon you in electing you to the Government of the Town for the current year. With those of you who sat in the Council of last year it is a particular pleasure to be again associated; to those of you who are here for the first time I extend a cordial welcome; and of you all I ask sympathy and support in the effort to worthily fulfil the responsible duties devolving upon me as Mayor of the Town.

The marvellous prosperity which the country is now enjoying, the unprecedented industrial developments which that prosperity is inducing, and the keen competition between Towns and Cities to profit by these conditions, are such, that only by loyal co-operation by close devotion to duty, and by diligence and aggressiveness, can we hope to gain and maintain for the Town that prominent place amongst Canadian municipalities to which its great natural advantages and the enterprise of our citizens entitles us to aspire.

While it may not be necessary to attempt anything like a general review of the field of action before us, there are a few matters of especial interest or urgency to which attention may be profitably directed at the present time.

The increase of $1,000 in the demand of the School Trustees for the current year, combined with the fact that expenditure generally, a large amount of which is not under the control of the Council, has been increasing faster than revenue, makes it compulsory upon this Council to speedily face and settle the year, combined with the fact that expenditure is to be diminished or the rate of taxation increased.

The defeat of the by-law to provide for the borrowing of $20,000 for permanent street improvements submitted at the recent election is not necessarily to be taken as an objection to the measures or principles involved, but may merely be an indication that more definiteness in, or more information concerning, the by-law is required, and it will be for you to consider whether the people should not again be allowed an opportunity to pass upon the matter, when these defects have been supplied.

The expiry this year of the street franchises of the various public electric supply companies, and of the contract under which for some years the Light and Power Company has been lighting the streets of the Town opens for review and rearrangement the whole subject of electric power and light supply for the future, and as cheap and abundant power supply is one of the factors upon which the future prosperity of the Town very largely depends, the subject demands careful and exhaustive consideration, and will repay the employment of expert advice and assistance.

Conditions of sanitation and public health are causing anxiety at the present time, and call for your earnest attention and possibly for some action in support or in stimulation of the Board of Health.

I think that the practice which has grown up of receiving and hearing deputations and applications for municipal grants and privileges in committee instead of before the Council is a mistake, and not in the interests of the public, and I would recommend that whenever circumstances reasonably permit of it such applications should be required first to be made public and should thence be referred for consideration in committee so that the public may be kept fully informed and have opportunity of being heard, and members of Council may have the benefit of ensuing discussion and criticism before final disposition of such matters.

In conclusion, allow me to wish you a pleasant and progressive year of municipal service and to hope that at the end the hearty commendation of your fellow citizens may await you as a reward.

At this juncture the Mayor corrected a statement which appeared in last evening's Examiner to the effect that he had expressed the opinion that Mr. D. O'Connell was disqualified from taking his seat at the Council Board, by reason of his being a Separate School Trustee. He (the Mayor) denied having expressed any opinion on the subject. He had not read the act governing such circumstances, and consequently could not say whether Mr. O'Connell was qualified or not to serve as Alderman.

Ald. Best here referred to the passage in the Mayor's address re the defeat of the permanent improvement by-law. It is now, he said, a question as to who is to pay for permanent improvements: whether we have a right to expend $20,000 on the main portion of the town, and make the same chargeable to the general taxpayers. He thought the objects of the by-law had been thoroughly set forth in the by-law itself, and by him on the public platform.

Ald. Rush on behalf of his colleagues and himself, thanked Mayor Roger for the many kind expressions embodied in his address, and congratulated the Mayor on the honor reposed in him by his fellow-citizens in electing him Chief Magistrate of this town by acclamation.

THE SCOTCH CURLERS.

Messrs. Robt. Neill and G. W. Morrow were invited to address Council on behalf of the local Curling association.

Mr. Robert Neill explained that on the night of the 20th inst., 25 Scotch curlers would visit Peterborough. Amongst these gentlemen are included farmers, doctors, lawyers, and one or two clergymen; all representative men and the choice of 20,000 curlers. The local association are anxious to give the visitors a reception keeping with the importance of the town, and to this end are anxious for the co-operation of the town socially and financially. The morning following the visitors' arrival will be devoted to driving them around town; to points of interest, the afternoon to games on the rink, to be followed by a banquet in the evening.

Mr. G. W. Morrow here pointed out that these Scotch curlers have been entertained by the Mayor and Councillors of the different municipalities visited by them.

The matter was referred to the Finance Committee.

IMPROVED APPROACHES.

A petition was received from E. K. Lord and 127 employes of the Canadian General Electric Works, asking for better and safer approaches to the Works in question, and also for an electric light in close proximity to the gates. The present approaches are in a delapitated condition and the nearest light is too distant to be of any service to the employees when going and coming from work in the fall and winter months.

This matter was referred to the Board of Works, and the Fire, Water and Light Committee.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From T.A.S. Hay, asking that a representative, including the Mayor, be appointed to the Board of Management of Victoria Museum.

Referred to the Committee on Appointments.

From Mrs. D. Thornton, Aylmer st., asking permission to give meals without taking out a license.—Referred to the License Committee.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Ald. Shortly submitted the following report:

Gentlemen,—Your Committee appointed to strike the Standing Committees for the year 1903 beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the Standing Committees be composed as follows:

FINANCE—Ald. Rush, Chairman; Ald. Morrison, Clinkscale, Best and Corkery.
BOARD OF WORKS—Ald. Best, Chairman; Ald. Finnie, Edgecumbe, Clinkscale and Shortly.
MANUFACTURES & RAILWAYS—Ald. Shortly, Chairman; Rush, Morrison, Best and McWilliams.
FIRE, WATER & LIGHT—Ald. Clinkscale, Chairman; Ald. Edgecumbe, Batten, O'Connell and Finnie.
APPOINTMENTS—Ald. Corkery, Chairman; Ald. Edgecumbe, Shortly, Morrison and McWilliams.
LICENSE—Ald. Finnie, Chairman; Ald. Batten, Clinkscale, Corkery, and Rush.
PROPERTY, BUILDING & HEALTH—Ald. Batten Chairman; Ald. Clinkscale, McWilliams, Finnie and O'Connell.
MARKET—Ald. Edgecumbe, Chairman; Ald. Shortly, Corkery, Batten, and McWilliams.
COURT OF REVISION.—Ald. O'Connell, Chairman; Ald. Clinkscale, Batten, Morrison, and Finnie.
JOINT WITH COUNTY—Ald. Morrison, Chairman; Ald. Best, Rush, Shortly and Corkery.
LEGAL—Ald. McWilliams, Chairman; Ald. Rush, Edgecumbe, Best and O'Connell.

2. That a Special Committee be appointed on the subject of street lighting and franchise composed as follows—Ald. Morrison, Chairman; Ald. Best, Rush, Shortly and Corkery.

3. That Alfred Parker and Robert Neill be appointed members of the local Board of Health.

4. That William G. Ferguson and John Crane be appointed High School Trustees.

5. That James A Hall and George K. Martin be appointed auditors.

6. That a grant of $250 be made to the Mayor to meet the contingent expenses of his office.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Ald. Best asked permission to withdraw from the Chairmanship of the Board of Works. He had held the position some ten or twelve years now and it looked, as though he held a mortgage on the office. He was willing, however, to give every assistance in his power to the Board.

Ald. Morrison replied that the committee felt that no other man could fill the office under the present circumstances as well as Ald. Best and he would therefore urge Ald. Best, to allow his name to remain on the Board as chairman.

Ald. Best, preferred to withdraw, but would abide by the wish of the Council.

The report was then adopted as read.

A PETITION.

Ald. Rush here submitted a petition to the Lieut-Governor, asking his approval of the by-law to borrow $5,000 for the extension of waterworks made last year—Adopted as read.

FOR SCHOOLS.

Ald. Rush moved, seconded by Ald. Morrison, that the first installment of $2,000 for school purposes be paid.—Carried.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

A by-law appointing Messrs. W. G. Ferguson and John Crane High School Trustees passed its several readings.

AUDITORS APPOINTED.

A bylaw appointing Messrs. Jas. A. Hall and George K. Martin, auditors, at a salary of $100, passed its several readings.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

A by-law appointing Messrs. Alfred Parker and Robert Neill on the local Board of Health, passed its several readings.

VOTE OF THANKS.

Ald. Morrison moved, seconded by Ald. Shortly, that this Council express its appreciation of the very kindly act of the Rev. J. C. Davidson in inviting the Council and the Board of Health to worship in St. John's Church on Sunday evening last, and for the very able discourse delivered on that occasion.—Carried.

Council then adjourned to Mr. Harry Long's Palm Parlors to partake of the banquet there prepared for them at the Mayor's expense.

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SHOT HIS FATHER

A Mere Lad Tried Horrible Murder in Nebraska

Columbus, Neb., Jan. 12.—Johnnie Borchers, aged 8, was yesterday placed on the witness stand to testify against his half brother Herman, who is also a mere lad, being tried for the murder of their father.

The child said Herman had procured the gun at Humphrey for the purpose of killing their father. He said the gun was hidden until the night of the killing, when Herman had brought it out and shot his father in the back of the head while the latter was eating supper.

The boy testified that Herman hauled the body to the straw stack, covered it with straw and set it on fire and said the head and bones found latter by neighbors were those of his father. The child said Herman threatened to shoot him if he told of the crime.

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THE MAYOR'S BANQUET

The Council, Civic Officials and Other Invited Guests Entertained by Mayor Roger at Long's Palm Gardens

TIMELY TOPICS DISCUSSED.

By Members of the Council and Prominent Men of the Town—A Very Enjoyable Gathering

At the close of the meeting of the council Mayor Roger entertained the members of the Council, the Civic officials and other invited guests, to a banquet in Mr H. Long's Palm Parlor. Mr. Long excelled himself as a caterer, and everything was served in first class style. The room was tastefully decorated, and the tables presented a most attractive appearance.

It is no wonder that Mr. Long's rooms are becoming so popular for gatherings of this kind.

Besides the Mayor and Aldermen of Peterborough, and the Civic officials, of Peterborough, there were present the Water Commissioners; Messrs. J. Carnegie and W. H. Moore, Town Trust Commissioners; ex-Mayor Stevenson, ex-Mayor Davis, Mr. Geo. K. Martin, Mr. Sheriff Hall, Reeve Adams and Councillors Faint, Scott, Hourigan, and Gibbs, of Ashburnham; Mr. Robt. Innes and others.

After ample justice had been done to the *good things provided*, Mayor Roger proposed the first and only toast of the evening, "The King." The toast was loyally drunk, and the National Anthem was sung.

Letters were read from Hon. Senator Cox, and ex-Mayor Denne, expressing their regret at their inability to be present.

Mr. D. W. Dumble was then called upon and spoke as follows in regard to "Bonuses":—

MR. D. W. DUMBLE.

Mr. Mayor and Gentlemen,—

I congratulate you, Mr. Mayor, on the position you occupy by the choice of the people as Mayor of this good Town. It is a high position, honorable and responsible, for the good government of the Town which depends on the efficiency of its chief officer. I am satisfied that the people will be well represented by you, and I wish you every success in the administration of your office. I must thank you for the pleasant privilege of supping with you and the new council tonight. I congratulate you on the happy thought of asking from the speakers consideration of subjects which during the year may be of much importance to the people. You have assigned to me of "Municipal Bonuses" and I am glad of an opportunity to discuss this subject, because I am satisfied that there is very much misunderstanding regarding the position of the party asking a bonus and the party from whom it is asked. Now, Mr. Mayor, to commence with, I take the strong position that no manufacturing establishment has the right to ask from a municipality in which it may be situated, a contribution of capital which will not entitle the giver to the same dividends that the other contributors rightfully expect. When a party engages in manufacturing it is a commercial venture in which he puts up his money, expecting by the right use of that money and by *his* skill and energy to get back good returns, both for his money and for his labor. I am aware that in this new country where every town and village thinks it has before it a destiny to become a manufacturing centre. There are many unnatural and unjustifiable inducements held out to manufacturers to locate in them. The *fate of* most of these places will be like that of the ambitious frog which burst itself in its effort to be great. To enable a manufactory to succeed there must be facility for getting labor, there must be homes for laborers, there must be schools and churches, water, drainage, and, most of all, cheap power and facilities for receiving raw material and distributing the manufactured goods. Then there must be for the employees municipal government, roads, sidewalks, light and police protection. All these *things* the Town of Peterborough possesses, and she offers inducements that are of vital consequence to all manufacturers. Now, the establishment that locates itself where there are not these facilities cannot succeed in competition with those more favorably situated, and the natural advantage alone should be an influence to determine any intelligent manufacturer in locating his factory. To ask in addition to these things a contribution of money is not justifiable on strict business principles. It is simply an attempt to get what there is not obligation or duty to give. No manufacturer has a right to demand, and when a municipality grants a bonus it is not because there is a right to the claim, but simply because the location of that manufactory in that Town may be worth to the Town the sum offered. *The manufacturer* is looking for a site, the bonus may cause him to make his choice in favor of the place granting it. Now Peterborough has been heretofore judicious. The grant we gave to the Edison company has been paid to the Town many times over. The little exemption given to the Cereal Company is a good investment. These grants were given simply to get what we had not, and it does not follow, because a bonus had been given to one manufactory we are under any obligation to give it to another, bearing in mind that a factory has no moral claim, and that no wrong has been done to an existing factory, by giving it to a new factory of a different line of business. There should be no complaint by the existing factory. I am strong on this point because recently one of our councillors in his address stated that *the factories already here* should be entitled to a bonus as much as a new factory. That is utterly fallacious. We don't bonus factories because they are entitled, but simply because we want to secure them. I even say that as a matter of business of cold dollars and cents basis the Town would be justified in giving a bonus to bring in a new factory, although it might have the effect of placing a small factory at a disadvantage. There is no morality in the matter, it is simply business. This thought should be constantly in mind—that no factory we already have has any claim on the Town. We are not dealing in moralities or abstract principles. Our aim is to get the manufacturers. Our business is to see that we get them for nothing, if possible, and if that is not possible, then at the lowest possible price. It will be urged by the manufacturers that we get certain advantages by increase of population and the expenditure of money for rents and otherwise. That is true, but every increase of population brings its proportionate expenditure of Town money. And while it is no doubt an advantage to get *the new manufactory* it must be always looked to that we do not pay too much for it. Every little manufactory that we have in Town cannot be bonused. We have them and as we are only justified in paying to get something we had not before, there is no reason why we should give bonuses or remit taxes *to establishments* already located here and which may or may not be prosperous and making money. A part of the capital invested by any manufactory is the necessary disbursement to carry on the business, and of these disbursements none is a fairer burden than the payment of taxes. To suffer any manufactory to get rid of its share of taxes is to put on the other citizens, perhaps less able to pay them, more than their fair share. An honorable firm should not ask other men to pay their taxes, and I hope that hereafter it will be thoroughly understood that there is no moral claim, and no legal right on the part of anyone to shirk the common duty of meeting our municipal expenditure by the fair payment of fair taxes. It is no use for one manufactory, not exempt, to compare its position in this respect with a manufactory that is exempt. *We have the one, we got the* other by paying for it. Take the case of the Wm. Hamilton Mfg. Co., Ltd., the bringing into Town of the Cereal Works and other establishments, has given them very great advantages by increasing their business, and so it is with other establishments we all derive benefits in increased rents, or *in increased* demands for labor and in increased mercantile business by the introduction of a new factory, and old factories have no right to complain that we do not give new bonuses to these old establishments every time when by a bonus we introduce a new one. I am glad to say that many of our establishments, like the Wm. Hamilton Company, meet the burdens of taxations laid upon them in a fair spirit, and do not attempt to get exemptions because we have given some exemptions to newly introduced concerns.

Mr. Dumble was heartily applauded at the close of his address.

MR. W. H. MOORE

Mr. W. H. Moore was then called upon and spoke in regard to "Municipal Franchises."

He first congratulated the Mayor on his unanimous election, and on his having such an able staff to assist him. He defined a franchise as a right reserved to the people. Until about one hundred years ago the state either gave away its franchise or sold them to its friends, and made no effort to conserve them and derive proper benefit from them.

Necessities should be delivered to *people at the lowest possible cost.* One of our most important franchises is the right to vote, a most sacred privilege. The government of Great Britain today controls the telephone and telegraph system, and gives a better service than is given elsewhere. Speaking broadly, he said governments should own the railroads, post offices, telephones, telegraphs, and other things of a similar nature. The consequence would be that there would be fewer immensely rich, and many others richer than they are under existing circumstances. Birmingham was cited as a notable example of having municipalities retain their own franchises. Reference was made to the waterworks system of Peterborough, built at first by private enterprise, although some suggested that at first the waterworks should be owned by the town itself.

Public lighting of the town costs at present $6,985 for about 280 nights per year. He claimed this was an excessive outlay. On January 1 next the franchise for public lighting will expire, and he claimed the town should make arrangements to do its own lighting, and he predicted that we would have cheaper and better lighting.

Mr. Moore then referred to the advisability of giving Peterborough and Ashburnham a distinctive name as soon as the two are united, as they eventually will be. Many places have changed their name, and he claimed that Peterborough would benefit by a change of name to that of "Otonabee" or to some other name equally distinguishing.

Prof. Gliddon then favored the audience with a cornet solo, given in his usual excellent style.

Ex-MAYOR STEVENSON

Ex-Mayor Stevenson, who was for over thirty years a member of the council and Mayor for about 16 years, was then called upon. He said that when he was first a member of the council in 1850, that body met in a frame building, standing about between the present Opera House and the Market Building. Later on, they moved to Water street, to a brick building, now pulled down. In those days the sidewalks were made of gravel. Along the west side of George street was a deep ditch, into which unguarded travellers might readily fall. In 1856 the first railway was built into Peterborough, across Rice Lake. Later on, a road was built from Peterborough to Millbrook. He stated that the Trent Valley Canal was first begun at his suggestion, and he urged that we strive to have it completed as far as Lake Ontario. The consequence would be cheaper freight and cheaper commodities. He hoped to see Peterborough and Ashburnham joined.

REEVE ADAMS

Mr. Stevenson was greeted with applause at the close of his address.

Mayor Roger then called upon Reeve Adams, of Ashburnham, to express his views on "Municipal Union."

In doing so, he reviewed the steps that have been taken up to the present in regard to this matter. Personally, he said, he was in favor of union. Ashburnham has a debenture debt of about $10 per head, while Peterborough has a debenture debt of about $64 per head. The most urgent needs of Ashburnham at present are a sewerage system and cement walks. He felt sure the Ashburnham Council were prepared to discuss the question at any time with the Peterborough Council.

Mr. Adams' remarks were much appreciated.

MR. T. F. MATTHEWS

The next speaker was Mr T. F. Matthews, *Chairman of the* Water Commissioners. He said that they were prepared to give water at lower rates, and also to deal more liberally with manufacturers in regard to water and re-rated. A commencement will be made at this work next week.

Mr. Matthews spoke briefly, and to the point, and was heartily applauded.

Ex-MAYOR DAVIS

next addressed the gathering. He referred in felicitous terms to those who had spoken and congratulated the town on the selection of its present officers.

MR. JOHN CARNEGIE,

was the next speaker. He took the liberty of proposing the health of Mayor Roger, which was heartily drunk. The audience sang "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," and gave three hearty cheers in his honor.

Mayor Roger made a suitable reply after which

MR. ALBERT MATTHEWS

was called upon. As a stranger, he said he thought Peterborough should have a street railway. He remarked that in Hull the street lights cost only $30 per year. He called Peterborough the Birmingham of Canada.

MR. D. O'CONNELL.

In response to calls from the audience, Mr. O'Connell gave a brief address. He referred to his uncertainty as to his standing as an Alderman, also to the choice of a name for the united municipalities.

MR. W. FAINT,

the next speaker, said that perhaps at some future date Ashburnham might be willing to annex Peterborough.

MR. SCOTT.

Mr. Gibbs and Mr. Hourigan expressed themselves as being quite in accord with the idea of annexation.

MR. SHERIFF HALL

was pleased to be present, but declined to make a speech at such a late hour.

The singing of "Auld Lang Syne" closed a very enjoyable evening's entertainment.

THE T. A. S. SMOKER

A successful smoking concert was held in the T.A.S. Hall last night, at which the following programme was presented:

Violin solo—P. Kam.
Vocal solo—J. Gillogly.
Buck and wing dance—J. Henry.
Comic song—D. Donoghue.
Sand dance—S. Houlihan.
Wrestling Match—Wm. Meagher and P. Johnston, the former winning.
Comic song—J. Paris.
Wrestling Match—J McDonough and E. Hurtubise, won by McDonough.
Tumbling—Jimmy McNicholl.
Mouth organ solo—E. Hickey.
Comic song by special request.—D Donoghue.
Sand dance—S. Houlihan.

The entire affair was well managed and the T.A.S. Hockey Club, by whom it was arranged, have every reason to feel proud of their success.

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MAY MARK A NEW ERA IN COAL TRADE

Big Operator to Own His Own Cars and Do Away With Hoppers

The Plan May Revolutionize the Handling of Coal by Leading Dealers

Chillicothe, Ohio, Jan. 11.—It was *learned here* to-day that T. J. McKell is preparing to carry out a new policy in coal handling from the mines.

The first inkling of what was going on was had by the few who gained knowledge of the fact that Mr. McKell had placed orders for 500 cars and that all the contracts called for the delivery of these cars by April 1, 1903. It was then that the whole plan of Mr. McKell came to light, and the reason for the orders of the cars was made plain. Mr. McKell himself is authority for the statement that the cars are to be used to haul coal, and that as rapidly as they can be delivered they will be started on their mission of delivering coal from the West Virginia mines to points all over the country.

A RADICAL CHANGE.

The decision of Mr. McKell to own his cars means a radical change in the system of operating the transportation of coal from the mines to the consumer. Up to the present time the railroad companies have been the owners of cars, and the consumers are only too familiar with the stories told by the freight agents of inability to secure cars in which to transport coal. It has been the custom to build immense hoppers at the large mines, and the coal was dumped into them and stayed there until cars could be secured to take it away in. It occurred to Mr. McKell that cars would make just as good a storage place for coal as hoppers would, and so when he had everything prepared to build immense hoppers at his mines in West Virginia he changed his mind and decided that instead of building hoppers he would buy coal cars. He accordingly gave an order for 500 of these cars. Of course, it is not known at what price he contracted for the cars, but coal cars cost, on an average, $800 each, and it will be seen that the order given by Mr. *McKell* means the outlay of $400,000 for cars.

Mr. McKell is one of the best-known coal operators in the United States and one of the richest, and his inaugurating a new system in the conduct of the coal business will be watched with deep interest by the most important capitalists of the country.

He owns 25,000 acres along the New River district, which produces the smokeless coal, and it was over the shipping of the coal from this district that his present suit with the C. and O. arose. At the time the road was built he opened up his mines, and the road contracted to take from him 200,000 tons of coal a year, but later claimed that it could not get the cars in which to transport that amount of coal. The result was the suit now pending in the United States Court in which Mr. McKell seeks to recover $3,000,000 damages because the road did not fulfill its part of the contract. He now proposes to ship his own coal in his own cars over the C. and O. or whatever road he pleases, and he is authority for the statement that after next April he will not be annoyed by any shortage of cars.

TO THE POLE FOR $150,000

If Some One Will Advance That Sum Peary Says He'll Try Again

Philadelphia, Jan. 12.—Despite the fact that he has recently announced his intention of never again attempting to find the North Pole, Robert E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, declared tonight at the conclusion of his lecture before the Philadelphia Geographical Society in Witherspoon Hall, that if any one would place $150,000 at his disposal, he would be willing to undertake another expedition next summer in a final endeavor to reach the Pole.

Mr. Peary said that he believed the discovery of the North Pole was practicable, although it was his opinion that there was no land there, and that the Pole could be reached by the man who could secure a footing on the northern shore of Grinnell Land with proper supplies to enable him to make a dash across the ice packs. He expressed his belief that he had reached the farthest point of land toward the North Pole during his last expedition, and that a trip over the ice to the northward would realize his dream of discovery of sixteen years.

BUSY WITH ESTIMATES

Conservatives are Looking to Have Hon. G. Foster Back

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—The Minister of *Finance* has notified all the Departments to have their estimates prepared and ready for submission to the Cabinet.

With the return of the Premier, preparations for the meeting of Parliament have been started in earnest. There is no evidence in official circles of any desire to extend the calling of Parliament beyond the usual time. While it is not anticipated that the House will meet before the 19th of February, there does not seem to be any good reason why it should not be called about that time. There is of course a big program to be prepared, but it is now well under way. A member of Parliament said that it was not of much consequence whether the House was called early or late, seeing that the session was going to last all next summer.

The Conservatives hope to have Mr. *Foster* back, and the *fighting qualities* of the Opposition will thereby be greatly strengthened.

According to a report brought to Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., there is a bed of ore which will equal or possibly excel the great deposit on the Mesaba Range. The discovery was made by men who have been working in the interest of the Clergue companies for the last two years, in exploration of the wild country north of the "Soo" in Ontario. Now the long time spent in careful search by scientists and trained prospectors is to bring its reward. The prospectors are on their way home with the first news of a great deposit of the finest grade of iron ore in the Algoma country, which will soon be within reaching distance of the railway lines of the Clergues.

CALLS FORT FRANCIS MINNEAPOLIS OF CANADA

Great Flour Milling Industries to Be Located at That Point

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 12. — The International Falls Investment Company has been formed with a capital of $75,000, and a liability limit of $25,000. The incorporators are Ludwig L. Enger, L. H. Nord, Olaf Damm and K. Oustad. The Canadian office is at Fort Frances. The Company plans to deal in lands, etc., in the United States and Canada. Mr. Nord said there was no question in his mind that Fort Frances was the Minneapolis of Canada, as far as flour milling is concerned.

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CHAMBERLAIN IS STATESMANLIKE

Mr. Chamberlain is generally credited with being the cause of war on the Boers and the strongest force in holding his country up to the idea of wiping out the Dutch nationalities in that part of the world. It is his chief title of distinction, surpassing in that respect his dream of imperial federation, which must remain in dreamland, a fading vision at that.

But if Mr. Chamberlain is guilty of evil-doing throughout all the stages leading to the war, a proposition not admitted by his admirers and friends, he is displaying rare wisdom in his treatment of the conquered people. He pays them the courtesy of a visit to their own country to see for himself the situation and what is best to be done for its improvement. He is making addresses couched in the finest spirit and filled with the most conciliatory sentiments. His suggestions for the well-being of the Boers are practical and sensible. He shows a desire to be greatly helpful in healing the wounds left by the conflict and urges the new subjects of the crown to feel themselves on a level with all other African citizens and entitled to share equality of political power with them.

Every word that has fallen from Mr. Chamberlain's lips, and every act of his since the close of the war has been marked with discretion, the appearance of sympathy, and an apparent desire to attach the Boers sincerely to the empire when time shall have done its work of readjustment and developed a new feeling of nationality in place of the old. It is not necessary to approve the former conduct of the Colonial Secretary while admitting his wisdom since the close of the war. Some men are wise at the beginning of an enterprise, but fall off later, and some reverse the process. Only firstclass men keep their head at every stage from the beginning to the end of a policy. Whatever his earlier faults, or crimes, as some call them, Mr. Chamberlain is making a great finish.

CURE FOR SEASICKNESS

Peterboronians who may be contemplating a trip to Europe will be interested to learn that Signor Mayor Des Planches, the Italian Ambassador to Washington, has found what he considers a sure cure for seasickness. Many people who have crossed the ocean a number of times are victims of this distressing ailment, an ailment which detracts from the pleasure of a sea voyage and causes the unfortunate one to undergo a distressful experience. Signor Des Planches declares that he was cured of seasickness by accidentally looking in a mirror. The cure was suggested to a number of the ambassador's companions in the voyage, and in a number of cases it was successful. The Italian diplomat's explanation of the cure is that the constantly changing horizon now far up and then very low, creates a feeling of vertigo. Contemplation of the nearest object at hand may end the attack. There may be something in the mirror cure for seasickness. If anybody from Peterborough expects to be soon on the briny deep, he or she might buy a hand mirror before leaving home, for the purpose of testing this latest recipe.

TURKEY CAUSES AGITATION

Ever since Russia commenced building a navy, she has desired an outlet from the Black Sea to Mediterranean waters. England and other powers which desire to keep the Muscovite where his ships will not be a constant threat to the rich lands along the southern shores of Europe and the northern shores of Africa, secured a treaty in 1841, which declared that no foreign ship of war might enter the Dardanelles except by Turkish consent. This treaty was confirmed by the Paris peace of 1856. Announcement that the Porte has decided to allow four Russian torpedo boat destroyers to pass through the Strait to the Black Sea has caused England and Italy great disquietude. There is now some talk of abrogating the Dardanelles clause of the Paris treaty. Turkey has acted within the provisions of the agreement. Therefore, the powers now manifesting anxiety about the Russian warships should refrain from making any foolish demonstration.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

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Mr. Russell Sage, the eminent New York capitalist, aged eighty-six, has been induced after earnest persuasion to engage a valet to attend him through the crowded streets and keep him out of the way of automobiles, and remain in the lonely old house on lower Fifth avenue, which Mr. Sage persists in residing, despite that all his old neighbors have moved up town. The old gentleman feels like a youngster still and attends his office regularly. With all his millions he lives as simply as a poor man, and does not relish anybody's assistance in his daily routine. But if he had not agreed to have a valet they would have locked him up after his late illness.

The tramp question bobbed up in a new guise at the Boston meeting of the tax assessors. Instances were related where tramps were hunted up just before election and their poll taxes paid, evidently to secure their votes in local politics. The most serious outcome of such a practice is that, with his poll tax paid, a tramp may claim support as a town pauper, and cost the community hundreds of dollars during the year.

The development of the modern railroad and steamship makes possible a trip around the world in twenty-seven days, as follows: From New York to Hamburg, 4,800 miles, 7 3-4 days; Hamburg to Vladivostock, 7,500 miles, 6 1-4 days; Vladivostock to Seattle, 7,000 miles, 10 1-4 days; Seattle to New York, 3,300 miles, 3 3-4 days—total, 22,600 miles in twenty-seven days.

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lowed contentedly all day long. There were extensive pleasure gardens laid out with the rarest skill and most perfect taste. There were marble fountains throwing up their opalescent spray in the sunlight. There was a little lake glimmering like a sheet of silver between the green trees, with white water lilies lying on its tranquil breast.

In this beautiful home the old earl spent most of his time. His cousin, Mrs. Courtenaye, the widow of a famous officer, lived with him. Her son, Cecil Courtenaye, lived in London, but spent a great portion of his time at Locksley Hall.

It was the dearest spot of earth to the earl. Many sweet and sad memories clustered about it. Here all his children had been born; here they had played together beneath the grand old trees in the park. The stately elms, the dark cedars, the flowering chestnuts, the oaks and aspens, had mysterious whispers for him when he walked beneath their majestic shades. They murmured to him of the sweet and noble wife gone before him with all the children of his love. They had left him lonely. No strain of his proud blood ran in the veins of any living being except Mrs. Courtenaye and her son, and the pretty blue-eyed granddaughter his friend, Sir Wilfred Hale, had brought home to him a year ago from America.

This granddaughter would inherit his own princely private fortune, as well as the great wealth that had come to him through his wife. Cecil Courtenaye, who was wealthy, but had no title now, would inherit his title and estates.

The dearest wish of Earl Devon's heart was that his title and fortune should descend together undivided. He had set his heart upon a marriage between his granddaughter and the heir-apparent to the title.

He had talked to Mrs. Courtenaye about it, and she had been pleased with the idea. Now he talked of it to Cecil himself as they walked beneath the shade of the willow trees that fringed the border of the tranquil lake.

"Cecil," he said to him first, "do you realise that I am growing old and weary, and that I shall not stand between you and the earldom much longer?"

Cecil Courtenaye looked at the stern, gray-haired old man in surprise.

"My lord," he answered, respectfully, and even affectionately, "I should be very sorry to realise such a thing. I hope you have many years to remain with us yet."

"Most young men in your place would look forward with impatience to their accession," the old man said, giving him a keen look.

A flush crossed Cecil Courtenaye's fair, handsome face.

"My lord, I hope you do not class me among such," he said, half proudly, half carelessly. "I do very well as I am. I have my own fortune, and I look for no pleasure or benefit that fortune or high birth can give me. I hope to bear your title worthily when it falls to my turn, but I wish the day far off."

Then they walked on silently awhile. The earl was busy with some thoughts he did not know exactly how to put into words.

"I hope to see you married to some fair young girl before I die, Cecil," he said at length, abruptly.

A swift shade of annoyance crossed the proud, high-bred face.

"Thank you," he said, carelessly; "but, as I said before, I do well enough as I am. I am only seven-and-twenty. Time enough to think of marriage when I am through with my wild oats."

"Rumor says that you have not sowed a very large crop of that kind," the earl replied, with a kind smile.

"Rumor is very kind to me," the young fellow replied with a gratified flush.

He was too noble and too proud to throw himself into the vortex of fashionable vices and follies of the day, which other young men of his class and wealth affected, and it pleased him to hear that the world recognized the fact.

"I was no older than you are when I was married," continued his lordship, "and I can assure you I never repented it or thought myself too young. You know what the dearest wish of my heart is, Cecil?"

The young man flushed and looked both annoyed and confused. He did not answer a word, but his firm lip took a more resolute curve under his curling blonde mustache.

"I am quite sure your mother has told you what we both mutually wish," perseveringly. "Has she not, my boy?"

"Yes, my lord," Cecil said, reluctantly.

"And do you not think, Cecil, it would be a pleasant thing to unite the two last descendants of our race in marriage? Who would make a fairer mistress for Lockslev Hall than Florence?"

The blue eyes, under the long, curling lashes, flashed restlessly.

"Florence is very fair," he answered. "I have no doubt she will make a fair mistress for some happy man's home some day. For me, I have no thought of marrying yet."

The old earl's face grew dark with anger. He looked around the fair domain he loved so well—at the broad acres of the woodland, the beautiful park, the picturesque old gray hall, with its ivy-grown turrets, the home where he was born. Must his granddaughter give up all this, and the proud old title to this distant relation whom the mere accident of his own children's deaths had placed in the position of heir-apparent?

"You mean to say that you would never marry Florence?" he asked sharply.

"I am sorry to disappoint your hopes," Cecil Courtenaye answered, courteously; "I would gladly resign the title and estates to Florence were it possible. But I cannot give them to her as my wife. I do not love her."

"Perhaps you love some one else?" the earl cried, annoyed and vexed.

Over the handsome face, turned half way from him, watching the white lilies sleeping on the tranquil lake, a shadow of some intangible sorrow drifted.

"Is it true, Cecil?" the speaker went on, anxiously. "If you love some one else I will not say another word to you about my granddaughter. Tell me, Cecil, have you fallen in love with some other person?"

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ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
	100.00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under Crown Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 1350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 ton [illegible] re above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

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MARKETS.

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OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

GOVERNMENT AIDS.

To encourage the manufacture in the Dominion of iron and steel the Parliament of Canada has granted bounties as follows:—

	ON PIG IRON.	ON STEEL.
Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6⅔ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
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The market opened about par with Saturday's closing prices. Most issues were unchanged, while a few were but fractionally higher or lower. Most of the day's prices endeavored to react and the bears worked industriously but with poor results. It must be acknowledged even by the most pessimistic that operations for the decline are not at all satisfactory or encouraging to the bearish fraternity. Concessions to-day brought a falling-off both in volume of transactions and also of stock offerings. The only result is a placing of buying orders. The present temper of speculation does not favor any declines. The logical and only reasonable argument to be deduced from these facts is that stocks are a purchase upon all weak spots. The trend of prices when accompanied by activity usually indicates the immediate future of values. Present indications based upon this rule argue a higher market. Money closed last loan 5 per cent. Sales [illegible]. Tomorrow's letter outlook bright.

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People I Have Met

This is the title of Hon. J. W. Longley's address, to be given next Thursday evening, in the Y.M.C.A., under the auspices of the Fortnightly Club. The lecture is open to the public, and no doubt will be well attended, as the honorable gentleman is capable of handling the subject in a masterly manner.

S. O. E. Funeral

The S.O.E. will attend the funeral of the late George Emmett, whose death occurred on Sunday at the Nichols Hospital. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2.30, from Mr. D. Belleghem's furniture store, Hunter street, and proceed to the Little Lake cemetery. The deceased had no relatives here, his family residing in England.

Wedding Bells

The Times extends hearty congratulations to Mr. Harry Parker, of North Harvey, and Miss Charity Dowdney, of the same place, who were united in marriage at All Saints' church on Saturday last. The happy couple will spend their honeymoon in Toronto, and on their return will take up residence in Verulam.

The Beautiful Snow

Although the snow has been falling liberally of late, very little trouble has been caused to trains or vehicles, as the snow has been so light and loose. However, if a strong wind arises after a few days' settling of the present downfall, we may look out for blockades. Those who are expecting a supply of wood from the country will be pleased to see the roads remain in good condition.

A Dual Officer

As Mr. D. O'Connell is already a member of the Separate School Board, there was some doubt as to his eligibility as a member of the Council, so he did not take his seat at either the inaugural meeting yesterday morning or the evening session. He has not yet decided what he will do in regard to the matter. We regret that this difficulty has arisen, as Mr. O'Connell would fill both positions with credit.

Got Things Mixed

The Monetary Times evidently got things mixed in regard to Peterborough. In discussing new municipal by-laws passed on municipal election day, it says, "Peterborough defeated a by-law to exempt J. Turner & Sons municipal fuel yard. The town also decided to spend $30,000 for permanent improvements." Of course everybody knows Mr. Turner had nothing to do with the fuel by-law, and that the $30,000 by-law for good roads was defeated.

Trooper Brace

Trooper Brace appeared last night before a large and delighted audience at the Y.M.C.A., and told in thrilling and inimitable style his story of the South African War. He was dressed in the characteristic uniform, and for nearly two hours held the undivided attention of his audience. Lieut.-Col. Miller occupied the chair and made some appropriate introductory remarks, and also referred in felicitous terms to the delightful entertainment and instruction furnished by Trooper Brace.

Joint Installation

The newly-elected officers of Peterborough Lodge, No. 111, and of Otonabee Lodge, No. 18, I.O.O.F., will be jointly installed next Thursday evening, January 15, at the lodge rooms, corner George and Hunter streets. It is hoped there will be a good attendance of the members, and any visiting brethren will be most cordially welcomed. Installations at Pontypool and Havelock will probably be subject to local arrangements, while for Norwood no definite plans have been made as yet, but particulars will be announced as soon as the details are completed.

Peterborough Business College

Everything is in full swing again at this popular educational institution, although the Public and High Schools are still closed. Under the able direction of Mr. W. Pringle, Principal, assisted by Miss M. Blois and Mr. Garnett, very satisfactory work is being done in the various departments, and we have right here in the city of Peterborough a commercial college which is second to none in Canada.

Be Sure and See Him

Mr. J. H. Cameron, who is to appear in Bradburn's Opera House, on the evening of Friday, January 23rd, appeared in the Galt Opera House New Year's night at the Knox Church concert. The Galt Reporter had this to say of him: Mr. J. H. Cameron sustained his title to the provincial championship as an entertainer. Though encores were fast and thick, his funny-story warehouse was far from being exhausted. Mr. Cameron as a humorist and dialect monologist, stands on the top rung."

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Old Settler's Hut

In the window of Mr. Parker's bicycle repair shop, corner of Hunter and Queen streets, may be seen a miniature representation of the log houses erected by the early settlers. The roof is of the dug-out style, and the chinks between the logs are packed with moss, as in the good old days, to keep Jack Frost on the outside. A number of clay figures are grouped around the house, showing the settler and his family, together with their scanty but precious supply of cattle, pigs, etc. The work represents a great deal of care in preparation, and is very skilfully executed. It attracts a great deal of attention from passers-by.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Miss Carrie White, of Peterborough, appeared recently at an entertainment in Omemee, and quite captivated the audience by her clever performances.

—We congratulate Mr. A. C. McCallum on his appointment to the position of Works Engineer of the Canada Foundry Company, Toronto, but we regret that Peterborough is losing such an estimable citizen.

—Mr. Bert Huston, of Cold Springs, Otonabee, who taught the Junior Department of Warsaw Public School in 1902, has been engaged to teach Young's Point School for the present year. Mr. Huston is a good teacher, and will no doubt give first class satisfaction.

The many friends of Ald. Corkery will sympathize with him in the illness of Mrs. Corkery, and will join with the Times in expressing the hope that she will speedily regain her health.

—Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, M.A., the popular Rector of St. Luke's church, has been confined to his house with an attack of la grippe. We are pleased to learn that he is recovering satisfactorily, and trust he will soon be entirely convalescent.

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MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION

School Visitation — Late Saturday Night Shopping

Rev. Dr. Torrance read an able paper on "Ecce Deus," at the January meeting of the Ministerial Association, in the Y.M.C.A. yesterday. It was afterwards discussed by the local clergy, and also by Canon Richardson, M.A., of London, who was present.

The Association will endeavor to lessen the evil of late shopping on Saturday evenings. Arrangements will also be made for systematic visitation of the schools of the town.

THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Annual Meeting and Election of Officers Last Night

The annual meeting of the members of the Public Library took place last night. The following gentlemen were elected to the Board of Management for the ensuing year: Dr. Geo. Burnham, and Messrs. W. H. Hill, T. A. S. Hay, John Corkery, R. Roberison, Thos. Richardson, J. S. Knapman, H. S. Macdonald Secretary-treasurer.

The Board will meet in the course of a few days and elect a President and and Secretary-treasurer.

Complaints having been made regarding the mutilation of periodicals and magazines, the matter was referred to the Library committee, with power to act, after which the meeting adjourned.

THE LAW SOCIETY

Annual Meeting of the Peterborough Law Association

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Law Association was held yesterday afternoon, at the office of Messrs. Roger and Bennett, when the following officers were re-elected for the ensuing year:

President—John Green.
Vice-President—Geo. W. Hatton.
Secretary—J. W. Bennett.
Treasurer—F. D. Kerr.

Executive committee—The officers and Messrs. L. M. Hayes and E. B. Edwards.

Several matters of importance was discussed and dealt with. The financial statement showed that there was a balance on the right side of the ledger after paying the expenses of the year, and purchasing books for the library.

ANNIVERSARY OF ALL SAINTS'

Address by Rev. Canon Richardson at Both Services Sunday

Large congregations greeted Rev. Canon Richardson at both services at All Saints' on Sunday, on the occasion of the first anniversary of the parish. Both sermons were exceptionally good, and special music was rendered in a very appropriate manner.

Last night a lecture was given by Rev. Canon Richardson on the subject "From London to London," a review of the Church of England, from the time of the Reformation up to the appointment of Bishop Cronyn, Bishop of Huron, which was very interesting, and thoroughly appreciated by a large and attentive audience which filled the basement of the church to the doors. Rev. W. L. Armitage, M.A., rector, occupied the chair.

After the lecture a musical programme was rendered, consisting of two duets, one by Mrs. Glanville, and Mr. Joseph Legg, the other by Miss Mary Rush and the rector. Mrs. Glanville, who took part in "Hope Beyond," is a most finished singer, possessing a sweet contralto voice, which she uses to the best advantage. Her efforts were ably seconded by Mr. Legg, who has become a great favorite with Peterborough audiences. Miss Mary Rush, who, though young, has already acquired considerable fame in vocal music and possesses a rich mezzo-soprano voice. She, with the rector, rendered very acceptably, "O Salutaria." Mr. Legg also sang a solo. Miss Bullen, who presided at the piano, played the accompaniments with her usual good taste.

At the conclusion a vote of thanks was tendered the reverend lecturer by Mr. J. H. McClelland and Mr. J. Green on behalf of All Saint's church. Refreshments were then served. The rector, who received many encomiums feelingly responded thereto. Rev. Canon Richardson leaves this morning for London.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The band was at the rink last night.

—February number of The Delineator, now on sale at Times Bookstore.

Peterborough Juniors will meet Cobourg in the O.H.A. series this evening. The game will begin at 8.15.

—If the boy who took the hockey stick from Times Bookstore door yesterday will leave it back, he will save himself trouble.

—On January 22 the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends intend holding a gift concert, when gifts are promised, in addition to a good program.

—The Almondbury Hand Bell Ringers appeared last night in George street church, and gave a very satisfactory entertainment.

—The Never Learn Club meets this evening from 8.30 to 11.30, in the Foresters Hall, Simcoe street, when it is hoped every member will be on hand.

—Mr. R. M. Dennistoun will give an address on "Success" at the meeting of Charlotte street Young Men's Guild next Friday evening.

—A large attendance is looked for at the meeting of St. Luke's Men's Guild, to be held next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. These meetings prove extremely interesting.

—School Section No. 16, Otonabee has not yet secured a teacher for 1903, and the school is closed in consequence. It is expected the vacancy will be filled this week. A number of applications have been received for the position of teacher.

—A private letter received in Peterborough from Chicago states that the scarcity of coal is becoming a very serious matter to that city. The writer contemplates moving to Peterborough, unless prospects improve for getting more coal in Chicago.

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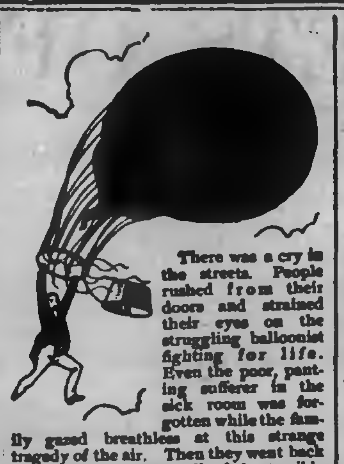

There was a cry in the streets. People rushed from their doors and strained their eyes on the struggling balloonist fighting for life. Even the poor, panting sufferer in the sick room was forgotten while the family gazed breathless at this strange tragedy of the air. Then they went back to the sick room to tell of the terrible struggle for life they had just witnessed. It did not occur to them that under their very eyes a more terrible, more pathetic struggle was going on daily.

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THURSDAY, JAN. 15th

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Brighter Outlook for Macedonians, Decisive Action Likely to be Taken—Opposition to the Austro-Hungary Compact

London, Jan. 13—The correspondent of The Times at Berlin tells of a sharp rebuke administered to the Prussian police because of the mistreatment of various persons. Several cases of improper use of their powers by the police caused much indignation in Germany last year. The press took up the cases and made warm comments, especially when a journalist who had been convicted of a political offence was conducted through the city streets like a common offender. The Prussian Ministry of the Interior has now sent a circular to the chief police authorities throughout the kingdom, in which it is admitted that the allegations made against the police have been proved substantially to be true. The circular traces the excesses to minor police officials, and say that they have lacked proper supervision from their superiors. The police chiefs are enjoined to prevent the recurrence of such scandals.

Improving Macedonian Conditions.

London, Jan. 13—Indication that decisive action will be taken for the amelioration of conditions in Macedonia is given in a despatch from a correspondent of The Times at Paris. It is probable, he says, that the recent journey of Count Lamsdorff, the Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, and the exchange of views on the near Eastern question by some of the powers concerned, will lead to the submission for collective approval of some definite project for improving the condition of Macedonia. This would be followed eventually, by the exertion of further pressure on Constantinople. The idea is gaining ground that the enforcement of present Turkish laws by honest officials, of whom there are plenty in Turkey, would produce rapid and considerable change for the better. This idea will probably form the basis of any future project for improving the administration of Macedonia.

Opposing Austro-Hungary Compact.

London, Jan. 13—In spite of the signature of a financial compact between Austria and Hungary, the Bohemian language difficulty still presents obstacles to the adoption by the National Parliament, says The Times correspondent at Vienna. The proceedings at Prague show that the Czech demands are incompatible with those of the Germans. The resolution adopted, stated that negotiations over the language dispute must not be permitted to influence the Parliamentary tactics of the Czech deputies, simply means that these deputies are not to relinquish their policy of obstruction. As Bohemian Germans are understood to have informed Herr Korber that they will not negotiate except upon the basis of the original memorandum, which the Czechs have already refused to entertain the outlook for a settlement seems hopeless.

French Government Endorsed.

London, Jan. 13—A significant bye-election in Bethune is reported by the Paris correspondent of The Times. Baron D'Ard, who stood for election ostensibly as a Christian Democrat, in reality represented the entire Nationalist Opposition in the constituency. He was beaten, however, by M. Dalalia, who is a declared supporter of the present Government.

PLAIN TALK TO ENGLAND.

The People of the Motherland are Charged with Ignoring Canada.

London, Jan. 13—Sir Albert Rollit has made a preliminary report on the visit to Canada of the British delegates. He speaks in glowing terms of Canadian heartiness and hospitality, and says the deputation gained a most favorable impression of Canada's enormous possibilities.

Strathcona Active.

Every day gives fresh evidence of Lord Strathcona's activities. Despite the inclement weather, his latest engagement is a promise to lay the foundation stone of the Leysian Mission premises, which are being erected by the Wesleyan Methodists in City Road, London, at a cost of £100,000.

Plain Talk to Britain.

Lord Strathcona is expected to speak at the Royal Colonial Institute tonight when a paper is to be read by Albert Hickman, Canadian Government agent, who will charge the British people with neglecting Western Canada more persistently, intelligently and thoroughly than any other portion of the Empire. He believes, however, that, thanks to the energies of such men as Lord Strathcona, a new area has dawned. He ridicules the idea of the "American invasion" involving the slightest danger to British interests. He says the majority of incoming Americans appreciate British institutions and become good Canadian citizens with great rapidity. The investment of so many American millions in Canadian lands is but forging one more chain existing in the informal alliance, the greatest in history, known as the Anglo-American confederation.

Riflemen from Australia.

The Australian Confederation Rifle team is expected at the next Bisley meeting to defend the Kolapore cup and compete for the Palma trophy. The Kolapore cup is now being exhibited at Sydney, Melbourne and Brisbane in order to stimulate interest.

The rest of the Canadian members of the South African Constabulary are returning to Canada on Thursday.

Lord Mayors.

The following despatch, published in Australian papers, provokes inquiry whether Montreal or Toronto might not be similarly treated: "The King has been pleased to approve of the title of Lord Mayor being conferred on the mayors of Melbourne and Sydney. Such is the effect of a message received by the Governor-General. In future the mayors will be entitled to be called Right Honorable. The Lord Mayor's wife will be Lady Mayoress."

Grand Trunk Pacific.

In order to meet, the state that the Grand Trunk's financial position will be jeopardized by the Grand Trunk Pacific commitments, it is announced today that the Grand Trunk Pacific will be absolutely a separate corporation, under the control of the Grand Trunk, but not guaranteed financially in any way by the older company. It is added that the form in which the scheme will ultimately go through is probably dependent on the extent of the subsidies obtained from the Canadian Government.

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PLAGUE TO KILL A PLAGUE

Means Discovered to Destroy Grasshoppers and Locusts

Washington, Jan. 13—Prof. L. O Howard of the Department of Agriculture has discovered a plague to kill grasshoppers and locusts.

The next time a locust or grasshopper plague prevails in any section of the United States tubes of gelatine containing the germs of the plague will be sent to the farmers in the afflicted districts and by the inoculation of a few insects the entire swarm will be destroyed.

Reports have been received from the Philippines and South Africa showing that grasshoppers and locusts have died by millions through the use of the culture sent out by the Department.

The disease is caused by fungi known as entomophthoreae and the cultures and made much more easily than the name would imply.

RUN THE DARDENELLES

British Embassy's Order to an Egyptian Steamship

Constantinople, Jan. 13.—The Porte has not yet replied to Great Britain's pronot yet replied to Britain's protest against Turkey's allowing Russian torpedo No other power has pronounced itself on the question.

After waiting vainly for two years to obtain the same privileges for the Khedival Navigation Company as other companies enjoy, namely, that its ships may pass through the Dardanelles, the British Embassy has determined to wait no longer and has instructed the steamer El Kahira, which sailed yesterday for Alexandria, to pass through the Dardanelles without stopping.

This decision has the effect of ignoring the Sultan's suzerainty over things Egyptian, which restriction now will be removed.

TREASON TRIAL IN ENGLAND

Lynch's Counsel Has to Get King's Autograph Permission to Defend Client

London, Jan. 13.—The Attorney-General's arrangements for the trial for treason of Capt. Lynch, who served with the Boers during the war, and was elected member of Parliament for Galway, revives the ancient usage enforced in all treasonable cases and still maintained.

The counsel for the defendant will have to apply for the King's special permission, which must be given over Edward's autographed signature, before he can defend his client.

In the olden times it was the custom to regard a prisoner accused of high treason as good as condemned already and any lawyer daring to defend him was looked upon as little better than a traitor.

In later days, while the accused was still forbidden either to plead in court or to give evidence, the authorities adopted the custom of assigning him counsel.

In the present case Horace Avory, a leading criminal lawyer, will represent Capt. Lynch at the latter's request, and the authorities have concurred in the arrangement.

TO MINE THEIR OWN COAL

Building Managers of Chicago to Take Action to Avoid Future Coal Famines

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 13.—Coal mines owned by themselves, establishment of their own fuel yards, ample provision for the delivery to their own buildings and a vigorous attempt to compel the railroads to supply plenty of cars for shipment, are the measures which members of the Building Managers' Association contemplate in order to prevent future fuel famines in Chicago.

Tenants of some of the skyscrapers are not only walking upstairs, but finding dark offices when they arrive. Flickering candle lights were seen in several big buildings last night, and it is said many tenants used candles and lamps, the lighting plants having been shut down.

State's Attorney Deneen announced to-day that he had received word from Attorney-General Hamlin that the latter will arrive in Chicago to-morrow and confer with him as the evidence in possession of each.

Scores of damage suits are expected to follow in the wake of the test case to be brought to trial, bitterness having been increased through the failure of the railroads to relieve the situation, although large amounts of coal have been brought in.

LOCKS AT PETERBOROUGH

Largest of the Kind in the World — Photographs of the Work

Ottawa, Jan. 13— Mr. R. B Rogers, engineer in charge of the Trent Valley Canal, yesterday brought to the department a number of photographs of the new hydraulic lift-lock at Peterborough. They show the work of placing the iron superstructure, supplied by the Dominion Bridge Company, to be making good progress towards completion. The lock is a wonder in its way. There are only three other locks in existence constructed upon the same principle, those at Les Fontinettes, in France, La Louviere, in Belgium, and Anderton, in England. But none of these compares in size with the Peterborough lock. It is a double hydraulic lift-lock, designed to convey vessels between the lower and upper reaches of the Trent Canal, which at that point have a difference in level of 65 feet.

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ANNUAL DISTRICT MEETING

Of the District Orange Lodge of Peterboro' Held Last Night

The annual meeting of the District Orange Lodge of Peterboro was held in the Orange Hall, Simcoe st., last night. After the general routine of business was transacted, the election of officers then took place, which resulted as follows:

District Master—Bro. R. Wilson, No 80.

Dep.-District Master—Bro. T. A Young, No. 178.

Dist. Chaplain—W. A. Kindred, No 80.

Dist. Rec.-Secretary — W. G. Bartley, No. 80.

Dist. Fin-Sec.—W. Grieves, No 321

Dist. Treas.—C. Kitney, No 321

Dist. Div. of C.—John F Larson. No 457.

District Lecturer—Max Weir, No. 178.

The newly elected officers were duly installed by Bro. J. A. McWilliams, County Master.

THE GOLD IN AUSTRALIA

Precious Metal Found Literally in the Streets

Sydney, Jan. 13.—Gold is to be found in most things, as we now know—even in sea water—but some experiments recently made in Sydney under the auspices of the local Royal Society yielded curious results in this connection. Dust collected from the roof of the Sydney observatory was found to contain cobalt, nickel, and gold, while at the university building—a couple of miles further from building—a couple of miles further away from the sea—gold was also discovered in the dust. The observatory is within a stone's throw of Sydney harbor, with the wharves all around it, and probably the nickel and cobalt are to be traced to the shipments of rough ore brought over from New Caledonia from time to time. But the gold is everywhere, and it was shown to be present in dust collected promiscuously at such unlikely places as Moruya, Menindie, and other towns far removed from the "yellow belt." Possibly, through the agency of some future invention, this common dust may be made to pay for the working, and this would be a helpful new asset for Australia, for there is plenty of it.

SOFT-COAL STRIKE BREWING

Due About April 1, Says an Operator Here—Will Affect New York Indirectly

New York, Jan. 13.—A representative of the Chesapeake and Ohio Coal Company said yesterday that a strike of the Virginia for large advances in wages and that it will probably go into effect on April 1. These miners are not now thoroughly organized, he said, so, the strike will not begin until President Mitchell gets out of the hands of the anthracite commission and can turn his attention to the West Virginia field.

"The output in West Virginia," said the Chesapeake and Ohio man, "is 60 per cent, of the total output of soft coal in the United States. The strike will not affect us here directly. It will affect us indirectly because the New England States will then have to draw on Pennsylvania, which supplies the Eastern cities, for its soft coal, and this will eventually increase the demand for hard coal."

The wages of the soft coal miners employed by the Fairmont Coal Company of West Virginia have been advanced 10 per cent, by President Clarence W. Watson, of that Company. A notice to that effect was posted at the office of the company yesterday.

"We have 11,000 names on our payroll," said Mr. Watson, "and the average wages have been $2.28 a day. Mitchell sent his agents to our mines during the anthracite strike to organize our men. They refused to go into any union saying that the company had always treated them fairly. As a reward for their fealty we now find ourselves in a position to advance their wages."

COBOURG JUNIORS WIN

From the Peterborough Juniors Last Night at the Brock Street Rink

The Cobourg Juniors won the first game of the junior series played in Peterborough at the Brock street rink last night. The game was very closely contested, both teams being about evenly matched. The Cobourg team have a very speedy forward line and did some very neat passing, while the Peterborough team was rather weak on the forward line, and with a little more practice should make the return match warm for the Cobourg seven. The score last night was 2 to 1 in favor of Cobourg.

Peterborough Senior Colts will play at Belleville on Friday, and on Tuesday will play Port Hope here.

Toronto, Jan. 14—The O.H.A Executive has issued instructions to all referees of hockey matches that the games must start on scheduled time There has been a great many complaints in the past because of the late starting of games, owing generally to the failure of one team to arrive at the right time, and the committee is anxious to correct the evil. To accomplish this fines will be placed on the offending teams. Already two O.H.A. teams have been penalized in this manner for being late at matches.

On Saturday night at Hamilton Referee Aleck Creelman fined the Marlboros of Toronto $10 for being late for the game with Hamilton intermediates. The Marlboros did not arrive at the rink till very late, it being nearly 10 o'clock when the game was started. Last night at Orillia, Penetang and Orillia juniors played, the home team winning. The Orillia team was late in going on the ice and Referee Hugh Rose fined the club $10.

Secretary W. A. Buchanan said this morning that neither of these cases was excusable. The splendid railway service between Toronto and Hamilton should prevent any delays in starting a game in either city, and a home team like Orillia last night, should have no reason whatever for not being ready at the appointed time.

Middleweight Championship.

Tommy Ryan, the middleweight champion, has accepted the offer of the International A.C. of Fort Erie, for a 20-round bout between him and Jack O'Brien of Philadelphia. The club will put up a purse of $6,500. O'Brien had already accepted.

Want a Postponement.

Morrisburg Juniors are scheduled to play an O. H. A. game at Kingston on Saturday night, with the Kingston Ramblers, and want a postponement. They have written to Secretary Buchanan regarding it.

Worst Defeat Yet.

The All-Canadian football team met with their worst defeat yet at Mountain Ash, Wales, when the local team piled up a score of 25 to zero. The Canadians were in poor shape and lacked two men, two Swansea players being on the team to fill up.

Lord Minto Will Attend.

Lord Minto will be present at the championship speed skating races at Montreal, February 7. He has so notified the committee.

Notes of the Curlers.

Defeat follows these Scottish curlers with unrelenting persistence. The visitors were again defeated at Montreal yesterday, six rinks playing.

The play in the District No. 2. Cup competition will commence on Wednesday, January 21, at Peterboro, when the following teams are expected—Norwood, Lakefield, Campbellford and Keene.

The following clubs have signified their intention of being present to play against the Scottish curlers during their visit to Peterborough —

Kingston, Cobourg, Port Hope, Orillia and a rink from each of the local clubs.

THE COAL SITUATION A CRUEL CONSPIRACY

Energetic Action Being Taken by United States Authorities

To Crush the Heartless Speculative Movement by the Great Coal Men—Serious State of Affairs

Washington, Jan. 13.—It is becoming clear that the coal men of the United States are in a gigantic conspiracy to fleece the people. The stocks on the market are the subject of heartless speculation in face of immense suffering among all classes, and especially the very poor. It is no alarmist statement that the people are perilously near to famine conditions. Accounts from the mining regions show that although the anthracite mines are working to full capacity, the coal is not going forward. The people of New York city are suffering now as greatly as at any time since the trouble began. As the New York Herald remarks editorially: "There is a movement on foot, a cruel movement, among coal speculators to force the price still higher. They have so tempted some of the independent companies by offers for large quantities of the commodity at advanced figures, that the latter have broken away from the general agreement upon a common fixed price for the joint outfit, and will deliver their coal to the highest bidders."

Action is being taken by Congress to crush this cruel speculative movement. If it does not succeed, the outcry for Government interference may gather irresistible force. But meanwhile the time passes, the colder part of winter comes on, and there is no relief.

UGANDA'S SLEEP OF DEATH

Insidious Disease Devastating the Country of its Inhabitants

London, Jan. 11—The School of Tropical sleeping sickness which is now devastating Uganda. Though it was discovered only a few years ago, it is computed that the disease has already killed from 20,000 to 30,000 people, and is spreading to new areas with increasing virulence.

Its extension to the north will be of the greatest menace to Egypt. Scientific reports made on the spot describe the sleeping sickness as a complaint something like that group of diseases known as meningitis or inflammation of the brain. It begins insidiously with changes in the attitude of the patient. From

The duration of the complaint varies from a month in acute cases to six months more in chronic cases. The disease is practically invariably fatal and, although taking longer to cause death than hydrophobia, may be classed along with the latter as one of the most fatal complaints known to mankind. It is contagious and its spread is assured by overcrowding of many populated areas is making itself felt, and the outlook is very gloomy. The only scheme yet devised for the prevention of the spread of the disease is the isolation of new cases.

OPENS THE EYES OF THE SOUTH AFRICANS

Hon. Joseph Chamberlain Seems to Have Captivated the Hearts of Rebellious Boers

Chicago, Jan. 12—The Record-Herald prints the following special cable from London:

Mr. Chamberlain is making a splendid impression in South Africa. All the despatches from the Cape are agreed as to this. The prophecies of the Liberal and Radical press that he would undo by imprudent speeches all he might have accomplished in his personal interviews have been falsified by events, for it is his speeches that are carrying the day for the Colonial Secretary's programme. Even the Daily News admits that he is showing unexpected tact and astuteness as a pacifier and he has only to continue as he has begun if he would completely revolutionize for the better both Boer and colonial feeling.

Mr. Chamberlain's plan is to convince the colonials and to reconcile the Boers afterwards. The convincing process involves showing the loyal element that their highest and paramount interests are endangered by the fostering of petty local jealousies.

Weak Spot in System.

"Here he puts his finger," says one correspondent, "upon the weak spot in our South African system today. The colonials are not broad-gauged as a rule. Though many of them have traveled far, they are more insular than some Britons who have never crossed the channel. Their loyalty is unimpeachable, but their horizon is narrow and their perspective is false. Mr. Chamberlain's purpose is obvious—to give them a wider prospect by convincing them that local concerns, however important, are dwarfed by Imperial interests, and that intercolonial co-operation is the first thing needed."

That he is working wonders along this line is evident from the changed tone of the press of Natal and Cape Colony. Two months ago The Times of Natal reflected the local opinion in a slashing article, commenting unfavorably upon Lord Milner and the Colonial Office.

View is Changed.

Only two days ago, however, the same influential organ took an entirely different view of the Methods of the High Commissioner and the Colonial Secretary. "Perhaps," it said, the most salutory result of Mr Chamberlain's visit will be found in the lucid explanation he is giving of Imperial policy in South African consolidation and reconstruction. He has cleared up many matters as to which the colonies were long and painfully perplexed.

"Far be it from us not to respond to his appeal for greater readiness to give and take in intercolonial relations."

Cape Colony opinion has undergone much the same transformation in less than a fortnight, and the wisdom of Mr. Chamberlain's visit is demonstrated by the increasing tendency in loyalist circles everywhere to adopt a more reasonable attitude toward intercolonial controversies and to the general programme of reconciliation between Boer and Briton.

Revulsion of Feeling.

"Mr. Chamberlain's frank way of taking his hearers into his confidence and his perfect willingness to answer any proper question put to him," says the Cape Argus, "is giving South Africa a different notion of him from the one promoted here and in England by his personal and political enemies. Henceforth all his proposals and acts will be viewed at the Cape in a more rational light."

Immense importance is attached in London to this revulsion in colonial feeling. Lord Milner has repeatedly declared that he has found the loyalists as hard to cope with as Lord Kitchener found the Boers. Their principal military grievance has been the uncertainty as to the willingness of the Imperial Government to recognize receipts for property taken or much the same transofrmation in less destroyed during the conflict. Great pressure has been brought to bear upon Lord Milner in this connection and his inability to furnish favorable assurances has been a barrier between him and the colonials, not to mention the friction with the Home Government.

This has at times been so keen that Lord Milner has with difficulty been dissuaded from resigning.

Mr. Chamberlain's announcement at Ladysmith that all military receipts would be recognized is considered the most important since the announcement of peace. It clears the air. It is bound to raise a wave of pacification that will sweep away a score of minor grievances.

(Toronto News.)

It is hard to imagine a more difficult mission than that upon which Hon. Joseph Chamberlain is now engaged in South Africa, and, if the reports are to be relied upon, the results he is accomplishing, stamp him as a diplomat of the highest order.

The Government of Great Britain was warned, when the generous terms of the Vereeniging surrender were under discussion, it was a mistake to imagine that the Dutch burghers in South Africa would be grateful for any generosity at the hands of their victors, and that kindness would be regarded as a sign of weakness. Those who knew the Boer character best were compelled to admit that there was this criticism was it was absolutely correct. The lenient treatment accorded the belligerent Boers, many of whom were rebels from the Northern districts of Cape Colony and the Colony of Natal, raised a perfect storm of resentment among the loyalists in both these colonies, who felt that justice was not being done them when what they regarded as a premium was placed by the British Government upon rebellion. Added to the resentment of the loyalists of Cape Colony and Natal, was open dissatisfaction with the terms of the Vereeniging surrender by the Dutch burghers of the Orange Free State and the Transvaal. The situation was becoming decidedly serious, and Lord Milner openly admitted his inability to cope with the situation.

This briefly was the condition of affairs in South Africa, when the Colonial Secretary was commissioned to visit the country and endeavor to bring about peace and harmony. In a few short weeks he has succeeded where Lord Milner failed in reconciling the loyalists of Cape Colony and Natal. In the latter colony, he was cheered when he explained how the government intended to tax the people of that colony to pay its fair share of the war debt. In two short weeks this remarkable man worked a revolution of feeling among the loyalists of the two colonies which suffered most because of the war.

Having completed this part of his mission successfully, Mr. Chamberlain proceeded to Pretoria, where he was met by a large deputation of Dutch burghers, who, in polite language, informed him that, unless the British Government acceded to the original demands of the burghers for complete amnesty and larger money grants, there would be no hope of ultimate peace in the country. It was then that the strength of the man appeared. He had sized up the Boer character better than those who had criticised him. There was no attempt at conciliation, but, in decisive language, he told the burghers gathered at Pretoria that they had gotten all they were going to get, that all the world knew they had been generously treated and that there could be no going behind the terms of the Vereeniging surrender.

Mr. Chamberlain has begun the second half of his mission in the right way, and it will be interesting to watch for the time when he will be cheered in Pretoria, by the Dutch burghers, for his firmness, as he was in Natal, by the loyalists, for his consummate tact and conciliatory methods.

HYDROPHOBIA MICROBE

Italian Professor Says That He Has Discovered It

St. Petersburg is fighting a rat plague of tremendous proportions. For three successive days rats wandering to the river to drink have stopped early morning trains on the suburban Newski railway. The police are distributing rat poison to all householders free of charge, and soldiers, armed with sticks, watch the road to the river where the rats procure their morning drink.

WEATHER NOTES

Wednesday—Becoming milder.

Decidedly cold weather prevails from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces, whilst in the Northwest more moderate conditions obtain. The temperature in Ontario is likely to become higher today.

MORE TROUBLE SAID TO BE BREWING IN CHINA

Reasons Why a London Paper Thinks War is Sure to Come

London, Jan. 13.—There are several indications that China is not pacified to stay pacified. The London Standard's Tientsin correspondent notes the development of a policy in Chinese court circles which, he thinks, is destined to have serious consequences. The object of it is to "replace the Boxers by Manchus." For some time the influence of the Manchu statesman Yung Lu has been increasing rapidly, and he now has entire confidence of the Dowager Empress. Latterly there has been incessant drilling among Manchu officials. All this, thinks the correspondent, really means putting in motion two opposing forces, between which both the dynasty and China's independence stand a good chance of falling to the ground. Since the conquest of China by the Tartars, the Manchus have quietly fallen back into the apathetic condition from which they were temporarily aroused, and they have made but little impression on the country outside of Pekin. Manchu officials have been scattered throughout the country, side by side with Chinese, and their identity has been largely swallowed up by office. "Put all this aside, place them in command of the army, 'because Chinese officials cannot be depended upon,' and a new era dawns immediately. Directly the true state of things becomes apparent the Chinese will rebel against the Manchu yoke, and then the tussle of Chinese versus Manchu troops begins." The correspondent adds that China, especially in the south and centre, is ripe for mischief

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Skating Club

On Thursday evening, Jan. 15th, a special general meeting of the Peterborough Tennis Club will be held in the Y.M.C.A for the purpose of organizing a skating club. This is an important matter, and every member is expected to be present.

The Ice Harvest

The Little Lake is beginning to present an animated appearance, several gangs of men being engaged in harvesting the ice crop for use next summer. Messrs. J F. Allin, Thomas Rehill and William Curtis each have a number of men employed at present. The ice seems to be of good quality, and the recent cold weather is making it of a desirable thickness.

Lost an Eye

Mr. Chas. Gramesault, who, with his family, resides on Robinson st., Ashburnham, had the misfortune to lose an eye a few days ago, while operating a reamer at the lift lock. A piece of steel struck him in the eye, injuring that member to such an extent that, in his removal to St. Joseph's Hospital it was found necessary to remove it. Fears are entertained that the other eye will also be affected. He is still confined to the Hospital He recently removed here with his family from Montreal. Much sympathy will be extended to them in this unfortunate affliction.

HOUSE NUMBERING IN ASHBURNHAM

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—Now that we have a new council, it is hoped they will take the necessary steps to have the houses in the village numbered, and where necessary, name boards placed on the street corners. The cost would not be very great, and the resulting advantages would be considerable.

At present it is a very hard matter to direct strangers, and mistakes are continually occurring in the delivery of parcels and a great deal of time is unnecessarily wasted, owing to the lack of numbers on the houses. The matter has frequently been discussed but nothing definite has come of it. The action or inaction of the present council will be awaited with interest.

Yours truly,

ASHBURNHAM.

Skate Sailing

Probably the most delightful form of either skating or sailing, lies in the combination of the two and known as skate-sailing. In Switzerland and Germany it is a universal means of winter amusement and in Canada it is in general use more particularly from Toronto to the Atlantic seaboard. In Peterborough it is practically unknown, and when it is considered how inexpensive and yet exciting the pastime is, it is a matter of surprise that it should be so. A small sail fastened to the waist and guided by the arm, is all that is needed. A speed of forty miles an hour is easily and safely attained with the sweep of wind possible on Little Lake, and the general solidity of the ice there and boys ought to enjoy themselves to their heart's content. A few letters to the sporting or boy's corner of the leading papers would give all the required information respecting this most delightful and healthful form of winter amusement.

A REAL SET BACK.

This Great Family Journal Has Struck a Gigantic Snag

This great family journal struck its first real set-back for 1903 yesterday, when the following letter was handed in at the business office:

Mister editor pleas stopp my paper fur i doant like a paper what sticks up so mutch fur the Grits as yures dus and yu du not like Jim straton i gess but i du.

From the above it will be seen there is nothing for us but liquidation and the poor house.

KEENE CARNIVAL

The First of the Season on Friday Evening Next

The first carnival of the season in Keene will be held next Friday evening January 16, when liberal prizes will be given for the successful competitors in the races; also for the best dressed boy, girl, lady and gentleman, for both fancy and comic costumes. It is expected that a number from Peterborough will attend.

SELWYN METHODIST CHURCH

Interesting Anniversary Services Last Night at Selwyn

The anniversary services of Selwyn Methodist church, Smith, of which Rev. J. W. Bunner, of Bridgenorth, is pastor, were held on Sunday and last night. The sermons on Sunday were preached by Rev. C. L. Sullivan, of Ashburnham, and last night a tea was given, after which an interesting programme was rendered, consisting of music, addresses, etc. Rev. J. W. Bunner, Rev. C. L. Thompson, and others assisted.

S. O. E. FUNERAL

The Body of the Late George Emmett Laid to Rest

The funeral of the late George Emmett took place yesterday afternoon, from Mr. D. Bellegham's, Hunter st., under the auspices of Lansdowne Lodge, No. 25, S.O.E to the Little Lake Cemetery. The deceased had no relatives here, and the funeral arrangements were entirely in the hands of the Lodge.

Rev. J. P. Wilson, pastor of George street Methodist church, conducted the services, and at the grave the impressive funeral service of the Sons of England was also used. The pall-bearers were Bros. A. Kingscote, W. J Heterington, Wm. Taylor, Stephen Coveney Wm. Cox and Charles Simmons, of Lansdowne Lodge, No. 25.

LINDSAY HOTEL KEEPER FINED

For Selling on Sunday a Penalty of $80 and Costs is Imposed

The case against Mr. Wardrobe, of the Benson house for having sold Albert Duffy, J. Williamson and P. Welsh liquor on Sunday, November 9th, 1902, was finally finally disposed of after several adjournments had been made owing to the severe illness of the defendant. The charge was for selling liquor on Nov. 16th, but it was clearly proven that it had been sold on the previous Sunday, Nov. 9th. His Worship said that it was not the first offense lodged against Mr. Wardrobe, and although he did not blame him personally, still he had men in his employ who were, constantly violating the Liquor License Act. He thought selling liquor after hours and, on Sunday was being conducted in a systematic way by the barkeeper. If some of the hotelkeepers of Lindsay can afford to sell and violate the act, then they can afford to pay heavy fines. He was determined to put a stop to selling on Sundays, and would impose the heaviest fine against Mr. Wardrobe. His Worship further said that in future, in the case of any hotelkeeper, who had broken the law, he would not only impose a heavy fine but would apply to the Provincial Secretary to have that hotelkeeper's license cancelled for the next year. Mr. Wardrobe was fined $80 and costs, amounting to $118 in all. Mr. Hugh O'Leary K.C., appeared on behalf of Mr. Wardrobe, and Mr. P. A. Devlin was present in the interests of the Crown. Dr. Herriman, Rev. Mr. Henderson, Inspector Short, S. Oliver, M. Cudrue and others were present.

The Market

There was a fairly food supply of wood on the market yesterday. Soft wood was offered at from $3.25 to $4.50. For green hard wood $6.00 was asked, and for dry hard wood the price was $6.50. Hay was from $9.00 to $10.

MECHANICAL READERS

Fail to Apply to Themselves the Facts They Read

"I am a proof reader and have come into almost daily contact with your advertisements of Postum Food Coffee since they first appeared," writes Mr. W. H. Stamey of Louisville, Ky., "but never paid any attention to them until about 18 months ago when my daughter, who was a great sufferer from gastritis indigestion and its natural results, stopped coffee and used Postum. She had been growing thin and weak daily.

"After a few week's trial of Postum, she regained her health and strength and now is completely restored to her former self. Noting the effect of changing from coffee to Postum in her case, I concluded to try it myself. My habits are sedentary, sitting and reading from six to eight hours each day. I had been subject for 25 years to sick headaches and indigestion and lost on an average of one day of each week from my work. I was weak and weighed only 140 pounds and was losing strength and energy all the time. I dropped coffee and had the Postum made strictly according to directions.

"I liked the change from the start and have kept up the use of Postum with the result that I have not had a headache in over a year and have not lost a day on account of sickness in that time; have gained strength steadily and now weigh 160 pounds.

"Before I commenced Postum I was a good customer for the adjacent drug store for headache powders and dyspepsia remedies, but have used neither for over a year and can now eat anything without ill effects.

"If every one could have my experience of the last few years, cultivation of the coffee bean would soon become a lost art, for, no one ever suffered more from coffee than I have, and I can heartily give all the credit to Postum for my health and strength."

ASHBURNHAM COUNCIL

Initial Meeting of the Newly Elected Civic Directors for the Coming Year

The village Council met yesterday evening in the first regular session for 1903. All members were present, with Reeve Adams in the chair. The first item attended to was the singing of declarations of qualification, etc., after which the Reeve briefly addressed the board, welcoming the new members to the Council, and stating the business which will likely come before the Council for consideration this year. Among these was the question of granolithic walks, regarding which Mr. Adams remarked that as it seemed the unanimous opinion of those experienced in the matter that they were much superior to board walks, he would advise the early discussion of the subject by the Council. Also with regard to sewerage in the village. In order to obtain the full advantage of the waterworks in the village it would be necessary to obtain a sewerage system, but this would not be taken in hand for some time, as nothing would be gained thereby.

A. Stevenson, secretary of the Peterborough Light and Power Company wrote asking the Council to notify the tax collector of their agreement with the village remitting the customary tax on lines on the streets of the village.

An application was received from Mr. Jas. Drain for the position of auditor.

A by-law was passed appointing Messrs. Jas. Drain and John Milan as auditors for the year 1903, $3.00 being allowed for same.

A statement of receipts and expenditures was received. The former amounted to $195.58 and the latter $1263.37.

On motion of Messrs. Hourigan and Gibbs, the following accounts were ordered to be paid:

J. Wood	$24.50
T. B. Maniece	5.00
Peterborough Review, acct	7.25

Also that the treasurer be authorized to pay the School Board $300.00 on account of 1902 taxes.

Messrs. Scott and Gibbs were appointed to attend the charity orders south of Elizabeth street, and Messrs. Faint and Hourigan for the north.

A by-law was passed appointing Messrs. W. H. Thompson and Geo. McWilliams as assessors for the year at a salary of $45 each. Mr. Alex. Fitzgerald was appointed road inspector, truant officer, constable, and sanitary inspector, at a salary of $375.00, and Dr. Amys as Medical Health Officer at a salary of $50.00.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Rev. Canon Richardson, M.A., of London, who was the guest of Mr. J. H. McClellan while in town, returned to his home yesterday.

—Mr. John M. Rossel has been successful in passing the higher grade civil service examination, which he tried recently. We extend congratulations.

—Mr. F. D. McKay, formerly editor of the Peterborough "Review," was in town yesterday. He is meeting with good success in his new undertaking.

The many friends of Mrs. Louis Dowsar, of Cold Springs, Otonabee, will regret to learn that her health is not improving. She is still confined to bed, and appears to be gradually weakening. We trust she will soon be restored to good.

—Mr. Adam Dawson, who was injured some time ago by slipping on the icy pavement, is still suffering from the effects of the fall. Mr. Dawson is not alone in thinking that it would be better to leave a portion of the snow on the sidewalks to prevent their being so slippery.

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—St. Paul's Young Men's Guild held their regular monthly meeting last night.

—The police have a small pocket book, picked up on Perry street, for which they would like an owner.

—The Berlin German Boys' Choir will appear at the Y.M.C.A Convention, to be held here Feb. 6 to 8. This will prove a strong attraction.

—The officer's class of the 57th met last evening for instruction in the new form of drill by Lieut-Col. Miller.

—The new wood splitting machine of R. Hicks and Co., is working very satisfactorily. It will no doubt be appreciated by their numerous customers.

—Workmen were busy yesterday replacing a large plate glass front in the south window of Denne's flour and feed store. The goods in the window have been arranged in a very attractive manner, Cereal foods being much in evidence.

—In our report yesterday of the Public Library, through an error, it was stated that Mr. H. S. Macdonald was appointed Secretary-Treasurer. This is incorrect, as the Board will meet soon and elect a President and Secretary-Treasurer.

—The sympathy of the many friends of the family will be extended on the occasion of the death of the six months' old child of Mr. Geo. Dowser, Rink street. The funeral took place from the family residence yesterday afternoon.

—An esteemed contemporary, whose editor must have inadvertently wandered into church the other Sunday, says there were three women present to every man, and wonders why it is so. This g. f. j. gives it up for it has puzzled theologians since the beginning of time; although the women do not need religion half as badly as the men do.

—On exhibition in the Times Bookstore window there is a beautiful picture of "His Holiness, Pope Leo XIII" This picture is the same as agents are selling around town and through the country for 75c. Our price while they last is only 30c. Sent by mail for 5c extra. Order early to secure a copy.

—We thank the Dominion Brewery Company for a copy of the Reference Annual of the Dominion Brewery Co., Limited, for 1903. It contains records of twenty different branches of sport, the game laws of Ontario, Quebec and Manitoba and the population of Canada, according to the census of 1901, and in seven previous decades. Parliamentary information, rates of postage, and other useful business information. This progressive company is always up-to-date.

Brides

Are always "beautiful" and always "happy" according to the society reporters, and in this case the report is mostly true. There may be unhappy brides in fiction, but there are few in real life. But how hard it is to look upon many of the wives we know and believe that they were once beautiful and happy. Pain, the result of womanly disease, has marred beauty and undermined happiness.

Beauty and happiness are both restored to the sufferers from womanly disease by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It cures the pain-producing ills peculiar to women, establishing regularity, drying weakening drains, healing inflammation and ulceration, and curing female weakness. It restores roundness to the sunken cheek and plumpness to the shrunken body.

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HATTON & BRADBURN, BARRISTERS Solicitors, Notari Public. G W. Hatton H. C. Bradburn, B.A.

Childrens' Aid Society

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Notice of Annual Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the Toronto Savings and Loan Company, for the reception of Annual Report, election of Directors and other purposes, will be held at the Company's head office, 437 George Street, Peterborough, on

FRIDAY, THE 23rd DAY OF JANUARY

at the hour of 3 o'clock p.m.

By order of the Board,

W. G. MORROW, Manager

THE PETERBOROUGH AND ASHBURNHAM

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

The Annual Meeting of the above Society will be held in the Town Council Chamber, Peterborough, on

THURSDAY, JAN. 15th

1903, at 7:30 o'clock p.m., to receive reports and statements, and election of officers and other business.

By order,

H. L. BEAL,
Secretary-Treasurer

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Telephone Directory

The Bell Telephone Co. of Canada will issue a new Subscribers' Directory for the District of Eastern Ontario, including the City of Peterborough, early in January, 1903. Orders for new connections, changes of firm names, etc., should be placed at once to insure appearance in this book.

F. W. DOAN,
Local Manager.

Peterboro, Dec. 8th, 1902.

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Numidian,	" Jan. 31	" Feb. 2, "
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Over Eighteen Million Bushels of Grain Shipped Since Close of Navigation

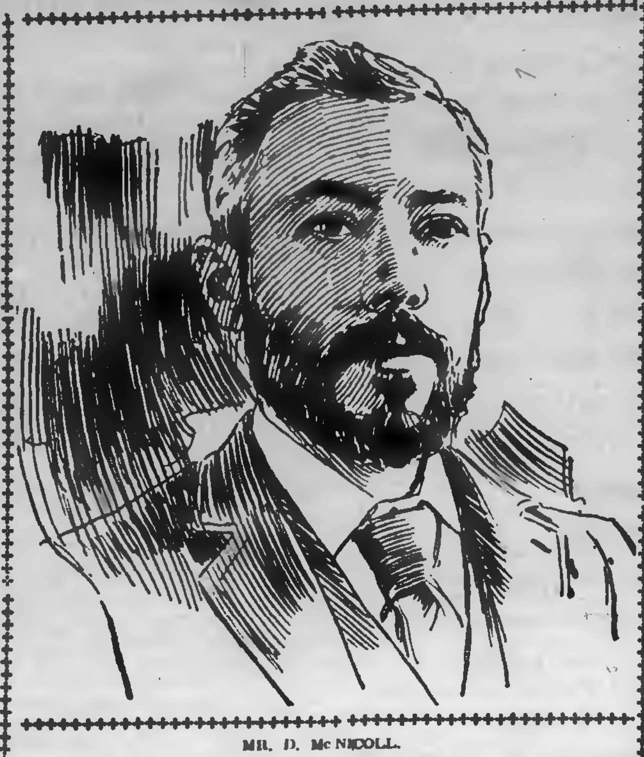
Winnipeg, Jan. 14.—Mr. D. McNicoll, second vice-president and general manager of the Canadian Pacific, is not expected back from his western tour of inspection before next month. He was still at Winnipeg last week, where he was interviewed regarding the lack of motive power and rolling stock. "We have," he said, "placed orders with firms in Glasgow and Germany for locomotives, because we cannot purchase a locomotive in the United States today, or this year, and we are advised there will not be one available until 1904.

"The C.P.R. has done everything possible to secure the necessary rolling stock, and has spent a vast amount of money towards that end. They added 98 locomotives to their stock during the year just closed, and have orders placed for delivery in the spring before the next crop is due, for 116 additional locomotives of the largest and most approved type. These orders are placed in Canada, the United States, Scotland and Germany.

"Not only are we building cars at our own shops at Perth, Farnham, and Hochelaga" Mr. McNicoll continued "but we have firms engaged building for us at Sault Ste. Marie, Cobourg, Ont., and Amherst, N.S. Our Montreal shops are building engines at the rate of one a week. Passenger coaches are also under construction at Montreal, Amherst, N.S., Pullman, Ill., and Dayton, Ohio.

Speaking of other improvements, Mr. McNicoll said the company was adding largely to its telegraph facilities. An additional copper wire had been put in between Fort William and Swift Current and another is to be put in between Calgary and Edmonton. The company had commenced tearing down at Winnipeg to make room for the new station there. Up to January 6th the company had put through its elevators 18,329,000 bushels of grain, of this 1,500,000 had gone all rail since the close of navigation.

Mr. McNicoll proceeded west on Friday.



MR. D. McNICOLL.
General Manager C. P. R.

ALL RAIL TO DAWSON

A Road to Be Built From Port Valdez to Dawson

THROUGH HEART OF ALASKA

A Country of Marvellous Wealth and Resources to Be Opened Up

Mineral and Farming Regions to be Developed in the Arctic Regions—Capable of Sustaining Large Population

New York, Jan. 14.—The great project of building a railroad from Port Valdez up the Copper River to Eagle City on the Yukon and thence to Dawson is to be carried out at once. This will be the all United States line through the heart of Alaska.

The contract has been awarded to J. R. McDonald, of New York, who is to complete the line in three years. The company organized to build the road will send 6,000 men north next spring and summer to begin the work. The first lot of rails is ready for shipment.

The determination to build this line has grown out of the exploration of the country along the Copper River to the Yukon since 1898. Previous to that time very little was known of the Copper River except from a few Russian and native reports.

In 1898 Capt. W. R. Abercrombie led a party of explorers from Port Valdez along the Copper River Valley. His report on this reconnaissance survey excited great interest.

On all the tributaries of the Copper River he found fine or flour gold. He brought home facts which seemed to show that there are very rich placer deposits in the foothills of the Copper River Valley. He found evidences also of large iron deposits and coal beds.

He saw fragments of coal in the hands of the Indians and his horses were shod with the use of coal taken from this district. Ore containing free copper was also discovered. It was very evident that the Copper River region is one of the most highly mineralized regions of Alaska.

On his return Capt. Abercrombie said that an all United States railroad through Alaska to Dawson City could undoubtedly be laid out from Port Valdes up the Copper River Valley. The present steam route by rail and river from Skagway to Dawson is 575 miles long and has the disadvantage of running in part through foreign territory. The water route from Port Valdez to Dawson City will be less than 400 miles long, a difference of more than 175 miles in favor of the Valdez route as compared with the Skagway route.

The Copper River Valley, it was discovered, has large agricultural possibilities. A recent despatch says that Capt. Healy, who has the contract to feed and clothe the railroad hands, predicts that 1,000,000 persons engaged in agriculture and mining will live there within a few years.

This is certainly a glowing prediction; but Capt. Abercrombie expressed the opinion in 1898 that the Copper River Valley would produce all the cereals, garden truck, and fruits and much other food that will be required by the mining population which may settle along the Copper and Tanana Rivers and in the Forty Mile District of Alaska. He found the soils of the valley largely of vegetable origin, very rich, and from three to eight feet in depth.

The few white men who had preceded him on the river had raised excellent crops of all the common garden vegetables. He measured turnips four inches across, found peas well podded, lettuce, onions and other vegetables were thriving and there were thousands of acres that might raise wheat. Kernels of oats and other cereals that had fallen from the packs of horses had germinated, and the stalks were three or four feet high, the heads being filled out with plump grain.

This valley, he said, would also supply all the beef required. There were many thousands of acres of the finest bunch grass which was eagerly cropped up by the animals of his pack train. He also found an abundance of timber for fuel and ties.

The Copper River includes among its fishes all the salmon family and grayling. The salmon is one of the chief articles of food for the natives.

The proposed line of the railroad involves no great engineering features. The line may be cheaply built and all the problems connected with it may be solved with comparative ease.

During the summer of 1899 Capt. Abercrombie resumed his explorations in the same region with a force of twenty men. He confirmed the favorable information he had brought home in the previous year and made most important discoveries as to the prevalence of copper. He obtained a large number of samples of average ore which, upon assay, showed the presence of from 16 to 81 per cent. of copper, with traces of gold and silver.

The railroad will run a little to the south of the Wrangell group of mountains, which are believed to contain concentrated copper varying in size from bird shot to pieces weighing many pounds.

Cinnabar, galena, gold, silver and iron ore were found in many places. Placer deposits carrying gold as coarse as corn kernels were discovered in several localities. The pay gravel on the Chestochena, a tributary of the Copper River, was running from $1 to $35 a cubic yard. The coal deposits found in three localities were of a very high order of lignite and of economic value.

BRITAIN ON THE ALERT FOR ALL CONTINGENCIES

Britain's Wars Continue of Which She Has Several on Hand

New York, Jan. 14—A special cable to the Post from London says—

"For an empire whose chiefest interest is peace, the British Empire cannot be said to open the year well. The South African war is hardly over; at least a large number of troops are still needed to garrison the acquired territories; yet the British army and navy are already on the alert, if not actually engaged, in or off Venezuela, Nigeria, Somaliland and Morocco.

As regards Venezuela the most interesting suggestion of the moment comes from a distinguished French diplomatist in close touch with the French ministry, who indicates the futility of the Hague arbitration unless means be taken to compel Venezuela to execute the award. He suggests that The Hague Tribunal invite the interested powers to establish an international commission of financial control, similar to that created in Greece. The commission, of course, would be temporary and its task limited to the payment of The Hague awards, but the effect would be most wholesome upon other South and Central American States who will act in the future under the shadow of the possibility of similar treatment. Seeing the source of this proposal, the significance of it is undoubted.

A Perplexing Nightmare.

As regards Morocco England is not so much entangled elsewhere as to allow France or any other power to secure a dominating footing there. She feels that her position at Gibraltar would be best secured by a strong native ruler on the other side of the Straits. As Englishmen read the latest news, Morocco will not yet be added to the chain of Eastern questions which, as one journal declares today, link Egypt, Turkey, Persia, Siam and China in one perplexing nightmare.

Transvaal Has Surplus.

As an empire credit item must be noted the fact that the Transvaal shows a surplus of $1,500,000 on the first financial year, though, of course the cost of the garrison is still paid by the British taxpayer.

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COMMITTED SUICIDE

Death of Alexandra Notman a Resident of St. Catharines

St. Catharines, Jan. 13— Alex. Notman, a well known and highly respected resident, committed suicide by shooting at an early hour this morning. He had not been well for some time. During his wife's absence from his room, he secured a revolver, and shot himself, the bullett taking effect immediately.

CAUSED SEVEN DEATHS

Awful Distress Reported on Account of the Scarcity of Coal

Chicago, January 14—Seven deaths are reported due to exposure, resulting from the coal famine. It was 6 degrees below zero last night. To-day the thermometer stood at zero. From ten to fifteen thousand cars of coal are being held by dealers just outside the city, according to agents fo the Illinois Manufacturers' Association. Robert Rose walked the streets all night, and died soon after entering a lodging house. C. G. Pool, of Manila, Ia., a cook in a dining car, was frozen to death. Many other deaths are reported.

ATTEMPTED MURDER

Four Young Citizens of St. John Got Into Trouble Through a Spree

St. John, Jan. 13—Four young men named Carlin, Frederick King, Theodore Morrison and Samuel Stone had a dispute on the evening of Jan. 3rd in a beer shop with the proprietor, a man named Peterson. The latter hit Morrison on the head, knocked him down and threw him out. The other three went away but returned and threw Frederick J. Globe, who had gone to Morrison's assistance in the meanwhile, over the wharf into the harbor. Globe was rescued and the four assailants arrested. Yesterday the Grand Jury found a true bill against them in the charge of attempting to murder Globe. The prisoners say that they were all intoxicated, and mistook Globe for Peterson.

ROTTERDAM RESCUED THE CREW OF THE PIONEER

For Two Weeks The Men on Board Were Buffeted in Mid Ocean in Great Danger

New York, Jan. 13—The crew of the schooner Pioneer has been rescued in mid-ocean by the s.s. Rotterdam, according to a detailed message received here today. The Pioneer, on Dec. 4, left Exploit Harbor, Nfld., for St. John's, Nfld., and with a cargo of wood on board was blown out of her course and disabled. For two weeks she drifted, her crew living in light rations of fish and flour, till her distress signals were seen by the Rotterdam. The latter ship lowered a boat at a great risk, and brought on board the captain and crew of the Pioneer. The schooner, being a menace to navigation, was set on fire by the crew of the Rotterdam, which then proceeded on her voyage, and landed the rescued men at Rotterdam Christmas eve.

New Station at Brantford

Brantford, January 14 —The Grand Trunk Railway Company has written ex-Mayor Wood, stating that they contemplate the erection this summer of a handsome new station at Brantford suitable to the requirements of the traffic at this city.

Another Morgan Combine

London, Jan. 14—It is said that Antwerp will be the head of a new Morgan shipping combine, to include all the British, Italian, French and German shipping companies plying between Europe and South America

CHASES FAITHLESS WIFE

Rainy River Woman Leaves Her Home and Goes South with a Printer

Rainy River, Jan. 14.—Rainy River has had a sensational occurrence, which has caused considerable excitement in the town. The wife of a well known painter became enamored with a printer and left her home and husband to fly with the second love.

It appears that affairs matrimonial, were not any too smooth between the painter and his wife, owing to her decided liking for the flattery and company of other men. The climax came on Thursday of last week, when the wife left for Winnipeg. On Saturday, the printer followed and joined her there. They left together on Sunday, for the south, and it is generally believed that they went to St. Paul or Minneapolis.

The infuriated husband came on to Winnipeg on a freight train on Monday and being unable to locate the couple, called on a detective to try and locate them. In the meantime, he heard that they had left for the south, and he immediately followed in that direction.

Speaking to a friend in the city, the husband said that his only object in trying to locate the erring couple, was to try and influence his wife to come back home as he dearly loved her and would forgive everything if she would but return with him.

PEOPLE OF FEZ ARE IN REVOLT

Despatch From Madrid Says They Have Risen Against Sultan

Madrid, Jan. 13—Fighting is proceeding between the troops of the Sultan of Morocco and the forces of the Pretender to the throne, according to a despatch received by The Globe from Fez. The followers of the Pretender are said to be overcoming the Imperial troops.

The correspondent of The Globe adds that the inhabitants of Fez have risen against the Sultan, and that anxiety reigns at Rabat, where the Europeans are in fear of an immediate attack by the pretender's forces.

The Sultan's representative at Tangier has been ordered to seize cattle, and to despatch reinforcements to the Sultan.

WILL THE DOUKHOBORS MARCH AGAIN IN THE SPRING

Report Says the Coming of Peter Veregin May Have such a Result

Winnipeg, Jan. 14—Amos Wright, of the Yorkton district, is in Winnipeg on business. To a reporter for The Times yesterday he said: "The Doukhobors are quiet at present and their recent fanaticism appears to have almost wholly died away. They go about their work, however, chanting their wild prayers and dirges, and I think it would be easy to start them on another wild march in search of the Saviour.

"Peter Veregin, whose arrival was anticipated with great rejoicing, has dropped into their colonies without making any noticeable difference in their behavior. What effect he will have on them I cannot say. Their joy on his arrival was more of a demonstration of gladness on his being released from Siberia than of welcoming a prophet. He is undoubtedly revered by many of them, and could become as great a menace to their quietness as the fanatic "John the Baptist."

"The people of the district look for another trek in the spring and until then Veregin's influence for good or bad will not be felt. The Doukhobors say that when the government agents sent them back to their homes they promised that they would be removed to a warmer country after the snow in starting a Crusade in either case, and and cold had gone."

ENGLAND BEGINS TO GROW FAITH IN THE DOMINION

London Papers Deal with Canadian Subjects in Laudatory Notes

London, Jan. 14—Lord Strathcona, speaking at the Royal Colonial Institute last night, humorously protested against the phantasies published about himself, alluding especially to Beckles Willson's account of his life. He said many conversations related in that book never did, nor never could, take place. He contended that with the grain supply of the Northwest and an efficient navy, which everyone in the Empire desired, Britain could not be starved in six weeks, months or years. He asserted that Americans settling in the Northwest become as good British subjects as any in Canada or London. He also deprecated the application of worthy Canadian clergymen for English contributions to Canadian churches, and said Canadians were quite as capable of supporting their own churches as Englishmen were. He had heard clergymen say that it was quite unnecessary for any Canadian to beg aid in this way.

Other speakers, including Thompson of Ogilvie's, Preston and Faithful Begg, begged Englishmen to take greater practical interest in the settlement of Canada's vacant lands.

Today's journals commenting on the lecture, and inclined to make fun of Hickman's assertion that the time has come when agriculture can be successfully carried on as far north as great Slave Lake. The Financial Times says in that program is realised the question is whether the Grand Trunk Pacific is being laid out far enough north, and adds, "We shall at least have to admit its payability."

The St. James' Gazette says: "Canada has undoubtedly been badly ignored in the past, but the Old Country shows signs of wakening up to Canada's chances and merits. Meanwhile, the fact that Americans have invaded it is no bad thing either, according to Hickman, who looks upon their presence as one more chain forged in the Anglo-American confederation."

NO APPARENT DANGER TO INTERNATIONAL PEACE

Powers Can Easily Extricate Themselves From Any Difficulty Which May Arise in Morocco

London, Jan. 13—There is at present no apparent danger of international complications in Morocco, although the situation is more serious than shown by the accounts of the defeat of the Sultan's forces, which forces are unreliable, and come principally from Tangier, where intrigue and treachery are rampant. Even if the Sultan be forced to retreat from Fez and appeal to the powers for assistance, it is not probable that they can be drawn into a dangerous entanglement. They can readily accommodate themselves to a change of rulers in Morocco, when it is inconvenient for any power to assume the responsibility to restoring order among the barbarous tribes. Excitement is not increasing at Madrid or Paris, and neither German nor British intervention is probable.

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ORDERED UNION JACK TO BE HAULED DOWN

Cork Board's Method of Protesting Against Imprisonment of Irish

London, Jan. 14—The Times correspondent says that at a meeting of the Board of Governors of the Lunatic Asylum, County Councillor O'Neil moved that the Union Jack be hauled down from the asylum flagstaff as being unsightly. Councillor Cronin said they could do business without the emblem of British rule, and that they should not fly it while some of their best people were imprisoned. The resolution was passed, and the flag was hauled down.

Four Peterboro' Teams Play To-morrow Night

Seniors Play at Belleville and T. A. S. Play at Home

Peterborough will have four hockey teams out for victory Friday evening the seniors will play at Belleville the juniors will play at Port Hope, the "Cubs" at Fenelon Falls, and the T.A.S. will play Lakefield at home on the Brock street rink.

—The T.A.S. will put a strong team on the ice to-morrow night against Lakefield, and a very interesting game can be looked for. It will be about the same team that defeated Bobcaygeon on Saturday evening.

Trent Valley League.

Bobcaygeon played at Lakefield last night and were defeated by 15 goals to 2.

Port Hope will play the senior Colts here on Monday evening.

The Juniors.

Port Hope Guide — The Peterborough Juniors play here on Friday night with the II Ontarios. The II team showed up rather slow in their game with Cobourg but since then the team has been strengthened considerably and no doubt they will make a creditable showing on Friday night against the fast Peterborough Colts.

The O.H.A. is to be commended upon fining teams for lack of punctuality in appearing on the ice to play championship games.

The hockey public must always be taken into consideration. They pay their money to see the game and when they arrive on the advertised time the teams should be ready to proceed with the play. Too often it is the case that there is a long delay before starting, while the enthusiasm of the spectators gets chilled and their feelings rise.

It is to be hoped that the firm stand taken by the O.H.A. in this matter will have a good effect upon the clubs. All games should commence promptly on time, and if a club offends a fine should be its portion.

Tuesday Night's Scores

O.H.A. Intermediate—
  Uxbridge 8, Stouffville 6.
Western Ontario League—
  Waterloo 7, Berlin 4.
Trent Valley League—
  Norwood 16, Campbellford 2.
  Keene 11, Stirling 1.
Quinte District League—
  Picton 6, Napanee 5.
Northern League—
  Lucknow 13, Harriston 5.
  Listowel 8, Mount Forest 7.
Exhibition—
  Glencoe 11, Dutton 3.
  Deseronto 4, Belleville 3.

Ban on Pittsburg.

New York, Jan. 14—The Amateur Hockey League has put the ban on all Pittsburg hockey teams, and has declared the organizations of the "Smoky City" to be professional organizations, and all members of the teams professional players.

One of the members declared the Amateur Hockey League had come to realize that the Pittsburg players were paid regular salaries for playing hockey.

In order that the locals should not get entangled the officers of the Amateur Hockey League decided to bar any of the local teams competing against the Westerners. A game with the Pittsburgers would, of course, make the competitors professional.

A Difference of Opinion.

The Winnipeg Victorias, beaten twice by the Winnipeg Rowing Club, will have a lot of nerve if they come east to play the Montrealers for the Stanley Cup. The Winnipeg people, if the Vics are defeated by Montreal, will say, "Well, they are not our best team by a long way."—Ottawa Citizens.

A Difference of Opinion.

Charles Rankin, of Stratford, gave good satisfaction as referee, but the Woodstocks claimed 3 goals which they contended were not scored on offside, although Mr. Rankin thought so.

Pittsburb Hockey League will soon be occupying a position of "splendid isolation."

Wrestling.

The McDonough-Gauthier wrestling bout has been arranged for the evening of Saturday, Jan. 24th.

Notes of the Curlers.

Montreal ladies, playing with half-weight irons, beat the Scotchmen yesterday by 46 to 32 shots.

The Scottish curlers scored their first victory at Montreal yesterday, against the St. Lawrence rink by the handsome majority of 17 shots in a game of 18 ends. They had the usual advantage of playing with granites, to which the local men are not accustomed, as Montrealers use irons, and it is evident that the visitors are learning the peculiarities of keen ice and indoor lights.

The Port Hope Guide says: Mr. J. H. Magill, secretary of the Port Hope curling club has received a letter from Peterborough inviting a rink from Port Hope to come out and take part in the game with the Scotch curlers. Mr. Magill sent a reply to-day accepting their offer, and thanking them for their kind invitation. Mr. Burton was chosen skip and a team from here will go to Peterborough, on Tuesday, the 20th, and try their luck with the Scotch curlers.

Jim Jeffries says that Jim Corbett will be down after one good stiff punch. Then why does the champion side step such an easy proposition? He can get $15,000 of that $20,000 for delivering that one good, stiff punch.

The Fergus Thistles will play lacrosse in New York on the 13th of June. They will take along 13 players, and will walk under all the ladders in the new subway. They're not a bit superstitious, are they?

Baseball.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 13—Winnie D. Mercer, a pitcher of the Detroit American League baseball team, was found yesterday asphyxiated in his room at the Occidental Hotel. He had inhaled gas through a rubber tube. The cause is not known.

Mercer for years was considered one of the best pitchers in the National League, and last year was one of the stars of the American League. He was connected with the Washington for a long while and at the close of last season managed the tour of the all-American and all-National teams, the trip winding up in California. He had been appointed manager of the Detroit club for next season.

PETERBORO'S SUGAR BEET FACTORY

Good Progress is Being Made in Securing a Good Acreage For Beets

The Promoters of Peterborough Beet Sugar Factory are meeting with good success in arranging with the farmers to grow beets. As it has been shown conclusively that the district around Peterborough is eminently fitted for growing sugar beets, we have no doubt the farmers will avail themselves very largely of this opportunity of engaging in a very profitable business

A return of $50 to $70 an acre may be expected by those engaging in the culture of beets, and this is much better than the results from any other kind of crop. As the company will furnish each farmer with seed to be paid for when he sells his beets he is practically called upon to make no outlay, except for the cultivation of the crop.

Company With $12,000,000 Capital to Develop Power

From Waterfalls in Mexico and Transmit It 80 Miles--Formed by Senator Cox and Others

Montreal, Jan. 14—Toronto financiers and the Canadian Bank of Commerce are to take a leading part in the biggest project ever undertaken by Canadians outside of this country. At a final meeting to be held in Montreal to-morrow morning, Senator Geo. A. Cox, J. H Plummer, William Mackenzie and E. R. Wood, in their own interests and those of the Canadian Bank of Commerce will conclude arrangements with Mr. James Ross, Sir William Van Horne, and R. S. Clouston, acting in their own interests and those of the Bank of Montreal, for the formation of a company with a capital of $12,000,000, of which $2,000,000 has already been subscribed.

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THE CITY OF PETERBOROUGH

Why the Town of Peterborough and the Village of Ashburnham do not combine together, to form the City of Peterborough it would be hard to say. Reeve Adams expressed the opinion at the Mayor's banquet that the people of the village were quite willing to discuss the matter at any time. What then is the stumbling-block? We have been treated at various times to a painful variety of attempts to advertise the town, but surely nothing is at once so satisfactory and so legitimate in this respect as an announcement that Peterborough has been able to outgrow its baby clothes, and has become a city. There is nothing of course in the name beyond ranking in the list with the most important of Canadian municipal centres, but surely this is something, and we doubt if anything causes more surprise outside the town than its failure to make its blowing good by becoming a city. Let Mayor Roger see to this, and he will have done something to get us out of the state of backwoodsness which has been so detrimental to us both as a people and a municipality. There is no recognised centre back of the main line of railway skirting the lakes, Peterborough may become that in a single word. We have been off the highway of civilization and broad highway of civilization and broad ideas parochialism, village politics and mutual backscratching.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Pierpont Morgan is undoubtedly the most fascinating figure before the world to-day. "Mr. Morgan, His Advisers and His Organization" are discussed at length in the January Cosmopolitan by John Brisben Walker, who spent ten days between Mr. Morgan's and Mr. John Mitchell's offices, in September, in the attempt to settle the coal strike.

Lord Curzon, the Viceroy of India, has ordered the heads of the veterinary, survey, forest and meteorological, geological, agricultural, and botanical departments of India to form a board of economic inquiry, which shall meet twice annually to formulate a programme and to review past work. The board is also to act as an advisory committee to the Government.

The Italian Government refuses to accept type written documents for public records on the ground that they will not stand the wear of time. But according to the Boston Herald, an experiments was tried by Dr. B. F. Davenport, an expert on inks, with regard to some of Massachusetts' public records. Samples of all this work so far as it was known, were obtained, and they were exposed to direct sunlight for six months. "There has been no perceptible fading of any of them, some from the larger size of the type or harder impact with the paper being originally and now a little darker than others."

Tom Barton, an Ontario lumberman, has surprised London by drifting on a log nine feet long, and one foot in diameter, down the Thames, from Battersea bridge to Tower bridge, a distance of five and one-half miles. He had a chair to sit upon and a long balancing pole with which to steady himself. He made the drift successfully in two hours and a half, passing on the way under Albert bridge Chelsea bridge Vauxhall bridge Westminster bridge, and London bridge, and these structures were crowded with people to wonder at him. At London bridge a boat of the Thames Conservancy, which has control of the river, wanted to hold him up and charge him a fee for the use of it, but finally allowed him to proceed, after taking his name with the understanding that the conservators will later decide what relation a log nine feet long and one foot in diameter is to a barge.

The profit-sharing or stock-distributing plan of the Illinois Central railroad has not been particularly successful. In other words, it is not being availed of generally by employes. It was instituted in 1893, and and in 1899 only 760 employes had taken stock, and then only to the extent of 2,500 shares altogether, or an average of a little over three shares per man. Since 1898 the annual report of the road has ceased saying anything about the experiment, which would indicate that stock purchases by employes have not been increasing greatly. Reports concerning the United States Steel Company's plan are that it is already meeting with marked success.

According to the Railway Age, oil as a fuel continues to prove successful on all the lines of the Southern Pacific, and it is understood that general orders have recently been issued for the conversion of all the engines into oil burners as soon as possible. Coal will be abandoned absolutely, and within a year the Southern Pacific system will be on an oil basis solely, the order affecting all the divisions of the company. The "western" division of the road now has sixty-three oil-burning engines and eighty-three coal-burners. It is estimated that within eight months all the engines will have been converted and the use of coal on this division permanently abandoned. It required on an average 1,000 gallons, or about twenty-four barrels, of oil for every 100 miles, as compared to five tons of coal, the saving on every 100 miles by using oil ranging from $16 to $20. The total saving for the 250,000 miles travelled by oil-burning engines represents from $36,000 to $40,000 per month.

A land cable is to be used instead of an overhead wire for the Yukon telegraph line. In the original construction where trees could be utilized the wires were attached to them, but in districts in which trees were not available poles were taken. In many cases owing to the rocky character of the country these poles were simply placed upright and supported by a cabin of stones or rocks at the base. These cabins were often displaced by the boulders from the mountains, the poles fell, wires broke, and then for days communication was interrupted. The original cost of construction was about $120 per mile, but the change will involve an expenditure of $600 or $700 per mile for fully 600 miles between Manson and Telegraph Creek. The cost of the deep sea cable between Bamfield and Fanning will average $1,100 per mile, but the land cable will not be as expensive, as it will not be as thick as the Pacific cable. Land cables have worked well in the interior of Africa.

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A ROMANCE.

ery, that provoked a smile on the lips of Cecil Courtenaye, who thought it no inapt imitation of Florence.

She came up to them with a dazzling smile on her crimson lips. The earl wondered if Cecil would not be impressed by her beauty, she looked so fair with the sunshine brightening her golden locks, and showing the fineness of her complexion and the soft brightness of her blue eyes.

"I saw you through the trees walking by the lake," she said. "I would have come down to you, only I thought it too warm for exertion. Mr. Courtenaye, I wish you had brought me some water-lilies."

"I did not think you cared for flowers," Cecil replied, looking at the jewels she wore.

"Why should you think so?" she asked, poutingly.

"I never see you wear any," he replied, carelessly.

"That is because they wither so soon," said Florence. "I admire them very much, but I like to wear jewels just because they retain their beauty always."

She was vexed that Cecil did not go back and get the lilies for her. She would have liked to see some sign of power over him. She loved the handsome, careless young heir as much as her vain and shallow nature could allow of her doing, and her heart was as much set on marrying him as the earl could have desired.

But Cecil did not offer to gratify her whim. He stood carelessly twirling his light walking-cane, and looking out over the beautiful tranquil scenery that would one day be his own. Even the earl was annoyed that Cecil did not give Florence a chance to win him. He would not look at her. He was as indifferent to her beauty as a stick or a stone. Yet other men admired her. Last winter they had spent the season in London, and the vivacious blonde had been called beautiful.

"Grandpapa," she said, "Mrs. Courtenaye had a letter this morning from Sir Wilfred Hale's sister. They have returned from their American trip, and are in London."

The earl looked pleased.

"I hope they will come down soon and see us," he said.

"They are coming— to-day," said Florence, "Lady Leigh said that her husband could not come down with her, but that she would take the liberty of bringing her guest with her —a young lady whom she is chaperoning for a while."

"Any friend of Lady Leigh's will be most welcome," her grandfather said, graciously.

Lady Leigh was a favorite with him. She had been the girl friend of his youngest daughter, whom he had disowned and disinherited for marrying Guy Aylesford.

"I hope Sir Wilfred is coming, too," said Cecil, looking around.

"Lady Leigh said that he would," Florence replied.

"I am going in. I have some letters to write," said the earl. "Cecil, you may stay and finish your walk with Florence."

He went in, and Cecil walked along by his companion's side, and tried to take an interest in her girlish chatter. He would have liked to gratify the dearest desire of the old earl's heart if he could have found anything about Florence that was lovable. But she was vain and selfish to her heart's core, and Cecil Courtenaye, who was fastidious and proud to the last degree, saw through her flimsy mask of girlish innocence and arch coquetry so plainly that he was more and more disgusted with her. He saw that she was utterly unlike the noble race of Lornes, and once or twice a dim fancy had crossed his mind that Mr. Aylesford had perpetrated a fraud upon them, and that the dark-eyed, brave little Hilda might possibly have been the true heiress.

"Can you imagine what young lady Lady Leigh is chaperoning?" Florence asked him.

She was vexed at heart that a young girl was coming to Locksley Hall. She dreaded a rival.

"I have no idea," he replied, carelessly. "She almost always has some one with her. She has no children of her own, and she is very fond of young girls."

"She did not seem very fond of me when I was in London," said Florence, unconsciously giving vent to a feeling of pique she had secretly cherished ever since last winter.

"Did she not?" said Cecil, surprised, "I should have thought that Lady Leigh would love you dearly. Your mother was her dearest friend."

"Your mother told me that," said Florence, coloring suddenly, "and I was prepared to love Lady Leigh very dearly for poor mamma's sake. But from the very first she was distant and cold to me. I suppose she had a spite against me because I was papa's daughter. Mrs. Courtenaye has told me that mamma was to have been Sir Wilfred's wife if she had not eloped with papa."

"It is true," said Cecil, "and has remained single all his life for her sake."

"I suppose you are very glad that another young lady is coming," remarked Florence in a tone of pique. "She may, perhaps, amuse you more than I have been able to do."

"I am quite ready to be amused by any one who will take the trouble," said Cecil, with provoking carelessness.

Florence bit her lip as she looked at him, and realised how little power she had over him.

"For my part I am very sorry they are coming to Locksley Hall," she said, pettishly. "I hate to have our pleasant little family party broken in upon by strangers. I am perfectly happy here with grandpapa and Mrs. Courtenaye and—you."

"As for me, I am going back to London to-morrow," answered Cecil, quickly, vexed at her slight air of proprietorship in him, and at her affectionate tone.

The guests of the earl arrived while all the family were in their rooms dressing for dinner; and the housekeeper, acting upon Mrs. Courtenaye's orders, showed them to their respective apartments to remove the dust of travel and prepare for dinner.

As might have been inferred from the earl's remarks, Mr. Aylesford had fastened himself upon Florence like a leech and there was no getting rid of him. He veered to and fro between London and the country, but managed to spend the greater part of his time at Locksley Hall, relying upon Florence to make his welcome sure. To the old earl the sleek hypocritical villain was a terrible bore and nuisance, but Florence pleaded her grand-

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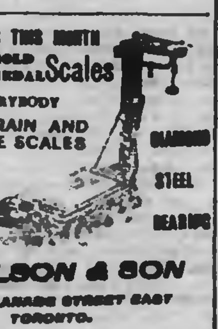

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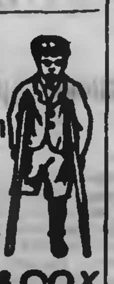

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TITLES.

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1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
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100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
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July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
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If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
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1907	85,000
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NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
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New York, Jan. 14.—An old saying is, politics makes strange bed-fellows. Equally so does location of times bind the interests of two or more roads together in such a manner as will cause them to become allies, not only in the territory they serve, but their influence is cast in the interests of each other everywhere. Both the Atchison and Rock Island have been building lots of new extensions. They have both been creeping down into Texas and tapping the various points carefully, not duplicating too much upon one another. Their action indicates absolute harmony between the two systems, and they will from now on be found side by side working together. The Pennsylvania is bound in the natural course of events to be extremely friendly to this combination. Both the Atchison and Pennsylvania come into the same terminals at Chicago, and from there on west the Atchison is the only line running over its own tracks all the way to the Pacific coast. The North West and St. Paul are compelled to run west via the Union Pacific. The Pennsylvania can run through west via the Atchison, and this gives it a through line from ocean to ocean. We are of the opinion that the Pennsylvania will ultimately control Atchison. We are also confident that Atchison and Tock Island will be found in mutual ownership. What a wonderful line these three will make. Modern American railroading and the modern community of interest so rapidly being carried out in this country make it most likely that the Pennsylvania will shortly come into control of these two lines. It will cause them all to sell very high if it comes about. The Berwind party are as bullish as ever upon Atchison issues, and again are predicting par for the common stock. The Rock Island party never held more of that specialty than they do at present. Both roads are earning more money than ever before in their history. The Pennsylvania stock will more than likely sell at 200 or its equivalent this year. They are all good to buy into: we are exceedingly bullish upon all three. The general market may make somewhat of a rest around current figures, one or two stocks at a time being taken specially in hand and advanced sharply. When you see an issue commence to jump upon fairly large transactions, jump in and buy some of it for 2 to 3 points profit.

Summary—A comparatively quiet and more or less indecisive market was in evidence today. Movements were more or less erratic. Manhattan was again taken in hand and further bid up to 156 1-2. It fell about a point below the opening price later, then partially recovered. The same brokerage house has been identified with the manipulation of the stock for some time past continued in control of the stock movements. It looks like going higher. Stocks were strong then somewhat depressed. Cumulative buying continued in Erie, and the buying of Reading was considered good. The market is taking a breathing spell renewed activity will more than likely be accompanied by advancing prices. Money last loan 3 1-2 per cent. Sales 778,000.

Tomorrow's letter—"Market resting process of digestion."

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"The output in West Virginia," said the Chesapeake and Ohio man, "is 50 per cent, of the total output of soft coal in the United States. The strike will not affect us here directly. It will affect us indirectly because the New England States will then have to draw on Pennsylvania, which supplies the Eastern cities, for its soft coal, and this will eventually increase the demand for hard coal."

The wages of the soft coal miners employed by the Fairmont Coal Company of West Virginia have been advanced 10 per cent. by President Clarence W. Watson, of that Company. A notice to that effect was posted at the office of the company yesterday.

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PETERBOROUGH, JAN. 14, 1903

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

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Death of Mr. Joseph Walsh

The death occurred on Tuesday, January 13, of Joseph Walsh, son of Mr. John Walsh, of the second concession of the Township of Douro. The deceased was only 16 years old. The funeral takes place this morning to Douro Cemetery, from the family residence. The Times extends its sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

Is Your Back Lame

Does it hurt to stoop or bend down? Have you a heavy dull pain at the base of the spine? If so, the best remedy is Nerviline; it will invigorate the tired, sore muscles, make them supple and strong. Nerviline will drive out the pain and make you well in no time. Nothing so good as Nerviline for Lumbago, Stiff Neck, Rheumatism, Neuralgia and Sciatica. Buy a 25c. bottle of Polson's Nerviline to-day, and try it.

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Market Brevities

The local market was somewhat dull yesterday. There was no marked change in prices. Hogs were quoted at $5.75, live weight, and $7.25 dressed. Pork, by the quarter, was 8 and 9 cents. Hay $9 to $10. Soft wood, $2.25 to $4.50; green hardwood, $6.00; dry hardwood, $7.00. Beef $5.50 to $6.50 by the quarter. The American Cereal Co are paying 33 cents a bushel for oats.

New Grocery Firm

Mr. A. M. Hanna, who conducted a grocery store at No. 140 Hunter street., has disposed of his business to Messrs Holmes & Christie. The new firm consists of Mr. John Holmes, an old Peterborough boy, who has spent about sixteen years in Buffalo, but recently returned to his native town, and Mr. Wm. Christie, of the Canadian General Electric Company, Peterborough. The new company are capable and energetic, and will no doubt do a large business. The stock is new and attractive, and every day fresh and additional goods are being added.

The Allan Line's Summer Sailings

Messrs. H. & A. Allan have just issued their schedule of proposed summer sailings between Montreal and Liverpool via Quebec and Moville. The steamers selected for the weekly service between these two ports are the Parisian, Bavarian, Numidian, Tunisian, and Ionian. The Bavarian is due to arrive in Liverpool today, and will, after discharging her cargo, proceed to Glasgow to receive an extensive overhauling, and addition boiler power, which will make her one knot faster than before. Her passenger accomodation will also be entirely renovated. This steamer will make her next sailing from Liverpool, March 19. Tunisian will also be overhauled on the completion of her present trip, and will sail from Liverpool for St. John, N.B., February 26. The Ionian is still in the Government service, but it is expected to sail from Liverpool for St. John, N.B., March 5, which will be her first trip after leaving the imperial service. Mr. Wm. Bunton is the Company's agent in Peterborough.

—A meeting of Rio Tennis Club to organize a Skating Club will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the Y.M.C.A.

PETERBOROUGH'S HEALTH

The Epidemic is Abating and the Outlook is Satisfactory

Dr. Bingham, Medical Health Officer, informed The Times yesterday that at present only 5 houses are placarded for scarlet fever, and 4 for diphtheria. No new cases have developed in the last few days, and with the stringent measures which have been adopted, no doubt the town will soon be free from these diseases

MR. ALBERT BOLTON INJURED

A Very Serious Accident to a Summer Man—Leg Broken in Two Places

Mr. Albert Bolton, of Warsaw, who has been employed with the Canada Atlantic Railway Company for the past two years, had the misfortune to have his leg broken in two places below the knee, and was also badly bruised about the hips. He was loading a car with gravel when a large quantity fell from the bank with the above mentioned result. The injured man was placed on a train, and conveyed to Depot Harbor, where his injuries were attended to by Dr. O'Gorman, and he received every possible attention. The Times joins with Mr. Bolton's many friends in wishing him a speedy recovery.

ANOTHER SUGAR BEET FACTORY?

Prominent Beet Sugar Man Visits Peterborough Yesterday

Mr. J. C. Dumont, Chief Engineer of the Colonial Construction Company limited, of Ontario, was in town yesterday in connection with the beet sugar factory which it is proposed to build in Peterborough.

Mr. Dumont's company have just completed a factory at Wiarton, with a capacity of 250 barrels a day.

He says that Peterborough is advantageously situated for a factory of this kind. Not only have we the proper soil conditions, but our shipping facilities are superb.

Mr. Dumont says his company will probably build a factory here, whether the other factory is built or not. If Peterborough has two sugar factories, it will be the sweetest town on earth.

WEDDING BELLS

Marriage of Miss Lillie A. Fitzgerald and Rev. J. H. Edmison, B.A.

A very pleasing event took place last evening at six o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Fitzgerald, Elizabeth street, Ashburnham, when their daughter, Miss Lillie A., was united in marriage to Rev. J. H. Edmison, M.A., of Cheltenham, Ont. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., pastor of St. Andrew's Church, Peterboro, assisted by Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, M.A. of St Luke's Church, Ashburnham. The presents to the bride were numerous and handsome, testifying to the high esteem in which she is held by her many friends. The happy couple left by the evening G.T.R. train

The groom, who is a former resident of Peterborough County where he is well known, is a clergyman of the Presbyterian church and is located at Cheltenham, Ont.

PETERBOROUGH TURF CLUB

Indications Point to a Most Successful Meet Next Week

Mr. Arthur Rountree, Secretary of the Peterborough Turf Club states the indications are most promising for a very successful race meet here on January 21 and 22. Already 45 entries have been received, and it is expected that by the end of the week when all the entries have reached here the number will be increased to 75. The track has been cleared of snow and is in good condition. Owners of horses may use the track now for driving and speeding free of charge, and are requested to avail themselves of this privilege. Entries have been received from many outside points, including Buffalo, Port Huron, Detroit, Chicago, etc., so two days of rare sport will be enjoyed. As a paid starter and a paid judge have been employed, there will be fair play for everybody, and no favors for anybody and the events will be run off promptly and in a manner to satisfy the large crowd which will doubtless be present to see the races.

—St. Luke's Men's Guild will meet this evening at 8 o'clock.

LOST SIGHT OF

A Most Important Aid to Education

An important point often overlooked by parents in bringing up children is the fact of proper food as an aid to education.

Children make wonderful progress when scientifically fed.

A little woman in East Brentwood, N.H., says of her girlhood days, "I was never very rugged and cold lunches and hearty evening meals and improper food soon began to work serious havoc.

Then came a period of self-boarding while away at college and it is now easy to see where, in the haste to acquire knowledge the true knowledge of proper and nourishing food was neglected. The result, as may be imagined, was indigestion, dyspepsia and constipation. Then followed a weary time of dieting and, one after another, physicians were consulted, till hope of permanent cure was abandoned. Then, two years after leaving school, I entered a new home as a bride and having grown wiser through experience, I resolved to use food in accordance with hygienic principles. This was also necessary as I could not eat anything at all risk.

We commenced to use Grape-Nuts and soon became convinced that it was the most nutritious food we could obtain. I noticed an immediate improvement in my health, my indigestion became less marked and eventually left me for good.

It is now two years that we have eaten Grape-Nuts regularly, and I was never as well in my life as now. I have gained ten pounds in weight, and can eat, without causing the slightest distress, the richest kind of food as well as anyone, the dyspepsia is entirely gone and constipation never troubles me.

This may not interest others, but is of great interest to us, for it is our firm belief that my present good health is due solely to the constant use of Grape-Nuts and we feel that we have great reason to be thankful to the maker of such a perfect and delicious food." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

MISS EDGAR HONORED

Presentation by Her Pupils of S. S. No. 3, Smith

Miss Maye Edgar, who has had charge of the school in section No. 3, Smith, for some time past, was pleasantly surprised at the re-opening of school on being presented with a handsome fruit dish set in silver. Miss Iva Cromie made the presentation and Miss Mina Edmison read the address, which was as follows:

Dear teacher,—At this season of the year when everybody is wishing their friends, whom they love, good wishes and tokens of affections, we would like to say a few simple and heartfelt words, how much we have learned to love you for the great kindness you have always shown us and to thank you for having so patiently borne our waywardness and thoughtless actions, which, no doubt, were trying enough to your patience

You have at all times been unremitting in the earnest performance of your duties and have tried to teach us useful lessons both from books and the example of your life.

We shall always remember you fondly and as a token of our respect and affection, we ask you to accept this little present as a small momento of our kind regards for your future welfare and our best wishes for a happy year.

Affectionately in behalf of the pupils of S.S. No. 3, Smith,

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GERTRUDE SCOTT,
MAGGIE JOHNSTON,
IVA CROMIE,
MINA EDMISON.

To Visit Sugar Factory

An excursion from Whitby, Lindsay and surrounding district to the Ontario Sugar Company's plant at Berlin will take place on Friday, January 23rd, when it is expected, between 100 and 200 business men and farmers will be of the party. Extensive preparations are being made in Berlin for their reception, and Hon. John Dryden has accepted an invitation to be present. A special train will convey the excursionists from Whitby, and on the return, leaving Berlin at 6 p.m. will go through to Lindsay. The Whitby committee consists of Messrs. James Rutledge, chairman; J. Ball Dow, president Board of Trade; Postmaster Howden, Charles King and F. Howard Annes, secretary. It is expected that the projected sugar factory for Whitby will be in operation before the end of year.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mrs. R. A. Dutton is visiting friends in Barrie.

—Mr. A. E. Tudhope, of Orillia, was in town yesterday.

—Miss Annie Cromie, of town, has been visiting friends in Norwood.

—Mr. W. T. Mather, of Mather's Corners, Otonabee, was in town today.

—Miss Dollie Record, of Port Hope, is spending a few days in town, visiting friends.

—Mr. John Davey, who has been ill with an attack of cold, is recovering somewhat, but is not yet entirely convalescent.

—Mr. J. C. Dumont, chief engineer of the Wiarton Beet Sugar Factory, was in town yesterday, and gave The Times a call.

—Mr. George Kennedy, of Rochester, is paying a visit to his brother, Mr. Bart. Kennedy, of the Oriental House.

—Mr. and Mrs. G P. Berry, of Cavan, celebrated their silver wedding on January 9th. A very pleasant reunion was held.

—Dr. W. H. Jeffs, of Havelock, has been appointed Chemist and Agriculturist for the Peterboro Sugar Beet Factory. He will make a most capable officer for the position.

—The Times had a pleasant call yesterday from Mr. A. Bretz, superintendent of the London Life Insurance Co., who is here looking over the work of the popular local agent, Mr. George Lee.

—Mr. John Dormer, of Brown street, Ashburnham, is still suffering from the effects of a fall on the pavement early in December. He injured his left arm, and is unable to use it, although, we are glad to say, his condition is improving.

—Mr. Wm. King, whose ankle was injured some months ago by an accident in the Wm. Hamilton Manufacturing Company's Works, expects to be able to resume work in the course of a week or two. Mr. King has had a long and painful illness, and his many friends will be glad to learn that he is recovering.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Cobourg O.H.A. Juniors had their photo taken on the steps of the Snowden House yesterday morning, before their return to their native town.

—The officers of Otonabee Lodge, No. 13, I.O.O.F., and of Peterborough Lodge, No. 111, I.O.O.F., will be jointly installed this evening. It is hoped that every officer and many of the members will be present.

—The annual meeting of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society will be held this evening, in the Council Chamber, at 8 o'clock, for the receiving of reports, election of officers, etc.

—The funeral of the late Dr. Fitzgerald takes place this morning at 9 o'clock from the White House, Charlotte street, to St. Peter's Cathedral, and thence to the Roman Catholic Cemetery.

—A boy had a very narrow escape yesterday afternoon at the corner of George and Hunter streets. A team turned from George Street to Hunter street so quickly, that the boy was unable to escape and was caught between the horses. Fortunately he retained his footing and ran with the team until they were stopped. His escape was almost miraculous.

—At the lecture this evening at the Y.M.C.A., by Hon J W Longley, Attorney-General of Nova Scotia, on "Men I Have Met," under the auspices of the Fortnightly Club, there will be a nominal charge of 15 cents or a course ticket for the four lectures may be obtained for 25 cents. No doubt all who attend will receive an intellectual treat, as the speaker enjoys a splendid reputation.

MATHER'S CORNERS.

—Mr. W. R. Howson, who has guided the destinies of School Section No. 7, Otonabee, for some time past, has resigned to accept a position in the Havelock Branch of the Sovereign Bank of Canada. (We congratulate Mr. Howson on his appointment. He will be succeeded in S.S. No 7 by his sister, Miss Howson.

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When Sandow poses and the muscles ridge his back and knot his arms, we think we have before us the very secret of strength in those magnificent muscles. But we haven't. Starve Sandow, or, what is practically the same thing, let him be dyspeptic, and his muscle would soon fail. Strength is made from food properly digested and assimilated, and no man is stronger than his stomach, because when the stomach is diseased digestion and assimilation are imperfect.

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FRIDAY, THE 23rd DAY OF JANUARY

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By order of the Board,
W. G. MORROW, Manager

THE PETERBOROUGH AND ASHBURNHAM
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

The Annual Meeting of the above Society will be held in the Town Council Chamber, Peterborough, on

THURSDAY, JAN. 15th

1903, at 7:30 o'clock p.m., to receive reports and statements, and election of officers and other business.

By order,
H. L. BEAL,
Secretary-Treasurer

—NEW—
Telephone Directory

The Bell Telephone Co. of Canada will issue a new Subscribers' Directory for the District of Eastern Ontario, including the City of Peterborough, early in January, 1903. Orders for new connections, changes of firm names, etc., should be placed at once to insure appearance in this book.

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PROTECT THE FUTURE OF SOUTH AFRICA

Correspondent Points Out the Danger of Chinese Labor at the Mines

France Urged to Colonial Policy—Better than Advancing Her Continental Interests—General Cable News

London, Jan. 15 —The Times correspondent at Johannesburg says that the people of the Rand hope that every care will be taken not to adjust the present difficulties at the expense of the future, and so lay up for the country a debt more serious than any monetary contribution, for which prosperity may never anathematize the present generation. "I refer" says the correspondent, "to the introduction of Chinese labor, which is being earnestly canvassed. Under existing circumstances the demand for Chinese labor may well seem irrestible, especially if the mining industry is to meet its obligations, but it is well to sound a note of warning regarding the Chinese laying up for our descendants the heritage of misfortune."

Plymouth Instead of Southampton.

London, Jan. 14—It is now confirmed that beginning in March next, passengers bound for London on all North German Lloyd steamers, will be landed at Plymouth instead of at Southampton. By reason of this change they will arrive in London at least five hours sooner than is the case at present. The express steamers of this line have been landing passengers for London at Plymouth, but intermediate steamers have been passing Plymouth and calling at Southampton, as these vessels were obliged to call at Cherbourg. The Southampton stop has also been found inconvenient. This change affects big eight-day boats of the North German Lloyd, including the Barbarossa, Grosserkurfeest, Bremen, Koenigen, Luise, and others of the same type. The first of these ships to call at Plymouth instead of Southampton will be Koenigen and Luise, sailing from New York on March 5. The officials of the company claim that this new arrangement will land a passenger in London and Paris earlier than is possible under the present arrangement of calling at Southampton. Fast special trains will run up to London from Plymouth. No change will be made in the schedule of west-bound steamers of this line. They will call as usual at Southampton and Cherbourg, and not at Plymouth.

Count and Countess Distressed.

London, Jan. 14—A despatch to the Daily Express from Nice says —"The Count and Countess Lonyay are greatly depressed at reports which have been published concerning them. Far from contemplating separation or divorce, the Count and his wife are perfectly happy with each other, as happy as a couple on their honeymoon. During my visit the Count received a batch of telegrams of inquiry. I was informed that he has received many hundreds of them. The Countess is terribly upset. She had just settled down comfortably in a pretty villa at Cap Martin, and had become a member of Mentone Tennis Club. She was playing tennis when the first word of the scandalous report arrived. The Count was exceedingly indignant. He has sent a telegram to the German Emperor asking his Majesty to order an enquiry into the report, which it is said, emanated from Germany."

Was Von Holleben Popular.

London, Jan. 14— The Times Berlin correspondent, referring to the assertion of the Cologne Gazette, that next to the late Ambassador Pauncefote no diplomatist enjoyed in Washington such popularity as Dr. Von Holleben, says that there is an impression, however, that Baron Speck Von Sternberg, is to be instructed to work on different lines, and to try to emphasize the community of American, German, and British interests as far as he can. His antecedents and sympathies, it is believed, qualify him for the role.

I. O. O. F. INSTALLATION

The Officers of the Local Lodges were Installed Last Evening

At the regular meeting of Peterboro Lodge, No. 111, I.O.O.F., held last evening, the officers of that lodge and of Otonabee Lodge No. 13, I.O.O.F. were duly installed into their respective positions for the ensuing term of six months.

Officers of Peterborough Lodge, No. 111, I.O.O.F.:

J.P.G.—George Evans
N.G.—Thos. G Anderson
V.G.—Wm. Dayman
Rec.-Sec.—Wm. Hull, P.G
Fin.-Sec.—Wm. Green, P.G
Treas.—Wm. Madill, P.G
War.—Robert Martin.
Con.—Albert Fowler.
R.S.N.G—Bert Wallis, P.G
L.S.N.G.—J. M. McFadden, P.G
R.S.V.G—A Davidson
L.S.V.G.—L. S Jackson
R.S.S.—Joe Sharp
L.S.S.—Joe Legge
I.G.—Percy Bynch
O.G.—Jack Gerard
Chap.—George Gilbart
Pianist—Bert Wallis.
Physician—Dr. Eastwood.

Visiting Com.—Bros. Dayman, Cowie, Hill, Jackson, Morrow, McFadden, Sharpe.

Membership Com.—Bros. Fanning, Morrow, W. Green, Brownlee, F. Brown.

Property Com.— Bros. R Martin, Freeburn, Bynch.

Finance Com.—Bros. Gilbart, Wallace, Fanning.

Officers of Otonabee Lodge, No. 13, I.O.O.F.

J.P.G.—R J Matchett
N.G.—W. R G Higgins
V.G.—James C. Lang
Rec.-Sec.—Wm. Robinson
Fin.-Sec.—Jas. A Gully
Treas.—W. H. Meredith.
War.—Geo. F. Cairns
Con.—Geo. Paine.
R.S.N.G.—John Emerson
L.S.N.G.—J M Gemmell
R.S.V.G—John Jordan
L.S.V. G.—Thos Ditcher
R.S.S.—Robt Cottrell
L.S.S.—M Breckenridge
I.G.—Wm. Loyde
Chap.—Wm. A Lewis.
Pianist—R. Donnell.
Physician—M. McClelland.

Visiting Com.—Bros. Lang, Loyd, J. Jordan, M. Comstock, Breckenridge, Gemmell Cottrell.

Membership Com.—Bros. Matchett, Morey, Gully, Robertson, W. Comstock.

Property Com.—Bros. D. Hall, Jorday, Loyde.

Finance Com.—Bros. Gemmell Morgan, Lewis.

The installing officers were Bro. M. W. Matchett, Bro. J Fanning, Bro Geo. Gilbart, Bro. J. Brownlee, Bro L. Wallis and Bro. T. Hooper

Before closing of the lodge, on motion of Bros. Hill and Lang, a vote of thanks was tendered Deputy Grand Master Matchett for his kindness in officiating as installing officer.

Bro. J. W. Anderson, D.D.G.M. of Pontypool, was unable to be present, much to the regret of the brethren.

EARLY CLOSING MOVEMENT.

A Desirable Change in Regard to Peterboro Stores

As will be seen by the appended agreement, a very desirable change is to take place in regard to early closing.

At first it was proposed to go a step further, and close at 10 o'clock on Saturday nights, but for the present this has been deferred.

We, the undersigned merchants of Peterborough, wishing to fall in line with the dry goods merchants, (which has been their custom for years, and which has been satisfactory both to the buyer and seller), agree to close our places of business each evening during the year, at six o'clock sharp, except Saturday nights and nights preceding holidays. This change to commence on Monday, Jan. 19th, 1903.—R. W. McWhinnie, J T Stenson, Grafton & Co., T. Barrie, A. M Laidlaw, H. E. Bradley & Co., W H Meredith, Gough Bros., Wm. Leck & Sons, H. LeBrun & Co., Fred A. Clarke.

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OTONABEE WEDDING

Mr. Robert McMillan of Asphodel Weds Miss Elizabeth Kindred

The home of Mrs. Sarah Kindred, Zion, Otonabee, was the scene of a very pleasant event on January 7, when her daughter Elizabeth, was united in wedlock to Mr. Robert McMillan, of Asphodel.

The bride was attired in cream silk trimmed with sequins, and carried a bunch of bridal roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Josie Kindred, was dressed in white. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Barker, of Uxbridge, who performed a similar duty for the father and mother of the bride.

The groom was supported by Mr. Chas. Pearce, of Norwood. Mr. H C Kindred, of Trinity Medical College, Toronto, brother of the bride, gave her away.

The bride received, in addition to numerous other handsome presents, a beautiful clock from Zion Methodist Church, where she has been organist for some time, and has also been a willing worker in other branches of church service.

After a wedding tour to Toronto and other points Mr. and Mrs. McMillan will settle on the McMillan homestead near Norwood.

The Times joins with a host of friends in wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

MARK ST. SABBATH SCHOOL

The Annual Meeting for Election of Officers and Teachers

The annual meeting of Mark st. Methodist Sabbath School, for the election of teachers and officers was held on Wednesday evening, Jan. 14. Rev. O. L. Thompson, pastor, occupied the chair. Reports for the past year were presented by the Superintendent Mr. M. W. Matchett; by the Librarian, Mr. R. Record, and by the Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. Oscar S. Matchett. During the year the school has paid $20.00 towards the church debt, besides the running expenses of the school, and closes the year in a satisfactory financial condition.

The following teachers and officers were elected:

Superintendent—M. W. Matchett.
Asst.Supt.—S. Taylor
Sec.-Treas.—Oscar S. Matchett
Librarians—J. Record and J. Speer.
Teachers.—Mrs. A. J. Throop
Miss E. F. Smith,
Miss Minnie Hamilton,
Miss F. Thompson,
Mr. S. Taylor,
Miss A. Davey.
Mrs. (Rev.) Thompson.

The school meets every Sunday afternoon at 2.45 sharp, when all who come will be made welcome.

WEDDED IN CAVENDISH

Nuptials of Miss Maud Higgins and Mr. Edward Nelson Montgomery of Hall's Bridge

On Christmas day a very pretty wedding was celebrated at the residence of Mr. David Higgins, Cavendish, when his second daughter, Miss Maud, was united in marriage to Mr. Edward Nelson Montgomery, of Hall's Bridge.

The bride was handsomely gowned in cream brocade trimmed with chiffon and ribbon and also wore the customary veil. She was attended by Miss Rose Montgomery, sister of the groom, who looked charming in white lace with trimmings of pink. The groom was assisted by his cousin, Mr. John Montgomery. The bride was given away by her uncle, Mr. Isaac Rodman, of Port Perry. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Matchett. The house was handsomely decorated with evergreens and flowers, and was beautifully and tastefully illuminated with a myriad of colored lights.

After the ceremony the guests, who numbered one hundred, partook of a sumptuous wedding supper, and later tripped the light fantastic to the wee sma' hours.

The presents were numerous and costly, showing the esteem in which the happy young couple are held. Mr and Mrs. Montgomery will reside at Hall's Bridge.

MISS RICHARDSON HELD

Grand Jury to Pass on the Charge She Gave Arsenic to Her Mother

Boston, Jan. 15.—This afternoon Judge Bosson of the Chelsea police court announced that he would hold Miss Katharine Richardson for the Grand Jury on the charge of administering arsenic to her mother, Mrs. Mary J. Richardson, at Revere.

Miss Richardson was arrested on Christmas eve, and, according to testimony introduced at the hearing last week, a package of powder was found in her stocking after her arrest, one of the ingredients being arsenic. Counsel for the defense argued that no crime had been committed and introduced medical testimony to show that Mrs. Richardson had not had arsenic. The bail was fixed at $5,000 and this was furnished.

Miss Richardson is likely to experience other court troubles before her case comes up for disposal by the Grand Jury. It is expected that on Friday next she will have to appear in court at Woodsville, N.H., when a hearing is scheduled, on the application for a guardian for Miss Richardson brought by several relatives in Littleton, N.H., who allege that she has been squandering her money. They have already succeeded in tying up some $6,000 from her father's estate.

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And such diseases of the respiratory organs as Bronchitis, Weak Lungs, Cold in the Head, and Nasal Catarrh, are treated with marvellous success on strictly scientific principles by Catarrhozone. The medicated vapor of Catarrhozone quickly traverses every air passage possible to be reached by any treatment. All soreness, pain congestion and inflammation are at once dispelled, and by means of the healing powers of Catarrhozone the vitiated tissues are quickly restored. Where Catarrhozone is used colds last only ten minutes, coughs half an hour, and Catarrh, Consumption, Asthma and Bronchitis flee as from fire. A trial will convince anyone of the sterling merit of Catarrhozone. Costs $1.00, small size 25c. At Druggists, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Hamilton's Pills Cure Constipation.

WHY COAL IS DEAR

The True Reason for the Extortionate Prices Being Charged

OPERATORS ARE TO BLAME

A Rigid Enquiry Should and no Doubt Will Be Made at Once

The Dealers Who Say Pay $6 per Ton and Sell for $10 and $12 also to Come Under the Rod

One of the features of the coal crisis which is specially exasperating to the public is the extortion now practised. Finding the consumers at their mercy a number of mine owners have adopted tactics that are not unlike those of highway robbers. There are two classes of mining concerns—the companies and the independent mining operators. We are accustomed to be told the corporations have no souls or consciences, but in the present instance the companies are least blameworthy. The independent operators, most of whom were under contract with the railways to market their output, have broken away from their agreements, and are selling at the highest figure that they can extort from the public. Their present price is $10.50 a ton, delivered at tidewater. The coal can be profitably mined and placed in cars for $2 a ton. The carrying charges and incidentals average about another $2. Thus ofr what costs about $4 a ton the independent operators are now demanding $10.50, or a profit of $6.50. As they are selling about a million tons a month the extra profit they are realizing monthly out of the coal famine is in the neighborhood of $6,500,000. On the other hand, the companies are still selling coal at $5 a ton tidewater delivery, but their output is altogether inadequate to meet the demands made upon them. Under any circumstances the coal mined by the independent operators is required by the market. The withdrawal of their coal in this crisis from ordinary business and the placing of a fictious value upon it, is, therefore, a double wrong to the public. Objections cannot be taken to a fair profit or even a very considerable margin, but the independent operators have gone far beyond what is reasonable. They have taken advantage of a public misfortune to put their hands deep down into the pockets of the people. Among their machinations there appears to be no present means of protection. The public must either submit to the robbery, or go elsewhere for fuel. But the day of the extortioner is limited. The winter is wearing on, and in spite of some unusual discomfort and, perhaps, worry, we shall shortly have passed through the worst of it. A very vivid and lasting impression will be left on the public mind by the experiences of this extraordinary famine, aggravated as they have been by greed and extortion. There are other winters yet to come, when a strike will not lend its aid to a raid on the public. In those days those who participated in the great coal robbery of the winter of 1902-3 may have reason to regret their action, and to wish it might be forgotten.

We are perhaps better off in Peterborough than many other places, for while coal is high priced, it has always been obtained here. The fact that coal has been sold in Uxbridge and a few other towns even to farmers, at $7, does not prove anything against the dealers, who are, we believe, in nine cases out of ten, forced to pay exhorbitant prices to the operators.

HOW LITTLE REPUBLICS ARE BEING ROBBED

Many Millions Stolen By the Presidents of These Nations

KRUGER'S ENORMOUS WEALTH

The Latter Said to Be $20,000,000 or More—Other Presidents Pile

London, Jan. 15.—When at the end of the eighteenth century the Americans founded a republic, that republic stood every chance of success (as it has proved it with a vengeance), because those Americans, having been brought up in England, that great nursery of liberal and democratic institutions, were already republicans.

The republics of South America, like that of France, are not in that position, unfortunately for them.

Their founders made republics before they made republicans of themselves.

The result is not always edifying.

For example, we see a report which shows that President Castro, during his three years of office as president or dictator of the Venezuelan republic, has accumulated a nest egg of $3,000,000 against the day or retirement or overthrow.

He was penniless when he became president.

Mr. Kruger's fortune is estimated at between $15,000,000 and $20,000,000.

Last April General Simon Sam was deposed from the presidency of Hayti, which he had held since 1896 at a salary of $5,000 per annum.

He is now living comfortably in Paris on the income from $10,000,000 which he had wisely invested in European securities.

Such thrift begets jealousy in political opponents, and is accountable for the constant revolutions in South American republics.

A few year ago Guatemala was rent in twain by the proof that President Barrios had secured $5,000,000 of state money and invested it, in his wife's name, in Europe.

The Guatemalans did not oust Barrios, wisely arguing that he had made his fortune out of them, and that to elect a new president would mean a second fleecing.

On the other hand, most presidents of the United States have left the White House poorer than they were when they entered it, and had to resume their professions in order to pay their butchers' bills and other expenses.

PRINCE POSTPONES DIVORCE

Elopement of His Wife He Thinks Was Due to Mental Aberration

Berlin, Jan. 15.—Newspapers here say that the Crown Prince of Saxony is convinced that the elopement of his wife with M. Giron was due to temporary mental aberration and he is willing to postpone indefinitely his action for a divorce.

He will allow his eldest child to visit his mother. Accounts are printed of Giron's former escapades, including his elopement with the elderly wife of a Parisian banker.

Geneva, Jan. 15.—M. Zehme, counsel for the Crown Princess of Saxony, has issued a statement to the press denying the reports of a dispute between Princess and M. Giron, and declaring that she has no intention of leaving M. Giron.

WORK MORE SAYS MITCHELL

Appeals to the Miners to Help Relieve the Coal Famine

Philadelphia, Jan. 15.—John Mitchell issued to-night a circular letter to all local unions in the anthracite district calling attention to the coal famine on the Eastern seaboard. To relieve the situation he requests that all members of the union co-operate with the management of the mines in an effort to increase the production of coal. He urges that the local unions hold meetings and devise means whereby the daily output of the mines may be increased.

These efforts, he continued, should be continued until the weather moderates and the great necessity for fuel shall have passed. The letter is signed by Mitchell and the presidents of the three anthracite districts.

FARMER PAINTED GREEN

Then Put in a Barn With His Hands Tied—Wife Son and a Neighbor Arrested

Newark, N.J., January 12.—Accused of cruelty to her aged husband, Mrs. Susan Beers of Goodsprings, Warren county, was arraigned today before Judge Shipman. She and her son, Elijah Beers, and Frank Gordon were arrested on the same charge last Saturday by Sheriff Barker. The husband, John Beers, is more than twenty years older than his wife. All three prisoners were remanded for trial next week.

The Beers family had a farm near Goodsprings and when neighbors missed the owner they searched the premises and found him tied hand and foot in a dilapidated barn. His wife and the other prisoners are accused of having put him there. Beer's face was covered with green paint which he said had been daubed on by Gordon. The old man was afterward taken away by two other sons who live at Bushill, Pa.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society Convenes

Last evening, in the Council Chamber, Peterborough, the annual meeting of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society was held for receiving reports, electing officers, etc.

—There were present Messrs. Adam Hall, president; H. L. Beall, Sec.-Treas Jas. English, T. A. S. Hay, Jas Stevenson, B. Cooney, H. C. Rogers, Samuel Jordan, F. Wise, A. Saunders, J. Giles and W. Head.

The President, Mr. Adam Hall, occupied the chair.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and approved.

Mr. B. Cooney called attention to the necessity of having more water for the Central Park.

PARK ACCOUNT.
Receipts and Expenditure.
Receipts.

Town grant	$500 00
County grant	75 00
Sundries	9 05
	$618 72

Expenditure.

Flowers	$177 58
Wages	272 21
Piping Central Park	94 28
Trees for Central Park	41 30
Tools	21 56
Printing	7 75
Lumber, etc.	7 84
Balance due Treasurer	36 67
	$618 72

Audited and found correct, Jan. 15, 1903.

T. A. S. HAY,
A. STEVENSON, Auditors.

HORTICULTURAL STATEMENT.
Receipts and Expenditure.
Receipts.

Bal. from last report	$114 90
Legislative grant	126 00
Members' subscriptions	95 00
Prize money retained for membership for 1902	8 00
Admission fees to exhibition	5 35
Sundries	1 00
	$350 24

Expenditure.

Money paid for prizes	$145 25
Rent, light, etc.	12 00
Working expenses	30 00
Postage, printing, stationery	30 44
	$217 69
Outstanding accounts	50 00
	$267 69
Bal. on hand	82 65
	$350 34

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ADAM HALL, H. L. BEAL,
President. Sec.-Treas.

Owing to the small attendance, due to several outside attractions, the meeting adjourned, after adopting the financial reports for two weeks. The President's report and election of officers will take place at the adjourned meeting.

Cramps are Like Burglars

They come unexpected and when least welcome. Be armed with a one-minute cure in a bottle of Nerviline, which relieves cramp and stomach pains in five minutes. In Colic, Summer Complaint, Diarrhoea, Indigestion and Nausea, Nerviline is a remedy of remarkable potency, and acts promptly and satisfactory, at all times. The composition of Polson's Nerviline expresses the highest medical progress of the age, which accounts for its superior merit. Price 25c.

Hamilton's Pills are Good Pills.

A SERIOUS FAMINE IN THE NORTH OF SWEDEN

Seventy Thousand People Reduced to Eating Dried Bark of the Pine

Sum of $6,300,000 Is Necessary—Only This Amount will Save the Peasantry from Decimation

London, Jan. 15 —Telegrams from Stockholm, Sweden, confirm the distressing accounts of the famine in Northern Sweden which affects 70,000 persons and extends from the sixty-first to the sixty-seventh degree north latitude, and from the Gulf of Bothnia and the Russian border far into the interior. The starving people are eating pine bark, which is dried, ground to powder, mixed with stewed Iceland moss and made into a kind of famine bread. Coincident with the failure of the crops is the extreme scarcity of fish. The fishermen return from their expeditions empty-handed. Even ptarmigan—grouse of the northern regions—usually found in great numbers in the stricken district, have almost completely disappeared. It is estimated that the expenditure of about $6,300,000 will be necessary to save the population from decimation. Thus far about $300,- has been subscribed, of which over $12,500 was sent by Swedes in the United States. This amount does not include the money necessary to save the cattle or supply seed for the spring sowing.

SHOT HER TRADUCER DEAD

Woman Teacher in a Business College Kills a Man Teacher of a Rival Place

Macon, Ga., Jan. 15.—Mrs. Ella Carson, teacher of telegraphy in the Georgia-Alabama Business College, shot and instantly killed R. A. Rigsby, professor of penmanship in Lanier's Business College, this morning at 11 o'clock. The shooting occurred in the law office of M. G. Bayne in the Washington Block.

Mrs. Carson charged that Rigsby was circulating among the students of Lanier's college a story that she was not of good character and that she had come to Macon from New York on that account. Mrs. Carson emptied the five chambers of her revolver. All the bullets took effect except one. One shot entered the left temple, one behind the right ear, one on the cheek and the other the left side, going through the heart.

The dead man was found in the middle of the room, lying face downward. Mrs. Carson surrendered to the police and is now in jail.

ANNUAL MEETING

Otonabee Agricultural Society Elects Officers for the Year

At Keene on Jan. 14, the annual meeting of this society was held. Prospects are bright for the future.

The following officers were elected:

President—Mr. Newton.
Vice-President—John Miller.
Sec.-Treasurer—Andrew Shearer.
Auditors—Jas. McNeil, and R. A. English.

Directors—John J. Moore, John M Shaw, M.D., W. J Millar, R Humphried, Ed. Foley, R. Weir, J. Smithson, W. B. Stewart, G. Howson, Alexander Wood, Geo. Esson, W. J. Renwick, W W. Shearer, H. Kennedy, A Weir, P. Drummond, Alex. Stewart.

Peterboro' Seniors at Belleville To-Night

The senior Colts go to Belleville tonight. A great deal of interest is being centered in this game as Belleville have a pretty saucy seven. They defeated Port Hope on Port Hope ice last week. Roy D. Schooley will referee the game.

T.A.S. and Lakefield

The line-up of the T.A.S. for tonight against the Lakefield septette will be the same as defeated Bobcaygeon at that place last Saturday, viz.—McCoy, Meagher, Crawley, George, McGrath, Lynch and Parnell. The boys had a light workout last night and are showing up to good advantage. The forward line is exceptionally fast. The game tonight should draw a large crowd, as both teams are playing good hockey, and a close game is expected. Both Lakefield and the T.A.S. have defeated Bobcaygeon.

The "Cults" will not go to Fenelon Falls as the rink cannot be obtained. They will likely have a game next week

The juniors will play in Port Hope tonight.

The Turf Club.

The Turf Club met this afternoon and transacted business. The Secretary reported that 75 entries, all told, had been received, and everything points to a most successful meet. The track is in excellent shape.

KEENE.

—The newly elected Council held their first meeting on Monday.

—Miss Lizzie Powell, of Aspledel, is visiting at Miss Read's at present.

—Mr. James McCarthy is learning operating with Mr. Parks, G.T.R. station agent.

—Miss May Parks and Miss Eva Saunders are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Parks at the station.

—The hockey team went to Campbellford on Saturday and played their first league game, easily defeating Campbellford. The score was 8 to 2.

—Stirling played here on Tuesday evening, and were badly beaten, only getting one goal in an hour, while Keene scored eleven.

—The carnival on Friday promises to be a success, as the very beautiful prizes offered this year will induce many to enter for them.

—Mr. Wm. Clarey sells his farm stock, implements, etc., on Friday. Mr. Clarey is coming to Keene to live for the present.

—There is plenty of wood coming into the village, and prices are high compared with other years. Green wood sells for $3.00 and $3.25, and dry hardwood $4.00 to $4.75 a cord.

—The young people of Lang held a ball in the hall on Friday evening last. There were about 125 present and all spent a jolly night.

A LOVE TRAGEDY IN WESTERN TOWN

Emil Johnston Slays Bena Benson and Also Fatally Injures Himself

HE SHOOTS THE FLEEING GIRL

Pretty Northern Minnesota Belle Instantly Instantly Killed by Her Lover—Insane Over Lost Love

Duluth, Jan. 15.—Love-crazed and desperate, Emil Johnston of Virginia this morning murdered the pretty girl that had refused to marry him.

He then shot himself in the head three times, and cannot live.

The tragedy occurred this morning in the Tower Hotel at Virginia.

After four months of persistent wooing Johnston proposed marriage to Miss Bena Benson last night. She told him she did not care about any man sufficient to marry. This answer made Johnston frantic and he told the girl that if she did not marry him he would kill himself.

This threat was made in such earnestness that Miss Benson became alarmed, and partly agreed to reconsider her answer, advising Johnston to wait until she had time to think it over.

CAN WAIT, NO LONGER

He agreed not to harm himself for a time, but this morning he decided he could not wait longer for an answer.

She replied that her time for consideration was not up, but that she would give him a final answer in a few days.

He demanded an immediately and favorable answer and accompanied the demand with a flourish of a revolver.

The girl, thinking that he was about to carry out his threat of self destruction, turned from him with a shriek of terror.

Instead of pointing the gun at himself, he turned it on her, holding the muzzle within a few feet of her head.

He fired, and Miss Benson fell to the floor dead, the bullet having passed upward through the base of the brain and out the top of the skull.

Johnston knelt beside the girl's body for a moment and then sprang through a light shaft, dropping about twenty feet close to the window of the room he had been occupying.

FIRES AT HIMSELF.

He got up, jumped through the window of the room, in which he landed, and then, turning his revolver on himself, fired two bullets into his head below the ear. He was so nervous that they simply ploughed up ragged wounds across the skull. He then placed the revolver under his chin and fired upward, the ball passing up into the brain and out the top of the head.

Hotel employes, hearing the shooting and crashing glass, found Johnston raving about the floor of the room.

They carried him into an adjoining room and it required the efforts of two men to hold him in bed while the doctors dressed the wounds.

The murdered girl was 22 years of age, very pretty, and quite a belle in her set.

Killed By a Street Car

Waterloo, Jan. 14—Adam Deering, proprietor of the Waterloo Star Laundry, was struck last night by a Berlin & Waterloo street car, which he was attempting to board, and instantly killed. He was on his way to the hockey match at Waterloo.

Baden Powell's Appointment

London, Jan. 14 —From Johannesburg comes the news that Major-General Baden-Powell, in command of the South African Constabulary, has been appointed Inspector-General of Cavalry, and that he will come to England in June to take up the duties of his new office.

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PETERBOROUGH, JAN. 16, 1903.

IRISH LANDLORDS AND TENANTS AGREE

What is considered in England as the most notable event that has occurred in Ireland for several generations has been the agreement on the land question by the representative landlords and tenants. The extreme titled land owners, who opposed the Dublin Mansion House conference, have now expressed their approval of Lord Dunraven's report, as they see that the representatives of the tenants are more than willing to go half way in the endeavor to bring about permanent peace in agrarian Ireland. The rental to be dealt with is just over £5,000,000, and the amount the Imperial Government would have to pay for the solution of the great problem would be about £600,000 a year.

Premier Balfour and a majority of the Cabinet agree with the King, that a great effort should now be made to settle the whole question. The desire is advanced by the King that Ireland should be brought into a willing support of the Empire along with Scotland, Wales and other colonies. He wished to have a united empire to face the complications which are constantly arising in Europe and elsewhere, some of which are threatening.

It is not likely that there will be left a faction of opposition to the plan advanced by King Edward or that he will be thwarted in his desire to give that peace to Ireland that will greatly conduce to the welfare of the Irish people.

CARNEGIE'S LIBRARIES

At the dedication of the Washington Library last week, Andrew Carnegie said that he had given 730 library buildings, while about 800 applications are under consideration. He intimated that more of the requests would be granted. To carry out this design will require not far from $40,000,000, in addition to the $35,000,000 expended for the same purpose since 1898. These figures are based on his statement that the average value of his gifts is $50,000.

Probably no such amount of money was ever before devoted to a specific object. As President Roosevelt said at the dedication in Washington on Wednesday, that philanthrophy is the soundest and best which helps men and women to help themselves. By thus placing means and agencies of self-improvement in nearly every English speaking country of the world Mr. Carnegie would have made for himself an enduring fame, even had he no other claim upon the attention of posterity.

CAPT. MORRISON'S CAMMANDOES

It is understood that the minister of militia is engaged in drafting proposed amendments to the militia act which will practically reorganize the Canadian militia, says the Hamilton Spectator. It is said that he is carefully studying the commando question, and thinks well of the idea.

A dispatch from Ottawa says that to Capt. E. W. B. Morrison, of the Second Field Battery, who gained his Distinguished Service Order by repeated proofs of dashing gallantry and cool daring on the field, belongs the credit of originating the suggestion that the commando system be seriously looked into.

Capt. Morrison's suggestion is that in the country districts there should be an organization similar to the Boer commando, identified as far as possible with the municipal organization of the counties and townships. Each township and county should be expected to enroll and parade at least one day each year, probably Dominion day, its quota of mounted men, under their own leaders, who should, as far as possible, be the leading public men of the district. The men should be furnished each with a rifle and bandolier by the government, and be expected to furnish their own horses and saddles. Each farm, according to acreage, should be expected to furnish one or more horsemen at each muster, or forfeit a small sum.

The scheme is received, as far as can be ascertained by inquiry among military officers here, with what may be termed almost unqualified satisfaction. The minister is committed, in any case, to the raising of a militia reserve in Canada which will give the country a fighting force of 100,000 men.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

A curious old marriage custom, called locally "the settling," still survives in County Donegal, Ireland, and in the Scottish districts of Kintyre and Cowal. After the marriage has been publicly announced, the friends of the couple meet at the house of the bride's parents to fix a suitable date for the ceremony. A bottle of whisky is opened, and as each guest drinks to their happiness he names a date. When each guest has named a date an average is struck, and "settling" is complete. And there is never any "kicking" over the decision.

The London house which W. K. Vanderbilt has given to his daughter, Consuelo, Duchess of Marlborough, will cost, including fittings, but not furniture, $2,500,000, according to the London Express. It is to be called Blandford House, after the title of the Duchess' eldest son. The house, which is rectangular in shape, is 100 feet long, by 65 feet broad, has five doors, 100 windows, fifty rooms, and a ballroom-picture gallery 90 feet long. The hall and grand staircase will be marble, ground floor tiled; panels of carved wood predominant. Sculpture will be the great feature of decoration, many niches being left inside for the reception of statues. It need scarcely be added that all modern appointments in elevators, billiard rooms, and self-contained bedbath rooms will be there. The work has already been in progress two years, but, in spite of the Duchess' hopes for next season, the house will not be ready before January, although there are 150 workmen employed, including a small batch of French stone and wood carvers.

DISTRICT NEWS

APSLEY.

—We are enjoying good sleighing at present. Little inconvenience has so far arisen from drifts.

—Lumbering operations are going on as usual. Several are engaged cutting wood.

—Our esteemed medical practitioner, Dr. Alex Bell, is kept busy these days. Almost everyone has the measles.

—We have here a similar case to that in Peterborough. Our popular Reev, Mr. Booth, finds himself disqualified, as he did not resign his position as School Trustee, before seeking election. However, he has resigned his position as trustee, and will again be a candidate for the Reeveship, and will no doubt, be returned without opposition, as he makes a most efficient officer.

KEENE.

—The newly elected Council held their first meeting on Monday.

—Miss Lizzie Powell, of Aspodel, is visiting at Miss Read's at present.

—Mr. James McCarthy is learning operating with Mr. Parks, G.T.R. station agent.

—Miss May Parks and Miss Eva Saunders are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Parks at the station.

—The hockey team went to Campbellford on Saturday and played their first league game, easily defeating Campbellford. The score was 8 to 2.

—Stirling played here on Tuesday evening, and were badly beaten, only getting one goal in an hour, while Keene scored eleven.

—The carnival on Friday promises to be a success, as the very beautiful prizes offered this year will induce many to enter for them.

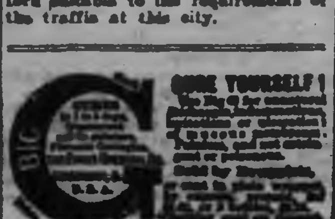
—Mr. Wm. Clarey sells his farm stock, implements, etc., on Friday. Mr. Clarey is coming to Keene to live for the present.

—There is plenty of wood coming into the village, and prices are high compared with other years. Green wood sells for $3.00 and $3.25, and dry hardwood $4.00 to $4.75 a cord.

—The young people of Lang held a ball in the hall on Friday evening last. There were about 125 present and all spent a jolly night.

New Station at Brantford

Brantford, January 14.—The Grand Trunk Railway Company has written ex-Mayor Wood, stating that they contemplate the erection this summer of a handsome new station at Brantford suitable to the requirements of the traffic at this city.



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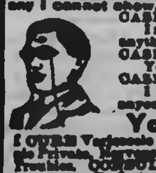

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A QUESTIONABLE GRANT

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—At the inaugural meeting of the Council, a deputation consisting of Messrs. Robt. Neill and W. G. Morrow asked for a grant from the town in order to give "a hearty reception and a good time to some twenty-five Scotch curlers who were going to visit Peterborough." I, for one of the great majority of ratepayers, protest against this proposed wilful waste of the people's money. If these rich Scotch gentlemen are on pleasure bent, no doubt they are quite able and willing to pay their own expenses, and if the gentlemen represented by this deputation are desirous of spreading themselves and giving a big blowout, let them buy their own cocktails, and not seek to have a big time at the expense of the over-burdened taxpayers. Such unsportsmanlike conduct should be frowned down.

Mayor Roger stated that the Council would take immediate action in the matter. It is to be hoped that the action he meant will be to refuse such a cheeky request, in obedience to the wishes of the electorate generally, otherwise Mr. Roger's action will be a most suicidal one to both himself and the town, for there is no telling where such expenditure will end, and this, his first act, will augur badly for his administration.

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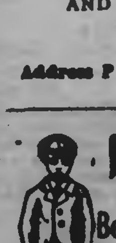

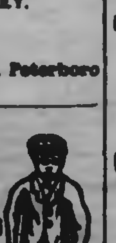

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A ROMANCE.

titude and affection for her "dear uncle' so persistently that he was forced to tolerate his presence on all occasions when he chose to inflict himself upon them. That very morning, however, he had gone up to London for a few days, much to the satisfaction of the master of the Hall.

Cecil Courtenaye went to his room, arrayed himself in the regulation dinner costume, read a column in the London Times, then went out to the gardens for a button-hole bouquet. He had not heard of the arrival of the expected guests, so that it was a great surprise to him when he went into the drawing-room to have Sir Wilfred Hale spring up and shake him cordially by the hand.

Then Lady Leigh claimed his attention, and while he was talking to her he saw a tall, slender figure in white standing by his mother's chair. He whispered hurriedly to Lady Leigh:

"Whom have you brought us?"

"An old acquaintance of yours, whom I found in the United States and brought home with me," she whispered back, hurriedly, as she took his arm and led him forward.

Cecil found himself standing before a young girl with a slim yet stately figure draped statuesque-wise in a fine white cashmere robe slashed with white silk. She wore no ornaments upon her round white arms, that were molded as finely and exquisitely as if copied from a study in marble, nor upon the slender, graceful column of her white throat. It almost seemed as if the absence of all ornament was intentional, that the perfect beauty might be more remarkable. Heavy braids of dark silken hair were looped at the back of the proudly set head, and when she turned toward him he saw a bright, small, enchanting face lighted up by wondrous dark eyes, and lovely lips tinted with rich scarlet bloom like a pomegranate flower.

Cecil Courtenaye stared at the dusky smiling face like one bewildered, his own handsome features grew strangely pallid. He stepped back a pace, his blue eyes fixed immovably upon the beautiful girl.

Lady Leigh laughed—a soft, amused little laugh.

"Cecil, you are an ingrate!" she cried. "Have you indeed forgotten Hilda Aylesford?"

Cecil drew a long breath.

"Miss Aylesford, is it indeed you!" he cried. "You must pardon me, for my failure to recognize you was a compliment. You have grown so lovely that I scarcely knew you. Then, too, I believed you dead."

He took the slender, ringless hand, beautiful enough for a sculptor's model, and touched it to his lips. Hilda felt them tremble as they touched it.

"I cannot tell you how glad I am to see you alive, and in England. I believed you dead," he repeated.

Hilda smiled and blushed, more at his look that at his words.

"I was not dead, you see,' she said, carelessly, to hide her deep emotion; "I had only run away."

"And Lady Leigh found you," said Cecil.

"No, Sir Wilfred found me," said Hilda, and she looked across the room at her friend, who was watching her, with a gleam of tender gratitude in her starry, dark eyes.

Cecil caught the gentle look, and a pang pierced his heart. He remembered how much Sir Wilfred had always admired the shy, untutored mountain girl, and predicted that she would grow into a peerless beauty.

"And she has," Cecil thought to himself, while that sudden jealous pang quivered in his heart. "She has the most soulful face I ever beheld, and her form is statue-like in its rare grace and perfection. Sir Wilfred has found her, and he was won her heart. This lovely creature—the only woman I ever loved—will be his wife."

"Lady Leigh," he said, with outward calmness, "you must tell me how Sir Wilfred found her, will you not? I am all impatience to know. I am quite sure it is a romantic story."

"Yes, it is," said her ladyship. "I will tell it to you some time, but I cannot now, for I see the earl coming to us, and I must present Hilda to him."

The earl looked at the beautiful, graceful visitor in surprise and admiration. He started when he heard her name.

"Surely it is not the Hilda Aylesford who was supposed to be dead," he cried, looking earnestly at her.

"It is the same," said her ladyship, enjoying his surprise and admiration. "It was a mistaken notion about her death."

The earl took the girl's hand in his, and pressed it fervently.

"Miss Aylesford, I am very glad to know you," he said, in his most cordial manner. "I have heard such brave things of you that I have longed to know you. They have told me of your brave and daring deeds, but they did not tell me that your person was as lovely as your soul."

"My lord, you flatter me," Hilda said, drooping her spirited face, now glowing with painful blushes.

"Forgive me, little one," laughed the earl, rather pleased than otherwise at her graceful modesty. "I did not know you were so shy. But here comes your cousin, who will rejoice to meet you again, I am very sure."

The door had opened, admitting Lady Florence, who had, as usual, lingered later at her toilet than any one else. Her maid had told her of the arrival of the expected guests, and her dress was even more elaborate than usual. A costly azure satin trailed its sweeping lengths after her upon the velvet carpet, and glittering diamonds loaded her neck, arms, and breast.

She swept into the room, throwing a curious glance around her for the young girl whom she had instinctively feared and dreaded as a rival, but she only caught a glimpse of a white dress, for Sir Wilfred and his sister came forward to speak to her, and intercepted her view of the newcomer.

The earl looked on anxiously as the group fell away from his granddaughter, permitting her an unobstructed view of Hilda. He fancied that Florence would be filled with joy at the meeting with the noble young girl with whom she had been reared as a sister.

Hilda rose and made a few paces forward as her cousin turned toward her. Florence moved toward her haughtily and proudly at first,

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ANALYSIS.

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Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
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OUTPUT

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1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
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July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$325,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000

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NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

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STOCK MARKETS

MARKET RESTING PROCESS OF DIGESTION.

New York, Jan. 16.—There is a temporary halt in the upward movement. It is a most natural thing to expect after the immense amount of stock that has been poured out in the very recent decline. The advance so far has distributed some of this stock, and it is gradually being digested and taken up in large amounts by investors who have since the first of the month received their semi-annual dividends and interest. This will give this floating supply of stock a most strong resting place. Prices are held in check so as not to discourage this purchasing process; bankers also are glad to check matters, speculation having expanded too fast, so much so that money might have been tightened up by heavy buying. The rest will do the market good and at the rate of absorption, as it now is the halt will be but trifling in duration. Stocks are very cheap, too low to sell, not high enough to refuse to buy, and cheap enough to be attractive. During such rest periods some particular issues are specially attractive to trade in. The last such a period was noticeable by quite an active upward movement in sugar and copper. These movements we promptly advised you of in these letters. Manhattan stock seems to be the particular specialty so handled at the present time. We advised its purchase most strongly a few days ago, and still do so as we believe it is going higher. It has already risen five points since we picked it out and first notified you that it was again a purchase. The downward movement in Reading appears to be pretty near to its termination, and it should be a purchase to put away and forget, until it is up nearly to par. There are great things ahead of Reading and other anthracite coalers. All the hard coal stocks are good to buy at present. The Pacific stocks all look well also. We are still of the opinion that a considerable rise is directly ahead of these stocks. There will be no notable set back to prices in our opinion. There will be advances of some proportions in many of the current stocks. It is a perfectly safe time to buy into the market. Those who will do so at present will make considerable money.

Summary—Dealings were small in volume today with price movements more or less aimless. Prices were inclined to sag and insiders made no apparent effort to check them. In fact there was next to no market at all, and prices were next door to unchanged. A little spurt in A. C. P. livened up things a bit, the stock advancing a point and one half. Very little real stock appears for sale when recessions occur. Phantom offerings by the bears appear to be all there is in sight. The banks have been again making gains in cash this week. A good bank statement is expected on Saturday. We remain bullish on the situation and thinks stocks are a purchase on all soft spots. Money closed 2 1-2 and 2 per cent. Sales 536,300.

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PEOPLE OF FEZ ARE IN REVOLT

Despatch From Madrid Says They Have Risen Against Sultan

Madrid, Jan. 13—Fighting is proceeding between the troops of the Sultan of Morocco and the forces of the Pretender to the throne, according to a despatch received by The Globe from Fez. The followers of the Pretender are said to be overcoming the Imperial troops.

The correspondent of The Globe adds that the inhabitants of Fez have risen against the Sultan, and that anxiety reigns at Rabat, where the Europeans are in fear of an immediate attack by the pretender's forces.

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COMMITTED SUICIDE

Death of Alexander Notman a Resident of St. Catharines

St. Catharines, Jan. 13— Alex. Notman, a well known and highly respected resident, committed suicide by shooting at an early hour this morning. He had not been well for some time. During his wife's absence from his room, he secured a revolver, and shot himself, the bullett taking effect immediately.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Dr. Fitzgerald's Funeral

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Should be Stopped

What came nearly being a serious accident on Wednesday by a team being driven furiously around the corner of George and Hunter streets, is becoming too frequent, and should be stopped. There are more upsets, runaways and other accidents from such a cause than from all other kinds of driving. It would be well for our police to make an example of the first guilty Jehu.

Attends the Function

Mr. Hughes-Charles, the popular local manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, attended the banquet tendered to Mr. J. H. Plummer, the retiring assistant general manager of the bank, in Toronto on Wednesday night, when the latter was presented with two handsome cases of valuable silverware. Mr. Robert Kilgour, vice-president, made the presentation on behalf of the staff, as Hon. G. A. Cox, the president had been called out of town. Mr. Hughes-Charles was one of the speakers, and paid a just tribute to the retiring official, who was so highly esteemed.

A Lively Runaway

A horse attached to E. Brown & Co.'s delivery sleigh started yesterday afternoon from McAllister's Mill, and made things extremely interesting. He ran across the bridge to Peterborough on Hunter street, turned south at George street, circled around a block or two, and again ran south on George street, then west on Simcoe street. The horse was captured after it had run for a long distance. There were several very narrow escapes. Part of the way the horse ran on the sidewalk, and it seems a miracle some one was not killed or injured. At China Hall two boys had a close call, and a collision with a cutter driven by Mrs. Geo. N. Graham was avoided by only a hairsbreadth. Fortunately no one was injured, and little damage was done to either horse rig, or harness.

—On exhibition in the Times Bookstore window there is a beautiful picture of "His Holiness, Pope Leo XIII." This picture is the same as agents are selling around town and through the country for 75c. Our price while they last is only 25c. Sent by mail for 5c extra. Order early to secure a copy.

EPIDEMIC OF MEASELS

The Disease Raging in Apsley and the North Country

A letter received from Apsley by The Times states that there is an epidemic of measles raging in the north country. In Apsley almost every house is placarded, while many families in the neighborhood are afflicted. In many houses all the inmates are ill.

Fortunately the disease is of a mild type and so far no deaths are reported.

IN THE SAME BOAT

Mr. D. O'Connell, of Peterborough and Reeve Booth, of Burleigh

A great many cases similar to that of Mr. D. O'Connell, of Peterborough, appear to exist throughout the Province. Reeve Booth, of Burliegh, was a School Trustee previous to his becoming a candidate for the Reeveship and not knowing it was necessary to resign, now finds another election necessary. He has resigned both positions and a new election has been ordered. Mr. Booth will again be a candidate for the Reeveship and will doubtless be returned unopposed.

MONEY FOR GOOD ROADS

Simcoe County Will Be Given $50,000 to Improve Highways

Simcoe will be the first county to receive a grant from the million dollar good roads fund, which was set apart by the Ontario Government the session before last. A bylaw has been passed there to take over four hundred miles of township roads and organize a county system. They will receive from the Government $50,000.

Wentworth County has put in an application for a good roads grant. To construct a county roads system $96,000 has been raised and their share of the grant will be $30,000.

The County of Lanark also proposes to fall into line and will get $35,000.

"MEN I HAVE MET."

An Eloquent Lecture by Attorney-General Longley, of Nova Scotia

The audience which assembled last evening in the Y.M.C.A Hall to listen to the lecture by Hon. J. W. Longley, Attorney-General of Nova Scotia, enjoyed a rare intellectual treat. The speaker handled his subject, "Men I Have Met," in a very entertaining manner. Mr. John Jeffries, B. A President of the Fortnightly Club occupied the chair, and introduced the lecturer of the evening.

The Club certainly deserves credit for bringing to Peterborough such able lecturers, and the public should take advantage of the opportunities thus afforded them.

In Lindsay lectures of a similar character, are extremely popular and well attended.

At the close of the lecture, on motion of Mr. Sheriff Hall, seconded by Mr. D. W. Dumble, a hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the speaker for the able and entertaining address.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—A Peterborough boy says coasting down hill is good fun, but it has its drawbacks.

—Charlotte street Church Guild meets this evening, when Mr. R. M. Dennistoun will give an address on "Success."

—Keene's first carnival for the season will be held this evening. Peterborough will probably be well represented. Good prizes will be given for races and costumes.

—Miss Little, the student Secretary of the Y.W.C.A. will give an address at the public meeting this evening, and will also have charge of the Sunday afternoon service.

—A banquet was tendered by the citizens of Havelock last night to Mr. D. M. Stewart, general manager, and the local staff of the Sovereign Bank of Canada.

—The Peterborough High and Public schools will re-open on Monday, January 19, after a four week's vacation. The schools have been well disinfected, and there is practically no further danger of an epidemic.

—A banquet will be held on Friday evening, January 23, at the Oriental Hotel, by the Iron Moulder's Union of Peterborough. The banquet will begin at 9.30, and promises to be a very important social function.

—H. LeBrun & Co's store had a narrow escape from flooding by the bursting of a waterpipe on Thursday morning about half past two. Fortunately the leak occurred where less harm was done than if it had been in any other part of the store.

—Belleville City Council has dismissed all the civic officials. On Feb. 28th, new appointments will be made. Possibly some may be re-appointed, but the affair has created a decided sensation.

—Two girls desiring board, or furnished rooms without board, can be accommodated in a comfortable home, where no other boarders are kept. Only five minutes walk of the Post-office. Apply for address to Times Bookstore.

—The funeral of the youngest daughter of Mrs. Nathan McIlmoyle took place on Wednesday from the residence of Mr. Geo. Downer, Rink st. The child was only six months old. Their many friends will extend their warmest sympathy.

—A large party of young people, to the number of about seventy-five had a very pleasant party at the residence of Mr. John Deyell, jr., of Otonabee, on Wednesday evening last. Amongst those present were some from Peterborough. An extremely enjoyable time was spent.

—Mr. H. K. Bradley, who has been at St. Paul, Minn., attending the annual convention of the International Garment Cutters' Association of America, has received some very tempting offers to leave Peterborough and become designer of patterns for a Chicago firm and may accept. While we congratulate Mr. Bradley we regret the probability of his departure from Peterborough.

—Complaints have been made to The Times of a dangerous ridge of snow and ice on the pavement on George street, between Mr. Madill's drug store and Mr. Dickson's dry goods store. Each of these gentlemen do their duty, but between the two stores is a hallway, opposite which this ridge is left. The proper parties should see that it is attended to.

—The Times has received from the Intercolonial Railway of Canada a handsome calendar for 1903. The lithograph which adorns the calendar is a fac-simile of a design of a moose head burned into a wooden panel, giving a striking effect. the moosehead lending itself very appropriately to this branch of illustrative art, which is an imitation of pyrography or burnt work. The country through which this railroad runs for many miles is recognized as the "home of moose," the king of the Canadian forest, just as the Intercolonial Railway is regarded as one of the foremost in Canada. We extend our hearty thanks for the calendar, and our best wishes for a good year's business by this up-to-date railroad.

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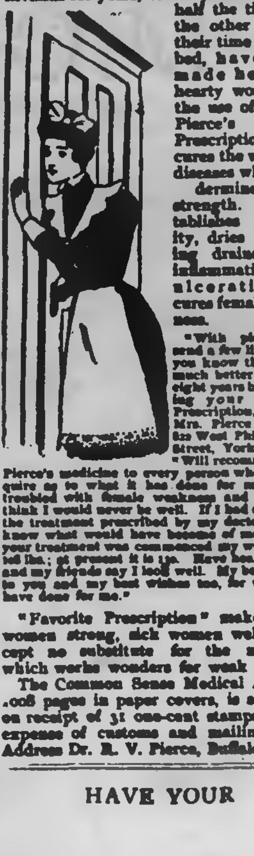

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. Hughes-Charles was in Toronto Wednesday.

—Hon. J. W. Longley is the guest of Mr. R. M. Dennistoun while in town

—Mr. E. B. Stone was in Toronto Tuesday and Wednesday on legal business.

—Mr. John Mahood, of Smith, went to Toronto yesterday evening to spend a few days visiting his brother and other relatives.

—Mr. A. W. Bell, of the Turner Lumber Company, operating at North Bay, is in town hiring teams at $2.25 a day. He expects to readily obtain the required number. See advertisement in another column

—Mr. John H. Smith, of Ashburnham, has been confined to the house for some days with a severe cold. He has been quite ill, but was able to sit up for a short time yesterday. His many friends will wish him a speedy recovery.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Maybee, of Riverdale, have removed to Frankford, where Mr. Maybee has purchased the paternal homestead. Their departure will be regretted by their many friends, particularly those connected with the Riverdale Mission and Sabbath School, which they were largely instrumental in organizing, and in which they were very faithful workers

A DOCTOR'S BANQUET

500 Friends as Guests

When Dr. N. S. Davis, Dean Emeritus of the Northwestern University, recaled his 80th birthday the event was celebrated with a banquet at the Auditorium Hotel, Chicago, with 500 invited guests. As most of his long life has been spent studying health, Dr. Davis is an authority on the subject. In one of his recently published articles, he says:

The almost constant sense of weariness impels many workers to resort to the use of strong tea and coffee, the stimulants in which appear to offer relief for from 1 to 2 hours, but which only add to their ultimate misery by impairing digestion and causing restless sleep at night."

"This is the truth in a nut-shell," writes a young lady authoress of Wheaton, Ills., "and it decided me to begin using Postum Food Coffee in place of tea and coffee. I had suffered from impaired digestion and wakeful nights, was tired all the time and my brain refused to respond to the demand made upon it by my profession.

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Cynicism of Girls of To-day.

"I have been unpleasantly impressed lately by the cynical bitterness of up-to-date young women," remarked a woman of experience. "With older people who have been soured by frequent disappointments—who have had their hopes frustrated, and who have been crowded to the wall more or less by fortune's favorites, it does not seem altogether unnatural that they should become caustic and critical, and question their acquaintances' motives and springs of action; but there is something very sad to me to hear the young, who surely should be unsuspicious and have faith in humanity, discuss the frailties of their friends with the satirical acumen of women of the world. The good old fashion of keeping the fruit of the tree of knowledge of good and evil away from young girls seems to be obsolete. 'See and judge for yourselves' is the axiom of the new dispensation, and the result certainly does not improve their trust in human nature. Bitterness in old or young generally argues disappointment; those who are successful are apt to be more kindly disposed to their fellows; they have no time in their pleasurable lives to notice the frailties of their acquaintances. People who are self-centered, too, are rarely censorious; their own affairs occupy them too much, and they do not think enough of others to judge them; but that an unkindly, critical spirit is rife among the young girls in upper tendom no one who listens to their chatter nowadays can doubt."

A Western farmer in the flood district watching his mortgaged house and barn fall over and float down the river, remarked: "That represents my floating indebtedness."—New York "Tribune."

Kitty—D'ye r'aly love me, Dinny? Dennis—Do Oi love ye? Faith, Kitty, Oi'd do annything to live wid ye the rist av me loife, aven if Oi knowed 'twould kill me this minute.—Philadelphia "Press."

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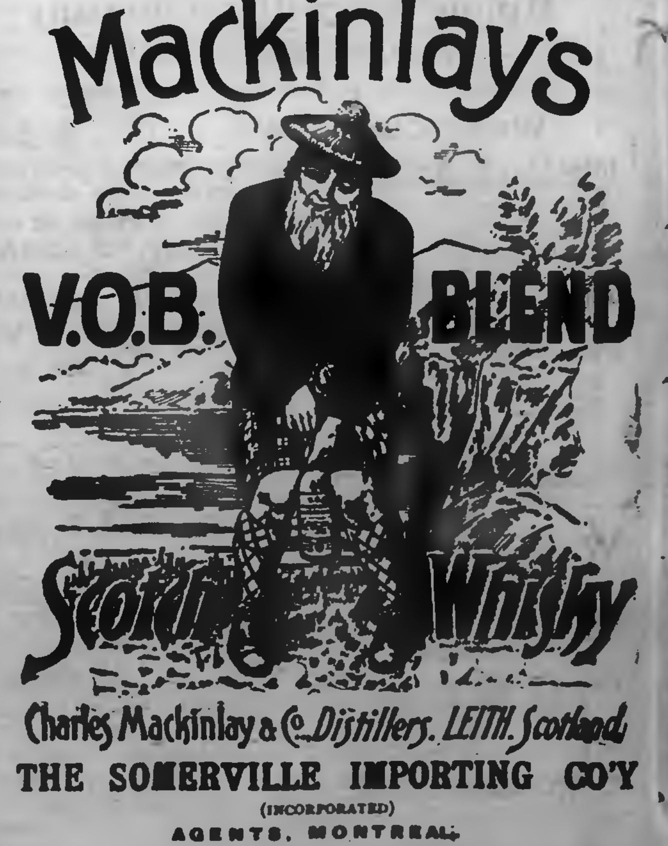
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WILY RUSSIA, TURKEY AND GREAT BRITAIN

The Seething Question of Macedonia and the Passage to the Dardanelles

May break Out in a Terrible Conflict at Almos any Moment Involving Europe

London, Jan. 16.—Accounts from Russia describe popular feeling in that country as stirred up by reports of the sufferings of the people of Macedonia, that the Government is beginning to feel the same pressure that drove the Emperor Alexander II. into the war of 1877. Now, as then official Russia, and for cogent reasons, is unwilling to have recourse to arms, and has therefore associated itself with Austria to bring their joint influence to bear at Constantinolpe to try to induce the Sultan in his own interest to remedy the ills affecting the long-suffering Macedonians. All over Russia the Slavonic Benevolent Society is making appeals to the people and receiving large sums of money for the relief of Macedonian refugees in Bulgaria, the Russian Government is being urged to send the Red Cross agents to Macedonia to render aid to the sufferers on the spot. It all depends upon the Sultan whether this agitation will have a serious issue and take things out of the channel of diplomacy at an early date.

The present is not the moment, however, that the Russian Govern- would choose to begin warlike operations, even were it so disposed. The Black Sea harbors are encumbered ice, and for at least two months more the Balkan country is unfavorable for campaigning; and there is, therefore, still time for the griefs of the Macedonians to be settled peacefully. But associated with them is a matter which in any case is likely to give rise to some disturbance in the politics of southeastern Europe.

It is no longer a secret that the Russian Government considers the time has come to release itself from the obligations concerning the Black Sea fleet imposed by the Treaty of Paris in 1856 after the Crimean War. The clause binding Russia not to construct a war fleet in the Black Sea was denounced immediately after the France-German war, but that forbidding Russian warships to enter into it from or pass out of the Mediterranean remained. It is now intended to get rid of this last restriction and the formal demand on the Sultan for permission for four torpedo boats to pass from the Mediterranean to the Black Sea is the first step in raising the question.

The British Government, being naturally interested in preventing a disturbance of the equilibrium in the Mediterranean, has protested vigorously at Constantinople, but up to the present has not been supported by any of the other Powers signatory of the Treaty of Paris. Under the circumstances, therefore, there does not appear any reason to apprehend disturbance of the peace of Europe over the military aspect of the question of the Dardanelles; if any trouble should occur it would be in the event of an armed intervention by Austria and Russia and put an end to the disorders in Macedonia and Albania. The other question is a matter for diplomatic arrangement unless the British Government sees fit to follow up its protest single handed and oppose the passage of Russian warships through the Dardanelles, either way, by force. But that is hardly probable for no one Government unsupported would venture lightly to break the peace when there are so many powerful reasons for maintaining it. It should not be difficult to find other means for redressing the balance of power in the Mediterranean which would be deranged by the new conditions.

The question that would be raised by the attempt to force the passage of the Dardanelles by a steamer of the Egyptian Khedival line, which Constantinople correspondents reports is to be made by the steamer that left Alexandria, is of another order and is connected with the yet unsettled Egyptian question.

Colony for the North-West.

Large Body of English People to Settle in the Saskatchewan Valley

London, Jan. 16.—Rev. Mr. Lloyd writes to the Times announcing that the movement to settle a large body of English people in the Saskatchewan Valley is assuming national proportions. The Colonial Continental Church Society has provided a resident clergyman for the settlement. The Society for the Propagation of Christian Knowledge is making a grant of books, and it is expected, will help to erect wooden church buildings. Mr. Lloyd appeals for money to help erect four wooden school churches, which will be placed in the center of 2 square miles reserved for the settlement by the Canadian Government.

London, Jan. 16.—The breakdown of the South African cables at a critical moment provokes renewed demand for State-managed lines. The Daily Mail says the ingluence of the Pacific cable will assuredly make itself felt for good if it succeeds in vivifying some of the older private concerns to a better realization of what they owe the public in return for their monopoly and will achieve much, quite apart from the strategic idea which gave birth to the All-Red cable.

JAPAN ANGRY.

Japanese advices show deep indignation in Japan at the attitude of British Columbia towards the Japs. The Anglo-Japanese Gazette says: "The Japanese will not forget this attempted exclusion of their fellow-countrymen, based on the very principles for practising which Japan incurred forty years ago the wrath of Europe and America when Japanese tried to exclude Occidentals, and were compelled at the point of the bayonet to open their ports."

THE YELLOW SCOURGE.

Regarding the proposed introduction of Chinese to the South African mines under the patronage of the British Government, English journals point to the experience of British Columbia as evidence of the danger of the step, and say the effect of Chinese labor is wholly bad, while reducing wages to such an extent that white labor rises in revolt.

BOYCOTTED.

The Daily Express attempts to create a sensation today by a disclosure of the efforts of British army officers to boycott colonials who were granted commissions. The Express says Mr. Brodrick and Lord Roberts have already taken prompt steps to check the snobbery. Gen. Kelly-Kenney, adjutant-general, has issued a memorandum to commanding officers to stop blackballing, as unity and good understanding with the colonies is damaged by such unwarrantable conduct towards good and deserving men. Nevertheless, the Express alleges fresh cases have arisen where colonials were practically driven from the service by cleverly applied ostracism. As a consequence colonial officers are leaving the British army for such outside forces as the Egyptian army, the West India Regiment, and the King's African Rifles. The Express refrains from publishing the names, and official quarters assume ignorance of specific cases.

NOT QUITE 200,000

The Complete Referendum Vote Reaches 199,692

A special despatch from North Bay announces the official referendum returns for East Nipissing, which completes the figures for the whole Province. The vote in that constituency was: For, 615; against, 431. This brings the total vote in favor of the liquor act up to 199,692; against, 103,482, giving a majority for the act of 96,210. The delay in East Nipissing was due to bad transportation facilities from the Temiskaming region, the returns having been originally delayed by the unsafe ice during the freezing-up period.

ONLY WIDOWS AT THIS PARTY

A. A. Howlett of Syracuse Has a Novel Plan for His Birthday

Syracuse, Jan. 17—A. A. Howlett, the veteran bank president and business man, has issued invitations to about 100 widows, who are to help him to celebrate his eigty-second birthday anniversary on Feb. 17. No man will be there save the host.

Every widow whose husband Mr. Howlett has known has been asked. Mr. Howlett says:

"Widows are too often left out of society. I've been in business ever since 1840, and I have known a great many widows. There'll be widows from New York, Chicago, Duluth, Oswego and other places. And they'll all be prominent people. We won't have a man in the house. I am going to have a ladies' orchestra, a woman caterer, women waitresses and I am looking for a woman to take care of the furnace."

Mr. Howlett will banish his son and grandson from the house.

350 HORSES POISONED

That's the Record of Two Years in Williamsburg—Done By a Business Rival

New York, Jan. 16.—So many horses have been poisoned with arsenic lately in the Jewish neighborhood of Williamsburg that the police of the Stagg street station are going to make a determined effort to find the culprit. According to Dr. Isaac Wertheimer, a veterinary surgeon, of 156 Seigel street, at least 350 horses have been poisoned in the last two years.

"The crime," said Dr. Wertheimer to a reporter last night, "has become so pronounced that only a determined effort on the part of the police will stamp it out. There is no doubt that the poisoner is a business rival of the man whose horses have been killed.

"Max Cooper of Manhattan avenue and Moore street, a produce dealer, has lost fourteen horses by poisoning, the poison in each case having been arsenic, administered to the animal either in oats, bran or oil meal. A large number of business men in Brownsville have lost horses.

"The latest victim in Williamsburg is Joseph Wittenstein, of 46 Siegel street, whose two horses were poisoned on Monday and died on Tuesday.

"A number of arrests of suspects have been made from time to time, but there never was sufficient evidence to connect them with the poisonings and they were discharged in the police courts. I have now under my care many horses that have been poisoned with arsenic."

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ROYALTY TO VISIT THE EMERALD ISLE

King and Queen Very Popular and Will Do Their Part to Settle Ireland's Woes

London, Jan. 16.—It has practically been decided that the King and Queen are to visit troubled and troublous Ireland after Easter.

Despite the unpopularity of the Dublin Castle Government, the King and Queen are personally very popular among the masse of Ireland.

Wherefore Their Majesties will receive a warm reception on their visit

Their Majesties will stop at the vice-regal lodge during their stay in Dublin, and later on they are to visit the Duke of Devonshire at Lismore Castle, near Waterford, and Lord Londonderry at Mount Stewart, near Belfast.

The King is said to be very much annoyed at the failure of the Cabinet to bring about a better state of affairs in Ireland, and it is reported that upon several occasions he strongly intimated to the Cabinet that he considered their policy in Ireland highly injudicious.

It is reported that it was the King who caused the appointment of Sir Patrick MacDonnell to be permanent under secretary for Ireland, an official who is the "power behind the throne" in Dublin Castle.

MacDonnell is the man who brought order out of chaos in India, and it is expected that he will be able to discover a way to settle the turmoil of Ireland.

He is a broad minded, able, liberal administrator, and, being of Irish descent, understands the temper and desires of the Irish people better than any Dublin Castle administrator for many years.

THE COUNCIL MIXUP

To the Editor of The Times:—

Dear Sir,—I notice in your paper of Friday that Reeve Booth, of Burleigh has resigned, as he was a school trustee when elected to the Reeveship, which made his election illegal, and you say that Mr. D. O'Connell, of town is in the same boat. If so, then why does not Mr. O'Connell resign at once? He must know that he cannot be an Alderman and a School Trustee.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your valuable space,

FAIR PLAY.

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—In yours of yesterday I notice an article comparing the positions of Mr. D. O'Connell, of town, and Reeve Booth, of Apsley. To one who is not a lawyer it appears like this: If Mr. O'Connell was not eligible, as a candidate at the time of his election there is no necessity for any action on his part, and the vacancy would be filled by Mr. McGregor, who came next as regards votes, to the Aldermen who were actually elected. This would seem to be justice, whether or not it is the legal course to pursue.

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IN ANNUAL SESSION

Charlotte St. Sabbath School Elect Officers for This Year

The annual meeting of the Charlotte st. Sunday school was held last night. The pastor, Rev. W. J. Jolliffe, occupied the chair. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—

Superintendent—Mr. R. J. Kidd

Assistant Superintendent — Dr. M. A. Morrison and Mr. G. J Tovey

Secretary—Mr. P. Hamilton.

Asst.-Sec.—Mr. R Garden

Librarians—Messrs. W. Hamilton and F. Sandy.

Pianists—Misses Campbell and Lee.

The Secretary-Treasurer's report showed the school's finances to be in a satisfactory condition. The attendance of the school has increased materially during the last year and several new teachers have been added.

MURRAY ST. ANNUAL MEETING.

Reports from all Branches of the Work were Most Encouraging

The reports presented at the annual gathering of Murray st. church held on Thursday evening, showed the work to be prospering in all its departments. Rev. J. Bastow, M A pastor, of the church, occupied the chair.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:

Deacons — Messrs. A. J. Raddon, and R. S. Merrell.

Clerk.—Mr. A. Martin

Assistant Clerk—Mrs. J. Bastow.

Treasurer—Mr. T. F. Matthews

Auditors—Messrs. A. J. Raddon, and R. S. Merrell.

Finance Committee — Messrs. G. Cochrane, W. Aldridge, G. S. Matthews, Dr. Scott and A. J. Raddon

Representative on Charity Board—Mr. W. Aldridge.

As there is a small debt on the church of $74.74, it was decided to make a special offering on Sunday, Jan. 25th., for the purpose, so that the church can start the year free from any deficit.

TWO FUNNY INCIDENTS

How a Lady Cover d Her Overdraft in a Local Bank

Several bank clerks were seated in the back parlors of the Palace Cafe the other evening, and the conversation turned upon peculiar incidents in banking life.

One of them remarked: "A very comical occurrence took place at our bank recently. A lady who is well known as a business-like little body carries an account with us which was recently overdrawn to the extent of about $150. We sent her the usual notice that she had overdrawn and asked her to come down and settle up. As I said, she is a business woman from the word 'go,' and the next morning she appeared at the bank and handed one of our men a check for the amount she had overdrawn.

"Well, where's the point to that narrative? asked one of the party, after the banker had presumably ended his story.

"The point," said the speaker, "lies in the fact that the check with which she proposed to pay her overdraft was drawn on our institution, the very bank on which she had overdrawn her account."

After the party had wet their whistles another chimed in with: "You should have seen the young lady who visited our bank just before Christmas. She had been given a check for a snug amount by her father as a Christmas gift. She passed it to the paying teller who handed it back to her with the curt announcement, 'You'll have to endorse this.' 'Why, this is a Christmas present from papa,' said the young lady, somewhat embarrassed. 'Well, write your name on the back,' responded the teller. The young woman went to one of the desks, wrote a few words on the back of the check, returned and triumphantly handed the paper to the teller. What she had written was 'Papa to Grace, Christmas, 1902.'"

An Attractive Window

In the window of Mr. E. Brown, & Co., grocers, is a very attractive display of seasonable goods. The window is outlined and subdivided by a number of packages of cereals, such as Malta-Vita and Quaker Oats and the spaces are occupied with choice samples of flaked peas, rice, wheat and oats, cornmeal, barley, beans, etc. The whole makes a neat display, and reflects credit on the taste in window dressing displayed by this up-to-date firm.

SUGAR BEETS FOR FEEDING

(Farmer's Advocate.)

What is the value of sugar beets to feed to horses or cattle compared with turnips or mangles? I consider one bushel worth two of turnips. Am I right or not? T. H. THOMPSON. Manitoulin Island.

Ans.—I presume your correspondent refers to sugar beets grown for the sugar factories. Such beets contain fully twice as much soluble carbohydrates as turnips, and nearly all of it is in the form of sugar. As sugar is a fat producing substance, beets have a greater value for feeding purposes than turnips, especially when fed to hogs and fattening cattle. Experiments have proven that milch cows do as well on mangels as on sugar beets. No figures of comparisons of the value of these while I place sugar beets very much ahead of turnips for hog and cattle feed, I feel sure that it is placing too high a value on them to say that one bushel is worth two of turnips.

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MR. LEARY'S KINDNESS

He Entertained a Number of the Local Telephone Employees to a Drive

On Thursday, Mr. R. H. Leary, with his characteristic generosity, entertained the employees of the local telephone exchange to a drive to Lakefield. Supper was served at the Craig House in mine host Craig's usual excellent style and a very enjoyable time was spent. Mr. Craig doing everything possible for the comfort of his guests. The drive home was much enjoyed and Peterborough was reached at a seasonable hour.

PRINCESS'S LOVER ANGRY

Reported Threat From Giron to Make Disclosure

Brussels, Jan. 17.—It is stated that Andre Giron, the tutor, who eloped with the Crown Princess of Saxony, is furious over the latest developments and threatens to make shocking disclosures.

Peterborough Lose to Belleville and Pt. Hope

T. A. S. Defeat Lakefield by a Score of 7 to 2

The first home game in the Trent Valley League was played last night in the Brock street rink between the T.A.S. and Lakefield, the former winning by a score of 7—2. The T.A.S. played a more scientific game, although their forward line relied too much on individual play and were much speedier than the Lakefield seven. Lynch for the T.A.S. played a strong game and in the last half made many brilliant dashes with great effect. Parnell and George showed up to good advantage while Crawley and Meagher relieved the T.A.S. goal many times, Crawley taking the rubber up the ice repeatedly. For Lakefield "Col." Redpath was the star and had it not been for his clever work, the score against Lakefield would have been doubled. "Col." is a very promising young hockey player. The T.A.S scored the first three goals and Lakefield the next two. The score at half-time was 4 to 2 in favor of the T.A.S.

A large crowd witnessed the game. The Lakefield team brought up a number of supporters on a special train.

Jack Anderson, of Keene, refereed the game.

The Lakefield team were entertained by the T.A.S. to an oyster supper after the game.

The T.A.S. will practice tonight at 7 o'clock. Every player is requested to turn out.

The Peterborough senior Colts journeyed to Belleville last night to play the fast seven of that place. The Colts were defeated, by a score of 5 to 2. This is Peterborough's first game of the series, and Belleville's second win, they having defeated Port Hope at Port Hope by a score of 3—2.

The junior Colts were defeated at Port Hope by a score of 6—2.

Double Bereavement

The sympathy of the community will be extended to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewers, of Cavan, on the death of two of their children, from scarlet fever. Stella, aged 7, died on January 4, and Bertie, aged 4, the next day. One had been ill seven days, and the other ten. The other two children of the family have had the disease but are progressing favorably. Mrs. Lewers has also been quite ill, with erysipelas. This family has certainly had its share of trouble, and much sympathy is felt for them.

Improvement Society

Some time ago an "Improvement Society" was organized at Stewart's Otonabee, and the meetings which have been held from time to time have proved quite successful. The entertainment consists of music, debates, reading, spelling matches, geographical contests, etc. At the last meeting a debate, "Resolved, that wood is of more benefit to mankind than iron," was decided in the affirmative. Miss Bertha Stewart and Mr. Clayton Hanbidge were the leaders in the debate.

Dr. Fitzgerald's Funeral

The funeral of the late Dr. Fitzgerald took place yesterday, from the White House. The pallbearers were Messrs. R. Sheehy, Dr. McGrath, F. Cook, F. Morrow, John Kelly, S. Anglesey.

Rev. Father O'Brien conducted the service at the cathedral, and Rev. Father Crowley officiated at the cemetery.

The remains were accompanied here by Mr. J. W. Fitzgerald, who, on learning of his brother's death, went to Amherst for that purpose. The deceased was a member of the C.M.B.A

Winter Race Meet

The Peterborough Turf Club announce that the covered portion of the grand stand at the race meet on Wednesday and Thursday, 21st and 22nd, will be reserved for badge-holders. Each badge admits one gentleman and one or more ladies to both day's races. Badges may be obtained from the committee or at any of the hotels or at The Times Bookstore for $1.00 each.

Horses for the meet are arriving in town and will commence work on the track at once. The famous trotting horse "Dan Finster" arrived in town yesterday.

There are Others

The following, from yesterday's Globe, shows that there are other cases similar to the one in Peterborough: A new election for Councillors may be necessary in King Township owing to the resignation of Reeve Legg and Councillor McMurchy. The resignations result from the operation of a recent Provincial enactment preventing anyone from being a school trustee and a member of a Township Council at the same time. In Vaughan Township Reeve Boyle is in the same position, and the matter is causing a great deal of questioning as to how to get over the difficulty.

A SERIOUS REBELLION GOING ON IN CHINA

Trouble Looming Up Between the Macedonians and the Turks

Inventing a Speech for Lord Beresford—Charged with Making Fatuous and Unpatriotic Statements

London, Jan. 16—Considerable surprise has been caused in London by the cabled reports of Lord Charles Beresford's utterances that "Germany and Great Britain were really making an attack on the Monroe Doctrine when they sent ships to Venezuela." Much doubt was expressed as to whether Lord Charles was quoted correctly, for while Englishmen almost unanimously condemned the action of the Government in joining Germany in the Venezuelan affair, they decline to entertain the slightest suggestion that anything of a hostile nature toward the United States was contemplated by Mr. Balfour and his colleagues. The St. James Gazette expresses the general attitude of all Englishmen when it says: "No sensible persons will believe, unless and until they are compelled to do so that Lord Charles said anything so astoundingly fatuous and unpatriotic. He cannot deliberately aim at creating a misunderstanding between England and the United States. The American press has not hitherto charged us with unfriendliness in the Venezuelan business and we cannot see why it should now attempt to create such an impression by inventing so incredible a dictum for Lord Charles Beresford."

Warm Reception Awaits Macedonians.

London, Jan. 16—The Vienna correspondent of The Times says that boasts of the Macedonia Committee that Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria is powerless to check their movement when they take action during the coming spring, is not without foundation. There are six hundred Macedonians among the officers of the Bulgarian army and at least 100,000 emigrants in Bulgaria. There are 115,000 Turkish troops waiting to cross the border and give a warm reception to Macedonia bands, but if the latter are defeated and the leaders manage to rouse another Bulgarian atrocities agitation it will be impossible to foresee the consequences. The assurances that Macedonians had brought their blood upon their own heads by their wanton poitical intrigue would not satisfy public opinion, and the result of the Greco-Turkish war shows that the victorious Turk might be deprived of the fruits of success.

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C. P. R. MAY PURCHASE ELDER-DEMPSTER FLEET

The Company is Reported to be Negotiating with Sir Alfred Jones

Montreal, Jan. 16—It is stated in well-informed shipping circles that there is a very likely prospect of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company becoming the owners of the North Atlantic fleet of the Elder-Dempster Shipping Company. At the last general meeting of the shareholders of the Canadian Pacific, the directors were given power to establish a line of freight carriers between Canadian and British ports. Since then negotiations have been in progress in the Old Country, but it has been found that the ship yards there are so well filled with orders that it would be impossible to start a brand new line of steamers within four or five years. With this condition facing them the directors of the Canadian Pacific looked around to see the next best thing to do. The result of their deliberations was to place them in negotiations with Sir Alfred Jones, and while it is too early to say that the deal has been ratified, it would not surprise many people here if the opening of navigation should see the sixteen vessels of the Elder-Dempster fleet now running to and from Canadian ports transferred to the flag of the Canadian Pacific. The big railway would thus secure its freight fleet and the nucleus of a first-class passenger service.

A Strong Attraction

One of the sweetest singers ever heard in Windsor was Alice Calder Stock, of Detroit, in the Windsor Opera House, at last night's concert. Mrs. Stock's brilliant soprano voice was heard to excellent advantage in "May Morning" sustaining high C with perfect ease.—Windsor Record.

Mrs. Stock will appear in Bradburn's Opera House, Friday, Jan. 23rd, under the auspices of Lodge 125, Ancient Order United Workmen, when the following talented artists will be present to delight the Peterborough lovers of good music.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

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The introduction of republican institutions into the Philippine Islands seems to be giving the United States some difficulty. The Philadelphia Inquirer remarks: "The ruler who takes his Asiatic subjects into his counsels and his confidence, who frankly exhibits a desire to please them and to conform his actions to their sentiments, is apt to suffer a fatal loss of prestige. He will not receive credit for any good motive, but, on the contrary, his conduct will be attributed to weakness or to cowardice or to lack of sense. It follows that the kind of ruler best fitted to promote the welfare, happiness and contentment of an Oriental community is the benevolent despot, and it is Mr. Clifford's opinion that it is the part of the benevolent despot that the United States must eventually reconcile itself to sustain in its relations to the Philippines."

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THE TIMES LETTER-BOX

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BURLEIGH CHURCH OPENING

To the Editor of Peterborough Times:

Sir,—With many thanks for your insertion of the notice of our church opening, we are now sending you a brief report of the services. The services on the Sabbath, January 11, were conducted by Revs. T. W. Leggott, of Lakefield, and J. W. Bunner, of Bridgenorth, whose assistance was very much appreciated by the people. Services and collections were good, although the bad weather and roads interfered with the attendance. On Monday, 12 inst., the tea-meeting was held. In spite of unfavorable weather when the rendering of the program began in the new church, the edifice was full. The chair was occupied by John Hull Esq., of Lakefield. After addresses were delivered by Revs. Leggott and Bunner, the chairman called upon the pastor, Rev. C. S. Reddick, to read a statement of cost and value of the church. It is a beautiful frame structure 50x28 feet, beautifully furnished throughout. A new organ had been purchased at a cash cost of $88, and a new bell weighing 335 pounds hung in the large tower on the front of the building. The total cost was $1587.17. Of this $771.95 had been previously provided for, leaving a total indebtedness of about $800. After the statement had been read, Rev. H. McQuade was called upon, and after getting the crowd in thorough good humor by his inimitable speech and drollery, he appealed to them to clear the debt by subscription, and when he lowered sail he had the debt provided for and about $200 of the amount paid the same night. Rev. McQuade is an Irishman, and whether from Cork or not, as the boys say, in this line he is a Corker. The hearty thanks of the people of Apsley are due him for his services in this connection; to Revs. Leggott and Bunner for their services on Sunday and Monday; and to John Hull, who drove 30 miles over a bad road to act as chairman; and to the Bethel choir of Warsaw circuit.

Yours respectfully,
C. S. REDDICK, Pastor.
Apsley, January 15.

Change of Principalship

Attention is called to the change of principalship at the Syllabic Shorthand College, whose ad. appears on the front page of The Times. Mr. W. R. Finlay is assuming the direction of the college, while Mr. Moon is about to organize another branch elsewhere. Mr. Finlay is also the Canadian representative of the Consolidated Business Correspondence Schools of New York. He is expanding the curriculum of the Syllabic Shorthand College, and is also prepared to furnish tuition by mail to all parts of Canada. He brings to the college the experience of many successful years, and has always proved a thorough and efficient teacher. Boyd's Syllabic System is making for itself a recognized position of excellence over all other systems, its exceeding simplicity and wonderful adaptability making it such that it can be rapidly acquired by the youngest scholar. Mr. Moon is about to establish another branch in Ottawa.

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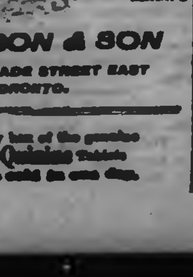

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A ROMANCE.

and then suddenly stopped still at a nearer view of her face.

She had not quite recognized Hilda, but there was enough familiarity in her face to appall the beautiful impostor.

In that moment's indecision every one in the room noticed the striking difference between the two young girl's. Florence's blonde beauty was set off to the greatest advantage by her rich and becoming attire and the jewels that gleamed upon her white neck and arms, but the pride of rank and the innate arrogance of a little mind lent an air of offensive haughtiness to her style and manner. No greater contrast to her could be imagined than Hilda in her bright, sweet, unadorned beauty and snowy dress, together with an unconscious stateliness, that made the haughty Florence look vulgar, inferior, and overdressed. It was a perfect triumph of nature over art.

"Florence, have you forgotten me?" asked Hilda, in her clear, sweet voice.

A frightened cry arose from Florence's lips. Her cheeks, so lately flushed with pride, grew decidedly white. She retreated as Hilda advanced. She looked like one terrified by a nameless fear.

"Florence, my love," said the earl, hastily, "it is your cousin, Hilda Aylesford. She was not dead, as you supposed. Go and speak to her, and bid her welcome to your ancestral home."

Florence heard the words, but her self-possession seemed to have deserted her. She looked at Hilda, who stood calmly regarding her agitation, and gasped out almost pleadingly:

"Oh! Hilda, why are you here?"

"I came at Lady Leigh's solicitation," the young girl answered, cresting her head with a stag-like movement of offended pride. "She fancied that you might be glad to see me, but I perceive that I am an intruder."

Every one was disappointed. They had expected that the two girls would meet with every appearance of affection. But no one could doubt that Florence was frightened and sorry at the re-appearance of the girl with whom she had been reared as a sister, and Hilda's spirited words gave little promise of amity.

The earl went forward and shook Florence's arm gently.

"My dear," he said, almost sternly, "in your fright and surprise you are forgetting everything. Bid your friend welcome."

Florence lifted her head and saw that her grandfather was regarding her with displeasure, and that Cecil Courtenaye and the guests were surprised at her emotion. She realized instantly that her conduct would draw suspicion upon her. Anxious to retrieve the bad impression she had created, she made an impulsive rush forward and clasped her arms around Hilda's neck, while she exclaimed in affectionate tones:

"Hilda, my darling, you must forgive my apparent coldness. I did not mean it. It was only that I was frightened and shocked by your sudden appearance when I believed you were dead. Oh! how glad your father will be to find you living!"

Hilda suffered her cousin to draw her smooth cheek down and kiss it with apparent tenderness, while she answered, in the quietest tone in the world:

"Yes, Florence, I can well fancy how glad he will be."

Florence, vaguely fancying a veiled sarcasm in the words, looked at her furtively, but the dark eyes met hers with calm serenity and innocence, and the suspicious blonde fancied she must have been mistaken.

"Hilda, I am very impatient to know what became of you that night when you wandered away in your fever," she said, sweetly. "You must tell me all about it to-morrow. To-night the happiness of seeing you again is quite sufficient."

CHAPTER XVII.

A Row on the Lake.

Florence did not close her eyes that night until she had written a letter to Mr. Aylesford, in London, apprising him of the startling re-appearance of Hilda, whom they had hoped and believed dead. She was filled with consternation at the turn affairs had taken. Almost a year had passed away in perfect security and tranquil enjoyment of the good fortune of which she had cheated Guy Aylesford's daughter—now it seemed to her as if retribution stared her in the face. There was something chilling and foreboding in the thought that Hilda Aylesford was at that moment sleeping calmly beneath her own grandfather's roof, secure in the love and protection of such people as Lady Leigh and Sir Wilfred Hale—people, as Florence bitterly reflected to herself, who had never looked upon her anything but coldly, despite all her wheedling efforts to gain their favor and win their hearts.

Having stayed up late to finish her letter, Florence slept even later than usual the next morning, and breakfasted in her own room.

"I will wear my dress of pale-blue nuns' veiling to-day," she said, to the maid, "and turquois ornaments. Arrange my hair very carefully. Are the guests up yet?"

"Yes, my lady, and have been out on the terrace half an hour," said the maid.

Florence grew very impatient at that. She could scarcely wait for her toilet to be completed before she seized her becoming rose-colored parasol and tripped out upon the terrace.

The family and the guests were all there before her. Mrs. Courtenaye, a lovely, delicate, fair-haired woman, sat upon a rustic seat with Lady Leigh, asking her about her American tour. Sir Wilfred and Mr. Courtenaye stood a little apart, conversing earnestly. The old earl was taking his leisurely morning walk by Hilda's side—Hilda, as bright and smiling as the summer morning, in a pretty, simple white lawn, with a scarlet rose in her belt, and a wide-brimmed, white chip hat, garlanded with blush-roses, shading her sparkling, piquant face. Florence went up to them.

"Good morning grandpapa—good morning Hilda," she said.

"My dear, you are a lazy girl," the earl cried, in excellent spirits. "Your young friend here has been up an hour, listening to the birds' singing."

Florence flushed. She knew that her grandfather was prejudiced in favor of early rising. But she said to Hilda, with a gentle smile:

"It is your fault, Hilda, that I am later than usual this morning. I could not sleep when I first retired last night for thinking of the great surprise and pleasure your visit had

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Large Shipments of Horses

Mr. Percy Pearson has been in town all week at the White House where he purchased a car load of fine heavy draught horses, twenty in number, which will be shipped to Montreal today. Mr. Pearson, sr., last week shipped 41, all heavy horses. He will be here all next week.

Coming Attraction

The Berlin German Boys' Choir, consisting of thirty members, will attend the Provincial Y.M.C.A Convention to be held here from February 5 to 8. This will doubtless prove to be a great attraction, and should make the meetings even more interesting than usual. About two hundred delegates are expected at the convention.

Mr. Tooley's Luck

A meeting of the Turf Club was held on Thursday afternoon, and everything pointed to a very successful carnival races next week. About 75 entries have been received. The meeting was a thoroughly enjoyable one. During the course of the meeting a 125 pound pig was competed for and Mr. Tooley was successful in landing the porker. Thus it is that fortune favors the brave.

EAT SLOW

Some Chew Fast Fine and Hard but Swallow Slow

"Across the table sat a young man," remarked an old gentleman from New Albany, Ind., recently, "with a sickly face, who was slowly chewing in a fashion which led me to believe that his teeth were all in such condition that if he should forget himself and bite a little bit harder, off would fly the top of his head. Finally I remarked:

'You have to be very careful of them?'

'Yes,' indeed,' he replied. 'I have no stomach. My doctor told me to eat slow. No odds what your hurry may be,' said he, 'eat slow.'

'You misunderstand him,' said I, 'what the doctor meant was to chew fast, fine and hard but to swallow slowly. Now you are actually committing suicide, the doctor meant for you to use your teeth. Are your teeth all right?'

'Yes,' he replied. 'I can bite through sole leather. I wonder if the doctor did mean that I should chew hard instead of slow?'

Then I told him of my experience in the food line. I'm a pretty old man now but, like a good many other people, my stomach went back on me one time and I commenced to study food and the requirements of the body. After experimenting a good deal I came across Grape-Nuts and was soon convinced that this food met all the requirements of health and as a daily diet is indispensible.

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On-Half the County Council May Not be Able to Take Their Seats.

ARE SAID TO BE TRUSTEES.

Which May Prevent Them Acting as Members of the County Council

An Unfortunate Position for the County to be Placed in—The Law on the Subject

The amendment made to Section 80 of the Municipal Act, at the 1902 session of the Legislature, is causing no end of trouble and confusion. There are new cases being discovered every day of persons who have been elected members of the municipal councils who find themselves disqualified because they did not first resign their positions as school trustees.

Mr. E. A. Peck of No 1. Otonabee division of the County Council is a member of the Ashburnham Public School Board; Mr. John Monogue, of No. 3 Division; Mr. George W. Fitzgerald, of No. 2 Division, and Mr. W T. Buck, of No. 4 Division, are also said to be school trustees. The part of the new Act which applies in these cases reads as follows:—

"No High School Trustee, and (no member of a School Board for which rates are levied,) shall be qualified to be a member of the council of any municipal corporation."

This turn of affairs is particularly unfortunate, as it was pretty generally understood, that Mr. E. A. Peck was booked for the Wardenship. As matters are at present the statutory meeting of the County Council must be held next Tuesday and the first business will be to elect a Warden, and apparently this must be done by the other five members, one of the five being elected. We deplore this as it deprives the County Council of the services of five of its most valued members.

After electing a Warden the County Council will probably take steps to have a new election to fill these vacancies, and then adjourn until after the elections.

These gentlemen will have an opportunity of resigning as Trustees in the meantime, and will probably be returned unopposed as County Councillors.

Mr. Peck, when seen by The Times, says it is possible the Act is not intended to apply to County Councils, as these bodies have no control over the expenditure made by School Boards.

Without looking into the matter particularly Mr. E. H. D Hall and Mr R. F. McWilliams inclined to the view that these County Councillors must seek re-election.

It would be unfortunate if it should be necessary to incurr all this additional expense.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Coal in Hastings is $11 per ton.

—The County bye-elections are now on.

Peterborough races Wednesday and Thursday, 21st and 22nd.

—The axe fell heavy on the County Council and cut off three it its best members.

—A movement is on foot to have the "Twelfth of July" celebrated in Millbrook next time.

—Rev. C. J. Boulden has declined the offer of the headmastership of Trinity College School, Port Hope.

—About forty Orange lodges are expected in Hastings at the coming celebration of the "glorious twelfth."

—Lakefield Hockey Club ran a special train to Peterborough last night to accommodate all who wished to attend the hockey match.

—Port Hope druggists will close at 8 each evening except Saturdays, from January 19th, until May 24th. Peterborough goes one better than that.

—Mr. Ephriam Gardiner, Millbrook, has disposed of his business there, and is moving to Peterborough, where he will conduct the store formerly operated by Mr. McQuay.

—Rev. E. A Langfeldt, M A performed the ceremony which united Miss Lillie A. Fitzgerald and Rev. J. H. Edmison, B.A., in the holy bonds of matrimony. Through inadvertance, an error crept into our columns in regard to this matter.

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—A story is going the rounds of the press about a farmer who went into a local music store and for the first time saw a phonograph. He was told to drop a nickle and hear the music. The farmer, doubtingly, dropped a nickle, put the tubes to his ear and after listening for a second started for the door with a hasty exclamation. "Gosh all fish-hooks! Here comes a brass band and 'I ain't them mules unhitched."

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mrs. C. E. Hubbs, of Ashburnham, is quite ill.

—Miss Wade, of Peterborough, has been visiting friends in Lakefield.

—Mr. J. J. Turner, of Peterborough was in Port Hope on Thursday.

—Miss Irene Noble, of Peterborough, is visiting Mrs. Fred. Rosevear, Port Hope.

—Mr. Louris, of Indian River, has purchased a farm near Peterborough and expects to move next week.

—Miss Pakenham, Peterborough, has been spending a few days at Mr. C. E. Pakenham's, Norwood.

—Mr. Scott W. Wildman, who has been teaching S.S. No. 3, Asphodel, has gone to Detroit, Mich.

Narrow Chests

The old theory that consumption was inherited is utterly discredited by modern medical science. The germs of consumption must be received from without. These germs are every where. They are constantly being received and cast out by the healthy system. It is the narrow chested whose inheritance is weakness who fall a prey to consumption because they are too weak of lung to resist and throw off disease. Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes weak lungs strong. It cures obstinate deep-seated coughs, bleeding lungs, weakness, emaciation and other conditions which if neglected or unskilfully treated find a fatal termination in consumption.

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Peterboro, Dec. 6th, 1902.

—Rev. J. C. Davidson, M A, will occupy the pulpit in St. Thomas' Church, Millbrook, to-morrow evening.

—Mr. J. J. Lundy, of Ashburnham, has been confined to the house with illness, but we are pleased to know that his condition is improving, and hope he will soon be entirely convalescent.

The many friends of Mr. John H. Smith will regret to learn that he was not so well yesterday. He is again confined to his bed. We trust this set back will be only temporary, and join with his many friends in wishing him a speedy recovery.

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The guests assembled at 6 o'clock and great pleasure was felt that the first groomsman and bridesmaid were present, Mr. J. Lightfoot having returned from Manitoba recently, and Miss A. J. Barry came from Peterborough for the occasion. Precisely at 9 o'clock the groom of 25 years ago appeared with his bride leaning on his arm, followed by the groomsman, Mr. Lightfoot, who escorted Miss A. J. Barry, the bridesmaid. They proceeded to the dining room, where a dainty repast was served, at the conclusion of which Mr. Lightfoot proposed a toast to the health, long life and future happiness of the host and hostess, which, after singing "He's a jolly good fellow," Mr. Berry responded to in his usual happy manner.

The house was beautifully decorated with green foliage and garniture or red, white and blue ribbons.

The presents were numerous and costly, showing the esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Berry are held.

SUNDAY SERVICES

Arrangements for the Various Meetings to be Held To-morrow

George Street Methodist Church—Rev. J. P. Wilson, pastor. The anniversary services will be held to-morrow morning and evening, when Rev. J. B. Saunders, M.D, of Cobourg will preach. Epworth League Monday at 8. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8. Teachers' meeting Friday evening.

All Saints—Rev. W. L. Armitage, M.A., rector. Holy Communion at 11 a.m. Subject—"Foreign Missions." Special collection for missions. Sabbath School and Bible class at 3 p.m. Evening service at 7; subject, "Trees of Righteousness." The anniversary music will be repeated. The Men's Union will entertain the men of the congregation on Tuesday evening, Jan. 27.

St. Paul's—Rev. E. F Torrance, D D, pastor; Rev. J. A. Wilson, B A., assistant. At 11 a.m. Rev. Mr Wilson will preach. Sabbath School and Bible class at 3 p.m. Rev. Dr Torrance will preach at 7 p.m. Y.P.S.C. Monday at 8 p.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8.

Mark Street—Rev. C. L. Thompson, pastor. At 11 o'clock Rev. K. Kilgour will preach. Sabbath School at 2.45, p.m. Evening service at 7.

St. John's—Rev. J. C Davidson, M A rector; second Sunday after Epiphany. Holy Communion at 8.30. Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 a.m.; Sabbath School at 3 p.m. Evening prayer and Sermon at 7 p.m. Rev. W C Allen, of Millbrook, will officiate.

St. Lukes—Rev. E. A Langfeldt, M A rector. Morning Prayer and Holy Communion at 11; Sabbath school and Bible Class at 3. Evening sermon at 7. Rev. George Warren, of Lakefield will officiate.

Y.W.C.A—Miss Little Student Secretary of the Dominion Y.W.C.A. will address the meeting at 4.15 p.m. to-morrow.

Y.M.C.A—Mr Earle M Cooke, Railway Secretary of the Y.M.C.A. will address the Men's Meeting on Sunday at 4.15

No notices have been received by The Times from the other churches.

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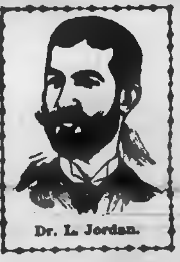

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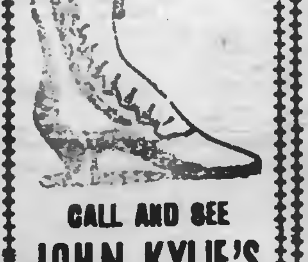

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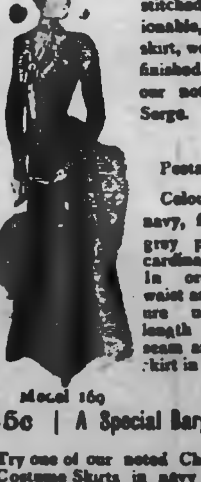

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IRELAND'S PLACE IN THE BRITISH EMPIRE

England's New Colonial Plans Will Give Her a More Prominent Position

A Tribute to the Great Scheme of Imperial Federation in Dublin

London, Jan. 18.—At the meeting of that most Irish of Irish institutions, the (Trinity) College Historical Society, some interesting statements as to the standing of Irish jurists, scholars and statesmen of the Imperial Federation scheme were ventilated.

The premier speech of the evening was made by the auditor, James Andrews, B. A. In it he said: "If our complex and widely divided Empire is to be held together it is essential, as Mr. Pachett Martin said, 'that the dwellers at its periphery shall be under no disabilities as compared with their fellow subjects at its center. There never was a moment in our Empire's history when the vision of Imperial Federation seemed more surely to be clothing itself with the garments of reality. The time is propitious for a movement to federate the Empire. The motion once centrifugal has now become centripetal. The inter-colonial federal movement, which has recently witnessed the birth of the great Australian Commonwealth, is a step towards rather than a step away from Imperial unity, for we can deal with them individually. The first steps, however, towards the federation of the Empire must be permissive. Compulsion would only excite hostile feelings. The absence at first of one or two members from the family circle should be regarded as in no wise more fatal to Imperial Federation than the refusal of New Zealand confederate with Australia has been to the formation of the Australian Commonwealth.

IMPERIAL FEDERATION.

"Imperial Federation is the means by which it is proposed to replace the silken tie by the rigid iron bar. It is an endeavor to accomplish on a far grander scale for the British Empire a Federal union similar to that which at present binds together into one great nation the United States of America. Looking at the question in its broadest aspect it is surely necessary, if the scattered members of the Empire are to find one real national life in Imperial unity, that there should be a central government for Imperial purposes in which all would find representation. Mr. Chamberlin, who has written his name indelibly upon the records of the Colonial Office, has pleaded for the co-ordination of the component parts of the Empire, and has seasonably proclaimed that the Colonies should have a voice in our Councils. To send Colonial representatives to the existing House of Commons, where matters of purely domestic concern demand so much attention, would be as undesirable as it would be unconstitutional; and, if I understand Lord Rosebery aright, it would appear that even he has come to see how unsatisfactory the adoption of his scheme of Colonial representation in the House of Lords would in a short time become.

"A recasting of the Constitution—a process from which the ordinary British mind instinctively shrinks—is required in order that it may be brought into harmony with the recent developments of our national life. A new Imperial Council or Cabinet must be called into existence, in which delegates from the Colonies might meet representatives of the Home Government upon equal terms. By this means, too, the over-burdened House of Commons would be relived of much of its labors and time would be found for fuller consideration of matters of domestic and social reform.

"A commercial union must succeed not precede the political union of the Empire. If the establishment of a Customs union is at the present time impracticable, that of a system of preferential tariffs is from the British point of view eminently undesirable.

PROTECTIVE TARIFF.

"Amongst those of our colonists who see in a system of preference a development of their trade with Great Britain it is undeniable that there is a strong volume of opinion in favor of a partial tariff union with the Mother Country upon a protective basis. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, for example, welcomed the imposition of the corn tax in England, because he regarded England's new policy as a measure of protection, and considered that by its adoption the field would be clearer for the establishment of a system of colonial preferences. But even granting to the advocates of preferential treatment that such a system involves only the minimum of a policy of protection, it is one for which Great Britain is at the present time unprepared.

"If the United Kingdom proclaims in trumpet tones the policy of Free Trade, surely it would be unfair for self-governing colonies, possessing only a fifth of the population of the United Kingdom to endeavor as of right to force an unwilling people to adopt their views, and drag the rest of the Empire with them. It is of supreme importance for us to promote foreign trade by every legitimate means in our power, in order that our food may be cheap, and that our industries may be provided with the necessary supply of raw materials.

"From the British standpoint the establishment of a preferential system is not deserving of encouragement, but our colonists, who see in the scheme an avenue opened for them into the heart of commercial Britain, but closed to their foreign rivals, regard it with approval and expectation. Perhaps, therefore, a moderate scheme of preferential tariffs may be established in the future by the granting of rebates to the colonies upon those articles, such as sugar and corn, whose importation into this country has in recent years become the subject, not of protective, but of revenue duties. This would be a minimum measure of preferential treatment, and, as such, it might be justified on Imperial grounds.

"To advance further, might spell commercial ruin. It is obvious, however, that the grant of contributions from the Colonies to the relief of the Imperial Exchequer involves a correlative right.

"You cannot share your burden without sharing the right to say how the entire of the burden is to be borne. Sir Wilfred Laurier, speaking upon this subject of Colonial contribution, is reported to have said; 'If you want us to help you, you must call us to your councils.' Until the creation of an Imperial Council of such a constitution as I have breafly indicated, no council will exist to which the Colonists could be called. When an Imperial Council shall spring into existence, the Colonies will come to realize more fully than they do at present the benefits which they derive from the forming part of the Empire. At the opening of the Colonial Conference in Downing street in 1887, Lord Salisbury, in his address to the premiers, expressed himself in these terms: 'Supposing that the Colonies were not part of the Empire, supposing the Colonies were independent, do you think they would be safe?

"His subsequent remarks furnished a reply to his own question. He referred at considerable length to the additions to the naval power of the countries of Europe, the increased facilities of communication, the improvement in telegraphic science, and the consequent more speedy concentration of force upon a single point, the desire among the nations of Europe for foreign and Colonial possessions and then concluded in these words: 'Put all these things together and you will see that the Colonies had a very real and genuine interest in the shield which the Imperial connection throws over them, and they have a ground for joining with us in making the defence of the Empire effective—a ground which is not purely sentimental, which does not rest merely on their attachment to this country, but which is based on the most solid and reasonable foundations of self-interest and security.

"The late Prime Minister's words are even more true today than at the hour when they were uttered. Modern scientific agencies expose the outlying Colonies to the attacks of powerful but no longer very remote enemies. It behoves our Colonies, therefore, to develop these natural resources, and make extension of the most defensive schemes which they already possess."

The Right Hon. Lord Justice Fitzgibbon said: "There are two questions which must be faced before we can touch this question of Imperial Federation so as to get at the heart of it. The first of them was the mere question of the principle and the method of federation; the other was where and how was Ireland to come in. The principle and method might be various, but whatever be adapted it belonged to the trade of the politicians and of statesmen. Fiscal considerations, considerations of representation, preferential tariffs, and all these things are merely questions of detail. It was by the eternal and invincible and irresistible forces of nature and of affection that the question would be settled. It was impossible to keep out of the problem the question that if there was a 'little England' there must be a 'lesser Ireland.' An Irishman is a sorry spectacle with his hat in his hand, whether it was cringing for a favor or cadging for a collection. They (the Irish) could avoid embittering one sect, one breed, if they liked, against each other. They could avoid speaking evil of each other and calling one another names. Surely it was not too much that a man might ask to be permitted, to be an Irishman first, and yet refuse to forfeit his birthright as a citizen of an Empire that was not cribbed, cabined, and confined between St. George's channel on one saide and the melancholy ocean on the other."

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SIR W. C. VAN HORNE ON TRANSPORTATION

Chairman of the C. P. R. Thinks Canada Has Been Very Slow

HOPPER NOT BIG ENOUGH

Canadian Products Now Take Easiest Route--Montreal Terminals Must be Improved

Montreal, January 18.—While in New York on his way to Cuba, Sir William Van Horne spoke freely on Canadian railroad matters. "Canada's hopper," he said, "is full to overflowing and the outlet at Montreal is not large enough to handle the output.

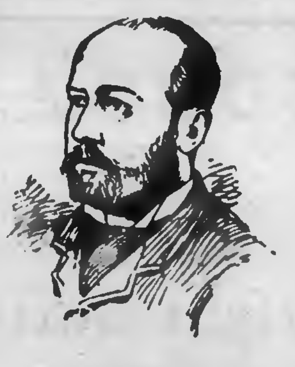
"She has for years been spending millions generously in the development of the interior and her railways, but has neglected her outlet to the Atlantic.

"Her exports, therefore, take the easy route by the great lakes, and the Erie Canal to Boston and New York, simply because Canada sits comfortably by and does not see what she is losing.

"Our folks have not come to the point yet of realization of the fact that 70 per cent. of the gross earnings of a people's railway or ship lines are paid back within a month as earned, for labor and materials, in the community in which they operate; or that the other 30 per cent., which goes for interest and dividends, establishes credit so that the company may borrow more money and establish great industries by branching out and enlarging. They do not realize that every dollar paid for transportation or elevator facilities in the States is that much taken from themselves, and their loss.

"In time the Montreal outlet will be developed, and while I don't know how much wheat and flour England uses, it seems very probable that Canada may supply her whole needs within a few years as has been suggested in the Evening Post's Canadian correspondence. Eventually, she may export wheat to the States, also, though that is a question which we need hardly consider now, as it will not have to be met for twenty-five years or more.

"The position of the Canadian Pacific," he said, "was unassailable and for that reason the policy of the company was not to oppose anything. They would hail with delight a parallel route from Atlantic to Pacific to help them to develop the country. There is enough of it up there for us all," he concluded.



SIR. WM. VAN HORNE.

SECURE A PENSION

Imperial Government Will Aid Friends of Those Who Lost Life in War

Ottawa, Jan. 18.—A militia order has been promulgated with the imperial pensions. The order reads as follows:

"His Majesty's government has been pleased, under a royal warrant, dated 8th August, 1902, to make provision for the granting of pensions to the widows and children of N. C. officers and men of colonial forces (other than those raised in South Africa), who have, since the 11th of October, 1899, been killed in action, or have died of injury or disease contracted during active operations in the field in connection with the South African war, 1899-1902. All applications for pensions should be forwarded to the adjutant general, militia headquarters, Ottawa, and should be set forth clearly whether the persons making application are acting on their own behalf, or as guardians of motherless children. All claims will be investigated, and pensions awarded, provisionally by a board to be assembled at militia head-quarters, Ottawa, composed of Col. B. H. Vidal, deputy adjutant, president; Mr. J. W. Borden, accountant, department of militia and defense."

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What Correspondent of Manchester Guardian Thinks of Canada

London, January 18.—An article in the Manchester Guardian, from its correspondent, on trade and politics in Canada, says that his recent tour through the Dominion convinced him that the people are becoming more and more inclined to high protection. This feeling is strongest in Western Canada. The new United States settlers in the North-West are high protectionists to a man, even against the country which they have just quitted.

RAFFLE FOR A WIFE

Michigan Farmer Issues 1000 Tickets Among Eligible Women

Alpena, Mich., Jan. 18.—Edward J. Eisbrenner, of Rogers City, wants a wife so badly that he has decided to raffle himself off. He has issued 1,000 tickets which will be sold at twenty-five cents each, at designated business houses in Rogers City, Posen, Metz and La Roque. Edward says:

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Montreal, Jan. 18.—Mr. G. M. Bosworth, fourth vice-president of the Canadian Pacific, has just returned from Chicago, where he has been attending meetings on matters relating to freight traffic. Mr. Bosworth confirms the report that the general managers of all the Western railways have agreed upon a plan to effect a great reduction in operating expenses to offset the increase in price of all railway supplies and labor.

The advices that have come to hand indicate that the plan is to reduce the speed of freight trains about 20 per cent. so that fewer, but longer, trains can be handled, thus reducing the cost of transportation per ton mile. There will be a small saving in wages on account of the reduction in the number of trains.

IS TWICE WEDDED TO THE SAME MAN

Manitoba Farmer Who Deserted His Wife in Toronto Returns to Re-Marry Her After Growing Wealthy in Raising Wheat in the West

Toronto, January 18.—Mrs. Mary Kerr, who until the other day was a washwoman, living on Richmond street east, can boast of the distinction of having been twice married to the same man.

The first marriage took place fifty years ago, when she was a lass of 16 years, and on January 2 of this year, Kerr again led her to the altar.

After their marriage they lived together for thirty-five years, and two daughters and a son were born to them. She was deserted by her husband, who took the three children with him and went to Manitoba, where he took up land. He is now a wealthy farmer.

The deserted wife had a hard struggle after that, but at last her prospects appear to have brightened, for on New Year's day Kerr came back and the following day they were re-married, and he was accompanied back to the West by Mrs. Kerr.

He will endeavor to dispose of his farm, and when he does he will return to Toronto to live.

OFFICIALS SENT TO JAIL

Carried Straw Men on Pay Rolls and Divided Swag

Belleville, Ill., Jan. 18.—The trial of B. F. Vanderburg, Mayor; Wm. E. West, City Clerk; and John Strycklin, Commissioner of Streets of the City of Brooklyn, Ill., charged with malfeasance in office, and a conspiracy to defraud the city, which has been on in the St. Clair County Circuit Court for the last four days, came to an end Friday night, when the jury returned a verdict finding all three men guilty as charged.

Vanderburg was given two years in the Chester Penitentiary, and a fine of $500. Strycklin received one year and was fined $250, and the punishment of West was left with the court.

The indictment charged that Strycklin had carried a number of straw men on his pay roll for several months, with the knowledge and will of Vanderburg and West. Orders would be drawn on the treasury for pay for these men, and Strycklin would then, according to previous agreement, divide up the money equally with his co-operators in crime. It was also found upon investigation that the trio of officials had raised warrants, and by other systematic schemes had defrauded the City of Brooklyn out of several thousands of dollars.

Man and Wife Drowned

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 18.—Frederick Short and Florence, his wife, were drowned last night while skating on League Island Lake. In the presence of hundreds of pleasure-seekers, the man and woman skated beyond the danger line, mistaking the shining waters for a continuation of the ice.

Want an Accounting

Kingston, Ont., Jan. 18.—The liquor men here are not pleased over the way business was handled in regard to the late referendum campaign. There was $2,000 subscribed, and some of the subscribers are shouting at the wasteful way some of the funds were disposed of, and particularly the payment of a fine of a personator. They also charge that the money supposed to have been expended in certain subdivisions had not been given out. Explanations are besought.

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CHINESE LABOR IN TRANSVAAL

A Note of Warning Sounded in Regard to the Growing Evil

London, Jan. 18.—The London Times' Johannesburg correspondent says the people of the Rand hope every care will be taken not to adjust the present difficulties at the expense of the future and so lay up for the country a debt more serious than the monetary contribution wherefore posterity may ever anathematize the present generation. "I refer," says the correspondent, "to the introduction of Chinese labor which is being earnestly canvassed. Under existing circumstances the demand for Chinese labor may well seem irresistable, especially if the mining industry is to meet its obligations, but it is well to sound a note of warning regarding the Chinese laying up for our descendants a heritage of misfortune."

London, Jan. 18.—The suggested introduction of Chinese labor for the Rand mines excites such criticism and opposition here. It is safe to say that no decision has yet been arrived at by the Government on the subject.

PETERBOROUGH AND PORT HOPE TO-NIGHT

First Home Game of the Series—A Closely Contested Game Expected

The hockey match this evening between Port Hope and Peterborough will bring out a large crowd of hockey enthusiasts to witness the game. Word was received from Port Hope to the effect that a large crowd will accompany their team. The spectators will have the privilege of witnessing one of the fastest games of hockey ever played on Peterborough ice.

The Toronto Daily Star and Mail and Empire alike, in a despatch from Belleville, give a very erroneous account of the hockey match played in Belleville on Friday night between the Peterborough Intermediates and the Belleville team. The despatch accuses the visitors of indulging in rough play and unfair work. The report is a very unsatisfactory one. On the contrary both teams played clean and fast hockey, the game being the fastest played in the intermediate series in this district this season.

The T.A.S. had a work-out on Saturday night from 7.30 to 8.15. George Lynch, their fast forward man, had the misfortune to sprain his ankle, and McGrath injured his leg. The T.A.S. expect to play Bobcaygeon here on Thursday night.

In the sporting page of the Toronto Daily Star of Saturday appears a cut of Harold Armstrong, Peterborough's fast cover-point. Armstrong is one of the best cover point men playing the game.

The T.A.S. fast septette are likely winners of this district, having defeated Bobcaygeon on their own ice and defeated Lakefield here by a good margin. They play the return match in Lakefield on January 30th.

The following arrangements have been made for the reception of the Scottish curlers:

Col. E. B. Edwards, Robert Neill, W. G. Ferguson and Dr. Boucher will meet the train with the curlers at Havelock and come to Peterborough with them. The local and visiting curlers will meet at the rink on Tuesday afternoon at 4.45 o'clock, and each carrying their curling broom, will march to the C.P.R. station, headed by the 57th Regimental Band. The procession will then reform, and with the band and curlers marching before the hacks which will contain the Scottish curlers, Toronto officials of the Ontario Curling Association, the Mayor, and other prominent citizens, will proceed up Water street to Hunter, to Brock, to George, to the Snowden House, where dinner will be served, the band playing Scottish selections during the dinner. At eight o'clock the games at the rink will commence. After the games the curlers will be entertained in the Oddfellows' Hall, where refreshments, music and speeches will be given. On Wednesday morning at nine o'clock the visiting curlers will be taken in hacks, accompanied by the Council and prominent citizens, and shown the town and its industries. At two o'clock the second game will be played and the visitors will leave for Lindsay on a special train at 4.30. They will return from Lindsay early next morning, sleeping in their own special car, and go to Toronto on the C.P.R. local on Thursday morning.

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WEATHER NOTES

Monday: Fair and cold.

JAPAN'S CHANGE OF TONE CRITICISM OF CANADIANS

Religion Cannot be Spread if Our Customs are Forced on Other Countries Against Their Own Wish

Toronto, Jan. 18.—At Saturday morning's session of the Missionary Conference held in Victoria University, Rev. Y. Hiraiwa, B.A., president of the Japanese Methodist Conference, criticized the present methods of evangelizing the Eastern races, and said that Christianization should not mean denationalization, as is now so often attempted. When Mr. Hiraiwa had finished speaking, Chancellor Burwash emphasized and eulogized his ideas.

THE OPIUM TRADE DENOUNCED

The reverend gentleman from Japan is short, stout, spectacled, moustached, dressed in the attire of the West, and English in all save his speech. But broken as it was and tinged with the language of the Orient, there was no difficulty in catching the inspiration from his ideas, and he was frequently applauded by the large audience present. Rev. Mr. Hiraiwa scored the opium trade and the manner in which the Anglo-Saxon races treat the Chinese and Japanese today. He said, "If the opium trade was abolished and the Golden Rule was brought into the life of the Western nations, then their sphere of influence would be greatly widened.

"Do not ill-treat the Chinamen and then go in with the Gospel and expect to see great results," he said. The remark was applauded.

"There is," he continued, "too much Anglo-Saxonism, too much materialism, too much denationalizing, too much effort to control the people. Try to save them as a people, try to encourage them to be self-reliant if you would succeed. By subduing a nation you cannot Christianize them. The Spaniard went to Japan and China, and took Roman Catholicism with them. Then they tried to use their religion as a political influence and failed. Do not try to do this. It will fail.

JAPAN'S CHANGE OF TONE.

Then the reverend gentleman from the Orient traced the change of feeling in Japan. Seven years ago it was a feeling of animosity to Anglo-Saxonism that dominated them; now this feeling has died away, and their country is open and waiting for development. "If you subdue us you cannot develop us. Make the religion taught an appeal not only to the soul, but to the intellect and morals as well.

"You cry 'Canada for the Canadians.' Well and good. Then, why not apply the Golden Rule, and allow 'Japan for the Japanese,' 'China for the Chinese'? How would it be if we came to Canada which is a bread-eating nation, and demanded that you eat rice?"

Following this question, Rev. Mr. Hiraiwa showed how this would change the condition of affairs. The nation would be changed from its kitchen to its ideals. He reminded the audience that national life was but an aggregate of individuality, and that if the best results were to accrue from the affects of the Anglo-Saxon in the far East, respect must be shown to their traditions.

"Priestcraft subdues. Therefore, nations cannot really rise until freed. The missionary must go down to raise up. The missionary must live in the atmosphere of those whom he must reach. There are many good thoughts in Confucianism and in the other leaders of the East, and these good thoughts may be used to reach those who believe in them."

CRITICISM OF CANADIANS.

Chancellor Burwash followed. He said: "We are carrying Christianity to a nation which excels us in many points which we ourselves are trying to teach. Take the characteristic respect that is shown to the aged. They are beyond us in that. We should make use of these characteristics."

The Chancellor said that the great mistake made with missions to-day was that they endeavored too much to control that which they have reached. "I may not find favor in high quarters," he said, "but I believe that there is a great mistake made in the idea that we must rule that which we hold."

The speaker then cited the case of the immortal Paul, showing that when he went to Asia Minor, he first explained the Christianity, and when it was received, he did not attempt to force his ideas upon them. Chancellor Burwash decried going into the country with too many rules and with too much organization, and thought that allowance should be made for individual development.

Rev. Murdock Mackenzie, B.A., North China, who was through the Boxer riots, and who was severely injured in them, was the next speaker.

THE FRENCH JOURNALS URGE BETTER RELATIONS

Improved Tone of the Press Towards England and Chamberlain--Special Envoy To Washington

In that. We should make use of these

London, Jan. 18.—The Paris correspondent of the Times, commenting upon the altered tone of the better class of French papers towards England, and especially towards Secretary Chamberlain, since the South African War, advocates the cultivation of more friendly relations between the two peoples. He says that differences in the past benefitted only the third parties, and were indeed promoted by Germany as part of a deliberate policy. Germany's success in this direction was helped by the blunders of the two Governments, although to some degree by the mistakes of the press. The French are far too shrewd to have taken to heart a situation wherein they saw a deliberate attempt by Germany to make mischief between England and the United States, as they had done between England and France. The nations have only themselves to blame if they allow themselves to be used in this fashion, and the unpopularity of co-operation with Germany in Venezuela ought to show English ministers the advisability of meeting half-way the French disposition to put an end to an era of friction.

STERNBURG AS SPECIAL ENVOY.

London, Jan. 18.—The Berlin correspondent of the Times says that Baron Von Steinberg goes to Washington as "envoy extraordinary on a special mission." It is believed that after the conclusion of certain formalities his promotion to the rank of Ambassador will follow. It is pointed out that the Baron's rapid rise from Consul-General to Ambassador has not been so sudden as it would at first appear. The position of Consul-General at Calcutta is described as being practically equivalent to that of Minister.

PRESS BLAMED FOR DISORDERS.

London, Jan. 18.—The Times correspondent at St. Petersburg says that the committee appointed to arrange for the celebration of the bicentary of the Russian press having been prohibited by the Government from holding a banquet, have circulated resolutions which it had been intended to propose at the banquet. These include a declaration insisting upon the necessity of abolishing the system of preventive censorship, and punishment of the press by administrative order, and urging other reforms for the improvement of the status of the press in Russia. Minister of Interior Plehve, in conversation with a leading member of the committee, said that the press of the country could expect nothing from the Government as it had been the cause of all the disorders in Russia. Since the sixties, he said, workmen, peasants, students, and others, had only been the Publicists' food for power.

The chief obstacle in the way of the acceptance by the United States of the Bond-Hay reciprocity treaty with Newfoundland is the objection of the fishery interests of Massachusetts and Maine. They do not wish to allow fish from Newfoundland waters into the United States unless caught by their own vessels. To strengthen this plea they claim that their fishing vessels are a school for seamen for the United States navy. A curious piece of information comes out on the opposite side. A Mr. T. S. Whitman, writing to the New York Times from Annapolis Royal, Nova Scotia, calls attention to the fact that the Gloucester fleet of fishing vessels, which has long demanded high protection on the plea that it is a school for seamen for the United States navy, is not only manned but commanded by foreigners, chiefly Nova Scotians, and that of the considerable mortality among fishing crews during 1902, aggregating eighty lives lost, only four were Americans. This proportion would probably be found to obtain in the total of sailors and officers manning the fleet. The three schooners lost with their entire crews were presumably typical. The five men who were lost from dories in fogs were all Canadians, as happened, and the same is probably true of those who lost their lives in other ways. So the so-called "New England" fisheries are New England fisheries in the sense that their owners are of the United States; but their men would evidently be more likely to man British ships of war than United States ones, in case of trouble. Of course there isn't going to be any trouble, at least not between Britain and the United States.

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THE BOND-HAY TREATY

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Six hundred members, including many of the nobility have joined the Austrian anti-duelling league.

British public revenue for the last week reported on was $1,000,000 less than in 1901, but expenditure was $2,000,000 less.

The Sunday schools of Babylon, L. I., have gone out of business temporarily, and so has the high school. No coal, and two cases of diphtheria in town.

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In East Indian schools mental arithmetic is a more serious matter than it is in the schools of this country. Catch questions are numerous, and pupils of ten years are taught to carry the multiplication table up to forty times forty.

Marconi, has been called upon again to deny the soft impeachment that he is engaged to be married. In the wireless telegraphy which Cupid discovered long before Marconi was born, the great inventor seems but a tyro, judging from the frequency with which he gets his wireless wires crossed.

Mr. Kruger has wept many tears over the losses and sufferings of his former countrymen.—New York Tribune.

With millions of Transvaal gold in his possession, the old man should dry his tears, and pour some of the yellow metal into the land which was ravaged by British troops.

By way of setting an example to other European monarchs the Prince of Monaco has decided to disband his army. This important event will not take place until 1904, when the entire military force in the pay of his highness, thirty-two warriors in all, will be given an opportunity to exchange uniforms for more peaceful habiliments.

Ian Maclaren has come out against what he calls "over education." In a recent address before a teachers' association in England the writer said no one ought to be educated beyond his measure and thus rendered useless for his natural work. On the other hand, no one should fail to receive that education, however advanced or costly, which his talents deserve.

In the Taff Vale case, where a railway company in England sued a union for damages for ordering a strike and interfering with non-union men, the union has decided to pay the damages amounting to $140,000 without appealing the case. This decision will now become a precedent under British law and unions will have to bear it in mind in connection with future strikes.

Apparently the allies knew what they were about when they blockaded Venezuela. The coast blockade has cut off the supplies of Castro and his army, while the revolutionary army in the south has an abundant source of supply and is pressing Castro hard. It is now believed that as a result of the blockade President Castro will have to abdicate and there will be a change of government.

Admiral Gervais of the French navy, who has just been placed on the reserve list, having reached the limit of age, has been more distinguished for his victories on the sea, although when the French fleet was forced into inaction in 1870, he commanded a company of Marine Fusileers in the battles fought around Paris. He had been the guest of several European monarchs, and on his return from St. Petersburg in 1891 as the naval pioneer of the Franco-Russian alliance he spent a week with Queen Victoria at Osborne.

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Brunette and Blonde

A ROMANCE

and then suddenly stopped still at a nearer view of her face.

She had not quite recognized Hilda, but there was enough familiarity in her face to appall the beautiful impostor.

In that moment's indecision every one in the room noticed the striking difference between the two young girl's. Florence's blonde beauty was set off to the greatest advantage by her rich and becoming attire and the jewels that gleamed upon her white neck and arms, but the pride of rank and the innate arrogance of a little mind lent an air of offensive haughtiness to her style and manner. No greater contrast to her could be imagined than Hilda in her bright, sweet, unadorned beauty and snowy dress, together with an unconscious stateliness, that made the haughty Florence look vulgar, inferior, and overdressed. It was a perfect triumph of nature over art.

"Florence, have you forgotten me?" asked Hilda, in her clear, sweet voice.

A frightened cry arose from Florence's lips. Her cheeks, so lately flushed with pride, grew decidedly white. She retreated as Hilda advanced. She looked like one terrified by a nameless fear.

"Florence, my love," said the earl, hastily, "it is your cousin, Hilda Aylesford. She was not dead, as you supposed. Go and speak to her, and bid her welcome to your ancestral home."

Florence heard the words, but her self-possession seemed to have deserted her. She looked at Hilda, who stood calmly regarding her agitation, and gasped out almost pleadingly:

"Oh! Hilda, why are you here?"

"I came at Lady Leigh's solicitation," the young girl answered, cresting her head with a stag-like movement of offended pride. "She fancied that you might be glad to see me, but I perceive that I am an intruder."

Every one was disappointed. They had expected that the two girls would meet with every appearance of affection. But no one could doubt that Florence was frightened and sorry at the re-appearance of the girl with whom she had been reared as a sister, and Hilda's spirited words gave little promise of amity.

The earl went forward and shook Florence's arm gently.

"My dear," he said, almost sternly, "in your fright and surprise you are forgetting everything. Bid your friend welcome."

Florence lifted her head and saw that her grandfather was regarding her with displeasure, and that Cecil Courtenaye and the guests were surprised at her emotion. She realized instantly that her conduct would draw suspicion upon her. Anxious to retrieve the bad impression she had created, she made an impulsive rush forward and clasped her arms around Hilda's neck, while she exclaimed in affectionate tones:

"Hilda, my darling, you must forgive my apparent coldness. I did not mean it. It was only that I was frightened and shocked by your sudden appearance when I believed you were dead. Oh! how glad your father will be to find you living!"

Hilda suffered her cousin to draw her smooth cheek down and kiss it with apparent tenderness, while she answered, in the quietest tone in the world:

"Yes, Florence, I can well fancy how glad he will be."

Florence, vaguely fancying a veiled sarcasm in the words, looked at her furtively, but the dark eyes met hers with calm serenity and innocence, and the suspicious blonde fancied she must have been mistaken.

"Hilda, I am very impatient to know what became of you that night when you wandered away in your fever," she said, sweetly. "You must tell me all about in to-morrow. To-night the happiness of seeing you again is quite sufficient."

CHAPTER XVII.

A Row on the Lake.

Florence did not close her eyes that night until she had written a letter to Mr. Aylesford, in London, apprising him of the startling re-appearance of Hilda, whom they had hoped and believed dead. She was filled with consternation at the turn affairs had taken. Almost a year had passed away in perfect security and tranquil enjoyment of the good fortune of which she had cheated Guy Aylesford's daughter—now it seemed to her as if retribution stared her in the face. There was something chilling and foreboding in the thought that Hilda Aylesford was at that moment sleeping calmly beneath her own grandfather's roof, secure in the love and protection of such people as Lady Leigh and Sir Wilfred Hale—people, as Florence bitterly reflected to herself, who had never looked upon her anything but coldly, despite all her wheedling efforts to gain their favor and win their hearts.

Having stayed up late to finish her letter, Florence slept even later than usual the next morning, and breakfasted in her own room.

"I will wear my dress of pale-blue nuns' veiling to-day," she said, to the maid, "and turquois ornaments. Arrange my hair very carefully. Are the guests up yet?"

"Yes, my lady, and have been out on the terrace half an hour," said the maid.

Florence grew very impatient at that. She could scarcely wait for her toilet to be completed before she seized her becoming rose-colored parasol and tripped out upon the terrace.

The family and the guests were all there before her. Mrs. Courtenaye, a lovely, delicate, fair-haired woman, sat upon a rustic seat with Lady Leigh, asking her about her American tour. Sir Wilfred and Mr. Courtenaye stood a little apart, conversing earnestly. The old earl was taking his leisurely morning walk by Hilda's side—Hilda, as bright and smiling as the summer morning, in a pretty, simple white lawn, with a scarlet rose in her belt, and a wide-brimmed, white chip hat, garlanded with blush-roses, shading her sparkling, piquant face. Florence went up to them.

"Good morning grandpapa—good morning Hilda," she said.

"My dear, you are a lazy girl," the earl cried, in excellent spirits. "Your young friend here has been up an hour, listening to the birds' singing."

Florence flushed. She knew that her grandfather was prejudiced in favor of early rising. But she said to Hilda, with a gentle smile:

"It is your fault, Hilda, that I am later than usual this morning. I could not sleep when I first retired last night for thinking of the great surprise and pleasure your visit had

To be Continued.

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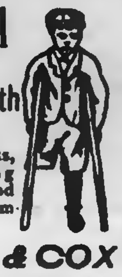

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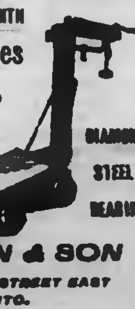

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100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
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July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
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If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6⅔ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
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7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
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New York, Jan. 17.—Mr. Chas. Barrett analyses comparatively the Rock Island financial scheme together with that of the Burlington, which was carried through about a year ago. He goes on to say: Touching the matter of variableness of earnings, it may be noted that the old Rock Island earned gross six years ago $17,100,000 and that gross increased every year until in 1902 it reached $28,400,000. The increase was 66 per cent. The two per cent. dividend of six years ago was earned and a 1 per cent. surplus left over. The Burlington, whose capitalization was adjusted in the same way as Rock Island was to common stock, earned gross six years ago $34,200,000 and that gross increased every year until in 1902 it reached $53,800,000. The increase was 58 per cent. As respects dividend earning capacity there was practically no difference in the two stocks. The Burlington's $110,000,000 of stock was merged into $220,000,000 of 4 per cent. bonds, and the road leased on a guarantee of fixed charges which was equivalent to 8 per cent. upon the stock. In 1902 the road earned 10 per cent. This shows a profit of $2,000,000 for the year to the lessees. The Rock Island's $75,000,000 was merged into $75,000,000 of 4 per cent. bonds. That is just one-half of the Burlington's inflation, if that is a proper term for the transaction. In addition $52,500,000 new preferred stock was issued, calling for $5,100,000 per annum or the equivalent of about 7 per cent. on the old Rock Island stock, which was earning $7,500,000 or 10 per cent. Instead of going to the lessees as in the Burlington case the remaining $2,400,000 goes to the holders of the new Rock Island common. The old Rock Island company also had in its treasury $26,500,000 in cash, which necessarily passed to the new company through the merger. The new company has also added to the 4500 mileage of the old company some 3500 miles of newly acquired and built road, earning at least $12,000,000 per annum. The process of expansion is still going on, with what result cannot be known to the public until the next annual report is issued. The Rock Island scheme of inflation was all wrong, being by western capitalists. Wall street writers had a spasm, the Burlington scheme was by New Yorkers; that was all right, these things depends upon who does them.

Summary—The bank statement showed an increase in reserves of over $5,400,000, an increase in specie of over $11,000,000, an increase in deposits of over $25,000,000, while loans increased about $14,000,000. The market continued strong, copper selling above 64 and sugar above 131. Missouri Pacific was the railway leader, advancing over a point. Considerable trading took place in Atchison, Manhattan, St. Paul, Union Pacific, Reading and Rock Island. All these issues were decidedly strong. Heavy buying of Car and Foundry continued throughout the session. It is a market that for the time requires patience, but it should be exercised on the bull side. Money, nothing doing. Sales 250,000.

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The "Santa Rosa" group, which is located southeast of Ballarat some three and a half miles, consists of twelve claims, equal to 240 acres. The ledge crops out more or less the full length of these claims, showing the same character and formation of work as where development work has been done. In most of the outcroppings it shows highly mineralized rock, with pyrites of iron, mica schist, slate, slate porphyry, gouge, quartz and quartzite, all bearing more or less. Where work has been done, it shows a very marked improvement in both quantity and quality of gold-bearing rock. Commencing with the surface, the ore shows much iron and copper stain. All mill tests show rich ore commencing with the surface; in fact, I milled for several days and recovered $50 and over per ton, yet the milling process does not pay more than two-thirds of the value of the ore, the tailings ofttimes running as high as $35 per ton, and never less than $12.50. To save the entire value of your ore it will be necessary to instal either concentrators or a cyanide plant. From careful study and frequent examination of the surface of the ground, and down as far as has been opened below the surface, I am highly pleased with the property. It is certainly a fine property, and as good as any I have ever had the pleasure of examining. Considering your mill site, with tramway facilities added, water, fuel, and cheapness of mining the ore, the Cecil R. will be capable of paying enormous dividends when your capacity for milling is increased to what it ought to be.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, JAN. 19, 1903

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

FOUND

On Jan. 11th a purse containing a small sum of money. Owner may have the same by proving property. Apply at 1035 Water street.

Piano Tuning

Mr. Robert Shaw, of Heintzman & Co., Toronto, will be in Peterborough in a few days. He is prepared to tune any piano. Orders left at Routley's.

The Turf Club

Mr. Sid Passmore, of Orillia, will act as starter at the races here next week, and Mr. Fred Peek, of Campbellford, will be judge. These are the same gentlemen who officiated here last summer, when they gave splendid satisfaction.

Death of Mr. Alex. Allen

At 366 Aylmer street, on Saturday morning, the death occurred of Mr. Alex. Allen, an old resident of Peterborough. He had been ill for some time. He was a married man, and leaves five children. The funeral will take place this afternoon from his late residence to the Little Lake cemetery.

The Street Line

From Peterborough to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and the South is via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley Railroad. Route of the "Black Diamond Express." Pullman sleepers and dining car service from Toronto. Everything first class. Scenery and service unsurpassed. Call at W. Bunton's ticket office.

Trinity College School

It is now stated on the authority of Rev. C. J. Boulden himself, that no offer has been made to him by the Port Hope authorities in regard to accepting a position in Trinity College School. This being the case, there is nothing in the report that he had refused such an offer.

New Books at the Library

The Story of the Trapper...	...Laut
Thoroughbreds........	...Fraser
Two on their Travels...	...Colquhoun
On An Irish Jaunting Car...	......Bayne
The Right Princess......	......Prince
A Song of a Single Note...	Amelia Barr
Love and the Soul Hunters......	...Hobbes
Hope Loring......	......Bell
The Lightning Conductor...	...Williamson

VILLAGES—OTONABEE.

—The public school here has been closed for the past week, owing to the prevalence of a disease known as lichen. The epidemic is abating, however, and the school will re-open to-day.

WELCOME THE SCOTCHMEN.

We have Scotch flags in silk, cotton and wool. Sizes range from five inches up. Prices 10 cents to $12.00.

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Coming Attraction

The Berlin German Boys' Choir, consisting of thirty members, will attend the Provincial Y.M.C.A Convention to be held here from February 5 to 8. This will doubtless prove to be a great attraction, and should make the meetings even more interesting than usual. About two hundred delegates are expected at the convention.

HAVELOCK.

—Mr. Stafford, of Belleville, is visiting Mr. W. Patterson.

—Mr. Byron Wilde, of Deloraine, Manitoba, is visiting Mr. Wellington Wilde.

—Miss Sadie Watson, of Orangeville, is the guest of her brother, Mr. James Watson.

—Mrs. Edward Fennell died somewhat suddenly last Tuesday. She leaves an infant one week old. Mr. Fennell has the sympathy of all in his very trying affliction.

MRS. MENDELL'S DEATH

The Body was Taken to Camden East for Burial

At the ripe old age of 73 years, Mrs. Kathleen Mendell died at the residence of Mr. R. C. Braund, 167 Park street, of pneumonia. The funeral took place on Saturday morning to the C.P.R. station, and the remains will be interred at Camden East.

A WISE MOVE

A Step in the Right Direction at the Local Postoffice

—Smoking, spitting, loitering, noisy behaviour, and defacing or interfering with government property in any way, strictly prohibited.

BY ORDER.

The above notice has been posted in the lobby of the Peterborough Post Office. For some time past, violations of these rules were frequently noticeable, but we trust that in future there will be no more trouble, as a word to the wise is sufficient.

SATURDAY'S MARKET

Beef, Apples Hay and Wood Plentiful, but in Most Cases Prices are High

The good roads and mild weather had the effect of producing a fairly large market on Saturday. In most cases, however, prices were high. Eggs were from 23 25 cents. Butter 20 to 22 cents. Potatoes $1.25 to $1.35. Beef $6.00 to $8.00. Pork by the quarter, 8 and 9 cents. Live hogs were up to $5.87 1-2 and dressed hogs to $7.50. There was a good supply of wood, but no reduction in price. Dry hardwood still sells at $7.00. Very little green hardwood is offering. Soft wood brought from $3.50 to $5.00.

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The following is Mr. Johnsons' statement of his case:

Montreal. Feb. 8, 1902.

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I honestly believe that Ozone is one of the best blood-purifying remedies on the market to-day, and anyone following the directions and instructions in your book will surely be cured of any ailment of the body.

I remain, truly yours,

(Signed) M. F. JOHNSON,
Postman,
395 Rivard St., Montreal, P.Q.

Mr. Johnson is Not the Only One

The following are a few of the many persons who have been cured of Catarrh by the use of Powley's Liquified Ozone:

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James L. Schott, 97 Voyer st., Montreal.
W. H. Gould, 217 Hamilton road, London, Ont.
James A. Patterson, 30 Main st., St. John, N.B.
J. A. Mooney, 2143 St. Catherine street, Montreal.
Fred Fortier, Maisonneuve, Montreal.
A. J. Fergus, St. Constant le Prairie, Que.
J. A. Goyer, 476 Laval Ave., Montreal.
Mrs. D'Antemil, 317 Rosemer st., Montreal
Walter D. Kew, 38 Maplewood ave, Toronto

If it is convenient for you to interview any of these persons call and have a talk with them. If this is not possible write them. You will find there is no uncertain sound in their praises of the merits of Ozone.

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A PROSPEROUS YEAR

Annual Meeting of the Workingmen's Building and Saving's Society

The annual meeting of this society was held on January 14, and very satisfactory reports for 1902 were presented.

The officers and directors for the year 1903 were chosen as follows:

President—T. B. McGrath.
Vice-President—James Lynch.
Treasurer—James Murty.
Secretary—John Corkery.
Directors—George Ball, H. LeBrun, John McCabe, R. Sheehy, E. A. Peck, A. Murty, John McGrath, W. J. Francis, G. H. Giroux, L. Minicola, Dr. F. P. McNulty and A. M. Laidlaw.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. F. Blute, Campbellford, was in town on Saturday.

—Miss Finlay, of Peterborough, has been visiting friends in Lindsay.

—Mr. J. Craig, of the Craig House, Lakefield, was in town on Saturday.

—Mr. Milton Walker, of Winnipeg, formerly of Peterborough, is visiting here.

—Rev. Dr. Saunders was the guest of Dr. M. Mclelland, 190 Brock street, while in town.

—Hon. J. R. Stratton has issued invitations for a dinner at the Parliament buildings this evening.

—Mrs. W. Rogers, Charlotte street, has as her guest Miss Ada Fair, who is spending a few days in town.

—Miss Amy Crowley, daughter of Mr. Timothy Crowley, of Otonabee, has been in St. Joseph's Hospital for some time. Her condition is only improved slightly.

—Mrs. (Dr.) H. A. Wood, (nee Bradburn) will be at home to her friends on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon of this week, at her home, 17 Union street.

—Miss Virnie McFarland, who was very ill at St. Joseph's Hospital last fall and left there much improved, is now, we regret to say, very ill at her home in Bobcaygeon.

—The many friends of Mr. R. G. Mackey in and around Peterborough will be pleased to learn that he has secured a good position as senior teacher in Regina Industrial School.

—The Globe says: Mrs. Stratton, wife of the Provincial Secretary, will receive on Tuesday afternoon in the Speaker's chambers of the Parliament Buildings.

—Mail and Empire: Miss Mabel Bradburn, of Peterborough, is expected in town next week, and will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Logan, 368 Bloor street west.

—Mr. Robert A. Dayell, of Otonabee, has been indisposed for some days, with a severe attack of cold, which has settled on his lungs. He is somewhat better, but is still confined to the house.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Sovereign Bank opened a branch at Havelock.

—Otonabee Lodge of Oddfellows meets to-night.

—Capable dressmaker wants sewing by the day. Apply at this office for address.

—The election of officers and sale of periodicals at the Public Library takes place this evening.

—The Boston Ladies' Symphony Orchestra will appear in the opera house on February 9.

—At Brock street rink this evening the Intermediate Peterboroughs will meet the speedy Port Hope seven. A fast game is looked for.

—The annual meeting of the Little Lake Cemetery Company will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon, in the Council Chamber, to receive reports, appoint officers and transact general business.

—The Scottish Curlers are expected in Peterborough to-morrow. Arrangements are being made to give them a fine reception.

—A local coal dealer advises people to keep cool in regard to the state of their coal bins. The advice is superfluous for a good many. Not having coal, they have to keep cool this weather.

—Mr. Geo. W. Fitzgerald, County Councillor, is Secretary-Treasurer of the School Section in which he resides, but is not a School Trustee, so his standing as a County Councillor is not affected in any way.

—The ladies are holding a "Carpet Tea" at the Y.M.C.A. this evening. Refreshments will be served and a good time spent. The proceeds are to be used in purchasing a carpet for one of the rooms.

—Two girls desiring board, or furnished rooms without board, can be accomodated in a comfortable house, where no other boarders are kept. Only five minutes walk of the Postoffice. Apply for address to Times Bookstore.

—On exhibition in the Times Bookstore window there is a beautiful picture of "His Holiness, Pope Leo XIII." This picture is the same as agents are selling around town and through the country for 75c. Our price while they last is only 25c. Sent by mail for 5c extra. Order early to secure a copy.

The Council Mix-up

The following clipping shows that Peterborough is not the only place that is suffering from the mix-up in regard to councillors and school trustees:

The election of ex-Warden Binkley to the Wentworth County Council has been protested, on the ground that he is a school trustee.

Messrs. Joseph Rogers and Arch McCallum, who were elected at the last county election to represent division 6 in the York County Council, are also school trustees. They are likely to lose their seats, because under the recent amendment of the Municipal Act no member of any public school board can at the same time hold office as councillor.

Reeve Legg and Councillor McMurchy, of King Township, as stated Friday, have already been compelled to resign recently, because they were also school trustees.

DEATHS

LEWIS—At 61 Benacord street, on Sunday, January 18th, David Lewis.

Funeral will leave the residence of his brother-in-law, 61 Benacord street, on Tuesday, January 20th, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Little Lake cemetery.

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Weak and sick women are invited to consult Dr. R. V. Pierce, by letter, *free*. All correspondence is held as strictly private and sacredly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Scotsmen to the Front.

You know the character which Scotsmen have acquired, beyond almost any other people, for the art of pushing their fortunes abroad. It was never, perhaps more singularly illustrated than by the following anecdote, which is related on the authority of an almost eminent scientific baronet.

The Russians and Turks in their war of the eighteenth century having diverted themselves long enough in the contest, agreed to treat for peace. The commissioners for this were Marshal General Keith, on the part of the Russians, and the Grand Vizier on the part of the Turks. These two personages met and carried on their negotiations by means of interpreters. When all was concluded and they rose to separate, the Marshal made his bow with his hat in his hand, and the Vizier his salaam with his turban on his head.

But when these ceremonies of taking leave were over the Vizier turned suddenly, and, coming up to Marshal Keith, took him cordially by the hand, and, in the broadest Scottish accent, declared warmly that it made him "verra happy to meet a countryman in his exalted station."

Keith stared with astonishment, eager for an explanation of this mystery, when the Vizier added:

"Dinna be surprised, man; I'm o' the same country wi' yoursel'. I mind weel seein' you and your brother, when laddies, passin' by the school at Kirkcaldy. My father, sir, was bellman o' Kirkcaldy."

A Coming Promotion.

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FRIDAY, THE 23rd DAY OF JANUARY

at the hour of 2 o clock p.m.

By order of the Board.,

W. G. MORROW, Manager

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Subscribers' Directory

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Mongolian,	"	Feb. 14	"	Feb. 16, "
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LITTLE LAKE CEMETERY

Annual Meeting Held Yesterday and Election of Officers

A GOOD FINANCIAL POSITION

Report of the Superintendent Shews Everything to be In a Satisfactory Shape

The annual meeting of the Little Lake Cemetery Company was held yesterday afternoon in the Council Chamber, when reports of the work for the past year were presented, showing everything to be in a satisfactory condition. During the past year, extensive alterations and improvements have been made, as shown by the Superintendent's report.

Mr. W. H. Moore, President, occupied the chair.

The following shareholders were present: E. A. Peck, F. Wise, C. Stapleton, W. H. Moore, M. W. Matchett, Geo. Kingan, T. E. Bradburn, H. T. Strickland, T. A. S. Hay, R. M. Dennistoun, B. Shortly, John Carnegie and Adam Dawson.

Mr. E. A. Peck, Secretary, read the minutes of the last annual meeting, which were adopted as read.

Mr. W. H. Moore then presented the following:

DIRECTORS' REPORT.

To the Shareholders of the Little Lake Cemetery Company:

The Directors of the Company present the following report for the past year;

Your Directors are much gratified to be able to report continued progress during the year just closed, in embellishing and beautifying the cemetery and in making lasting improvements to the grounds and chapel; and also in being able to add a sum to the reserve fund, towards future maintenance.

At the commencement of last year, your Directors had to the Company's credit in the bank the sum of $807.11. There has since been purchased a town debenture for $917.31 as an investment for surplus money in hand, and there now remains in bank $913.86 to the Company's credit.

Your Directors have, during the past year, made substantial repairs to the walls of the chapel and had all the outside woodwork painted; also put down two concrete approaches to the chapel in the place of the wooden ones; repaired several landings to the grounds from the Little Lake, and had a telephone placed in the office at the cemetery for public use.

In the early part of the year, at the request of a number of the ministers of the town, a resolution was passed by your Board prohibiting Sunday funerals, save under exceptional circumstances which make it imperative that the funeral should take place on Sunday.

Your Directors have amended, in many important particulars, and consolidated the rules and regulations governing the use of the cemetery. A large number of copies have been printed, with the object of placing one in the hands of each lot owner as far as possible. These rules and regulations, as amended and consolidated, will be laid before you for your consideration and approval.

Your Directors have entered into a contract with the Water Commissioners for a supply of water to the cemetery for lawn and other purposes for a period of ten years, on very favorable terms.

In the month of May last you Company lost a most valued member by the death of Mr. Henry Denne, who had been a director for twenty-four years. On this occasion your Directors met in special session and placed a resolution on their minutes expressing their deep regret at his death and condolence with his widow and family, and as a mark of respect to his memory, they sent a wreath to be placed on his coffin and attended the funeral in a body.

A detailed statement of expenditures and receipts for the year is shewn in the Auditors and Superintendent's Reports, which will be submitted to you.

A number of by-laws were passed by your Directors during the past year with relation to the conduct of business, meeting of the directors and shareholders, and other matters, which will be laid before you, and which require to be confirmed at this meeting in order to continue them in force for the future.

There are now several hundred shareholders of your company, and it would be particularly pleasing to your Directors to observe a more general attendance at the annual meeting on the third Monday in January of each year, thereby showing the interest all feel in the progress of the Company, in which in time past have taken so deep a concern.

19th January, 1903.

W. H. MOORE,
President.

The President's report was received and adopted on motion of Messrs. Shortly and Stapleton.

Mr. F. Wise, Superintendent, then presented his report as follows:

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT, 1902.

To the President, Directors and Shareholders of the Little Lake Cemetery Company -

Gentlemen—I beg to submit the following report of the improvements made during the year ending Dec. 31st, 1902—

Early in the spring the remaining gravel walks above the ranges, were filled in and seeded. The drains in Section "D" levelled and seeded and the walk running between the lawns and Section "A" and "H" filled and sodded.

Two new flower beds have been cut, one at the north end of Section "E" and the other on the triangle at the north end of Section "C" known as the Gladman lots, which in my opinion should be acquired by the company as should also another triangle plot, known as the Best lots.

Lake Avenue, leading from the entrance to its junction with Ware Avenue, has been graded and watertabled. The lots acquired by the Company on the corner of Haggart and Crescent streets have been levelled and seeded down.

About 2,000 square feet on Block "4" Section "N" have been graded and seeded down.

Section "B" from range 17 to 21 has been cleaned and put in order, so that in the spring it will form a block of very desirable lots.

Some of the lot owners on section "B" have responded to the call for improvements and have had their lots put in order, which has greatly added to the appearance of that part of the cemetery.

Two ledges have been taken out, which has very much improved the appearance of the adjoining lots, and added to the landscape.

Acting under instructions from Mr. J. J. Lundy I took down and rebuilt the wall around his plot, which has been finished without the iron railing and is considered a great improvement.

The old slat walks at the chapel have been removed and replaced with concrete.

The foundation of the chapel has been repaired, the stack-pipes taken from the sides, and placed at the east end, and a drain put in to carry the water away from the building; the old cellar door has been built up with masonry and the entrance filled in.

The chapel, tankhouse, tieposts, seats, and other wooden structures throughout the cemetery have been painted and otherwise put in good repair.

I would respectfully recommend that in the near future a new plot be laid out in some remote part of the cemetery, as additional free ground, known as the single grave plot, is nearly all taken up.

I also append my financial statement for the past year.

Respectfully submitted.

FRANK WISE,
Superintendent

Superintendent's Financial Statement.

For the year ending December 31st., 1902:—

Receipts.

Sale of lots	$1475 66
Sale of graves	127 00
Digging graves	508 25
Vault fees	15 25
Sodding graves	208 25
Watering flowers and extra care of lots	560 65
Removing bodies	30 00
Building foundations	342 40
Miscellaneous and other sources	163 70
	$3426 16

Uncollected or Still Owing.

Sale of lots	$ 293 00
Sale of graves	21 00
Miscellaneous accounts	307 01
	$621 01

Expenditure for Labor at Cemetery.

Superintendent's salary	$ 550 00
Workmen's wages	1346 06
Team and horse hire	73 45
Balance of income over labor expenditure	1437 85
	$3426 16

All of which is respectfully submitted.

FRANK WISE,
Superintendent.

The report was received, and referred to the new Board of Directors.

The auditor's report was presented as follows:

AUDITOR'S REPORT

Receipts.

Sale of lots and graves	$1602 86
General receipts	1823 50
Debenture interest	411 63
Interest from bank	21 50
Bank balance (1901)	807 11
	$4665 80

Expenditure.

Superintendent's salary	550 00
Former superintendent's salary	50 00
Secretary's salary	100 00
Auditors	30 00
Wages	1364 96
Horse and team account	73 45
Repairs, supplies, etc.	414 08
Flowers, etc.	21 08
Printing, etc.	50 61
Water	62 50
Insurance	20 00
Debentures	917 31
Telephone	15 00
Interest on overdraft	1 50
Miscellaneous	21 50
Balance, Ontario Bank Deposit	913 86
	$4665 80

The report was received.

It was moved that the by-law providing for the election of directors and other officers and the conduct of annual and other meetings be adopted.

The amended rules and regulations as adopted in November, 1902, were adopted.

Mr. James A. Hall and Mr. T Q Quartermaine were appointed auditors.

The following were appointed a board of Directors:—James Stevenson, Charles Stapleton, W. H. Moore, R. M. Dennistoun, J. J Lundy, B Shortly, G. W. Burnham, T. A S Hay, and E. H. D. Hall

This closed the business of the annual meeting.

The directors met immediately afterwards and made the following appointments:

Pres.—W. H. Moore

Sec.-Treas.—E A Peck

Advisory Committee—W. H. Moore, C. Stapleton, B. Shortly, J. Stevenson, and T. A. S. Hay

Mr. F. Wise was re-appointed Superintendent at an increase of $50 a salary. The directors expressed themselves as well pleased with the work performed by the Superintendent.

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MAKING OF A COUNTRY

Wonderful Development of the Sault St. Marie District

WHAT CLERGUE HAS DONE

A Power Developed That Makes Niagara Power Plants Look Small

A Great Future for the "Soo" as Seen by the New York Herald

New York, Jan. 19—An interesting article in the New York Herald, on the Clergue industries at Sault Ste Marie, says:

Man made Niagara to do the work of 50,000 draught horses. Thirty-two miles away, in Buffalo, the Falls turn the wheels of industry. Two continents marvelled at the engineering feat. But out in the little town of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., a work has just been completed in comparison with which the power of Niagara ebbs into commonplace. An artificial canal and a twenty-foot drop of water seems insignificant when compared with the greatest fall in the world. Yet in that little Michigan village, adopted by men's brains those two things have been made to send to Detroit, 250 miles away, an electrical current, capable of doing the work of 60,000 horses!

Only a few days ago a little girl closed a switch in the big power house in Sault Ste. Marie. The switch was four inches long, made of solid gold, and the finest of onyx. The power house is said to be the longest building in the world. On the instant that the contact was made, eighty-one huge dynamos began to revolve, and what the middle northwest had dreamed of for years—cheap power—was a fact. A jubilee such as no town in the west had ever seen made memorable the occasion.

Sault Ste. Marie has been called the natural assembling point of the products of the west. The government canals connecting Lake Superior with the St. Mary's River, pass a marvellous commerce. Mining regions are near by. It is the natural location for smelting and refining works, with all their linked industries.

Why had Sault Ste. Marie never developed beyond a town of twenty thousand inhabitants?

For one reason alone. Cheap power has never been obtainable. Coal has always been abnormally high in price. Is it any wonder that when this canal and power house had been completed the town passed this resolution:

"We are celebrating the completion of the greatest water power development in the world, which is to revolutionize the industrial conditions, not only of this city, but the entire country surrounding, and marks a new era in our history. This event will impress upon the outside world our possibilities as a manufacturing centre and upon our own people all that the development of water power really means."

When only the French voyageurs and the Indians inhabited the "Soo" they built a sawmill on the banks of the St. Mary's River. Even then the natural advantages of the place were recognized. Since then company after company have gone to financial failure on account of the expenses of development. But the last attempt was successful, and canal, power house, machinery and the attendant works are now in full operation.

The only outlet of Lake Superior is the St. Mary's river, which empties into Lake Huron. Twenty-foot falls make the river unnavigable. In consequence both the United States and Canadian governments have circled the falls with ship canals. But the difference in level between the two lakes is the foundation of the great work which has just been completed.

To utilize this difference in level a canal two and a half miles long, has been built from Lake Superior to a point in the river far below the falls. Just before the drop into the river, the canal spreads the water out into a pond, making the fall of water more than a quarter of a mile in width. Across this extensive brink the huge power house has been built.

To be exact the building is 1,368 feet long, the longest structure in the world. Under this building, through sixty-one arches, the water flows. Three hundred and twenty turbines transmit the power to eighty generators, each of 500 horse power. Then the current goes to turn the wheels of industry as far as Detroit, two hundred and fifty miles away.

As has been said, the giant works send their power two hundred and fifty miles. Electricians assert that the principles so fully demonstrated in Sault Ste. Marie can be applied to any mountain stream. Why not, then they say, erect "boosting stations" along the route of the current, a route changeable at will, and so run electric cars any distance.

The compensating works are a peculiar outcome of the building of the canal. Before the project had been completed lake men foresaw danger in having thirty thousand cubic feet of the water drawn out every second from the lake. A few years and it would not be fit for navigation, they said. So they made a long complaint to the war department, and their assertions were investigated. The secretary of war upheld their protests as just.

Here was a dilemma. The canal was almost built. Should at that late day the labors of years and the expenditure of millions be allowed to go to waste? The engineers put their heads together and in a day the problem was solved.

Why not make the natural outlet of the lake compensate for the damage done by the artificial? Why not dam the St. Mary's river, a flow and loss of water useless in itself? This was the solution and the war department gave a ready consent.

Secretary of War Alger made a personal investigation of the matter, and was soon impressed with the feasibility of the novel plan.

A huge dam was constructed just above the rapids. Sluice gates, each of steel, 54 feet long, and 13 feet high were so arranged that they could diminish the flow of water into the river at will, and so nature was harnessed to compensate for the demands made upon her by man's own work.

So after years of strife, after a period of almost a hundred years, has the Soo been made to give the only economic necessity to make it a great city—cheap power. Already a railroad to Hudson Bay has sprung up, to carry to a near manufacturer the products of the great country to the north. Now ores can be mined and taken to the smelters and refined. Tanneries have started work. Electro-chemical concerns have established factories. A thousand and one industries have boomed. Cheap power has made a country.

Nerve Wrecked and Insomnious

Everything goes wrong, head feels heavy and dull, mind is filled with strange forebodings, stomach is out of kilter. You need a good tonic like Ferrozone to bring back your lost appetite and digestion, and cleanse the blood of all impurities. Ferrozone is a wonderful invigorant and strengthener that will banish gloomy depression and quickly restore you to a healthy, vigorous condition of mind and body. Nothing is so good for the sick, weary and debilitated as Ferrozone. Price 50c. per box, at druggists, or Polson & Co., Kingston.

Hamilton's Mandrake Pills cure Constipation.

HERE THIS EVENING

The Old Style Kilmarnocks Worn by the Visiting Scotchmen

The Scotch team, now in Canada, wanted to appear in old-fashioned Kilmarnocks. But this was not easy, as only one woman was found capable of knitting them. By working over-time for a few weeks, the supply was made equal to the demand, and each man departed for Canada, wearing a good old-fashioned Kilmarnock tam. The following are the names of the gentlemen comprising the party and clubs represented: Rev. John Kerr, Dirleton, Captain; R. Husband, Dunfermline; D. Provan, Craiglockart; H. Ballantyne, Peebles; R. Branwell, Upper Nithsdale; J. McGregor, Camperdown; H. Prain, Castle Huntley; Dr. Kirk, Bathgate; D. Murray, Airthrey Castle; M. Sanderson, Duddington; T. Simpson, of Mawcarse, Glencairn; J. Scott Davidson, of Cairnie, Hercules; A. T. Simson, Melrose; R. Johnston, Upper Annandale; W. Henderson, Kenochtry; A. E. Campbell, Gourock; Major Bertram, of Kersewell, Medwi; E. Gibson, Bigger; G. Deans Ritchie, Broughton United; R. Cousin, Merchiston; D. H. Gordon, Bathgate.

A Surprising Discovery

You will be surprised in trying Catarrhozone to find how quickly it cures cold in the head. The agreeable penetrating vapor traverses every air cell and passage of the nose, throat and lungs. In one breath it carries instant death to the millions of germs infesting the respiratory organs and breaks up a cold in ten minutes.

A trial will convince you that Catarrhozone is the most potent, satisfactory and pleasant cure for Colds, Catarrh, Deafness, Bronchitis, Asthma and Lung Trouble. Complete outfit, $1.00; small size 25c. Druggists or N. C. Polson Co., Kingston, Ont

Hamilton's Mandrake Pills cure Biliousness.

To Drive Out Canadian Cattle

Hon. Mr. Hanbury Congratulates the British Farmers Upon Their Freedom From Competition

London, Jan. 20—The Canadian Pacific officials here refuse to confirm or deny the report that the company is buying the Elder-Dempster Company's steamer Beaver for a fast Atlantic freight service. The Elder-Dempsters issue an official denial that the Beaver line will be purchased by the Canadian Pacific. My own enquiries prove that negotiations are undoubtedly afoot, but unconcluded.

Our Cattle Driven Out.

Hon. Mr. Hanbury's last speech congratulates the British farmers that their chief rivals, Canada, the United States, and Argentina, are relinquishing the live meat trade in favor of the dead. As regards Canada, she claimed exceptional treatment. While Britain will always do what she could to assist the British colonies on any question, disease must be primary consideration.

The Curlers.

A Scottish correspondent, writing to the Pall Mall Gazette, says the reason why the Scottish curlers in Canada have not won many matches is that the team is essentially of a scratch order. A combination of important and crack clubs' men would probably do better. Canadian conditions are against the Scotchmen who take some time to find the pace on the ice. A picked Canadian team would likely fare badly in Scotland.

Trinity College School

It is now stated on the authority of Rev C. J. Boulden himself, that no offer has been made to him by the Port Hope authorities in regard to accepting a position in Trinity College School. This being the case, there is nothing in the report that he had refused such an offer.

A SPLENDID PROPOSITION

Presented to the Canadian Public by the Electric Spark Gold Mining Company

We call the special attention of investors to the announcement of the Electric Spark Gold Mining Company, which appears in this issue. Mr. Mitchell is the local fiscal agent of the company, and would be pleased to supply information regarding this splendid proposition to investors. The company is under capable management, the officers being men of stability and worth, known throughout the country as prudent, successful business men.

The property of the company is known to be exceedingly rich, and big dividends are certain to those who invest now.

CARPET TEA

The Ladies of the Y. M. C. A. Has Charge of the Event

A carpet being needed for one of the rooms in the Y.M.C.A. building, the ladies devised the novel scheme of a "Carpet Tea" to pay for it. Tea was served yesterday in the building, beginning at four o'clock, and many took advantage of the occasion to have a pleasant time, and also assist the ladies in their laudable undertaking. Cake, oysters, etc., were also served, and by payment of five cents additional, a person was allowed to vote as to which of the handsome carpets on exhibition was his choice. The carpet securing the highest number of votes was chosen. The ladies secured a good patronage, and the affair was very successful.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT

A Lengthy Programme Arranged for the Coming Session

Parliament is booked to meet early in March. The coming session will be one of the most important since confederation and will probably last for six months or over. Among the important questions to be considered are atriff, the fast Atlantic service, the redistribution bill, the report of the Colonial Conference delegates, the Railway's Commission bill, the Telephone bill, the Cattle Guards bill, the Grand Trunk Pacific bill, granting of railway subsidies for the years 1901-2 and 1902-3 and the prospect to further extend the Intercolonial. From this partial synopsis it can be seen that Canada's legislators have a busy season before them.

A. O. U. W.

Peterborough Lodge, No. 135 Have Their Officers Duly Installed by Bro Mulholland

At the last regular meeting of Peterborough Lodge 135, Ancient Order United Workmen, held January 13th, the following officers were duly installed by Bro. Mulholland, P.M.W.:

Bro. Henry Williams	P. M. W.
" J. J. Turner, jr.	M. W.
" Wm. R. Snow	Foreman.
" John R. Reid	Overseer.
" T. G. Gillespie	Recorder.
" A. A. Oke	Financier.
" Wm. Barrie	Treasurer.
" George Lacheur	Guide.
" Ivey	Inside Watchman.
" John Frost	Outside Watchman.
" J. J. Turner	Representative to Grand [Lodge.
" James Mulholland	Alternate.

THE ACKERMAN STRIKE

The Men Quit Work Yesterday Afternoon —May Return This Morning

The public are already familiar with the trouble at Mr. B. F. Ackerman's Harness Factory a few weeks ago, which was ventilated in the Police Court. Although the matter was disposed of there, it does not seem to have been satisfactory to the employees. Some of them stated to The Times that a petition was presented to the management, signed by almost everybody in the shop, asking for the discharge of the employee hwose presence caused the previous trouble. This was done, the men claim, not because he was a non-union man, but on account of personal objections, irrespective of the question of being a member of the union. This petition was not favorably received, and the man was continued in the services of the firm. Consequently a committee was appointed to wait on Mr. Ackerman. This was done yesterday afternoon, but as Mr. Ackerman declined to dismiss the employee in question, about forty men walked out at three o'clock yesterday afternoon.

When seen by The Times, Mr. Ackerman stated that since then the employee in question had voluntarily departed, and he thought probably the other men would be back at work to-day.

Paine's Celery Compound

Will Banish Your Neuralgia

READ THE SURONG TESTIMONY OF A GENTLEMAN WHO FAILED WITH DOCTORS AND ORDINARY MEDICAL PRESCRIPTIONS

Neuralgia, rheumatism and a general "rundown" condition result directly from an impoverished and famished nervous system.

Paine's Celery CCompound quickly corrects this faulty condition. Being a true nerve food and nourisher, it builds up the nervous system and fully sustains it. While Paine's Celery Compound is working at the root of disease, (the nerve centres) bracing and building up the weakened and irritated parts and purifying the blood, neuralgia, rheumatism and poisons are expelled forever from the system. Dr. Phelps' wonderful prescription is carrying health and happiness into thousands of homes; it is what you need for your present troubles; it makes sick people well and strong. Mr. William Conley, West Bolton, Que., writes as follows -

"I have had several attacks of neuralgia. It kept on increasing—getting worse, and I tried all the doctors for help, and took all kinds of medicine, and I got so at last that I could not sleep at night. I saw an advertisement of Paine's Celery Compound, and I went and got a bottle, and it cured me of all pain, and I can now rest as well as ever before in my life. I would not be without Paine's Celery Compound if I had to pay fifteen dollars a bottle for it."

LORENZ AT WORK IN LONDON

Shows His Method of Bloodless Surgery Before Many Surgeons

London, Jan. 19—Prof. Lorenz demonstrated his bloodless surgical operations at the Orthopedic Hospital here today. Before his arrival about fifty letters had been received asking for treatment for children. One woman offered to pay the professor 200 guineas and to give 100 guineas to the hospital if he would treat her child who was suffering from this disease.

The doctor treated three patients—two girls of 7 and a boy of 8. Hundreds of surgeons and physicians witnessed the operations.

SAW TRAIN KILL HER HUSBAND

Dr. H. B. Tingley of Rockaway Missed His Footing and Fell Under Wheels

New York, Jan. 19—Dr. Herbert B. Tingley, one of the best known physicians in the borough of Queens, was killed at Hollands station of the Rockaway Beach railroad yesterdayy afternoon in the sight of his wife and their seven-year-old daughter. Dr. Tingley lived within sight of the railroad station at Hollands. As the 2.51 o'clock train drew into the station on the way to Rockaway Park. His office boy helped him on with his coat and he dashed across to the train, which was just getting under way.

From a window his wife and daughter watched him as he attempted to swing himself on the first car. He missed his footing and fell under the wheels and the lower part of his body was horribly mangled.

Mrs. Tingley dashed frantically out of the house toward the station, but before she had gone half way she fell in a swoon. While train hands were lifting the doctor's body from under the train, neighbors carried Mrs. Tingley back to her home.

Dr. Tingley was wealthy.

CHINESE LABOR IN TRANSVAAL

A Note of Warning Sounded in Regard to the Growing Evil

London, Jan. 18.—The London Times' Johannesburg correspondent says the people of the Rand hope every care will be taken not to adjust the present difficulties at the expense of the future and so lay up for the country a debt more serious than the monetary contribution wherefore posterity may ever anathematize the present generation. "I refer," says the correspondent, "to the introduction of Chinese labor which is being earnestly canvassed. Under existing circumstances the demand for Chinese labor may well seem irresistable, especially if the mining industry is to meet its obligations, but it is well to sound a note of warning regarding the Chinese laying up for our descendants a heritage of misfortune."

London, Jan. 18.—The suggested introduction of Chinese labor for the Rand mines excites such criticism and opposition here. It is safe to say that no decision has yet been arrived at by the Government on the subject.

WONDERFUL RESULTS

From Taking Dr. Clarke's Wonderful Little Red Pills

Editor of the Morning Times:

Sir,—I feel it a duty I owe to my fellow sufferers to say that after 12 year of indescribable torture from indigestion and debilitated constitution, I am now, believe, thoroughly well. I spent hundreds of dollars seeking relief that never came, until I tried Dr. Clarke's Wonderful Little Red Pills, 12 boxes of which did the work. *I am now in perfect health*, and want the world to know what cured me. E. S. Smith, St. John's, Newfoundland.

Chas. Richie writes: "I believe if I had not been for Dr. Clarke's Little Red Pills I would have now been in my grave, as I was a long sufferer from stomach troubles. They are the greatest remedy on earth."

Dr. Clarke's Little Red Pills are a positive and certain cure for rheumatism, asthma, paralysis, coughs, lame back, indigestion, all stomach and liver troubles, female complaints, even when the diseases have been standing for many years; the most stubborn cases will yield. Sold by Ormond & Walsh, Peterborough, price 25c. per box.

The Medical Barber

The ambition of Yankee barbers keeps step with the swift forward march of their learned profession. Every year candidates are submitted to a severer examination and required to show a greater amount of scientific and technical proficiency. The members of the Chicago Barbers' Protective Association will not rest until barbers become doctors of medicine. In old days the barber was a surgeon. Now he seeks to be a medical specialist, devoting himself to "facial nerve troubles." The snake of Aesculapius still twines around the barber's pole. It is right that the barber should seek to recover his ancient honors. It is still not uncommon to find canary birds in barbers' shops, singers that recall Apollo Aesculapius or Apollo Pean, the healer and the minstrel. The good old custom of keeping lutes, violins or other musical instruments for the use of the barbers clients is obsolete, we believe; but we like to remind the barbers of the high origins and traditions of their honorable art and mystery. In Canada the barbers are already wise in their day and generation, and in Peterborough they are regarded as encyclopaedias of knowledge and information, and never begrudge the time to impart it, either.

—On exhibition in the Times Bookstore window there is a beautiful picture of "His Holiness, Pope Leo XIII." This picture is the same as agents are selling around town and through the country for 75c. Our price while they last is only 35c. Frame to be extra. Order early to secure a copy.

KRUGER IN SOUTH FRANCE LIVING LIFE OF A HERMIT

Seeks No One, Goes Nowhere, Looks Sick and Thoroughly Disheartened

Mentone, France, Jan. 20— Paul Kruger, once called the "Lion of South Africa," now old, sick and disheartened, is living very quietly in Mentone—so quietly, in fact, that he might be at Utrecht for all Mentone knows about him. He looks old, sick and discouraged.

The Boer ex-President has taken the two villas Gems, side by side, on the high road facing the sea in the Grar van quarter. They are unpretentious, not to say mean, in their proportions and contain but few rooms.

One cottage is occupied by Mr. Kruger and his suite; the other by his daughter, Mrs. Eloff, with her husband and family.

He has been outside the garden only once since he arrived. Then he drove in a closed landau to Castellar. But sometimes he sits on his balcony and smokes.

Although he never goes to any place of public worship, devotional exercise and Bible reading take up the greater part of each Sunday.

Dr. Leyds has not been to Mentone and there is no probability of his coming.

A widely known American woman, residing in Nice drove over one day and asked to see "Oom Paul" but was told that he was ill. She said she was anxious to express her sympathy with him on the loss of his wife. A few days later she received a letter, stating that Mr. Kruger would be pleased to see her later in the season.

A Bathing Costume.

Montrose considered the summer plans of his family settled and that bother away behind him once and for all, when his spouse suddenly jarred him by announcing: "George, I must have a new bathing costume this year." It is hardly worth recording that he grunted and replied to the effect that she'd better have it, then:

"What color do you think would be nice?" asked Mrs. M. Again he grunted, and advised her to have anything she liked. "I was thinking of white," she said, and when he laid down his paper she added, "There is a new material, a kind of sacking with a very coarse mesh. It's very pretty, and lets the water right through without clinging at all. A bathing costume that clings is so uncomfortable. Heavy awning cloth is nice, too. That comes a pretty little red stripe on white. Would you like that?"

His voice was awestruck as he returned: "What on earth do you want to get yourself into a white bathing dress for?"

"I want to get into it 'on earth,' to go into the water!" Somehow the idea of a new bathing dress made her feel gay and clever.

"Yes," said he, scornfully, "one with big meshes that lets the water through, but not big enough to let you through! My dear Marian, this is all nonsense! Why have a bathing costume at all?"

She hates him when he calls her Marian, and she answered with energy: "I would have a *bathing costume* because it would be indecent to bathe without one."

"Well, why bathe?"

"George!"

"There is the tub."

"I am not talking about the tub. I am talking about the seashore."

"No, you are talking of white bathing dresses with big meshes. Are you losing your mind, Marian?"

"I must be to discuss any matter of taste with you! What is your idea of a bathing dress?"

"For a person like you, something suitable, modest and useful."

"My dear George, you first saw me in a white silk bathing dress with lace on the edge and gold buttons."

"One reason I married you was to exercise some control over your wardrobe, and I shall not have my wife appear in —"

"Didn't I look well?"

"That has nothing to do with the matter—now."

His emphasis on the "now" was bloodcurdling, but she was not warned, and began:

"Do you mean to say that I—"

"You weighed 135 then and were five years younger than you are now."

That was too much! "George Montrose," said she, "I shall have a white bathing dress, the biggest mesh I can find, and—and—I shall not go bathing without it. There!"

And George does not know whether she will or will not, but abundant precedent makes him uneasy.

It Couldn't be Worse.

Mrs. Mellem is one of those inoffensive persons who are continually dreading that they may, by some mischance, hurt the feelings of others. Added to this, she has had considerable trouble in getting a suitable cook, and does not wish to offend her.

"John," she said to the man-servant, on the morning following the party, "do you happen to know whether—that is—I mean, can you find out, without asking the cook, whether the tinned salmon was all eaten last night? You see, I don't wish to ask her because she may have eaten it, and then she would feel uncomfortable," added the good soul.

"If you please, ma'am," replied the man, "the new cook has eaten the tinned salmon; and if you was to say anything to her you couldn't make her more uncomfortable than she is."

"Poor man!" said the lady visitor, addressing one of the inmates of the insane asylum, "don't you often feel very sad to be shut up here?"

"Oh, no," the patient answered. "The lunatics who come to look at us are generally very amusing."—Chicago "Record-Herald."

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CURE FOR CONSUMPTION

Some time ago King Edward initiated a competition with a view to obtaining in concrete form the best exposition of the modern idea of the most perfect means of carrying out the open air treatment for consumption and His Majesty's advisory committee has awarded the prize for an "Essay for the erection of a Sanatorium in England for Tuberculosis," to Dr. William Lathan, London, England, who has associated with him, as architect, William West, of London. The Daily Mail thus condenses Dr. Lathan's paper:—

Ever since Koch's discovery (1882) of the infective micro-organism of tuberculosis, it has been manifest, as previously foreshadowed by others, that it was a curable disease, but the method of cure still remains, as it does of many other diseases the cause of which is known, beyond our ken. That the open-air treatment is the ultima Thule of the therapeutics of the condition no modern pathologist will allow, but that it is a distinct advance, long delayed, beyond the two recent days of treating consumptives like tropical orchids all must admit.

It must not be *forgotten* that tuberculosis occurs in all parts of the body, and in different forms—that is, in different degrees of severity and resistance to all treatment. In many parts its eradication by surgical means is safe and in most cases certain, but its occurrence in the lungs is the bugbear of the public and medical profession alike, and it is to benefit such cases that the present open-air treatment is advocated.

The "sanatorium" treatment is no new thing, but since Hermann Brehmer opened the first sanatorium in 185[illegible] little or nothing had been done in this direction until recent years, although his opinions still hold good in the main. Brehmer's dictum practically amounted to this—a disease contracted could be best cured by placing the patient in conditions under which those who lived did not contract such disease; in other words, place a consumptive patient under conditions inimical to the tubercle bacillus and you will do your best to cure him of his disease. Brehmer insisted that pure air was the desideratum.

The authors of the essay under review practically follow Brehmer's teaching, and enunciate the principles of treatment as follows:—

1. A continuous supply of pure fresh air, with no unnatural variations of temperature.
2. The avoidance of re-infection and of all sources of irritation such as dust.
3. Good nourishing food in sufficient quantity to establish and maintain the normal weight of the patient.
4. Constant supervision by a skilled physician, who so orders the patient's life that he avoids everything which is harmful, and takes advantage of everything which helps the process of repair and develops the powers of resistance.

The conditions by which these principles should be carried out are ably discussed, and the buildings necessary are described and illustrated by plans. The architectural part of the essay deals with every subject necessary—lighting, drainage, disinfection, etc.,—and arrangements are made for patients in varying stages of disease necessitating modifications of treatment.

THE COAL SITUATION

There is a good deal of hard feeling among people who have to buy coal at $11 to $12 a ton—and get it then only as a favor. Many are the allegations made that coal is "held back" and the dealer and mine operator are much assailed. This is largely due to a misapprehension as to what the situation is. The evidence produced at the inquiry goes to show that at no time in the winter season can the mine output meet the demand; that stocks at the mines and distributing centres have to be drawn upon for supply. The strike of last fall, with the restriction placed upon the output for some time before, lead to a famine condition. The mines, barring a good many holidays, have been worked to their capacity since the resumption of work, but cannot make good the shortage of five-twelfths the output. The railways have done their best to carry coal as needed, and the operators, with the exception of a few independent concerns have fixed the price but 50c. higher than before the strike. As in all times of scarcity middlemen get all they can, but local operators have to do the best possible under the circumstances. Consider these things and don't be too hard on your coalman.

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Kingston, Ont., Jan. 18.—The liquor men here are not pleased over the way business was handled in regard to the late referendum campaign. There was $3,000 subscribed, and some of the subscribers are shouting at the wasteful way some of the funds were disposed of, and particularly the payment of a fine of a personator. They also charge that the money supposed to have been expended in certain subdivisions had not been given out. Explanations are besought.

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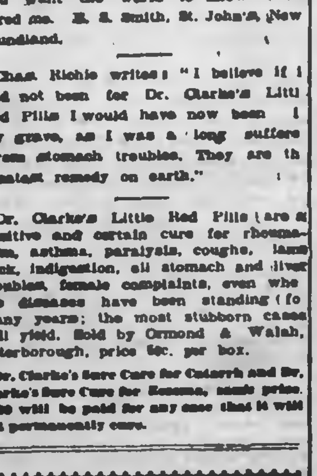

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"Thank you," said Hilda, with her sweet, bright smile.

The earl smiled graciously on his granddaughter. He was pleased at her cordiality to the beautiful young visitor to whom he had taken an unaccountable fancy. Others noticed that he was charmed with her. It did not seem strange to him. He thought he liked her simply because she had been raised with Florence, his granddaughter. He did not consider the fact that he really despised Mr. Aylesworth, who loved Florence so well, and who had reared her much better than he did his own child.

"The first thing I have thought of," went on Florence, quickly, "is to take you for a row on the lake. I remember you always loved to go on the water. This will delight you. The lake is so pretty with the willows fringing its banks, and the water-lilies on its breast. You may see it shining through the trees yonder."

"It is beautiful," said Hilda, turning her dark eyes on the silvery sheet of water. "I think I should enjoy a row very much."

"Let us go, then," smiled Florence. "Grandpapa, will you come with us, or will you excuse me for carrying dear little Hilda off?"

"Dear little Hilda," smiled at the honeyed speech. She had grown half a head taller than Florence in the year of their separation.

"I will sit down with Lady Leigh," said the earl, indulgently. "I am quite sure you two are dying to get together and talk over your girlish secrets."

The blonde and burnette walked away, and Cecil Courtenaye watched them with secret longing.

"May I come with you?" he asked, and Florence threw a bright, dazzling, coquettish smile over her shoulder.

"No," she replied. "I will not let you go to-day to punish you for not bringing me the water-lilies yesterday."

"At least we can follow after them, and admire their beauty from a distance," said Sir Wilfred, laughing; "let us walk in the park, Cecil."

They sauntered leisurely on, and Florence did not notice that they were coming.

"Dear Cecil!" she said to Hilda, with a pretty air of shyness. "He is never happy unless he is following me like my own shadow, but yesterday he was down at the lake and forgot to bring me some lilies, so, to punish the handsome fellow, he shall not come with me to-day. I intend to bestow my whole time on you, my dear, undisturbed by his irrepressible love-making."

"Does Mr. Courtenaye live at Locksley Hall?" asked Hilda quietly.

"Yes," said Florence, unblushingly. "He goes up to London often — all young men of fashion do, you know —but his home is with us. He will inherit the title after my grandfather. Locksley Hall will belong to him, then."

"It is a beautiful home, I should think you would be sorry to leave it when that time comes," said Hilda, innocently.

Florence tossed her head.

"Grandpapa's death will make no difference as to my going or staying," she laughed. "Locksley Hall will be my home always. I shall stay here, then, with—Cecil."

Hilda turned her large dark eyes on the flushed, triumphant face of the fair dissembler.

"Are you engaged to him?" she asked, with her pretty straightforwardness.

"Just as good," answered Florence, coolly. "Cecil has not formally proposed for me yet, but— we understand each other. You see, Cecil will inherit the title, but my grandfather's fortune comes to me. All the family, including Cecil himself, desire that we should marry each other."

"And you?" asked Hilda, composedly.

"Oh! I am quite willing. He is the handsomest man I know, and then, poor fellow, so much in love! It makes him appear quite shy and awkward, I declare! Hilda, are you engaged to Sir Wilfred?"

The red hot blood flushed up into Hilda's olive cheek.

"No, I am not," she replied. "I never dreamed of such a thing! Why do you ask me, Florence?"

"Oh! no matter. I fancied so. He looked at you as if you belonged to him. And Cecil thinks so, I am sure. He told me so, and said that if it were true it would be a splendid match for a girl in your position. Oh! here we are at the lake, darling. This is my boat with the golden letter and the blue satin cushions. Is it not lovely? Jump in, Hilda. We shall have a splendid row, and bring back a bunch of water-lilies. I will do the rowing. You shall fold your hands and dream."

They made a lovely picture in the dainty little boat—the fair blonde and the starry-eyed brunette. Sir Wilfred and Mr. Courtenaye lingering unobserved beneath the trees, watched them with delight. Lady Florence bent to the oars; her round cheeks flushed with exercise, her lips curved with a charming smile as she talked to Hilda, who sat very still, her white hands loosely folded over a water-lily in her lap, whose rich, dark, glistening green leaves looked lovely against the background of her white dress and the whiter flower.

Hilda did not look quite so careless and happy as Lady Florence. The inky fringe of her lashes drooped low upon her cheek, and her crimson lips were set in a grave little line.

Sir Wilfred and Cecil Courtenaye lingered near the lake, watching the two lovely girls, and listening to the soft, musical ripple of words and laughter that the summer breeze wafted to them across the water.

Cecil did not have much to say. He had asked Sir Wilfred to tell him how he had found Hilda, and the baronet had only laughed, and said that it was Hilda's own secret, and he could not tell him now, but perhaps she would tell him herself sometime.

The baronet was disposed to be very chatty and agreeable, but Cecil was moody and taciturn. All his thoughts were centered on the dark-eyed girl in the boat with Florence.

While the baronet was looking at the beautiful, sportive deer bounding beneath the trees, Cecil went nearer

To be Continued.

SECURE A PENSION

Imperial Government Will Aid Friends of Those Who Lost Life in War

Ottawa, Jan. 18.—A militia order has been promulgated with the imperial pensions. The order reads as follows:

"His Majesty's government has been pleased, under a royal warrant, dated 8th August, 1902, to make provision for the granting of pensions to the widows and children of N. C. officers and men of colonial forces (other than those raised in South Africa), who have, since the 11th of October, 1899, been killed in action, or have died of injury or disease contracted during active operations in the field in connection with the South African war, 1899-1902. All applications for pensions should be forwarded to the adjutant general, militia headquarters, Ottawa, and should be set forth, clearly whether the persons making application are acting on their own behalf, or as guardians of motherless children. All claims will be investigated, and pensions awarded, provisionally by a board to be assembled at militia head-quarters, Ottawa, composed of Col. B. H. Vidal, deputy adjutant, president; Mr. J. W. Borden, accountant, department of militia and defense."

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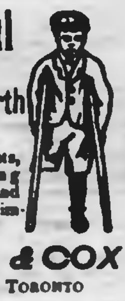

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STOCK MARKETS

WHY FURTHER INPROVEMENT MAY BE EXPECTED

At present all influences favor a better market. Manipulation is responsible for a tiresome one for a few days past. Intrinsic conditions will bring renewed strength; there is very little reason, in fact,—none, for anticipating any further declines. There is a short interest in the market of considerable proportions. Foreign situation and that of our New York banks is improving and money is becoming more plentiful daily, consequently easier and more obtainable. Everything justifies the purchase of good stocks. Considerable effort has been put forth by the floor traders to depress the market and they have veered to the short side. Outside buying has been kept at bay by the possibility of success crowning the efforts of bear tactics. They will come in when these traders give up their bearish efforts as they will be compelled to do. The money trouble is behind us, instead of ahead of us, and we are daily getting further away from a renewal of same. The wiseacre directing the present speculation the past week checked a budding speculation for the future market in-terest, which was their own interest inasmuch as they are carrying a large amount of stocks and consequently do not care for the advantage of a day, which might be paid for by the loss of a month.

London has been buying stocks. Grain shipments have fully doubled. Bills are appearing against them in the exchange markets. The past week with its continuous attempts to reach the market has merely curtailed operations and lessened the offering supply of stocks. To get them in any quantity the buyers have to bid up the market. To sell the market down at present simply lessens the supply and increases the short interest. Advances bring activity, concessions bring dullness and a falling off in the volume of business. The logical and only deduction that can be drawn from these facts is that any market at all will be at the enhancement of values and not at their expense. We note a steady influx of small cash buyers who are making purchases paying in full for their shares and locking them up. This kind of buying will drain the supply and make the bear position most untenable. It is advisable to follow the influences effecting prices or likely to effect them. It is unwise to combat them. Present influences warrant an advance.

Summary—Wall Street resumed business this morning in a more or less haphazard and listless manner. Stocks were more or less dull but exceedingly strong. Copper ran up above 65, then receded. Other industrials kept within narrow limits. C.O. ran up a point and one-half and looks like an excellent purchase. Atchison showed indications of being gathered in prior to an advance. Railways all advanced a trifle then fell off. Reactory tendency was noticeable in coalers and R. I. Looks like the encouragement of a fresh short interest. Buy upon the dips; and don't look for any material concessions. The buying of Republic Steel and Car foundry continued and was most excellent in character. Money closed 6 per cent. Sales 528,900.0

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OFFICIALS SENT TO JAIL

Carried Straw Men on Pay Rolls and Divided Swag

Belleville, Ill., Jan. 18.—The trial of E. F. Vanderburg, Mayor; Wm. H. West, City Clerk; and John Stryckiin, Commissioner of Streets of the City of Brooklyn, Ill., charged with malfeasance in office, and a conspiracy to defraud the city, which has been on in the St. Clair County Circuit Court for the last four days, came to an end Friday night, when the jury returned a verdict finding all three men guilty as charged.

Vanderburg was given two years in the Chester Penitentiary, and a fine of $500. Stryckiin received one year and was fined $250, and the punishment of West was left with the court.

The indictment charged that Stryckiin had carried a number of straw men on his pay roll for several months, with the knowledge and will of Vanderburg and West. Orders would be drawn on the treasury for pay for these men, and Stryckiin would then, according to previous agreement, divide up the money equally with his co-operators in crime. It was also found upon investigation that the trio of officials had raised warrants, and by other systematic schemes had defrauded the City of Brooklyn out of several thousands of dollars.

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The visiting curlers will receive a royal welcome to the best town in Canada. They will be met at the station by the curlers and the 57th Band, and escorted through the principal streets, and then to the Snowden House. At eight o'clock the games in the rink will take place, after which, they will be entertained in the Oddfellows' Hall. Wednesday morning they will be shown around the town, and in the afternoon the concluding games will be played.

They will take a run up to Lindsay at 4.30, and on their return will proceed to Toronto.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. J. K. Kilbourne was in Toronto yesterday.

—Mr. R. R. Hall was in Toronto yesterday on legal business.

—Mr. J. T. Wright, of Ashburnham, was somewhat indisposed yesterday.

—Mr. T. H. Gemmell, of the Guelph Dye Works, is in town on business.

—Mrs. John Doxsee, of Saginaw, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. Fair.

—Miss Minnie Cook, who has been spending some months in Saginaw and Detroit, has returned to Peterborough.

—Miss Edith Robinson, Omemee, is the guest of the Misses Knox, Queen street.

—Mr. Thomas Kelly left yesterday on a three weeks' trip to the Temiscamingue country.

—Mr. Wm. Holden, of Vancouver, B.C., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Geo. Cook, Ashburnham.

—Mrs. M. Nelson, of Lakefield, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. McWilliams, No. 271 Park street.

—Mr. "Yebby" Flaherty's many friends are pleased to see him out again after his recent illness.

—Mrs. R. S. Davidson has gone on a three month's visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Menzies, Oklahoma.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sims left town on Saturday, on a months visit to their son and friends in Campbellford.

—Rev. J. W. McMillan, of Lindsay, will be inducted pastor of St. Andrew's, Winnipeg, on Thursday, February 26.

—The many friends of Mr. Thomas Sisson will regret to hear of his being suddenly stricken with illness a few days ago, and will wish him a speedy recovery.

—Mr. John H. Smith, of Ashburnham, has been seriously ill for the past two weeks, but was reported considerably better yesterday.

—Mr. J. A. Stewart, formerly of Otonabee, but now of Palmyra, N.Y., who spent Sunday and Monday here, started for home yesterday.

—Lieut.-Col. R. B. Edwards, Mr. J. D. Flavelle and Dr. Boucher will attend the luncheon in Toronto on Thursday to the Scottish curlers.

—Lindsay Post: Mr. Richard Sheehy, contractor of Peterborough, was in town this week studying the specifications for the granolithic walks contract. He will probably tender for the block of 45,000 feet.

—Toronto Star: St. George's church was the scene of a quiet wedding at eleven o'clock Saturday morning, when Mr. Roland Hugh Strickland, of Salt Lake City, son of Mr. Roland Strickland, of Lakefield, Ont., was married to Ada, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cayley, of 90 Beverley street. Rev. Canon Cayley, Rector of the church and uncle of the bride, performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate family and some intimate friends.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Post Office clock was enjoying a holiday yesterday.

—The Women's Auxiliary of St. John's will meet this afternoon.

—Brock street rink will be open for skaters this afternoon and evening.

—The annual tea in connection with Warsaw Methodist church was held last night.

—By to-night, it will be hard to tell what curlers are Scotch and who are not, by the way some of them are practicing "the dialect."

—Rev. W. W. McCuaig gave an interesting lecture at Charlotte street last night, on that most readable book, "The Man from Glengarry."

—William Hardy, a young man of Somerville Township, lies in a dangerous condition at the Ross Memorial Hospital, Lindsay. Last Friday while felling a tree he had the misfortune to have his back broken.

—The schools opened yesterday, but the attendance was not so large as usual. It is expected that the usual number will soon be in attendance. Dr. Bingham states that there is no cause for uneasiness, if people will obey the law and not be careless.

DID YOU EVER KNOW

That Improper Food Often Causes the Liquor Habit?

It's a great proposition to get rid of a taste for liquor by changing food.

"About three years ago," writes a man from Lowry City, Mo., "my appetite failed me, and my food disagreed with me. I got weak and nervous and felt dull and entirely unfit for business; then like a fool, I went to taking liquor to stimulate an appetite. For a time that seemed to help and I congratulated myself on finding so simple a remedy. But, alas! I had to take more and more all the time, until I got so that I could not get along without the whisky, and I was in a pitiable condition."

I tried to quit but that seemed impossible as I needed nourishment and my stomach rejected food and the more whisky I drank the worse I got. I kept fighting this battle for more than two years and almost gave up all hope.

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A LARGE CROWD WITNESS GAME

The Score at Half Time was 4 to 1 in Peterborough's Favor—The Home Team Could Not Stand the Pace in the Last Half

The hockey match last night between the local seven and the Port Hope Intermediates resulted in a win for the Port Hope team by a score of 6 to 5. The game was clean, fast, and hotly contested, both teams putting forth every effort to win, and the spectators witnessed the fastest and most exciting game of hockey played in Peterborough this season. About 2,000 people witnessed the game, including about 500 supporters of the Port Hope team who accompanied their team to cheer them on, and who shouted themselves hoarse. The Peterborough spectators fairly shook the iron girders in the rink as they became excited with enthusiasm at the many brilliant plays made by the locals, and when a goal was scored by Peterborough, the excitement raised to fever heat and the whole rink seemed to move. The ice was keen and in excellent shape for fast hockey. The Peterborough team played a more aggressive game during the first half, but the Port Hope seven put up a stubborn resistance throughout the match, and checked many an assault on the nets made by the Peterborough forward line. The Port Hope team were heavier than the local seven, but had not the speed and their combination was not up to that of the home team.

At 7.45 the teams lined up, and referee Hugh A. Rose gave the boys a word of advice.

At the face Morgan took the rubber for Peterborough, but was blocked by Port Hope, who made a rush on Peterborough nets, but was relieved by Armstrong, and after 1 minutes play Peterborough scored. The second went to Port Hope, Bunny scoring. In the first of the 3rd Port Hope made a couple of attacks on the Peterborough nets, but found it difficult to pass H. Armstrong or Cavanagh, who were taking everything that was coming down the ice. Cavanagh made a couple of rushes up the ice with telling effect. McCarthy went to the fence for 2 minutes for giving Graham the knee, and Whitcroft went shortly after for 2 minutes. Both teams were playing fast and clean hockey, but Peterborough's forward line proved too fast for the Port Hope forwards. Whitcroft, Graham and Armstrong made a number of attacks on the Port Hope net poured in shot after shot that were blockaded by Mercer in Port Hope's flags. Roach relieved and Crough stopped a hot one from McCarthy. Armstrong relieved and Port Hope brought up the rubber again, but Cavanagh secured the puck and rushed up the ice and shot repeatedly but Roach relieved after a scrimmage in front of Peterborough's net. Whitcroft took the rubber, rushed up the ice, passed to Graham, then back to Whitcroft to R. Armstrong who scored, leaving the score 2—1 in Peterborough's favor. Peterborough was playing much the faster game and seemed to have everything much their own way, their forward line playing good combination and seemed to be too fast for the Port Hope bunch. Whitcroft and R. Armstrong got in a pretty piece of combination play and Armstrong shot, but Mercer stopped and relieved. Graham secured the puck and rushed up the ice, and after a neat piece of combination from Graham and Morgan and Whitcroft to R. Armstrong who scored the 3rd goal for Peterborough. Score 3—1. In the fifth and last of the first half Peterborough went at it again and after a few minutes play R. Armstrong again took the rubber, and seeing an opening rushed up the ice passed McCarthy and Brown and scored. This finished the first half, Peterborough being in the lead by 3 goals. Score 4—1.

In the last half Peterborough lagged and could not keep the pace of the first half, which plainly showed that the short time they have had for practice was the cause of the result of the game. Port Hope scored the 6th goal and Peterborough the 7th. Port Hope was playing the more aggressive game, the Peterborough forwards seeming to be fagged. McMillan went to the fence for 2 minutes, but Port Hope took the rubber into Peterborough territory, but Cavanagh relieved. Roach lifted the puck back, and after a scrimmage in front of Peterborough nets, McMillan scored. Port Hope seeing that Peterborough was lagging went at the game more determined than ever. Roach and McMillan went off for two minutes, but Port Hope made a rush, Bunny scoring. In the ninth Port Hope made a number of attacks on Peterborough's goal, but Cavanagh and Armstrong relieved repeatedly, but the forward line failed to follow up, and Port Hope attacked again, Bunny scoring for Port Hope. The next two went to Port Hope, the score standing 6 to 5 at the finish.

The teams lined up as follows:

PORT HOPE.

Goal, Mercer; point, Roach; cover-point, Brown; forwards, Bunny, MacMillan, McCarthy, Matcheson.

PETERBOROUGH.

Goal, Crough; point, Cavanagh; cover-point, H. Armstrong; forwards, Morgan, Whitcroft, Graham, R. Armstrong.

Hugh A. Rose, of Toronto, refereed the game to the entire satisfaction of both teams.

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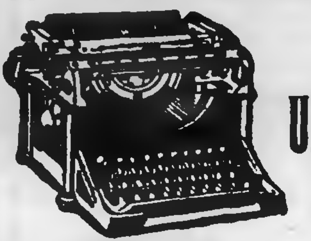

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THE NEW ASPECT OF THE IRISH QUESTION

The Indications Are That British Government Will Grant Concessions That Will Bring Peace To Emerald Isle

London, July 19—The Quarterly Review has a remarkable article on Ireland which illustrates the transformation of Tory opinion, silently wrought under the Unionist Administration. It does not contain threats of coercion nor an exposition of the justice of the redistribution bill, by which Ireland will be deprived of a considerable share of political influence at Westminster. It foreshadows a speedy settlement of the land question, which will exercise a beneficial effect on the Nationalist party and the working up of local government in Ireland, and equip the Irish people for taking a proper place in the federated Empire.

It takes up the human problem, formulated with lucidity in Matthew Arnold's "Irish Essays" and anticipates the softening of anti-English animosities which will follow the cessation of the land way. It credits George Wyndham, Sir Anthony MacDonnell, and the Lord Lieutenant with trying to be something different from what British rulers have been hitherto, and to convince the Irish people that, whatever else happens, Ireland will remain Irish.

Homilies like these in the moss grown Tory "Quarterly" are proofs that the predominant partner is prepared to take up the Irish question in a tolerant spirit and supplement the establishment of local administrative bodies with some form of extended Provincial government in conjunction with a comprehensive scheme of imperial federation.

It is contended that the Unionists who come into power as an anti-Home Rule party, will carry the new series of Irish questions into the next general election, whereas the Liberals will exclude them under Lord Rosebery's leadership. His vigorous speech at Plymouth did not contain a single reference to Ireland, though it was otherwise an effective indictment of the Government, with many counts. As he is unmistakably the only Liberal leader who can rally the Opposition at the next election, and is working arduously to that end, the omission is highly significant.

The Irish vote in England, unless all signs fail, will be thrown for the conservatives, but Lord Rosebery will have large accessions from the Unionist ranks in appealing to the country on the main issue of the inefficiency of the Government, which has increased enormously the burden of taxpayers.

CHINA IS NOW RIPE FOR MORE MISCHIEF

The Present Dynasty in Danger of Being Overthrown

Seeds Discord and Rebellion are Everywhere Scattered Throughout the Kingdom

London, Jan. 20—A correspondent of the London Standard, writing from Tien Tsin, notes the development of a policy in Chinese court circles which, he thinks, is destined to have serious consequences. The object of it is to "replace the Boxers by Manchus." For some time the influence of the Manchu statesman Yung Lu has been increasing rapidly, and now he has the entire confidence of the Dowager Empress. Latterly there has been incessant drilling among Manchu troops and special instructions have been sent to Manchu officials.

"All this," thinks the correspondent, "really means putting in motion two opposing forces, between which both the dynasty and China's independence stand a good chance of falling to the ground. Since the conquest of China by the Tartars, the Manchus have quietly fallen back into the apathetic condition from which they were temporarily aroused, and they have made but little real impression on the country outside of Pekin.

"Manchu officials have been scattered throughout the country side by side with Chinese, and their identity has been largely swallowed up by office. Put all this aside, place them in command of the army, 'because Chinese officials cannot be depended upon,' and a new era dawns immediately. Directly the true state of things becomes apparent the Chinese will rebel against the Manchu yoke, and then the tussle of Chinese versus Manchu troops begins." He adds that China, especially in the south and centre, is ripe for any mischief.

LONDON POST TAKES INTEREST IN CANADA

Value of Transcontinental Lines Set Forth in Long Article

SATURDAY REVIEW'S REMARKS

It is Evident That Capitalists Have Faith in Future of the Country

London Jan. 19—The London Morning Post devotes three columns with a map to "Prosperous Canada," with especial reference to new transcontinental railways.

In an editorial, the Post urges the importance of these lines in the general interests of the Empire, specially in view of the reduction in the cost of transport of wheat to the seaboard thus increasing England's assurance that Canada would be able to satisfy the entire British wheat needs.

The Saturday Review today, discussing the Grand Trunk's transcontinental railway project, assumes that the line will be independent of Government assistance in the form of either a land grant or a subsidy.

It says this is striking evidence of Canada's industrial progress and the confidence shown by capitalists in the future of the country.

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MOROCCO QUESTION MUST BE DEALT WITH

Britain and Spain and the Nations are Deeply Interested

WILL EUROPE TAKE HAND IN GAME

If So There May be Another War Cloud of Gigantic Proposition

London, Jan., 20—It is commonly assumed that when the Moroccan question is ripe for a definite settlement Spain will step in as the natural heir. Spain has already established herself at Ceuta and Melilla on the mainland and occupies the various islands along the coast between the Straits of Gibraltar and the Muluya River, near the French Algerian frontier. At one time it was believed that the German Government desired to acquire a coaling station for its ships at the mouth of this river, but it would appear that if it ever entertained this idea it has abandoned it, for it was recently announced that satisfactory assurances on the subject have been received from Berlin both by the French and Spanish governments. With regard to the Southern boundary of Morocco, starting inland from the Atlantic, a friendly understanding was come to some little time ago between France and Spain, in anticipation apparently of what is now occurring, and the only question that was yet undecided is the boundary between Algeria and the acknowledged Spanish sphere of interest in Morocco.

Italy has disavowed any territorial aims in Morocco, and there remains only Great Britain to consider in relation to the future disposal of the country.

It is here that the question becomes somewhat complicated. It goes back to the retrocession of Tangier by England to Morocco in the time of Charles II., when it came to the British Crown by the marriage of the King to the Infanta Catherine of Portugal, in May 1662. The cost of the occupation was so heavy that it was decided to give it up, and retrocession was made to the Sultan of Morocco, with, however, an important reservation. In this reservation it was stipulated that if ever the Moorish Sultan should cease to exercise authority over Tangier the British should have the right to re-occupy.

The question now is what attitude will be taken by Great Britain in the event of matters coming to a head in Morocco and what will be the attitude of the different Continental Powers should England assert this reserved right. Gen. Von der Goltz of the German army, no mean authority on such subjects, holds that Gibraltar would be useless to England if Spain should be found with the enemy in time of war. The return of Gibraltar to Spain as compensation for her acquiescence in the re-occupation of Tangier by Great Britain, would therefore seem a not unlikely nor inequitable exchange; and in the end one profitable to Great Britain, acquire a permanent trading foothold in Morocco, while Spanish pride would be flattered by the recovery of a territory whose occupation by a foreign power has been a source of constant humiliation to the Spanish people. It would, however, be more consistent with the historical policy of Great Britain to retain Gibraltar and assert her treaty right to reoccupy Tangier in the event provided for in the deed of retrocession.

TO MAKE PETERBOROUGH A CITY

Agitation in Favor of Annexing Ashburnham Rapidly Growing

The following, taken from the Toronto Star, were sent The Times by Mr. J. Alexr. Culverwell, a gentleman who is deeply interested in the development and progress of the town. The first is dated Jan. 17, and reads as follows:

"Peterborough people are much exercised at present as to the advisability of annexing Ashburnham, which lies across the River Otonabee, and is, geographically speaking, part of Peterborough, which would give a total population of 15,000. The water-powers at Peterborough, which so long lay idle, have been so developed lately as to have caused such an industrial growth as to increase the population over twenty per cent, the past two years.

"The progressive element seem bent upon not only annexing Ashburnham, but also in changing the town of Peterborough into the "City of Peterborough."

The second item appears in the same paper and reads:

Peterborough people are much exercised at present as to the advisability of annexing Ashburnham, which lies across the river Otonabee, and is, geographically speaking, part of Peterborough, which would give a total population of 15,000. The water-power at Peterborough which so long lay idle have been so developed lately that the consequent industrial growth increased the population over twenty per cent. the past two years.

The progressive element seem bent upon not only annexing Ashburnham, but having the town incorporated as a city.

THE LATE WM. CUMMINGS

Funeral This Afternoon at Two O'clock to Little Lake Cemetery

The death occurred on Monday of Mr. William Cummings, of Stewart street, Ashburnham, at the ripe age of 76 years. The deceased formerly resided in Ennismore, but removed here some years ago. The funeral takes place this afternoon at two o'clock from his late residence to the Little Lake cemetery.

Provincial Secretary's Dinner

The Provincial Secretary, Hon. J. R. Stratton, invited the following gentlemen to dinner in the Speaker's chambers at the Parliament buildings on Monday evening: Hon. Geo. W. Ross, Hon. J. M. Gibson, Hon. E. J. Davis, Hon. R. Harcourt, Hon. F. R. Latchford, Hon. John Dryden, Senator Cox, A. Cox, Senator L. Melvin Jones, Mayor Urquhart, Lieut.-Col. G. T. Denison, G. G. McPherson, K.C., of Stratford, W. Proudfoot, K.C., of Goderich; Hon. W. Harty, of Kingston; Hon. James Sutherland, of Ottawa; G. H. Watson, K.C., A. B. Aylesworth, K.C., Walter Barwick, K.C., W. D. Beardmore, W. D. Matthews, D. R. Wilkie, H. S. Strathy, A. E. Ames, E. R. Wood, Wallace Nesbitt, K.C., Z. A. Lash, K.C., H. H. Dewart, K.C., Dr. J. T. Gilmour, C. D. Warren, E. T. Malone, K.C., R. R. Hall of Peterboro', P. C. Larkin, S. H. Janes, W. R. Riddell, K.C., Judge Weller of Peterboro', Robert Jaffray, J. A. Macdonald, J. S. Willison, Elias Rogers, E. W. Cox, H. M. Mowat, K.C., R. R. Sheppard, Timothy Eaton, T. G. Blackstock, K.C., J. K. Kerr, K.C., Hugh Blain, J. R. Aitchison, Dr. John Hoskin, D. Coulson, R. A. Grant, B. E. Walker, William Mackenzie, D. D. Mann, F. B. Polson, E. F. B. Johnston, K.C., Lieut.-Col. Pellatt, Chas. McGill, J. W. Langmuir, W. J. Sheppard of Waubaushene; Frederick Nicholls, F. A. Anglin, J. B. Millar, N. W. Rowell, K.C., T. C. Irving, W. J. Boland, Dr. T. F. Chamberlain, F. Glackmeyer. The decorations were carried out in green, pink and white. All down the table was a beautiful centrepiece of glittering tulle, draped over delicate green satin, outlined by the feathery fronds of asparagus fern, just now so exquisite in its pretty soft green. The flowers were pink roses, shaded carnations, and white hyacinths, which were lovely against the sparkling centrepiece.

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Chicago, Jan. 20—A true bill was returned to-day against 45 coal operators and retailers, charging conspiracy to do an illegal act injurious to public trade. The indictments are against both corporations and individuals doing business in Illinois and Indiana. Bail was fixed at $1,500.

DEATH OF A MAINE VICTIM

One of Ill-Fated Battleship's Crew Dies Insane

Richmond, Va. Jan. 20—Unbalanced in mind, Wilmore Harris, jr., a young negro of Charles City county, died in his cabin home, near Wyanoke, Va., on Sunday, as the result of the explosion on the United States battleship Main in Havana harbor. Harris was one of two from this county who served on the Maine. He was in the hold of the battleship when the explosion came. He managed to grope his way up a ladder and sprang overboard into the bay. The experience crazed him.

LEAVING BRITAIN FOR THE STATES

A Demand for Measures to Divert Emigration to The Colonies

London, Jan. 20—While Canadian farmers organise expeditions to search the Old Country for much needed labor, and offer good wages to efficient men without a satisfactory response, official statistics show that British emigrants do not generally elect to make their home in the British colonies. Of 205,910 emigrants from this country last year, 106,501 went to the United States. This condition of things has induced one newspaper to declare that the future of the British race is imperilled by the drafts made upon it from the United States, and that the greatest and most beneficent work that British statesmen could perform for the welfare of the nation would be the inauguration of some scheme for redistributing the British people in the British Empire.

DIED OF SMALLPOX

Mother at His Bedside in Hospital Where Another Child is Ill

Toronto, Jan. 19—The second death in Toronto in twelve years from smallpox occurred at the Swiss Cottage Hospital yesterday, when little Willard Goodman, aged 2 1-2 years, the younger of the two children who were taken to the hospital from Church st. last Sunday, succumbed to the disease.

The remains of the little one, enclosed in an airtight metallic casket, were interred yesterday afternoon.

The other child, aged 5 years, is doing nicely. The mother of the children accompanied them to the hospital, where she has nursed them.

The first death during the twelve years was that of Dr. Little of Spadina avenue, which occurred in April, 1901.

The Goodman child contracted the disease from a waiter who roomed at the house. This waiter, it is said, contracted the disease in Cleveland, where there is much smallpox.

ADDRESS ON INDIA

Rev. J. Kilgour at Mark St. Epworth League Ashburnham

At the regular weekly meeting of Mark street Epworth League, held on Monday evening, the pastor of the church, Rev. C. L. Thompson, presided. After devotional exercises, Rev. J. Kilgour gave an extremely interesting address on "India." He referred to the various religions of the country, the different classes of people, their peculiar customs, the difficulties with which the missionaries had to contend, and told some thrilling stories of events that had occurred in that distant land, with its teeming millions of people. The lecturer drew many useful lessons from the facts as he presented them to a greatly interested audience. Those present were much helped by the reverend gentleman's address.

TO-DAY'S RACES.

A Large List of Entries for the 2.50 and the 2.20 Trot

For some days past horses with their trainers and owners have been arriving in Peterborough to take part in the Turf Club's Winter Races, which begin this afternoon at one o'clock.

The track is in splendid condition, and as the arrangements have been attended to in every detail, there will be some rare sport in store. The number of entries is large, so there will probably be some exciting finishes. To-day the 2.50 and 2.20 races will be contested, for purses of $150 each.

The purses are provided out of the funds of the association, no subscriptions having been solicited from merchants. Mr. Fred Peake, assisted by two others, will act as judge, and Mr. Sid Passmore will be starter. All these are paid officials, and will doubtless give good satisfaction to all.

EXTENDED SYMPATHY

A Resolution of Condolence from the Carpenter's Union to Mrs T. Croly and Family

The following resolution of condolence to Mrs. Thomas Croly and family upon the recent death of Mrs. Croly's husband, was unanimously passed at the last meeting of the Carpenters' and Joiners', and a copy of the same forwarded to the family:

Whereas it has pleased the Great Architect of the Universe to take from our midst our beloved brother, Thomas Croly;

Therefore, be it resolved that in the death of our esteemed brother the union has lost a faithful member, an honest and an upright brother; one who merited the respect of all who knew him; and be it further resolved;

That while we bow in humble submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well, we deeply regret the death of our friend and brother, and tender to the bereaved widow and family our sincere and heartfelt sympathy in their hour of sorrow and affliction; and further:

Resolved: That a copy be spread upon our minute book and also forwarded to the daily press of our town.

Signed on behalf of the Union,
W. J. JOHNSTON,
Secretary.

—Two girls desiring board, or furnished rooms without board, can be accomodated in a comfortable home, where no other boarders are kept. Only five minutes walk of the Post-office. Apply for address to Times Bookstore.

WILL SOUTH AFRICA BEAT CANADA OUT?

Strong Efforts Made to Turn Settlers There--A Big Union of Forces

There is a growing discontent among the emigration officials of Australia, New Zealand, and Canada, at the somewhat marked booming of South Africa by Mr. Chamberlain during his tour. The Government here is also spending large sums of money, while funds are being collected to assist emigrants to Africa. The fashionable world has taken the matter up and now it is quite the proper thing to subscribe to some emigration scheme for the new colonies. Fifty buxom girls are sent about weekly, and the tide of emigration has set in southward, hence the other colonies are suffering unfairly. The German Government are inaugurating a vigorous emigration policy, with the object of keeping Germans from going to other than their own colonies. An effort is being made to induce the Germans to go to German Southwest Africa and to Poland. Large subsidies are given to families so doing. This policy practically stops the Teutonic tide to the West. The effect of German scheme and the South African boom is already felt at the Canadian Emigration Office.

London, Jan. 20—There was a splendid special exhibition of bioscope pictures representing Canadian life and scenery at the Palace Theatre this afternoon. The views consisted of twenty-seven miles of films recently photographed by the Canadian Pacific Railway. Among those present were Lord and Lady Strathcona, the Agents-General for the various Canadian provinces and Australasian States and also the Duke of Argyle and a crowded audience.

C.P.R. Purchases Vessels

I have just interviewed Mr. Archer Baker, European Manager of the Canadian Pacific, who says: "We are negotiating for the purchase of several freight steamers from the Elder-Dempster Company. There was no intention of buying the whole line." Sir Alfred Jones admits that negotiations along this line have been going on.

Pres. Castro Makes an Offer

The Customs to be a Guarantee for Venezuela's Obligations to the Powers

London, Jan. 20.—That statement that Minister Bowen has been authorized by President Castro to offer the Venezuelan customs as a guarantee for the fulfillment of the country's obligations is confirmed. The offer has not yet been accepted, but it is thought here it may afford the opportunity for a withdrawal of the blockade. The matter will be considered by the European representatives at Washington on the arrival there of Mr. Bowen.

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PUBLIC LIBRARY

Annual Election of Officers and Committees and Sale of Periodicals

A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Public Library was held Jan. 19, for the purpose of electing officers. The following were chosen:

President—Dr. Burnham, (re-elected.)

Vice-President—T. Richardson, (re-elected.)

Secretary-Treasurer—J. Corkery, (re-elected.)

The old Board committees were re-elected as follows:

Library committee—Messrs. H. S. Macdonald, chairman; Robertson, English, Hill and Corkery.

Class committee—Messrs. Hill, chairman; Richardson, Hay, and Knapman.

Property committee—Messrs. English, chairman; Hay, and Corkery.

Finance committee—Messrs. Macdonald, chairman; Hill and English.

There was a fair attendance at the sale of periodicals by auction, which was conducted by Mr. C. Stapleton, and the usual prices were obtained.

A ROYAL RECEPTION TO THE SCOTCH CURLERS

The Scottish Carles Lickit by the Canada Leddies Last Nicht

Hurrah for Scotland's worth and fame,
A health tae a' that love the name;
Hurrah for Scotland's darling game,
The pastime o' the free, boys
While held an' heart an' arm are strang,
We'll a' join in a patriot sang,
And sing it's praises loud and lang—
The roarin' rink for me, boys.
Hurrah, Hurrah for Scotland's fame,
A health to a' that love the name;
Hurrah for Scotland's darling game;
The roarin' rink for me, boys.

There were great doings in Peterborough yesterday. Throughout the day, the town was plentifully sprinkled with the wearers of the tam, and devotees of the stane and besom were very much in evidence. Several enthusiastic curlers went east by the C.P.R. at noon to meet and welcome the visiting curlers from the land across the sea.

In the afternoon at the Charlotte street rink, all was life and bustle. "Sweep, sweep," was the familiar cry, and as each curler made a skillful or an unlucky play, "Well played" or "Too bad", with occasionally something stronger, would be the comment bestowed. Rinks were present from several outside places, including Orillia, Cobourg, Norwood, Keene, Port Hope, Uxbridge, Lakefield, etc. As the time for the arrival of the C.P.R. train drew near, the curlers, armed with brooms and accompanied by the 57th Regiment Band, marched to the station to extend "Caed mille failthe" to the sons of Scotia. And right royal was the welcome given. As the train rolled in, the music of the band and such cheers as only curlers can give, assisted by many hundreds of other citizens and the everywhere-present small boy, combined to give the visitors the feeling that we were glad they had come and that we wanted them to know it.

A procession was formed, headed by the band, followed by a long procession of curlers. Next came the conveyances with the Scottish curlers, civic officials, and other prominent citizens, followed by a hundred or more other curlers with brooms.

The procession proceeded up George street to Hunter, east to Water, north to Brock, west to George, south to Charlotte street, and then to the Snowden House where dinner was served in mine host Snowden's first-class style.

The dining-hall was beautifully decorated with Scotch flags, bunting, mottoes, etc. This was the work of Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons, and they certainly did themselves credit on this occasion, and showed themselves well deserving of the extended popularity which they enjoy as artistic decorators. The handsome decorations at the rink were also arranged by this live and progressive firm.

The bill of fare at the Snowden House was as follows:

Ox Tail Soup.
Corned Beef.
Ham with Champagne Sauce.
Prime Roast Beef. Horse Radish,
Spring Turkey. Cranberry Sauce.
Haunch of Venison. Currant Jelly.
Escalloped Oysters au Spaghetti.
Salmon Salad. Olives.
Tomato Chutnee. Worcester Sauce.
Heinz's Sweet Pickles.
Mashed Potatoes.
Sweet Corn. French Peas.
English Plum Pudding.
Hard Brandy Sauce.
Deep Apple Pie. Whipped Cream.
Lemon Pie. Strawberry Tart.
Charlotte Russe.
Mixed Cakes.
Layer Raisins. Walnuts and Almonds.
Green Tea. Coffee. Black Tea.
Dairy Cheese. Crackers.

After luncheon had been served at the Snowden House, Col. H. B. Edwards extended a hearty welcome to the Scotchmen and assured them of the great pleasure it gave the Peterborough and visiting curlers to have the privilege of meeting their brother curlers from over the sea.

Rev. John Kerr, of Dirleton, captain of the team, replied in eloquent terms on behalf of the visitors. He stated that it gave him great pleasure to reply, and to acknowledge such a royal welcome as they had received in Peterborough. He said while they had been receiving splendid welcomes at various places, they were not prepared to be met by a brass band and all the leading citizens of the town. He said even the very dogs in the streets seemed glad they had come. Scotland had appreciated very highly the action of Canada during the recent South African war, and the way in which Canadians had acquitted themselves in that campaign, and at the Coronation ceremonies. He said they had not come to give pointers but to get some and meet the Canadians. Captain Kerr is an eloquent and entertaining speaker, and was frequently interrupted by applause.

After this formal welcome had been extended, an adjournment was made to the rink, where the games were played as follows:

Ice No. 1.

Campbellford	Orillia
W. Haines	J. B. Tudhope
T. S. Tait	Geo. Thompson.
F. J. Smith	Dr. Ardagh
Chas Smith, sk....15	R. Wade, sk...11

Ice No. 2.

Cobourg	Scotland
P. McCallum	R. Husband
F. Field	A. T. Simson
H. Crane	R. Gibson
A. Trent sk...8	Provost Ballantyne sk...13

Ice No. 3.

Peterborough	Scotland
T. F. Matthews	Major Bertram
J. Cameron	Dr. Kirk
D. Davidson	R. Johnstone
W G Ferguson sk...11	R. Bramwell sk...6

Ice No. 4.

Peterborough	Scotland
D. W. Dumble	Major Davidson
Geo. Matthews	Captain Simson
J. Jeffries	Robt. Henderson
G. E. Whiten sk...12	G. D. Ritchie sk...5

Ice No. 6.

Kingston Scotland	Scotland
Dr. Hague	J McGregor
F. Shaw	Bentley Murray
Col. Drury	T. M. MacMillan
W. B. Dalton sk...14	H. Prain sk...4

After an adjournment to the Oddfellows' Hall, refreshments were served in the dining hall. The company then proceeded to the main hall, and were called to order by Mayor Roger, who presided, and extended a hearty welcome to the visiting curlers, hoping they would enjoy themselves while here, and carry away pleasant memories of Peterborough and Canada.

BELLEVILLE TO PLAY HERE FRIDAY NIGHT.

The T. A. S. To Play Bobcaygeon To-morrow Night

The T.A.S. will play their second home game of the T.V.L. to-morrow night the opposing team being the Bobcaygeon seven. This is the return match, the T.A.S. having defeated Bobcaygeon in their first game by 7 to 5. The line up of the T.A.S. will be as follows;

Goal, McCoy; point, Meagher; cover-point, Crowley; forwards, George, Parnell, McGrath, Lynch.

If the home team win the game to-morrow night from Bobcaygeon, and doubtless they will, they will have to dispose of Lakefield on Jan. 28th, which will place them winners of their district, having won out without losing a game, which is a creditable showing for a team so young at the game, this being the first season of their existence.

The Belleville seniors play the return match on the Brock street rink with the local seven on Friday night. A great game is expected, as Peterborough has still a fighting chance of winning the district. Should Port Hope defeat Belleville at Belleville, which they claim they will do, and Peterborough defeats Port Hope at the latter place, and win from Belleville here on Friday night, all three teams will be a tie. Then will come the struggle for supremacy.

The "Culls" play their first T.V.L. game at Fenelon Falls to-morrow night.

The Junior Colts go, to Cobourg tonight to play their return game with that team. Cobourg defeated the juniors here last week.

NORWOOD.

—Miss B. Foster has returned from Picton, where she was visiting her sister.

—Burglars entered Dr. J. C. Moffat's drug store on Sunday night last, and carried off about ten dollars in silver. They wisely refrained from carrying off any drugs.

—Several of our citizens were summoned to Toronto last week, to give evidence in the trial of Mr. Llewellyn E. Morrison. As the judge fell ill, the trial was postponed.

—Messrs. Buck and Walsh shipped a carload of cattle and hogs to the Matthews Company this week.

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—Misses G. Carter and E. Campbell have gone to Toronto to attend [illegible] and School.

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A RATHER NICE POINT

Hamilton Herald:—Judge Snider will be called upon to decide a pretty fine legal point in the action to unseat Jacob B. Binkley, of West Flamboro, as a member of the Wentworth county council.

Mr. Binkley was elected by acclamation. At the time of his nomination and election he was a school trustee. It is claimed by those who are trying to unseat him that his position as school trustee disqualified him for membership in the county council. Since his election Mr. Binkley has resigned from the school board, but that does not alter the fact that he was a school trustee at the time he was elected. Barrister Gywn, of Dundas, who is acting for Mr. Binkley's opponents, has advised them that Mr. Binkley is legally disqualified; but Mr. Binkley has obtained legal advice to the contrary and will fight the effort to unseat him.

The judge's decision will probably be based upon his interpretation of the term "municipal corporation." Section 80 of the municipal act enumerates the offices and occupations which disqualify for membership in "the council of any municipal corporation." In the list is the office of high school trustee. Last session this section was amended by adding the words "and no member of a school for which rates are levied. But Mr. Binkley's friends point triumphantly to an interpretation clause of the municipal act which reads as follows

> "Councilor" or "municipal councilor" shall not include a county councillor unless so expressed.

The claim that this interpretation clause is favorable to Mr. Binkley's case is strengthened by the divisional headlines of the municipal act. The subject of Disqualification is dealt with in Division II which contains four sections, 80 to 83, inclusive. The first divisional headline is, "For membership in any municipal council, sec. 80," and the second is "For membership in county councils, sec. 81." Thus the section under which the proceedings against Mr. Binkley are taken does not, apparently, deal at all with disqualification for membership in county councils, the disqualification for membership in county councils being specifically dealt with in section 81.

However, the phrase in section 80, "the council of any municipal corporation," would seem to be inclusive enough to embrace county councils. If Judge Snider decides the point in Mr. Binkley's favor the decision would mean that a county council is not the council of a municipal corporation, which would be an absurdity. But the judge would not be to blame for the absurdity. The fault is in the undigested, contradictory, elastic law.

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Brunette and Blonde

A ROMANCE.

and parted the willows that fringed the lake to look at the girls. He did not wish that they should see him, but he could not resist the temptation of gazing at the beautiful girl who had saved his life and treated him so scornfully afterward. He wondered how he could ever have talked about her so rudely as he did the first time he saw her.

How quickly has captious, faultfinding mood had changed to reverential admiration and love when she had rescued him at such terrible and imminent danger to herself, even while she despised him! And Sir Wilfred, who had recognized her worth at the very beginning, had won her— he felt almost sure of that.

What a lovely picture she made as he gazed upon her through the parted willows. Florence had stopped and was waiting while she gathered a bunch of water-lilies. Hilda was leaning forward toward a green bed of leaves, plucking the white flowers, while a smile of pleasure curved her scarlet lips. Florence was talking and laughing, but he could not hear what she said. They were out in the middle of the lake. On one side the water was shallow, and the lilies grew luxuriantly; on the other side, just beyond the little boat, it was deep and dangerous.

Suddenly, as Cecil gazed, he saw Florence take up the oars with a swift movement, and the little boat spun around with dangerous rapidity. Hilda, leaning forward and taken by surprise, lost her balance. She threw up her hands in a vain effort to steady herself— a minute later she was struggling in the deep water.

The baronet heard a scream among the willows that he never forgot to his dying day— it was so full of anguish. He plunged forward, and when he reached the bank he saw Cecil's coat and hat on the ground, and Cecil himself swimming with quick, desperate strokes toward the middle of the lake.

The baronet did not comprehend what had occurred at first, but when he looked across the lake and saw Florence sitting in the boat alone, a terrible fear convulsed his heart. He looked beyond, and saw a little dark head held desperately above the water, and white arms reached out an instant to clutch the edge of the boat. But the little boat shot away swiftly out of her reach as Florence impelled the oars with an unfaltering hand, though her face was deathly white with horror. She had heard Cecil's cry of alarm and anguish, and witnessed his frantic plunge into the water, and now she steered directly before him, and called out in an imploring tone:

"Come into my boat, Cecil. Poor Hilda has fallen out and is drowned, and you will be, too, if you don't take care."

Sir Wilfred saw Cecil put out one strong, white, indignant hand, and push the fairy little boat from him with such force that it bounded back like a feather. Then he swam past it swiftly toward the spot where at that very instant the dark head and white arms had gone down beneath the water. Florence clutched her oars tightly and rowed to the shore, where Sir Wilfred, without any ceremony, lifted her out of the boat and sprang in himself. Then he rowed desperately to his friend's assistance.

He was just in time. Cecil had dived down far below the waters, and had come up with the beloved form clasped in his arms. But his strength was almost spent.

Sir Wilfred drew them into the boat with some difficulty, and rowed back to the shore, where Florence crouched weeping and terror-stricken among the willows.

CHAPTER XVIII.

"In All the World There is no Pain Like It."

Sir Wilfred and Cecil Courtenaye sprang out of the boat and lifted Hilda's unconscious form reverently, laying her down upon the soft, green grass. Florence crept nearer and looked down upon the white face and closed eyes.

"Is she dead?" she asked, half fearfully.

"I cannot tell," said Sir Wilfred, briefly. "I wish you would go up to the hall, Lady Florence, and tell my sister and Mrs. Courtenaye to come down and bring restoratives."

He was kneeling on the grass, chafing the cold, white hands tenderly as he spoke, and Cecil Courtenaye had thrown himself upon the ground like one dazed with grief. But though he had bidden her go, Florence lingered as though she had not heard him.

"I do not see how Hilda could have been so careless, falling into the water that way," she said. "She was gathering some water-lilies, and she must have leaned too far out, I think, for the first thing I knew she was out into the water. I tried to save her, but I could not, and then I rowed out to Mr. Courtenaye when I saw him in the lake, too, thinking I might help him."

Cecil lifted his bowed head from the grass and looked at her. She shrank beneath the fiery scorn and anger of that look.

"Florence," he broke out, wrathfully, "do not perjure yourself. I was looking through the willows and I saw it all. She was leaning far out, and you whirled the boat around like a flash into the deep water before she could regain her balance. I believe, before Heaven, that it was intentionally done, and if Hilda Aylesford is dead, I will denounce you as her murderess."

Florence fell upon her knees, her jeweled hands clasped together, her face transformed by terror.

"Oh, Mr. Courtenaye," she wailed, "how can you say such cruel things! I swear to you it was an accident. Why should I have tried to drown Hilda, the sweet little girl, with whom I was reared, and whom I loved like a sister? You do not know what you are saying. Take back your unkind words, and, for Heaven's sake, do not breathe such a blasting suspicion against me to any one else."

Her tears, her terror, her consummate acting disarmed Cecil's suspicions of their keenest edge. He began to think that, after all, as she said, it might have been an accident.

"Perhaps I was wrong, Florence," he said, under the influence of the doubt. "If I am, I beg your pardon. But why did you row away so fast, and leave the poor girl to her fate?"

"I do not know. I was beside myself with terror, I suppose," Florence replied, with a shudder. "I did not feel so frightened at first. I knew that Hilda used to be an accomplished swimmer, and I thought she could save herself. But when I saw her

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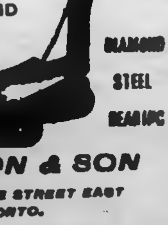

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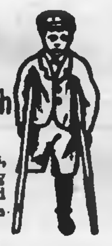

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ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
	100.00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

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2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 ton [illegible] above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

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OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

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July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000

or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6⅔ years........ $670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

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SOME SOUND MARKET VIEWS

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Sunnary— Official announcement of the decision of the court against the constitutionality of the Ford franchise tax law, stimulated traction shares some what this morning causing ad advance in Manhattan of a point, in Metropolitan of a point and one-half, and of 2 points in B.R.T.; After this demonstration, which was only participated in to a small degree by the balance of the list, the usual recent sagging market due to inaction and apathy set it, and was given encouragement by the stock exchange floor trading element, who are almost to a man engaged at the present upon the bear side. Too much company upon either side of a sluggish market is dangerous as speculative associates. The market will turn in the opposite direction, suddenly, sharply and without warning. Were insiders desirous of unloading at present upon the public the current market would be made attractive instead of tedious as it is at present. Money closed 4 per cent. Sales 400,400.

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—Mr. George Nesbitt, formerly of Minden, had the misfortune to have one of his legs broken while skidding logs last Wednesday. The limb had to be amputated.

Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, JAN. 19, 1903

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

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Furnished House and Rooms to Let.

A small house, furnished, containing five rooms, within five minutes' walk of the Post office, to rent for winter. Also a couple of furnished rooms. Apply at Times Bookstore.

Another Sad Death

Scarlet fever has claimed another victim, Margaret Theresa, the twelve year old daughter of Mr. James Leahy, of Douro. The funeral took place on Saturday to St. Joseph's cemetery. The sympathy of his many friends will be extended to Mr. Leahy in his sad bereavement.

A Lively Race

Yesterday Mr. Fitzgerald's team of grays ran away down George street, but were caught by Mr. J. Larone before they had proceeded far. However, they made things lively while they did run, and gave the wood-rack a pretty good shaking up.

Special Services

On Wednesday and Friday evenings of this week, special evangelistic services will be held in Mark street Methodist church, Ashburnham, commencing at half-past seven o'clock. Not only the members of the congregation, but others as well will be welcomed at these meetings.

A Coming Treat

Mr. R. W. Bradburn is meeting with great success in his guarantee list for the appearance in Peterborough of the famous Boston Ladies' Symphony Orchestra. Although the required list is not yet subscribed, there is every indication that it will be, when the date will be fixed for Tuesday, Feb. 10th. Fuller particulars later.

Provincial Appointments

J. A. Walsh, attorney, of New York, is appointed a commissioner for taking affidavits in the State of New York for use in Ontario; E. Bedard of Pembroke is appointed associate coroner for Renfrew County; and S. T. Medd of Millbrook, is made a notary public. Robert Latimore of New Liskeard is appointed bailiff of the district of Nipissing; and G. A. Munro of the Village of Finch bailiff for Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.

An Attractive Window

Mr. A. W. Cressman, ever on the alert to catch the public eye, has a very attractive window, dressed with the prevailing hockey colors. The red and black of the T.A.S., of the Trent Valley League, and the blue and white of the Juniors and Intermediates in the O. H.A., are shown by ribbons arranged and intertwined in a most artistic manner. A few hockey sticks give the uninitiated a cue as to the nature of the design. Mr. J. Bowes, of Mr. Cressman's staff, dressed the window, and in so doing displayed a great deal of skill in that very desirable accomplishment.

Mr. McCallum Remembered

The librarians of St. Paul's Sabbath school presented Mr. A. C. McCallum with a handsome bible, before his departure from Peterborough to Toronto. Mr. McCallum will be greatly missed here, as he was a most active worker. The presentation was accompanied by the following address:

Mr. A. A. McCallum:

Dear Mr. McCallum,—We, your fellow librarians, knowing that you are about to leave us and our town, avail ourselves of this opportunity to express our appreciation of the valuable assistance you have rendered us in the library of our Sabbath School. We have always found you most obliging not only in the faithful discharge of your duties as secretary, but willing at all times to lend a helping hand or to give advice when required. We feel we could not better express our appreciation of your many available qualities than by presenting you with this copy of the Word, knowing that its daily perusal will remind you of the many pleasant Sabbath afternoons spent in connection with St. Paul's Sabbath school. We are quite sure that although severing your connection with our school, your zeal and interest in the work of the Master will continue wherever your lot may be cast. In conclusion we wish you success in your new field and ever trust that you and yours may long be spared together to enjoy the Word of Life.

JAMES CONNAL,
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ANCIENT ORDER OF UNITED WORKMEN CONCERT

Don't forget grand concert under the auspices of Peterborough Lodge, No. 13 of the Ancient Order of United Workmen to be held in Bradburn's Opera House, Friday, Jan. 23rd, 1903, when the following talented artists will appear: Harold Jarvis, the famous tenor; Mrs. Calder-Stock, the sweet soprano; J. H. Cameron the gifted mirth maker; Miss Edna Sutherland, the grand elocutionist; Miss Meharry, pianist. Come and hear these artists. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents. Plan now open at Ormond and Walsh Drug Store.

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OUR LETTER-BOX

NOTE—The Times does not hold itself in any way responsible for the opinions expressed by its correspondents.—Ed. Times.

THE PETERBOROUGH AND ASHBURNHAM NUPTIALS

To the Editor of The Times.

Sir,—In your editorial of the fifteenth inst. you hit the nail so hard, often and true, that surely there is no obstruction now to be heard of. However, it speaks well for the professional spirit now shown in Peterborough and our bride-elect, I hope to say—Ashburnham, to see the unanimity of opinion as expressed lately on the platform and in the press as to the necessity of the union of Peterborough and Ashburnham, and the incorporation of them as a city. "Single blessedness" is a poor sort of existence, anyway.

While not wishing to enter into the discussion as to the advisability of having a new name for that city, I would like however, to suggest for a sobriquet, that of "The Waterpower City,"— and what more deservedly could we claim?

I have heard Peterborough called "The Electric City," but that has been claimed first by the City of Hamilton and for three sufficient reasons.

I have heard our "town" called "The Plate Glass City," but that is now useless and was a poor one at any time.

Let us claim the sobriquet of "The Waterpower City" and allow no other. It would not only be a pleasing one, but the most valuable one to our whole community.

J. ALEXR. CULVERWELL

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The receipts at the hockey match were $500, the best on record.

—There will be special services tonight at 7.30 at Mark street church.

—The band will be at the rink this evening, to enliven matters for the skaters.

—The newly-elected board of directors of the Y.M.C.A. will meet to-night at 8 o'clock to elect officers.

—The Non-Coms. of the 57th will hold their third annual at home in the opera house, on Wednesday evening.

—The East Peterborough Agricultural Society holds its annual meeting at Norwood this afternoon.

—Plans have been prepared for greatly enlarging the premises of the Ontario Bank, to enable them to attend to their rapidly increasing business.

—It is stated that the world is divided into two classes, those who are Scotch, and those who wish they were Scotch.

—St. John's church Sabbath school entertainment, which was postponed owing to the prevailing epidemic, will take place this evening.

—The Turf Club are trying to arrange an excursion to Ottawa for the races on February 10. If a sufficient number agree to go, the matter will be arranged. Names should be handed in at once to Mr Arthur Rountree, Secretary.

—The West Peterborough Agricultural Society meets at one o'clock this afternoon in the Council Chamber, for their annual meeting. A large attendance is asked for, as matters of great importance to the society will be considered.

—The winter races at the Driving Park under the auspices of the Peterborough Turf Club, take place this afternoon and to-morrow afternoon. Several first-class horses have been entered, hence the races will probably be very closely contested.

—A death from scarlet fever occurred in Monaghan yesterday, when Susie, daughter of Mr. John Manson, died at the age of nine years. The funeral took place yesterday. Two other members of the family are now in the hospital with the same disease. Much sympathy will be extended to the afflicted and bereaved family.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. J. H. Smith's numerous friends will be glad to learn that his condition is improving.

—Mrs. A. Martin, of Reid street, has as her guest Miss Nellie Minore, of Belleville.

—Miss Kathleen Simpson, of Lakefield, left on Saturday for Toronto to attend the Normal School.

—Miss Margaret Kenneally, of Lakefield, is teaching Junior department of the Hastings Separate school.

—Master Frank De-la-fosse, of Lakefield, is attending Trinity College, Port Hope.

—Miss Blanche Graham, of Lakefield, has returned to Havergal Ladies' College, Toronto, after spending her vacation in the village.

—Mrs. W. Wand, of Lake street, Ashburnham, is confined to the house with illness. Her many friends will wish her a speedy recovery.

—Mr. T. G. Eastland, ex-Warden of the County, was in town yesterday on business and favored the Times with a call.

—Miss Marguerite C. Quigley, of Lakefield, left on Saturday to assume her duties as nurse-in-training on the staff of St. Joseph's Hospital, London. Miss Quigley is a neice of Archbishop Quigley, of Chicago.

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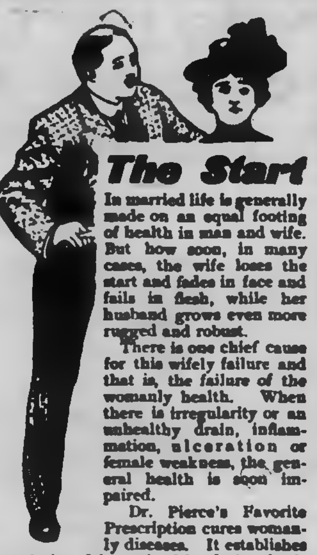
It is [illegible] replace coffee with Postum [illegible] has, when properly made, [illegible] and the color of coffee [illegible] injurious after [illegible]



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Pioneers of Five Thousand Nestorian Families Arrive in Charge of Doctor Adams

These Representatives of the Old Scism Have Peculiar Ideas and Customs

Winnipeg, Jan. 21—A party of thirty one Nestorians who say they are the pioneers of 5,000 families of the same persuasion from Persia, arrived in Winnipeg yesterday, and are at present located in the immigration hall.

The Rev. Isaac Adams, M.D., a Persian missionary and author of "Darkness and Daybreak," which has been translated into the English, Dutch German and Swedish languages; "Persia by a Persian," and other works, is their leader.

Dr. Adams spent twelve years in the United States, where he successfully studied medicine and theology.

In an interview with a reporter for the Times, Dr. Adams said:

"The Nestorians are, of course, Christians, and will submit to all the laws of Canada as they exist. They have nothing odd in their beliefs, like some other races. It will be the earnest desire of all to learn your language, adopt your customs, and dress, and become loyal Canadians."

"Do the Nestorians refuse to carry arms?"

"No. They have no such objection. I have lived on this continent twelve years and am acquainted with British and Canadian law and there is nothing to which the religion and disposition of the Nestorian Christian can object."

"How many Nestorians are there in Persia?"

ARE PERSECUTED.

"About 150,000 souls. They have been persecuted for centuries by Turks and Persians, and all on account of their religious belief. I have brought out a number at my own expense, but am making arrangements by which I expect about 5,000 families will follow, the movement commencing in the spring. These people are good farmers and frugal, and will prove themselves an acquisition to the country.

"Have you decided on their final location?"

"No. But I will discuss the matter with the immigration commissioner, and will then go out and look over the country, considered suitable for them. In the meantime they will remain in the immigration hall.

THEIR BELIEFS.

Nestorius, the founder of Nestorianism, was born near the close of the fourth century. His doctrine is that Christ is a true man, born of the Virgin Mary. This man, God chose as his temple. So that God was in Christ, but that God, the Divine, did not, could not suffer and die. He refused to call Mary the mother of God, saying: "Has God a mother? The creature has not borne him who is uncreate."

Among the Nestorians marriage is considered a sacred duty, and the marriage of a son is looked upon as the happiest event in the parents' lives, and an occasion of the greatest rejoicing; for an unmarried man is considered the most miserable of beings. He is comapred to a bird sitting on the top of a tree, and not knowing where to fly.

In some cases children are betrothed in their infancy by their parents, and cases of marriage in infancy have been known. Under no circumstances in Persia are young people allowed to make love or speak to each other of marriage or enter into an agreement. To kiss a girl in Persia means that you rob her of her beauty, and the act would be considered a great and unpardonable crime.

SOUTH AFRICA AND VENEZUELAN AFFAIR

Mr. Chamberlain's Position in Regard to Questions Discussed

THE ALLIANCE WITH GERMANY

It is Still the Subject of Keen Criticism—Minister Bowen's Statement

New York, Jan. 22—The correspondent of the New York Tribune in London cables:

The Government ought to be grateful to Mr Chamberlain for diverting public attention from the Venezuelan affair to something more creditable. Since Sir Michael Hicks-Beach is no longer the watch dog of the treasury there has been no opposition within the Ministry to the settlement of the Transvaal loans on easy terms. Mr. Chamberlain's decisions have been connected with Premier Balfour, and the judgement of the press is favorable. The bargain made at Johannesburg is not a hard one, but a business-like solution of a complex problem. It does not involve an alliance between Downing street and the Park Lane millionaires, and the control of South African affairs is kept in the hands of the Secretary of Colonies until confederation.

Mr. Chamberlain receives full credit for his talent in exciting colonial enthusiasm, and carrying out an enlightened British policy in a masterful way after hearing what the representative men of all interests had to say. Those who anticipated a considerable rise in South African mining shares as a result of the Colonial Secretary's pronouncement have proved themselves false prophets. The measures contemplated by the settlement do not promise that quick solution of the labor problem, which most speculators desire to witness and prices for this reason gave way yesterday. Judging from the talk of one or two magnates in the city, there is a disposition to cling to the notion that a resort to Chinese labor is the only way out of the difficulty.

THE VENEZUELAN AFFAIR.

The comment is sometimes made that the British Government would not have surrendered its independence of action in the Venezuelan affair, if Mr. Chamberlain had been fully consulted. He was, however, at Sandringham when the German Emperor and the court and ministry entered into the alliance which has been generally condemned, and must bear the full share of the responsibility for it. The most creditable explanation of that coalition is that it was substituted for the details of a secret partnership in East Africa, which the ministers were not prepared to reveal. It seemed a safe undertaking, for the Washington Government had not objected to the collection of the German debts with carefully defined restrictions, and could not reasonably discriminate against Britain.

Whether the German Emperor dreaded the effect of a naval demonstration upon American opinion, and and looked upon British co-operation as a safeguard, or whether the Washington Government preferred the dual to single actions is not yet clear, but the risks and unpopularity of the conditions by which the two European powers were drawn into a hard and fast debt collecting alliance are fully apparent. Nobody outside of the foreign office supposes that the Washington Government considered Britain's agreement to assist in collecting Germany's claims against Venezuela a friendly act or that the continuance of wanton acts of provocation by the German fleet, like the attack on San Carlos fortifications is consistent with British traditions of Pacific diplomacy.

GERMANY'S ACTION.

Berlin, Jan. 22—The navy department has not received any official advice regarding the bombardment of Fort San Carlos at the entrance to Lake Maracaibo, by the German cruiser Panther on Saturday, and is unable either to confirm or deny the press despatches. But, the officials say, assuming that something in the way of a bombardment took place, no orders on the subject were sent from Berlin Whatever was done was the result of initiative of the commander on the spot to whose discretion the conduct of the blockade was left. The government relies on Commodore Scheder to observe all the formalities usual in applying force, and is confident that neither he nor any subordinate commander did anything not strictly in accord with the usages of international law.

MINISTER BOWEN.

Charleston, S.C.C, Jan. 22— United States Minister Bowen who arrived here yesterday, was questioned concerning the published reports that he had been offered extravagant sums of money by President Castro to represent the Venezuelan Government in the dispute with Germany and Great Britain. Minister Bowen said that many false reports had been circulated. "When the question of remuneration was mentioned," he said, "I informed President Castro that I would not accept more than was required for my actual expenses, and I put an outside limit of $5,000 on the agreement. This was paid me in gold on my departure from La Guaira. That is all that I asked and it is all I will receive."

Speedy Cure for Cramps and Colic

The most reliable cure for Cramps, Colic, Dysentery and Summer Complaint is ten drops of Polson's Nerviline in a little sweetened water. Nerviline removes the pain and distress at once, insures prompt relief and a speedy cure in every case. Nerviline is an excellent remedy for all pain, whether internal or external, and should be in every household. All druggists sell and recommend Nerviline. Price 25c.

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DOWIE AFTER MILWAUKEE

Will Move on That City 3,000 Strong in April to Convert It

Milwaukee, Jan. 21—Dowie, the second Elijah, has set out to conquer Milwaukee. He will take the city by storm if an army of 3,000 singing, preaching elders can do the work. For three years this army has been at work trying to make Chicago religious but the force has now decided to abandon that city to its unrighteousness and try instead to wean Milwaukee from its beer.

The movement will take place in April when the army will take up a home in the suburbs and then make ad advance on every part of the city, invading the homes of the rich and poor alike with all the documents which tell of Dowie as the Great Healer of all ills.

CREATED SENSATION IN AMERICAN HOUSE

A Speaker Makes Untrue Statement About Canada

Washington, Jan. 22—In the House today something of a stir was caused just before Cochran (Mo.) concluded a speech by an unexpected interruption from the ladies gallery. Mr. Cochran was speaking of the "truckling policy of the United States toward Great Britain." "When that truckling shall have ceased," he declared, "the people of Canada, now intensely loyal to England, will change their attitude."

"You lie," cried a stylishly dressed young woman, in clear, ringing tones. All eyes were turned to the ladies gallery, where the young woman leaned forward defiantly, as if she intended to say something further. But a companion pulled her back. She then left the gallery.

CATHOLICS AND ELECTIONS

Archbishop Langevin Lays Down Rules for Their Guidance

Winnipeg, January 22—During the course of his sermon at St. Boniface Cathedral on Sunday, Archbishop Langevin made certain utterances which have aroused comment amongst his hearers. He said in effect:

"As we are not involved in any electoral contest at the present time in our Province, I am free to speak on your duties in regard to voting.

"Any man is bound to vote according to his own conscience.

"But, in any matter pertaining to the conscience, the duty of a Catholic is to follow the directions of his priest.

"Consequently, you are bound to ask for and to follow the directions given by your priest and clergy in election time.

"I tell you, it is not sufficient for your salvation to practice the ordinary duties of your religion; you should also, in order to be good Catholics, and as one of your most important duties, be obedient to your clergyman and follow his directions in matters concerning elections."

JANET CAMERON DISAPPEARS

Anxious Father is Inquiring Into Her Whereabouts

Winnipeg, Jan. 20—There is a mystery attached to the disappearance of Janet Cameron, a good looking Scotch lass, aged 18 years, who is supposed to have passed through Winnipeg in October last on her way to Qu'Appelle to take a position as a domestic in the family of a well known citizen of that town.

Janet Cameron was brought from Scotland by an association which makes a business of supplying young girls in the Old Country to fill positions in the homes of people in Canada. On Oct. 25 she landed in Montreal, and on the same day is supposed to have left the Windsor street station for the west. She was booked through for Qu'Appelle, N.W.T. The last seen of her, to all apparent knowledge, was when she was leaving Montreal.

BAGGAGE CLAIMED.

A singular fact in connection with the girl's disappearance is that her baggage, which was checked through to Qu'Appelle, was called for and claimed not long after its arrival.

The question of the identity of the person who presented the checks and secured the baggage, and also the question as to how the person came into possession of the checks can not be answered, and add to the mystery of the girl's disappearance.

On the strength of inquiries from Janet Cameron's father, in Scotland, the Canadian Pacific railway authorities are taking steps to locate the missing girl, although so far as they are concerned, all responsibility has ceased, both as to the disappearance of the girl and the safekeeping of her baggage. The fact that the checks for the latter were presented at Qu'Appelle and identified as the ones given to the girl at Montreal relieves the railway of liability for the baggage, but what it does not do is to throw some light upon what has become of Janet.

A lot of things may have happened her since coming to this country. It may be that, being young and pretty, she became enamored of the attentions of some young rancher, and, accepting his proposal of marriage, has gone into a remote part of the country, where she may be carrying on her wifely duties with all the ardor of "a bright young thing."

Another solution is that she may have listened to the offer of a family in some other place than Qu'Appelle, and for all her friends know may be working night and day at dish-washing, scrubbing and cooking anywhere between Montreal and Vancouver.

But there is the theory that Janet may have met with foul play. But this is not seriously considered as probable. What object could an evil-minded person have in making away with a harmless Scotch girl, who had no money, no friends, and with unknown prospects in this country?

INFORMATION WANTED.

But the question comes back: Who got Janet Cameron's baggage, and who presented the checks for her trunks at Qu'Appelle?

Any information that would lead to finding her present address would be to her advantage. Please address P. O. box 230, Winnipeg, Man.

NEW GRAIN IN THE FAR WEST

"Corn-Wheat" is The Cereal Which Promises To Add to The Pacific Coast

Tacoma, Wash, Jan. 21—A new grain now known as corn-wheat is being successfully grown in eastern Washington. It has the nature of both corn and wheat, possessing the fattening qualities of corn and the corn flavor. It resembles wheat. Its grains are twice as large as those of the ordinary wheat. It yields sixty to one hundred bushels an acre, and seems to solve the problem of fattening hogs in the Pacific Northwest. Corn is not successfully raised in this country.

Wheat growers at Moscow, Idaho, first introduced corn wheat four years ago. The entire production has since been taken for seed. Farmers generally are now raising the new grain and going into hog raising. As a result decreased shipments of packing house products from Eastern States are already noticeable.

POISONED UNCLE AND AUNTS

Nephew Kills His Relatives to Get Their Property—Suicide After Arrest

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 21—Robert Ray poisoned a family of three persons on a ranch fifty miles south of Pecos on Friday afternoon. The dead are T. J. Ray, and his two sisters, Louise and Amy, the latter being seventy years of age.

The poisoner was a nephew of Ray and was heir to the ranch property which fact is thought to have prompted the commission of the crime. Soon after the death of the three people young Ray loaded his wife and child into a wagon and drove to Pecos and boarded a west bound train for Colorado City. Arriving there he was arrested by the Sheriff.

When Ray saw the officer he swallowed a dose of poison and died soon after. The Rays resided on a little ranch about fifty miles southeast of the town of Pecos. The poison was administered to the three people in their food.

HITS AT MONROE DOCTRINE

Prof. Prince of Dickinson Says it is Weak and a Crisis is Coming

Carlisle, Pa., Jan. 21—Prof. Leon C Prince of the chair of international law at Dickinson College, delivered a lecture to his class today attacking the Monroe Doctrine.

After commenting on the success of Canning, the British Foreign Secretary, in urging Munroe to promulgate the doctrine, he affirmed his belief in an approaching crisis for it. The substance of the lecture was that the Monroe Doctrine is simply an impression of the will of the American people, scouted by Germany, lacking the concession of France and which England had never dared to violate flagrantly.

"As a simple statement of policy," he said, "the doctrine is strong, vigorous and uncompromising; but as a profession of chivalrous devotion to our feebler brethren it is weak, superficial and insincere, deceiving nobody except ourselves. The national consciousness never reposes in the masses of the people, but in the minds of the few who exercise the governing power and these few have decreased the doctrine's perpetuity."

Prof. Prince argues that the desire of the surplus population of Europe for new country will force the crisis. The United States occupies an impossible position in insisting upon the inviolability of South America. He said a Germanized or Anglicised South America is vastly preferable to the present irresponsible, weak and vicious republics, which lack honor and stability.

T.A.S. and Bobcaygeon Play To-night

The T.A.S. will put the same team on the ice against Bobcaygeon to-night as brought defeat upon the Lakefield seven and the Bobcaygeonites in their previous games. Capt. Lynch gave the boys a light work out last night between 10 and 11 o'clock, and is doing all in his power to land the T.V.L. championship. McCoy in goal is putting up a great game, while Lynch and Parnell, on the forward line, are showing up well, both being clever stick handlers and speedy skaters and get away well together. George, on the forward line, does very effective work and follows up well. McGrath injured his leg at practice on Saturday, but expects to be in the game to-night. Crowley and Meagher will play cover point and point respectively. The Bobcaygeon team is materially strengthened since their, first game with the T.A.S. and expect to make a good showing to-night.

The Culls will play at Fenelon Falls to-night.

Cobourg defeated Peterborough Juniors last night by 7 to 6.

CURLING BONSPIEL.

At the rink yesterday forenoon the following games were played:

No. 1.

Peterborough	Bobcaygeon
W. J. Thompson	Thos. VanNorman
J. S. Knapman	C. S. Logie
C. N. Brown	A. B. Bottum
S. Ray sk...14	W. J. Reid sk...11

No. 2.

Campbellford	Norwood
P. Corkery	W. Cuthbertson
C. S. Gillespie	F. Pearse
D. Kerr	G. Graham
F. B. Gandrie sk...17	J. Cummings sk...19

No. 3.

Keene	Kingston
T. J. Wallace	Dr. Haig
J. R. McIntyre	F. Shaw
W. J. Reid	Lieut.-Col. Drury
W. Campbell sk...17	B. Walton sk...22

No. 4.

Lakefield	Peterborough
F. Jory	G. Matthews
J. W. Bowden	G. R. Hill
G. A. Baptie	G. Fitzgerald
J. C. Grylls sk...13	W. G. Morrow sk...16

No. 5.

Lakefield	Keene
F. Amys	R. McIntyre
Dr. Baker	Wm. Bell
W. J. Baptie	R. J. McCamus
W. J. Ridpath sk...17	M. Kenneally sk...19

No. 6.

Lindsay	Norwood
G. H. Hewart	W. A. Eaton
C. D. H. Maclpine	M. B. Knox
—	F. B. Finlay
L. F. O'Connor sk...17	J. Kasper sk...16

ANNUAL ENTERTAINMENT

Of St. John's Sunday School a Big Success—An Excellent Tea and a Pleasing Program

The annual tea and entertainment of St. John's Sunday school was held in the school house last night, and proved a success in every way. An excellent tea was served the school children between five and seven o'clock, after which games and pastimes were indulged in by the little folk until eight o'clock, for which hour the following excellent program had been announced:

PROGRAM.

Piano duet...... ....Misses English
Violin solo...... ....Miss Burnett
Quartette... "Tell Me Pretty Maiden" ...
Messrs. H. Cluxton and Hollingshead
Misses Sherwood and Rush.
Good night drill...... ....
....Eight little girls in costume
Vocal solo...... ....Miss Sherwood
Quartette...... ....
Messrs. Gray, Seymour, Cluxton, Bell
Vocal solo...... ....Miss Rush
Play, revolt of Santa Claus...... ....
S. S. children and Mr. F. D. Kerr

The entertainment was very largely attended by parents of the school children, and the program was much appreciated by one and all. Every number was heartily received, especially the "Good night drill," by eight little girls in costume, which evoked enthusiastic applause. Prizes were distributed by the Rector, Rev. J. C. Davidson, and fruit and candies by Santa Claus (Mr. F. D. Kerr). A huge Christmas tree also had attached to its branches pleasing remembrances for the teachers from scholars.

The whole evening was an exceedingly enjoyable one, and perhaps the most successful Sunday school entertainment given by St. John's in several years.

THE STRIKE STILL ON.

Men Refuse to Return to Work Except as Members of Union

A Conference with Mr. Ackerman Yesterday Resulted in Nothing—The Strike will Continue Indefinitely

The strike at Ackerman's harness factory is still on, and apparently will continue for some days at least.

Yesterday morning Mr. Ackerman expressed a desire to meet a committee of the strikers, with a view to a settlement of the difficulty. A committee accordingly waited on him. Mr. Ackerman offered to reinstate the men back in a body, provided they would return as individuals, and not as members of the union. This the men refused to do, so there the matter stands.

In the meantime, the factory is said to be badly crippled, only two men, the foremen and apprentices beng at work.

YESTERDAY'S RACES

Some Good Sport at the Driving Park in the Afternoon

There was a large crowd in attendance at the first day of the Peterborough Turf Club Winter Races at the Driving Park yesterday. The day was not too cold for spectators, and some very exciting finishes were witnessed. The winners were "Gipsy Girl" in the 2.30 class and "Commodore K." in the 3.50 class.

The horses that will start to-day are all fast horses, and some close and exciting races can be looked for. In the 3 minute class the following horses will start:

Prince Hal, Keepa Bell, Texas May, Little Diamond, Harold D.

In the 2.30 class the horses entered are:

Erne Hunter, Little Boy, Lilliputian, Happy Paddy, Sphinx Bee.

In the 2.30 race all the horses are pretty evenly matched as to speed, and the public will have the privilege of seeing some fast and close racing.

OMEMEE.

—The farmers are favorably viewing the Beet Sugar proposition at Peterboro. In case the necessary acreage is subscribed, cars will come here in October of each year to have the beets delivered. The soil around here is well adapted for the roots.

RUSSIA'S NEW MOVE IN THE FAR EAST

Turkey Has a Gigantic War Fund and is Prepared For Any Event

AND IS PREPARED TO HOLD HER OWN

A Complicated Situation Which May Evolve a Tremendous Conflagration

London, Jan. 22—Affairs are rapidly thickening in the Near East. What the game of Russia in sending a fleet through the Dardanelles no hint is so far given of by the European press, which discusses the subject chiefly from the standpoint of Russia's breach of faith. It is a shock to the diplomatic conscience to find a highly civilized power deliberately waiving aside a treaty solemnly entered into and taking her own path in defiance of the accepted canons of international honor and probity.

A clue to what may be behind this demonstration, however, is given in a St. Petersburg letter to the Paris Soleil, in reference to the journey of the Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs to Austria. It is held to mean an alliance with Russia to suppress what the despatch of yesterday calls "the criminal warfare in Macedonia," where two or three separate intrigues are going on by different nationalities so that the Bulgarian Committees murder the Greeks, the Greeks the Bulgarians, and the Macedonian Committees, pure and simple, murder both these others, all under Russian encouragement! Russia is at last to bring pressure upon Bulgaria and Austria to occupy Albania. As a part of these military measures a naval show in the Bosphorus is on the cards.

A demand is to be made on the Sultan for reforms in Macedonia, which if he refuses, war may be expected to ensue. As a preliminary, Great Britain has protested against the granting of the naval departure asked for by Russia. What step Germany will take remains to be revealed. It is possible that having been drawn into what is practically a Turkish alliance by the subtle lures which Abdu Hamid has woven to tempt its commercial greed, Germany may have to take a hand in support of the Mahommedan.

It is pointed out by a recent writer that the Macedonian question is but an outcropping of the general disease afflicting the Turkish Empire, which is ever the "Sick Man" of Europe, without any sign of death or convalescence. The St. Petersburg letter to the Soleil says "in any event the down fall of the Ottoman Empire is in sight." But it has been seemingly in sight for the past fifty years, yet to day under the Sultan's industrious and skilful generalship it is one of the greatest powers upon earth. As to Macedonia the chronic unrest is fostered by both Greece and Bulgaria, by the former in the desire, never relinquished, of seeing a restored Byzantine Empire; by the latter from the ambition of the Bulgarian Prince to be a king, while his Russian friend is forever urging him to acts calculated to keep the sore between him and the Sultan raw. What will happen should the Mahommedan power arouse itself in defence of its religion and its territories, for the first of these is the more important, can be only imagined.

Turkey is popularly supposed to be a poor country, badly administered, and unfit for warlike enterprise. In reality, the present Sultan has been accumulating a gigantic war treasure of the real extent of which no one knows but himself. During the past few years the Sultan has strengthened himself greatly in the Balkan Peninsula He has at present 50,000 trained troops in the Villayet of Salonika and Monastir, and probably as many more in Albania. These men are sufficient to keep down all revolutionary forces, but they form a rallying point for upwards of 250,000 reservists and old soldiers who would fight as heroically as old in defence of their faith. The army in Turkey alone numbers 450,000 or 500,000 fairly-drilled, well armed, brave and hardy men, all within 300 miles of Constantinople. Behind them stand over 2,000,000 men, decribed as still in the prime of life, and behind them again unnumbered millions, scattered over the earth, who would fly to the defence of their faith at the Sultan's call, he being the Caliph, or head of Mohammedanism.

Well informed observers declare that the Caliph, working day and night, has organized in the remotest parts of the earth as well as the most populous, a vast, silent, and secret Agency to carry out his idea—in India, in the most distant islands of the Indian Ocean and China Seas; from the western coasts of Morocco across the whole of Africa; on the plains of Mesopotamia and the frontiers of Persia. Then all over Asia Minor, in the very heart of Asia Proper, in the entire south of the Russian Empire, through all North-western China, in Afghanistan and among the Mahrattas of India, this agency is established, while for every man so employed in foreign parts there lives in Constantinople a counter part with whom he is in constant correspondence—the most complete and practical missionary effort in the world to keep the faith alive.

The whole of this complicated detail of foreign Agencies is personally superintended by the Sultan, showing a most remarkable grasp of business and a cognizance of everything that passes in his Empire. As one intelligent writer asserts, one of the most astute and statesmanlike moves of our times was employed by Abdul Hamid, while the world looked on in ignorance of its tremendous import; the move being that by which he drew the German on until he became a wedge driven between Turkey's to most formidable enemies, Russia and France. If German influence is now paramount at Constantinople it is so because the Sultan required this defence, and bought it as a matter of business, when he refused a great railway concession to Englishmen who would have paid for it without a subsidy, yet gave it to a German group with a subsidy thrown in. This was the occasion of the remark in England that the matter of Armenian massacres Lord Salisbury "backed the wrong horse," when he threw the Sultan overboard. By this move the Sultan has erected a barrier between France and Russia, and has practically rendered abortive, as far as Turkey is concerned, that standing menace to peace, the Dual Alliance. The vast and ever increasing commercial interests of Germany in Turkey made it impossible for Germany too look on while her peace was imperilled by either of them.

Only a few years back Germany had no interests in the Eastern Question beyond those affecting her relations with Austria. She was thus the most fortunately situated of the great powers. And now the most triflingst of incidents on the Bosphorus may involve Germany in a struggle not only in the Near East, but on both her eastern and western frontiers, with the two greatest military nations of the day—unless by leaving her subjects in Turkey in the lurch, she abdicates as a great power.

THE LONDON MORNING POST ON LACK OF WORKMEN IN THE DOMINION

Says Dominion Could Take Men to Relieve the Congestion in England

Sir John Colomb Again Attacking Canada on Account of Its Attitude Towards Canada

London, Jan. 21.—Sir John Colomb is again attacking Canada on account of its attitude toward Imperial defence. He says in the Morning Post to-day: "Australia is far in advance of Canada in recognizing her duty to maintain a fleet, while the Dominion flatly refuses to give a penny, though possessing a mercantile marine nearly equal to that of the United States, and never tired of urging on the Mother Country to undertake great cash subscriptions on a finance guarantee to carry out transmarine schemes of peculiar advantage to her own commercial interests."

CANADA'S NEED OF MEN

The Daily Mail, commenting on the amazing prosperity of Canada, notes only one great check, namely, the scarcity of Canadian labor, especially skilled, and says: "In view of the terrible congestion of the home labor field, the complaint must seem to many Englishmen an impossible mockery."

C.P.R. EXTENSIONS.

It is confidently asserted in some quarters that the Calgary-Edmonton railway arrangements with the Canadian Pacific are completed, and only await full sanction before the announcement is made. The hope is expressed that there will be a subsequent completion of the Qu'Appelle and Long Lake arrangements.

expansion, and announces an issue at par of the remaining $1,006,700 of unissued share capital in the proportion of 12 1-2 per cent, to all shareholders of record on February 12. It was resolved to hold a special meeting on March 2 to discuse the advisability of increasing the authorized capital from $18,000,000 to $20,000,000.

WEDDING BELLS

The Marriage of Mr. A. A. Lackie and Miss Isabella Mahood White

An exceedingly pretty house wedding took place at seven o'clock last evening at No. 679 George street, the home of Mrs. Francis White, mother of the bride.

The contracting parties were Miss Isabella Mahood White, youngest daughter of the late Francis White, of Peterborough, and Mr. Andrew Lackie, second eldest son of Mr. Hamilton Lackie of Cavan.

The parlor was handsomely decorated with house plants and flowers. In the corner in front of a bank of palms, and ferns, was a pretty evergreen arch, trimmed with roses and chrysanthemums.

At the appointed hour, the groom, supported by Mr. T. L. Moore, of Cavan, took his place under the arch, while the wedding march was played by Miss Minnie Haggart, of Peterborough. The bride appeared leaning on the arm of her brother, Mr. Francis White, who gave her away. She looked very pretty in a blue travelling suit, with white silk waist, trimmed with chiffon and ribbons She carried a beautiful bouquet of roses. The bridesmaid was Miss M. E. Lackie, sister of the groom. She wore a blue cloth dress, with pale blue silk waist, and carried pink roses.

Rev. B. F. Torrance, D.D., pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev J. A. Wilson, performed the ceremony in the presence of only the immediate friends.

The wedding dejeuner was served in the dining room, which was also tastily decorated with plants and flowers.

The handsome array of costly and useful presents received by the bride testified to the high place held by her in the estimation of her many friends, all of whom will join with The Times in wishing the young couple many happy years of wedded life.

Mr. and Mrs. Lackie left by the evening G.T.R. train for their wedding tour, after which they will take up their residence in Cavan.

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LAKEHURST.

—Miss Florence Eason, who has been ill, is able to be about again.

—Mrs. Courey, of Otonabee, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. L. Shearer

—Buckhorn Lake is bushed now, and the farmers here are travelling that way to town.

—Miss Bertha Southworth, of [illegible] diff, is visiting her [illegible] Thompson.

—[illegible] has been visiting [illegible] left last week [illegible]

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NO POACHING ALLOWED

The local Peterborough Tory organ says in its issue of 19th:

"According to the World and the Mail and Empire Mr. Whitney is attending a meeting this afternoon of the Conservative Association, including delegates from the Riding Associations throughout the Province. There must be a mistake somewhere for the officers of the Peterborough Conservative Association have received no notification of the meeting.'"

Doubtless this is because Mr. Whitney does not wish to poach on Mr. Stratton's preserve.

DOES THE ENTERPRISE PAY

A question of some importance in Peterborough where municipal lighting will be undertaken some day, is whether a plant can be economically run by a public body. The question was squarely put to the Municipal Journal and Engineer and he answered:

"All depends on several considerations, the most important of which are those pertaining to the locality. Some cities make a complete failure, while others are tolerably successful.

We know of no instance, however, where a municipal electric light plant is managed as economically under public as under private ownership. Granting this statement to be a fact, it does not necessarily form a convincing argument against public ownership, for the reason that in almost every instance of public ownership the citizens of the community receive greater benefits from a publicly administered plant, than from a private plant. For instance, despite a bad management under public ownership, commercial lights are furnished at a lower rate, and are street lighting costs the town less, while the revenues from the plant, as a rule, take care of the interest, sinking fund, depreciation and repairs. There have been, and are, some notable exceptions to this rule. We do not advocate municipal ownership indiscriminately, but we do hold the opinion, on general principles, that it would be better for all cities either to own and operate, or control, all public utilities as rapidly as the local conditions would permit."

The success of the enterprise is not so clearly assured under a committee of the council as under commissioners who are elected for lengthened periods and who become skilled in its management. The council, for instance, changes its committee annually. It cannot help this as the personnel of the council is greatly altered. The result is evident. The details of the business cannot be readily mastered. It takes time for one to become acquainted with the operations of the department, and just when he is in a position to do efficient service, because well posted, he is replaced.

The man of business does not excel by the rapid changes of his occupation, or the occupations of his employees, and this is the lesson that municipal bodies do not learn. The advantage of commissioners is quite apparent. They hold office for several years. They are thus permitted to study their duties, and to apply themselves to their trusts with greater devotion and success. In this way and in this way only, can municipal enterprise be managed economically and profitably. If Peterborough becomes possessed of the electric lighting plant its policy should be to entrust its commissioners with instructions to develop and direct it along safe and remunerative lines.

WONDERFUL RESULTS

From Taking Dr. Clarke's Wonderful Little Red Pills

Editor of the Morning Times:

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Flies are busy in hotel rooms. Fish are making fatal errors.

In the dark, cavernous depths of many a hotel piazza hands meet hands, hearts beat in moon time, and soul yearnings are being satisfied.

Bills are running up. Bartenders are busy, and good old church deacons, made mad by too sudden freedom, lose their balance in other foam than the sea.

Many a lonely rock is a party to strange oaths and sundry chirpings that it never heard before.

Cupid is working overtime.

Red coats flutter in the gentle wind. "Ping pong" is heard from the hotel corridor. Rainy-day poker parties hold afternoon sessions in back rooms. Wives are writing for more money. Husbands are hurrying back and forth, wishing it were all over with.

Hotel safes are complacent with riches. Clerks are smiling and registers are lined with heterogenity.

While in the dim distance the soul of old Ocean stirs and rhythmically murmurs:

"How fickle they are! To-morrow, and they will be gone!"—Tom Masson in "Life."

DEATH OF A MAINE VICTIM

One of Ill-Fated Battleship's Crew Dies Insane

Richmond, Va. Jan. 20—Unbalanced in mind, Wilmore Harris, jr., a young negro of Charles City county, died in his cabin home, near Wyanoke, Va., on Sunday, as the result of the explosion on the United States battleship Main in Havana harbor. Harris was one of two from this county who served on the Maine. He was in the hold of the battleship when the explosion came. He managed to grope his way up a ladder and sprang overboard into the bay. The experience crazed him.

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DISTRICT NEWS

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS

OMEMEE.

—The health of the village is excellent, no contagious diseases existing.

—The High School is being well attended. Mr. Harvey, the new teacher, who is assistant to the principal is the right man in the right place.

—A number of our sports drove down to see the championship hockey game on Monday, between Peterboro and Port Hope.

—The Commercial house was the scene of gaiety and pleasure last Thursday evening, there being about fifty couples of quiet, orderly, well-behaved young people from Lindsay and Peterboro who tripped the light fantastic to the music of Bandmaster Rosek's orchestra, of Lindsay. Mr. J. Graham, the genial proprietor, said, "The house is yours, except the 'bar,' which is 'barred' since the referendum.

—The farmers are favorably viewing the Beet Sugar proposition at Peterboro. In case the necessary acreage is subscribed, cars will come here in October of each year to have the beets delivered. The soil around here is well adapted for the roots.

—The Lindsay Amateur Minstrel show, with 40 people, is booked for the Bradburn Opera House, Omemee, Monday, the 26th, and promises to draw a large crowd. This organisation, being classed in many respects above the ordinary travelling professionals, having large and enthusiastic audiences at their past performances at Lindsay and Uxbridge, will no doubt draw some of the performers friends from Peterborough and other places, there being excellent sleighing.

LAKEHURST.

—Miss Florence Esson, who has been ill, is able to be about again.

—Mrs. Comrey, of Otonabee, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. L. Shearer

—Buckhorn Lake is bushed now, and the farmers here are travelling that way to town.

—Miss Bertha Southworth, of Cardiff, is visiting her uncle, Mr. Alex. Thompson.

—Miss Weir, of Otonabee, who has been visiting friends in the settlement left last week for Lorne.

—Miss Nellie Shearer, of Otonabee, is visiting her brother, Mr. A. J. Shearer. She is also accompanied by Miss Louise Shearer.

—John Smith left this morning for Deer Bay to work in the woods. The boys down there this year are Henry Coons, Fred. Truesdale, Harry Elliot, George Shell, Wm. Shell and W. Smith as chef.

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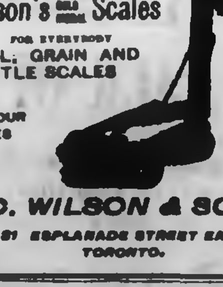

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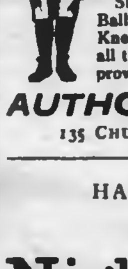

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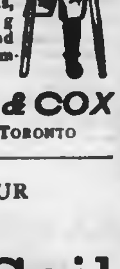

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sinking, I was so horrified I did not know what was best to be done."

The excuse seemed so plausible Cecil did not know what to say. Sir Wilfred said not a word. Pale and grave, he bent over Hilda, employing what remedies seemed best until help arrived. Then they carried her up to the house. After a time she came to herself again, but she was frightened and nervous. She did not seem like the brave little girl she usually was. She turned with a moan and shiver from Florence's kisses and tears, and clung to Lady Leigh.

There were two days when she did not leave her room. No one saw her but Mrs. Courtenaye and Sir Wilfred's sister. They said that her nervous system had sustained such a shock from her accident that she could bear nothing. A bed was made for her in Lady Leigh's dressing-room, where she could tend her with her own hands night and day.

Those two days went wearily at Locksley Hall. Lady Leigh's door was besieged with anxious messengers from the earl and Sir Wilfred Hale. Cecil Courtenaye sent her a bouquet of roses. Florence wept because they would not admit her into the room.

But on the third evening Hilda came down to dinner. She was nervous still. She trembled when Florence kissed her and told her how sorry she was for her accident. She drew a soft white shawl about her shoulders, as of she were cold, and went and sat down in a quiet corner, where she was joined by the earl, who expressed his great delight at her recovery.

After dinner she stepped out on the low balcony to look at the fair, tranquil English landscape under the full light of the moon. Cecil Courtenaye was smoking a cigar, which he threw away as she came up to him with that quaint straightforwardness which he had once thought brusque and uncultivated, but which appeared so natural and charming now.

"Mr. Courtenaye," she said, in her clear, sweet voice, "Sir Wilfred has told me that you saved my life that day when —I— fell into the lake."

He looked at the bright, beautiful face. The unconscious tenderness with which she said "Sir Wilfred" chafed him.

"I only drew you out of the water," he replied, moodily. "If Sir Wilfred had not come up with the boat just as I was on the point of succumbing to a sudden faintness I do not think either of us would ever have come out of the lake alive."

She shrank a little at the carelessness of his tone and manner, but still said bravely:

"Then I have all the more reason to thank you for saving my life, since the attempt very nearly involved the sacrifice of your own."

Some impulse prompted him to say, in a gentler tone:

"You owe me no thanks, Miss Aylesford. Do you remember when you saved my life at New River Falls?"

"Yes," she answered; and he saw her tremble slightly. "I do not think I can ever forget that dreadful flood, Mr. Courtenaye."

"It was a brave and noble thing for a slight girl to do," he said; "and just before that I had spoken of you rudely and discourteously. Do you remember what you said to me when I wanted to thank you for saving the life that is so precious to my widowed mother?"

In the soft and brilliant moonlight he fancied he saw the faint flush deepen to crimson on her cheeks.

"Yes, I remember," she said; "I told you it was my revenge for your discourtesy."

"It was a noble revenge," he said, "and now I might tell you that I saved your life the other day as a noble revenge upon you for a wrong you had done to me."

The dark eyes flashed wide open. He could see how dark, how soft, how starry- bright they were as the thick, curling lashes fluttered, upward in blank surprise.

"A wrong," she cried. "Indeed you are mistaken, sir. What have I done?"

"You spoiled my life, that is all you have done, Hilda," he cried out, bitterly. "You saved me from that terrible death that day, and my whole heart went out to you, child as you were! Then, that night at the White Sulphur Springs, when I asked you to marry me, you refused me so scornfully, that the wound has never ceased to pain my heart. You have wronged me in that, you would not believe in my love. At least, you might have refused me kindly, without throwing doubt upon my truth. It is your scorn I have to complain of, Hilda. No— do not interrupt me, dear— you do not need to tell me it is too late to bring up the old issues now. I realise it in all its bitter truth. But, Hilda, I am miserable without you, since we cannot be more, let us at least be friends."

"He means that he is to marry Florence," thought Hilda, as the passionate words came to an abrupt close; then she answered in a voice that faltered ever so slightly:

"I am very sorry you felt my refusal so much, Mr. Courtenaye. I think I have misjudged you a great deal, owing to my early pique against you. If you can forgive me for my injustice, I am quite willing to be your friend."

"Give me that rose in your hair, as a pledge to our friendship," he said, eagerly, and he took the hand that held it out to him and pressed it to his lips, saying gravely:

"There is only one thing that could make me happier than your friendship, Hilda, and that would be your love."

"You must not say such things, Mr. Courtenaye," she said, quickly, thinking of Lady Florence.

"I know it," he said, thinking of Sir Wilfred, "you must forgive me, little Hilda. But you do not know how sweet it is to have you for my friend, even. Hitherto I have always thought that you despised me."

"Indeed, I do not," she answered, frankly. "I know now that you are both brave and true. I confess I was angry at you until that night when you carried me out of the burning cottage at the Springs. I knew then that I had been mistaken in my estimate of you, and I began to like you——"

She stopped suddenly, with a confused consciousness that she was confiding too much to Florence's betrothed. He looked at her, half maddened by the dark and sparkling beauty, to which the soft yet brilliant moonlight lent a subtle charm.

"Ah! Hilda," he cried, "you do not know how bitter it is to love in vain. In all the world there is no pain like it."

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COAL VEINS.

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2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total..........600,000 00
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July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

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1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000

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NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits..........$2,200,000.00
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7 per cent. interest on preferred stock..........$70,000.00
Sinking Fund..........60,000.00
Incidentals..........25,000.00
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SOME SOUND MARKET VIEWS

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LEAVING BRITAIN FOR THE STATES

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Funeral Obsequies

The funeral of the late William Cummings took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence, Stewart street, Ashburnham, to the Little Lake cemetery.

Mr. Laplante Injured

Mr. L. Laplante had the misfortune to break his arm on Tuesday afternoon while loading ice at the Little Lake. Dr. McNulty reduced the fracture, and the patient is progressing satisfactorily at his home.

Death of Mrs. Brennan

The death occurred yesterday at No. 465 Park street, of Elizabeth Matilda, wife of Mr. Reginald M. Brennan. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning at nine o'clock to St. Peter's cathedral, and thence to the Roman Catholic cemetery.

Brassworkers' Ball

The Brass Workers' Local Union No. 256 gave a ball last night at the Foresters' Hall, on Simcoe street. Besides the members of the union and their friends, there were a number of invited guests. The party spent a very enjoyable evening, and broke up at a seasonable hour.

Sad Death

Mrs. W. M. Moore, formerly of Peterborough, but latterly of Toronto, died at the family residence, 61 Amelia street, Toronto. Her husband was formerly head of the hat department at Mr. T. Barrie's, town. The deceased left two children, one being two years old and the other only three weeks. Much sympathy will be extended to the bereaved family.

FOOD VS. DRUGS

A Drug Man's Wisdom That Counts

It's a shrewd man who, while in the drug business, learns that although drugs are all right in their place the use of proper food will make medicine unnecessary in the majority of cases.

"Travelling through various towns" writes a drug salesman from Lancaster, Pa., "drinking different waters to which I was not accustomed, eating strangely-prepared meals at irregular hours, I contracted dyspepsia, accompanied by nervousness, loss of sleep and consequent loss of energy. I often had the 'blues' that indescribably tough feeling which makes one look on the dark side of every picture, and see the shadows rather than the substance of life, imagine the thousand calamities that were never in existence, and so render life almost unbearable. Many thousands of men under the circumstances would have resorted to stimulation from drugs or liquor.

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My family soon tires of mushy cereals but we never tire of Grape-Nuts. The children thrive on it and enjoy it. You may publish this if you think it will encourage others to try Grape-Nuts instead of medicine, or spirituous remedies that stimulate the system for a time but do not build it up." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

At Hymen's Altar

The home of Mr. John Rose, North Dummer, was the scene of a pleasant event, on January 14, when his eldest daughter, Lydia Annie, was led to the altar by Mr. R. G. Charlton, of Lakefield. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. L. Atkinson, of Warsaw, in the presence of many guests. Many handsome presents were received by the bride. The best wishes of many friends follow the young couple to their new home.

Epidemic About Over.

From investigations made by Dr. Bingham, it would seem that the scarlet fever outbreak is about over. No new cases have been reported in town since January 12, and those who have been ill are making good progress towards recovery. Of the thirteen families afflicted, nine were using well water. The inference is obvious, that the water of these wells was by no means wholesome.

The Scotchmen

The visiting Scotchmen, with members of the town council, local curlers, and other representative citizens, drove around yesterday forenoon to see the sights of Peterborough and Ashburnham. In the afternoon five rinks of Scotchmen curled against five visiting rinks. They left early for Lindsay, where they played last night and returned to Peterborough this morning and will proceed to Toronto to-day.

More Liberal Coal Supplies

Over two thousand tons of hard coal came into Toronto on Tuesday, says the Globe, and with the more liberal supplies that the railways believe are on the way considerable relief should be afforded to the situation. The Grand Trunk had in 47 cars of hard and 13 cars of soft, and the Canadian Pacific received 22 cars of hard and 9 cars of soft. This would make 2,070 tons of hard and 340 tons of soft coal received yesterday.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Rev. Father Moyna, of Orillia, is spending some days in town.

—Mr. J. H. Smith is recovering from his severe illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Perrin, of Bobcaygeon, are visiting friends here.

—Mrs. T. J. Biois, 349 Stewart street, has as her guest Mrs. Chas. Mosher, Port Hope.

—Dr. Harrison, Keene, was in town yesterday and dropped in to see The Times.

—Miss Lottie Perrin has returned to Bailieboro, after spending a few days as the guest of Miss Alice Dawson.

—Miss A. Mercier returned yesterday to Rochester, N.Y., to complete her studies as nurse at St. Mary's Hospital.

—Mrs. Alf. George, of Port Hope, came out for the match Monday night and is visiting Mrs. T. J. Biois, No. 349 Stewart street.

—Mrs. W. D. Wilgar has returned to Toronto, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Macfarlane, Homewood avenue.

—Mrs. Wand, of Lake street, Ashburnham, was in about the same condition yesterday. She is not recovering as rapidly as her friends would wish.

—The Times had a pleasant call yesterday from Mr. James Vrooman, the efficient and popular clerk of the township of Brock. Mr. Vrooman is a guest at the Munro House.

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Peterborough Lodge of Oddfellows meets to-night.

—St. Paul's choir practises at 8 o'clock this evening.

—A drunk and disorderly paid $5.00 into the police court funds yesterday.

—A purse has been left with the Chief of Police, for the owner to claim it.

—An important meeting of Peterborough Tent, No. 60, K.O.T.M., takes place this evening.

—Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, M.A., will conduct cottage prayer meeting at Auburn this evening.

—The races under the auspices of the Turf Club will continue this afternoon at the Driving Park.

—The Canadian Order of Chosen Friends will hold a gift concert this evening.

—The 57th Band was at the rink last night, and added greatly to the evening's enjoyment.

—All Saints' Sabbath school are having a Christmas tree and cantata to-night and to-morrow night.

—The Woman's Auxiliary of St. Luke's church meets at 3.30 this afternoon. A large attendance is requested.

—The Fraser Mission Band of St. Paul's church will give an afternoon tea from four to six to-day, at the residence of Mrs. (Dr.) Torrance.

—The season's treat will be a Christmas tree and cantata in All Saints' Sunday School, Thursday and Friday, Jan. 22nd and 23rd. Tickets 10 and 15 cents.

—An interesting beet sugar meeting was held at Fraserville on Tuesday evening. Mr. Joseph Madill occupied the chair, and Dr. Jeffs, Mr. W. Collins, Mr. Geo. Bennett, and Mr. T. M. Hunter, addressed the audience. Prospects are bright for the sugar beet industry, and great interest was shown by those present.

BARRIE-NISSEN NUPTIALS

The Groom is a Former Peterborough Boy and Well Known Here

At Millet, N.W.T., on New Year's Day, Mr. J. A. Barrie, of Peterborough, and Miss Georgina Nissen, of Millet, were united in marriage by Rev. Mr. Gross, of Wetaskiwin. Miss Emma Johnston was bridesmaid, and Constable Riddock supported the groom.

After a sumptuous wedding dejeuner at the Arlington Hotel, the happy couple left for Edmonton, followed by the good wishes of a host of friends. Peterborough friends will join in congratulations.

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"After my baby came in January, 1902," writes Mrs. Nancy Abner, of St. Paul, Ark., "I suffered severely from all sorts of aches and pains, until the following May, when I read one of your pamphlets, treating on female diseases. I wrote to Dr. Pierce for advice, although I thought surely I would die, as our physician told me I was more liable to die than to get well; your fatherly advice caused my health to be restored. I took five bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, three of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and three vials of 'Pellets,' together with your other remedies, and I am now able to do all my work."

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Wheat	67 to 68
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Flour, patent process, cwt.	$2 00 to 2 25
Flour, bakers', per cwt	2 25 to 1 35
COARSE GRAIN	
Barley, per bushel	40 to 43
Peas, small	65 to 68
Peas, mummies	65 to 68
Oats	32 to 33
Buckwheat	40 to 45
Rye	45 to 50
WOOL AND HIDES	
Wool, unwashed	08 to 09
Fleece Wool	11 to 13
Veal Calf Hides	08 to 10
Deakons	40 to 60
Beef Hides per cwt.	6 00 to 7 00
Sheepskins	30 to 50
MEAT, POULTRY, AND DAIRY PRODUCE	
Beef by the quarter, per cwt	5 00 to 6 00
Mutton, per lb.	05 to 07
Spring Lamb, quarter	65 to 67
Dressed hogs, per cwt.	7 00 to 7 50
Pork by the quarter, per lb.	8 to 9
Lard	13 to 14
Chickens, per pair	60 to 80
Ducks, per pair	80 to 1 00
Geese, each	80 to 1 00
Turkeys, each	1 00 to 1 40
Butter, roll, per lb.	18 to 22
Butter, crock	16 to 18
Eggs, per doz	18 to 20
Hay, per ton	7 00 to 8 00
LIVE STOCK	
Cattle, choice butchers' (steers, exporters and heifers)	4 to 4½
Medium butchers' (steers and heifers)	[illegible] to [illegible]
Light cattle and cows	[illegible] to [illegible]
Feeders, 1,000-1,100	[illegible] to [illegible]
Stockers	[illegible] to [illegible]
Hogs, select, 160-200	5 75 to 5 87½
Fats and heavies	5 50 to 5 75
Lights	5 50 to 5 75
Sows	4 25 to 4 50
Stags	[illegible] to [illegible]
Sheep	2 50 to 2 75
Lambs, per lb.	3 to 3½
GENERAL	
Potatoes	1 00 to 1 25
Carrots	[illegible] to [illegible]
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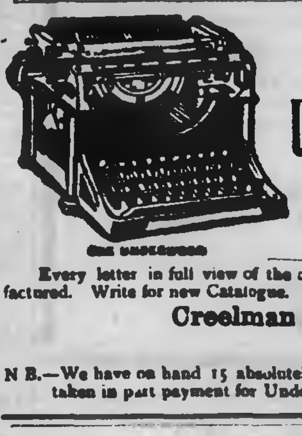

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THE C. P. R. TO INVADE STATE OF WASHINGTON

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy Visits American Capital To Complete Arrangements

Company Expects to Secure Large Amount of Additional Business by This Extension

Montreal, Jan. 22—To obtain for the Canadian Pacific Railway the necessary rights to construct a number of branch lines down through the State of Washington, is the sole object, there can be little doubt, of the present visit of Sir Thos. Shaughnessy to the American capital.

The trip was undertaken at the end of a series of interviews with Mr. R. Maripole, General Superintendent of the Pacific Division, who has charge of the preparation of the plans for the new branches that will be built, in order that the Canadian Pacific may secure a share of rapidly increasing and already heavy wheat and lumber trade.

The action of the Canadain company in thus going into American territory is the outcome of the alliance between the Canadian Pacific and the Great Northern Railway, whereby it was decided to waive the rights of territory that had been respected by both companies for some time past, and by which the Great Northern was not to enter Canadian territory nor the Canadian Pacific Railway American territory.

Rights of Territory Waived.

By the waiving of the rights of territory the Great Northern has already established lines to tap the Canadian Pacific at Fernie, Grand Forks, Rossland, Nelson in British Columbia, and Crestow and Lethbridge in the Northwest Territories.

The plans prepared by Mr. Maripole, who for a number of years past has been regarded as chief official of the Company on the Pacific Coast, and for which plans Sir Thomas Shaughnessy is at present particularly anxious to have approved by the United States Government, will give the Company two entrances into the State of Washington, one down into the wheat territory on the east side, and one down into the lumber districts on the west side.

Considered For Some Time.

In discussing the new project of the Canadian Pacific with a Star representative, one of the directors of the company stated that it had been under advisal by the Board of Directors for some time past.

All that could be said until Sir Thomas returned from Washington was that the company expected to obtain a large amount of freight by going into the new territory. He would not announce the exact location of the new lines until it was seen they had been approved by the American Government. Such an action on the part of the Canadian Pacific, far from indicating any opposition to the Great Northern, he said, would show that it was intended that the alliance formed between the companies was to be worked out to the advantage of both railways.

IS LABRADOR AN EASTERN KLONDIKE?

United States Capitalists are Now Turning Their Attention To North-East America

A Country Abounding in Fabulous Riches Which are Soon to Be Developed

Ottawa, Jan 22—Progressive and far-seeing capitalists are now coming to regard Labrador as an Eastern correspondent, writes a St. John's, Nfld., correspondent. Scientific investigation has determined that the territory is rich in timber, minerals and farm lands, and its extensive exploitation is assured in the near future.

As an indication of its potentialities it is only necessary to state that three lumber mills are operating in the Hamilton Inlet this winter; that two large sulphide of iron deposits are to be worked at Rowsell's Harbor next spring; that an extensive copper bed is to be developed at Nain at the same time; that a gold bearing reef of much promise has been discovered near Cape Chudleigh, and that A. P. Low, formerly of the Canadian Geological Survey has been engaged by a syndicate to prospect the northland at an annual salary of $10,000, besides being allowed to furnish the Canadian Government with Geological and other data.

The position of Labrador on the eastern side of the continent, is almost identical with that of Alaska on the western, and research has disclosed that the rock formations are virtually the same.

Labrador has an area of 516,000 square miles. It forms an immense peninsula, extending 700 miles between Belle Isle and Hudson Straits, and stretching back 600 miles from its Atlantic seaboard to the Head waters of James Bay. Its total extent is about twelve times that of New York State, and except on the seaboard, it is absolutely unpeopled, save for a few wretched tribes of wandering Naskopee and Montagnais Indians, branches of the Cree race, woefully reduced.

Administratively it is divided between Newfoundland and Canada, the former occupying the seaboard, and the latter holding sway over the interior. Along the shore all the codfishing is done, which is the industry the Newfoundlanders pursue. They visit the coast every summer to the number of 20,000, and, establishing themselves in convenient harbours, carry on their trawling from July till November. There are also 3,500 permanent white settlers on the coast, known as "livyeres" (livehere), to distinguish them from the "summerers" (Newfoundland fisher folk.) Outside the belt of islands lie a series of submarine banks, frequented by halibut, which are the quest of many venturesome American fishing craft and all the rivers and inlets are the home of the salmon, which are taken in nets to the extent of 400,000 pounds annually.

HAS A BOUNDARY DISPUTE.

The coast line and hinterland which form Newfoundland's appanage are not very definitely limited, but are estimated to be about 120,000 square miles in extent. The remainder belongs to Canada and there is a boundary dispute between them. The whole country is thickly wooded, as far north as the 57th parallel, and dotted with lakes and streams, fully one-fourth of its surface being covered with water.

Some of the rivers of Labrador are of great size. The Hamilton is over 600 miles long and is navigable by boats for half that distance, until stopped by the famous Grand Rapids, a natural wonder, exceeding Niagara. The river in its inland reaches drains six lakes, varying in size from 250 to 550 square miles in extent, and all this immense volume of water surges seaward through a gorge 310 feet wide and enclosed between walls of rock 1,200 feet high. The river drops 400 feet in three miles, and the torrent that pours over the falls is stupendous in its size and force, 50,000 gallons of water descending every second. The roar of the rushing river can be heard twenty miles away, and the few travellers who have penetrated to it declare that the world holds no other such spectacle.

The soil of the interior of Labrador is suitable for wheat growing, as it is part of the rich arable belt which embraces Ontario, Manitoba and the Canadian Northwest. There is an idea abroad that a railway will be built through the peninsula to a deep water terminus in Hamilton Inlet, from where ocean freighters should carry grain to Europe for six months of the year. It is, indeed, said that James J. Hill paid his visit to the Labrador coast last summer with this object in view, and that the Glasier expedition was despatched to report upon the feasibility of the same scheme.

EXTENT OF THE MINERAL WEALTH.

But in the meantime Labrador's future depends mainly upon her minerals and timber, the former to the the chief extent. The metalliferous areas are in the remote northern parts of the territory. The whole region north is a paradise for geologists and mineralogists, and the past summer three parties from the American universities spent a time there exploring the fiords along the coast, and obtaining much data of commercial as well as scientific value.

The subject of iron deposits at Rowsell's Harbor will be worked by the Dominion Steel Company and the Nova Scotia Steel Company, the two concerns which are operating smelting works and steel furnaces at Sydney, C.B.

The iron ore deposits of Labrador suffer the same disadvantage as those of Sweden, because the Labrador coast is icebound for half the year; but this drawback is neutralized in a large measure by the fact that the ore is on the seacoast and involves no long railway haul, while the cheap labor and proximity of the region to Britain, only 1,800 miles, as compared with the longer distances to American ports, insures that the output can be laid down with British ironmasters at a figure that will defy competition.

The newly discovered copper deposit is in an [illegible] position. The only copper mine now working in Newfoundland, that at Tilt Cove, yields a profit of $300,000 a year. It is icebound for four or five months of every season, but that does not detract from its value. Its output is shipped to Swansea, Wales, where it is refined, and the gold extracted from the ore is one of the principal sources of profit. The same policy can be adopted with respect to the Labrador deposits.

A LARGE CUT OF TIMBER

In lumbering operations a long winter is an advantage rather than otherwise, because it admits of the easy hauling of logs to the riverside, and in the case of the three mills now at work in Hamilton Inlet, the owners count on making a large cut and stacking their output until summer frees the coast of ice, when they will quickly rush the material to market. The timber limits are spacious and well wooded, and a force of expert lumbermen has been located there. The only drawback from which industrial enterprises will suffer in Labrador is the same as in the Klondike, that for so many months December and lasting until April, the only means of reaching there is to go to Quebec, then travel down the north shore of the St. Lawrence to the Straits of Belle Isle, a distance of 1,100 miles, from which point a further journey northward must be made of 700 miles if the furthest posts are the objective, and of less distances, according to the terminus in mind.

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SHE ELOPED WITH A YOUNG VILLAGER

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HUSBAND FINDS HER IN MONTREAL

Woman Likes Montreal and Refuses to Return to Her Home With Him

Montreal, Jan. 22—Mrs. Sicker, who lived in a pretty little country village near Albany N.Y., and who is a very attractive looking woman, told her husband a few days ago that she was going to Albany to see a play.

The man, with whom she had lived for many years, had no idea that his wife was about to leave the country with another man, and little did he think when she left for Albany, that a once happy home was about to be broken up.

However, Mr. Henry Burgess, and Mrs. Sicker arrived in Montreal a few days ago and put up at the Albion hotel.

Mrs. Sicker, when she left home, took with her $1,300 of her husband's hard earned cash, and one of the children. It is thought she brought the child with her.

When Mrs. Sicker did not return home from "the play," Mr. Sicker went to Albany in search of his wife and was greatly shocked at not being able to locate her. He then consulted the police, who communicated the Detective Department of Montreal and Chief Carpenter's men found the missing wife and her child and Burgess in the Albion Hotel here.

The Chief then notified Mr. Sicker and wired for instructions. On receipt of the telegram Mr. Sicker, an uncle, and an aunt of Mrs. Sicker's lost no time in coming to the city.

Chief Carpenter and the relatives had a long interview with the couple but Mrs. Sicker absolutely refused to return home to her husband and four children, aged respectively 7, 4, 2 and 1. The chief, however, induced the woman to give back to Mr. Sicker $700 of the money which she had taken with her, and she also gave up the little girl.

Burgess is quite young and was considered to be one of the best looking men in the village.

Mrs. Sicker says she likes Montreal very much and is going to reside here permanently.

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THE MEET A GREAT SUCCESS

Peterborough Turf Club Scores Another Success—Much Credit Due the Officers of the Club

On the second day of their winter meet at the Driving Park, the Turf Club was favored with ideal weather. The attendance was consequently good and the large number of entries of pretty evenly matched horses in each race resulted in some exceedingly close contests for first place.

The management of the Club are deserving of much credit for the careful way in which all the preparatory details of the meet were arranged, which permitted of their being carried out in such a manner as to give satisfaction alike to the owners of the many different horses from various outside points which were entered in the races, and, also to the several hundreds of spectators that were in attendance, not only from Peterborough and the surrounding country, but many others from distant points, attracted here by the well-deserved reputation which the meets of the Peterborough Turf Club are acquiring. Too much credit cannot be given to the President of the Club, Mr. J. M. Brooks, and to the Treasurer, Mr. R. J. Munro, as well as to the energetic Secretary, Mr. A. Rountree, each and all of whom were most painstaking in their efforts to have the meet the success which it certainly was.

Mr. Sid Passmore in his capacity as starter performed his duties in a very statistactory manner, while the decisions of the judges left no room for controversy.

Another point for which the management is to be commended, is the fact that the merchants of the town were not asked to contribute towards the purses, but all expenses were paid out of the Club funds, so that the outlay fell upon those who reaped the direct financial benefit.

Yesterday in the county race the horses finished as follows:

Prince Hal, Little Jimmy, Keepaball, Little Diamond.

In the 2.30 classes, the order was as follows:

Little Bell, Liliputian, Sphinx Bee, Happy Paddy, Ernie Hunter.

RESTORE LIFE

Dr. George W. Crile's Experiments With Ardenaline Border Upon The [illegible]

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 22—A large number of the physicians of this city are inclined to consider the experiments, which have been carried on by Dr. George W. Crite, of this city, in the use of adrenaline as being very successful, and that they show a step forward in the effects of the fluid.

The operation leading to the discovery of its power was performed on a dog by Dr. Crite, assisted by several other physicians. After anesthetic had been administered to a dog, the suspension of respiration was effected by clamping the windpipe.

After the dog was apparently dead for fifteen minutes a few drops of adrenaline were administered, and artificial respiration resorted to, which proved successful in restoring the dog to a comparatively conscious condition

It is stated that adrenaline has not been tried on humans yet and that its effect in that sphere is as yet unknown.

SOUTH DAKOTA DIVORCES

People are Not Excited by Ruling of the Supreme

Chicago, Jan. 22—The decision just handed down by the United States Supreme Court holding that the South Dakota divorce decree granted Charles S. Andrews, of Massachusetts is void, has not created any particular sensation at Sioux City, says the correspondent there of the Record-Herald. One of the most prominent attorneys in the state declares the decision will not affect the validity of South Dakota divorces in general. The decision may, of course, render void decrees granted in cases where only a semblance of residence has been maintained, but cannot apply to divorce applicants who have established a bona fide residence by remaining within the boundaries of the state for the six months required by the statute.

POISONED UNCLE AND AUNTS

Nephew Kills His Relatives to Get Their Property—Suicide After Arrest

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 21—Robert Ray poisoned a family of three persons on a ranch fifty miles south of Pecos on Friday afternoon. The dead are T. J. Ray, and his two sisters, Louise and Amy, the latter being seventy years of age.

The poisoner was a nephew of Ray and was heir to the ranch property which fact is thought to have prompted the commission of the crime. Soon after the death of the three people young Ray loaded his wife and child into a wagon and drove to Pecos and boarded a west bound train for Colorado City. Arriving there he was arrested by the Sheriff.

When Ray saw the officer he swallowed a dose of poison and died soon after. The Rays resided on a little ranch about fifty miles southeast of the town of Pecos. The poison was administered to the three people in their food.

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Mr. Benjamin Dillon, of Leeds, Ont., was cured of Muscular Rheumatism by Polson's Nerviline and says: "I feel it my duty to proclaim Polson's Nerviline as an infallible cure for Rheumatism; it cured me after 30 years of suffering, and nothing I know of can equal its penetrating power. Nerviline simply has no equal in quickly relieving and curing Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica, and Lumbago. A trial will convince anyone. Price 25c.

SCOTS AT LINDSAY

Received a Great Reception and Played Good Games

Enthusiastic crowds met the Scotch curlers at the Lindsay station, and escorted them to the Benson House.

Admission was by ticket at the rink and over one thousand were present. The ice was heavy, which suited the Scotchmen all the better. The result of the evening's play was 63 to 51 against the Scots. On two rinks they were successful.

After the curling, an enjoyable banquet at the Benson House closed the great evening's program.

THE DIRECTORS MEET

The Officers and Committees of the Y.W.C.A. Chosen

The first meeting of the newly elected Board of Directors of the Y.W.C.A., for the year 1903 was held January 21. The election of officers and committee members resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. (Dr.) Scott.

Recording-Secretary—Mrs. H. G. Kennedy.

The vice-presidents in charge of the various departments with their committee members were next elected:

Religious department—Miss A. J. Roberts, 1st vice-president, Mrs. H. Waddell, Mrs. (Rev.) Kilgour, Misses E. Hall, A. B. Patterson, K. Campbell, M. Miller, I. Stewart.

Business department—Mrs. M. T. Jory, 2nd vice-president; finance committee, Mrs. (Dr.) Morrison, convener, Mrs. Walsh, Mrs. Jory, Miss Nicholls, Miss Morrow; membership committee, Miss Dickson, convenor, Misses L. Richardson, Chambers, E. Elliott, B. Mowry, E. Ruth, A. Scott, L. Whitcroft, M. Robson, house committee, Mrs. Walsh, Mrs. J. Dennistoun, Mrs. J. Wood, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Beck, Mrs. McPherson.

Educational department—Mrs. J. Garvin, 3rd vice-president, Miss I. Best, B.A., Miss R. M. Finley, Miss L. Perrin, Miss F. Agar, Miss B. Brown.

Social department—Mrs. J. Nugent, 4th vice-president, Mrs. (Dr.) Boucher, Miss Lundy, Misses Richardson, Currie, M. Elliott, B. Matchett, E. Gillespie, B. Mowry.

Junior department—Mrs. A. Stewart, 5th vice-president, Misses B. Connel, I. Fisher, D. Langford, M. Thompson, Effie Best.

These committees to have power to add to their numbers.

The Advisory Board was elected as follows—Rev. J. G. Potter, Rev. W. L. Armitage, Messrs. G. M. Roger, W. H. Hill, J. J. McBain, T. F. Matthews, A. L. Davis.

A GREAT RECEPTION

Tendered to the Visiting Curlers in Toronto Yesterday

When the train from Peterborough reached Toronto yesterday, the shrieking of the engine was drowned by the skirl of the bagpipes. Pipe Major Beaton's band was blowing its lustiest in the midst of a throng of brawny bearded men, with beaming ruddy faces. Many of the beards were white, and the whiter the beard the jollier the face that greeted the exemplars of "the roarin game."

The procession proceeded to the Queen's Hotel, and a short rest was given the visitors.

At noon they were entertained at luncheon at the Granite Club. In the course of the speeches they spoke in the highest terms of their reception at Peterborough.

Hon. R. Harcourt, in welcoming them on behalf of the government, remarked that a Scotchman does not ask Providence for good things, but "point me out where the good things are, and I'll do the rest myself."

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WOOD-LEONARD NUPTIALS

A quiet wedding took place last evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Stewart, Church street, Toronto. The bride was Miss Iva Leonard, of Toronto, sister of Mrs. Stewart, the bridegroom being Mr. Roland W. Wood, of the Crow's Nest Coal Co. The ceremony was held in the spacious drawing rooms, which were prettily decorated with white flowers and masses of green wreathing of smilax and ferns. The piano at the far end of the room was almost concealed by handsome drapery, with an arrangement of flowers and greenery, in front of which the ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Thomas. The Wedding March was played by Miss Day, as the bride, robed in ivory Duchess satin, trimmed with embroidery of pearls and lace applique, entered the room. The long tulle veil fell over the long train, and a small wreath of orange blossoms was worn. A beautiful diamond and pearl pendant, the gift of the bridegroom, was the only ornament. The bridesmaid wore a charming dress of cream white crepe de chene over white taffeta and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The corsage was trimmed with beautiful lace, and an extremely pretty brooch of pearls in horse shoe shape, was the gift of the bridegroom. The groomsman was Mr. Frank Wood, brother of the groom, and he was presented with a handsome pearl pin. The going-away gown was a tailor-made one of coronation cloth, appliqued with red, and toque to match; and with this Mrs. Wood wore a handsome coat of Persian lamb, with Hudson Bay sable collar, and splendid muff. Only the immediate family and friends of the bride and bridegroom were present, and after a happy evening gathering, Mr and Mrs. Wood left for New York, and a trip in the States, before reaching their pretty home in Morrisey, B. C. The presents sent from far and near were very numerous and beautiful.

MOTIVE OF BOMBARDMENT IS NOT UNDERSTOOD

Germany Has No Information--Officals at a Disadvantage in Communicating With Venezuela

Berlin, Jan. 22.—Neither the Foreign Office here nor the Navy department has received reports of the bombardments of Fort San Carlos. At both places it is said no orders were given to bombard the fort. The naval officials admit they knew the Vineta was proceeding to Maracaibo, but they did not anticipate a bombardment. The Foreign Office regrets extremely that it is unable to publish a report on the subject, due to the fact that it is wholly without information through defective means of communication by way of Curacoa, and owing to the German Consul at Maracaibo being cut off from reporting by cable to the authorities at Berlin. The officials admit that the incident is likely to "renew anti-German agitation in the United States," and say they recognize the disadvantage Germany is placed in through the impossibility of getting prompt reports from Venezuela. The Foreign Office does not even know what was the purpose of the Panter in its first action against Fort San Carlos.

CANTATA AT ALL SAINTS

A Very Pleasing Performance by the Children and Others

The cantata at All saints' church last evening was cleverly performed. The recitations by the children, in addition, were also clever. A piano solo by Miss Ida Mulholland, entitled "Il Trovatore," was the first piece on the program. For one so young she plays with great brilliancy, and bids fair to become famous as a musician. She also took the part of the waif in the cantata very acceptably. Little Aleita Salisbury, who took an arduous part in the play showed wonderful histrionic ability. Master Herbert Rush, who took the leading part among the boys, acquitted himself creditably. Mr. Legg as Santa Claus was quite realistic. Miss Bullen in her accompaniments, and Miss Elliott in her singing are also worthy of praise. Indeed the part of everyone was rendered faultlessly, and redounds to the credit of the management. A vocal solo, entitled "Just for to-day," was admirably rendered by Miss Mary Rush. The Rector gave an interesting discourse on the origin of Santa Claus. The Rev. Mr. Langfeldt also delivered an address interspersed with humor. The whole concluded with "God Save the King," in which the large audience joined. The performance is to be repeated to-night.

T. A. S. Defeat Bobcaygeon Last Night

By a Score of Nine to One—Belleville and Peterborough Play To-Night

There was a good turnout last night for the T.A.S.-Bobcaygeon hockey match in the Brock street rink, this being the deciding game in this district for the Trent Valley League. The score at the finish stood 9—1 in favor of the T.A.S. During the first half none of the players were sent to the fence, and the play was fast at all times. Six goals were scored by the home team, two each by Lynch, Parnell and George. The visitors failed to make the nets at all up to this time, and their goalkeeper, Cameron, had been kept pretty busy besides, proving himself well qualified for the position. The left wing and centre of the Bobcaygeon team had particularly distinguished themselves, but to no avail.

Shortly after the commencement of the second half George scored again, then things became very interesting for awhile and within a short time four men had been ruled off, two from each team. After some hard work and good combination play by the left wing and center the Bobcaygeon men scored their first and only goal, but this had been preceded by a score to the credit of McGrath, who had had been doing good work throughout the evening, and another by Lynch.

Parnell, George and Lynch had the greatest opportunity during the play to get in good work, and they made every opening count. Crowley was up against one of the best men among the competitors, but kept him well in hand at all times. McCoy in goal had a fairly easy time of it, though several well aimed shots had to be stopped. Shortly before time was called Meagher took the puck down the greater length of the ice, and at various times during the evening was called upon to show his mettle.

Of the visitors probably the best playing was done by the left wing and centre, who did some very pretty combination work.

The teams lined up as follows:

T.A.S.—Goal, McCoy; point, Meagher; cover point, Crowley; centre, Parnell; right wing, Lynch; left wind, McGrath; rover, George.

Bobcaygeon—Goal, Cameron; point Hunter; cover point, Hearst; centre, McIntyre; right wing, Trotter; left wing, Sheehan; rover, Garlick.

Mr. J. Anderson, of Norwood, acted as referee, the goal umpires being Mr. T. J. Donoghue, for the T.A.S., and T. Edgar for Bobcaygeon, and the timekeepers Messrs. Walsh and Doris.

After the game the boys from the north were taken in hand by the T.A.S. and treated to an oyster supper at Potvin's.

The next game takes place on the 29th, between Lakefield and the T.A.S. to be played on the former's rink.

O.H.A. Secretary Buchanan has issued a permit to Ernie Wasson to play with Peterborough. He resided there until recently, when he moved out to the little village of Warsaw, nine miles from Peterborough. Wasson was the goal keeper of last year's intermediate champions, and he has been missed greatly in the games to date. He will play to-morrow night against Belleville.—Toronto News.

Next Saturday night, Jack McDonough and George Gauthier will meet in the opera house, to contest for the middle-weight championship. There will no doubt be a large attendance, and as both men are in good condition, a close contest is expected. The conditions are: best two out of three falls, [illegible] count, catch as catch can.

AMERICANS FILL THE GREAT WEST

North Dakota Sheriff Speaks in Winnipeg of His Own Experiences

Said to be Over Two Hundred Thousand Coming in the Spring

Winnipeg, Jan. 23. — John Hanna, sheriff of Hanna, N.D., corroborates the statements made from time to time to the effect that the immigration from the United States would be enormous next season.

Mr. Hanna was accompanied by E. F. l'Larem William Nelson and Lou a Collins, N.D., and the four went out to Lake Winnipegosis district and each selected and purchased a half section of land, on which they will settle next year.

"There are fully twenty other farmers that I know of who have decided to settle in Manitoba or the Northwest Territories," said Mr. Hanna to a reporter for the Telegram, "and they represent over one hundred souls. They will bring a good equipment of machinery and stock with them."

"You were well satisfied with Lake Winnipegosis country?"

"Yes. We didn't want to look anywhere else. The land is magnificent for farming."

"A large immigration is expected from the United States this year?" said the reporter.

"Yes. I have friends in two or three states who are coming out, and from what they say and the general talk there will be an enormous influx. I saw the other day where one of the immigration agents in the states predicted that 200,000 Americans would come to the Canadian Northwest this season. He is well within the mark in my opinion. The country is so thoroughly advertised, and there is nobody to contradict anything that is said about it. With such farming facilities as it offers, and with so many people waiting for an opening, why should the rush not come?"

Mr. Hanna and his friends are guests at the Manor house and they will remain in the city for a few days before returning to their families.

NEW GRAIN IN THE FAR WEST

"Corn-Wheat" is The Cereal Which Promises To Add to The Pacific Coast

Tacoma, Wash. Jan. 21—A new grain now known as corn-wheat is being successfully grown in eastern Washington. It has the nature of both corn and wheat, possessing the fattening qualities of corn and the corn flavor. It resembles wheat. Its grains are twice as large as those of the ordinary wheat. It yields sixty to one hundred bushels an acre, and seems to solve the problem of fattening hogs in the Pacific Northwest. Corn is not successfully raised in this country.

Wheat growers at Moscow, Idaho, first introduced corn wheat four years ago. The entire production has since been taken for seed. Farmers generally are now raising the new grain and going into hog raising. As a result decreased shipments of packing house products from Eastern States are already noticeable.

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WONDERFUL RESULTS

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THE BOERS HAVE FOUND A MASTER

Though Mr. Chamberlain is thousands of miles away, and cable messages cost about seven times as much as transatlantic messages, his words and doings have filled the papers, even crowding down somewhat the records of the magnificencies of the Delhi ceremonials. Never before as the correspondents would have us believe, have the Boers had such a straight talking to. "Where is the money your original delegates took to Europe?" Mr. Chamberlain is reported as asking a Boer deputation at Pretoria. The rest of the incident must be quoted:—"This seems a very sore point with the Boers. Mr. Chamberlain was as cold as ice and as firm as iron. The money had been stolen, he said in effect; help me to get it back for your widows and orphans. The deputation had no adequate answer ready. An appeal had been made continued Mr. Chamberlain, for permission to the members of the late Government to return. But you are here; why bring others? Again there was silence. The attitude of the Boers was cold, almost hostile. They were obviously disappointed."

It is this kind of incident that leads the Pretoria correspondent of the Mail to declare that the crisis now has passed, and the Boers have found their master. More pleasing to Liberal ears is Mr. Chamberlain's emphatic assertion that the Government wants nothing from the Transvaal that it will not give willingly as a self-governing colony. Forced tributes are alien to an empire whose half-realized ideal is to be supported by voluntary contributions.

THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

So long as secret or other societies of a private nature choose to practise their little ceremonials for the amusement of those young men who have not yet reached the age of mental probity, well and good. Let the boys play. But when it comes to doing as the University of Toronto proposes doing, viz., giving up a portion of their time to teach a decidedly non-educational institution as the Kappa affair, we, in common with all who love the impartial administration of our public affairs, demand a halt. This sort of thing won't go. We think the men who compose the board of trustees could for one moment yield to the importunities of a Greek Letter Society positively alarms us.

Where are we if our representative men can commit such transparent follies? The University of Toronto has of late been gaining an unenviable notoriety for bureaucracy and if its authorities cannot see that educational institutions must be founded on the broadest of general principles, and upon those alone, then our provincial university will to our regret go down to an ignominious death. Already it has sunk very materially in the minds of those who love "light and a pure air," in the administration of our educational institutions. It is indeed our firm conviction that a few more such actions on the part of the university authorities and they will have to "go out of business."

While we are at it let us ask why it is that a great university cannot have a respectable magazine? Since the days of "White and Blue" (the childish outpourings of childish minds) the organ of the University of Toronto has been merely a mouth-organ. Queen's on the other hand, has a quarterly fit for circulation and for the enjoyment of men of average intellect. We are aware also that the present Toronto "monthly" is an organ of the board of management, a sort of censors of the narrowest description. Do these people think for one moment that public opinion can be either misled or coerced? The arrogance of learning makes some men mad. *The University of Toronto* has long since ceased to be in advance of the country; the people in fact are in advance of the university and we cannot flatter ourselves that this is to the credit of the university.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

The number of Bismarck monuments of all kinds in Germany and other European countries now exceeds 300.

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The Jesuit Pater Zottoli, who recently died at Shanghai, aged 76, was one of the leading authorities on the Chinese language and literature. He had been at work for many years on a dictionary of the Chinese language, which, when completed, will comprise ten or twelve volumes.

Hundreds of canal boats and barges fitted for carrying coal from the blockaded yards along the Kill von Kull and the west shore of the Upper Bay are idle in New York harbor. There are 125 canal boats, many of which are employed in summer in carrying coal to Lake Champlain, Whitehall and Canada, moored for the winter at Thirty-second street, South Brooklyn.

With a production of 16,329,905 barrels of flour in the year just closed, Minneapolis passed every previous record, the output running 407,905 barrels in excess of the product of 1901, which held the record. To make this quantity the Minneapolis mills consumed each day an average of 190,000 bushels of wheat, and for the year consumed a total of 70,400,000 bushels.

Injection of formalin into the veins for blood poisoning following child birth, is said to be a success. This is the discovery of Dr. C. C. Barrows of New York City. The remedy was tried recently on a negro woman at Bellevue hospital. She was in a very bad condition with blood poisoning and seemed to be near death. The process was tried and the woman is well again. It is stated that the remedy has been tried in 500 cases. Formalin is one of the important constituents of embalming fluid and a weak solution is used.

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Brunette and Blonde

A ROMANCE.

"If you talk to me like that I shall have to go in," she said, gently; "you must remember we are only friends."

Yet her own heart was throbbing, quick and fast, with the knowledge that Cecil Courtenaye, the proud, exclusive, fastidious Englishman really loved her. She had heard Lady Leigh say that he was considered a great catch, and that there were some beautiful and titled young ladies who would give their eyes for him. The feeling that came to her at his declaration of love for her, was almost allied to pain, it was so full of subtle rapture.

"You must forgive me," he said, almost humbly. "You will have to forgive me for a great many impulsive things, Hilda—friends often have to do that for each other, don't they?"

"I—suppose so," Hilda said, rather vaguely; then she looked away from him at the fair, quiet English landscape smiling beneath the soft rays of the moon.

"I did not know you were here when I came out," she said; "I wanted to look at the scenery."

"Do you admire our English scenery?" he asked, seeing that she was anxious to turn the conversation from its dangerous personal drift to the safe ground of generalities.

"Yes," she said, "I like it. It is calm, and sweet, and peaceful. It rests one to look at it. It is not grand, majestic and awe-inspiring, like the scenes among which I was raised. No greater contrast could be imagined than this gentle, tranquil lovely scenery around Locksley Hall, and the mountain cliffs and terrible grandeur of the New River. This awakens altogether different sentiments in the mind."

"This gentle landscape is attuned to love," said Cecil, speaking out the thought in his mind. "It is so beautiful and tender with the misty veil of moonlight spread over it. Do you smell the roses in the garden? The air is heavy with their fragrance. And listen, Hilda! there is the nightingale singing to the flowers. You have no nightingales in America. Did you ever hear anything so heavenly sweet?"

She did not answer—she was holding her breath to listen to the divinely tender strain. "It was as sad as earth, as sweet as heaven."

"'Tis the merry nightingale
That crowds, and hurries, and precipitates,
With fast, thick warble, his delicious notes,
As he were fearful that an April night
Would be too short for him to utter forth
His love chant, and disburden his full soul
Of all its music."

The romance and poetry of the summer night, and the near proximity of her lover, stole into Hilda's heart, touching it as it had never been touched before. How strange and sweet it seemed to have Cecil Courtenaye for her friend. Once she had disdained him with a pretty, imperious disdain. She had thought him a weak, white-handed, shallow-brained fop. Now she knew him better. Had he not saved her life twice? She was proud to call him her friend. She had never had such a winning, attractive friend as Cecil Courtenaye, and she had never dreamed how sweet such a friendship could be. Her heart still thrilled with the memory of the kiss he had pressed upon her hand when she had given him the flower she wore in her hair.

As she stood thus wrapped in tender musings over the friendship that was really nothing but love in disguise, she looked as lovely as a dream, with that tender light upon her sweet, spirited face.

Cecil felt as if he could have gazed upon her forever, but his dreamy enjoyment was rudely broken by a sudden footstep and voice that fell upon his ear discordantly.

"Oh, here she is, the shy little runaway, mooning on the balcony with Mr. Courtenaye! I did not know you were such a flirt, Hilda. Come into the house. Your papa has come from London, and is just dying to see you."

Hilda and Cecil turned around, and saw Florence looking at them with an expression of rage but ill disguised upon her fair face. They followed her into the drawing-room, where Mr. Aylesford stood waiting, in apparent affectionate impatience, for his daughter.

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CHAPTER XIX.

What The Earl Heard.

Florence's letter had so fully prepared and forearmed Mr. Aylesford that he manifested no more than a proper modicum of surprise at the startling re-appearance of the girl whom he had hoped and believed to be dead. He kissed Hilda with just the proper amount of paternal affection, told her how glad he was to have her restored to his arms, and thanked Sir Wilfrid Hale and his sister for bringing her to England.

"My dear," he said, drawing his perfumed handkerchief across his eyes to dry an invisible tear, "the joy of this meeting has quite overcome me, and let me hear the story of your adventures when you ran away that night in the delirium of your fever. Where did you go, and what kind and benevolent friends did you meet?"

Hilda had remained perfectly calm and composed under the torrent of words and caresses, manifesting no emotion of any kind whatever, but she answered now with visible coldness and constraint:

"I went a long distance, sir, and met with the kindest and truest friend in the world. But the story is a long one, and I am not strong enough to relate it now. If you please, we will defer it until some other time."

He was burning with impatience to hear it, but he knew it would not be the least use to urge Hilda. Under her calm, unnaturally composed demeanment he knew there was slumbering a volcanic fire of passion and resentment, that he feared to provoke into a destructive blaze. He remembered their last night together at the White Sulphur Springs, when he had cruelly abused and maltreated her, leaving her like one dead upon the hard floor where he had rudely thrown her.

The memory of that night was smoldering in Hilda's passionate heart this moment. He knew it, though the delicate scarlet lips were set in a calm and quiet line, and the thick, dark fringe of her lashes swept her [illegible]

(To be Continued.)

Kidneys and Bladder

Don't neglect these most important organs of the body, as you will regret it. Have you pain in the back, a dull feeling in the region of the kidneys? At times your water comes freely, a large quantity, light in color, with no peculiar sensations, while at other times you do not make it quite so freely, it is dark in color, you make a small quantity, and a sort of burning sensation? If such is the case give your condition immediate attention or more serious complications will set in. Our Latest Method Treatment guaranteed as a positive cure for such conditions, and remember WE CURE YOU OR NO PAY.

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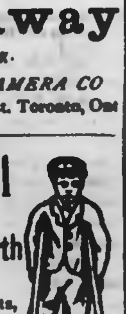

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ANALYSIS.

Moisture	4.05
Vol. Comb. Matter	30.72
Fixed Carbon	60.
Ash	5.23
	100.00

COAL VEINS.

The several layers or seams of coal available aggregate 27 to 30 feet in thickness.

TITLES.

These areas are held under C[illegible] Lease for a period of 80 years. Royalty 10 cents per ton of coal sold.

2.—IRON.

The Company has acquired by purchase immense iron deposits on the North Shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about 1350 miles from Sydney. The deposits are estimated to contain 20,000,000 ton[illegible] re above sea level, with probably as much more below that line. The iron can be handled for $1.00 per ton or less. Quantities of this ore have been shipped to Great Britain and the United States, where it has given great satisfaction, and we can sell large quantities f. o. b. at the properties, netting us a profit of $2.00 per ton. This ore makes the finest steel.

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OUTPUT

When in full operation, the output is expected to be about as follows:—

1. IRON.—200,000 tons iron ore shipped direct from property, showing net profit of $2.00 per ton, total	$400,000 00
200,000 tons fine iron ore shipped in briquettes, showing net profit of $4.00 per ton, total	800,000 00
100,000 tons steel blooms, showing net profit of $3.00 per ton, total	300,000 00
2. COAL.—600,000 tons coal, showing net profit, at least, of $1.00 per ton, total	600,000 00
3. AIDS.—Government bounties (averaged) added to above per year for 6 years	100 000 00
Total yearly revenue	$2,200,000 00

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Apl. 21st, 1902, to July 1st, 1903	$2.70	$2.70
July 1st, 1903, " " 1904	2.25	2.25
July 1st, 1904, " " 1905	1.65	1.65
July 1st, 1905, " " 1906	1.05	1.05
July 1st, 1906, " " 1907	.60	.60

If the production of steel from the Company's works be as estimated, 300,000 tons per annum, the bounties to be received from the Canadian Government will be as follows:—

1904	$225,000
1905	215,000
1906	145,000
1907	85,000
or an average of $100,000.00 per annum for 6½ years	$670,000.00

NET REVENUE

Total net annual profits		$2,200,000.00
LESS FIXED CHARGES:—		
7 per cent. interest on preferred stock	$70,000.00	
Sinking Fund	60,000.00	
Incidentals	25,000.00	
		155,000.00
Net yearly profits		$2,045,000.00

Equivalent to yearly dividends of over 30 per cent., or 15 per cent. half yearly on total capitalization.

If the capitalization was increased to $20,000,000.00 this estimate would still show a dividend-earning capacity of 10 per cent. per annum.

The capitalization of the Dominion Coal Co. is $20,000,000.00 earning fully 12 per cent., and is paying 8 per cent. guaranteed dividends on this enormous sum.

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A renewal of hostilities on the Venezuelan coast checked a market whose last night's indications suggested considerable improvement to be directly ahead. Prices were shaded at the opening from 1-4 to one point, though some shares opened at parity with closing prices of last night. There was an absolute absence of liquidation, no stocks being offered for sale, neither was it possible to buy any amount of stock at recorded prices. What few buying orders were put in at the market lifted prices. The news simply caused stagnation. Seldom do we have a market where the indications are so plain that it is a good purchase, as a consequence strongly urge and advise immediate purchases. Money closed last loan 2 1-2. Sales, 201,200. To-morrow's letter, facts pertaining to G.G.W.

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PETERBOROUGH, JAN. 23, 1903

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Canvasser Wanted

A good man wanted to work on straight salary—no commission—in town. A good position for a steady and reliable man. For particulars apply at Times Office.

An Improvement

The alterations to the north end of the G.T.R. freight shed, where the offices are situated, are making quite a decided improvement in the appearance of the building. When completed, it will be much more comfortable and attractive than formerly.

Progressing Favorably

The many friends of the family of Mr. John Johnston, of North Monaghan, will be pleased to learn that his children who are suffering from an attack of scarlet fever, are progressing favorably, and their early recovery is looked for.

Park Street School

The anniversary services of Park street Sunday school will be held tonight. Tea will be served to the members of the school, after which there will be a public entertainment, beginning at 8 o'clock, and consisting of moving pictures, etc. A pleasant time is looked for.

Barbers Elect Officers

At the regular meeting of Local Union 462, of the Journeymen Barbers International Union, the following officers were elected:

President—A. Mitchell.
1st Vice-Pres.—J. Mongraw.
Fin. Cor. Sec.—H. Gainey.
Treasurer—E. Leclerc.
Recorder—J. Shields.
Guide—C. Dixon.
Guard—E. Mitchell.
Representatives to the Trades and Labor Council—A. Mitchell, A. Brault, and H. Gainey.

West Peterborough Agricultural Society

The annual meeting of the West Peterborough Agricultural Society was held on Wednesday afternoon. President Dobbin and Secretary Green presented their reports.

An animated discussion took place as to the best means of paying off the $1200 owing by the society.

It was finally decided to meet again in the Council Chamber on Wednesday, February 4, at 2 o'clock, to discuss a proposition to be submitted by the Turf Club. A large attendance is requested

COFFEE HEART

Life Insurance Companies Now Recognize the Disease

The "Dietetic and Hygenic Gazette," a famous authority, said in a recent issue; "Medical examiners for life insurance companies have added the term 'Coffee Heart' to their regular classifications of the functional derangements of that organ. It's effect is in shortening the long beat of the heart. 'Coffee Topers,' they say, are plentiful and are as much tied to their cups, as the whiskey toper. The effect of coffee upon the heart is more lasting and consequently worse than that of liquor."

A well known physician specialist of Ladoga, Indiana, treats low he treats such cases. He has had many such. He says; "I will mention one case in my practice—Mrs. H., aged 54, very fleshy, family history good, has been for more than three years a constant sufferer from headache, heart trouble and smothering spells, accompanied by nervousness. Had to lie down when attacked by these spells. She was treating all the time but got worse.

"I soon found out she had 'coffee heart' and promptly cured her in this way: I forbade her coffee and put her on Postum Cereal Coffee instead. She reported in five weeks and said she had not had a bad spell since and felt sound and well. This was four years ago and she is now a picture of perfect health and happiness.

"This is only one case out of many. I know the Doctor's bills would be small but I also know the case would bring lots of others to me. Few people realize the great value of Postum. It is not a 'cure-all' but it has been the means of relief to more people than anything ever introduced on the American bill of fare. I have seen some wonderful results from its use." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

MEN STILL OUT

No New Developments Yesterday in the Ackerman Strike

The situation in regard to the strike at the Ackerman factory was unchanged yesterday. Mr. Ackerman still declines to recognize the union, and the union men refuse to return as individuals. It is hoped that a settlement in the matter will soon be made.

OBITUARY

Captain Povah, Well Known Here, Died in Detroit

Those here who knew Captain Povah will receive with regret the news of his death, which occurred a few days ago in Detroit. The deceased was in Peterborough about two weeks ago, and was then in fair health. He was married to a Canadian, Miss Goddard, and hence was connected with a number of families here. For some years he represented the Collier Publishing Company, but lately he led a retired life.

OUR LETTER-BOX

NOTE—The Times does not hold itself in any way responsible for the opinions expressed by its correspondents.—Ed. Times.

ASHBURNHAM FIRE ALARMS

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—The question of a proper system of fire alarm boxes for Ashburnham has been brought up in the council at various times in the past, but up to the present no definite action in the matter has been taken. If a fire were to occur during the day, the only means at present available for sending in an alarm would be to go to some private telephone, if a person knew where to find one, or else walk over to Peterborough and give the alarm. At night the difficulty would be still greater. Fortunately, our village has been comparatively free from fires for some time, but this is no guarantee of our good fortune for the future. The council should at once take steps to provide a convenient way of sending alarms, and then have their action made as widely known as possible, so that if ever occasion should require, any one observing a fire would be able to notify the Fire Hall at once.

"EAST SIDE."

CURE OF BRONCHITIS

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—I see by a recent issue of your great family journal that a new cure for bronchitis has been discovered. With all due respect to the scientist who gives the new theory to the world I am of opinion that, in this matter at least, the following old treatment is the safest:

Honey, rum, lemon and egg
Will cure a cold in a wooden leg.
or
Lemon, rum, egg and honey
Cure colds, and cost little money.

I trust you will give the above equal prominence with the public-spirited production which I applaud, while I somewhat controvert it.

Peterboro, Jan. 20 D. H. M

We are pleased to give the above space in these columns, and take the liberty of adding a verse by this g. f. j.'s own special poet emphasizing the above:

Rum, egg, honey and lemon
Cure colds in ladies; also in gem'men.

If the poetry (?) don't kill, we are quite sure the disease won't — The Editor.]

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mrs. (Rev.) E. A. Langfeldt is in Orillia visiting her parents.

—Mr. Chas. McNeill, Reeve of Cavan, was in town yesterday.

—Mrs. Ross Payne is having as her guest Mrs. Geo. Buchanan, of Havelock.

—Miss Fair, 165 Dickson street, has gone to Clifton Springs, and will be absent for some time.

—Mr. F. H. Jory, Lakefield, was in town yesterday, and gave The Times a call.

—Mrs. John Armour, of Brooklyn, N.Y., is the guest of her friend, Mrs. David Oliver, Ashburnham.

—Toronto Normal School opened yesterday with 120 students, an unusually large number. Principal Scott presided.

—With deep regret her many friends will hear that the condition of Mrs. C. E. Hubbs, of Ashburnham, was much more serious yesterday.

—Mr. Geo. Havery, who left Peterborough twenty-three years ago, is here for a short time from Idaho renewing acquaintances.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Flags were flying at half-mast yesterday, it being the second anniversary of the death of our late beloved Queen Victoria.

—The Ladies' Reading Circle of St. Peter's T.A.S. meets to-night. Miss L. Dannard will give a paper on "Goldsmith."

—The Toronto Loan and Savings Company will hold their annual meeting at two o'clock this afternoon.

—Rev. E. F. Torrance, D.D., lectured on "Missions" at an open meeting of the "Improvement Society," in the Union Hall, at Stewarts, Otonabee, last night.

—The A.O.U.W. concert in the opera house to-night promises to be highly successful. The attendance will doubtless be large, as each performer is a noted artist.

—It is expected that the officers of Pontypool Lodge of Oddfellows will be installed on Friday evening, January 30, and those of Royal Lodge, Havelock, tonight.

—Mr. G. W. Fitzgerald, County Councillor, has purchased the residence on London street, formerly owned by Mr. John McKee, and now occupied by Mr. A. A. Stevenson.

—Two girls desiring board, or furnished rooms without board, can be accommodated in a comfortable home, where no other boarders are kept. Only five minutes walk to the postoffice. Apply for address to Times Bookstore.

—Wood is still being offered in pretty good quantities on the market, but the price still remains at a high level.

—Belleville and Peterborough Seniors play in the first round of the O.H.A. finals to-night at Brock street rink. The game promises to be quite as close and exciting as the game last Monday night.

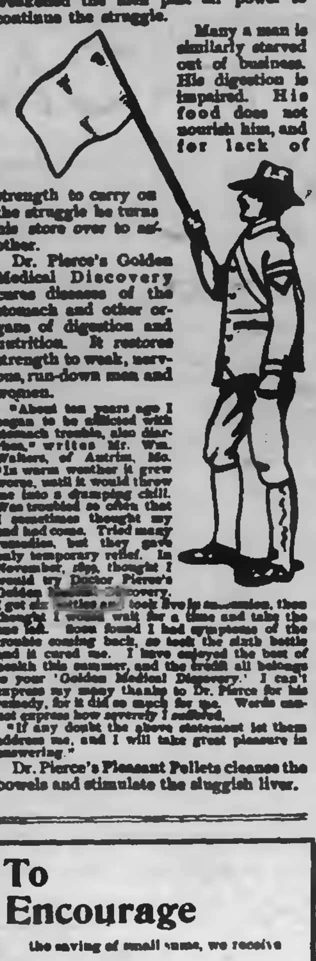
—Among those injured in the G.T.R. wreck near Port Hope, was Mr. W. H. Butler, of Lakefield, a brakeman, who was badly shaken up. His foot is also crushed, and his condition is somewhat serious.

—The driver of the bus who picked up a pair of horse blankets when driving up from the race course yesterday is requested to leave them at the police station, or he will get into trouble, as he is known.

—The Lindsay Oddfellows have been invited to pay a fraternal visit to Peterborough in the near future, and have signified their acceptance. A pleasant time is promised, as the warmest feelings exist between the Lindsay and the local brethren of the three links.

STARVED OUT.

Many a garrison has been forced to give up the fight and hang out the white flag of surrender, when lack of food has weakened the men past all power to continue the struggle.



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Flour, bakers', per cwt.	[illegible] to [illegible]
COARSE GRAIN	
Barley, per bushel	[illegible] to [illegible]
Peas, small	[illegible] to [illegible]
Peas, mammoth	[illegible] to [illegible]
Oats	[illegible] to [illegible]
Buckwheat	[illegible] to [illegible]
Rye	[illegible] to [illegible]
WOOL AND HIDES	
Wool, unwashed	[illegible] to [illegible]
Fleece Wool	11 to 12
Veal Calf Skins	[illegible] to [illegible]
Deakens	[illegible] to [illegible]
Beef Hides per cwt.	[illegible] to 7 [illegible]
Sheepskins	[illegible] to [illegible]
MEAT, POULTRY, AND DAIRY PRODUCE	
Beef by the quarter, per cwt	5 [illegible] to 6 [illegible]
Mutton, per lb.	[illegible] to [illegible]
Spring Lamb, quarter	[illegible] to [illegible]
Dressed hogs, per cwt.	7 [illegible] to 7 [illegible]
Pork by the quarter, per lb.	8 to 9
Lard	13 to 14
Chickens, per pair	[illegible] to [illegible]
Ducks, per pair	[illegible] to 1 [illegible]
Geese, each	[illegible] to 1 [illegible]
Turkeys, each	1 [illegible] to 1 [illegible]
Butter, fresh roll, per lb.	[illegible] to [illegible]
Butter, crock	[illegible] to [illegible]
Egg, per doz	[illegible] to [illegible]
Hay, per ton	[illegible] to 10 [illegible]
LIVE STOCK	
Cattle, choice butchers (steers, exporters and heifers)	4 to [illegible]
Medium butchers' (steers and heifers)	[illegible] to [illegible]
Light cattle and cows	[illegible] to [illegible]
Feeders, 1,000-1,100	[illegible] to [illegible]
Stockers	[illegible] to [illegible]
Hogs, select, 160-200	5 [illegible] to 5 [illegible]
Fats and heavies	5 [illegible] to 5 [illegible]
Lights	5 [illegible] to 5 [illegible]
Sows	4 [illegible] to 4 [illegible]
Stags	[illegible] to [illegible]
Sheep	[illegible] to [illegible]
Lambs, per lb.	3 to 3½
GENERAL	
Potatoes	1 [illegible] to 1 [illegible]
Carrots	[illegible] to [illegible]
Wood, hard	[illegible] to 7 [illegible]
Wood, soft	[illegible] to [illegible]
Straw, per load	[illegible] to [illegible]

DON'T FORGET

the Grand Concert under the auspices of Peterborough Lodge No. 135, of Ancient Order of United Workmen, to be held in Bradburn Opera House, Friday night, Jan. 23rd, when the following artist will appear:

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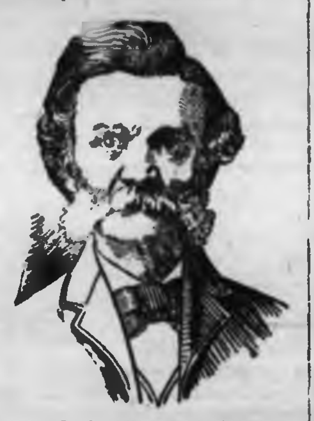

MR. JACOB CHURCH.

The following is a statement of Mr. Church's case as written by himself:

"For 34 years I have had a sore throat, which reached down to my lungs. I also had an abscess on my neck. I have been in the hospital off and on for years, besides being treated by good physicians. I have also taken many different kinds of medicine, but from all these I never received any help. I at last lost all courage and felt that I would have to carry disease to the end of my days. I have taken so much medicine that all of my teeth except two are gone. I had to earn my living, and you will understand my feeling when I felt my health and strength deserting me. I was advised to try Ozone, and I had also read of Mr. Stevens, who was 71 years old, being cured. I felt greatly encouraged that I might get cured by Ozone, although I am 66 years of age myself.

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Mrs. C. V. Mulholland, 66 Sonten st., Toronto, hay fever and asthma.
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Robert Tracey, Church and Park sts., St. Mary's, Ont., pneumonia.
Mrs. Chas. Cooper, 74 Byron ave., London, ulcerated throat.
John Beatty, St. Lambert's, Que., hay fever and asthma.
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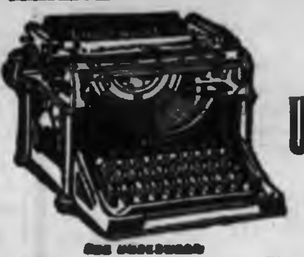

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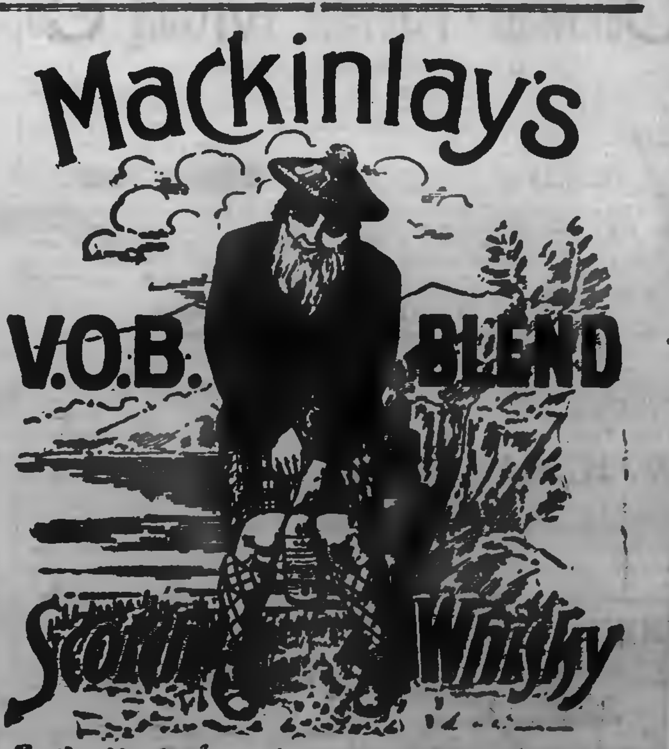

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NEWFOUNDLAND'S MEN FOR IMPERIAL NAVY

A Very Serious and Perplexing Problem Has at Last Been Agreeably Solved

Newfoundlers Require no Instruction and Easily Learn the Gunners

London, Jan. 23—Great Britain is proposing to solve the problem of manning her warships by establishing a naval reserve among the fisherman of Newfoundland. She will station a warship at St. John, Nfld., permanently, to train bluejackets, and intends to fortify St. John's and make it a strategic base, like Halifax and Bermuda. It will in time become of even greater importance than either of these, for as the naval reserve grows and the force of trained fisherman attains a substantial strength the defences can be manned in time, of need, should such be desirable, besides providing large contingents to help man the seagoing battleships.

Last year the British navy required 155-000 men for effective purposes, 119,000 to actually mann the ships in commission, 29,000 for the reserve, and 7,000 to form a coast guard. For years past, as the number of ships in that navy has been increasing and their size enlarging, it has been felt that the time was not far distant when the British Isles would not supply a sufficiency of naval recruits. That time has been accelerated by the Boer war, with its abnormal enlistment of soldiers, forcing the navy to go without its full quota of recruits. Additions to the ships accentuated the stringency, and new measures had to be devised without delay.

REMEDY FOR SHORTAGE.

England's remedy for her shortage of bluejackets consists in establishing a naval nursery in Newfoundland, the oldest of her colonies and the greatest fishing country in the world. There are 70,- men and boys employed in the maritime pursuits of the island—cod, seal, herring, lobster, salmon and whale fisheries—and the sailorly qualities of these fisher folk, it is said, cannot be excelled. The remoteness and isolation of the island have kept its people at these advocations for nearly 400 years, generation after generation has toiled at the nets, and today there is a population along the seaboard that in seamanship, fearlessness and physical strength will compare favorably with any in the world. compare favorably with any in the world. Inured to every hardship of the waves, or the icefloes, familiar with every danger that besets the sea, they are ideal material for the purposes the British Admiralty has in view.

FIFTY ON THE CHARYBDIS.

The determination was reached by the Admiralty in 1900 to experiment with the Newfoundland fisher youths, and a contingency of 50 was enrolled to embark in November for a six months' training cruise in the warship Charybdis in the West Indies. This vessel is the flagship of the squadron that patrols the French shore each summer, and during the winter they go south. At that season, too, the icefloes blockade this coast and prevent any fishing being done, so that it is a season when the young men are necessarily unemployed, and they can therefore, undertake the six months' drill without interfering with their regular avocations. The first contingent proved eminently satisfactory, the commodore and officers of the Charybdis, being unqualified in their approval of the aptitude and "teachableness" of the new recruits. In purely sailorly work they required no instruction. They could hand, reef and steer, make knots and splices, bend and stow canvas, row and sail boats, mount the spars, and do everything of a seaman's work about a boat. As oarsmen they proved themselves the superiors of the whole fleet, winning prizes in the annual regatta at Barbados, where they beat even the admiral's crack crew. But in the gunnery and warship part of their education they were, of course, backward; but not so much so but that 44 out of the 50 secured first class passes when they were examined by a board of officers on finishing their cruise. The official reports to the Admiralty and the Governor were most encouraging as to the success of the movement.

CONTINGENT ENROLLED.

Last year a second contingent of 50 was enlisted from different parts of the island, and proved equally satisfactory. A picked team of oarsmen repeated the success of the previous crew against the fleet, showing that the physical strength and expertness were not exceptional. Of this contingent which returned here in May last, 47 gained the coveted first-class distinction. This satisfied even the doubting ones at the Admiralty that the plan was one which assured a favorable outcome, and this year 100 reserves will be taken, 50 in the Charybdis, and 50 in the Ariadne, the admiral's flagship. The cruiser Calypso, was also selected to be stationed in these waters as a training ship for the drilling of a still larger force. She will enroll about 200 men at a time, who will train and exercise in her, obtaining a thorough grounding in rudimentary naval knowledge and being polished off on board seagoing ships. It is hoped that when the autumn of 1904 comes around the British North Atlantic Squadron of ten or twelve ships will be able to assemble in this harbor and embark from 60 to 80 men each for the winter's training in the Caribbean. At the same time orphan boys and others willing to take service as regulars will be drafted into the Calypso, and after preliminary tuition will be transferred to the other ships to supplement their crews. The reserves of previous years who have done their sea drill will also assemble for a month's gunnery drill on her each winter, so that they may be kept up to their work and their fitness to do duty on the cruisers be insured beyond question.

ARE APT SCHOLARS.

It would not be possible to imagine a greater transformation than the reserves exemplify, seeing them before and after their voyage. They enjoy the advantage of consorting with the thoroughly matured "jackie"; they model themselves on him; they have regular calisthenics and other exercises, and the prescribed drills, and they are taught orderly habits and are properly disciplined. They return better men in every way, and in the inculcation of these more desirable traits into her young men will benefit by the movement as much as Britain will.

The movement is popular in the colony and you young men in the fishing villages are eager to join the reserve. The prospect is an attractive one to those doomed to the monotony and lonliness of these "outposts" from childhood, and the chances of seeing a bit of the great world from the deck of a British warship as well as of contributing in some degree to the patriotic colonial revival of the last two or three years, form the chief incentives to a large enrolment. The men are paid a retaining fee of $30 a year and their pay, food and clothing during their term of service amounts to about 60 cents a day, whereas if they remained at home they would probably have earned nothing at all, so little employment is there in this island in the winter, and so dependent are the people on the one industry.

CURLING BONSPIEL

Spirited Contest Results in a Victory for Davidson's Rink

The curling bonspiel, which has been in progress at the rink since Tuesday, ended last night, and resulted in a victory for Mr. Ray over Mr. Connal by a score of 16 to 8.

In the primaries, Mr. D. Davidson's rink was successful in defeating that of Mr. W. G. Morrow, although at the 13th end it looked as if the latter was going to win, but on the 15th end, the score was a tie, and at the close Mr. Davidson led by 4 shots.

The first prizes for the Primaries are two pairs of red bone curling stones, and the second four solid gold lockets. Messrs. Davidson and Morrow, with the other members of their rinks, deserve warm congratulations in winning out, considering there were about 30 competing rinks.

The prizes in the Consolation matches are two pairs of red bone curling stones, and four solid gold pins. Messrs. Ray and Connal have certainly done well.

With the visit of the Scotchmen and the curling bonspiel, curling has certainly had quite a boom in Peterborough this week.

Great credit is due to the committee in charge, Mr. R. Neill, Mr. W G. Morrow and Mr. T. F. Matthews. Also to Messrs. R. Kerr and J. McIntyre, who directed the work of decorating, and to Mr. J. S. Knapman, the efficient honorary-secretary, who has had an exceedingly busy week.

Everyone regretted Mr. R. Neill's absence, he having been called to Detroit on urgent business.

The rinks in the Consolation match were:

W. J. Thompson	S. A. Oke
J. S. Knapman	M. Green
C. N. Brown	Geo. Giroux
S. Ray sk...16	J. H. Connal sk......8

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—It is expected that the officers of Pontypool Lodge of Oddfellows will be installed on Friday evening, January 30, and those of Royal Lodge, Havelock, tonight.

CANADA TO FOLLOW THE BOER STYLE

Canada to Profit Immensely as a Result of the South African War

THE COUNTRY TO HAVE MANY COMMANDOES

A Complete Revolution in the Military System of the Country Said to Be Contemplated

Special to The Times.

Ottawa, January 23—The Times' correspondent has received information that important changes are contemplated in the military system of the country. It is believed the price paid by Canada for her share in the South African war will be more than paid in knowledge she has gained for national defence.

The whole world profited immensely by the military lessons of the war. It was the first war with modern arms and ordnance and it was the first actual demonstration of the uselessness of the old military formation and tactics. As usual, England paid the bill, but the world has profited; France, Germany, Russia and other powers equally with England. It was a cheap lesson for them, but one they will be sure to learn.

As for Canada, the Boer war taught her how to defend herself against an invasion by any force, however huge. The government is already preparing plans for installing the commando system of defence used by the Boers in every part of the Dominion.

In the country districts commandos will be organized on the same plan as were the Boer commandoes precisely. These local organizations will be affiliated with the municipalities, counties and townships. Each township will be expected to enroll and parade at least one day a year, most probably Dominion Day its own quota of mounted men under local officers.

It is intended to make them, as far as possible, the leading men of each district. The men will each be furnished with a rifle and bandolier by the government. Each man will furnish his own horse and saddle. Each farm, according to acreage, will be expected to furnish one man mounted and equiped for commando duty.

The scheme has been received by military men in Canada and in England with unqualified satisfaction. England is perfectly frank about the value of her fighting against the Boers. It taught her that irregular troops were the most effective fighting troops and mounted infantry was the fighting force of the future. The ministry is committed in any event to the raising of a military reserve in Canada which shall give the country a fighting force of 100,000 men. Canada is better fitted than any other country in the world to emulate and improve upon the Boer idea of defence. Most of her young men can ride and shoot, and there is the most intense enthusiasm over this plan of military organization.

The British Government considers the plan calculated to still further cement the bonds of patriotic feeling between Canada and the mother country, if any such strengthening were needed. It is probable that no man of whatever nationality who travels from Halifax to Vancouver just now, however, will believe that Canadians need any spur to patriotism.

NOVA SCOTIANS GO TO DISCOVER GOLD

Equip Expeditions to Go to the Straits of Magellan to Do Placer Mining

The Region Said to Be Rich in Gold—A Second Klondike

Halifax., N.S., January 23—Nova Scotians think they have discovered a second Klondike. An expedition is being fitted out here for the Straits of Magellan. The vessel, a schooner of 130 tons, is expected to sail in less than a month, and will carry a complete apparatus for washing gold, amalgamating, etc. In fact so confident are the promoters of the scheme that they are sending out the necessary appliances to convert the yellow dust into bricks.

The schooner will take a complement of 27 men, and the expedition will be in charge of Capt. Charles H. McLeod, of Pictou, a mariner, prospector, and adventurer of considerable renown.

Capt. McLeod has been in the Straits of Magellan several times. It is alleged that the last time he landed there, in search of water, he was surprised at the brightness of the sand. On examination he found the sand to be rich in gold, and samples which he brought home proved this to be correct. He talked the matter up among his friends, and the result is that he will have a chance to demonstrate to them in a practical way the faith that is in him.

The natives in the strait are said to be a treacherous race and given to cannibalism and with this in view the schooner will go prepared to face any little unpleasantness that may arise.

Capt. McLeod made a trip to the Klondyke just after the craze broke out, sailing from Boston in a vessel fitted out for the purpose. He has spent some time at Nome and has thus acquired considerable experience in the line of "roughing it."

Nova Scotians seem to be reaching out for the treasures which are in distant parts. There is quite a fleet of sealers from Halifax in the Behring sea, and two more are on the way there now. The last to leave is commanded by Capt. Balcom, a son of Capt. "Sprot" Balcom, who, a few years ago, became almost a subject of international dispute by being seized on the Russian coast and thrown into prison on a charge of pelagic sealing. He is still in the city, but leaves in a few days for the Pacific coast.

A company of Nova Scotians own an electric light plant and tramway in Georgetown, British Guiana, and another in Port of Spain, Trinidad. Both are said to be good investments. It is now rumoured that a special syndicate is about to send a representative to South Africa to report on the chances for profitable investments there.

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THE DEED OF A JILTED MAN

Killed His Former Sweetheart Shot Her Escort and Then Himself

Chicago, January 23.—E. J. Conlin, last night shot and killed Jennie Dwyer, his one-time sweetheart, seriously wounded Frank M. Merritt, the young woman's escort, then sent a bullet into his own head, inflicting a wound from which he died today.

A short time ago Miss Dwyer told Conlin that he need not call at the house any longer. He insisted upon calling and Miss Dwyer refused to see him. Last night he hid behind the storm door of the girl's home and waited for her return from a party. When she and Merritt came up the steps Conlin shot Miss Dwyer in the forehead. Merrit was shot in the jaw. The wound is not dangerous. Thinking he had killed them both he then shot himself.

PENITENTIARY FIGURES

Over Twelve Hundred People Serving Long Terms in Canada

Ottawa, Ont. January 23—The average daily population of Canada's penetentiaries during the fiscal year ended June 30 last was 1,294, a decrease of 111 as compared with the previous twelve months. At the close of the year, there were in custody 1,214 persons. During the year 43 convicts were pardoned, 167 were paroled, 14 died, 2 were removed to asylums and 1 escaped. Seven convicts forfeited their parole. The one successful escape occurred at Kingston. Of the entire prison population, 858 were natives of Canada, 113 were born in England, 82 in Ireland, 12 in Scotland and 103 in the United States. The remainder came from other foreign countries. In religion 617 were Roman Catholics, 242 Church of England, 18 Lutherans, 57 Baptist, 146 Methodist and 102 Presbyterian. Deducting revenue the cost per capita at the several penitentiaries was: Kingston $397.97; St. Vincent de Paul, $290.92; Dorchester, $263.90; Manitoba, $403.47; British Columbia, $413.45.

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HAVELOCK.

—Mr. Stafford, of Belleville, is visiting Mr. W. Patterson.

—Mr. Byron Wilde, of Deloraine, Manitoba, is visiting Mr. Wellington Wilde.

—Miss Sadie Watson, of Orangeville, is the guest of her brother, Mr. James Watson.

—Mrs. Edward Fennell died somewhat suddenly last Tuesday. She leaves an infant one week old. Mr. Fennell has the sympathy of all in his very trying affliction.

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The Canadian Parliament

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 23—The Cabinet sat yesterday afternoon to consider the estimates. The date of the opening of parliament will be settled next week, and the impression is now general that it will be the last Thursday in February.

The Manitoba Elections

Winnipeg, Man., January 23—There are indications of a provincial election in June next. It is rumoured that the Roblin government will appeal to the country then.

CHURCH NOTES

Services to be Conducted at the Different Churches To-morrow

George street Methodist church—Rev. J. P. Wilson, pastor. At 11 a.m., the subject will be "The Work of the Spirit," and at 7 p.m., "Prayer." Sabbath school at 2.30, and at Grace church at the same hour.

St. Paul's Presbyterian church—Rev. E. F. Torrance, D.D., will preach at 11, and Rev. J. A. Wilson, B.A., at 7. Sabbath school at 3. Y.P.S.C.E. on Monday at 8, and Prayer Meeting on Wednesday at 8 o'clock.

St. John's church—Rev. J. C. Davidson, M.A., Rector. Holy Communion at 8.30, Morning Prayer and sermon at 11, and Evening Service at 7. During the day, Mr. F[illegible] K.C., of Toronto, will address the congregation.

All Saints' church—Rev. W. L. Armitage, M.A., Rector, will preach at 11 and 7. The evening subject will be the "Conversion of St. Paul."

Mark street Methodist church—Rev. C. L. Thompson, pastor. Services at 11 and 7. Sabbath school at 2.45.

Y.W.C.A.—At 4.15 the Secretary will speak on the topic "Kept by the Power of God." All young women are welcome.

Y.M.C.A.—At 4 o'clock Rev. W. J. Jolliffe will speak on the subject "Do Thyself No Harm." The George street Guild choir will sing. All men are cordially invited to attend.

PORT AND KHEDIVE

Strained Relations Over Route of Holy Carpet to Medina

Cairo, January, 23 — Relations between the Sultan and the Khedive continue strained. The Egyptian Government desired to change the route of the Holy Carpet pilgrimage to Mecca, and Medina, and telegraphed to the Hedjz, of Mecca, suggesting that the Holy Carpet, instead of proceeding as hitherto to Jedda, and Mecca, and hence by seventeen days' journey across the desert to Medina, and thence via Elwach to Cairo, should return from Mecca to Jedda and proceed by steamer to Yambo and make the pilgrimage to Medina from and returning to that point. The Hedjz referred the matter to the Sultan, who refused to guarantee the safety of the caravan between Yambo and Medina, stating the local tribes were hostile. The Egyptian Government thereupon despatched Rifaat Pasha who will escort the Holy Carpet on its pilgrimage to endeavor to arrange by means of Backsheesh with the Shieks of the local tribes for the safe journey between Yambo and Medina. Two days after the departure of Rifaat Pasha, the Grand Vizer at Constantinople telegraphthe Khedive that an irade had been issued absolutely forbidding the Holy Carpet making the journey between Yambo and Medina. The Khedive replied praying for the reconsideration of the decision, and stating otherwise that the Holy Carpet would not visit Medina at all. No reply has been received. Considerable disquietude has already been manifested among the devout Mussulmans here who while deploring the Sultan's decision by no means welcome that of the Egyptian Government. The question of the pilgrimage route is not the only bone of contention between the Porte and Egypt

BELLEVILLE DEFEATS PETERBOROUGH BY 4-3

In a Hard Fought Game of Hockey Last Night

About Three Thousand People Witness the Game, Including About 300 from Belleville

Peterborough met their third defeat on the Brock street rink last night from the fast Belleville hockey team, leaders in this district of the O.H.A. About 3,000 people witnessed the game, including about 300 from Belleville, who came up by special train to cheer their team unto victory, and a small contingent from Port Hope, who were deeply interested in the outcome of the match, they having a return match to play at Belleville, having been defeated at Port Hope by by the Belleville team by 3 to 2. It was a great game that brought defeat on the home team, and the spectators had the privilege of witnessing the fastest game of hockey ever played in Peterborough. It was a battle royal from start to finish for supremacy, although at half time the score indicated that Peterborough had to get into the game at a faster pace—the score being 4 to 1 in Belleville's favor.

The Belleville seven were heavier than the Peterborough seven, and used their weight to advantage, are very speedy skaters, and get away well together.

Their combination is good and fast, in following up they were always in their places ready to grasp every opportunity for an opening, while the local team, slow in following up, lost some good opportunities by falling back on the ice too far. The Belleville team showed no lack of training, and kept the same pace throughout the game, although the Peterborough boys played a harder game in the second half than in the first. McGuire at center for Belleville was probably the speediest skater on the ice, and played a great game, as did also Belleville's goal keeper, who stopped some pretty hot shots. Wasson in goal for Peterborough played a good game and was called on to put some good ones out of the way.

Referee Hugh A. Rose lined the boys up about 8.25 and started the rubber going. Peterborough made an attack on Belleville's nets, Cavanagh was sent to the fence. Belleville took the puck into Peterborough territory, when Wasson was called upon to stop a warm one from McGuire, Glover relieving, lifting the puck to the other end of the ice. Roy Armstrong sent in a shot but was blocked. The Belleville forward line went up the ice, but Harold Armstrong broke up the play. Glover was sent to the fence for 2 minutes, and Cavanagh followed him for 2 minutes. Wasson was here called upon to break up an attack which seemed like a goal for Belleville, but Erne proved himself equal to the task. Belleville brought up the rubber again and after a difficult shot scored after 11 minutes play.

In the 3rd Belleville sent some hot shots at Wasson which he picked out and cleared the nets. Graham started a pretty piece of combination, passing to Cavanagh to Whitcroft who scored. But Belleville again scored, and in 2 minutes McGuire scored for the visitors again, making the score 4 to 1 in Belleville's favor, neither team scoring again before half-time.

In the last half Peterborough went at it hard. H. Armstrong took the puck up the ice, but the forwards were slow in following up. Whitcroft sent in a hot one, but the man in the nets was in the way. H. Armstrong broke up an assault on the Peterborough nets, and after about 8 minutes play Cavanagh scored for Peterborough. Belleville started to play a defence game, and both teams were going at it for life and death, but after a shot from Roy Armstrong which was blocked, Whitcroft secured the rubber and passed it to Graham who scored. Peterborough tried hard to tie, but without avail. Whitcroft went to the fence three times, once for having a bout with McGuire, Roy Armstrong and Cavanagh also adorned the side. Belleville continued to play a block game, and peterborough failed to score, leaving Belleville 1 goal ahead. Score 4 to 3. Belleville now leads the district, having won 3 games and lost 0.

Referee Rose kept a pretty close eye on the players, although he dealt pretty severely with the home team. Both Cavanagh and Glover were sent to the fence at intervals without cause.

It remains now for Belleville and Port Hope to battle for first place. It looks like Belleville.

Colonists for Saskatchewan

London, January 23—The party of 2,000 British settlers destined for the Saskatchewan district of the Canadian North West will sail from Liverpool for St. John, N.B., by the Elder-Dempster Line, on March 31st.

A SHARP BATTLE IS NOW IN PROGRESS.

Soldiers Killed and Wounded by Warship's Guns--Engagement is Renewed

Maracaibo, Jan 22. —The bombardment of Fort San Carlos by the German cruisers Vineta, Panther and Falke was continued yesterday afternoon until 6 o'clock. It was resumed this morning at daybreak. The first shell was hurled at the fort at 4 o'clock at long range. At 6 o'clock the Panther, being of light draught closed in and again became actively engaged. The fort replied. At 8 o'clock the engagement was proceeding as fiercely as that of yesterday. Twelve dead and fifteen badly wounded Venezuelan soldiers were counted in the fort at 7 o'clock last night by the correspondent of the Associated Press.

A RAIN OF SHELLS.

The Panther left her position close in to Fort San Carlos, which she took up earlier in the day, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock and joined the Falke. This ship was half a mile outside the bar and about five miles from the fort. At 3 o'clock the correspondent of the Associated Press, in a rowboat approached one side of the fort, out of range, and from this point witnessed the long range fire of the German cruisers, which was continued from 3 until 6 o'clock. The Vinet and Falke were close together, and nearer the fort than the Panther; the first two vessels at a range of one and a half miles poured in a continuous rain of shell upon the fort, and only stopped firing with the advent of dusk at 6 o'clock. At this hour the German vessels retired seaward, after having made a second ineffectual attempt to land troops at the base of the fort.

At 7 o'clock Wednesday afternoon the correspondent who was accompanied by a Government telegrapher bearing a telegram from President Castro to the commandant of San Carlos landed on the island and entered the fort. The walls of the fort are terribly battered, and there were many evidences of the fierce engagement. Twelve dead Venezuelan soldiers were counted behind the ramparts, and fifteen other men, seriously wounded, were lying on a low platform. The fort is literally covered with pieces of broken shells. It was seen that a great many of the German shells had not exploded. The magazine had a very narrow escape, two shells having come within an acre of penetrating it. The walls of the fort which face towards the entrance of the lake suffered particularly, and were damaged. It is estimated by Commandant-General Bello that the German ships fired more than 1,000 shells at Fort San Carlos.

MAY REVIVE THE MANITOBIA SCHOOL TROUBLE

An Attempt to Reintroduce Manitoba Agitation at Ottawa is Forshadowed to Appear at an Early Date

Montreal, Jan. 22.—As a result of the series of conferences that Archbishop Bruchesi had with his Holiness the Pope, the principal work that will be carried out at the first conference of the Bishop of Canada, to be held under the presidency of the new Apostolic Delegate, Mgr. Sharretti, will be to decide on the action that will be taken at once on behalf of the Catholic minority of the Province of Manitoba, with regard to the school question.

In the interviews which he had with Archbishop Bruchesi, his Holiness displayed great interest in the school question, and expressed a wish that all rights should be secured to the Catholics of Manitoba. His Holiness, after being informed as to the rights given the Protestant minority in the Province of Quebec, desired that at least equal privileges should be accorded the Catholic minority in Manitoba.

Since his appointment, Mgr. barretti, the Apostolic Delegate, has not seen his Holiness the Pope to obtain from him his views on the subject, and as a result they will be placed before the conference of Bishops by Archbishop Bruchesi. Action will then be taken with the Provincial Government of Manitoba with a view of settling the question once for all, and it is expected by the Bishops that, owing to the largely increased Catholic population, the Government will recognize the justice of the rights demanded. Archbishop Langevin of St. Boniface will act under the advisal of the Council of Bishops.

What a Man Says.

We are only men, mere men, and perhaps our opinions are of no consequence; therefore it is with due modesty that I assert we do not like to hear slang from maiden lips. Both slang and swearing in any degree are most unprepossessing in a woman. The girl who shouts her "By Jove!" in the faces of young men is usually induced to change her note as soon as she is engaged. It is no small credit to her if she wins a man's love in spite of her repulsive methods of speech. It is strange that we should feel such distaste at hearing girls use expressions we ourselves use so commonly. I can only account for it on the plea that we are eager to fancy that women are (as they ought to be) infinitely our superiors in refinement and delicacy. What do we mere men think of flirts? The girl who innocently exercises the gifts of magnetism which she finds she possesses over the other sex, and who innocently rejoices in her talents, is not a sinner. She may be unwise, even blamable, but she is not malicious. There are, however, flirts who seem to take pleasure in bending men on their knees before them and in dismissing them robbed of some of their self-respect. These are cold-hearted beauties, and to be shunned by men as if they were serpents. On the whole, I think it must be said that men do not like flirts. It is our business to woo, not to be wooed. Flirts seem to rob us of our prerogative. Girls should, of course, be nicely dressed; but, that said, all that need be said by us on the subject is said. Extravagant girls suit few of us. We are tempted to look askance at girls who come out every week in a new bonnet—and a bonnet, moreover, "chic" enough to have cost something handsome. One more matter may be mentioned. It will surprise some of my readers that we should trouble ourselves about so small a detail. When I see a girl who treats little children and babies either with indifference or disdain, I mark her down at once as not quite the right sort of girl; and others of my sex are quick to notice the same thing and make the same estimate from it.

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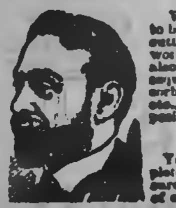

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MRS. MAYBRICK AGAIN

On a plea that she may lose coal lands in Virginia, worth five millions if she is not in court to give evidence, Mrs. Maybrick again seeks release from an English prison. The suits are nearing trial, and the renewed efforts in Mrs. Maybrick's behalf are regarded here as simply a new development in the struggle for her release which has been carried on for many years. Should the world-renowned poisoner be released on parole and once set foot in America, she would have her freedom, as she could not be retaken without extradition proceedings. If her testimony is of vital importance to the issue of the suit it can be taken by commission, in prison, or if the Government allow it, she can be taken before a magistrate in England, where attorneys from the United States may cross-examine her.

In the case of Mrs. Florence E. Maybrick the world sees the inflexible course of British justice. She was convicted of one of the most heinous crimes known to the law, that of doing her husband to death by slow poison while carrying on a criminal intrigue with another man. The poison used by her was the arsenic, which she laboriously collected from "fly papers," and her criminal purpose was revealed in a letter which her own child was carrying to the post office in care of a nurse maid. The child providentially lost the letter on the way. It was found and opened. Her husband died, and Mrs. Maybrick was given the fairest trial possible before an English court, and she was sentenced to life imprisonment. Every sort of plea has been made by friends for her release—that the late Maybrick was a "hard" man, and therefore proper to be put away finally; that her own health was suffering by imprisonment; that her mind was giving away under remorse, and lastly, that she found it necessary to visit America to protect her estate by appearing in a law suit. To all pleas and appeals of whatsoever kind, the British judicial authorities have remained deaf and blind. No "pull" legal, political or social, has had the slightest effect in altering the decision that Mrs. Maybrick, the husband poisoner, can expect no mercy. Her crime must be expiated according to the inexorable law of the land.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

As to the monetary prospects, the indications are for lower rates than prevailed during the last three months of 1902. Until the crop demands assert themselves there appear to be no shoals ahead, save the April settlements and the July disbursements. For the next nine months there should be fairly clear sailing, if speculation is kept within reasonable limits. Nevertheless, the supply of loanable funds is not likely to prove over-abundant. The demand for capital for new enterprises is enormous, and the inelasticity of our currency system tends to encourage firm rates. —Henry Clews' New York Stock report.

An English letter says American legislation respecting coal has attracted considerable attention there since the strike, and has led to an enormous increase of exports of British coal to the United States as shown by the Board of Trade returns. In 1901 Great Britain shipped [illegible] tons of coal to the United States. Last year she shipped [illegible] tons, the figures in each case including Atlantic and Pacific ports. The development of the trade is more forcibly brought out in the monthly returns. In December, 1901, coal exports to Atlantic ports were 1,[illegible] tons. Last December they had risen to [illegible] tons. It is thought that the temporary abolition of the American import duty will give the British coal trade a still further fillip.

The Canadian Society of New York City is to erect a tablet, in Wall Street, to the memory of Morris Robinson, who was born in Wilmot, Nova Scotia, in 1784, and who was cashier of the New York branch of the United States Bank, when that was the great national financial institution of the States. The occasion of the Canadian Society's observance is the 60th anniversary of the establishment by Mr. Robinson of modern life insurance in the United States, which falls on February 1. The making of the Robinson tablet, which is to be of bronze, is in the hands of Tiffany. The tablet will be affixed to the front of the building now numbered 56 Wall Street, on the site of the original offices of the first permanent American life insurance organization. The Canadian Society is inviting as its guests at the unveiling, prominent officials of Canada, and the formal exercises will be followed by a banquet.

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upon the faultless oval of her cheek. He was filled with secret dread at her presence in England, and most especially under the Earl of Devon's roof. Why had the baronet and his proud sister, one of the proudest ladies in all England, brought her to England, and seemed so deeply interested in her? Did they know anything? If not, did they suspect anything? Outwardly pleased and affable, he was inwardly racked with suspense and terror.

At the midnight hour when the old hall was locked in silence and repose, and the moon had gone down, he stole out to a private interview with Florence in a lovely little summer-house at the edge of the park. She came to meet him clothed in a long, disguising cloak and hood, from which her fair face gleamed ghastly white in the darkness.

"Is it not perfectly dreadful!" she said to him, in a low and agitated voice, as they sat down side by side on a rustic seat. "What will you do now?"

Mr. Aylesford smothered a terrible oath between his lips.

"I will rid myself of the cursed millstone somehow, you may be sure of that, Florence," he said.

"Whatever you do must be done quickly and cautiously, then" she replied, "for I believe that they suspect something. They guard Hilda as carefully as if she were some precious jewel. Tuesday I took her out boating on the lake, and adroitly tumbled her into the deep water. I managed it all so cleverly that she must certainly have been drowned, but that Cecil Courtenaye was lurking near, unseen by me, and swam to her rescue. He had seen the whole thing, and half suspected me. But I braved it out so cleverly that I staggered his belief."

"I suppose he has not come into the earl's wish yet?" Mr. Aylesford asked, anxiously.

"And never will," said the girl, with impatient wrath. "He is in love with Hilda."

"So I imagined," gloomily; "but of course the earl would never give his consent."

"Cecil can afford to do without it. The earl has no power to coerce him," Florence said, shortly. "But I do not apprehend that Cecil would have any trouble in that direction. You must have noticed to-night that the earl is charmed with Hilda.

"Yes, I saw it all; but it must be nipped in the bud. If nothing else betrays us, the girl's own face is a living protest against the fraud we have attempted. She actually resembles the earl."

"Do not say attempted," Florence said, nervously. "We have carried it out successfully. No one dreamed of an imposture. But of one thing I am certain; she cannot remain here. She shall not! You must take her away."

"I intend to do so, and that right speedily," said Mr. Aylesford, "but"—a little nervously—"do you think there can be any doubt of her going with me? Would she refuse to leave these people? You know she is quite capable of rebellion."

"It is quite possible she would refuse. She is fond of Lady Leigh, and would not like to leave her. I should like to know what the bond is between those two. I am a little afraid of their intimacy. Whatever it means, you must take her away. If she refuses to go assert your authority. Who could prevent you? She belongs to you. Who could refuse a man the custody of his own child?"

"You are right, Florence. No one could do it. I will persuade her to travel with me; take her to Switzerland—somewhere—anywhere, out of your way. She shall never return—you understand?"

"Yes" Florence murmured hoarsely, "and you must not come back yourself for a great while. I will send you money, and you must remain abroad."

"Why should I do that?" he asked, vexed.

"The earl detests you," she replied. "Your continual presence is a great trial to him. He is not over fond of me, and I believe the reason is because you are always around, and he is jealous of my affection for you."

"I wish the old dotard were dead," he muttered, brutally. "If he were only dead and you had inherited the fortune, all would be safe. Since the heir will not marry you, you can gain nothing by waiting for his death if he lived a hundred years."

"That is true. I had never thought of that. I, too, wish that he were dead. I hate him," Florence said, clenching her small fists angrily. "He is always lamenting that I do not resemble the Lornes. He is vexed that I am not an Amazon, and am afraid to ride a great prancing horse to the hunt with the fox-hunting squires around Lochamy Hall. Hilda's riding would set him wild with admiration, as her rescue of Cecil Courtenaye from the New River flood has already done. He has told me repeatedly that all the Lornes were dark and brave."

"Well, he is very old. Let us hope that death will soon silence his whinings. Then I shall have my reward for all I have done for you, my beautiful darling. It should be a large one, for I have dared and accomplished much for the sake of winning all this for you."

"It shall be large," Florence replied; "even to the half of my fortune."

They lingered a while longer, laying their guilty plans against the beautiful and innocent Hilda's peace and life, then separated, each returning to the hall by a different route.

The next afternoon the earl, in his courteous way, expressed a desire for Hilda to visit the picture gallery.

"Florence will be pleased to have you see the portraits of her illustrious ancestors," he said, giving a kind glance to his granddaughter, who had stood near, and heard the invitation to her rival.

"Oh, yes," answered Florence, carelessly. "I should like her to see the gallery; but I do not suppose she will care for the dark and queer-looking old fogies you call my ancestors. Americans do not care about ancestry, you know. But there are some pretty, simple, fancy things, by clever artists, that she may appreciate."

The earl felt annoyed at the spiteful speech, but he showed no trace of his vexation on his stern, handsome old face. Already he had heard something that morning that had filled his mind with terror and suspicion.

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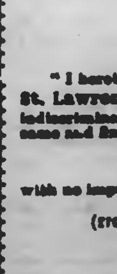

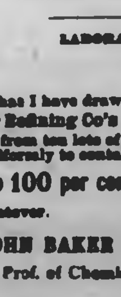

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SIOCK MARKETS

FACTS PERTINENT TO C.G.W.

New York, Jan. 23—The authorized issue of C. G. W. common stock is $30,000,000 of which $23,500,000 was outstanding at the last annual report. Two months $6,500,000 additional common stock was issued. An announced stockholders will on February 18th vote to increase the common stock issue to $50,000,000 to pay for Omaha and Sioux City extensions and for acquirement of the Mason City and Fort Dodge line. By this arrangement the C. G. W. secures for all time 503 miles of valuable feeders without the investment of a dollar in cash or incurring any indebtedness or other liability save an increasing in its common stock. To complete the arrangements will only require part of the new contemplated issue, leaving the balance in the company's treasury. The income for 1903 showed a gross increase of $535,227, after payment of 4 per cent on the debenture stock the surplus earnings for the year amounted to $21,021. As a rate cutter this road has but few equals. Its rates have fluctuated sharply. It is bound to be absorbed by stronger and greater lines as we have said before in these letters when advising the purchase of the stock much before present figures. They must do it to eliminate a freelance from the field if fro no ather reason. The road has a freight traffic averaging lower in price than any other western line. The company is making commendable financial progress. In four years its net earnings have nearly doubled while its freight traffic has increased 25 per cent. The road is for sale, but at a price much above present prices. It is certain to be bought in by the other lines and President Stickney is preparing to force the issue. It will sell much higher and consequently is a good think to purchase and lay away. We have no doubt but that it will sell between 50 and 60 in time, and not a very long time either. Under control of other lines lines with regular rates it can be made to earn far in excess of what is doing at present.

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Indian River Cheese Factory Meeting

The patrons of Indian River Cheese Factory, held their annual spring meeting on Jan. 14th inst, which was largely attended.

Mr. Rancier, who purchased the factory recently from Mr. Lonergan, was in attendance and congratulated the patrons on the good record which their factory has had in the past under the management of Mr. Lonergan, and he hoped the patrons would still continue and give him (Mr. Rancier) the same kind assistance as they had given Mr. Lonergan. The following gentlemen were appointed officers for the ensuing year:

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Sec.-Treas. and salesman—Frank Moher.

Auditor—William O'Leary.

Committee of Management—Messrs James Devlin, Patrick O'Brien and Maurice O'Leary.

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Quiet Wedding

At the George street Methodist parsonage on Wednesday evening a quiet wedding took place, when Rev. J. P. Wilson united in marriage Miss Carrie Palmateer, of Cobourg, and Mr. Henry Vanderburg.

Y. M. C. A. Convention

The convention to be held here from February 5 to 8 promises to be very largely attended. Every day names of delegates are being sent in, and those who are willing to entertain one or more are asked to send in their names to the association or to members of the committee at once. Programs are being issued this week.

NORWOOD.

—Mr. Cornett has returned from a visit to Gananoque.

—Miss Mary Foster, of Bracebridge, is visiting here.

—Miss Gertie McLaughlin has returned from a pleasant visit with her cousin, Miss Sadie Foster, of Bracebridge.

—His Honor Judge Weller was here on Tuesday attending a jury case, John Walsh vs. Thos. Trotter and Jas. Trotter. Judgement was given for defendants.

CANTATA REPEATED

At All Saints' Church Last Night Before a Good Audience

Another good audience assembled last night at All Saints, on the occasion of the second presentation of the Cantata. In addition to this, the prizes were distributed to the scholars and every pupil of the school received in addition a present. The officers and teachers and the committee in charge are to be congratulated on the success attending their efforts to please and entertain the members of the schools and the outsiders who attended.

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Mr. Peck is no Longer a Member of the Ashburnham School Board

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ASHBURNHAM SCHOOL BOARD

Inaugural Meeting Elects as Chairman Mr. H. Morgan

At the inaugural meeting of the Ashburnham School Board, Mr. H. Morgan was re-elected chairman for 1903.

Miss M. Thompson was re-engaged as assistant kindergarten teacher for the next six months.

Mr. E. A. Peck tendered his resignation, which was accepted with regret.

A few accounts were ordered to be paid.

I. O. O. F. NOTES

Peterborough Lodge, No. 111, will Entertain Lindsay Thursday Night

Lindsay Lodge, No. 100, I.O.O.F., has accepted the invitation from Peterborough Lodge, No. 111, to pay them a fraternal visit. The date has been set for next Thursday, January 29, when it is expected that a large contingent of Lindsay brethren will be here. Arrangements are being made to spend a very enjoyable evening. Probably some degree work will be exemplified by the degree teams of each of the lodges, after which refreshments, speeches, songs, etc., will combine for the entertainment of the visitors. The arrangements are in the hands of a capable committee, and it is hoped that all members of the local lodge will be on hand to extend the glad hand to the visitors.

Peterborough paid a very enjoyable visit to Lindsay last spring.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Miss Nellie McKee is entertaining Miss Annie Lyle, of Bowmanville.

—Mr. Orville Shortly has cabled his safe arrival at Liverpool, in good health.

—Miss Gertrude Lyle, of Bowmanville, is visiting Miss Laura Belleghem.

—Mrs. Thos. Thompson, who has been visiting Mrs. W. R. Thompson, has returned home.

—Miss Alma Frances McCollum has returned after an extended visit to Boston.

—Mrs. M. A. McNamara's many friends will regret to learn that her condition is so low that little hopes are entertained for her recovery.

—Mrs. H. P. Clarinbold, of Conway, near Kingston, has returned home after a pleasant visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. K. Conway, Stewart street.

—Miss Lizzie Drake, of Grafton, left for a trip round the world. She will be joined at New York by a niece of hers. They expect to sail from San Francisco for Japan on Wednesday next, and thence to China, and will probably reach Calcutta about the 8th of April, and will spend two weeks in India. They will also take in the principal cities of Europe and reach home sometime in July, thus taking six months for the tour. We wish the fair globe-trotters bon voyage. Miss Drake has many friends here who will be glad to hear of her safe return after so long and hazard a trip.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Two years ago to-day Edward VII. was proclaimed King.

—Tonight at 7 o'clock the Executive of the Strangers' Fellowship Club of the Y.M.C.A. will meet.

—The school in Section No. 2, North Monaghan, has been closed on account of the outbreak of scarlet fever there. It is expected to re-open on Monday next.

—The dance next Wednesday night of the Non-Coms. promises to be a great success. An energetic committee is in charge of arrangements.

—The following have been elected as members of the Quarterly Board of Charlotte street Methodist church for this year: Messrs. G. Minorgan, Jos. Forster, W. P. Adamson, Percy Hamilton, Jas. McCreary, J. L. Hughes, A. B. Cunningham.

—Next Monday the T.A.S. will hold an entertainment, when views will be given depicting Christian and pagan Rome. There will also be a lecture by Rev. Dr. O'Brien. Miss Hallahan and Mr. Gillogley have consented to sing.

—Another case of diphtheria has been located on McDonnell street, and every precaution is being taken to prevent the spread of the disease. The patient is a boy about thirteen years old, and his sister has been at school this week. Dr. Bingham has had the books at school thoroughly disinfected, and will keep them in his care until all danger is over.

MATCHED RACE

At the Park Yesterday Between Prince Hal and Re-elected

A close and exciting matched race took place yesterday at the Driving Park between Mr. M. B. Gray's Re-elected and Mr. J. Hinchliffe's Prince Hal. The race was the best two in three, and was won by Prince Hal. There was a side bet of $50.

A. O. U. W. CONCERT

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Peterborough Lodge, No. 125, A.O.U.W., is to be congratulated on the success attending their concert last night in the opera house.

The Master Workman, Mr. J. J. Turner, sr., gave some interesting information in regard to the aims of the order, and the advantages to be obtained by being connected with this organization.

The different numbers on the program were rendered in a very efficient manner, calling for frequent applause, and many well-deserved encores. Mr. Harold Jarvis, always popular with a Peterborough audience, sang in such a way as to give entire satisfaction, as did Mrs. Alice Cooke-Stock, also of Detroit. Miss Edna Sutherland, elocutionist, and Mr. J. H. Cameron, entertainer, gave great pleasure by the different selections rendered by them. Miss L. McGarry performed the duties of pianiste in her usual excellent manner.

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DISTRICT NEWS

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS

INDIAN RIVER.

—Messrs. Joseph and Frank Devlin are at present working on the wire gang for the C.P.R.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Garvey, of Smiths were visiting at Mr. A. Whibbs' on Sunday last.

—Mr. James Duff and Wm. Breckenridge took in the carnival at Keene on the 15th inst.

—Mr. John Grady and family are fast improving from their recent sickness.

—Mr. Stephen Murphy and John Smith, while training their colts, had the misfortune to let them run away. It seems Mr. Smith was driving across the bridge and the lines, through some mishap, became entangled with the animals' feet. They being colts, ran zig-zag for some distance and upturned the cutter, throwing the occupants out. Neither of the men received injuries of any extent. The team ran about a mile and were stopped by J. Lonergan, and driven home, the cutter being useless.

KEENE.

The first carnival of the season held last Friday evening was a success in every way, it being the most successful one ever held by the Curling Co. There were large numbers present from Peterborough, Norwood, Westwood and other places. There was only a small number in costume and the prizes were awarded to the best in each class. The following is the list of prize winners:

Best dressed gent—T. J. Wallace.
Comic gent—W. D. Laing.
Best dressed boy—Thos. Campbell.
Comic boy—Roy Weir.
Best dressed lady—Mrs. T. Wallace.
Comic lady—Miss Pansy Poe.
Best dressed girl—Miss Mary Bryce.
Comic girl—Jean Shaw.
Partners race—Miss M. McCann, and Mr. Jackson.
Boy's race—Ormond Weir, A. Doris.
Mile race—Mr. Jackson, Peterboro Mr. A. Edwards.

—The Norwood hockey team came up on Thursday evening last and played a game in the T. V. League with Keene, which resulted in a victory for Keene, the score being 9—5. The Keene team went down to Stirling and defeated the team in that town, the score being 7—3. The players in both games were:

Goal—Harry Dinsdale.
Point—Jas. Dixon.
Cover point—Jas. McCarthy.
Forwards—F. Walsh, V. McCarthy, G. Laing, H. Quinn.

—Several rinks from the Keene Curling Club went to Peterborough on Wednesday to play for the district cup and have a game with the Scotchmen.

—Mr. Will Hewson, who has taught the school at Mather's Corners for some time has accepted a position in the Havelock branch of the Sovereign Bank.

—Mr. E. Wright, has opened a barber shop here and we hope he will be successful. He intends keeping a stock of pipes, tobaccos, cigars, etc.

—The death occurred on Monday of the infant son of Mr. Wm. Wood at Villiers at the age of 9 months. The funeral took place to the Pine Grove cemetery, Keene, on Wednesday.

Births—On. Jan. 15th, the wife of Mr. Milton Emon, of a son. On Jan. 20th, the wife of Mr. Wm. Wedlock of a daughter.

—Miss A. Dixon, of Toronto, is visiting her mother at present.

—Quite a number from here attended the races at Peterborough on Wednesday and Thursday.

RUSH POINT.

—Several from here have already made deposits in the Sovereign Bank branch at Havelock.

—Mr. Fred. Alley is seriously ill, rheumatism having affected his heart. Small hopes are entertained for his recovery.

—The oyster supper at Round Lake church was well patronized. The total receipts at the door were $65

NORWOOD.

—Miss B. Foster has returned from Picton, where she was visiting her sister.

—Burglars entered Dr. J. C. Moffat's drug store on Sunday night last, and carried off about ten dollars in silver. They wisely refrained from carrying off any drugs.

—Several of our citizens were summoned to Toronto last week, to give evidence in the trial of Mr. Llewellyn E. Morrison. As the judge fell ill, the trial was postponed.

—Messrs. Buck and Walsh shipped a carload of cattle and hogs to the Matthews Company this week.

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ISAAC BROCK, a citizen of McLennan county, Texas, has lived for 114 years. For many years he resided at Bosque Falls, eighteen miles west of Waco, but now lives with his son-in-law at Valley Mills, Texas.

A short time ago, by request, Uncle Isaac came to Waco and sat for his picture. In his hand he held a stick cut from the grave of General Andrew Jackson, which has been carried by him ever since. Mr. Brock is a dignified old gentleman, showing few signs of decrepitude. His family Bible is still preserved, and it shows that the date of his birth was written 114 years ago.

Surely a few words from this remarkable old gentleman, who has had 114 years of experience to draw from, would be interesting as well as profitable. A lengthy biographical sketch is given of this remarkable old man in the Waco Times-Herald, December 4, 1898. A still more pretentious biography of this, the oldest living man, illustrated with a double column portrait, was given the readers of the Dallas Morning News, dated December 11, 1898, and also the Chicago-Times Herald of same date.

This centenarian is an ardent friend of Peruna, having used it many years.

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GERMANY RESENTS STATES CRITICISM.

Declares That the American Press is Unfair in Its Comments In the San Carlos Affair—The Forts Fired First—The Germans Claim They Acted Within Their Rights

Berlin, Jan. 24—The Foreign Office representatives today, in conversation with the correspondent of the Associated Press, comments upon the bombardment of Fort San Carlos. One official said:

"In view of Commodore Scheder's report, Germany has a just right to feeling indignant at the fact that a portion of the American press is aroused over the false statements of what occurred at San Carlos without waiting for the facts in the case, and thereupon attacking a friendly power. The Panther's action, the official report shows, was strictly within the limits of international law. She was proceeding past the fort to enter the lagoon of Maracaibo in order to prevent the importation of contraband articles from Columbia, and in so doing was fired upon. The Panther, of course, answered the fire, as she was entitled to do. The attack was not made by us, but by the Venezuelan fort. We are quite unable to see why any neutral should express disapproval because the Panther replied, or because our vessels afterwards leveled the fort, since it was a hindrance to an effective blockade.

"The assumption that we want to prevent a settlement of the matters at Washington and the speedy raising of the blockade is wholly mistaken. We want the blockade to be raised just as soon as the powers have adequate guarantee in hand that their claims will be met. We do not even ask for the immediate payment of money, but only for guarantees. We cannot raise the blockade empty-handed, without any form of guarantee."

THE TORONTO SAVINGS AND LOAN COMPANY

The EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Toronto Savings and Loan Company, was held at the Company's Offices, Peterborough, on Friday, the 23rd day of January, 1903 at two o'clock p.m.

The President, Hon. Geo. A. Cox, having taken the chair, the Manager, Mr. W. G. Morrow was requested to act as Secretary to the meeting.

After reading the notice convening the meeting, the Secretary read the Eighteenth Annual Report and the accompanying Financial Statement.

DIRECTORS' REPORT.

The Directors submit herewith their Eighteenth Annual Report, showing the result of business for the past year, accompanied by the balance sheet to the 31st December, 1902.

The gross earnings for the year amounted to $180,748.12, and after the payment of interest on deposits and debentures and all expenses of management, there remained a net profit of $118,590.21. To this amount has been added $7,256.27, the amount carried forward from last year making a total sum of $125,846.48 for distribution, which has been disposed of in the following manner:—

(1) By the payment of four quarterly dividends of 1 1/2 per cent each, being 6 per cent. per year on the paid up-Capital	$60,695 52
(2) By the addition to the Reserve Fund	57,000 00
(3) By amount carried forward to the credit of Profit and Loss Account	8,150 96
	$125,846 48

During the year under review, the Directors of the Company decided to give holders of 20 per cent paid stock of the Company, the privilege of paying up their stock in full on payment thereon of a premium of 60 per cent., the result being that at the 31st of May 1902, the sum of $400,000 was paid in, together with the sum of $240,000 representing the premium thereon. The latter amount of $240,000 has been transferred to the Reserve Fund, along with the sum of $57,000 added from the earnings of the year, creating a total addition to the Reserve Fund for 1902 of $297,000, and making the total amount now at the credit of that fund, $460,000, very nearly 50 per cent. of the total paid up Capital.

At the 31st December, 1902, the total amount due Depositors and Debenture Holders of the Company was $878,154.86; by reference to the statement of Assets and Liabilities, it will be observed that this amount was increased during the year by $217,594.92, and now stands at $1,095,749.78.

The total Assets of the Company have been increased by $923,849.75, and now reach the substantial sum of $2,579,822.96.

The payments maturing during the year, on the Company's investments have been satisfactorily met, and the rentals from the property owned by the Company have also been promptly paid.

The books, accounts and securities have been carefully examined by the Auditor, and his Report is appended to the Financial Statement.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Directors.

GEO. A. COX,
President.

GENERAL STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31 1902

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.		
New Value of Investments	$2,515,535 35	To the Public:		
Cash on hand	2,543 63	Deposits and Currency Debentures, with accrued interest	$1,076,663 38	
Cash in Banks	52,095 15	Sterling Debentures	18,086 40	
Sunday Accounts due to Co'y.	9,646 85			$1,095,749 78
		Sundry Accounts due by Co'y		922 22
		To the Shareholders:		
		Paid up Capital	$1,000,000 00	
		Reserve Fund, 31st December 1901 $163,000 Premium received on Stock 240,000 Added from profits of year 57,000	$460,000 00	
		Profit and Loss Account	8,150 96	
		Dividend due 1st Jan, 1903	15,000 00	
				$1,483,150 96
	$2,579,822 96			$2,579,822 96

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

DR.		CR.	
To interest on Deposits, Currency and Sterling Debentures	$46,443 18	By interest on Investments, Rentals, etc.	$180,748 12
General Expenses, Taxes, Repairs, etc.	15,714 73		
Balance carried down, being Net profit	118,590 21		
	$180,748 12		$180,748 12
Quarterly Dividends, Nos. 32, 33, 34 and 35	$60,695 52	Balance brought forward from 31st December, 1901	$7,256 27
Transferred to Reserved Fund	57,000 00	Balance brought down, being net profit for the year	118,590 21
Balance carried forward	8,150 96		
	$125,846 48		$125,846 48

W. G. MORROW,
Manager.

On motion of the President, Hon. Geo. A. Cox, seconded by the Vice-President, Mr. Richard Hall, the above report was unanimously adopted. The usual resolutions were passed, after which the following gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing year.

PRESIDENT:
HON. GEO. A. COX.
VICE-PRESIDENTS:
RICHARD HALL, A. A. COX,
PETER HAMILTON,
A. L. DAVIS,
D. W. DUMBLE,
H. C. COX,
H. J. LEFEORE,
JAS. STEVENSON,
W. G. MORROW.

LAKEFIELD.

—We regret to announce that Mr. John Holmes has been confined to the house by illness.

—Wood has been so scarce at the school that holidays have been frequent of late.

—Mr. R. Q. Dench has been appointed to fill the vacancy on the school board.

—Miss Kate Simpson has gone to attend Toronto Normal School.

—Mr. Fred. Erskine, who has been in Pittsburg, Pa., came home last week.

Terrible Death of a Sawyer

Three Rivers, Jan. 26— Farmers coming in from St. Prosper, a village some distance from this city, report the tragic death of Albert Jobidon, a sawyer in the saw mills at that place. He was using a saw which was not provided with a guard, when his arm got caught, and he was dragged into the saw where he was literally cut in two. He died four hours later, after suffering intense agony.

OBITUARY

Death of the Mother of Mr. Joseph Jones of Peterborough

The Port Hope Times says:—Another of the old and respected residents of Hope passed to the great beyond on Wednesday, January 21st, in the person of Mrs. Martha Jane Jones, relict of the late Wm. Jones of Hope Township, at the ripe old age of 84 years and 8 months.

The deceased was born in county Turone, Ireland, and was married there to her late husband Wm. Jones 63 years ago. In about three years after they were married, they sailed for this country, coming direct to Hope Township, where they settled, and since resided until their deaths. A family of four sons and three daughters were born to them. Joseph, in Peterborough, William —died— John, Hope Township, Benjamin, Los Angeles, Cal., Annie (Mrs. Bell) Lindsay; Mary (Mrs. Henry) Trenton; Martha, (Mrs. Gorman), New York city. The deceased left her late residence in June, last, on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Bell, Lindsay, at whose residence she died. She was a devout member of the Presbyterian Church. The funeral took place on Friday afternoon.

KEENE.

—The sympathy of the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wood will be extended to them, on the occasion of the death of their only son, which occurred last week after a very short illness.

—At the annual meeting of the Otonabee Agricultural Society, reports were presented, and the officers for the year were elected as follows:—President, Wm. Newton; Vice-President, John Miller; Sec.-Treas., Andrew Shearer, Directors, J. J. Moore, Dr. Shaw, R. Humphries, Ed. Foley, W. J. Miller, R. Weir, Geo. Beson, Alex Wood, W. J. Renwick, W. W. Shearer, G. Howson, M. Kennealy, A. Weir, P. Drummond, Alex Stewart, W. B. Stewart, Joshua Smithson.

—A good crop of weddings is promised for the near future.

A PATHETIC SCENE AT TREASON TRIAL

Prisoner's Wife Faints in the Court—Lord Derby on Canada

London, Jan. 23.—I was present today at the close of Colonel Lynch's trial, and a painful scene it was. The prisoner was sentenced to death by the Lord Chief Justice, Lord Alverstone, in a most impressive manner. Colonel Lynch was pale as death, and had to be supported by two warders. His wife swooned, and was removed. The general opinion here is that King Edward will exercise the prerogative of pardon, thus pacifying the Irish, and also being in accord with recent precedent.

LORD DERBY'S TRIBUTE.

The Earl of Derby, formerly Lord Stanley, the Governor-General of Canada, presided at a large meeting in the interests of the Dominion, in Saint George's Hall, Liverpool, last night. The Earl spoke enthusiastically of Canada, saying it was the colony. He advised Englishmen to emigrate to Canada rather than to the United States. Mr. Hickman, lately appointed a Dominion lecturer, Mr. W. T. R. Preston, and Sir Alfred Jones also spoke. This is one of a series of important meetings organised throughout the Motherland.

Next to Africa, Canada is at present the most-talked-of colony. The last of some fifty discontented Canadians who enlisted in the South African Constabulary sail for home to-day. These men signed for five years, but for various reasons tired of the service. Some bought their discharges, others have been dismissed. Many have been assisted to Canada by Lord Strathcona, owing to his influence with the War Office. The fact is, that after the excitement of real war, these colonials soon tired of routine, pacific constabulary duties. Africa they say is a rocky desert, compared to Canada.

Rev. J. M. Barr, the Anglican clergyman, at one time a Toronto University student, then of Oakville, and later of Tennessee, says he has 2,000 English people ready to sail from Liverpool to St. John, en route to Saskatoon, March 21, by the Beaver steamer. I have just interviewed Mr. Barr, who says the party is composed of some of the best blood of England. The capital taken out by the emigrants is over £500,000. The idea of a homogeneous English settlement has appealed to the best class. Mr. Barr is assisted by Rev. Mr. Lloyd formerly chaplain of the Queen's Own, who fought at Cut Knife Creek, and was wounded there. There is no religious or other qualification demanded of the emigrants, except that of being thoroughbred English. Mr. Barr considers his scheme the best antidote to "Americanism."

THE PRINCES WEAR ROPE OF PEARLS

Solid Phalanx of Emeralds and Pearls at the Durbar

London, Jan. 21—The Delhi correspondent of the Daily Mail, in describing the coronation durbar, says:

Very soon the seats reserved for the native princes began to present the appearance of a solid phalanx of emeralds and pearls. It was hardly possible to distinguish the color of the chogas or ceremonial dress that each wore. Pearls and emeralds in descending curves from shoulder to shoulder covered many of the maharajahs; from collar to waist, displaced only to exhibit the star of their Order. Many of the jewels had been taken out from the hoarded treasuries for the first time for many years. At a distance the effect was superb, and yet intensely refined.

Looked at closely the jewels worn by the princes almost defied belief. There were ropes upon ropes of pearls of perfect lustre and the size of pigeon's eggs, emeralds the size of hen's eggs, and one swordhilt composed of a single emerald.

The two purdah boxes on either side of the subway, behind the Viceroy, veiled with green netting and bamboo "chicks," soon filled with the misty forms of women and a few children, among whom was the infant chief of Bharatpur. Round the red road below the ramped amphitheatre ran a light ripple like flakes of mica glittering under the vault of blue from which the sun beat cruelly.

THOSE PRESENT.

All were here now; every one who came from within the official limits of India—from the north-west entrance of the Straits of Malacca to Cape Comorin and from Cape Comorin to Aden—governors and lieutenant-governors, councillors ordinary, and presumably also extraordinary, agents and residents, commissioners and consul-general; chief justices and their learned brethren of the bench, bishops territorial and bishops non-territorial, secretaries ordinary chief, senior, private and military comptrollers, advocates-general, archdeacons and generals; inspector-generals, remembrancers and directors. All the pomp and celebrities of the Army, the Church and the I. C. S. were there, and conspicuous among them all a strong set, hard-eyed man, with a young, blunt-ly-cut face, with the sand of South Africa still ingrained in the crevices of his sword-handle —Lord Kitchener of more places than one.

And the English visitors, almost lost and insignificant in the mass, betrayed themselves in their dress only less than by their complexions. Among them, too, were men of high interest, mufti concealed many well-known figures in their block. This bench has upon it three of the most useful soldiers in the late war; that below them is known in every capital of Europe.

The Governors-General of Goa and of Pondicherry sit apart, with enough, indeed, for them to think upon. The one had the chance, the other almost had the empire. Supreme in their tiny patches of land, they still cherish the saddening ceremonies that always hedge about a might-have-been; it may be that in their heart of hearts they recognise that all has been for the best. Whatever the faults of our Administration of India, the imiganiation recoils from the results of a change. It would be difficult to guess whether France or Portugal would be the more, and which the less successful. Pro-consuls at our gates—representatives of two powers of which one has been and the other still is of world wide importance—they are given high place and full honor when they come. Still, they suggest by their very presence a hurricane of reminiscences, and if a successful persecution of the first English traders in India by the ancestors of both the one and the other is remembered they must be inclined to smile.

Still the crowd pours in over the back of the stands, and the clock points to eleven.

The weather is of the most brilliant description. Light fleeces of "mackeral" cloud, peromising a continuance for the remaining days of festivity, fleck the sky, which is otherwise of that whitened cobalt that hardly deserves the name of blue, as blue is known in Europe. No Italian wealth of color, depth below depth sapphire hearted, and paling only to a turquoise on the very horizon, but a hard, fiery, canopy without rest or relief, without depth or richness, in which the "unmerciless, unsympathizing sun" glares whitely and unkindly all its course.

But for the scene of the Durbar such a flood of the intensest white light was the true medium, and beneath the furnace-glitter of sky and plain the thousand and one colors of the mob merged into a harmony that in the duller air of Europe would have seemed painfully absent.

The massed bands have been playing for some time; a selection from Lohengrin has just been played by an orchestra of which Wagner in his wildest madness never dreamed, and played with all the effect that a month's hard practice together and the best conductor in India were bound to produce. It seemed impossible that so steady and soft a volume of sound could be given out by the acres of brass and wood and string and string that surround the Imperial flagstaff in the centre.

There is a pause. Then, almost before the amphitheatre is aware, the most moving incident of all the day is upon them.

As punctually as ever they obeyed an order in 1857 a company of 300 men, old and grey-headed, some still in the uniform that they then wore, some in later kit, many in plain clothes, march slowly across the northern opening and wheel round—a little raggedly, God bless them—and move up. It is impossible to describe the emotion of the packed ranks. Not that there was much noise. Only one wished that the band would keep quiet.

Of course every possible touch of banality was given to the moving spectacle by the brazen band, marching much too fast, playing stridently, "See, the Conquering Hero Comes," and helping in true British manner to detract from the solemnity of the occasion. Fancy playing "See, the Conquering Hero Comes" on an occasion like that! However, it covered much, the banal sequence of obvious chords. A man behind me was picking at the cushion and swearing quietly; another within arm's length was staring at the men with a white face and dry lips. Three or four others were frankly crying.

PATHETIC PARADE.

It was altogether a high trial. Here in the midst of the most splendid celepration of triumphant India, in the centre of a gathering that bespoke security and peace, surrounded by the chosen representatives of many nations to celebrate a throne made stable for many years, here comes in the risen voice of a horror and a gallantry that children of England study as past history in their schools. Perhaps many, certainly some, had seen the breach carried by Nicholson three miles away. Some, at any rate a few, may have seen him before he died. This man held out for the eighty-seven days at Lucknow that helped to disarm the mutineers of Lahore.

The little band of 300 — selected from 1,500 anxious applicants by a somewhat arbitrary and unnecessary process of elimniation—moved round the circular road below the densely-packed blocks, the least affected as all—not as weakly as might have been thought. As they passed one saw that one at least of the natives—who do not stand years as well as ourselves—was quietly supported by his neighbor's arm. It was a strange thing in one way with which to prelude so magnificent a ceremoinial. Those who have been through the South African war in any capacity will remember the curious thrill of unreality that the first sight of a scarlet coat in England caused. It was smart, it was traditional, but it was not business. And the sight of this variegated company of lod ment hrew over the whole ceremony that followed that touch of the unreal that from some point of view might be regretted. Speaking personally this entry of the mutiny veterans fulfilled the essentials of the durbar more completely and more dramatically than the best planned proclamation or speech could ever have acheived. There is only one word for it— it brought the King into the middle of the arena in a flash.

—To-morrow afternoon at 3.30 there will be a special meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A.

BRITAIN MAY HAVE TO USE RETALIATION

American-Cuban Treaty Causing Considerable Feeling in England

London, Jan. 24—The reciprocity treaty between Cuba and the United States threatens to raise one of the most serious differences of opinion between Great Britain and the United States that has occurred for years. So much importance is attached to the matter that a meeting of the Cabinet is being specially summoned to see what action can be taken. There is of course, no alarmist feeling as to any possible straining of diplomatic relations, but Great Britain's entire commercial policy is believed to be vitally concerned.

The matter came to a head through the deputation from the Chambers of Commerce of the United Kingdom, which waited upon Foreign Secretary Lansdowne yesterday. It included several members of Parliament, and represented the most powerful business interests from all the British industrial centers. Replying to the delegates' argument that all the advantages which the Government had gained by securing the abolition of the sugar bounties would be sacrificed if the Cuban reciprocity treaty became operative, Lord Lansdowne said he thoroughly realized the gravity of the situation, and proceeded to read despatches, showing that Ambassador Herbert had forcefully represented the British objections to the treaty, pointing out that it was to all intents and purposes a discrimination against all the British possessions in the West Indies. Secretary Hay's reply maintained that the United States was doing no more than it had the right to do, and intimated that it had no intention of modifying the Cuban treaty.

Lord Lansdowne added that all the information available pointed to the fact that the treaty would pass, but he announced that the Cabinet would consider if anything further could be done.

The delegates said they understood the treaty contains a secret clause stipulating that no further measures of reciprocity shall be undertaken by the United States towards the British West Indies. If such were the case, it was suggested to Lord Lansdowne that Great Britain would only be within her rights in retaliating with an increased duty on grain. The Foreign Secretary gave no intimation on this point, which, apparently, was only suggested in the hope that some of the members of the Cabinet who are reported to be strongly in favor of a more protective policy might use it as a handle to forward their views.

K. O. T. M.

Officers Elected by Peterborough Tent No. 69 for This Year.

The following officers have been elected and installed in Peterborough Tent No. 69, Knights of the Maccabees for the year 1903:—

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Lieutenant Commander—J. Hardwick.
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Chaplain—Alex. Morrison.
Physician—Dr. McClelland.
Sergeant—H. Huffman.
Master of Arms—W. Revoy.
First Master of Guards—H. Roberts.
Second Master of Arms—P. Lathangue.
Sentinel—M. Robertson.
Packet—J. Robertson.
Hall Trustees— T. E. Pratt, Dr. McClelland and John Titterson.

A LARGE PROGRAM FOR THE ASSEMBLY

Many Important Matters will Come Up Before the Legislature—New Assessment Act is to be Introduced.

The indications are that the approaching session of the Legislature will be no light one in point of important legislation. It is understood, although no definite announcement has been made, that the draft assessment bill, which was submitted by the Assessment Commission over a year ago, will be introduced probably as a Government measure. The bill cannot but provoke prolonged discussion, and it will stand it, too, for there is a lot in it. It will be recalled that the reason it was not introduced last session was that the Government thought it would be unadvisable to press it until it was read and understood by the people at large. That this end might be accomplished, large numbers of the reports of the Commission, containing the bills recommended, were distributed to the municipalities and full discussion requested. It is not likely that the Government will again postpone consideration of the measure.

The Attorney-General proposes to present a consolidation of the Municipal Act. The Municipal legislation has not been consolidated for five years, and it has become very confusing in the meantime. Amendments and amendments to the amendments have been adopted in great numbers, to meet changing conditions, within the past five years, until now it has become almost imperative to have a boiling down and straightening out operation.

Railway legislation, of some kind, or another, in connection with the new transcontinental line, is expected, and will be important enough to produce discussion.

With these questions in the van, to say nothing of the mass of private legislation, which is sure to appear, the members of the new Parliament will not have as much chance as they usually have for the airing of campaign speeches which are a feature of post election sessions.

HE COMPLAINS ON BEHALF OF CANADA

Correspondent Who Pretends to be Member of Ottawa Cabinet—End of the Preference?—The Charge Made That the Dominion Gives Much and Gets Nothing in Return

London, Jan. 24—A correspondent who hides his name but claims to be a member of the Canadian ministry, indulges, through correspondence in the Daily Mail, in direct threats against England if she persists in refusing preferential treatment for Canadian goods. The letter declares that Canadian manufacturers are suffering form the preferential tariff, some severely, while Canada is getting nothing in return, and asks how the Canadian ministers can meet a new party which must be reckoned with. The letter resents the influence of Washington in London in relation to Canadian affairs, and asserts that there is growing Canadian dissatisfaction, and a strong idea in favor of separate national existence.

The letter has caused some questioning whether it means the end of the preferential tariff.

IN GOOD SHAPE

The Affairs of the Smith, Ennismore and Lakefield Agricultural Society

There was a good attendance of members at the annual meeting of the above society, and the reports showed matters to be in a satisfactory condition.

The report of the Sec.-Treasurer, Mr. W. Sherin, showed $81.94 on hand.

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THE PATRIOTIC GIRL IS A CANADIAN

Excitedly Corrects Misapprehension on Part of Cochrane of Missouri

The Brave Girl Not Afraid to Stand up for Her Country

Montreal, Jan. 25.—'You lie,' was the uncompromising answer of a patriotic, high-spirited Canadian girl to charges against the loyalty of her country, made by Mr. Cochran, of Missouri, a member of the Lower House of Congress in Washington.

The girl who, among strangers in a foreign country, thus bravely defended her home land, was Miss Gladys Grant, a Canadian girl, who numbers among her warm friends many Montrealers.

Miss Grant, who has been engaged for some time in literary work, spent last year in New York. Last autumn she came to Montreal and visited friends here, gaining at the same time many new friends, who admired her spirit and talent. Miss Grant at that time had in contemplation a trip to India, with a view to a series of articles describing that wonderful country, but the plan was later on abandoned. Miss Grant left here to visit relatives in Ontario, and went thence to Washington, where she is at present staying.

WHAT CAUSED THE RETORT.

The remarks made in the Lower House of Congress, which led to the dramatic outburst above referred to, were during a general debate on the District of Columbia appropriation bill, which branched off to a discussion of the Alaska boundary dispute.

Mr. Cochran (Missouri), bitterly criticized the attitude of the United States to England, which he considered cowardly.

The climax came when the speaker said "when the truckling policy of the United States to Great Britain ceases, the people of Canada, now intensely loyal, will change their attitude."

From the ladies' gallery came like a flash the answer of the Canadians, as represented by one woman.

"You lie."

DUKE'S TRUNKS ATTACHED

Held For Security for a Diamond Merchant's Bill

New York, Jan. 23—The one hundred and twenty-five pieces of luggage of the Duke and Duchess of Manchester, which were taken from the Luciana on her arrival at this port on Saturday to the Holland House, are under a Sheriff's attachment at that hotel. The trouble, is over a bill for $856 which the Frederic Diamond Company of this city says his Grace owes. This bill, the plaintiff says, is for a necklace bought by the Duke for the Duchess on December 6th, 1900.

The Duke sent for a lawyer, Mr. Cadawlader, while the proprietor of the Holland House telephoned for George M. Pinney, jr., the attorney for the hotel. These two and Deputy-Sheriff Altman went into the cafe and conferred on the matter. It was finally decided that the house should stand responsible for the goods attached. It was understood that a bond would be furnished covering the value of the effects, and when that is executed properly the Duke and Duchess will be at liberty to go where they please, taking their belongings with them.

A Wonderful Tonic and Strengthener

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An Infant Prodigy

Syracuse, N.Y., January 26— Ontario Wayne county, has a whistling wonder which is attracting attention in that part of the State at present. It is the four months old son of Frank Denater, of that village.

Since birth the boy has been remarkable for a lusty pair of lungs, and his father spent much of his time walking the floor with him and whistling up to date coon songs. The child was an apt pupil, learnt the tunes himself, and is now whistling them, to the amazement of the community which flocks to the Denater home to hear the prodigy.

Ottawa Milliner Got Damages

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 26 — At the assizes yesterday, Miss Walker, milliner, was awarded $2,000 damages from the Ottawa Electric Lighting Company for injuries. She was walking along Sparks street where men were stringing wire. The wire fell and the end struck Miss Walker on the shoulder. She claims that it permanently disabled her and was awarded $2,000. She asked for $3,500.

South African Medals

Ottawa, Jan. 26— There does not seem to be the remotest chance of the Imperial authorities modifying the regulations, under which the South African medal is granted. Requests for extension of time, so as to include particular corps, colonial and otherwise, have been preferred, but this answer has been given in every case. Once the regulations are departed from, there would be no end to importuning for further changes. The opinion therefore prevails at headquarters here that there will be no change.

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"MAPLE" SUGAR

The Montreal Trade Bulletin tells of the wholesale adulteration of maple sugar in the province of Quebec, and says:

To what extent maple sugar is adulterated may be learned from the fact that about 18 to 20 carloads of granulated sugar have been shipped to the sugar districts in the eastern townships during the past season for the purpose of mixing it with genuine maple product; and it is safe to say that although some makers still turn out the pure maple sugar, the greater portion of the product sold in the eastern townships is adulterated. There are some who maintain that the adulterated article is as good as the pure maple sugar, as they say nothing but the best white granulated sugar is used, whilst sufficient of the pure maple is mixed with it to give it the full natural flavor of the latter. Considerable quantities of this mixed sugar have been deported during the past season, the United States taking most of it. Quite a lot of glucose has also been shipped to the sugar districts of the eastern townships for the manufacture of so-called maple syrup, enough of the pure product being used to give it the natural flavor of the maple. As we said before, there are trades who will not use the above adulterants; but there are quite a number who do. The price of the adulterated maple sugar is close upon the basis of the pure, being quoted at 8 to 8 1-2c. against 9 to 9 1-2c. for pure.

Canadian granulated sugar is not bad in itself; but it is not maple sugar, and should not be sold for maple sugar, nor at maple sugar prices. To charge a man double price for granulated sugar, in pretence that it is maple sugar, is simply to swindle. Glucose is imported into this country in large quantities. But it is never sold to consumers as glucose. It is always sold for something else, and that is a very good reason why it should not be permitted to come into the country at all. No article which is sold under any disguise should be allowed a place in Canada. Cane or beet sugar is cheap enough for any and every purpose. It may be that glucose is harmless. We don't know. But if it is sold at all it should be sold as glucose and under no other circumstances.

PENITENTIARY FIGURES

Over Twelve Hundred People Serving Long Terms in Canada

Ottawa, Ont. January 26—The average daily population of Canada's penitentiaries during the fiscal year ended June 30 last was 1,[illegible], a decrease of 111 as compared with the previous twelve months. At the close of the year, there were in custody 1,214 persons. During the year 43 convicts were pardoned, [illegible] were paroled, 14 died, 3 were removed to asylums and 1 escaped. Seven convicts forfeited their parole. The one successful escape occurred at Kingston. Of the entire prison population, [illegible] were natives of Canada, 113 were born in England, 62 in Ireland, 12 in Scotland and [illegible] in the United States. The remainder came from other foreign countries. In religion [illegible] were Roman Catholics, [illegible] Church of England, 13 Lutherans, 67 Baptist, 146 Methodist and 165 Presbyterian. Deducting revenue the cost per capita at the several penitentiaries was: Kingston [illegible]; St. Vincent de Paul, [illegible]; Dorchester, [illegible]; Manitoba, [illegible]; British Columbia, [illegible].

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No-Pay Hotel Guests.

"I wish you would have some new pens put on the writing-table," said a well-dressed man to the clerk of an uptown hotel.

"Certainly. Front!" and a boy was called and instructed to attend to the matter.

"Now, wouldn't you think that he was our star guest?" asked the clerk. "If you did think so you would be wrong, for he never spent a cent in this house. He lives quite a distance from here, but comes in as regularly as the day, reads his papers here, writes his letters at our desks and receives his callers in our reception rooms. He is not alone in his class. There are hundreds of men just like him. They are respectable, and in no way offensive, but they enjoy a lot of hotel privileges for nothing so long that they finally look upon them as vested rights."

The clerk told about the various kinds of "no-pay guests" to be seen in all New York hotels, and said that they were a source of expense to the hotels, but that they helped to distribute the hotel stationery, and occasionally some of their friends left a dollar there.

"The man with the long hair over there," said the clerk, pointing to a distinguished looking man who lolled in an easy chair with an air of proprietorship, "is one of our 'regular' guests. His specialty is newspapers. He has his breakfast at a coffee and cakes place near by, and comes early every morning. He sits about with his eyes half closed, apparently oblivious to all around him, until someone lays down a paper and walks away. Then he will jump for the paper quick as a flash, and begin to read. While he is reading he keeps an eye on the others in the room, and as papers are cast aside he adds to his store, but when he has finished reading he leaves the papers in the reading-room, and some of his fellow 'regulars' carry them away. At the writing-desks our expense for stationery is looked upon as legitimate, but there is one feature that goes a little beyond the limit, and is rather exasperating. That is the pilfering.

"Penholders, with pens and without pens, pens new and old and blotters in all stages, are carried away in great quantities. A man who is known as 'the professor' in the hotels in this neighborhood, probably because he was once a school teacher, used to sit around a writing-table for a long time every day, pretending to read, but he really watched for an opportunity to conceal a new blotter in the folds of his paper. When this had been accomplished he folded up the paper and walked out. What he wanted the paper for I don't know, because he did all his writing here. One day I called him aside and told him that he must stay away. He asked no questions, but he understood why. I am sure, however, that his place as a blotter pilferer has been filled."

In the winter these hotel loungers make the public rooms their club, and in warm weather they cannot be distinguished from the real guests in the fresh air parts of the hotels.

"Of course," said the clerk, "if we would allow everyone to make our house his headquarters we would soon have no room for our guests, but we do not. Our 'sitters' are reputable people, who have no business to occupy their time; old men whose day has passed or men who are waiting for something to turn up, and I am sure that they are all honest people, even if they do occasionally take a few pens and other articles of stationery or the daily papers.

"This class belongs to a New York hotel as much as that other class which consists of men who stand around the ticker all day figuring how much money could have been made if a certain amount had been invested on a certain stock. These people never speculate, because they have no money, but they haunt the hotel ticker, and live in hopes some day to play the game again which they understand so much better now than they did when they played it before."

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A ROMANCE.

ing walk, and gone into a charming little alcove curtained off from the library by thick and heavy curtains of fringed Persian silk. He had thrown himself on a luxurious silken couch, and, yielding to the feebleness and weariness of old age, had fallen asleep.

He was awakened by the sound of voices in the library. It seemed as if Hilda had come into the library, and Florence had followed her.

"Hilda," said Florence, in a high, imperious voice, "what are you doing in here alone?"

The earl lay still, listening dreamily for the pleasant voice of the charming visitor he admired so much.

"Nothing, Florence," the clear, sweet voice replied; "I only came in here this moment for a book Mrs. Courtenaye was so kind as to recommend me to read."

"Mrs. Courtenaye has installed you as her prime favorite, I presume," sneered the heiress. "Where have you acquired your taste for reading, Hilda? You used not to be fond of it, I remember. Have you been at school?"

"Yes," Hilda said, tranquilly.

"Where?" Florence asked, with a start.

"I spent the year of our separation at the best school in Richmond," Hilda replied with perfect calmness. "You will remember it, no doubt, Florence, as you received your own education there, at my father's expense, while I was suffered to run wild, untutored, and uncared for as a little savage."

"Your father has already explained the reason to you, Hilda," the heiress said, sharply. "He was too poor to afford us both a college education, and thought it only just that I should receive the superior advantages, in order to fit me for the position I might some day take as the earl's granddaughter and heiress."

"Certainly," Hilda assented, in a tone of keen and polished sarcasm. Its sharpness cut Florence like a knife.

"Allow me to congratulate you on having obtained a smattering of education that makes you presentable, at least," she said. "Your balcony scene with Cecil Courtenaye, last night, was very fine."

"Florence! you were mean enough to listen!" cried Hilda, in dismay.

"I could not well avoid it," Florence said, coolly; "I was just inside the window. And let me tell you, Miss Hypocrite, that you need not think to win my lover from me by your artful wiles. We are to be married soon, and I hope you will see the propriety of letting him alone."

"You do me an injustice," Hilda said, with a reproachful glance. "If you heard all we said, Florence, you must have heard him avow his love for me. I did not encourage him—you know that, Florence. If I had, I think he would have forgotten everything else but me."

Florence was so enraged by the girl's straightforwardness, she could not speak for the moment. Hilda went on, a little complainingly:

"You have been unjust to me always, Florence—harsh and unkind always. Why is it? When we were sisters I tried to be loving and kind to you, but you always repulsed me except when you had some selfish motive in view. Since I have come to England you treat me more unbearably than ever. What harm can I do you? Why did you push me into the lake that day?"

"I push you into the lake? Girl, you must be mad!" cried Florence, in breathless alarm and anger. "Has Cecil Courtenaye dared to tell you——"

"He has told me nothing. No one needed to tell me," Hilda said, spiritedly. "You deliberately tried to drown me. I distinctly felt you give me a furtive push with your hand; then you whirled the boat around quickly before I could recover my balance. Florence, what had I done that you should seek my poor life?"

"Girl, you speak falsely! How dare you bring such a charge against me, the earl of Devon's granddaughter?" cried the heiress, clenching her little fists in wrath and hatred. "Another word, and I will have you hunted from the Hall by my grandfather's dogs!"

Then Hilda arose and faced the furious girl, with a proud, imperious scorn in her regal bearing and flashing eye.

"Florence," she said, in a clear, sharp, ringing voice, with a tone of power in it; "I should advise you not to attempt such a thing, for your own sake. Unpleasant developments might come to light. I tell you, frankly, I suspect you of some underhand dealing with me. You and Mr. Aylesford plotted my life that night at the Springs when I ran away from you. Tuesday you boldly attempted my life. I have no doubt that you will make another attempt to kill me the first opportunity you have. It must be that I am in your way somehow, or you would not be so anxious to get rid of me. I warn you that I am on my guard against you, and I will unmask your wicked designs if I can."

She paused, breathless, after her brave defiance.

Florence regarded her, with parted lips and terrified face, for a moment, then she broke into a taunting laugh.

"You are mad—mad as a March hare, Hilda Aylesford!" she cried out, wrathfully. "I shall go and tell your father so, and have you consigned to a lunatic asylum, where you deserve to be this minute!"

With the words she swept from the room. A minute later, Hilda followed her.

And that was what the Earl of Devon heard as he lay crouching in the alcove, spell bound by a nameless horror that would not let him speak nor move. What did it all mean? Was the brave and beautiful Hilda mad, indeed, as Florence said, or was his fair and tender granddaughter, the descendant of the brave and noble Lornes, the designing murderess Hilda's frank accusation had made her out to be?

CHAPTER XX.

In the Picture Gallery.

Before the projected visit to the picture gallery was made, Lady Leigh sent for Hilda to her room.

"My dear," she said, "before you go into the gallery I want you to put on the ruby silk, with velvet trimmings, that I ordered for you in London."

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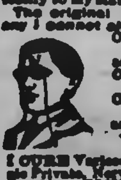

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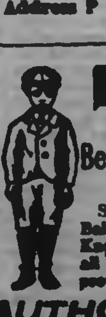

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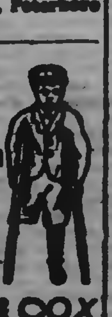

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Hockey Match

Double Header, Port Hope Juniors vs. Peterborough Juniors 7.15 "Cults" vs. Lindsay, 8.30

No Longer Trustee

Mr. D. O'Connell resigned his position as School Trustee at the recent meeting of the Separate School Board. The resignation was accepted and the thanks of the Board were tendered Mr. O'Connell for his past efficient services.

New Industries

Mr. J. Alexr. Culverwell has made arrangements to have some persons representing important industries, pay a visit to Peterborough this week to confer with the Manufacturer's Committee in regard to the advantages of their locating here.

Wedding Bells

Miss Jennie E. Lumsden, of Peterboro, and Captain David A. Hutcheson, of Detroit, were married on January 21st at the Methodist parsonage, Port Hope. Peterborough friends will join with The Times in extending congratulations.

Sentenced to Jail

At Peterborough on Saturday Judge Edmison sentenced George Freeman to three months in jail at hard labor, for breaking into Dr. Moffat's store in Norwood, and stealing $9.00, on Sunday, 18th January. Freeman was an apprentice in a harness shop in Norwood.

Won the Prize

Talbot Bros. have been notified that they have been awarded the second prize of fifty dollars in the window-dressing competition, of the American Tobacco Company. Mr. Heiderman, their popular salesman, who did the work, is receiving many congratulations on his artistic skill.

Opened Yesterday

The St. Paul's Mission Church, in the south end of the town, was opened yesterday. Mr. Sheriff Hall will act as Superintendent of the Sabbath School there, and Mr. J. W. Bennett will be assistant superintendent. The new building will be a great convenience to the members of St. Paul's church, who reside in that part of the town.

In Annual Session

The Cavan Agricultural Society met in Millbrook on January 21st, and listened to the annual reports. Mr. J. A. Tait, President, was in the chair. The treasurer's report showed a larger balance than a year ago. The following officers and directors were elected:—President, Chas. McNeill; 1st Vice-President, W. H. Lough; 2nd Vice-President, Col. D. Sutton; Secretary-Treasurer, W. Vance; Directors, T. A. Kelly, J. L. Fair, M. H. Staples, Robt. Walsh, J. W. Walsh, Jas. Hutchinson, J. D. Armstrong, Robt. Shaw L. E. Staples.

COFFEE AGAIN

An Old Philadelphia Physician Tells the Truth About It

A physician of Philadelphia, of many years practice, during which time he has carefully watched the effects of coffee drinking upon his patients, writes:

"During my practice in Philadelphia, I have had many serious cases of stomach kidney and liver disorders which I have traced to the use of coffee.

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"If you wish it I will furnish you the names of my patients so cured.

"Owing to the feeling that exists among the medical fraternity against physicians using the columns of the papers to advertise themselves, I request that you withhold my name, but you may refer any inquiries to me." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

STILL ON STRIKE

Report Says a Committee Has Been Appointed to Arrange Matters

The Ackerman employees are still out. Rumour says that at the request of the men a committee, composed of Mayor Roger, Rev. J. C. Davidson, and Mr. R. J. Kidd has been appointed to enquire into the alleged grievances and try to bring about a settlement.

STAFF-CAPTAIN MOORE

Of the Local Branch of the Salvation Army Going to Montreal

Staff-Captain D. C. Moore, of the Salvation Army, and Mrs. Moore, who have been here for the past fifteen months, will leave on February 4th, for Montreal. They have had a pleasant and profitable sojourn in Peterborough, and have not only made themselves popular, but have been quite successful in their work. They will be much missed here, and we join with their many friends in wishing them continued success in their new field of labor.

W. C. T. U. PRIZES

Will be Given To-night at the Y. M. C. A. Hall

The prizes in Physiology and Temperance won by the candidates at the Entrance examinations last June will be given out tonight at a meeting in the Y.M.C.A. Hall. Mr J W Garvin, B A, will give an illustrated address on the effects of alcohol on the human system. Some of the local clergymen will also be present to address the meeting. All are welcome. School children are specially invited.

An Exciting Runaway

The Lindsay Post says:—Mr. Wm. T. Moore, a farmer residing near Peterborough was driving a spirited team of black horses into town on Friday hitched to a sleigh. When nearly opposite the Separate School on Lindsay street the animals took fright at a small boy and made a dash for liberty. They ran north to Kent street, but on turning west, they jumped on to the sidewalk in front of Riggs' store, where they were brought to a standstill, but not before considerable damage had been done to Mr. Riggs' property. The large plate glass window on the east side was broken and four or five hand-sleighs were wrecked. The horses escaped injury, but the farmer's sleigh was badly smashed. We understand the plate glass window was insured.

LOUGH-RUNNINGS NUPTIALS

In St. John's church, Ida, on January 21, a very pretty wedding was held when Miss Maggie Runnings, of Ida, and Mr. O. G. Lough, of Cavan, were joined in matrimony. Mr. Frank Lough, of Dakota acted as groomsman, while the bride was assisted by Miss Jennie Plunkett, of Keene. The bride was given away by her brother-in-law, Mr. Mark Plunkett, of Keene. The bride was becomingly attired in a white silk organdie dress and carried a beautiful boquet of white chrysanthemums. Miss Jennie Vance, of Ida, played the wedding march. Many handsome and useful presents were received by the popular bride. The groom presented the bride with sable furs, and to the organist and bridesmaid he gave an opal ring each. "Low Grove Hall," of Cavan will be the future home of the happy couple, to whom The Times extends most hearty congratulations.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. R. Junkin, of Lindsay, was in town on Saturday.

—Mrs. McCollum, Gilmour street, is around again after a severe illness.

—Mr. F. E. Hodgins, K.C., of Toronto, was in town yesterday and gave an address in St. John's Church.

—Miss Lillian Southern, of Millbrook, has been visiting friends in Peterborough.

—Miss Annie Kellegher, McDonnell st., is entertaining her sister, Miss L. Kellegher, of Hastings.

—Mr. A. C. McCallum, now of the Canada Foundry Co., Toronto, spent Sunday in Peterborough with his family.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The County Council will meet tonight.

—A shawl and veil, picked up on the market on Saturday, may be had from the chief of police.

—To-morrow night All Saint's Men's Union will entertain the members of the congregation.

—Mr. E. W. Gardiner is an expert at serving oysters. This is the verdict of those who are patronizing him at McQuay's stand, No. 415 George street.

—The teachers and pupils of Port Hope Public schools have given $18.50 to the funds of the Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto.

HOCKEY MATCH—Double-header, Port Hope juniors vs. Peterborough juniors at 7.15; Lindsay vs. "Cults" at 8.30 Tuesday night.

—At the regular meeting of Otonabee Lodge of Oddfellows tonight there will be special business, so a large attendance of the members is requested.

—Grafton & Co.'s clothing store is now adorned with two handsome brass name plates. They add materially to the good appearance of the front of this progressive store.

—Mr. John Hume, of Port Hope, has disposed of his extensive seed pea and grain business to Messrs. Hogg and Lytle, Limited, of Oakwood. Mr. Robert Hume will continue to manage the Port Hope branch.

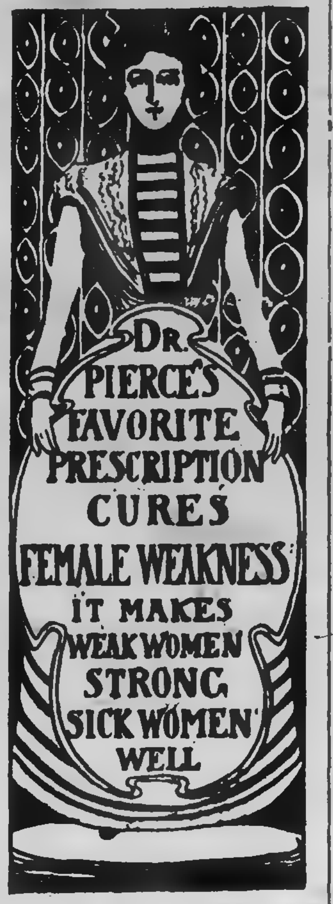
—Mr. John Martin, of Douro, had the misfortune to slip and fall last Friday, in such a way as to strike his face on the tongue of a sleigh, severely injuring his nose. A doctor had to be secured to attend to his injuries.

—Mrs. George Stewart, of Lindsay, has been appointed as teacher for School Section No. 16, Otonabee, for the present year. She enters on her duties today. The school has been closed since December 19th.

—A citizen in Berkley, Grey County, approached a farmer in the wood yard the other day who had a good load of wood to sell. The citizen asked him if he would take a nice building lot he owned in the village in exchange for the load. The farmer replied, "Is there a house on it?" and as the lot had not a house on it the deal fell through.

Rush of Oil Prospectors

Blenheim, Ont., Jan. 26—The town of Blenheim is crowded with prospectors, owing to another find in the oil fields of Raleigh. Mr. McRae has developed a rich strike on lot, No. 125, on the Talbot road, about 145 feet below the surface. Mr. McRae is very quiet about his find, but in a private interview said it was equal to a one hundred-barrel well.



WRESTLING CONTEST

The Middle-Weight Championship Goes to Gauthier

Great excitement was manifested in the result of the McDonough-Gauthier wrestling match, for the middleweight championship, which was held in the Opera House on Saturday evening, when Gauthier won the match. There was a good crowd of spectators, and each contestant had a large number of backers.

HOCKEY.

A double header will be played here on on Tuesday night. The juniors will play Port Hope at 7.15, and at 8.30 the "Cults" will play their first home game in the T. V. L. against Lindsay.

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After paying all expenses for the year there remained a net profit of $118,890.21. Last year $237,000 was added to the Reserve Fund, which now amounts to the handsome sum of $450,000. The total assets are now over two and a half millions of dollars. The past year's business has been of such a nature as to call for hearty congratulations.

Hon. Geo. A. Cox, was re-elected President, and Mr. W. G. Morrow as Manager, so we may safely conclude that this well-established and reliable company will make the present year a very successful one also.

WESTWOOD.

—Mr. Ed. McMillan has gone to Oshawa, where he has secured a good situation.

—The annual meeting of the Farmers' Institute held here was very successful. The programme was as follows: Chairman's address; short addresses, by Messrs. Blezard and T. Howson; vocal solo, Miss L. Blezard; address, "Leaks on the Farm," Mr. Peart; violin solo, Miss Jennie Elmhirst; address, "The preparation of food for invalids," Miss Morris; recitation, Mr. T. Howson; violin solo, Miss Jennie Elmhirst; address, "The management of Fall Fairs," Mr. Kydd; National Anthem; Miss B. Lynch acted as accompanist.

CHURCH NOTES

At St. Luke's

"The rector, Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, conducted the services yesterday. His morning subject was, "The Power of the Gospel." In the evening he preached another able sermon on "Concentration"—This One Thing I Do." A special offering was taken for Diocesan Missions.

All Saints

Rev. W. L. Armitage, M.A., officiated yesterday. In the evening he gave an able discourse on the "Conversion of St. Paul." The Men's Union will entertain the men of the congregation to-morrow night.

Charlotte Street

The pastor preached at both services yesterday to good congregations. In the morning his subject was "Justification," and in the evening "A Miraculous Cure." The Superannuation Fund collection was taken up.

Buys Western Lands

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 26—Col. Sam Hughes, M.P., who has been in Winnipeg and the West for some time, left for Minneapolis, Des Moines and Chicago, yesterday afternoon. While West the colonel invested in sixty-four additional sections of land. Different parties had previously been negotiating for this land which lies in the Swan River district, but it is understood that the purchase price is about $4.50 per acre, bringing the amount paid to something over $190,000.

—Miss Alma Frances McCollum has returned after an extended visit to Boston.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS

WHEAT	
Wheat	67 to 68½
FLOUR AND MEAL	
Flour, patent process, cwt	$2 00 to 2 25
Flour, bakers, per cwt	2 25 to 2 25
COARSE GRAIN	
Barley, per bushel	40 to 43
Peas, small	65 to 7
Peas, mummies	65 to 75
Oats	31 to 32
Buckwheat	40 to 45
Rye	46 to 50
WOOL AND HIDES	
Wool, unwashed	06 to 07
Fleece Wool	11 to 12
Veal Calf Skins	08 to 10
Deakons	40 to 60
Beef Hides per cwt	6 50 to 7 00
Sheepskins	30 to 38
MEAT, POULTRY, AND DAIRY PRODUCE	
Beef by the quarter, per cwt	5 50 to 6 50
Mutton, per lb.	06 to 07
Spring Lamb, quarter	06 to 07
Dressed hogs, per cwt	7 00 to 7 50
Pork by the quarter, per lb	8 to 9
Lard	13 to 14
Chickens, per pair	60 to 90
Ducks, per pair	80 to 1 00
Geese, each	80 to 1 00
Turkeys, each	1 00 to 1 00
Butter, rush roll, per lb.	19 to 22
Butter, crock	14 to 18
Egg per doz	18 to 30
Hay, per ton	7 00 to 10 00
LIVE STOCK	
Cattle, choice butchers (steers, exporters and heifers)	3 50 to 4 50
Medium butchers (steers and heifers)	00 to 3½
Light cattle and cows	3½ to 00
Feeders, 1,000-1,150	3½ to 3½
Stockers	2 to 2
Hogs, select, 160-200	5 75 to 5 87½
Fats and heavies	5 50 to 5 75
Lights	5 50 to 5 75
Sows	4 25 to 4 50
Stags	02 to 03
Sheep	2 50 to 2 75
Lambs, per lb.	3 to 3½
GENERAL	
Potatoes	1 00 to 1 25
Carrots	40 to 45
Wood, hard	6 25 to 7 00
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ARE GETTING READY TO RAISE THE BLOCKADE

Berlin Believes That an Agreement will Soon be Arrived At

Seized by the Germans—Fort San Carlos Said to be in Their Hands—The Panther Disabled

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An Unpopular Alliance.

New York, Jan. 26 The Anglo-German alliance becomes more unpopular every day, according to a despatch from London to the Tribune. Rightly or wrongly, the feeling is growing that the Berlin Government is doing its best to involve England in a quarrel with America. It is difficult to say what will be the outcome of the San Carlos incident.

Henry Norman, who is one of the ablest critics of foreign affairs in the House of Commons, points out that although the Monroe doctrine has been formally recognized by Great Britain it has not been recognised by Germany, and, as nobody who follows German opinion closely doubts for a moment that a misunderstanding between this country and America would be very far from being a matter of sorrow in Germany, it was a master stroke of diplomacy for the Kaiser to inveigle the British Government into this alliance for joint action within the sphere of the Monroe doctrine.

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They also report that the German gunboat Panther, has been disabled and is being towed by the German cruiser Falke to Willemstad, Curacoa.

Castro's Forces Defeated.

New York, Jan. 26 —President Castro's troops have been defeated by the Venezuelan revolutionists in an important battle about forty miles west of Puerto Cabello, says a despatch to the Herald from Willemstad, Island of Curacoa. Scattered bodies of the defeated Government soldiers are residing in Puerto Cabello. Their commanding general was captured by the revolutionists.

THE GERMAN FLEET BRITAIN'S STRENGTH

An Anglo-German Alliance Strongly Urged by a German Affair

London, Jan. 26.—Just now, when England is not certain that she acted wisely in joining Germany in the attack on Venezuela, does not seem to be an opportune time for the proposal made by Count Reventlow, a German naval expert. He seriously proposes a permanent Anglo-German alliance, "purely naval in character," against the world. Count Reventlow contends that in 1920, if not sooner, the German navy will be the largest in the world except the British, that England should realize that her monopoly of the sea in peace and war can no longer be maintained, and that her interests can best be served by a naval alliance under which both contracting parties, England and Germany, "can warm themselves side by side on the sunny side of the world." The German fleet, the Count points out, "has three simple tasks to perform—to defend the coasts of the empire, to defend the territory that Germany has acquired abroad, and to keep the sea open for her ever-increasing trade."

The English will probably want to wait until they get out of their present scrape with the Germans before forming the alliance so kindly offered by Count Reventlow. And when they do get a little time to think about it perhaps they will think that the time has not yet come when Britons need to help pull chestnuts out of the fire for Germany. The proposal of Count Reventlow is decidedly calm, if not cheeky.

THE IRISH LAND QUESTION

London, Jan. 26.—The report agreed to by the Irish Land Conference has naturally provoked the liveliest comment from the newspapers of Great Britain and Ireland.

A special correspondent of the Irish *Times estimates that the financial proposals* of the Conference would involve the state in an absolute grant of at least £50,000,000 as the cost of the transfer of land from the landlord to the tenant. He takes the case of a farmer who now pays £100 a year as a second term rent. According to the proposals of the the conference, the tenant is to receive an immediate reduction of at least 15 per cent, and the landlord is to receive an annual sum of £100 a year, subject to a deduction not exceeding 10 per cent. for the costs, if any, which he now incurs for collection. Whether the landlord is paid in Three per Cent. stock or in cash, the calculated result is extremely discouraging to the British tax payer. In the latter case the landlord would receive at least £2000, and the tenant would pay an annuity of £25. Under the Act of 1891, the tenant's annuity was calculated at 4 per cent. This extinguished the advance in 49 years, or, if adopted, in 70 years; £25 is 4 per cent. upon £625 only, consequently the State would have to provide the balance of the purchase money—viz., £375 for every £100 of present rent, or a total for all Ireland of £70,000,000. Under Mr. Wyndham's Bill *last year an annuity of 3 3-4 per cent.* was to pay off an advance in 68 years; £25 is, however, only 3 3-4 per cent. upon £1266 13s. 4d. The balance to be provided by the State would be £733 6s. 8d. This would mean a total absolute grant by the State of over £54,000,000.

SOME PRESS COMMENTS.

London Times: "The gist of the whole scheme is that the State—which means, of course, the Imperial Treasury—is to make good the difference between the price when the tenants are ready to pay for their holdings and the price which the owner, who is usually a limited owner subject to the payment of considerable charge, can afford to accept. . . .We confess that on a first view it seems to us that the scheme, apart from other objections, would impose upon the taxpayer a burden which, with the best will in the world, he must decline to assume."

London Daily Chronicle: "Undoubtedly the recommendations of the Conference have given a strong lead to Mr. Wyndham for the Bill which he proposes to introduce early in next session. Will he have the courage and wisdom to follow the lead? . . . It ill becomes us as a nation to scrutinize too closely the cost of the settlement of the land question from the point of view of a mere investment. . . . If we solve this problem of land tenure, as we can solve it, we shall substitute strength for weakness, we convert discontent into satisfaction, poverty and unrest into peaceful and continuous progress."

Irish Times: "The conference has disposed of the idea that the representatives of the tenants want to abolish not only 'landlordism,' but landlords themselves, or that the representatives of the landlords regard the tenants as persons *possessing no real interest in their holdings*, and no rights to be maintained. The fact that so many of these proposals accord with those put forward by the Landlords' Convention, and with the provisions of Mr. Wyndham's bill of last year, make it all the more likely that they will receive legislative sanction."

Irish Daily Independent: "The report should now make it easy for the Chief Secretary to pass a bill which the House of Lords can easily swallow."

Freeman's Journal: "That a conference at which the landlords of Ireland were so ably and significantly represented should have unanimously agreed that the existing land system is adverse to the interests of Ireland and a menace to the State, and that a satisfactory settlement of the land question can be effected only by the substitution of an occupying proprietary in lieu of the existing system of dual ownership, is an event of the first importance."

Dublin Daily Express: "How is it that Mr. Russell, who, in October, offered the landlords twenty-three years' purchase of the second term rents, is now willing to give them thirty-three years' pur*chase of the selfsame incomes?* The answer is not difficult to find. The Nationalist leaders have not been convinced by argument, but by bribes."

Northern Whig: "The scheme is, in its main lines, an admirable one. . . . We are well aware that much hard and practical work lies before the Government and before Parliament. But the work has now been begun in the right spirit, and the measure of agreement already reached affords bright hope for the future."

Belfast Telegraph: "That it should be possible for four representative landlords and four representatives of the one agreement upon any public question, but especially upon the vexed problem of Irish land, surely indicates the dawn of a new era in the history of the country. . . .Mr. Wyndham may proceed at once with the drafting of his Irish Land Bill. He can rely that it will receive sympathetic and impartial consideration."

Glasgow Evening News: "We have been told that this is to be an Irish session. Is it too much to hope, further, that it will be an Irish session in which there will at last be forthcoming some *evidence of a real Irish settlement?* May no untoward circumstance spoil the welcome promise now afforded?"

School Books

Times Bookstore for the best value in school books. Six good large dictation books for 25 cents. A prize with every purchase of 25 cents or over.

ONE MILLION FOR A STOMACH

John D. Rockefeller, Tiring of Stale Bread Offers This.

New York, Jan. 27—John D. Rockefeller is willing to pay a million dollars for a stomach that can enjoy solid food. He so told Dr. Philip Marvel, an Atlantic City physician, who examined his throat. Rockefeller can not eat cream, butter, meat, any sort of pastry or fresh bread, wine, fancy goods or fruit. He is limited to skimmed milk, crackers, barley water and stale brown and graham bread.

A COACHMAN STILL

The Man who Created a Sensation Fifteen Years Ago

New York, Jan. 27—Ernest Schilling, who, while a coachman for the family of Banker Moronini, of New York, eloped with the banker's pretty daughter about fifteen years ago, is now employed in driving patients of the River Crest Sanitarium around the roads of Astoria, L. I. The Schilling-Moronini elopement caused a great sensation at the time. The eloping couple were married, but, it is said, were separated seven months after the wedding.

ENGLAND'S ARBITRATION

Are Sixty-Six in Number, and Show Extent of Empire

London, Jan. 27—There are many ways of estimating the power and extent of empire. One is the number of times in which a State has been engaged in international arbitration. Since the general pacification of 1815 there have been, till July, 1898, 158 instances of this resort for the settlement of disputes between nations, and in 66 of these Great Britain appears as a party. The proposed arbitration with regard to Venezuela will make the sixty-seventh in which this country has been involved. In seven of these cases Venezuela was concerned, twice with Great Britain, twice with the United States, twice with Colombia and once with France. The progenitor of these international tribunals was the Amphictyonic council of Greece, which was the deliberative assembly of an association formed among neighboring tribes of Greece for the regulation of their mutual intercourse. The latest is of course The Hague Tribunal. There have been many other interesting schemes for securing universal peace, notably one formulated by China in 1890, on the suggestion, it is understood, by a distinguished Japanese statesman. But war goes on all the same.

BUBONIC PLAGUE THREATENS

Epidemic in Mexico and Many Cases in California

Washington, Jan 27—No country in the world excels the United States in efforts to ward off the invasion and spread of deadly plagues, but it is certain that we are now threatened by that great Asiatic scourge, the bubonic plague. It has reached the epidemic stage in the republic south of us and has invaded California. It has made its dreaded appearance in several parts of Mexico, but is at its worst in Topolobampo where the people are dying like plague-stricken sheep. In Mazatlan there have been over 150 deaths and half the population has fled.

The disease has been present in California for several years and the cases have become so numerous that at a conference of 21 State Boards of Health it was resolved this week that California must take immediate action or be cut off from commercial relations with the other States. Eighty-seven cases have been found in San Francisco's Chinese district alone. Of 22 dead rats picked up in Chinatown 11 were found to be infected. It is recommended that Chinatown be burned to the ground, and the inhabitants sequestered at some place outside the city.

A WELL KNOWN GENTLEMAN MAKES A REMARKABLE STATEMENT

He Assures Rheumatic Sufferers That

Paine's Celery Compound

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Paine's Celery Compound stands unforms of rheumatism. At this season its good work is apparent in thousands of Canadian homes. Men and women, lame and crippled and utterly helpless from the terrible disease are being restored to activity, health and strength. Paine's Celery Compound is the only medicine that rescues and saves the despairing victim who is told that he or she is incurable. Mr. W. Morissette, Roxton, Que., says:

"Having been given up to die by some of the best doctors in the United States, I came to Canada last autumn terribly ill, and had lost all hope. Suffering agonies from inflammatory rheumatism, I was strongly urged to use Paine's Celery Compound. I gave it a trial, and the first bottle did me so much good I continued with the medicine until I had used seven bottles, when I found myself perfectly cured; indeed, I never felt better in all my life than at present. I use every possible means to tell others of Paine's Celery Compound, and will always recommend it to those troubled with rheumatism.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c

MEXICAN PROJECT IS TO BE PUSHED

Organization of the New Canadian Company is Completed

TO START AT ONCE

One Section to be Done in Two Years, the Other in Four.

Montreal, Jan. 27.—Final arrangements were made yesterday for the organization of the Mexican Light and Power Company, when the officers were elected and contracts closed that will permit of the work being started at once. The following will be the officers: President, Mr. James Ross; vice-president, Mr. J. H. Plummer, Toronto; 2nd vice-president and consulting engineer, Mr. F. S. Pearson, New York; Board of Directors, in addition to the officials, Messrs. E. S. Clouston, Hon. G. A. Drummond, F. L. Wanklyn, G. R. Wood; treasurer, H. G. Ross; secretary, A. R. Dobell; and resident engineer, Hugh L. Cooper, of New York.

The first announcement of the nature of the work that will be necessary to transmit electric power a distance of 85 miles to the City of Mexico was given to a newspaper representative to-day by Mr. F. S. Pearson, the consulting engineer of the company.

"The water powers that have been acquired," he stated, "are distant 83 1-2 miles in a direct line from the City of Mexico. The transmission lines, on the route selected, will be 85 miles long, with a branch to the City of Pachuca, 26 miles in length. The plan for the development of power and the generation of electricity is briefly as follows: Three rivers have been secured, and the diversion of the waters of the Tenango and Catepuxtla rivers into the Necaxa is by an open cut and tunnel. A fall of 1,300 feet will thus be formed and at the foot of it a storage dam will be erected. A small dam will be situated lower down to form a regulating reservior. A tunnel and four lines of 46-inch feeders to the power station will then be added and a power station containing hydraulic and electric machinery for the generation of 40,000 horse power. The static head in the first installation will be 1,353 feet.

"The second installation will utilize a further fall of 1,220 feet and will be practically a duplicate of the first, but it will not cost nearly so much, because many items provided in the first installation need not be duplicated. Work will be started early in February, and the first installation will be completed within two years. The second installation will be completed within four years."

SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY

Investment with the Rialto Grain and Securities Company Pay Handsome Profits

Letters from various parts of Canada and the United States to the management of the Rialto Grain and Securities Company, 202 to 224 Rialto Building, St. Louis, Mo., confirm the opinion previously existing as to the soundness and reliability of this company, and as to their ability to look after the investments of their clients in such a way as to return them handsome profits. One man from Bobcaygeon, Ontario, invested $35.00, and in ten days received a check for $70.56. Another, in Belleville, Ill., made a profit of $78.18 on a similar investment in one month. The firm have hundreds of other letters of a similar character, showing the profits accruing to the writers in consequence of having employed this company to handle December corn for them. The company now advise the purchase of May corn, and will send a booklet giving reasons why, to any person who will forward his address.

Elsewhere in this paper will be found the advertisement of this firm, and from our knowledge of them we feel sure our readers will make no mistake in patronizing them when looking for a safe and profitable investment.

BREATHE ELECTRICITY

California Scientist Claims a Startling Discovery

San Francisco, Jan. 26.—Dr. Albert J. Atkins, lecturer on principles of medicine at the California medical College, in a paper read before the San Francisco County Association of Physicians and Surgeons, claims experiments conducted by him demonstrate that it is electricity not oxygen, which purifies the blood in the lungs.

Dr. Atkins says that no oxygen passes through the membrane of the air cells of the lungs into the blood stream; also that the air cells secrete carbon.

He has discovered that the action which takes place in the lungs in breathing is electrical.

LOCATION FOR BOERS

Dr. Reitz and Party are Now Looking for it in South Africa

New Orleans, La., Jan. 27.—Dr. Francis William Reitz, ex-secretary of the Orange Free State; Mrs. Reitz, and party, stopped over here on an extended trip through Louisiana, Texas and New Mexico, as the guests of the Southern Pacific. In the party are Dr. C. W. Vanderhoogt, former representative of the Boer Government in Washington; Rev. J. A. Hanbierk, chaplain of the Boer prisoners in Bermuda during the war, and Gen. Samuel Pearson. The party is looking for a location for the Boers in the South-West, to which between 5,000 and 10,000 of them will remove from South Africa.

A THRILLING TALE OF A SHIP AT SEA

Over Three Months on the Winter Journey From Nome to Seattle

TWICE THE SHIP RAN OUT OF COAL SUPPLY

Buffeted by Gales, the Boilers Leaked and the Machinery Battered

Seattle, Wash, Jan. 26— A special from Port Townsend says:

After having been so long on the journey that recent advices of safety were received with undisguised incredulity, the little steamer Dawson City, one of the first of the new fleet to leave and the last to arrive, came sailing into port at noon yesterday like a spectre. Few here had ever seen the vessel, and it was not until former Nomeites confirmed the supposition that it could be believed that the little vessel was really the long-overdue packet.

The steamer gives few outward signs of the terrible voyage, but casual inspection aboard shows the differences. The boiler is leaking to the point of being absolutely useless, while the machinery, through continuous buffeting about and the lack of facilities for repairs, tells a plain story. Felix Brown, owner of the vessel, shows the effects of the troubles to which he has been subjected in his efforts to get his property back to civilization.

From October 8 last year, when the Dawson City started from Nome for Seattle, her voyage has been one of perpetual misfortune and disappointment. When but a few days out the boilers commenced leaking, and the steamer headed for Nunivak Island, where temporary repairs were made.

She left there November 10, during very bad weather. To add to the discomforts, several boiler tubes blew out, disabling the steaming facilities. Several days later the steamer was forced into Port Moller by the fact that both the water and fuel supply was beginning to run low. The chart showed that coal was available at this port, but the statement was omitted that the deposit was located five miles inland, with no road available to tidewater. Nothing daunted, the crew, from master to boy, went at the task, and succeeded in filling the bunkers again, each man carrying a gunny sack with 50 pounds of coal on each journey, covering ten miles going and returning. While taking water casks ashore the crew lost one of their available boats, which was dashed on the rocks and smashed. After two weeks spent in this tiresome work at Moller, the vessel started out again. The severe winds commenced. The Dawson City was caught in terrific gales, but weathered them surprisingly well. Soon the coal was exhausted again. The vessel was forced to head for Dutch Harbor, using such canvas as was found aboard for a makeshift.

Two weeks were spent at Dutch Harbor; a new canvas was secured and on January 8 the packet resumed her trip Off Cape Flattery Friday night the vessel met a strong gale, but was fortunate in having a shift of wind which brought her to a safe anchorage here.

The crew includes Captain H. Hansen, Mate A. C. Heckman, Chief Engineer William Smith, Fireman Mitchell, Steward Fredericks, and George Schultz, cabin boy.

Utica, N.Y., Jan. 27—The Rev Theophile Wittlinger, pastor of Trinity German Lutheran church, Rome, was arrested on a charge of rubbernecking." The complainants are the Misses Mary and Caroline Geisler, who charge the reverend gentleman with playing the part of a "Peeping Tom."

Officers traced a man's footprints from beneath the bedroom window of the Misses Geisler to the home of the clergyman. They rapped on the door and through the curtain saw the reverend gentleman descend the stairs with a lamp in one hand and a club in the other. Mr. Wittlinger did not let the officers in. Subsequently he appeared at police headquarters for an explanation. He stoutly denied the charge against him, but was arrested when the Misses Geisler positively identified him.

The affair has created big sensation in Rome, where the Rev. Mr. Wittlinger is very prominent in religious circles. The minister went to Rome from Tonawanda last May. He is 29 years old and unmarried. He is a graduate of Elmhurst College, St. Louis, and the McCormick Theological Seminary at Chicago.

Rome, January 27—The formation and aims of the Catholic Truth Federation in America is causing considerable discussion in the Vatican. As understood here, this society, organised by Bishops McFaul (Trenton) and Messmer (Green Bay), aims to organize the Catholic party in local and national politics, modeled after the Catholic "Center party" of Germany, which, by holding the balance of power in the reichstag, has been able to get many valuable concessions for the church.

Archbishop Ireland has sent a report to the vatican denouncing the proposed federation, and in the main the Vatican prelates have agreed with Ireland, regarding the effort as premature. It is stated that Messmer's connection with the proposed federation has defeated his hopes of being archbishop of Manila.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 27—Bishop Joseph C. Hartzell, a missionary of the Episcopal church spoke at Olive street M. E. church last night on "South Africa." He told of Kimberley and the wonderful diamond mines, in which 3,500 people were sheltered during the seige in the recent war. Interesting stories were also related of the great men of South Africa, with all of whom the bishop is acquainted. "The best element of the Dutch are glad that the war is over and that they are now helping the English to build up the country," he said. "The Dutch preachers and the Boer women are the slowest to accept the situation for the reason that they are governed more by their prejudices than the leading men among the Boers."

ANOTHER NOBLE BANKRUPT

Son of the Duke of Cambridge Ruined by Company Promoters

London, Jan. 27.—Public examination of the affairs of Colonel Fitzgeorge, son of the Duke of Cambridge, was held in the bankruptcy court today. The colonel said he owed £2,400, but there were other liabilities, amounting to £20,000, secured by other persons. The latter debts were contracted mainly in attempts to bolster up two companies in which he was a director.

GERMAN-AMERICAN RELATIONS MAY BE STRAINED

A Corresponding Hostility Shows Itself in Germany Against the United States

Nasty Feeling Still Grows—Europe Suspicious of German Policy in the Venezuelan War

London, Jan. 26—The London Times in an editorial this morning, say sthat an act of uncompromising hostility committed by German warships in Venezuelan waters has startled and dismayed all who were bent on a speedy and tranquil solution of the problem. "There is a time for the exercise of force," continues the editorial, "and there is a time when its exercise, even its display, should be avoided. The surprise and resentment of the United States are natural, but what is unexpected is the unanimity of the French and Austrian comments in the matter.

The Paris correspondent of The Times says: "Nobody here suspects England of having anything in view in the Venezuelan matter except her avowed object, or is seeking to use the Venezuelan difficulty for any ulterior purposes. On the other hand there is a concensus of opinion that Germany's action in Venezuela is merely part and parcel of her world policy, and that she is using her claims against Venezuela to further the far-reaching schemes, which she has good reasons for not disclosing. It is impossible to converse on the subject with any French politician without his asking what is the Kaisers secret motive in the affair? The fact is the suspicion of the whole world has been aroused against these motives and nobody outside of Germany believes them anything but hostile to the United States. The American people have every reason on this occasion to take European public opinion seriously into account. Germany's peculiar methods of international politics are too well known on this side of the Atlantic not to be easy of application, but the United States, although no novice in the field of diplomacy, had had little opportunity of treating questions so rife with dangerous possibilities with a country which for the last thirty years has outwitted all most every continental Government, and is exciting the profound suspicion of even her own allies."

GERMAN FEELING ALSO WORKED UP

New York, Jan. 26 —The Herald's Berlin correspondent cables: "I had an opportunity today of talking with a German member of the newly established league for the promotion of good relations between Germany and the United States. He deplores bitterly Germany's having gone into the Venezuelan question. After talking over the growing force of anti-German sentiment in the United States and expressing his regret at the same, he said: "I have never known sentiment in Germany so highly wrought up against Americans. not even at the time of the Spanish war. Wherever I go I hear the same thing. Strong sentiments are expressed against the American attitude and against the idea that the United States seems to have that she can dictate to this country. Germans are not Spaniards, nor will they stand being so treated. God forfend that President Roosevelt should make any call upon Germany, as proposed by The Journal, to raise the blockade. He would receive such a supply from here as would astonish Americans.' The Frankfurter Zeitung publishes a cable stating that Herr Gossler, son of the former Minister of War, has been grossly insulted at a public dinner in New York, and also that anti-German sentiment is growing which has not tended to diminish the rapidly growing ill-humor spreading over all classes here. Among our own countrymen the feeling of irritation and apprehension is universal and undisguised. We certainly never contemplated that the bombardment would be carried in Venezuela simultaneously with the transaction of diplomatic business in Washington. It is perfectly clear that these ill-timed punitive measures will not make easier the already difficult task of determining the conditions for a speedy removal of the blockade."

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The Washington Attitude.

Washington, Jan. 26 —The Venezuelan situation was discussed at length at today's Cabinet meeting but it can be said by authority that no change in the attitude of the United States is in contemplation at this time. The Government will continue its policy of "sitting tight." The bombardment by the German warships at Fort San Carlos is regretted sincerely by officials of the Administration, because of their apprehension that it may complicate seriously the pending negotiations. However, while the Administration regards the bombardment as unwarranted, the United States has no intention of taking official cognizance of it.

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AUTHORITY OF POLICEMEN

Is Not Donned and Doffed with His Official Uniform

Arising out of a little trouble at the rink the other night, when there seemed a doubt as to the authority of Policemen Stewart and Moore to interfere, comes the question as to whether a policeman in civilian clothes may legally arrest a man.

From the Criminal Code we clip the following:

38. Everyone who witnesses a breach of the peace, is justified in interfering to prevent its continuance or renewal, and may detain any person committing or about to join in or renew such breach of the peace, in order to give him into the custody of a peace officer, providing the person interfering uses no more force than is reasonably necessary for preventing the continuance or renewal of such breach of the peace, or than is reasonably proportioned to the danger to be apprehended from the continuance or renewal of such breach of the peace.

39. Every police officer who witnesses a breach of the peace, and every person lawfully assisting him, is justified in arresting anyone whom he finds committing such breach of the peace, or whom he on reasonable and probable grounds believes to be about to join in or renew such breach of the peace.

St. Paul's Annual

At the annual meeting of St. Paul's S. School, very encouraging reports were presented for the year.

The following officers were elected:—

Superintendent—M. J. A. Fife, B A
Assistant Superintendent —Mr. A J. Johnston.
Fin. Secretary—Mr. W. Pringle
Rec. Secretary—Miss E. Carey.
Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer—Mr. J. H. Connal
Pianist—Miss A. B. Patterson.
Librarians—Messrs. J. H. Connal, T Anderson, J. Carey, J. Watt and J. Sharp.
Supt. Home Department—Mr. R. Harrison.

The teachers for 1903 are:—Messrs. W. Madill, J. A. Fife, H Ayres, P McLean, Mrs. Rosenburg, Mrs. J. A Patterson, Misses M. Dickson, C. Dickson, L. Best, E. Hall, A Erskine, E. Carter, C. Knox, M. Godfrey, May Best, A. Cromie, E. Carey, K. J Drummond, B. Brown, M. Jordan, A. J Hall, D. Dixon, L. Davidson, A. B; Patterson.

Adult Class—Rev. J. A. Wilson
Young Men's Class —Mr. R. F. McWilliams.
Primary Class —Miss A. C. Dennistoun, Miss J. Dennistoun and Miss G. Dennistoun.

Mr. Shariff Hall, who has given many years of faithful service as a teacher to St. Paul's Sabbath school, will take charge of the work in the South Ward Mission School which will open next Sabbath.

BACKWARD CHINESE WON'T BE CIVILIZED

Education Making But Little Progress in the Flowery Kingdom

A RATHER CHEERLESS OUTLOOK

The Rev. Gilbert Walshe of Shanghai, Says the People Won't Learn

Washington, Jan. 26.—The Chinese don't take as kindly to being educated in a reformed way as they ought to. The Rev. Gilbert Walshe, the recording secretary of the Society for the Diffusion of Christian and General Knowledge at Shanghai, declares that there is very little foundation for the general idea that genuine educational reform is making any headway in China. There is not, he declares, any defined scheme for the basis of such a reform. The Emperor, in his edict, decreed that universities should be established in each province, colleges in each prefecture, and schools in each district, but as the Chinese language makes no distinction between singular and plural forms, the local officials took for granted that one university in each province, one college in each prefecture, and one school in each "hsien" would be sufficient to meet the case. The absurdity of such provision is manifest in the fact that some of the smallest "hsiens" or districts contain no less than 10,000 scholars. And though the nature of the schools required was roughly outlined, there was no suggestion as to the curriculum to be adopted, nor any rules as to management and direction. Nor was any adequate provision made for the financial maintenance of such institutions, so that six months after the proclamation, the Emperor complained in the strongest terms that little or no notice had been taken of his behest. In those exceptional cases where action was taken, the officials endeavored to evade the imputation of laxity by giving new names to the already existing Chinese colleges, calling them "Chinese and Western Halls of Learning," by employing a small number of professors for the teaching of Chinese literature, etc., and a much smaller number of utterly unqualified natives for the teaching of English, French, science, etc.—not one of the "faculty" having the least idea whether the "English" teacher could speak English or the science master had ever studied the subject. Establishments of this kind are to be found all over the country.

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IMMIGRANTS FROM BRITAIN

A correspondent of the Toronto World writing on emigration from England to Canada, says:

In 1880 I was present at the final interview between Sir John Carling, then Minister of Agriculture in John Sandfield Macdonald's Government, and Mr. Thomas White, then of the spectator, whom he was sending on a special mission to England, with the view of capturing farm laborers. As the minister shook hands with the editor, he said: "Good-bye, White, and remember the only way to do the thing is to make the name of Canada ring throughout England. You must raise hades!" Mr. White said he would; but I fancy that the amount of money placed at his disposal only enabled him to raise—a comparatively small cloud of dust. There are larger sums of public money now available for such a purpose. But it must be remembered that the rents in the Old Country are today very low, and wages very good; and, by comparison with the state of things prevailing there 25 years ago, both tenants and workmen have more reason to be satisfied with prevailing conditions at home. Nevertheless, a live man and a live system of making Canada known will be sure of more or less success.

Sifton and Smart are live men, with a live system. Just keep your eye skinned for results. For instance a London despatch says:

A party of British emigrants, consisting of 2,000 persons, will sail from Liverpool on March 31st for St. John, New Brunswick. Rev. J. M. Barr has the authority of the Dominion Government to take out these emigrants, and foreigners will not be permitted to settle in the territory reserved for them at Saskatoon.

WHAT WILL THE HARVEST BE ?

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

British Colombians are to make another effort to propogate wild song birds in the forests of that province, and a fund of $700 is to be expended in importing a variety of singing birds from *Great Britain*. In this *country* the feathered songsters have been almost exterminated by the heartless hunters, whose sole delight seems to be to take life.

Some of the power company organs of New York State are crying out against the "vandalism" of the Canadians who are proceeding by various schemes to harness the Niagara. It is sad indeed that all that sort of thing is not to be left to our neighbors. But we don't like to see all that water going to waste, and there's enough for both of us. They should not play dog in the manger.

The Transvaal Government has decided to reduce from February 1st, the railway rates on local traffic within the Transvaal. The effect of this will be a reduction of the railway revenue of the colony by several hundred thousand pounds per annum. But the Government recognizes that the matter must be approached with courage, and that, is the country is to be materially benefited, a large reduction must be made immediately.

Rush of Oil Prospectors

Blenheim, Ont., Jan. 26—The town of Blenheim is crowded with prospectors, owing to another find in the oil fields of Raleigh. Mr. McRae has developed a rich strike on lot. No. 13, on the Talbot road, about 145 feet below the surface. Mr. McRae is very quiet about his find, but in a private interview said it was equal to a one hundred-barrel well.

Buys Western Lands

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Hilda sighed deeply. Florence's deliberate attempt on her life had weighed heavily on her heart and spirit.

"Lady Leigh," she said, "I am almost ready to ask you to take me away from here. Even if I am really the true heiress, as you think, I do not believe it can ever be proved. And my life is in hourly danger. Do you realize that?"

"Yes, Hilda, I realise that fully," the lady answered, gravely, "but you must not feel afraid, dear, for we guard you too carefully for any secret harm to reach you, and your enemies would not dare attempt an open outrage. I know it is an unpleasant position for you, but I do not despair of proving you the earl's granddaughter yet, although our only hope at present is in your great resemblance to the Lornes. I do not think the earl can help seeing it when once you stand side by side with the portraits of your noble race. Once get his suspicions awakened, and it may be we can force Aylesford into the truth. It is strange how carefully the villain has covered up his tracks so that all of Wilfred's efforts to learn aught of his past have failed so persistently. But, my darling, I believe that success will yet be ours. Surely heaven cannot permit such a guilty fraud to live."

"Mr. Aylesford told me this morning that he had been making arrangements for a tour in Switzerland, and intended taking me with him," Hilda said, with a troubled brow.

"And you —what did you tell him, dear?" the lady asked, troubled also by this unexpected intelligence.

"I told him I had promised to remain some time with you, with his kind permission," replied the young girl.

"That was well. You acted wisely," said Lady Leigh. "We have to temporize with the wretch. We have to oppose fraud with fraud, and cunning with cunning. On no account would I permit him to take you away. Why do you look so troubled, Hilda?"

"I will tell you," the girl said, frankly. "I acted my part very well with Mr. Aylesford, but I was not so successful in restraining myself with Florence. I have let her know that I suspected the fraud."

She related what had occurred in the library that morning, blushing that her high spirit and smarting sense of wrong had led her into such an unfortunate altercation with the fair impostor.

Lady Leigh looked dismayed.

"I know you could not help it, Hilda," she said. "Your nature is too frank and open to successfully sustain you in any contest where the real feelings of the heart are best concealed. But I deeply regret this quarrel. It will precipitate matters. Your enemies will be in the greatest haste now to consummate their designs against you."

Hilda grew pale for a moment, and leaned against her friend. She was brave and true as steel. No outward danger could daunt her brave spirit. But the hidden malice of her enemies the horror of their secret conspiracy against her life, thrilled her with a terrible dread. She was young, fair, she loved the beautiful, bright world, and the kind friends Heaven had sent to her in her helplessness and despair. The thought of death —such a death so vaguely and mysteriously menaced her — terrified even her brave spirit.

"Do not be frightened, dear," Lady Leigh said, kissing the pale cheek fondly. "No one shall harm you. Wilfred and I shall constantly be near you to guard and protect you now. Cecil Courtenaye watches, too, as was evidenced by his prompt rescue the day Florence tried to drown you."

The color that had been banished by her fears returned now in a swift tide to Hilda's cheek.

"Does — does Mr. Courtenaye know?" she asked, surprised.

"No; we have not confided in any one. Wilfred thought it best not to at present. But Cecil evidently suspects Florence's antagonism to you, and his fears and his love keep him on guard always against his vague foreboding of evil for you."

Hilda made no answer. A thrill of shy, tremulous sweetness ran through her heart at Lady Leigh's assertion of Mr. Courtenaye's care for her. How pleasant it was to know that her friend —her new friend, as she shyly called him in her thoughts — was keeping anxious watch that she should come to no harm from her foes.

"Hilda, why are you blushing so?" the lady asked, teasingly. "Have you found out Cecil's secret, too? We all see that he is in love with you. And that is just as it should be. If the earl's heir marries the earl's granddaughter, all will go well."

"Mr. Courtenaye is engaged to marry Florence," answered Hilda, trying to appear very grave and unconcerned.

"Who told you such a falsehood, Hilda?" cried Lady Leigh.

"Florence told me herself," answered Hilda, and Lady Leigh laughed scornfully.

"My dear, you should have known better than to believe her," she said. "It is not true. Mrs. Courtenaye told me herself that the earl had desired Cecil to marry Florence, and he had flatly refused to entertain the idea."

A thrill of happiness, so sweet it was almost painful, ran through Hilda's young heart at that blissful intelligence. She had not known how terribly she hated the thought of Cecil's marriage until now, when her whole being thrilled at the thought of her lover's freedom.

"Run to your maid now, and be dressed," said Lady Leigh. "I will come in myself and see how she does your hair. I wish it arranged in a particular style to-day."

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It seemed as if the proposition to visit the picture-gallery was agreeable to all the family. Florence declared her intention of accompanying her grandfather and Hilda. Mr. Aylesford invited himself, with ready tact. One after another joined them as they proceeded to the long and spacious apartment where every artist of note was represented.

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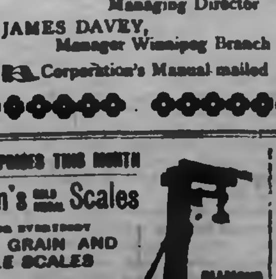

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Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 6th, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 3rd inst., enclosing check for my balance, $125.00, and for my friend Chesley, of $51.54, which I have turned over to him. This is a very handsome profit on less than a month's transactions, on $100.00 investment in corn.

I appreciate your kindness very much, indeed, in closing the account so promptly following my request to do so.

Very truly yours,
HARRY E. FIRST.

Room 421, Government Building.
Baxter, Ohio, Dec. 4th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I have received your check for $112.50, amount I made by investing $25.00 in December corn and holding it about twenty days.

Thanking you for your good judgment in buying December corn at low price for me, and selling it at the very highest price, I remain yours very respectfully,

H. S. DOWNS.

Montreal, Can., Dec. 3rd., 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your favor of the 29th ult., with enclosure, came to hand yesterday, but I was so busy that I could not find time to reply to same until today.

I note your remarks regarding December corn, that you sold my holdings and invested the same, with profits, in May corn, which, under the circumstances, was and is satisfactory.

I also note your remarks regarding May corn, and leave you the handling of same, as you may think best and most profitable.

Awaiting your further favors, I remain yours truly,
W. H. LOVE.

Sacramento, Cal., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
214-222 Rialto Building,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received two letters from you today, which inform me that you have, according to my instructions, sold my holdings in December corn and bought 2,250 bushels of May corn at 43 cents, on a margin of 2 cents. This means a profit of $21.38 in fifteen days on an investment of $25.00, which, I must say, is very satisfactory to me, as it is my first venture in margins in grain or any other like investment.

Kindly continue to re-invest as your judgment dictates. I am satisfied to have you make the investment earn what it can.

Again thanking you, I am
Respectfully yours,

Ann Harbor, Mich., Dec. 4th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—In reply to yours of Nov. 28th (which would have been answered before this, but for the sickness of the writer), you did exactly what you should have done, and I hereby authorize you to make such moves in the matter as you think would be for my best interest, always saving me from loss, if possible.

I am well pleased over your action in the above deal, and hope to see you soon and express my thanks to you in person.

Very truly yours,
H. F. STURTEVANT.

Training Station.
Newport, R.I., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I received your letter of Nov. 29th, and approve of your action in selling my holdings in December corn and purchase of May instead.

Wishing you luck in selling and buying when you think best, I am,

Very respectfully,
BENJAMIN SMITH.

Armada, Mich., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favor of the 29th ult. received, and I hasten to reply. I have just arrived home and I am well pleased with the way you have handled my investment in December corn and with the handsome profits; also with your having disposed of the same and investing in May corn (the confirmatory for which I have received).

I wish to heartily thank you all for the unswerving and kindly interest you have taken in my welfare. I have every confidence in you and your abilities. Do with the May deal as your best judgment would indicate would be best for us, and I wish you every success in it.

I also wish to thank you for sending me "The St. Louis Star."

Very sincerely yours,
D. H. WILSON.

Evanston, Wyo., Dec. 2nd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of Nov. 26th, enclosing draft for $827.80, at hand, with advice of $300.00 as margin on 15,000 bushels May corn, and appreciate the way you have managed the business, as you did not sell me out when I expected you could, but protected my interest to a good advantage, as above proceeds go to show.

I thank you for your good judgment in handling the business.

Yours truly, CHARLES STONE.

Rutland, Vt., December, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your letter at hand this morning, and I want to say that you are "true blue" all the way through— I'll bet my last dollar on you.

I sent a telegram for more May corn and I have got $25.00 here for you to remargin if it goes down. DON'T FORGET THIS for I want to wire; and if it comes to a pinch you can have more than $25 to protect the $50.00.

I am glad I have found someone to depend on, at least, and am more than obliged to you.

Thanking you, I am, sincerely,
40 Elm street. JEAN FISHER.

Hughesville, Pa., Dec. 11, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of your favor of the 8th inst., enclosing me your company's check for balance due me in full, for which I thank you.

I appreciate the manner in which you served me in this transaction, and I assure you I will give you an order shortly for some May corn. What is your present opinion of this delivery?

I miss very much the copy of your evening paper you so kindly sent me, but which has been discontinued.

I will be very glad to receive, at your earliest opportunity, your advices.

Yours very truly,
CHAS. E. MOSSER.

Cleveland, Nov. 22nd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of your valued favor of the 20th, also check for $111.44 covering in full my account. My trading with your firm has been very satisfactory, and I thank you for the manner in which you have handled my account.

Yours very truly,
F. E. HALL.

Saugerties, N.Y., Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the check for $890.43, in full of my account. I want to thank you for your good advice in regard to purchasing this December corn, also the prompt and satisfactory way you have handled my account. I only regret that I did not take your further advice not to withdraw quite so soon, and I would have acknowledged receipt of a check for $1,490.43.

Again thanking you, I am, yours truly,
ADAM W. ELIAS,
per H. T. K.

Belleville, Ill., Nov. 26th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Yours of the 24th received, with check for $103.12, in payment of $25.00 which I entrusted to you October 21st to buy December corn, which you sold November 21st, with a net profit of $78.12—my check from you today showing the same, for which you will please accept my sincere thanks. My only regret is that I did not make a larger investment, as per your advice.

Truly yours, M. W. CARTER.

Slaterville Springs, N.Y., Nov. 25, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen—I have your favor of the 21st, enclosing check for $344.11, margin and profit on December corn. My profit of $219.11 on an investment of $125.00, made in less than a month, is certainly due to the way you handled the account.

Yours very truly,
A. J. SLATER.

Bobcaygeon, Ont., Nov. 22nd, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your letter and account duly received, for which accept thanks. I wired you this morning to forward by check my deposit and also profits, total of $98.80.

This is a very handsome showing for a $25.00 investment for ten days, and I assure you that you shall do business for me again, and also many of my friends.

Yours very truly,
JOHN CONWAY.

Sharpsburg, Iowa, Nov. 28th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:
Hugh Dennis, President.

Dear Sir,—You cannot imagine my surprise upon receiving your personal check for last week's profit, and then upon receiving check for this week's profits, makes me completely satisfied that you do business upon a solid basis, and I can almost GUARANTEE any one of profits if they make a deposit with you.

Very respectfully,
J. J. UNDERWOOD.

Ravenna, Neb., Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received yours of the 22nd with check for $84.28, and I note that you say you have invested the $165.00 in 3,500 bushels of May corn for me.

Please accept my sincere thanks for the $109.28 which you made for me on the $50.00 investment. Had I left you alone, as I should have done, you would have made me nearly $300.00 in the three weeks; but I am satisfied with what you have done.

Hoping you will do as well, or better, with my May corn, and again thanking you, I am yours truly,

J. VALEK.

Whipple Barracks, Ariz., Nov. 21, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received your telegram last evening saying that you had sold the corn that I had directed (9,000 bushels) at 57 3-4. I thank you for your promptness and success with the order. If you have not already done so, on receipt of this, please send me the entire proceeds from this sale by check, $766.40.

I will watch the market, and a little later will take a flyer in May corn.

I assure you of my appreciation of the faithful interest and good business judgment with which you have handled my investment and which insures me a nice little sum of Thanksgiving and Christmas money. Very sincerely.

E. E. HATCH.

Captain 18th Infantry.
Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 10th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I notice by the reports that corn is gradually on the rise. I am telling my friends how well you used me, and I hope you will hear from this city in the shape of a good amount to invest. I certainly boost you with all my might. If my May investment proves as good as did the December, I will be satisfied.

Kindly let me hear from you occasionally. Thanking you, I am yours truly,
323 Valentine R. W. WALES

Washington, D.C., Nov. 26, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your letter of 20th, enclosing check for $109.28, received.

The transaction was very satisfactory, and I thank you for its successful termination. Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. CAMPBELL.
1,543 T st., N.W.

National Military Home, Ohio,
November 22, 1902.

Hugh C. Dennis, Esq.
St. Louis, Mo.:

My Dear Major,— You are a daisy. Yours of the 21st, with account of sale and purchase, almost took away my breath, $92.10 and $87.00 in such a short time on the small investment is almost beyond comprehension.

Thanks to your grand success in dealing with the market, I now see my way out to pay a debt of honor I have been wanting to pay for a long time.

Please remit about $50 by American Express to Dayton, Ohio, and apply the rest due to me to more December or May corn, as your good, and almost infallible judgment may decide. I see from your purchase order that you have already bought 6,000 bushels of corn (May market.)

Thanking you for your kindness and hailing you as my benefactor, I am,

Most truly yours,
G. J. RESCHE.

We told the public this last Spring about September and December Corn. We tell them the same thing now: **BUY MAY CORN.** Common sense and your own sound business judgment must tell you that May corn, bought now, will make for you enormous profits within the next sixty days. May corn will, we believe, reach a price higher than it has touched in twenty years for this option. We respectfully submit the following digest of a few of our customers' trades in December Corn. The Affidavit as to the correctness of these statements is made by our Assistant Auditor, Mr. W. Arthur Clemes. What we did for our customers in **DECEMBER** Corn may be duplicated many times over by a purchase of **MAY** Corn at its present low price.

NAME.	P. O. ADDRESS.	DATE INVESTMENT.	AMOUNT	CHECK TO BAL. SENT.
L. Smith	West Point, Ia.	Invested Oct. 10th,	$200.00	Check sent 12-3
		Closed Dec. 3rd,	549.22	$549.22
Leo. F. Hagle	New Rochelle, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 21st,	150.00	
		" Nov. 18th,	100.00	Check sent 12-
		Closed Dec. 3rd,	639.37	$639.37
Ellis C. Richardson	Kalmarnock, Va.	Invested Oct. 9th,	200.00	Check sent 11-28
		Closed Nov. 18th,	875.00	$875.00
H. C. Bell	Box 72, Marion, O.	Invested Nov. 5th,	200.00	Check sent 11-26
		" Nov. 12th,	100.00	$1,075.00
		" Nov. 14th,	200.00	Check sent 11-29
		Closed Nov. 21st,	1,600.00	$525.00
Chas. Stone	Evanston, Wyo.	Invested Oct. 11th,	100.00	Check sent 11-26
$300 00 reinvested in May corn		Closed Nov. 17th,	1,127.80	$827.80
A. M. Kenny	Utica, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	150.00	Check sent 11-28
		Closed Nov. 19th,	564.00	$654.35
Chas. O. Hirsching	Cleveland, O.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	30.00	
		" Oct. 21st,	150.00	Check sent 11-25
$100.00 reinvested in May Corn		Closed Nov. 20th,	1,020.00	$920.00
S. L. Miles	Gerry, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 17th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 27th,	100.00	Check sent 11-22
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.49	$766.49
W. P. Morgan	Gerry, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 17th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 27th,	100.00	Check sent 11-22
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.49	$766.49
C. S. Scudder	Huntington, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	200.00	Check sent 11-2
		Closed Nov. 20th,	850.00	$850.00
Capt. E. E. Hatch	Whipple Barracks Prescott, Ariz.	Invested Oct. 22nd,	180.00	Check sent 11-24
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.40	$766.40
B. S. Brooks	Glade Springs, Va.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	250.00	Check sent 11-20
		Closed Nov. 19th,	1,083.00	$1,083.00
A. W. Elias	Saugerties, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 6th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 21st,	100.00	Check sent 11-21
		Closed Nov. 18th,	890.43	$890.43
M. J. Higley	Burlington, Ia.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	200.00	Check sent 11-21
$300.00 re-invested.		Closed Nov. 21st,	787.50	$487.50
Elmer Bristnall	Aurora, Ia.	Invested Oct. 9th,	100.00	Check sent 11-21
		Closed Nov. 17th,	664.56	$664.56
Geo. C. Wait	Watkins, N. Y.	Invested Nov. 5th,	172.00	Check sent 11-20
		Closed Nov. 18th,	622.00	$622.00

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
City of St. Louis. }

W. ARTHUR CLEMES, of lawful age, being duly sworn before me, on his oath says that he is the Assistant Auditor of and for the Rialto Grain and Securities Co. of the City of St. Louis; that he is familiar with the books of account of said Company, and that he has personally examined the accounts of the aforesaid persons, and that the statements thereof, as above set out, are true.

W. ARTHUR CLEMES.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this eighth day of December 1902. My term expires January [illegible].

IRWIN WALKER, Notary Public in and for the City of St. Louis, Mo.

Oswego, Ill., Dec. 5th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your check for $103.12 received. Thank you very much for prompt and courteous attention to my correspondence and dealings.

I remain, gentlemen, very truly yours,
DR. THOS. B. DREW.

Santa Cruz, Cal., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your letter of the 26th ult. received, together with enclosure of draft for $426.50, and please accept my thanks for same.

I am very well pleased with your manipulation of my holdings, and can find absolutely no cause for complaint. At one time my case most certainly looked rather hopeless, but, thanks to your suggestions, on which I acted, you brought me through with flying colors, and I trust that our future business relations may prove as congenial and profitable as they have in the past.

Thanking you for the kind and just treatment that I have received at your hands, I remain very truly yours,
45 Locust St. E. R. FOSDICK.

Toledo, Ohio., Dec. 6th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of the 3rd, with check for $25.00 enclosed, was received today, and I want to say to you that I was agreeably surprised to receive it. I am more than pleased with your treatment of my investment. I have shown the check and your letter to my friends and told them if they had any idea of investing to place their money in your hands. My writing to you in the first place was an accident.

I assure you that I shall take great pleasure in recommending your firm for honest, upright dealing in every way. I trust that the investment you have made me will be one-half as successful as the one just settled.

Again thanking you for your kindness in the transaction, and if nothing happens after the holidays you may expect to hear from me, together with some of my friends.

Wishing you a merry Christmas and a happy New Year and many years of prosperity, I am,

Gratefully yours,
323 Valentine Bldg. R. W. WALES.

Little Falls, N.Y., Dec. 1st, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received your favor of the 29th ult. today, with statement and remittance of my account, for which I thank you.

I also wish to express my appreciation of your fair dealing with me, and say that I am much pleased with the large profit you made for me.

In closing I would ask, on what do you base your opinion that May corn will be much higher.

Yours very truly,
EDWIN L. HALL.

Rockland, Me., Dec. 2nd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I have your letter of the 29th ult, and note with much satisfaction the result of the investment in December corn.

The investment which you have made in May corn is in keeping with my advices to use your own judgment about this investment.

I hope the investment in May corn will be profitable. Yours truly,
E. S. FARWELL.

Tuscumbia, Ala., Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Many thanks for the deal. I drew on you today for $206.25, being the $50.00 I invested and $156.25 profits made by same, full amount of my credit. Please honor the draft, as I need the money for a few days only; then I will figure with you on a larger scale.

With thanks again, I am,
Yours very truly,
J. O. CLARK.

Glenwood, Iowa, Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,— I beg to acknowledge receipt of check for $109.00, in settlement of my account.

Am pleased to say that the business which you have done for me has been in every way satisfactory and resulted in a very nice profit for me.

You will, in a short time, again have me on your lost of customers.

Thanking you, I am, truly yours,
A. R. SCHIER.

Utica, N.Y., Nov. 23rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I wired you November 20th to sell my account out at 58 cents and wire remittance. Yesterday I received by mail statement of my account, showing a profit of $42.19 on my $25.00 investment.

I am very much pleased with the way you have handled my account. Will buy May corn later. Respectfully yours,

WALTER A. HARRIS,
93 Genesee St. Secretary.

Watertown, N.Y., Dec. 6th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of Dec. 3rd, enclosing draft for $78.63, received, for which accept my sincere thanks. I wrote to you last night asking reason for your delay in sending same, but received yours this noon.

I feel that you did finely with my last investment of $25.00, and if we had understood each other better on my first, I can see where your handling would have made a few hundred on it, which I think is sufficient to prove to any one that your firm is sound and able.

I thank you again, and hope to be able to help you to more customers, and, may be, myself dabble again soon.

Yours sincerely,
1-2 High St. W. J. KELLOCK.

Binghamton, N.Y., Dec. 5th. 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,— I am in receipt of your valued favor of the 4th and acknowledge receipt of check for $50.00, profits on December corn holdings. Also confirmation of purchase of May. Thank you very much for same. Thought one time I saw larger profits coming my way, but feel satisfied as it is, and am confident there will be something in May corn after a time. Protect it as you did my last December holdings, and I will remit margin, if necessary. When it goes up a fair gain, sell and remit whole amount.

Respectfully,
FRANCIS L. GREEN.

Bangor, Me., Nov. 28th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your valued favors of Nov. 24th and 26th came to me today, and I assure you that I thank you for them. You have convinced me that May corn is a very desirable purchase, and I wish that I had had more of it.

That you know what you are doing, as well as you know the future of corn goes without saying, and I am glad that I am tied up to your house, and before we are through I shall try to turn all the business towards you that I can, and I hope soon to make my own personal investments thousands instead of hundreds.

With best wishes, I am,
Yours cordially,
GEO. S. SILSBY.

Arapho, Okla., Nov. 21st, 1902.

Mr. H. C. Dennis,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your letter notifying me of the sale of my December corn, received; and to find I had actually doubled my money to a penny in about five days, you cannot imagine my surprise. That beats our western ways of making money. Here interest runs from 12 to 24 per cent. but that is not in it with December corn.

You must have misunderstood my letter ordering immediate sale—I meant to say, sell latter part of November, 28th or 29th, to avoid any delivery, and to rebuy December 2nd or 3rd to sell about December 26th. I am not in a financial condition to invest more now, but will finely invest in May corn more heavily in a short time. Use the original purchase together with the profits, to best advantage, using your best judgment, but avoid delivery.

Should I be able to deal heavier, I shall pick your judgment in the matter.

Trusting that good luck may continue with us, I am very truly yours,

W. C. HAWKINS.

Dr. Guillermo Vives, Oculist,
Ponce, Puerto Rico,
Ponce, Dec. 30th, 1902.

Mr. Hugh C. Dennis,
St. Louis, Mo.

Dear Sir,—Your favors dated December 12th and 16th were duly received inclosing check for $422.13-100. I am very glad to state that the return I had for the invested was $322; a pretty fair amount for one month's outlay.

As I already took the liberty of writing you I will take great pleasure in sending you as soon as I possibly can, all the funds at my disposition.

In the meantime I am explaining your excellent method of doing business to my friends, and I am sure that they, as well, will give you a trial.

If it is not too much trouble for you I would be very much obliged if you would keep me informed about the movements of the market.

Giving you my best thanks for the careful and speedy attendance you have given my interests, I am,

Very respectfully,
GUILLERMO VIVES.

Inglewood, Ont., Can., Nov. 27th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your statement to hand, and I am well satisfied with your management of my account.

Kindly remit the profits, $ 52.50, and invest the remaining $25.00 in May corn at 41 1-2 to 43 cents, on a 2-cent margin.

Awaiting remittance, I am,
Yours truly
FRED. HARTLEY.

Thomas H. Wright,
Attorney-at-Law and Authorized
United States Claims Attorney,
Bellefontaine, Ohio, Dec. 6th, 1902

Mr. Wm. Leftwich,
V. P., Rialto G. & S. Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your esteemed favor of the 4th inst. is just received. Accept my appreciation of the promptness and ability of your firm.

You will probably hear from me with more business at another time. I acknowledge receipt of enclosure, $171.88.

Very respectfully yours,
THOS. H. WRIGHT.

Office of J. F. McNulty, M.D.,
Callaway, Neb., Dec. 12th, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I desire to express to you my entire satisfaction with your manner of doing business with me. You have always promptly attended to my trades and they have proven profitable.

I find it not only a pleasure, but a financial benefit to deal with your firm.

Yours truly,
J. F. M'NULTY.

Pontotoc, Miss., Dec. 2, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your letter and check of the 24th received a few days ago. Am well pleased with the way you handled my business for me, for the profit I received from that little amount I invested with you far exceeded my most sanguine expectations.

Very respectfully
A. D. FONTAINE.

Fitchburg, Mass., Dec. 2, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I am in receipt of your letter dated Nov. 28th, which more than pleased me. I was surprised at such profits in a month, and I am satisfied with that May corn investment. If I am right, I have to my credit 2,500 bushels of May corn. I leave the whole matter in your hands, and make as much as you can out of it; what you do will suit me.

I thank you for what you have done for me, and I hope by the first of next May I will be able to buy 2,500 bushels of July corn. Yours truly,

GEO. BEAUREGARD.

Green Springs, W. Va., Dec. 2 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Yours of Nov. 26th to hand containing cheque for $77.52, leaving two-cent margin on 1,500 May corn, which makes nearly 400 per cent. on investment of $25.00 on Nov. 7th.

Hope you will make out on the May corn as well. Respectfully yours,

J. A. WILSON.

P.S.—Excuse delay, as I wrote and forgot to mail same.

Treasury Department, Office of
Auditor for Treasury Department,
Washington, D.C., Dec. 1, 1902.

Hugh C. Dennis, Esq.,
Pres. Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favor of 28th ult., advising me of the closing out of the small deal I have made with you, and the investment of proceeds in May corn has been received and is satisfactory. You did better than I expected. I have been through the West and observed the wonderful production through that country, so that I expected a decline in December corn.

Thanking you for your attention, I am,
Very truly yours,
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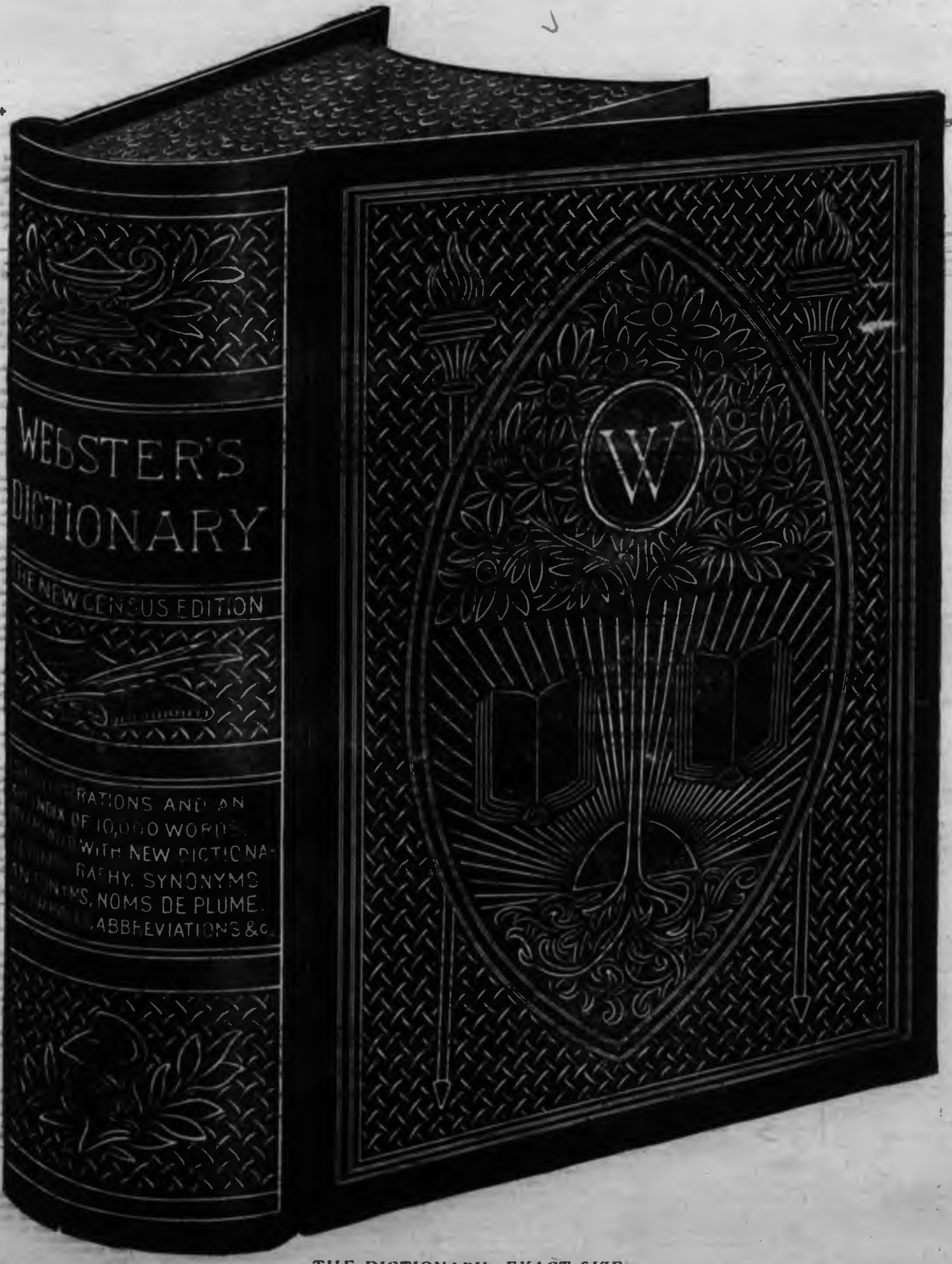

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STOCK MARKETS

IMPROVEMENT AHEAD

New York, Jan. 26.—Market inactivity will soon be followed by extreme activity. Diffidence and a lagging market is to give way to a buoyant and active one, with speculators again on the quivive. Many have dropped out at present, but are watching for a renewal of activity to come back. It will be wise to precede their reappearance; to do so will be to secure stocks at more advantageous prices than if you waited a handicap in Wall street. To get the advantage we advise purchasing now. Stocks have gone off from the prices of the middle of the month about as much as may be expected; every effort has been made by the traders to depress them, and they now appear to have run the length of their tether upon the downward side. The next market change will benefit the bulls, and indications are most strong that it is about ready to put in its appearance. No one has any amount of stock to sell upon any advance as the marginal holdings of commission houses are extremely low at present. An advance of 10 to 15 points will double these holdings. This fact guarantees a market for an immense amount of stock after the market has been advanced. It is a strange fact that the average person will not buy stocks when they are down, but will do so when prices are high. The greatest outside purchases are always made near the top prices of a market movement. Not in a years time have stocks been in so strong hands as they are at present. The manipulators of larger pools and great Wall street speculators have the floating supply at present. These veterans of the street always purchase when the public desire to sell and hold them until such time as the public want them again. They know that a decided and sustained advance, manipulative or otherwise, will draw buyers to them. The renewal of fighting on the Venezuelan coast last Thursday simply opened the market down, then stagnated it. There were no real stocks for sale consequently hardly a market. To sell one holding under such conditions is obviously foolish. To buy stocks at such a period, the market acting as it did, would appear to be the act of wisdom. Apply logical reasoning to your market trading. It will more often yield you a profit than lead you astray.

Summary—The market today was almost featureless, lethargy ruled quotations, but the undertone was exceedingly strong. Commission house business was almost at a stand still. The market appears to be waiting the outcome of the Venezuelan embroglio. No one seems disposed to close out long holdings. The short interest is very large. We anticipate an almost satisfactory settlement of the Venezuelan dispute, accompanied by an uplifting of prices. Money closed last loan, 8 1-2 per cent. Total sales 847,-700.

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Died at Manvers

Mr. Andrew McGill, one of the oldest and most highly respected residents of Manvers township passed away on January 22. His death will be deeply regretted by a large circle of acquaintances.

Hockey Match To-Night

Double Header, Port Hope Juniors vs. Peterborough Juniors 7.15 "Colts" vs. Lindsay, 8.30

Strike Settled

It is stated that at the meeting yesterday to try to arrange the difficulties between the employees and Mr. Ackerman, a settlement was arrived at, and the men are expected to return to work this morning. The agreement submitted by the committee proved to be satisfactory to both parties concerned.

What a Two Dollar Bill Did

This little incident happened in a blacksmith shop in Peterborough and is worth a place in the columns of the g.f.j. Mr. Blank, the smith handed his helper $2 that he owed him. There was a farmer standing by whom the helper owed, and he passed the money over to him. The farmer owed Mr. Blank and paid him the money. Thus the $2 paid $6 in less than six minutes and got back where it started. You never know how much machinery you are going to put in motion nor how much good you are going to do in this world when you pay a debt.

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The junior intermediates of the Y.M.C.A were entertained last night in the association parlors.

—The police have a pair of spectacles picked up near the corner of Stewart and Hunter streets.

—The Board of Education will hold a special meeting tonight at the Secretary's office to revise their by-laws.

—There was a special evangelistic service at Mark st. Methodist church last night. These services will be continued on the evenings of Wednesday and Friday of this week.

—The committee of the Ladies' Literary Society, of the T.A.S. are requested to meet the Hockey Club committee in the rooms on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

—The Non-Comm. dance tomorrow night promises to be a great event. No efforts are being spared to make it one of the most successful of the season. Tickets are on sale at Mr. D. Davidson's drug store and Mr. Fred. Clarke's fur store.

COUNTY COUNCIL

Several New Members will be Present at the Opening To-day

When the County Council convenes this afternoon at two o'clock to elect a Warden, there will be several new faces present. A spirited contest is expected for the Wardenship.

TO CLOSE AT SIX

Stationery and Fancy Goods Stores May be Included

A petition is being circulated with the object of having the stationary and fancy goods stores closed at six o'clock. This is done in the summer, and there seems no good reason why the practice should not continue throughout the year. The change will probably come into effect soon.

HORSE-SHOERS' UNION

An Increase in Prices After the First of Next April

At a recent meeting of the Master Horse-Shoers of Peterborough and the surrounding district, it was decided to increase the present scale of prices, the change to take effect on the first day of April. The horseshoers claim that the present prices are insufficient, owing to the increased cost of iron, labor and the necessaries of life.

ADJOURNED MEETING

Of the Horticultural Society To-Night to Elect Officers

There should be a large attendance at the adjourned meeting of the Horticultural Society tonight, when officers will be elected and other business transacted. Mr. Adam Hall is President, and Mr. H. L. Beall is Secretary. All the people of the town should manifest an interest in this society, as its work is of a very important and elevating nature.

OBITUARY.

Death of Mr. W. R. Milburn, at Lakefield, Minnesota

Mr. W. R. Milburn, eldest son of the late Mr. Isaac Milburn, passed away recently at Lakefield, Minnesota. The deceased has been absent from here for about 26 years. He was married to Miss E. Burrell, of Illinois, who, together with a son and daughter is left to mourn his loss. There are also three surviving brothers. We join with their many friends in extending sympathy.

MRS. JOSEPH FORD'S DEATH

Took Place Yesterday at the Advanced Age of 88

Another of Peterborough's old residents joined the great majority yesterday, when Mrs. Joseph Ford was called to her eternal rest. The deceased had lived in Peterborough for 35 years, and was born in Wiltshire, England. Of immediate relatives she leaves to mourn her loss her daughter, Mrs. F. Boomer, Mr. Bert Boomer, grandson; a sister, Mrs. Wm. Dobbie; and Mr. A. C. Herridge, of the Review, a son by her first husband.

The funeral will be private, and will be held at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon from the family residence 228 London street, to the Little Lake Cemetery.

I. O. G. T. NOTES

Harmony Lodge, No. 437, Independent Order of Good Templars will hold a social evening and members Rally at their regular meeting this Tuesday evening in their hall on Water street opposite the Public Library It is expected that a sleigh load of members of Kawartha Indian Lodge of Chemong, will pay this lodge a fraternal visit and will assist in the singing. All members of Harmony Lodge should endeavor to attend and help to entertain their Indian brothers and sisters from Chemong and also bring another friend with them. Refreshments will be served and no admission fee will be charged.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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—Mr. Webb Turner has gone, to Sault Ste. Marie on business for the firm.

—Mr. Harry Grubbe, of the Bank of Toronto, Millbrook, spent Sunday in Peterborough.

—Mrs. David Oliver, of Ashburnham has as her guest Mrs. John Armour of Brooklyn, New York.

—Mr. B. Hicks, coal and wood dealer, left yesterday to secure a supply of hardwood in the northern districts

—Mr. Walter Wesley, representing Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons, has gone on a business trip to Cornwall.

—Mr. Wesley Wilson, of Lindsay has accepted a position in Mr. Crossman's store here.

—Mrs. W. Ward, is reported to be improving nicely. Her many friends will be glad to learn this.

—Mr. Charles Dredge left yesterday for Van Wert, Ohio, where he will spend a month or so visiting his daughter, Mrs. Chas. J. Foster

—It will occasion regret to a large number of acquaintances to hear that there is no improvement in the health of Mrs. C. E. Hubbs

—Mr. John H. Smith has so far recovered as to be able to sit up for a part of each day. This will be welcome news.

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Port Hope Wins by 5-1

Port Hope defeated the senior Colts at Port Hope last night by 5 to 1.

The T.A.S. Juniors and seniors had a work out at the rink last night between 10 and 11 o'clock. Both teams will practice again tonight after the hockey matches, and a good turnout of the players is requested.

A good attendance is expected at the rink tonight to see the double-header hockey match—Port Hope Juniors vs. Peterborough Juniors, and Lindsay vs. the "Colts."

A Bathing Costume.

Montrose considered the summer plans of his family settled and that bother away behind him once and for all, when his spouse suddenly jarred him by announcing: "George, I must have a new bathing costume this year." It is hardly worth recording that he grunted and replied to the effect that she'd better have it, then:

"What color do you think would be nice?" asked Mrs. M. Again he grunted, and advised her to have anything she liked. "I was thinking of white," she said, and when he laid down his paper she added, "There is a new material, a kind of sacking with a very coarse mesh. It's very pretty, and lets the water right through without clinging at all. A bathing costume that clings is so uncomfortable. Heavy awning cloth is nice, too. That comes a pretty little red stripe on white. Would you like that?"

His voice was awestruck as he returned: "What on earth do you want to get yourself into a white bathing dress for?"

"I want to get into it 'on earth,' to go into the water!" Somehow the idea of a new bathing dress made her feel gay and clever.

"Yes," said he, scornfully, "one with big meshes that lets the water through, but not big enough to let you through! My dear Marian, this is all nonsense! Why have a bathing costume at all?"

She hates him when he calls her Marian, and she answered with energy: "I would have a bathing costume because it would be indecent to bathe without one."

"Well, why bathe?"

"George!"

"There is the tub."

"I am not talking about the tub. I am talking about the seashore."

"No, you are talking of white bathing dresses with big meshes. Are you losing your mind, Marian?"

"I must be to discuss any matter of taste with you! What is your idea of a bathing dress?"

"For a person like you, something suitable, modest and useful."

"My dear George, you first saw me in a white silk bathing dress with lace on the edge and gold buttons."

"One reason I married you was to exercise some control over your wardrobe, and I shall not have my wife appear in —"

"Didn't I look well?"

"That has nothing to do with the matter—now."

His emphasis on the "now" was bloodcurdling, but she was not warned, and began:

"Do you mean to say that I—"

"You weighed 125 then and were five years younger than you are now."

That was too much! "George Montrose," said she, "I shall have a white bathing dress, the biggest mesh I can find, and—and—I shall not go bathing without it. There!"

And George does not know whether she will or will not, but abundant precedent makes him uneasy.

It Couldn't be Worse.

Mrs. Mellon is one of those inoffensive persons who are continually dreading that they may, by some mischance, hurt the feelings of others. Added to this, she has had considerable trouble in getting a suitable cook, and does not wish to offend her.

"John," she said to the man-servant, on the morning following the party, "do you happen to know whether—that is—I mean, can you find out, without asking the cook, whether the tinned salmon was all eaten last night? You see, I don't wish to ask her because she may have eaten it, and then she would feel uncomfortable," added the good soul.

"If you please, ma'am," replied the man, "the new cook has eaten the tinned salmon; and if you was to say anything to her you couldn't make her more uncomfortable than she is."

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Vast Plan Proposek to Shut Out the Ice of the Arctic Ocean

WILL CLOSE THE STRAITS OF BELLE ISLE

Ottawa, Jan. 27.—The world is diverted now and then with some startling and gigantic scheme for changing the course of nature in some important particular for the general benefit of mankind. Thus it has been proposed by several geniuses with an engineering turn of mind to cut a channel through the northern highlands of the African continent, letting the waters of the Mediterranean overflow the Sahara desert, and adding thereby to the comfort and happiness of the people in the regions adjacent. Others with purposes not so benevolent have discussed the feasibility of switching off the Gulf Stream from its accustomed course up from the equator, and thus depriving England and other parts of the European coast of the genial climate which they are supposed to enjoy from the modifying influence of this tropic current.

An enterprise somewhat akin to these, but possessing many elements of real practicability, is that described by the Newofundland correspondent of the Chicago Record-Herald. Under this plan it is proposed to close Belle Isle strait, between Newfoundland and Labrador, by building a breakwater across it at the narrowest part, where the channel is but 10 miles wide and 180 feet deep. The benefits to be derived from such a scheme are that the shores of Quebec, Anticosti, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island would become veritable gardens, in which semi-tropical fruits and vegetables would flourish, and that the portion of Labrador west of the causeway would have a climate as salubrious as that of France, being in about the same latitude.

The argument is that Belle Isle strait is the channel or doorway from the north by which icebergs, floes, and the frigid waters from Greenland and the Arctic ocean find their way into the Gulf of St. Lawrence, chilling its area, causing fogs, cold, damp and late springs, and generally imparting to the region the semi-arctic aspect. As conditions now are, with this seaway open, the ice begins to drift in towards the end of November, and the navigation of the gulf is then impossible until the following May. If this channel were closed, it is maintained by the promoters of the new scheme, little ice would be found in the gulf during the winter, for then the frozen plains and chilly waters from the north would be forced out into the Atlantic ocean and along the east coast of Newfoundland.

Among the greatest benefits to be derived from this climatic change in the region of the St. Lawrence would be in rendering the river bearing the latter name navigable all the year round up to Quebec at least, and in giving Labrador, now a sterile and forbidding wilderness a climate that would eventually render it fit for the support of a large population. It is estimated that the project would involve an expense of about $20,000,000, a modest sum truly if all the benefits promised can be realized.

ELOPING WIFE IN DEADLY PERIL

The Wife of Rich Chinaman Elopes With the Cook and is Being Followed by the Terrible Chinese Tong

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Mrs. Jessamina Don Sang, the beautiful young wife of one of the wealthiest Chinese physicians of the United States, who eloped with her cook, Chin Wong Yu, last Monday, is fleeing for her life across the country, pursued by the agents of the terrible Chinese tong, of which her husband is a member.

No hunted deer, followed by a hungry pack of wolves, ever floundered through the snows of midwinter with less chance of escape than has this woman who left her home and her all for love, and is fleeing for a refuge in some secluded place. Behind her follow the agents of secret societies of China, than which no organization in the world is greater. They are armed with descriptions of her and her companion, and they are tireless as an East Indian runner.

In front of her, warned through the mysterious power of the society, await others, as patient and as tireless. Among her own people there is no place on the face of the earth where the wife of Don Sang can rest and be safe.

In the Chinese criminal calendar there is no crime unless it be the murder of a parent, more terrible than the elopement of a married woman. For centuries the law has been unchanged, and the punishment of the woman consists of torture of the most barbarous character, lasting for a week or until she dies. The man is killed outright.

Behind her when she eloped Mrs. Sang left a beautiful home, a loving husband and five little children, three boys and two girls, one of the former still a tiny baby. Her husband, Dr. Sang, is 70 years old.

A WONDERFUL MACHINE

PETERBOROUGH MAN'S PREPAYMENT METER

A Satisfactory Test Made in Ottawa by Mr. A. A. Dixon—Some Advantages Claimed

Ottawa, Jan. 27.—Messrs. J. H. McClellan and Geo. L. Gowland, of Peterborough, are in the city in connection with a new prepayment or nickel in the slot electric metre, of which Mr. Gowland is the inventor and patentee and which is manufactured by the Gowland Company, of Toronto.

The metre, which is the only prepayment electric metre in existence, is the invention of Mr. Gowland, who is a Canadian by birth, having been born in Antigonish, N.S. He is the possessor of 42 patents and was formerly one of the head electricians for the Canadian General Electric Company.

A test of the metre was made yesterday by Mr. A. Dixon, chief of the Ottawa Electric Light Company, who describes it as supplying a great want. He stated that both the recording and prepayment metres were perfect and correct from one lamp up, the ratio from one lamp to twenty being perfect.

The prepayment metre is similar to the Watt metre and to the well-known prepayment gas metre, of which there are 18,000 in use in Montreal and 60,000 in Canada. It is strictly automatic in action, there being no switches or handles to turn. All the operator desiring light has to do is to go to the metre and deposit therein 25 cents or any number of quarters, which will be used consecutively as the light is consumed. Another important feature is that the consumer can check his own machine by the clock, which is modelled after the cash register system, keeping check on the light used for the consumer and of the number of quarters deposited for the company.

The metre will do away with all suspicion on the part of consumers that they are being defrauded by metres which they cannot read. If any customer thinks that he is being robbed, all he has to do is to turn on one light, and with his watch or the family clock he can tell at a glance how much light he is getting for a quarter. Another important feature is that this metre enables the company to do a cash business, at the same time ridding the consumer of light bills, as the clock keeps tab on the number of quarters deposited and which are collected periodically throughout the year.

Messrs. McClellan and Gowland are on their way to Montreal, where a number of influential electrical men are anxious to see the metre. They are not in any way hawking stock, as there is no stock in the company for sale. There are already some hundreds of these metres in use. One apartment house in New York is using 715 of these metres.

BOARD OF HEALTH

Held Their Annual Meeting and Receive Reports

At the inaugural meeting of the Board of Health, Mr. Robert Nell was elected Chairman, and he presided yesterday morning at the meeting to receive the report of the Medical Health Officer, Dr. Bingham, which reads as follows:—

To the Board of Health, Peterborough.

Gentlemen, — During the year that is past 122 deaths were reported. Many different diseases were set down as the cause of this vitality, viz., pneumonia, old age, tuberculosis, heart disease, gastritis, diphtheria, bronchitis, cerebral hemorrhage, erysipelas, apoplexy, croup, softening of the brain, constipation, peritonitis, the kidneys, abdominal tumour, suppression of the urine, scarlet fever, pernicious anæmia, and cholera infantum. The appearance of smallpox here in the month of January caused no small alarm, but at great financial loss, both to private citizens and to the town at large, the dreaded scourge was isolated and thereby prevented from spreading among the people. Other infectious diseases were common enough in the town during the year. Scarlet fever was quite prevalent, but in such a mild form that during the first eleven months of the year not one death was reported as distinctly due to that cause. But in the month of December, unfortunately, diphtheria and scarlet fever broke out in such a malignant form that the results were most deplorable. The virulence of the disease was so intense that it defied the most skilful treatment, and in some very sad cases it carried the patient away in a few hours. Under these distressing circumstances, your Health Officer, and Sanitary Inspector, did all in their power, not only to prevent a panic among the people but especially to stamp out the disease as quickly as possible. The houses were placarded, we visited them, we quarantined the people, we enforced private funerals, and in every instance fumigated the houses, and placed the surroundings of the patient in as sanitary a condition as the circumstances would permit. It is now gratifying to be able to state that the worst is over, and that the few cases of scarlet fever and diphtheria which still remain in town, are of the milder type, and all are in a fair way of recovery.

To enjoy good health it is necessary to have plenty of sunlight, pure air, pure water, pure food, and absolute cleanliness in all things. If these conditions were strictly obeyed by everyone infectious diseases would be less prevalent than they are at present. Among causes of infectious diseases may be named sewer gas, decaying animal or vegetable substance in any part of the dwelling house, also stuffy sleeping apartments, which are ill ventilated, and without the healthy influence of sunshine. Bad water is another well known cause of infectious diseases. Your Sanitary Inspector and Health Officer recently visited 13 families where they had had scarlet fever or diphtheria, and we found 9 out of 13 families used well water. It is a settled opinion at present among sanitarians that wells in a town or city are a dangerous source of disease. Bad milk causes disease, and severe punishment is due to any man who would sell milk in town from any house or dairy where any infectious disease exists.

Before the schools opened, however, on Monday last your Health Officer and assistant had disinfected and fumigated every school in town in strict accordance with the instructions of this Board at its last meeting, and the public can rest satisfied that everything has been done to place the schools in a perfectly sanitary condition.

During the year the work of the Sanitary Inspector and men were much the same as in other years. As soon as the frost had lost its grip they visited all the yards and premises in the corporation, and gave strict orders to clean up, and they ceased not from their daily task until the town was placed in a fairly good sanitary condition. As it was, many complaints of varied character reached the Health Officer during the year, but with the able and willing assistance of your Sanitary Inspector, the complaints were adjusted, generally in a satisfactory manner.

In conclusion, it may be said that with the zealous co-operation of the citizens with the Board of Health, Peterborough, with its unrivalled natural and material advantages will soon be the healthiest town or city in the Dominion.

Yours respectfully,
J. BINGHAM,
Med. H. O..

It was decided to request the Provincial Secretary, Hon. J. R. Stratton, to send a competent man to fully investigate the causes of the recent outbreak of contagious diseases in Peterborough.

A special meeting will be convened when this officer arrives.

SIR THOMAS SHAUGHNESSY OPPOSED TO SUBSIDY

The Dominion is Growing Great Enough to End Such a Policy

CANADIAN PACIFIC PRESIDENT SPEAKS HIS MIND

If the Government Aids New Lines Canadian Pacific May Ask Grant for Its Branches

Montreal, Jan. 27.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, speaking on the Grand Trunk scheme said:

"In principle, I am opposed to any further Government aid to railroads, whether it be the Grand Trunk or any other road. The Dominion is getting old enough now to do away with a policy which lends its funds for the promotion of private enterprises.

"In effect, the Government is asked to become a competitor of those pioneer companies which have struggled for years with unprofitable ventures. Now, these investments have reached a stage where they can be realized upon, and a syndicate comes forward and requests the Government to enter into partnership with them, to divide the business developed by them, after many years of attention and risk of capital.

OPPOSED TO SUBSIDIES.

"Personally, I am opposed to Government subsidies. The policy is demoralizing. Sometimes it is the choice of two evils, but the situation now does not warrant the Government in such partnership schemes.

"I think the more profitable policy for the country is the enlargement and development of the lines already in operation. As evidence of what the C.P.R. is doing in this line, I may say we ordered some ten million of dollars' worth of rolling stock in July, 1901. This consisted of 185 modern locomotives and other necessary equipment. Less than half of that has been received thus far; but it will all be ready to be utilized in moving this year's grain yield. During that period, I may add that we bought and used all the rolling stock the market would afford, or our facilities turn out. This was to keep the equipment up to the standard.

"Then, too, we have been doing all that we could be reasonably be expected to do in this time to improve the roadbed, straighten the curves, reduce the grades, and construct the branches which the development of the country demanded. The expenditures in this direction have been enormous. Our appropriation sheet this year for these purposes show some seventeen million dollars, with some millions added for new construction. Half of these seventeen millions has already been expended, and the balance will go into line betterments as rapidly as the world can be done this year. This covers some 1,300 miles of lines alone. We practically completed over two hundred miles of new line last year.

SUBSIDIES FOR BRANCHES.

"Now, our idea is that, if the government policy of subsidizing lines is to be continued, we would be entitled to large sums for the new lines being constructed and in contemplation. No; we are not asking aid for these branches. True, we have made application for a subsidy for the Moosejaw extension, but the circumstances in that case are somewhat different from the other work of new construction. It naturally follows that we should have this subsidy, too, if the Grand Trunk Pacific is to become our competitor, with the government as a partner. Of course, I know the Grand Trunk Pacific will not be a paying proposition at first, but it will pay in time, with exertion and settlement of the country; but this means time. I concede this.

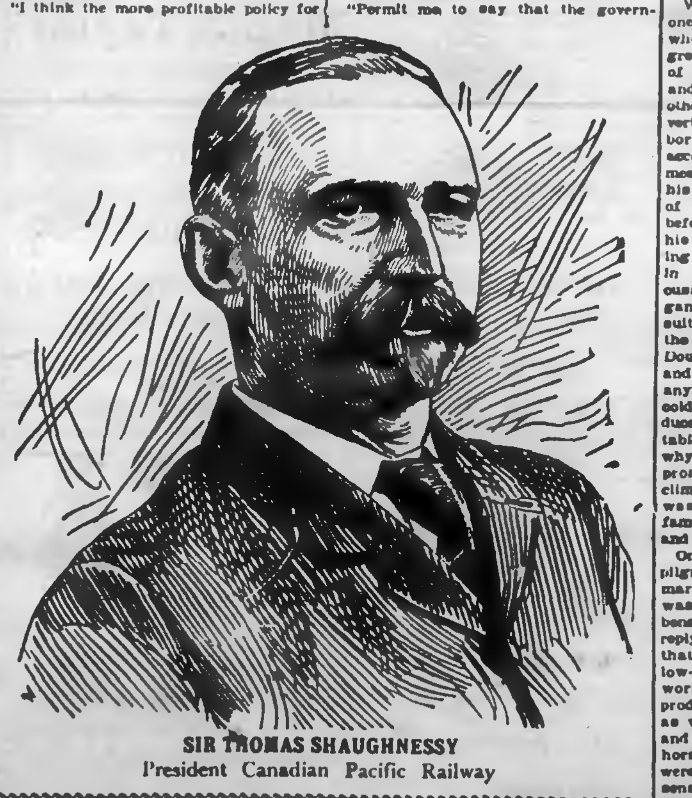
"I think I may say it is policy of the C.P.R. to spend millions annually in running branch lines into the settled country, which demands these facilities reasonably, from the business offered. This means the line will cover with a network of feeders the territory adjacent to its main line. This will be done as fast as the material can be secured. This work of improvement had to be deferred until the C.P.R.'s business warranted it. We could not raise the necessary funds at first for this work. Neither did the condition of the country warrant better rolling stock, lower grades and feeders.

GOVERNMENT PARTNERSHIP.

"Permit me to say that the government cannot grant this subsidy, in my estimation, with all fairness to those companies now in the field. It is very nearly akin to the government's going partnership with a company, to become a competitor to existing lines. It is not only not fair to capital invested, but there is no demand for such a policy. When the C.P.R. was built it was a different proposition, an entirely new condition. The road was a necessity both commercial and military. The country keenly demanded it, and the demand was reinforced by a necessity that was wholly apparent, from every point of view. Conditions have changed now. It is not a pioneer condition which confronts the country. In fact, the period where subsidies are necessary has passed for all time.

"Then, capital could not be reasonably expected to invest in a transcontinental line, as a private venture. Every pound of material had to go overland long distances. As a private venture, it would have been impossible, ruinous. There was no business to be developed, and no prospects of a profitable income for years. All this had to come as a result of the construction of the road and continued heavy expense to the company. All is different now. The cost of the Grand Trunk Pacific is a mere bagatelle as compared with the cost of the C.P.R. This cost alone would more than account for the difference between the C.P.R. subsidy and the expense of constructing the Grand Trunk Pacific as a private enterprise wholly.

"In conclusion," said Sir Thomas, "I am not referring particularly to the Grand Trunk, but speaking on general principles."



SIR THOMAS SHAUGHNESSY
President Canadian Pacific Railway

A CALLING DOWN

The Visiting Scotch Curlers are Severely Censured in Toronto

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 27.—"I hope," said Dr. Milligan in the course of his sermon at old St. Andrew's church, yesterday, "that it is not true that Scottish Curlers have gone on a Sunday jaunt to Niagara Falls. If they have gone they should be ashamed of themselves, and if there is a minister among them the matter is still worse. The fight to keep Sunday free from the secularities of the world is hard enough now, and these friends who come from the Old Land and Scotchmen should not make things harder by setting an example which too many will be willing to follow. As a Scotchman I feel it my duty to enter a protest. I had hoped for and expected better than the spectacle of Scotchmen, with a minister at their head, taking a Sunday jaunt to Niagara Falls."

FIFTY MAD PERSONS MEET DEATH IN A FIRE

Wild with Excitement, the Panic Stricken Patients Make Rescue Difficult

London, Jan. 27.—Fifty insane patients were burned to death by fire at the Colney Hatch Asylum this morning.

The outbreak occurred in the Jewish wing of the institution. The flames spread with great rapidity, and before they could be got under control five wooden buildings, including the dormitories and the doctors' apartments, were gutted. All the efforts of the officials were directed to removing the insane inmates, but the latter became wild with excitement and so panic-stricken that not only were they unable to help themselves, but greatly impeded the operations of those trying to save them.

WOMEN THE VICTIMS.

There were nearly 600 women in the burned annex at the time the fire was discovered and most of them were safely transferred to the main building, which was uninjured. Some, however, escaped, and are still at large, rendering it difficult to ascertain the exact number of those burned to death.

The work of searching the ruins continues. The officials admit that about fifty bodies have been recovered, but it is feared that the full extent of the disaster is not yet known.

A HORRIFYING SPECTACLE.

All the victims were lunatics. There charred remains presented a horrifying spectacle. The asylum was besieged by anxious relatives or friends of the patients, who arrived from all quarters. Pitiable scenes were witnessed as weeping men and women left the premises after ascertaining that relatives had perished in the flames.

SOME BURNED IN BED.

Some of the lunatics were burned while in bed, and the charred remains of others were found huddled together in corners, while groups of partially consumed bodies of the site of the corridors showed that many persons lost their lives and sacrificed those of others in their frantic efforts to force a passage through the flames to the main building.

The latest estimate of the superintendent of the asylum placed the number of deaths at 52. All the victims were women.

THE ASYLUM.

Colney Hatch Asylum drew its name from that of the old suburb of London, where it was erected, and which is now known as New Southgate. The late Prince Consort laid the first foundation stone in 1849, and it was opened in 1851 for the reception of patients. The cost of its erection is estimated at a little over half a million pounds sterling and the yearly cost of maintenance has been about sixty thousand pounds. It is supported, not as are Ontario Asylums, by the Government, but by the ratepayers of the metropolitan County of Middlesex. It was designated in plain Italian style, and was built of brick, with stone dressing. Its ground plan is that of a large E. Its equipment was considered admirable, and the chapel alone had a seating capacity of 600.

The nurses had a terrible experience in trying to assist the insane people, who were so panic-stricken that they had literally to be driven to a place of safety. The inflammable premises about immediately became a furious furnace. Nothing was left standing. The corrugated iron roofs of the dormitories and the bedsteads of the patients were melted by the intense heat.

Registration of Births

A more stringent effort is to be made for the prompter registration of births throughout the Province. With this end in view a circular letter from the deputy registrar-general has been sent out, giving these instructions which will entail considerable work to comply with: Ascertain from local physicians what births have occurred in their several practices during the previous six months; examine the baptismal reports of the local clergy, check over births in newspapers for the past six months; encourage local newspapers to emphasize the necessity of parents registering all births within thirty days of their occurrence; promptly notify their department of any case of parents refusing to register births.

A Close Call

Mr. Wm. Anderson, M.P.P., for East Peterborough was in town yesterday attending the County Council. This was the first day that Mr. Anderson had been out for some time. About two weeks ago he met with a very serious accident, while taking out cedar on his farm in Otonabee. As a tree was falling it brought with it another which had apparently rotted at the butt, and before Mr. Anderson was aware of his danger he received a blow on the back of the head from the falling tree and sustained the fracture of two or three ribs. Mr. Anderson was not rendered unconscious, but was rather dazed. He managed to walk to his home at some distance, where a doctor was called and his injuries attended to. He considers his escape from very serious, if not fatal injury, as bordering on the miraculous.

INGENIOUS WAYS OF A WISE LEADER

Doukhobor Arguments Met With Reason

Why the Horses and Cows May be Used by Settlers

Winnipeg, Jan. 26.—Peter Verigin, one of the leaders of the Doukhobors, who has been in Russia, and of whom great things are expected in the way of inducing the people to settle down and give up their foolish idea of another pilgrimage in the spring to convert the world, is now in the Doukhobor villages north of Yorkton, and, according to reports from there is meeting with considerable success in his effort. He started at the village of Proterpersky, where his home was before leaving for Russia, and where his mother still lives. His first meeting was held in his own house, and in the course of his address he discussed the whole situation. He began by taking up the question of the suitability of Canada as a place for the Doukhobors. He declared that the Doukhobors were here by God's will, and that there was no need to look anywhere else. While the climate was cold it was healthy, and the soil produced all manner of grains and vegetables, so that there was no reason why they should not be happy and prosperous. Having a good soil and climate, the other essential to success was the possession of animals. Every family should have a team of horses, and two or three cows.

One of those who had been on the pilgrimage here broke in with the remark that in Canada all the work was done by horses, and man got the benefit of enslaving them. Verigin's reply was that the relation was not that of master and slave, but of fellow-workers; that while the horse worked for the man, both labored to produce oats for the horse as well as wheat for the man. Hay was cut and stacked and stables built for the horse's benefit, so that the benefits were mutual. Animals were in this sense to be considered members of the community. But the leader was not yet "out of the woods," for the same pilgrim raised the point that if they kept cows for the milk and butter, there would be the annual excess of males, and it would not be right to sell these to the butcher. Verigin had evidently thought this matter out further than the pilgrim, and he was ready. He said that on the ship he came across from in England there were 700 immigrants, poor people, who expected to settle on land. If the Doukhobors found they had too many bullocks they could give the surplus to these poor immigrants to plow with.

Then he went on to counsel them to adapt themselves to their surroundings and settle down. He urged them to take up land without delay. They had been in Canada four years, and had been acting as if they were not going to stay. The Government might have given away the lands to others but they had been patient. It was not right for them to be looking for trouble, and expecting evil. They were no longer in poor Russia, ground into the dust by bad government. Canada was a free country, and he saw no dangers ahead, but even if evils did come they would meet them like men as they had before. They should also comply with the law in regard to the registration of vital statistics, which, law was meant for their good.

Verigin dealt with the late pilgrimage. Some felt called on to do no work, but to go out and preach the conversion of the world. Of course, if they saw that as their duty they must go, but they should consider it well. Were they so perfect that there was no reforming to be done in their own lives before they were quite ready to preach perfection? If such was the case, why, of course, they should start again in the spring. But they must remember this, that while they were free to adopt such a mode of life and to subject themselves to any privations they might see fit, they had no right to involve their relatives, and especially their wives and children. If any of them should again go out they should leave behind their wives and children with their relatives who would, no doubt, be glad to take care of them.

Verigin is now travelling from village to village with a party of selected followers and talking to all in the same strain. The party travel in sleighs drawn by horses, and have met with a very good reception wherever they have appeared. The appearance of milk and butter on the tables indicates that part at least of the Doukhobors have given up the worst features of the craze. It cannot be told until spring how successful Verigin has been, but everything now looks very hopeful for another pilgrimage being prevented.

WANT NO BREACH WITH UNITED STATES

Venezuela Terms Prove Acceptable at Berlin—War Must now Cease—British Opinion Wotked to a High Pitch

New York, Jan. 27.—The Herald's London correspondent cables that an impression is abroad that the beginning of the end of the Venezuelan affair is near at hand, and that the initial stage that of the raising of the blockade, is now only a question of a very short time. The powers have practically agreed to accept Mr. Bowen's offer of guarantees on the part of Venezuela. The bombardment of Fort San Carlos by German warships had considerable to do with the hastening of this action. The British Government had realized that its alliance with Germany was unpopular with the entire nation, but it was unprepared for the outburst of denunciation of the debt-collecting campaign which arose in every part of the kingdom when the details of the German bombardment became known, the press and people, with one voice, called upon the Government to cease to be bound to Germany's side.

BRITISH SENTIMENT AROUSED.

When Mr. Bowen's proposition arrived at the Foreign Office, it was found to be of a satisfactory nature, and the British Government made strong representations to Berlin that it be accepted, and at the same time intimated that there was a limit to the extent in which Great Britain would co-operate with Germany.

THE THUNDERER'S OPINION.

The Times, in an editorial this morning on the Venezuelan situation, says. "We are not yet out of the woods, but if Minister Bowen's efforts are crowned with success it is hardly conceivable that the risk involved in the blockade of the Venezuelan coast is to be deliberately incurred afresh. It would certainly require very urgent necessity to induce England to sanction or condone again a policy which might easily have endangered the good understanding and kindly feelings that recently have drawn closer the people of Great Britain and the United States. We have had rather a sharp lesson. Undoubtedly it has been taken to heart."

CASTRO'S OFFER AT BERLIN.

Berlin, Jan. 27.—President Castro's offer of thirty per cent. of the Customs receipts of La Guaira and Porto Cabello as a guarantee of the payment of foreign claims is regarded in official circles here as evidence of the sincerity of his intention to make a satisfactory settlement. As the offer, however, includes the claims of other countries besides those taking part in the blockade, some doubt is expressed as to whether thirty per cent. is adequate. A discussion is now proceeding to determine this point. It is also uncertain whether the allies will admit that Powers which did not join in the blockade shall share in the results the former secured through expensive naval operations.

General - Sports

A SKATING CARNIVAL.

"Why should we not have a skating carnival in Peterborough?" writes a young enthusiast. "We have a good rink; and it is an open secret that many of our fast amateur skaters are anxious for a meeting." Why not? Here is a suggestion we think the Powers that Be may profitably consider.

SKATING.

We hear that that sterling young skater, Oliver Dusty, is anxious to meet skaters of some repute, to compete for the town and county championship, and will stake any reasonable amount to arrange such a meeting. This sounds like business. In the interest of local sport we should like to see the challenge responded to.

CURLING.

—Skip Flavelle's Lindsay rink will travel to Winnipeg with the Scotsmen, leaving Toronto, Monday, February 2. They may be accompanied by an Oshawa rink, skipped by J. A. Sykes, and there is a possibility also of a Peterboro rink making the trip. The bonspiel opens February 4.

The Thistles and the Granites sent two rinks each to Lindsay on the noon train to contest for the Tankard. The Thistles are matched against Beaverton, whilst the Granites oppose Lindsay. Great things are expected from our boys in their different engagements. We wish them every success.

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LOCAL NUISANCES

At the present moment there is probably nothing so erratic and unsatisfactory in the whole town as our timepieces—the town and the postoffice clocks. We do not complain of the attention paid to them by their caretaker, for of that we know little or nothing, but we do complain, in common with hundreds of others, of the irregular and misleading time they keep. It is a common thing in Peterborough when complaints are made to ignore them out of pure spite and cussedness. It is the revenge of weak men. We hope, however, that in the future some effort will be made to have the correct time for us. Every day, at noon, or at whatever other hour may suit the Aldermanic fancy, we might receive the time from the observatory at Toronto, just as it is done in every town in England.

Slippery sidewalks and public timepieces that go regardless of time are two of our most patent nuisances. In a town where there are so many men and women employed in manufactories it is a downright shame that nothing is done to give them the correct time.

Alderman McWilliams was returned at the head of the poll for no other reason than that he was likely to infuse some energy into our civic administration. The people are looking to him.

THE ALASKAN BOUNDARY COMMISSION

The treaty signed by Sir Michael Herbert on behalf of Great Britain and by Secretary Hay on behalf of the United States agreeing to refer the question of the Alaska Boundary to a joint commission representing the two countries shows at least a friendly disposition on both sides. Exception has been taken to the composition of the commission because it is to consist of six members only, three appointed by each of the interested powers, and there being no provision made for a neutral umpire in case of difference of opinion. We are far from believing that the joint commission will necessarily be a failure on this account. Its decisions may be of the nature of a compromise; but at least the commission will bring out all the evidence of both sides that is obtainable; and under the circumstances all the members will feel particularly bound to give good reasons for the opinions they express. It is something of a novelty in the way of international arbitration (if such it can be called), but if it can arrive at an agreement its decision ought to be generally acceptable to all concerned.

GOOD TIME FOR A PATRIOTIC ACT

The men and women of Canada know that the American coal operator and the American railway magnate have combined to make them pay enormous prices for the coal they are consuming this winter.

Do they mean to submit to the extortions of which they are victims without hitting back at the country which has produced a crop of coal tyrants in its hard coal regions?

Is it not a good time to resolve to buy nothing in the line of United States manufactures that is produced in this country? Would it not be acting patriotically at this stage to combine to lessen our imports from the neighboring Republic? We have been sorely oppressed. From the United States comes an ever-

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Buy more Canadian goods, less American. Let that be the resolve of every man and every woman who is to-day the unwilling and hard pressed subject of the United States Coal Baron.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Colonel Lynch may not be hanged; but he has already been drawn, and will no doubt be safely quartered in one of His Majesty's institutions.

The Quebec Golf Club has objected to the location of the Dominion rifle factory there, because it will spoil the seventh hold on the links. The factory will probably employ a thousand hands eventually. The Government should not thrust public buildings on a community that is so particular.

If Colonel Lynch had been an American citizen, had gone to the Philippines two or three years ago, accepted the command of a Filipino regiment, and had fought against American troops; then, after the war was over, suppose he had been elected to Congress from some disaffected district and had attempted to take his seat as representative — what would have been the result? His name suggests it.

This great family journal doffs its hat to the manager of the Guelph opera house, who cancelled the performance of the luridly anti-British play, Nathan Hale, at his house when he learned the character of the play. A Canadian manager who protects his patrons from insult deserves encouragement. And this play, from all accounts, is an insult in four acts to every British audience that is lured to witness it.

ENGLAND'S ARBITRATION

Are Sixty-Six in Number, and Show Extent of Empire

London, Jan. 27—There are many ways of estimating the power and extent of empire. One is the number of times in which a State has been engaged in international arbitration. Since the general pacification of 1815 there have been, till July, 1896, 136 instances of this resort for the settlement of disputes between nations, and in 66 of these Great Britain appears as a party. The proposed arbitration with regard to Venezuela will make the sixty-seventh in which this country has been involved. In seven of these cases Venezuela was concerned, twice with Great Britain, twice with the United States, twice with Colombia and once with France. The progenitor of these international tribunals was the Amphictyonic council of Greece, which was the deliberative assembly of an association formed among neighboring tribes of Greece for the regulation of their mutual intercourse. The latest is of course The Hague Tribunal. There have been many other interesting schemes for securing universal peace, notably one formulated by China in 1890, on the suggestion, it is understood, by a distinguished Japanese statesman. But war goes on all the same.

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Brunette and Blonde

A ROMANCE

They passed down the apartment to inspect the family portraits first, the earl leading, Hilda walking on one side of him, Florence the other.

As they walked slowly along, the earl pointing out his ancestors, rehearsing stories of their knightly deeds with a kindling eye, the difference between the blonde and brunette was more marked than ever before.

Florence looked bored beyond measure, though she tried her best to hide it under an affectation of pride and interest. Hilda was bright, pleased, interested, her bosom thrilling with the inward consciousness that these brave men and beautiful women of whom the earl told her such grand things, were her own ancestors. They belonged to her; she belonged to them, though she might never be able to prove her claim.

Lady Leigh had superintended her dressing, as she declared she would. For the first time, Hilda had appeared richly dressed, and the stylish costume of bright, ruby-colored silk and velvet, with picturesque dashes of fine black lace here and there, was marvelously becoming to her piquant brunette beauty. A full cluster of deep crimson roses was fastened in with the creamy lace that shaded her round, white throat. Her beautiful black hair was arranged in a shining coronal of braids, and confined beneath a fillet of dead gold.

Beautiful as every one deemed her, no one was prepared for the dazzling effect Lady Leigh had designed with such perfect taste. In her simple, girlish costumes of white they had thought Hilda a lovely, artless, gentle girl. She had suddenly blossomed out into a brilliant and sparkling woman. The flush glowed deeper on her delicately rounded cheek there was a soft and tender light of happiness in her eyes, but no one guessed what had brought it there. From time to time the earl turned a puzzled yet admiring look upon her. Something in her dusky loveliness had had a strange, haunting effect upon him from the first. It began to dawn upon him startlingly now.

They had gone more than half way through the list of portraits, when Florence, who looked very fair and pretty in a tasteful costume of blue and white, yawned dismally, and exclaimed:

"Hilda are you not tired of looking at all these grim dead-and-gone people? Let us go over to the other side and look at the beautiful angels and the Madonnas by the old masters.

Hilda looked reluctant. The earl broke in suddenly before she could reply:

"Do not coax her away, Florence, before she has seen your mother's portrait, and your own, which I had painted when you first came to me last year."

"Mine is a mere daub," Florence began, anxious to get away before they proceeded farther.

The earl interrupted her with a displeased look.

"Florence, you may return if you like," he said, with distinct displeasure, "but I propose to show our visitor all the family portraits, unless she is weary."

Florence cowered before this sudden sternness, and declared she had been jesting when she spoke, and was not willing to return yet. Hilda emphatically declared her delight in inspecting the portraits, so they continued with no further remonstrance from Florence.

They paused at length before a full-length portrait of Florence, taken in a pretty, coquettish attitude. The picture was a very fair and pretty one, but the blonde impostor looked strangely out of place among the haughty, dark-eyed Lornes. They were all noble and earnest-looking—the men brave and proud, the women like heroines, all of them. Florence's blonde, regular features, when transferred to canvas, without the charm of her delusive smiles, were utterly soulless and heartless. Hilda glanced at it a moment, then turned silently to the next one. It was Lady Ethel, the earl's youngest daughter, painted, as he explained to her, a year before she ran away and married Guy Aylesford.

Hilda turned to look at the portrait she had so longed to see, then started back with such a startled cry as Eve might have uttered when she first beheld her reflected image in the brook.

Lady Leigh's clever design in arranging her dress flashed over her. For in the beautiful portrait of the earl's youngest daughter she beheld her reflected image. The dark, soft eyes were there, the delicate, clear-cut features, the sweet yet spirited mouth, the dark braids bound with the golden fillet. About the slender, stately figure swept the graceful folds of the ruby silk and velvet; against the rounded whiteness of the throat nestled the bunch of vivid crimson roses. Hilda caught her breath—it was like looking into a mirror.

The dark, stern earl stood looking from the portrait to the vivid face of the startled girl.

"Miss Aylesford," he said, slowly and meaningly, "you see the wonderful resemblance between Lady Ethel and yourself as plainly as I see it. It is marvelous."

Florence broke into a scornful, uneasy laugh.

"Oh, grandpapa!" she cried, "how can you imagine such a thing? Hilda is no more like my dear, beautiful mamma than the man in the moon! It is only that she has dressed herself on purpose to look like the picture and delude you. Don't you see, grandpapa," she continued, shaking him by the arm as he continued gazing earnestly at Hilda, "that her face is not the least like mamma's —only her dress!"

The earl's dark eyes, full of brooding trouble and vague suspicion, looked down at the imploring face of the fair impostor.

"Hush, Florence!" he said abruptly. "I spoke only the truth and you know it. Hilda is the perfect image of my daughter Ethel at her age. Moreover, in her mind and spirit, as well as her person, she resembles the Lornes much more than you do."

Florence stared at him with wide, frightened blue eyes.

Mr. Aylesford ventured to come forward from the group that stood around silently listening. He touched the earl's arm.

"My lord," he said, "pray do not allow my daughter's silly prank in dressing herself like a picture to disturb you thus, and cause Lady Florence, your sweet granddaughter such poignant distress. Hilda has always been a freakish child. She has been to the gallery before to-day.

To be Continued.

NERVOUSNESS

Or despondency caused by weak unhealthy nerves, are responsible for more sickness and suffering than any other disease. If you have a secret drain from early abuse, later excesses or exposure, you cannot expect healthy nerves while your vitality is being wasted. Do not live out a miserable existence on account of your follies, you are not safe until cured—nature never excuses—no matter how young, old or innocent one may be.

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BUBONIC PLAGUE THREATENS

Epidemic in Mexico and Many Cases in California

Washington, Jan. 27—No country in the world excels the United States in efforts to ward off the invasion and spread of deadly plagues, but it is certain that we are now threatened by that great Asiatic scourge, the bubonic plague. It has reached the epidemic stage in the republic south of us and has invaded California. It has made its dreaded appearance in several parts of Mexico, but is at its worst in Topolobampo where the people are dying like plague-stricken sheep. In Mazatlan there have been over 150 deaths and half the population has fled.

The disease has been present in California for several years and the cases have become so numerous that at a conference of 21 State Boards of Health it was resolved this week that California must take immediate action or be cut off from commercial relations with the other States. Eighty-seven cases have been found in San Francisco's Chinese district alone. Of 22 dead rats picked up in Chinatown 11 were found to be infected. It is recommended that Chinatown be burned to the ground, and the inhabitants sequestered at some place outside the city.

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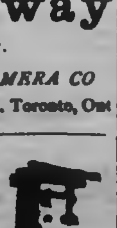

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We now urge the purchase of MAY CORN. MAY CORN is selling around 43 1-2 cents, and we believe that a purchase of this Cereal NOW will earn as great profits for the purchaser as did December Corn.

Read the following letters carefully, then send for our *FREE BOOKLET* giving reasons for our advice to buy MAY CORN.

Railway Mail Service, Office of Assistant Superintendent Fifth Division.
Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 6th, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 3rd inst., enclosing check for my balance, $125.00, and for my friend Chesley of $61.56, which I have turned over to him. This is a very handsome profit on less than a month's transactions, on $100.00 investment in corn.

I appreciate your kindness very much, indeed, in closing the account so promptly following my request to do so.

Very truly yours,
HARRY E. FIRST.

Room 421, Government Building.
Baxter, Ohio. Dec. 4th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I have received your check for $112.50, amount I made by investing $25.00 in December corn and holding it about twenty days.

Thanking you for your good judgment in buying December corn at low price for me, and selling it at the very highest price, I remain yours very respectfully,
H. S. DOWNS.

Montreal, Can., Dec. 3rd., 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your favor of the 29th ult., with enclosure, came to hand yesterday, but I was so busy that I could not find time to reply to same until today.

I note your remarks regarding December corn, that you sold my holdings and invested the same, with profits, in May corn, which, under the circumstances, was and is satisfactory.

I also note your remarks regarding May corn, and leave you the handling of same, as you may think best and most profitable.

Awaiting your further favors, I remain yours truly,
W. H. LOVE.

Sacramento, Cal., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
214-222 Rialto Building,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received two letters from you today, which inform me that you have, according to my instructions, sold my holdings in December corn and bought 2,500 bushels of May corn at 43 cents, on a margin of 3 cents. This means a profit of $31.25 in fifteen days on an investment of $25.00, which, I must say, is very satisfactory to me, as it is my first venture in margins in grain or any other like investment.

Kindly continue to re-invest as your judgment dictates. I am satisfied to have you make the investment earn what it can.

Again thanking you, I am
Respectfully yours,

Ann Harbor, Mich., Dec. 4th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—In reply to yours of Nov. 29th (which would have been answered before this, but for the sickness of the writer), you did exactly what you should have done, and I hereby authorize you to make such moves in the matter as you think would be for my best interest, always saving me from loss, if possible.

I am well pleased over your action in the above deal, and hope to see you soon and express my thanks to you in person.

Very truly yours,
H. F. STURTEVANT.

Training Station.
Newport, R.I., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I received your letter of Nov. 29th, and approve of your action in selling my holdings in December corn and purchase of May instead.

Wishing you luck in selling and buying when you think best, I am,

Very respectfully,
BENJAMIN SMITH.

Armada, Mich., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favor of the 29th ult. received, and I hasten to reply. I have just arrived home and I am well pleased with the way you have handled my investment in December corn and with the handsome profits; also with your having disposed of the same and investing in May corn (the confirmatory for which I have received).

I wish to heartily thank you all for the conserving and kindly interest you have taken in my welfare. I have every confidence in you and your abilities. Do with the May deal as your best judgment would indicate would be best for us, and I wish you every success in it.

I also wish to thank you for sending me "The St. Louis Star."

Very sincerely yours,
D. H. WILSON.

Evanston, Wyo., Dec. 2nd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of Nov. 26th, enclosing draft for $827.80, at hand, with advice of $300.00 as margin on 15,000 bushels May corn, and appreciate the way you have managed the business, as you did not sell me out when I expected you could, but protected my interest to a good advantage, as above proceeds go to show.

I thank you for your good judgment in handling the business.

Yours truly, CHARLES STONE.

Rutland, Vt., December, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your letter at hand this morning, and I want to say that you are "true blue" all the way through— I'll bet my last dollar on you.

I sent a telegram for more May corn and I have got $25.00 here for you to re-margin if it goes down. DON'T FORGET THIS for I want to wire; and if it comes to a pinch you can have more than $25 to protect the $50.00.

I am glad I have found someone to depend on, at least, and am more than obliged to you.

Thanking you, I am, sincerely,
40 Elm street. JHAN FISHER.

Hughesville, Pa., Dec. 11, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of your favor of the 8th inst., enclosing me your company's check for balance due me in full for which I thank you.

I appreciate the manner in which you served me in this transaction, and I assure you I will give you an order shortly for some May corn. What is your present opinion of this delivery?

I miss very much the copy of your evening paper you so kindly sent me, but which has been discontinued.

I will be very glad to receive, at your earliest opportunity, your advices.

Yours very truly,
CHAS. E. MONSELL.

Cleveland, Nov. 22nd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of your valued favor of the 20th, also check for $111.44 covering in full my account. My trading with your firm has been very satisfactory, and I thank you for the manner in which you have handled my account.

Yours very truly,
F. B. HALL.

Saugerties, N.Y., Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the check for $890.43, in full of my account. I want to thank you for your good advice in regard to purchasing this December corn, also the prompt and satisfactory way you have handled my account. I only regret that I did not take your further advice not to withdraw quite so soon, and I would have acknowledged receipt of a check for $1,090.43.

Again thanking you, I am, yours truly,
ADAM W. ELIAS,
per H. T. K.

Belleville, Ill., Nov. 26th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Yours of the 24th received, with check for $103.12, in payment of $25.00 which I entrusted to you October 31st to buy December corn, which you sold November 21st, with a net profit of $78.12—my check from you today showing the same, for which you will please accept my sincere thanks. My only regret is that I did not make a larger investment, as per your advice.

Truly yours, M. W. CARTER.

Slaterville Springs, N.Y., Nov. 25, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen—I have your favor of the 21st, enclosing check for $344.11, margin and profit on December corn. My profit of $219.11 on an investment of $125.00, made in less than a month, is certainly due to the way you handled the account.

Yours very truly,
A. J. SLATER.

Bobcaygeon, Ont., Nov. 22nd, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your letter and account duly received, for which accept thanks. I wired you this morning to forward by check my deposit and also profits, total of $76.00.

This is a very handsome showing for a $25.00 investment for ten days, and I assure you that you shall do business for me again, and also many of my friends.

Yours very truly,
JOHN CONWAY.

Sharpsburg, Iowa, Nov. 26th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:
Hugh Dennis, President.

Dear Sir,—You cannot imagine my surprise upon receiving your personal check for last week's profit, and then upon receiving check for this week's profits, makes me completely satisfied that you do business upon a solid basis, and I can almost GUARANTEE any one of profits if they make a deposit with you.

Very respectfully,
J. J. UNDERWOOD.

Ravenna, Neb., Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received yours of the 22nd with check for $64.38, and I note that you say you have invested the $105.00 in 3,500 bushels of May corn for me.

Please accept my sincere thanks for the $169.38 which you made for me on the $50.00 investment. Had I left you alone, as I should have done, you would have made me nearly $300.00 in the three weeks; but I am satisfied with what you have done.

Hoping you will do as well, or better, with my May corn, and again thanking you, I am yours truly,
J. VALEK.

Whipple Barracks, Ariz., Nov. 21, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received your telegram last evening saying that you had sold the corn that I had directed (9,000 bushels) at 57 3-4. I thank you for your promptness and success with the order. If you yave not already done so, on receipt of this, please send me the entire proceeds from this sale by check, $766.40.

I will watch the market, and a little later will take a flyer in May corn.

I assure you of my appreciation of the faithful interest and good business judgment with which you have handled my investment and which insures me a nice little sum of Thanksgiving and Christmas money. Very sincerely,
E. E. HATCH.

Captain 13th Infantry.
Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 10th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I notice by the reports that corn is gradually on the rise. I am telling my friends how well you used me, and I hope you will hear from this city in the shape of a good amount to invest. I certainly boost you with all my might. If my May investment proves as good as did the December, I will be satisfied.

Kindly let me hear from you occasionally. Thanking you, I am yours truly.
323 Valentine R. W. WALRB

Washington, D.C., Nov. 25, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your letter of 20th, enclosing check for $100.38, received.

The transaction was very satisfactory, and I thank you for its successful termination. Respectfully yours,
JAMES H. CAMPBELL.
1,343 T st., N.W.

National Military Home, Ohio,
November 22, 1902.

Hugh C. Dennis, Esq.
St. Louis, Mo.:

My Dear Major,— You are a daisy. Yours of the 21st, with account of sale and purchase, almost took away my breath, $93.19 and $67.00 in such a short time on the small investment is almost beyond comprehension.

Thanks to your grand success in dealing with the market, I now see my way out to pay a debt of honor I have been wanting to pay for a long time.

Please remit about $50 by American Express to Dayton, Ohio, and apply the rest due to me to more December or May corn, as your good, and almost infallible judgment may decide. I see from your purchase order that you have already bought 5,000 bushels of corn (May market.)

Thanking you for your kindness and hailing you as my benefactor, I am.

Most truly yours,
G. J. REICHE.

We told the public this last Spring about September and December Corn. We tell them the same thing now: **BUY MAY CORN**. Common sense and your own sound business judgment must tell you that May corn, bought now, will make for you enormous profits within the next sixty days. May corn will, we believe, reach a price higher than it has touched in twenty years for this option. We respectfully submit the following digest of a few of our customers' trades in December Corn. The Affidavit as to the correctness of these statements is made by our Assistant Auditor, Mr. W. Arthur Clemes. What we did for our customers in **DECEMBER** Corn may be duplicated many times over by a purchase of **MAY** Corn at its present low price.

NAME.	P. O. ADDRESS.	DATE INVESTMENT.	AMOUNT	CHECK TO BAL. SENT.
L. Smith	West Point, Ia.	Invested Oct. 10th,	$200.00	Check sent 12-3
		Closed Dec. 3rd,	549.22	$549.22
Leo. F. Hugle	New Rochelle, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 21st,	150.00	
		" Nov. 18th,	100.00	Check sent 12-3
		Closed Dec. 3rd,	639.37	$639.37
Ellis C. Richardson	Kalmarnock, Va.	Invested Oct. 9th,	200.00	Check sent 11-28
		Closed Nov. 18th,	875.00	$875.00
H. C. Bell	Box 72, Marion, O.	Invested Nov. 5th,	200.00	Check sent 11-26
		" Nov. 12th,	100.00	$1,075.00
		" Nov. 14th,	200.00	Check sent 11-29
		Closed Nov. 21st,	1,600.00	$525.00
Chas. Stone	Evanston, Wyo.	Invested Oct. 11th,	100.00	Check sent 11-26
$300 00 reinvested in May corn		Closed Nov. 17th,	1,127 80	$827.80
A. M Kenny	Utica, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	150.00	Check sent 11-28
		Closed Nov. 19th,	664.00	$654.35
Chas. O. Hirsching	Cleveland, O.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	30.00	
		" Oct. 21st,	150.00	Check sent 11-25
$100.00 reinvested in May Corn		Closed Nov. 20th,	1,020.00	$920.00
S. L. Miles	Gerry, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 17th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 27th,	100.00	Check sent 11-22
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.49	$766.49
W. P. Morgan	Gerry, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 17th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 27th,	100.00	Check sent 11-22
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.49	$766.49
C. S. Scudder	Huntington, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	200.00	Check sent 11-2
		Closed Nov. 20th,	850.00	$850.00
Capt. E. E. Hatch	Whipple Barracks Prescott, Ariz.	Invested Oct. 22nd,	180.00	Check sent 11-24
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.40	$766.40
B. S. Brooks	Glade Springs, Va.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	250.00	Check sent 11-20
		Closed Nov. 19th,	1,083.00	$1,083.00
A. W. Elias	Saugerties, N Y.	Invested Oct. 6th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 21st,	100.00	Check sent 11-21
		Closed Nov. 18th,	890.43	$890.43
M. J. Higley	Burlington, Ia.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	200.00	Check sent 11-21
$300.00 re-invested.		Closed Nov. 21st,	787.50	$487.50
Elmer Brintnall	Aurora, Ia.	Invested Oct. 9th,	100.00	Check sent 11-21
		Closed Nov. 17th,	664.56	$664.56
Geo. C. Wait	Watkins, N. Y.	Invested Nov. 5th,	172.00	Check sent 11-20
		Closed Nov. 18th,	622.00	$622.00

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
City of St. Louis, }
W. ARTHUR CLEMES, of lawful age, being duly sworn before me, on his oath says that he is the Assistant Auditor of and for the Rialto Grain and Securities Co. of the City of St. Louis; that he is familiar with the books of account of said Company, and that he has personally examined the accounts of the aforesaid persons, and that the statements thereof, as above set out, are true.
W. ARTHUR CLEMES.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this eighth day of December 1902. My term expires January 10th, 1903.
IRWIN WALKER, Notary Public in and for the City of St. Louis, Mo

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Oswego, Ill., Dec. 5th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your check for $103.12 received. Thank you very much for prompt and courteous attention to my correspondence and dealings.

I remain, gentlemen, very truly yours,
DR. THOS. B. DREW.

Santa Cruz, Cal., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your letter of the 28th ult. received, together with enclosure of draft for $426.90, and please accept my thanks for same.

I am very well pleased with your manipulation of my holdings, and can find absolutely no cause for complaint. At one time my case most certainly looked rather hopeless, but, thanks to your suggestions, on which I acted, you brought me through with flying colors, and I trust that our future business relations may prove as congenial and profitable as they have in the past.

Thanking you for the kind and just treatment that I have received at your hands, I remain very truly yours,
43 Locust St. R. R. FOSDICK.

Toledo, Ohio., Dec. 5th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of the 3rd, with check for $25.00 enclosed, was received today, and I want to say to you that I was agreeably surprised to receive it. I am more than pleased with your treatment of my investment. I have shown the check and your letter to my friends and told them if they had any idea of investing to place their money in your hands. My writing to you in the first place was an accident.

I assure you that I shall take great pleasure in recommending your firm for honest, upright dealing in every way. I trust that the investment you have made me will be one-half as successful as the one just settled.

Again thanking you for your kindness in the transaction, and if nothing happens after the holidays you may expect to hear from me, together with some of my friends.

Wishing you a merry Christmas and a happy New Year and many years of prosperity, I am,

Gratefully yours,
323 Valentine Bldg. R. W. WALRB.

Little Falls, N.Y., Dec. 1st, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received your favor of the 29th ult. today, with statement and remittance of my account, for which I thank you.

I also wish to express my appreciation of your fair dealing with me, and say that I am much pleased with the large profit you made for me.

In closing I would ask, on what do you base your opinion that May corn will be much higher.

Yours very truly,
EDWIN L. HALL.

Rockland, Me., Dec. 2nd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I have your letter of the 29th ult. and note with much satisfaction the result of the investment in December corn.

The investment which you have made in May corn is in keeping with my advices to use your own judgment about this investment.

I hope the investment in May corn will be profitable. Yours truly,
E. S. FARWELL.

Tuscumbia, Ala., Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Many thanks for the deal. I drew on you today for $206.26, being the $50.00 I invested and $156.26 profits made by same, full amount of my credit. Please honor the draft, as I need the money for a few days only; then I will figure with you on a larger scale.

With thanks again, I am,
Yours very truly,
J. O. CLARK.

Glenwood, Iowa, Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,— I beg to acknowledge receipt of check for $100.00, in settlement of my account.

Am pleased to say that the business which you have done for me has been in every way satisfactory and resulted in a very nice profit for me.

You will, in a short time, again have me on your list of customers.

Thanking you, I am, truly yours,
A. R. SCHIER.

Utica, N.Y., Nov. 23rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I wired you November 20th to sell my account out at 53 cents and wire remittance. Yesterday I received by mail statement of my account, showing a profit of $42.15 on my $25.00 investment.

I am very much pleased with the way you have handled my account. Will buy May corn later. Respectfully yours,
WALTER A. HARRIS.
53 Genesee St. Secretary.

Watertown, N.Y., Dec. 5th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of Dec. 3d, enclosing draft for $78.63, received, for which accept my sincere thanks. I wrote to you last night asking reason for your delay in sending same, but received yours this noon.

I feel that you did finely with my last investment of $25.00, and if we had understood each other better on my first, I can see where your handling would have made a few hundred on it, which I think is sufficient to prove to any one that your firm is sound and able.

I thank you again, and hope to be able to help you to more customers, and, may be, myself dabble again soon.

Yours sincerely,
1-2 High St. W. J. KELLOCK.

Binghamton, N.Y., Dec. 5th, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,— I am in receipt of your valued favor of the 4th and acknowledge receipt of check, for $50.00, profits on December corn holdings. Also confirmation of purchase of May. Thank you very much for same. Thought one time I saw larger profits coming my way, but feel satisfied as it is, and am confident there will be something in May corn after a time. Protect it as you did my last December holdings, and I will remit margin, if necessary. When it goes up a fair gain, sell and remit whole amount.

Respectfully,
FRANCIS L. GREEN.

Bangor, Me., Nov. 28th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your valued favors of Nov. 24th and 26th came to me today, and I assure you that I thank you for them. You have convinced me that May corn is a very desirable purchase, and I wish that I had had more of it.

That you know what you are doing, as well as you know the future of corn goes without saying, and I am glad that I am tied up to your house, and before we are through I shall try to turn all the business towards you that I can, and I hope soon to make my own personal investments thousands instead of hundreds.

With best wishes, I am,
Yours cordially,
GEO. S. SILSBY.

Arapaho, Okla., Nov. 21st, 1902.

Mr. H. C. Dennis,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your letter notifying me of the sale of my December corn, received; and to find I had actually doubled my money to a penny in about five days, you cannot imagine my surprise. That beats our western ways of making money. Here interest runs from 12 to 24 per cent, but that is not in it with December corn.

You must have misunderstood my letter ordering immediate sale—I meant to say, sell latter part of November, 28th or 29th, to avoid any delivery, and to rebuy December 2nd or 3rd to sell about December 20th. I am not in a financial condition to invest more now, but will likely invest in May corn more heavily in a short time. Use the original purchase together with the profits, to best advantage, using your best judgment, but avoid delivery.

Should I be able to deal heavier, I shall risk your judgment in the matter.

Trusting that good luck may continue with us, I am very truly yours,
W. C. HAWKINS.

Dr. Guillermo Vives, Dentist,
Ponce, Puerto Rico,
Ponce, Dec. 20th, 1902.

Mr. Hugh C. Dennis,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favors dated December 12th and 16th were duly received inclusive check for $122.13-100. I am very glad to state that the return I had for $100 invested was $222; a pretty fair amount for one month's outlay.

As I already took the liberty of writing you I will take great pleasure in sending you as soon as I possibly can, all the funds at my disposition.

In the meantime I am explaining your excellent method of doing business to my friends, and I am sure that they, as well, will give you a trial.

If it is not too much trouble for you I would be very much obliged if you would keep me informed about the movements of the market.

Giving you my best thanks for the careful and speedy attendance you have given my interests, I am,

Very respectfully,
GUILLERMO VIVES.

Inglewood, Ont., Can., Nov. 27th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your statement to hand, and I am well satisfied with your management of my account.

Kindly remit the profits, $ 32.00, and invest the remaining $25.00 in May corn at 41 1-2 to 43 cents, on a 2-cent margin.

Awaiting remittances, I am,
Yours truly
FRED HARTLEY.

Thomas H. Wright,
Attorney-at-Law and Authorized
United States Claims Attorney,
Bellefontaine, Ohio, Dec. 5th, 1902

Mr. Wm. Leftwish,
V. P., Rialto G. & S. Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your esteemed favor of the 4th inst. is just received. Accept my appreciation of the promptness and ability of your firm.

You will probably hear from me with more business at another time. I acknowledge receipt of enclosure, $171.98.

Very respectfully yours,
THOS. H. WRIGHT.

Office of J. F. McNulty, M.D.,
Callaway, Neb., Dec. 12th, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
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Gentlemen,—I desire to express to you my entire satisfaction with your manner of doing business with me. You have always promptly attended to my trades and they have proven profitable.

I find it not only a pleasure, but a financial benefit to deal with your firm,

Yours truly,
J. F. McNULTY.

Pontotoc, Miss., Dec. 2, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.

Gentlemen,—Your letter and check of the 24th received a few days ago. Am well pleased with the way you handled my business for me, for the profit I received from that little amount I invested with you far exceeded my most sanguine expectations.

Very respectfully
A. D. FONTAINE.

Fitchburg, Mass., Dec. 3, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I am in receipt of your letter dated Nov. 29th, which more than pleased me. I was surprised at such profits in a month, and I am satisfied with that May corn investment. If I am right, I have to my credit 2,500 bushels of May corn. I leave the whole matter in your hands, and make as much as you can out of it; what you do will suit me.

I thank you for what you have done for me, and I hope by the first of next May I will be able to buy 2,500 bushels of July corn. Yours truly,
GEO. BEAUREGARD.

Green Springs, W. Va., Dec. 2, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Yours of Nov. 24th to hand containing cheque for $77.83, leaving two-cent margin on 1,500 May corn, which makes nearly 400 per cent. on investment of $25.00 on Nov. 7th.

Hope you will make out on the May corn as well. Respectfully yours,
J. A. WILSON.

P.S.—Excuse delay, as I wrote and forgot to mail same.

Treasury Department, Office of
Auditor for Treasury Department,
Washington, D.C., Dec. 1, 1902.

Hugh C. Dennis, Esq.,
Pres. Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favor of 29th ult., advising me of the closing out of the small deal I have made with you, and the investment of proceeds in May corn has been received and is satisfactory. You did better than I expected. I have been through the West and observed the wonderful production through that country, so that I expected a decline in December corn.

Thanking you for your attention, I am,
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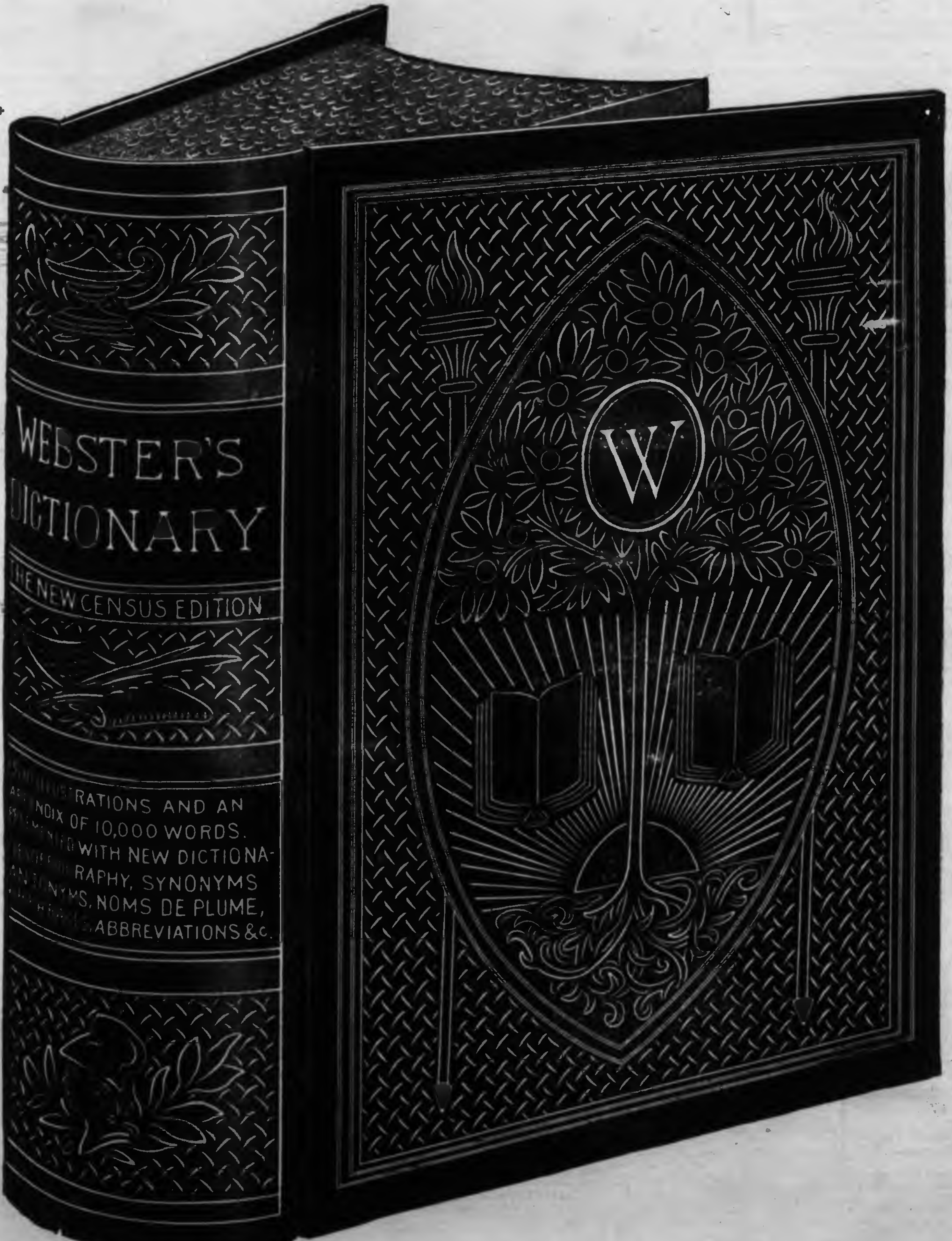

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Year.	Earnings.	Trans.	P.C.
1899...	$33,647,042	$9,304,172	27.9
1900...	38,308,419	10,479,136	27.3
1901...	42,789,917	11,603,704	27.01
1902...	46,639,629	11,[illegible],328	25.00

The gross earnings of the company's water lines are deducted from this calculation of gross earnings. Now, here is the point of the above analysis: Had the rates in 1902 been as high a per cent. as the rates in 1899, expenses of conducting transportation would have been larger by almost $14,000,000. Almost $14,000,000 as the interest on the $10,000,000 4 per cent. bonds issued on account of improvements amounts to only $400,000 per annum. The company is $1,000,000 to the good in its net earnings for 1902 in addition to the fact that the actual intrinsic cash value of its property, independent of earning power, is $37,000,000 greater than it was four years ago. An analysis of all American roads whose policy is running largely to improving their property, will show the same gratifying results, indicating most strongly the wisdom of their respective managements.

Summary—Today's dealings were marked by increased strength, though trading was but spasmodically spirited. The Venezuelan complication appears to be clearing. Neither good nor bad news seems to effect prices materially. Peoples' Gas and Copper were the particularly firm features of the industrials. Both issues look like going immediately higher, variations were but fractional. A small recession in prices took place between 1.30 and 2.30 p.m. Manhattan sold ex-rights today. Holders have privilege of purchasing of the company at par 15 per cent. of their present holdings. Tipster letters are inclined to the bear side of the account. Opinions that way are getting to be too unanimous. Today's weakness in wheat was a favorable feature. It stimulates export demand and insures a continuance of the recent sharp inquiry. Money closed 3 1-2 and 3 3-4. Sales 443,300.

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It is poor policy to take advantage of other people because you have never had any advantage of your own.

What men want is not talent, it is purpose; in other words, not the power to achieve, but the will to labor.

It is a maxim that those to whom everybody allows the second place have an undoubted right to the first.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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By-Laws Revised

The Board of Education met in Mr. W. G. Morrow's office last night, for the purpose of revising the by-laws of the Board. No other business was taken up, and the Board will meet in regular session on Tuesday evening next.

Resulted in Death

The injuries received on January 17, by Mr. John A. Jewell, at Goose Lake, Fenelon Township, terminated fatally last Friday. The young man was engaged in felling trees when he received most frightful injuries, with the above sad result.

To-Night's Ball

The Non-Com's ball in the Opera House to-night promises to be very largely attended. The committee in charge are sparing no pains to have it an unqualified success. Tickets have been sold in large numbers, so it is quite probable that even greater success than in former years will be the result.

Sabbath School Conference

Some time ago a very successful Sabbath School Conference of the Anglican churches was held at All Saint's church. On Wednesday, February 4, at 8 o'clock another rally will be held at St. Luke's Schoolroom. If everybody manifests as much interest as before, the success of the conference is already assured. Programmes will be published as soon as they are completed.

Mr. Stanton's Accident

Mr. Hector Stanton, who has been employed as C.P.R. operator at Smith's Falls, had the misfortune to severely injure his right hand about two weeks ago in attempting to raise the window, which was frozen down, his hand slipped and broke the glass, cutting a severe gash across the hand. The wound was a very painful one, but we are glad to state that it is improving satisfactorily. Mr. Stanton is spending a few days in Peterborough at present.

EMBALMS THE FOOD

A California Physician's Idea About Coffee

A well-known California physician, John M. Read, of Redding, Cal., maintains that coffee, when taken with the meals, has a tendency to "embalm" or "preserve" the food so that it will not digest. With this knowledge he has made many complete cures of indigestion, stomach troubles and nervous diseases by taking away the coffee and giving his patients Postum Cereal Coffee, which helps digestion.

Dr. Read's theory is spoken of in a letter from a gentleman of Oak P. O., Cal., who says: "Twelve years of indigestion had made me so nervous and thin that I could scarcely work. I had noticed the newspaper articles about Postum Coffee but didn't think seriously of the matter. Finally, however, they impressed me and I went to my family physician, Dr. John M. Read, of Redding, and asked him about Postum.

"He immediately recommended it, having used it in his own and other cases for exactly the same purpose. Dr. Read is well-known throughout northern California and he surprised me by the following statement: 'Coffee acts in many cases like a large dose of alcohol taken after meals; it preserves the food so it cannot be digested.'

"I have great faith in Dr. Read and immediately commenced Postum with the result that at the end of one month I was greatly improved and now, at the end of three months I am a well man, nerves steady and digestion O.K. Am gaining steadily in weight and can do a hard day's work.

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THE NEW WARDEN

Mr. Crowe Has Been Chosen for That Office for 1903

In electing Mr. Richard Crowe, of Dummer, Warden for 1903, a wise selection has been made. He is a man of considerable municipal experience, and his elevation to this most responsible and honorable position, is a deserved tribute at the hands of his colleagues in the County Council. In discharging his new duties we can safely look for the same carefulness and despatch for which his public services have always been noted.

PRIZES PRESENTED

The W. C. T. U. Give Prizes to Miss A. Gray and Mr. C. Arnott

Every year the W.C.T.U. give prizes to the pupil taking the highest marks in Physiology and Temperance at Peterborough. This year the winners were Miss Arnabella Gray and Mr. Cecil Arnott who were presented with Association Membership tickets on Monday evening, at a meeting for the purpose in the Y.M.C.A. Hall.

Miss Eva Whiten gave a recitation, Mr. J. W. Garvin, B.A. and Rev. J Kilgour addresses, and Mrs. McPherson, president of the local branch, occupied the chair.

COUNTY COUNCIL

The Opening Session was Held Yesterday Afternoon

The January session of the County Council opened yesterday afternoon at two o'clock. Mr. R. P. Watt, County Clerk, called the members to order, and asked them to elect a Warden. For this position, Mr. Richard Crowe, of Dummer, was chosen, and returned thanks for the honor conferred upon him.

In the absence of Mr. W. A. Stratton, Mr. R. P. Watt was appointed sessional clerk, pro tem.

Messrs. W. O'Brien, of Douro, and Geo. W. Bennett, of North Monighan, were appointed auditors for 1903.

The council then went into committee of the whole to strike the standing committees.

TO INSPECT WATER SERVICES.

Messrs. Aldridge, Robinson, McGrath and Stewart Appointed

To-morrow the above gentlemen, who have been appointed by the Water Commissioners to act under the supervision of Supt. Henderson, will start on a tour of inspection of the water services in the Town of Peterborough. A re-arrangement of rates is expected to follow, when their report is presented.

After Fifty Years

The Toronto Globe is giving its readers extracts from its fyles of 50 years ago. The one appended may interest many here It was first published January 22, 1853. It read as follows:—

"Information has been received that the Government has sanctioned the Port Hope and Township of Hope by-laws for taking stock in the Peterborough and Port Hope Railway. The stock now subscribed amounts to £50,000. Tenders for the contracts are immediately to be advertised for. No doubt exists that this railway will now go on."

BACK AT WORK

The Ackerman Employees Resumed Work Yesterday Morning

The public will be pleased to learn that work was resumed yesterday by the employees of Mr. Ackerman's factory, as a result of the various meetings of the Striker's Committee, the Conciliation Committee and the management of the company.

An agreement was signed, which was declared satisfactory to all concerned. No further demands will be made by the men for at least six months, and then at least one month's notice will be given.

The conference was carried on in a very fair-minded manner by the different parties interested. If this were always done strikes would often be settled much more speedily.

Turning Down the Doctors

The marvelous cures of Catarrhozone are being much talked about. Thousands are daily recognizing the exceptional merit of this simple inhaler treatment, and instead of running to the doctor with their winter ills they protect themselves by Catarrhozone; it kills colds in the head in ten minutes, quickly relieves Catarrh, Bronchitis, Asthma, Lung Troubles, and cures even though all other remedies have failed. Catarrhozone is very pleasant, safe and convenient to use. Its best recommendation is its enormous sale; try it to-day. Price $1.00, small size, 25c., at Druggists.

ADJOURNED ANNUAL MEETING.

Adjourned Annual Meeting and Election of Officers

The adjourned annual meeting of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society took place in the Council Chamber last night.

After the reading of the minutes the President's report was read, and after some discussion was adopted.

Mr. Dumble referred to the beauty of our parks and congratulated the society on the work it was doing.

Col. Rogers called attention to the fact that there was no park in the south end and spoke of Burnham's Point as an ideal park. The property is now on the market, and could be had very cheap.

Messrs. Wise, F. Mason and others spoke on floraculture and horticulture.

The following officers were elected:

President—D. W. Dumble.

1st. Vice-Pres.—H. C. Rogers.

2nd Vice-Pres.—H. Nesbitt.

Sec.-Treas.—L. Beal.

Directors—James English, Hon. J. R. Stratton, T. A. S. Hay, M. A. Peck, W H Hill, Dr. Geo. Burnham, Percy Hamilton, Mayor Roger, Frank Mason, Mr. Saunders, Mr. Wise, Adam Hall, James Stevenson.

Park Committee—W. H. Hill, chairman; and Messrs. F. Wise, H. Nesbitt, and A. Hall.

Prize List Committee—F. Wise, chairman, and Messrs. Percy Hamilton, F. Saunders and T. A. S. Hay.

Council Committee—D. W. Dumble, Dr. Geo. Burnham, W. H. Hill and A. Hall.

Auditors—A. Stevenson and T. A. S. Hay.

President Hall thought it was time that Park Commissioners were appointed and urged that some action be taken to this end.

After some further discussion the meeting adjourned.

—The executive of the Ladies' Literary Society of St. Peter's T.A.S. is requested to meet with the executive of the hockey club to-night in the T. A.S. rooms at 8 o'clock.

JUST IN TIME.

A motorman in Chicago ran his car into the approach of an open bridge but stopped it with the fender actually overhanging the gulf below. He wouldn't want to repeat the experiment because the chances are that he'd never again have the same good fortune.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. Milt. Walker has been spending a few days in Toronto.

—Mrs. Walsh and her sister, Mrs. Davidson, are at Clifton Springs.

—Mr. Lane, of Midland, is in town renewing old acquaintances.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mathieson. Of Ottawa, are visiting friends here.

—Mr. Joseph Madill, of Napanee, passed through here yesterday to Lakefield.

—Mr. B. Earle, who has been confined to his bed, suffering from an attack of bronchitis, is able to be around again.

—Miss Edna Neild, of Kamloops, B.C., daughter of Mr. W. Neild, formerly of Peterborough, is dead. Many friends here will extend their sympathy.

—Miss Jean Kindred left for Toronto yesterday morning, where she will spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. A. F. Saunders.

Some Results of Impure Blood

A blotched, pimply, disfigured face, feeling of exhaustion, wracked nerves, headache and a dull brain. The proper cure is one Ferrozone Tablet after each meal. Ferrozone clears and beautifies the complexion by making rich, pure blood. It restores the enfeebled brain and unstrung nerves to a healthy vigorous condition. It invigorates all the physical and mental powers, and brings strength and ambition to the depressed. Refuse a substitute for Ferrozone—it's the best tonic, rebuilder and invigorator known. Price 50c., at Druggists or, Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The band will be at the rink on Friday night.

—A drunk and disorderly was let off with a warning yesterday.

—A case of smallpox is reported from Eldon township, and one from Deseronto.

—Man's indifference to the printer makes many an editor patch his pants.

—Old King Coal was a thrifty old soul,
A grasping old soul was he.
He called for his pen and he called for his pad,
And he boosted the price with glee.

—Mr. T. Cavanagh is buying heavy draught horses for the Parry Sound lumber camps.

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GENERAL SPORTS

Concluded from page 1.

The Young Ladies Hockey team had a practice on the rink yesterday afternoon.

The Port Hope Juniors defeated the Junior Colts last night in a close and exciting game by six goals to five.

The Ontario Bank played a game with the combined banks last night between five and six. Result 6—3 in favor of the Ontario's.

Port Hope, Jan. 27—The game which decided that Port Hope will wrestle with Belleville for the O.H.A. intermediate championship in this group, was played here last evening with Peterborough before the largest crowd of the season, resulting in a score of 6 to 1 in favor of the local team. Neither team displayed much brilliancy in the first half, but Port Hope had the better of the play throughout, and at half-time the score was 2 to 1 in favor of the local team. In the second half Peterborough made a desperate effort to change the score but the brilliant rushes of their forwards were fruitless. Their flags were in constant danger and before full time the combination play of the Port Hope team proved effectual.

The ice was in good condition, and the game was an excellent exhibition of clean hockey. Referee Telfer proved a strict and impartial official. The teams:

Peterborough (1) Goal, Wasson; point Glover; cover-point, Harold Armstrong; forwards, Whitcroft, Roy Armstrong, Cavanagh and Graham.

Port Hope (6) —Goal, Marter; point, Roach; cover-point, Brown; forwards McCarthy, Bunny, Mastertin, and McMillan.

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Oats	31 to 32
Buckwheat	40 to 45
Rye	45 to 50
WOOL AND HIDES	
Wool, unwashed	06 to 07
Fleece Wool	11 to 12
Veal Calf Skins	08 to 10
Deakons	40 to 45
Beef Hides per cwt	6 50 to 7 00
Sheepskins	30 to 30
MEAT, POULTRY, AND DAIRY PRODUCE	
Beef by the quarter, per cwt	5 00 to 6 50
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Dressed hogs, per cwt	7 00 to 7 50
Pork by the quarter, per lb	8 to 9
Lard	13 to 14
Chickens, per pair	60 to 80
Ducks, per pair	80 to 1 00
Geese, each	80 to 1 00
Turkeys, each	1 00 to 1 40
Butter, roll roll, per lb	18 to 22
Butter, crock	16 to 18
Egg per doz	18 to 20
Hay, per ton	7 00 to 10 00
LIVE STOCK	
Cattle, choice butchers (steers, exporters and heifers)	3 50 to 4 50
Medium butchers' (steers and heifers)	00 to 3½
Light cattle and cows	2½ to 00
Feeders, 1,000-1,100	3½ to 3¾
Stockers	2 to 2
Hogs, select, 160-200	5 75 to 5 87½
Fats and heavies	5 50 to 5 75
Lights	5 50 to 5 75
Sows	4 25 to 4 50
Stags	02 to 03
Sheep	2 50 to 3 75
Lambs, per lb	3 to 3½
GENERAL	
Potatoes	1 00 to 1 25
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MR. CHAMBERLAIN AND THE BELGIAN PRESS IN BETTER ACCORD

New Zealand's Governor Advises Subsidies for Australia—The Pan-American Movement in Austria not Favored

London, Jan. 28—All news concerning the Venezuelan negotiations comes from New York and Washington. Here nothing is given out. There is a spirit of thankfulness that Great Britain will soon be independent of her aggressive ally, for the conviction is increasing that Germany had a far deeper motive in entangling Great Britain in her warlike policy that the Venezuelan affair of itself would, account for. Sir Robert Giffen, in The Times this morning points out some reasons why Germany might be found engaging in far more serious business than bombarding Venezuela for a settlement. Sir Robert writes: "Even if matter were patched up now the general danger of situation will remain. Monroe doctrine is a convenient one for the United States, and to some extent for this country. It suits us every way that United States should cry, 'hands off.'"

London, Jan. 28 — Lord Strathcona tailed analysis showing the effects of publishes in to-day's papers a long dethe preferential tariff, and explains the disparity between Canadian imports from the States and Britain He claims by figures that this preference resulted not only in arresting a continuous decline of Anglo-Canadian trade, but stimulated it. If the British manufacturer has not fully availed himself of the undoubted advantages, it is not the fault of the Canadian Government or the preferential policy.

London, Jan. 28—Herr Wedel, the new German ambassador to Austria Hungary has lost no time in defining his position towards the Pan-German agitators, who encourage German citizens to meddle in the international affairs of Austria-Hungary, says the Vienna correspondent of The Times. In speaking at the German colony's banquet in celebration of the Kaiser's birthday, the ambassador tendered the wholesome advice that his countrymen should be mindful of the duties imposed upon them by the privileges of the hospitality they enjoyed. He urged his hearers to remember that a guest ought not to meddle with the domestic matters of his host.

HIS POPULARITY REVIVES.

London, Jan. 28—A favorable impression in regard to the outcome of Mr. Chamberlain's visit to South Africa is gradually gaining ground in Brussels according to The Times' correspondent. This impression is reflected in the comments of the Belgian newspapers. Mr. Chamberlain's unpopularity was not greater anywhere than in Belgium, and the modified tone of the press marks another stage in the decadence of Anglophobia, says the correspondent.

SUGGESTED NAVAL POLICY.

London, Jan. 28—The Times' representative in Westerton, New Zealand, says that Governor Lord Ranfurley, in speaking of the British navy, suggested the subsidizing of the steamship companies to build special fast passenger vessels, available as armed cruisers in war times, to protect the trade routes. Such action, the Governor urged, would enable the regular navy to strike where action was needed.

ENGLISHMEN FAIL TO SEE SURRENDER

Both Parties Have Yielded Something in the Alaska Affair

BRITAIN NEGLECTS CHANCE

St. James Gazette Thinks Britain Should Reduce Postal Rates to Canada

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The Footballers.

The Canadian footballers were present. Farrell, speaking on their behalf, said they had come to England more or less as a pioneer team to learn the game. They were getting their own back a little now, and regarded it as a good omen. They had won the first match they played, in the capital of the Empire.

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Canadians Congratulated.

The papers today congratulate the Canadians on their win yesterday. The Express says they play the game for all all they are worth all round. The Daily Mail says they possess the pace, weight, and features, that their game is keen, their kicking remarkable for length and accuracy, and adds that their passing yesterday was most effective, eliciting hearty applause. All the papers speak highly of the magnificent play of Darling. Speaking at the dinner after the match, Lindsay, an old Oxford Captain, said Canada was doing grandly in field sports. Mr. McClure said they were enjoying the tour immensely. He had seen Rowland Hill, who held out hope of an English team visiting Canada soon.

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Dr. Hamilton's Pills Cure Constipation

THE NEW RULE NOW AT HENLEY

Project to Utilize Ottawa Valley Power

THE VACATION AND FRANCE

An Odd Temperance Move in London—Only Drink at Meals—Many Men out of Work, Yet Free Labor Discouraged for the Mines on the Rand.

London, Jan 27—The Henley regatta stewards have ruled that no amateur oarsman can be coached by a professional during the month prior to the contest.

Big Project Being Discussed.

The Westinghouse Company are negotiating with a Canadian here with a view to the utilization of the Chats Fall on the Ottawa River, and the establishment there of electric smelting iron works and pulp mills involving millions. The company officials here strongly recommend the enterprise to the head office at Pittsburg, which is strengthened by the expert opinion of Lord Kelvin. The contracts will be sent to Pittsburg for settlement. The Canadian in question is Mr. Louis Simpson, formerly of the Valleyfield Cotton Mills.

The Papacy and France.

The estrangement between the Pope and France grows. M. Combes, the Premier insists upon the right of the Government to select the Bishops, and the Pope declares the Church would rather have no French bishops, than submit to political nomination. Several sees are now vacant, and the belief is that the Premier will win, as France is determined upon absolute separation from the Vatican.

A Phase of Temperance.

The Manchester Technical School Board are spending a part of the rates in the erection of a brewery plant for teaching scientific brewing. The temperance people are roused, and have formed a semi-teetotal society in London, a pledge to abstain from drinks except at meal times, knowing that Englishmen usually suggest a short time between meals. The society is supported by the eminent doctor, Sir Frederick Treves, and the well known judge, Sir Francis Jeune, as a step in the right direction.

The Rand Labor Problem.

The gist of the Rand labor question, which is one of the problems Mr. Chamberlain has on hand, presents two alternatives, to compel the Kaffirs, who are so well off since the war that they won't work; to import two hundred thousand Chinese. This is advocated unanimously by the mine-owners, who are omnipotent in the Rand. To import Britishers is condemned by the mine owners as being far too expensive. The attitude of the magnates is stirring up indignation in the Motherland, especially as tens of thousands of unemployed are tramping the streets, begging. People are asking here is the result of the war to be the introduction of a Chinese horde, and an embargo on the new colony.

New Tuberculosis Serum

Vienna, Jan. 27—The Tageblatt credits Dr. Margorek, a young Viennese bacteriologist, attached to the Pasteur Institute, in Paris, with the invention of a new tuberculosis serum which has been successful in a number of cases at various dates since Professor Koch's tuberculin failed twelve years ago.

BRIDGEPORT.

—Friends will be glad to learn that Mr. Herman Thompson, is recovering from his recent illness.

—Mr. Albert Muse has built himself a handsome residence, and will entertain his friends, as soon as the house is completed.

—Mr. T. Wood entertained several of his Otonabee and Monaghan friends one night recently.

NON-COMS' SUCCESS

Held Their Annual Ball Last Night in the Opera House

The Opera House never looked prettier than it did last night on the occasion of the ball of the Non.-Coms. of the 57th. The handsome decorations were the work of that well known and capable firm, Mr. J. J. Turner & Sons., and as usual reflected much credit upon them.

The music was in charge of Prof. Glidden which is sufficient guarantee of its excellency. All the details had been carefully, pre-arranged, and were carried out without a single hitch—unless some were arranged between some of the many handsome young ladies and estimable gentlemen who graced the occasion with their presence.

Score one more success for the Non-Coms. of our grand old 57th.

VISITING BRETHREN

Will be Here To-Night From Lindsay Lodge of Oddfellows

There will be great things to-night in the Oddfellow's Lodge Rooms at the corner of George and Hunter streets. Lindsay Lodge, No. 100, I.O.O.F., has accepted an invitation from Peterborough Lodge, No. 111, to pay them a fraternal visit, and it is expected there will be a large detachment present this evening from Lindsay and also a good attendance of the members of the order in Peterborough. Visiting brethren from other lodges will also be most cordially welcomed. The degree work will be exemplified, and in addition there will be refreshments, music, speeches, etc.

The Peterborough brethren will do their best to make matters pleasant for the visitors. The Oddfellows of Lindsay and Peterborough have paid several visits to each other, and most enjoyable evenings have been spent on such occasions.

Ladysmith to be an Exhibition Spot

London, January 27. —Ladysmith is preparing to make herself another such center for the historic scenes around her as Brussels is for Waterloo. A regular coach service, it seems, is to be organized to Spionkop and when the passengers have walked over the fatal summit they will find refreshments and lodging at "Spionkop Hotel, which is to be built forthwith on Three-Tree hill.

TO MAKE A NEW CABINET POSITION

Former Governor Ross of the Yukon to Fill It

REWARD FOR PARTY SACRIFICE

It is Said That He Will be Made Minister of Mines for Winning New Seat for Government

Ottawa, January 28 —It is intimated on pretty good authority that the Government will create an additional Cabinet position during the coming session of Parliament and that it will take the shape of a Dominion Department of Mines.

The man for whose benefit this department is created is Hon. James Ross, lately elected member for the Yukon and formerly Governor of the Yukon.

It has been suspected for some time that a move of this kind would be made for no one who is in the inner circle of Liberal politics imagined that Mr. Ross would, of his own free will, resign his position of Governor of the Yukon to enter Parliament.

It appears however that the Government could not put their hand on anyone whom they were certain would win the new constituency for the Liberal party, except "Jim" Ross, as he is popularly called.

He has been in the West for years, and his popularity among the Western pioneers as well as the miners of the Yukon is something tremendous. He won the hearts of the latter by his strong opposition to the Treadgold concessions, which he virtually defeated. He told them that he would go to Ottawa himself and prevent the scheme from passing or he would never put his foot amongst them again. When he finally did come back successfully among them, he could have possessed, and the Government took advantage of that fact.

He was told that they wanted him to resign and run for the Yukon, and no doubt the promise which is now said to be close upon fulfilment, was made at that time.

Personally, Mr. Ross just about that time did not care much what he did.

Though extremely fortunate in professional life, the greatest of misfortune had befallen him, in the loss of his wife and child, who went down with the ill-fated Islander.

He was ill of body and sick at heart and the physicians whom he consulted were not very sanguine about him.

He went to Southern California, and was there trying to recuperate, while his election campaign was going on, and as a proof of his popularity he was elected by a great majority, although he did not make a speech, did not show his face, and was some four thousand miles from his constituents.

WILL CLOSE AT SIX

On February 2nd the New Plan will Go Into Force

As was stated in our columns a few days ago, a movement was on foot to have the stationery and fancy goods stores close at six, except on certain evenings. The appended shows that matters have been arranged satisfactorily:—

We, the undersigned, dealers in Fancy Goods, Stationery, Wall Paper, etc., agree to close our stores at six o'clock every evening of the year, excepting the month of December and on Saturday evenings, and on evenings before public holidays, commencing Monday, the 2nd of February, 1903.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Presentation of Reports of the Various Auxiliary Societies

THE FINANCIAL REPORTS

There Was a Good Attendance and Considerable Discussion

The Financial Position of the Church Satisfactory a Small Deficit in Current Expense Account

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church was fairly well filled last night on the occasion of the annual meeting of the congregation of that popular church. The chair was occupied by Mr. John Carnegie.

The reports from the different branches of the work were of a satisfactory nature, and indicated that good progress is being made.

Rev. E. F. Torrance, D.D., presided in opening, and after the singing of the Doxology, Rev. J. A. Wilson, B.A., led in prayer.

Mr. John Carnegie was then appointed Chairman.

Rev. Dr. Torrance gave the report of the Session.

During the year, there have been 18 deaths, the largest number recorded in any one year. Reference was made to the regret at Rev. Mr. Yule's removal, and to the faithful services of Rev. J. A. Wilson, B.A., the present assistant pastor. About 480 families and 790 communicants are now connected with the church. The new Mission will be opened next Sunday, and will add materially to the responsibilities of the congregation.

BOARD OF MANAGERS

Mr. J. W. Bennett reported for the Board of Managers, showing a deficit of $580. We began with a deficit of $206. Our triennial insurance cost $240, and there were extra expenses for plumbing, musical services, etc.

The year's revenue was slightly better than for the year before, but an increase in the number of contributors is very desirable. There is a large increase in the receipts compared with 1899-1900.

The increase in the fixed annual outlay over former years is about $1,000.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

By Mr. W. G. Ferguson, showed the total receipts to be $6,113.72, and the expenditure $5,856.64 leaving a balance of $587.91 owing to the Ontario Bank. But as the year began with a deficit of $205.00, and there have been heavy extra expenses for insurance, plumbing, etc the showing is really better than these figures would seem to indicate.

On the mortgage account $3,000 is still owing.

MISSIONARY REPORT.

Mr. R. Innes submitted the report of the Missionary Society for 1902:

The total revenue was $1,795.53, of which $750 was to support three missionaries in the Northwest.

The total number of contributors was 302, an increase over the previous year, and also an increased contribution.

The remaining $1,045.53 was divided between Home and Foreign Missions and French Evangelization.

The $750 referred to is the contribution of three or four individuals.

Dr. Torrance called attention to the particularly satisfactory nature of the report.

Mr. R. B. Wood reported for the Building Committee. The new Mission has cost $4,048.27. Of this all but $1,217.77 is provided for. The Ladies' Aid have paid for the furnishings.

Mr. Wood spoke strongly on the necessity of an increase in the number of contributors, and in the amounts contributed in many instances.

Mr. Sheriff Hall emphasized the same ideas.

It was decided that as soon as the duties of the Building Committee were finished, that they be discharged, and steps taken to arrange for the balance of the debt on the new Mission.

Mr. A. J. Johnston reported for the Sabbath School, showing an increase in attendance and in giving to missions.

Madeleine Baptie was the only scholar present every Sabbath in the year. The past year has been one of great encouragement.

WOMEN'S F. M. S.

M. H. Leeh gave an extremely interesting report from the Women's Foreign Missionary Society. The membership last year was 105. Of these 56 are members of the General Society, and 16 are life members. The average attendance has been 44. Much good literature and several church magazines have been sent out, and a box of clothing worth $67.72 was sent to the Hurricane Hills Reserve.

The total income for the year was $432.-38, and prospects are bright for another very successful year.

MISSION BAND

Miss M. A. McDonald gave an encouraging report of the Faithful Worker's Mission Band. The average attendance was 13 out of a membership of 18.

The Board raised $100 during the year and sent 150 yards of rag carpet to the Northwest.

A number of the older members have been transferred to the Fraser Mission Band. The prospects of the work are very encouraging.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

The Christian Endeavor Society reported the election of the following officers:

Hon. Pres.—Rev. E. F. Torrance, D D
Pres.—Rev. J. A. Wilson, B.A
Vice-Pres.—Mr. Sanford Hall.
Secretary—Miss K. McQuay.
Treas.—Miss M. Godfrey.

Conveners of Committees.

Prayer Meeting—Miss A. B. Patterson.
Missionary—Miss A. I. Dickson, B.A.
Lookout—Miss E. K. Carey.
Social—Miss Mary Robson.
Flower—Miss Jordon.
Musical—Miss J. Hall.

During the year able assistance has been rendered by Miss A. I. Dickson, B. A., Mr. Geo. H. Williamson, Mr. E. Elcome, Rev. R. P. McKay and others.

The Society has paid current expenses and also given $30 toward the support of Rev. J. H. Bruce, B.A., one of the church missionaries in Honan, China.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

Mrs. R. R. Hall, Secretary-Treasurer of the Ladies' Aid, submitted a very encouraging report, showing receipts for the year of $461.95 and a balance on hand of $352.87.

During the year great interest has been taken in the work, as the society has been raising funds to furnish the new mission church.

Mr. J. H. Connal gave the First annual report of the Young Men's Guild.

The Guild has supplied young men to act as ushers and to take up the offering.

They also look after strangers.

The following were appointed on the Management Committee:—Messrs. R. Innes, J. H. Connal, John Crane, W. Pringle, P. Hamilton.

Mr. Connal is to complete the term of Mr. R. B. Wood, who resigned.

Messrs. R. McWilliams and R. E. Wood were appointed auditors.

Mr. D. H. Moore moved, and Mr. R. F. McWilliams seconded, that steps be taken to retain, if possible, the services of Rev. Mr. Wilson for another year.

Mr. J. A. Fife, Mr. A J Johnston, and Mrs. J. W. Garvin made brief remarks, and the motion carried unanimously.

It was resolved to request the Session to send missionary envelopes to each member of the church, and that each one be asked to promise a definite amount.

A vote of thanks was tendered to the members of the choir for their services.

It was decided to publish the names and addresses of all members of the church in the annual report for 1903.

The names of those contributing by envelopes and for missions will not be published in this annual report.

Rev. Dr. Torrance dismissed the meeting with the benediction.

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THE GRAND TRUNK AND MACKENZIE-MANN

Rumored That Purchase of Latter's Property Has Been Acquired

AN OUTLAY OF $18,000,000

Payment of $6,500,000 in Cash—Mr. R. S. Logan States That So Far He Has Not Heard of Deal

Montreal, Jan. 28.—Mr. William MacKenzie, of MacKenzie and Mann, sailed on Saturday for England, and it is generally believed that he carried with him the acceptance of the Grand Trunk Pacific people in regard to the purchase of the entire MacKenzie and Mann railroad interests in the Northwest, Manitoba and New Ontario.

From quarters friendly to Messrs. MacKenzie and Mann the news came today that the sum agreed upon is about $3,500,000 over and above the entire cost of construction up to the present time. The total outlay, according to the same authority, will be in the neighborhood of $18,000,000, and Mr. MacKenzie carries the most minute financial details, so that the deal already agreed upon can be consummated with little or no difficulty after he reaches London.

Mr. R. S. Logan, assistant to the general manager of the Grand Trunk, said today:

"That is the first I have heard of it."

When asked if it would do any good to see Mr. Hays about the matter, Mr. Logan replied: "I hardly think so. I should likely have heard something if it were true."

A gentleman in close touch with both the interested parties said: "There is no doubt that Mr. MacKenzie's trip to Europe has all to do with the sale of the MacKenzie-Mann railroad interests, and I think you will get a cable to that effect within a very short time."

LORD STRATHCONA ON CANADIAN UNITY

The High Commissioner Speaks at a Military Banquet

MISTAKES OF GREAT BRITAIN

Canada Has Suffered, But They Were Made Through Ignorance Not Malice

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GETTING READY FOR INFLUX OF SETTLERS

CANADIAN PACIFIC WARNS LUMBER DEALERS TO PREPARE FOR RUSH

The Big Railway Looks for an Unprecedented Rush Into the Great West Country in the Spring

Winnipeg, Jan. 29.—The C.P.R. is already preparing for the large influx of settlers, and it is going further and urging others to do the same.

The general freight agent, W. B. Lanigan, has issued a circular, which has been approved of by Assistant Traffic Manager Peters, in regard to the lumber business. It is addressed to the agents of the road throughout the whole of the Northwest, and reads as follows:

CIRCULAR TO AGENTS.

The large influx of settlers into western Manitoba and the Northwest Territories during the early spring is going to create a heavy demand for lumber, and it is very important that sufficient stocks of lumber of all kinds required for the construction of houses, barns, etc., be at once ordered and moved into the different districts, so that settlers can commence putting up their buildings immediately on their arrival.

We are in a position to supply cars for the movement of this lumber from all mills at the present time and during February, but after that time it may be difficult for us to do so.

You are, therefore, requested to call upon the lumber dealers at your station and impress upon them the necessity of placing their orders for immediate shipment, and report to me fully what orders have been placed by your dealers, giving name of shipper and point of shipment.

Mr. Peters was interviewed in regard to the above.

He said: "Mr. McNichol has given me instructions to take steps to get a good supply of lumber into the Territories immediately for the use of settlers coming into the country, for building purposes.

"Last fall a good many settlers came in just when we were busiest in the movement of grain, and we found it very difficult to supply the cars asked for immediately at all the lumber mills. In many cases the lumber dealers had let their stocks run down.

"As there will be a large immigration this year the demand for lumber will be very great, and we wish the lumber dealers to give in their orders for the season's supply at once. The cars are now plentiful, and it will be easy for us to supply all demands and have the lumber delivered before the roads break up.

MEETS LUMBERMEN.

"I have arranged with Isaac Cockburn, secretary of the Western Retail Lumber Dealers' association, which embraces all the lumber merchants in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories, to go west today and hold meetings at central points. He will be accompanied by W. H. Mills, our travelling freight agent, and among the places they will visit will be Wolseley, Regina, Prince Albert, Moose Jaw, Calgary, Edmonton and Lethbridge.

Mr. Cockburn will point out to the dealers at the various points the absolute necessity of ordering their stocks of lumber for the coming year immediately.

"We have already seen the principal owners of mills and manufactories, and they are heartily in accord with us in our object, and say they are now ready to fill all orders."

"Do you think the lumber dealers will acquiesce in your suggestion?"

"We consider the matter of such importance that at points where there is likely to be a shortage of lumber, we will ourselves keep a supply on hand to meet the demand. It is the last thing the road would do to interfere with the regular business, but the wants of the country must be met. We do not, however, anticipate any trouble in this connection."

Mr. Peters expects to see an enormous immigration this year, especially to the Territories, and he says the demand for building material will be exceptionally large."

C. P. R. REJECTS A TEMPTING OFFER

Refuses Forty-Two Million Dollars for a Large Block of Land

A Great Future for the Western Country is Undoubtedly Assured

Montreal, Que., Jan. 28.—The Canadian Pacific Railway Company has received an offer from a colonization syndicate of $42,000,000 for 14,000,000 acres of the company's land, on a basis of $3 an acre. The offer has been rejected, as the management considers it a better course to continue to sell its land direct to settlers.

The terms of payment offered by the syndicate are not stated, but as the company has lately been getting $3 an acre, payable in instalments, by settlers, and as it is thought that before long, even higher prices may be received, the management thinks it would be in the best interests of the company to adhere to the present system. The payments now being made, by settlers on their mortgage notes are said to be equal to the interest on all the bonds of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, and it is predicted that eventually there will be sufficient to retire the company's entire bonded debt.

People identified with the bull side of the stock market, say, that while Canadian Pacific will for the present probably go with the rest of the market, they are confident that within the next few months considerably higher prices will be seen. Added to large earnings and heavy receipts for land sales, a material reduction in operating expenses, made possible by working out of extensive betterment plans, should, it is argued, make Canadian Pacific look attractive even at the present prices.

—In future the regular meetings of the Peterborough Board of Education will be held on the first Monday in each month.

STRATHCONA ON THE PREFERENCE

CLAIMS THAT IT ARRESTED DECLINING TRADE WITH GREAT BRITAIN

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February Canadian Magazine

Mr. E. W. Thompson, author of "Old Man Savarin," contributes a splendid story to the February Canadian Magazine. Mr. Thompson has recently returned to Canada and is now living in Montreal. His many admirers will be glad to know that some of his work is now appearing in Canadian publications. There is a remarkable and rare photograph in this issue which is worthy of mention. It is a picture of three young golden eagles in a nest. The picture of an eagle's nest is rare, but one which shows three young birds instead of two which is the usual number, is much rarer still. This picture was taken in British Columbia. Among the other features are—British Guiana, illustrated, by Wm. Perot Kaufman; the Passing of the Wild Pigeons, by C. W. Nash; a sketch of Hon. L. J. Tweedie, Premier of New Brunswick; a poem by W. A. Fraser, author of "Thoroughbreds"; Dr. Bell's Flying Machine, by Thomas Johnson; a Visit to the Toronto Zoo, illustrated, by W. T. Allison; Railway Taxation by H. J. Pettypiece, M.P.P., and The Incorporation of Trades Unions by Professor Adam Shortt. The second instalment of Dr. Hannay's "War of 1812" is well illustrated, and the Departments are also attractive.

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FEED FOR SWINE

We are indebted to a North-West contemporary for some interesting facts on the subject of feeding roots to swine. A prejudice has formerly existed among swine breeders against roots as feed on account of the idea that their use was responsible for a considerable portion of the soft bacon produced in the Canadian packing house at certain seasons of the year. Our authority, however, asserts that careful experiment has shown that roots can be fed in moderate quantities combined with other feed without any injurious effect on the quality of the pork produced.

This is a matter of considerable importance to farmers. The census of opinion at the Copenhagen, Ottawa, and several American experimental stations is that eight pounds of mangels or carrots and about the same weight or a little less of sugar beets are equal in value of one pound of grain. As heavy root crops can be easily and economically grown in nearly all those portions of Canada where swine raising is carried on extensively, this manner of feed would certainly be a positive benefit as far as the general thrift of the animal is concerned.

Prejudices of this nature certainly take a great deal of removing from the mind of careful breeders. But the authorities are so great, which, our contemporary quotes, that we think roots will soon be admitted eminently satisfactory, as well as the most economical of swine rations.

THE BOUNDARY COMMISSION

Sir Wilfrid Laurier stated yesterday to our Ottawa correspondent that the whole question of the Alaskan Boundary without any reservations whatever is to go before the Joint Commission. This indicates a very important modification of the position hitherto taken by United States statesmen. Even those who did not go the length of insisting that there was nothing to arbitrate, were not prepared to submit the question to arbitration without making most important reservations in the interests of their own country. The assumption which is being freely expressed that the British member of the commission "will give Canada away," is a gratuitous one and an ungenerous one. It is curious how people who kick at the idea of Canada sharing in the burden of imperial defence expect Great Britain to embroil herself with the United States at any moment in defence of the smallest vestige of Canadian rights. The probability is that the British Commissioner will be as jealous of Canadian interests as the Canadian Commissioners themselves. It is also worth while to bear in mind, that had there been no British power behind Canada, our Uncle Samuel would probably have maintained his original intention that there was "nothing to arbitrate."

THE COAL COMBINE

It is stated that a prosecution has been entered against the Ontario coal dealers association, as it is called in the despatch, with headquarters at Brantford, for alleged conspiracy to prevent anyone but members from buying coal from the operators. This refers to the action of certain manufacturers in Brantford, who bought large quantities to sell to their men at the market price. The local dealers took steps to prevent this form of trading.

If it is found that the traders have formed an illegal combination to fleece the public, the parties should be "strung up" to the fullest penalty. The public at large will not "stand for" anything of the kind. This, however, is the ingredient in any combine that is to be condemned. A union of traders to make rules for their common guidance is as intelligible and defensible as a union of any other persons. It is only when they use their organization to cheat and oppress the people—poor and rich alike—that it comes under the law and the lash of public disapproval.

"'TWAS PITIFUL! 'TWAS WONDROUS PITIFUL."

The lack of public appreciation and co-operation was evidently responsible for the poignant gloom resting on the various members of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society, at their annual meeting on Tuesday evening, last.

The feeling, too, was infectious, and we make bold to ask: Why should these things be? No man can plead ignorant of the objects of this noble institution, and surely none will be guilty of such barbarity as to deny its usefulness, nor the admirable principles its worthy representatives are devoting their leisure to propagate. What, then, we would like to ask, is the meaning of this apparent lack of interest on the part of our fellow townsmen on this matter? The love of the beautiful in nature is surely a passion worthy of cultivation, and the good work already done by the Horticultural Society towards the beautifying of our town should, we would imagine, be of itself a sufficient stimulant to call forth not only our admiration, but our best energies to add to the effectiveness of its work.

"We are not wood, we are not stones, but men."

And being men we should be able to recognize not only the unselfish labors expended on our behalf, but the duty devolving on ourselves to do all that lies in our power to propagate such principles that tend to inculcate in our fellowmen the love of the beautiful.

INCREASE IN CRIME

The statistics of crime, as set forth in a report made to Congress by Dr. Arthur MacDonald, indicate that for thirty years past crime has been increasing in the world. In spite of the progress of education and the labors of philanthropy, mental and nervous diseases, suicide, insanity, juvenile crime, and pauperism are increasing faster than the population. This increase, due apparently to concentration of population and increased strain on the mental apparatus of mankind, does not necessarily imply that the world is growing worse, but merely that it is changing. An increase of crime may be an incident of a development that in the long run will be salutary.

LOCAL NUISANCES

At the present moment there is probably nothing so erratic and unsatisfactory in the whole town as our timepieces—the town and the postoffice clocks. We do not complain of the attention paid to them by their caretaker, for of that we know little or nothing, but we do complain, in common with hundreds of others, of the irregular and misleading time they keep. It is a common thing in Peterborough when complaints are made to ignore them out of pure spite and cussedness. It is the revenge of weak men. We hope, however, that in the future some effort will be made to have the correct time for us. Every day, at noon, or at whatever other hour may suit the Aldermanic fancy, we might receive the time from the observatory at Toronto, just as it is done in every town in England.

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The earl looked at Hilda. She was regarding her persecutor with curling lips and blazing eyes.

Lady Leigh, Sir Wilfred, Cecil Courtenaye, and his mother had drawn near, and formed a protecting semicircle about her.

"Hilda does this man speak the truth?" demanded the earl. "Have you been in the gallery before? Is this dress a masquerade designed to startle me, as he declares?"

"My lord, he speaks falsely," Hilda replied, firmly. "I have never been in the gallery until I entered it with you to-day."

The earl looked around him at Hilda's friends grouped fondly about her.

"Lady Leigh," he said, "you were Ethel's dearest friend. Tell me, does not this girl resemble her marvelously?"

"My lord, she is Ethel's living image," was the eager, emphatic answer.

"And you, Wilfred —you were once her betrothed —you loved her so that you have lived unwedded for her sake —her image is enshrined in your heart: Does not Hilda Aylesford resemble her?"

He bowed and repeated his sister's words.

"She is Ethel's living image."

The earl waited for no more. He turned to Hilda, and took her trembling hands in his own.

"I call you all to witness," he said, solemnly, "that a monstrous fraud has been perpetrated upon me by that false and deceitful man yonder. He has endeavored to foist his own namby-pamby daughter upon me in place of my own brave, beautiful Hilda, whose face, whose mind, whose every glance betrays the heritage of noble blood of which they have tried to cheat her. But I can no longer be deceived. Ethel speaks to me through the dark eyes of her daughter. This is my granddaughter —this brave and beautiful girl whose hands I hold in mine. Is it not so, Lady Leigh?"

"My lord, I firmly believe it," said Lady Leigh, emphatically.

Mr. Aylesford made a step forward as if to tear Hilda from the earl's grasp.

"Hilda, my love," he said, "come away, and do not sanction the earl's folly by your countenance. See how deeply you are distressing your gentle cousin by your waywardness."

Florence had indeed thrown herself upon the floor at the earl's feet, and with bitter tears was imploring him to recall his cruel and unjust words. He looked down at her with scorn.

"Get up, Florence," he said, "and go to your father. I utterly repudiate you. You are no granddaughter of mine. You are utterly unlike the Lornes. I always felt it."

"It is false!" Florence cried, defiantly, looking around her to see if there was one left to espouse her part. "Oh! my friends, is it not dreadful for my own grandfather to insult me thus? But I will not be repudiated if there is any law in this land to defend the wronged! I will prove that he is old, weak, imbecile, doting, and that he has been deceived by this wretched girl!"

Mr. Aylesford came forward suddenly.

"Lady Florence," he said, "allow me to conduct you to your room. This is no place for you among those who are deliberately seeking your ruin for the furtherance of their own schemes for wealth and aggrandizement."

CHAPTER XXI.

The Dead Alive.

Florence was so enraged at the earl's attitude, and at the cold, averted faces of the group, that she would have liked to remain and vent her spite and rage upon them in vituperative words. But she gathered from a certain significance in Mr. Aylesford's tone that he wished her to leave them. She took his arm, and cast a last scornful glance upon her oppressors as she moved away.

The earl looked at Sir Wilfred Hale as the heavy door clanged behind them.

"Wilfred," he said, anxiously, "do you not think I have acted rightly?"

The baronet moved forward, impetuously, and shook hands with the earl.

"I congratulate you," he said, "that your eyes have been opened to the truth. It was for that purpose I brought Hilda here. I always suspected that Aylesford had perpetrated a fraud upon you. I have been in America many months seeking some clew by which I might fasten his guilt upon him. Hilda was under my care at a school in Richmond all the while. But I was unfortunate. I failed utterly. My sister was in my confidence. We determined at last to bring Hilda here, hoping, since all other efforts had failed, that her perfect resemblance to the Lornes would attract attention and excite suspicion in you."

"As it did," declared the earl. "Her likeness to some one I could not recall struck me at first, though I could not understand why she held me from the beginning with such a strong, indefinable charm. But as soon as we came into the gallery I saw that she was like the Lornes, and suspected Aylesford's fraud."

Cecil Courtenaye, who had stood silently by, listening eagerly to all that had passed, now came forward to congratulate the earl. His proud and handsome face was pale with emotion as he bowed over Hilda's hand, raising it a moment to his lips.

She blushed deeply at his murmured congratulation, raising her dark eyes a moment, then swiftly dropping them to hide the shy happiness that filled their starry depths.

"Sir Wilfred," he said, reproachfully, "if you had told me when you hurried back to the United States so soon after our return to England what mission you were upon, I would have gone with you and given you all the assistance in my power."

"Then I beg your pardon, Cecil," the baronet answered, frankly. "Once or twice I was on the point of taking you into my confidence, but, to tell you the truth, I was afraid of being

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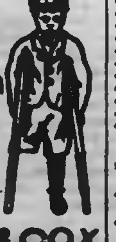

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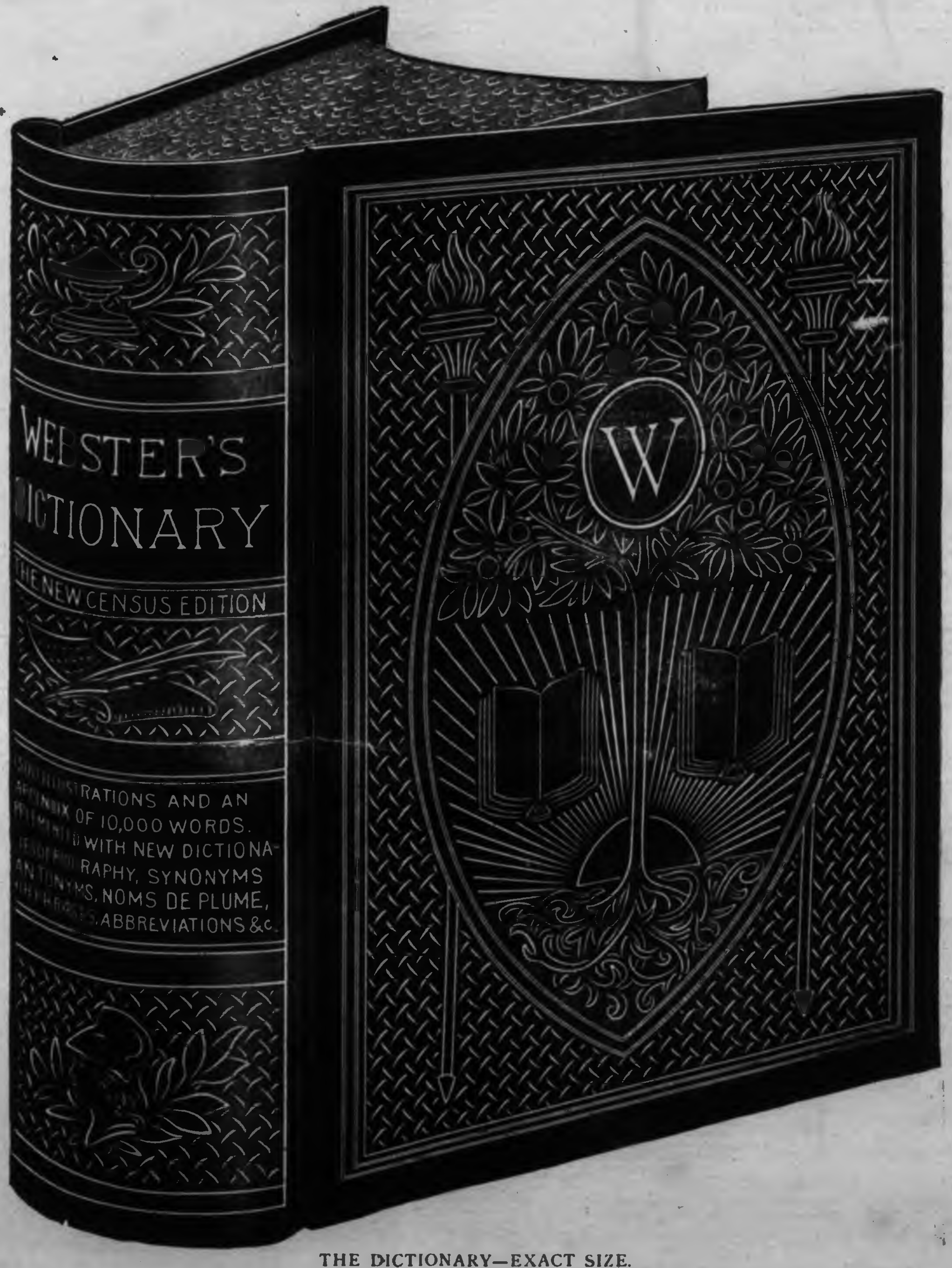

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Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
214-222 Rialto Building,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received two letters from you today, which inform me that you have, according to my instructions, sold my holdings in December corn and bought 2,500 bushels of May corn at 43 cents, on a margin of 2 cents. This means a profit of $31.25 in fifteen days on an investment of $25.00, which, I must say, is very satisfactory to me, as it is my first venture in margins in grain or any other like investment.

Kindly continue to re-invest as your judgment dictates. I am satisfied to have you make the investment earn what it can.

Again thanking you, I am
Respectfully yours.

Ann Harbor, Mich., Dec. 4th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—In reply to yours of Nov. 29th (which would have been answered before this, but for the sickness of the writer), you did exactly what you should have done, and I hereby authorize you to make such moves in the matter as you think would be for my best interest, always saving me from loss, if possible.

I am well pleased over your action in the above deal, and hope to see you soon and express my thanks to you in person.

Very truly yours,
H. F. STURTEVANT

Training Station.
Newport, R.I., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I received your letter of Nov. 29th, and approve of your action in selling my holdings in December corn and purchase of May instead.

Wishing you luck in selling and buying when you think best, I am,

Very respectfully,
BENJAMIN SMITH.

Armada, Mich., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favor of the 29th ult. received, and I hasten to reply. I have just arrived home and I am well pleased with the way you have handled my investment in December corn and with the handsome profits; also with your having disposed of the same and investing in May corn (the confirmatory for which I have received).

I wish to heartily thank you all for the conserving and kindly interest you have taken in my welfare. I have every confidence in you and your abilities. Do with the May deal as your best judgment would indicate would be best for me, and I wish you every success in it.

I also wish to thank you for sending me "The St. Louis Star."

Very sincerely yours,
D. H. WILSON.

Evanston, Wyo., Dec. 2nd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of Nov. 26th, enclosing draft for $827.80, at hand, with advice of $300.00 as margin on 15,000 bushels May corn, and appreciate the way you have managed the business, as you did not sell me out when I expected you could, but protected my interest to a good advantage, as above proceeds go to show.

I thank you for your good judgment in handling the business.

Yours truly, CHARLES STONE.

Rutland, Vt., December, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your letter at hand this morning, and I want to say that you are "true blue" all the way through— I'll bet my last dollar on you.

I sent a telegram for more May corn and I have got $25.00 here for you to re-margin if it goes down. DON'T FORGET THIS for I want to wire; and if it comes to a pinch you can have more than $25 to protect the $50.00.

I am glad I have found someone to depend on, at least, and am more than obliged to you.

Thanking you, I am, sincerely,
40 Elm street. JEAN FISHER.

Hughesville, Pa., Dec. 11, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of your favor of the 8th inst., enclosing me your company's check for balance due me in full for which I thank you.

I appreciate the manner in which you served me in this transaction, and I assure you I will give you an order shortly for some May corn. What is your present opinion of this delivery?

I miss very much the copy of your evening paper you so kindly sent me, but which has been discontinued.

I will be very glad to receive, at your earliest opportunity, your advices.

Yours very truly,
CHAS. R. MOSSER.

Cleveland, Nov. 22nd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of your valued favor of the 20th, also check for $111.44 covering in full my account. My trading with your firm has been very satisfactory, and I thank you for the manner in which you have handled my account.

Yours very truly,
F. B. HALL.

Saugerties, N.Y., Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the check [illegible] in full of my account. I want to thank you for your good advice in regard to purchasing this December corn, also the prompt and satisfactory way you have handled my account. I only regret that I did not take your further advice not to withdraw quite so soon, and I would have acknowledged receipt of a check for $1,-[illegible]

Again thanking you, I am, yours truly,
ADAM W. ELIAS,
per H. T. K.

Belleville, Ill., Nov. 26th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Yours of the 24th received, with check for $103.13, in payment of $25.00 which I entrusted to you October 31st to buy December corn, which you sold November 21st, with a net profit of $78.13—my check from you today showing the same, for which you will please accept my sincere thanks. My only regret is that I did not make a larger investment, as per your advice.

Truly yours, M. W. CARTER.

Slaterville Springs, N.Y., Nov. 25, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen—I have your favor of the 21st, enclosing check for $344.11, margin and profit on December corn. My profit of $219.11 on an investment of $125.00, made in less than a month, is certainly due to the way you handled the account.

Yours very truly,
A. J. SLATER.

Bobcaygeon, Ont., Nov. 22nd, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your letter and account duly received, for which accept thanks. I wired you this morning to forward by check my deposit and also profits, total of $98.86.

This is a very handsome showing for a $25.00 investment for ten days, and I assure you that you shall do business for me again, and also many of my friends.

Yours very truly,
JOHN CONWAY.

Sharpsburg, Iowa, Nov. 26th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:
Hugh Dennis, President.

Dear Sir,—You cannot imagine my surprise upon receiving your personal check for last week's profit, and then upon receiving check for this week's profits, makes me completely satisfied that you do business upon a solid basis, and I can almost GUARANTEE any one of profits if they make a deposit with you.

Very respectfully,
J. J. UNDERWOOD.

Ravenna, Neb., Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received yours of the 22nd with check for $64.35, and I note that you say you have invested the $100.00 in 2,500 bushels of May corn for me.

Please accept my sincere thanks for the $100.35 which you made for me on the $50.00 investment. Had I left you alone, as I should have done, you would have made me nearly $300.00 in the three weeks; but I am satisfied with what you have done.

Hoping you will do as well, or better, with my May corn, and again thanking you, I am yours truly,
J. VALEK.

Whipple Barracks, Ariz., Nov. 21, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received your telegram last evening saying that you had sold the corn that I had directed (9,000 bushels) at 67 3-4. I thank you for your promptness and success with the order. If you have not already done so, on receipt of this, please send me the entire proceeds from this sale by check, $766.40.

I will watch the market, and a little later will take a flyer in May corn.

I assure you of my appreciation of the faithful interest and good business judgment with which you have handled my investment and which insures me a nice little sum of Thanksgiving and Christmas money. Very sincerely,
E. E. HATCH.
Captain 13th Infantry.

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 10th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I notice by the reports that corn is gradually on the rise. I am telling my friends how well you used me, and I hope you will hear from this city in the shape of a good amount to invest. I certainly boost you with all my might. If my May investment proves as good as did the December, I will be satisfied.

Kindly let me hear from you occasionally. Thanking you, I am yours truly,
322 Valentine R. W. WALES

Washington, D.C., Nov. 25, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your letter of 20th, enclosing check for $100.25, received.

The transaction was very satisfactory, and I thank you for its successful termination. Respectfully yours,
JAMES H. CAMPBELL,
1,512 T st., N.W.

National Military Home, Ohio,
November 22, 1902.

Hugh C. Dennis, Esq.
St. Louis, Mo.:

My Dear Major,— You are a daisy. Yours of the 21st, with account of sale and purchase, almost took away my breath, $92.19 and $67.00 in such a short time on the small investment is almost beyond comprehension.

Thanks to your grand success in dealing with the market, I now see my way out to pay a debt of honor I have been wanting to pay for a long time.

Please remit about $50 by American Express to Dayton, Ohio, and apply the rest due to me to more December or May corn, as your good, and almost infallible judgment may decide. I see from your purchase order that you have already bought 6,000 bushels of corn (May market.)

Thanking you for your kindness and hailing you as my benefactor, I am.
Most truly yours,
G. J. REICHE.

We told the public this last Spring about September and December Corn. We tell them the same thing now: **BUY MAY CORN.** Common sense and your own sound business judgment must tell you that May corn, bought now, will make for you enormous profits within the next sixty days. May corn will, we believe, reach a price higher than it has touched in twenty years for this option. We respectfully submit the following digest of a few of our customers' trades in December Corn. The Affidavit as to the correctness of these statements is made by our Assistant Auditor, Mr. W. Arthur Clemes. What we did for our customers in **DECEMBER** Corn may be duplicated many times over by a purchase of **MAY** Corn at its present low price.

NAME.	P. O. ADDRESS.	DATE INVESTMENT.	AMOUNT	CHECK TO BAL. SENT.
L. Smith	West Point, Ia.	Invested Oct. 10th,	$200.00	Check sent 12-3
		Closed Dec. 3rd,	549.22	$549.22
Leo. F. Hugle	New Rochelle, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 21st,	150.00	
		" Nov. 18th,	100.00	Check sent 12-3
		Closed Dec. 3rd,	639.37	$639.37
Ellis C. Richardson	Kalmarnock, Va.	Invested Oct. 9th,	200.00	Check sent 11-28
		Closed Nov. 18th,	875.00	$875.00
H. C. Bell	Box 72, Marion, O.	Invested Nov. 5th,	200.00	Check sent 11-26
		" Nov. 12th,	100.00	$1,075.00
		" Nov. 14th,	200.00	Check sent 11-29
		Closed Nov. 21st,	1,600.00	$525.00
Chas. Stone	Evanston, Wyo.	Invested Oct. 11th,	100.00	Check sent 11-26
	$300 00 reinvested in May corn	Closed Nov. 17th,	1,127.80	$827.80
A. M. Kenny	Utica, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	150.00	Check sent 11-28
		Closed Nov. 19th,	564.00	$654.35
Chas. O. Hirsching	Cleveland, O.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	30.00	
		" Oct. 21st,	150.00	Check sent 11-25
	$100.00 reinvested in May Corn	Closed Nov. 20th,	1,020.00	$920.00
S. L. Miles	Gerry, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 17th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 27th,	100.00	Check sent 11-22
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.49	$766.49
W. P. Morgan	Gerry, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 17th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 27th,	100.00	Check sent 11-22
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.49	$766.49
C. S. Scudder	Huntington, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	200.00	Check sent 11-2
		Closed Nov. 20th,	850.00	$850.00
Capt. E. E. Hatch	Whipple Barracks Prescott, Ariz.	Invested Oct. 22nd,	180.00	Check sent 11-24
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.40	$766.40
B. S. Brooks	Glade Springs, Va.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	250.00	Check sent 11-20
		Closed Nov. 19th,	1,083.00	$1,083.00
A. W. Elias	Saugerties, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 6th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 21st,	100.00	Check sent 11-21
		Closed Nov. 18th,	890.43	$890.43
M. J. Higley	Burlington, Ia.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	200.00	Check sent 11-21
	$300.00 re-invested.	Closed Nov. 21st,	787.50	$487.50
Elmer Bristnall	Aurora, Ia.	Invested Oct. 9th,	100.00	Check sent 11-21
		Closed Nov. 17th,	664.56	$664.56
Geo. C. Wait	Watkins, N. Y.	Invested Nov. 5th,	172.00	Check sent 11-20
		Closed Nov. 18th,	622.00	$622.00

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
City of St. Louis. }

W. ARTHUR CLEMES, of lawful age, being duly sworn before me, on his oath says that he is the Assistant Auditor of and for the Rialto Grain and Securities Co. of the City of St. Louis; that he is familiar with the books of account of said Company, and that he has personally examined the accounts of the aforesaid persons, and that the statements thereof, as above set out, are true.
W. ARTHUR CLEMES.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this eighth day of December 1902. My term expires January 16th, 1903.
IRWIN WALKER, Notary Public in and for the City of St. Louis, Mo

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Oswego, Ill., Dec. 6th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your check for $103.13 received. Thank you very much for prompt and courteous attention to my correspondence and dealings.

I remain, gentlemen, very truly yours,
DR. THOS. B. DREW.

Santa Cruz, Cal., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your letter of the 28th ult. received, together with enclosure of draft for $438.00, and please accept my thanks for same.

I am very well pleased with your manipulation of my holdings, and can find absolutely no cause for complaint. At one time my case most certainly looked rather hopeless, but, thanks to your suggestions, on which I acted, you brought me through with flying colors, and I trust that our future business relations may prove as congenial and profitable as they have in the past.

Thanking you for the kind and just treatment that I have received at your hands, I remain very truly yours,
42 Locust St. E. R. FOSDICK.

Toledo, Ohio., Dec. 5th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of the 3rd, with check for $25.00 enclosed, was received today, and I want to say to you that I was agreeably surprised to receive it. I am more than pleased with your treatment of my investment. I have shown the check and your letter to my friends and told them if they had any idea of investing to place their money in your hands. My writing to you in the first place was an accident.

I assure you that I shall take great pleasure in recommending your firm for honest, upright dealing in every way. I trust that the investment you have made me will be one-half as successful as the one just settled.

Again thanking you for your kindness in the transaction, and if nothing happens after the holidays you may expect to hear from me, together with some of my friends.

Wishing you a merry Christmas and a happy New Year and many years of prosperity, I am,
Gratefully yours,
322 Valentine Bldg. R. W. WALES.

Little Falls, N.Y., Dec. 1st, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received your favor of the 29th ult. today, with statement and remittance of my account, for which I thank you.

I also wish to express my appreciation of your fair dealing with me, and say that I am much pleased with the large profit you made for me.

In closing I would ask, on what do you base your opinion that May corn will be much higher.

Yours very truly,
EDWIN L. HALL.

Rockland, Me., Dec. 2nd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I have your letter of the 29th ult, and note with much satisfaction the result of the investment in December corn.

The investment which you have made in May corn is in keeping with my advice to use your own judgment about this investment.

I hope the investment in May corn will be profitable. Yours truly,
E. S. FARWELL.

Tuscumbia, Ala., Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Many thanks for the deal. I drew on you today for $206.25, being the $50.00 I invested and $156.25 profits made by same, full amount of my credit. Please honor the draft, as I need the money for a few days only; then I will figure with you on a larger scale.

With thanks again, I am,
Yours very truly,
J. O. CLARK.

Glenwood, Iowa, Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of check for $109.00, in settlement of my account.

Am pleased to say that the business which you have done for me has been in every way satisfactory and resulted in a very nice profit for me.

You will, in a short time, again have me on your lost of customers.

Thanking you, I am, truly yours,
A. H. SCHIER.

Utica, N.Y., Nov. 23rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I wired you November 20th to sell my account out at 65 cents and wire remittance. Yesterday I received by mail statement of my account, showing a profit of $42.19 on my $25.00 investment.

I am very much pleased with the way you have handled my account. Will buy May corn later. Respectfully yours,
WALTER A. HARRIS.
93 Genesee St. Secretary.

Watertown, N.Y., Dec. 5th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of Dec. 3rd, enclosing draft for $78.64, received, for which accept my sincere thanks. I wrote to you last night asking reason for your delay in sending same, but received yours this noon.

I feel that you did finely with my last investment of $25.00, and if we had understood each other better on my first, I can see where your handling would have made a few hundred on it, which I think is sufficient to prove to any one that your firm is sound and able.

I thank you again, and hope to be able to help you to more customers, and, may be, myself dabble again soon.

Yours sincerely,
1-2 High St. W. J. KELLOCK.

Binghampton, N.Y., Dec. 5th, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,— I am in receipt of your valued favor of the 4th and acknowledge receipt of check for $50.00, profits on December corn holdings. Also confirmation of purchase of May. Thank you very much for same. Thought one time I saw larger profits coming my way, but feel satisfied as it is, and am confident there will be something in May corn after a time. Protect it as you did my last December holdings, and I will remit margin, if necessary. When it goes up a fair gain, sell and remit whole amount.

Respectfully,
FRANCIS L. GREEN.

Bangor, Me., Nov. 25th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your valued favors of Nov. 24th and 25th came to me today, and I assure you that I thank you for them. You have convinced me that May corn is a very desirable purchase, and I wish that I had had more of it.

That you know what you are doing, as well as you know the future of corn goes without saying, and I am glad that I am tied up to your house, and before we are through I shall try to turn all the business towards you that I can, and I hope soon to make my own personal investments thousands instead of hundreds.

With best wishes, I am.
Yours cordially,
GEO. S. BILSBY.

Arapho, Okla., Nov. 21st, 1902.

Mr. H. C. Dennis,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your letter notifying me of the sale of my December corn, received; and to find I had actually doubled my money to a penny in about five days, you cannot imagine my surprise. That beats our western ways of making money. Here interest runs from 12 to 24 per cent, but that is not in it with December corn.

You must have misunderstood my letter ordering immediate sale—I meant to say, sell latter part of November, 28th or 29th, to avoid any delivery, and to re-buy December 2nd or 3rd to sell about December 20th. I am not in a financial condition to invest more now, but will likely invest in May corn more heavily in a short time. Use the original purchase together with the profits, to best advantage, using your best judgment, but avoid delivery.

Should I be able to deal heavier, I shall risk your judgment in the matter.

Trusting that good luck may continue with us, I am very truly yours,
W. C. HAWKINS.

Dr. Guillermo Vives, Oculist,
Ponce, Puerto Rico,
Ponce, Dec. 20th, 1902.

Mr. Hugh C. Dennis,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favors dated December 13th and 16th were duly received inclusive check for $425.15-100. I am very glad to state that the return I had for $100 invested was $322; a pretty fair amount for one month's outlay.

As I already took the liberty of writing you I will take great pleasure in sending you as soon as I possibly can, all the funds at my disposition.

In the meantime I am explaining your excellent method of doing business to my friends, and I am sure that they, as well, will give you a trial.

If it is not too much trouble for you I would be very much obliged if you would keep me informed about the movements of the market.

Giving you my best thanks for the careful and speedy attendance you have given my interests, I am,
Very respectfully,
GUILLERMO VIVES.

Inglewood, Ont., Can., Nov. 27th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your statement to hand, and I am well satisfied with your management of my account.

Kindly remit the profits, $ 22.20, and invest the remaining $25.00 in May corn at 41 1-2 to 42 cents, on a 2-cent margin.

Awaiting remittances, I am,
Yours truly
FRED HARTLEY.

Thomas H. Wright,
Attorney-at-Law and Authorized
United States Claims Attorney,
Bellefontaine, Ohio, Dec. 5th, 1902

Mr. Wm. Leftwich,
V. P., Rialto G. & S. Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your esteemed favor of the 4th inst. is just received. Accept my appreciation of the promptness and ability of your firm.

You will probably hear from me with more business at another time. I acknowledge receipt of enclosure, $171.25.

Very respectfully yours,
THOS. H. WRIGHT.

Office of J. F. McNulty, M.D.,
Callaway, Neb., Dec. 12th, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I desire to express to you my entire satisfaction with your manner of doing business with me. You have always promptly attended to my trades and they have proven profitable.

I find it not only a pleasure, but a financial benefit to deal with your firm.

Yours truly,
J. F. M'NULTY.

Pontotoc, Miss., Dec. 2, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.

Gentlemen,—Your letter and check of the 24th received a few days ago. Am well pleased with the way you handled my business for me, for the profit I received from that little amount I invested with you far exceeded my most sanguine expectations.

Very respectfully
A. D. FONTAINE

Fitchburg, Mass., Dec. 2, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I am in receipt of your letter dated Nov. 29th, which more than pleased me. I was surprised at such profits in a month, and I am satisfied with that May corn investment. If I am right, I have to my credit 2,500 bushels of May corn. I leave the whole matter in your hands, and make as much as you can out of it; what you do will suit me.

I thank you for what you have done for me, and I hope by the first of next May I will be able to buy 2,500 bushels of July corn. Yours truly,
GEO. BEAUREGARD.

Green Springs, W. Va., Dec. 3, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Yours of Nov. 24th to hand containing cheque for $77.82, leaving two-cent margin on 1,500 May corn, which makes nearly 400 per cent. on investment of $25.00 on Nov. 7th.

Hope you will make out on the May corn as well. Respectfully yours,
J. A. WILSON.

P.S.—Excuse delay, as I wrote and forgot to mail same.

Treasury Department, Office of
Auditor for Treasury Department,
Washington, D.C., Dec. 1, 1902.

Hugh C. Dennis, Esq.,
Pres. Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favor of 29th ult., advising me of the closing out of the small deal I have made with you, and the investment of proceeds in May corn has been received and is satisfactory. You did better than I expected. I have been through the West and observed the wonderful production through that country, so that I expected a decline in December corn.

Thanking you for your attention, I am,
Very truly yours,
E. McKENDRICK.

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STOCK MARKETS

BIG SHORT INTEREST IN THE MARKET

New York, Jan. 28.—The Venezuelan entanglement and bearishness of the board room contingent, headed by the so termed Waldorf-Astoria clique, composed principally and practically exclusively of a coterie of larger room traders, has engendered a short interest in the market of considerable proportions. It has slowly but surely been increasing daily since before the middle of the current month, and the surprising feature of the situation is the comparatively small decline in prices, due to the efforts of this bearish combination. Though unusually apathetic and listless with a marked tendency to drift, and indications pointing to the fact that the market has been largely left to care for itself, prices have withstood bear attacks remarkably well. It is now more than likely that a rod is im-pickled for the gentlemen who are short of stocks, and that it will be exercised against them very soon. As indicated right along in these letters, the difficulty in Venezuelan waters will be satisfactorily adjusted. Were this not so long ere there would have been a pronounced weakness in the London market for Americans, bordering upon demoralization, while Washington wires would have been freighted with selling orders. The tail of the tape for the past week plainly showed no trouble and a satisfactory adjustment. As a result of the episode, the short interest has been largely augmented, and is now being carefully nursed in the parlance of the street. Some buying orders have been temporarily cancelled as a result. They will speedily be renewed. At present writing it certainly looks as if punishment was drawing near for those who have been operating for the decline. The international controversy simply affords unusual opportunity for prospective stock purchasers. The thing to do is to take advantage of it. Send us a liberal immediate buying order.

Summary—Stagnation with listless trading all day long. St. Paul held around 178, Copper around 66, while fluctuations generally were within a radius of half a point. There was not a movement of moment in any part of the list. There was nothing to say about the current situation, otherwise than stocks are not freely offered for sale, while buying demand is for the present quiescent. Any renewal of activity will in our opinion bring about an advance in prices. We look for more active and better market ver soon. Money closed 3 3-4. Total sales 391,300.

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Interesting Items.

It is a mistake to suppose that the land boom in the West applies only to Canada. More than four million acres of land in the Western States have been sold by the Northern Pacific Railway Company during the past year, most of it to actual settlers. Farming does not seem to be losing its popularity.

The allurement of the bargain-counter works its spell not upon the well-to-do shopper alone. In a Salvation Army rummage store in New York a certain sign reads: "Shoes with hole in sole, five cents; shoes without holes, ten cents. Wrappers, moth-eaten, ten cents; not moth-eaten, fifteen cents. Stockings without holes, two pairs for five cents; with holes, three pairs for five cents."

Mosquitoes are now charged with communicating erysipelas as well as malaria and yellow fever. A New York physician has issued a death certificate in the case of a fourteen months old babe in which he says: "Death was caused by erysipelas due to the bite of a mosquito." It is only fair to the mosquito to record that the Board of Health officers refused to accept the certificate until a coroner's physician had investigated and concluded that there was no other apparent cause for the death than the mosquito bite.

M. de Blowitz, in the Paris "Matin," tells how a subscriber to the "Encyclopaedia Britannica" used that work. He was a professional writer of begging letters, and in them he represented himself to be now one sort of a person, and then another, "getting up" from the pages of his encyclopaedia the necessary historical knowledge to give his letters plausibility. Thus, he explained, that having written a letter in which he was a potter who had been chemically poisoned and unfitted for work, "he used the encyclopaedia for details of his pottery trade, of which he himself was entirely ignorant. The one word, 'kaolin,' which he used in his letters, and the explanation of the use of the material, made everyone believe in the genuineness of his appeal, and brought him a perfect harvest of banknotes and postal money-orders."

There has been very little agitation of the shirt-waist problem this year, partly, probably, because the heat has not been intense enough to make coats unbearable, and partly, too, because both as to advocacy and opposition, the novelty has passed away. Postmen in several cities have this year been permitted to don the shirt-waist without any public outcry whatever, but it has remained for the Rev. Albert Eaton Fitch of Cleveland, O., to extend the limit of shirt-waist possibilities a distance not hitherto contemplated. He presides over the spiritual welfare of a Congregational church, and recently he preached in a shirt-waist. He says that he will continue to do this as long as the weather is so warm. Believing in personal comfort for himself, he believes in it also for his congregation, and has invited the women of his church to remove their hats during worship, and the men to remove their coats.

A WONDERFUL MACHINE

PETERBOROUGH MAN'S PREPAYMENT METER

A Satisfactory Test Made in Ottawa by Mr. A. A. Dion—Some Advantages Claimed

Ottawa, Jan. 27.—Messrs. J. H. McClellan and Geo. L. Gowland, of Peterborough, are in the city in connection with a new prepayment or nickel in the slot electric metre, of which Mr. Gowland is the inventor and patentee and which is manufactured by the Gowland Company, of Toronto.

The metre, which is the only prepayment electric metre in existence, is the invention of Mr. Gowland, who is a Canadian by birth, having been born in Antigonish, N.S. He is the possessor of 42 patents and was formerly one of the head electricians for the Canadian General Electric Company.

A test of the metre was made yesterday by Mr. A. Dion, chief of the Ottawa Electric Light Company, who describes it as supplying a great want. He stated that both the recording and prepayment metres were perfect and correct from one lamp up, the ratio from one lamp to twenty being perfect.

The prepayment metre is similar to the Watt metre and to the well-known prepayment gas metre, of which there are 18,000 in use in Montreal and 60,000 in Canada. It is strictly automatic in action, there being no switches or handles to turn. All the operator desiring light has to do is to go to the metre and deposit therein 25 cents or any number of quarters, which will be used consecutively as the light is consumed. Another important feature is that the consumer can check his own machine by the clock, which is modelled after the cash register system, keeping check on the light used for the consumer and of the number of quarters deposited for the company.

The metre will do away with all suspicion on the part of consumers that they are being defrauded by metres which they cannot read. If any customer thinks that he is being robbed, all he has to do is to turn on one light, and with his watch or the family clock he can tell at a glance how much light he is getting for a quarter. Another important feature is that this metre enabled the company to do a cash business, at the same time ridding the consumer of light bills, as the clock keeps tab on the number of quarters deposited and which are collected periodically throughout the year.

Messrs. McClellan and Gowland are on their way to Montreal, where a number of influential electrical men are anxious to see the metre. They are not in any way hawking stock, as there is no stock in the company for sale. There are already some hundreds of these metres in use. One apartment house in New York is using 200 of these meters.

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At St. Luke's

At 2.30 this afternoon the regular monthly business meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will meet. Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, M.A., will give an address on "Missions." A large attendance is requested.

A Large Revenue

The Times was informed by Secretary-Treasurer Kells, of the Skating Rink Company, that over $1,200 was taken in at the rink in five days. This looks as thought the investment is a good one for the stockholders.

Quietly Wedded

At St. Luke's rectory yesterday, Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, M.A., united in marriage Miss H. E. Hunter, of Verulam, and Mr. Fred Steele of the same township. Friends will extend their best wishes to the newly-wedded couple, and wish them a long and happy united life.

Sad Death

The funeral of the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Jordan took place yesterday afternoon to the Little Lake Cemetery. The child's death was due to paralysis. The most sincere sympathy of their many friends will go out to the bereaved parents on this sad occasion.

Sad Death of Mrs. McNamara

At No. 225 Water street the death occurred yesterday of Mrs. M. A. McNamara, nee Miss Johannah A. Moran, of Otonabee. The deceased had been ill for about eight months, and in spite of all that medical skill could do she passed away as above stated. She was married only about three years ago, and, together with her bereaved husband, she leaves to mourn her loss two sisters and two brothers. Mrs. McNamara was a very consistent member of St. Peter's congregation, and was noted for her many acts of kindness, especially to the poor. The funeral will take place on Friday at 9 o'clock to St. Peter's Cathedral, and thence to the Roman Catholic cemetery.

MOUNT PLEASANT.

—The barn of Mr. Windram, of Emily, was destroyed last week, together with all its contents.

—The snow is very deep in the swamps, so the frost has not penetrated far. Consequently it is very hard to draw out loads.

—Mr. Reuben Hooten had the misfortune to have one of his horses drop dead while drawing a load of wood. No cause was apparent for its sudden demise.

TO THE ROOTS

A School Boy Digs Down to Find Food to Build Him Right

A good straightforward letter was recently sent by a bright clever youth which shows his ability to go to the bottom of a trouble and rectify it.

He says, "I attended High School for three years but made little progress. I did not enjoy good health; my food was not properly digested; this caused headache and hence I could not study. I tried taking exercise in the foot-ball field but was unable to stand it as it always increased my headache.

During the summer holidays I began eating Grape-Nuts and the benefit was immediate, the headache stopped, my food digested properly so that I had no more stomach trouble, my general health improved, my weight increased and my brain was clear and bright.

The result was that this summer I procured Junior Leaving and Junior Matriculation Standing. I also took my place on the foot-ball team as half-back and played in the games of 1902.

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PETERBOROUGH TO PLAY ST. GEORGES

At Brock Street Rink on Saturday Night

The St. George's, of Toronto, will play the senior Colts on Saturday night, the game to commence at 8.45.

Wants to Skate Dusty.

Mr. Walter Jackson is anxious to meet Oliver Dusty in a skating race for a trophy (not for money), and as soon as arrangements can be made with the management of the rink, these two local speeders will test their speed. Mr. Jackson accepted Dusty's challenge about a week ago.

WRESTLING.

We hear that Geo. Gauthier, that sturdy young wrestler, who further added to his laurels on Saturday evening last by his successful bout with John McDonough, is now looking for fresh fields to conquer. His eyes are turned westward, and it would not surprise us to hear that a match had been arranged between him and Wm. Neilson, of Toronto. Neilson holds the welter-weight championship of Canada, so that a meeting with Gauthier would prove an interesting event at this period.

Sportsmen will remember that the two men have met on a previous occasion, —early in the year 1901, if memory serves us right. Neilson was given the decision on this occasion, though he failed to throw his man, who stepped from the ring with a broken ankle. Gauthier has wonderfully improved since that occasion, and we incline to the opinion that the local lad would now give the champion a hardy tussle to retain his title should the opportunity present itself.

Smallpox and hockey must not travel together as will be seen by the word sent from Paris to Sec. Buchanan, of the O.H.A.:

Toronto, January 29—Secretary W. A. Buchanan of the O.H.A. received word from the Paris club today that the Medical Health Officer refused to allow their team to go to Galt on Friday night to play the first of the home-and-home games for the district intermediate championship because of the prevalence of smallpox in Galt. Neither will the M.H.O. allow the Galt team to visit Paris. He threatens to put everybody in quarantine, if the present arrangements are carried out.

Documentary evidence was requested from both clubs and the O.H.A. subcommittee will meet to-morrow to decide the question.

Toronto, Jan. 27—As a result of a meeting last night of the Wellington Hockey club, Senior O.H.A. champions, Secretary Alexander Milne today forwarded to Mr. P. D. Ross, of Ottawa, one of the trustees a formal challenge for a series of games for the Stanley Cup.

The Wellingtons ask that the games be played during the first week in March, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, the 3rd, 5th, and 7th, being the suggested dates.

The defending club will not necessarily be either the Montreal or Winnipeg Victoria teams. If Montreal retained the cup they will have to win the Quebec League championship to continue in possession. Should the Winnipeg Vics win the series, which commences tomorrow, night, the Wellingtons would be compelled to play the Winnipeg Rowing Club team, which has practically won the Manitoba championship.

In commenting on the Peterborough-Belleville game the Intelligencer says:

"The Peterboroughs lost the series because they failed to realize that here in Belleville we had a team that was going to make any of them travel in record time. Had Peterborough gotten into the game earlier, trotted out their best man, worked up their condition, and looked after their condition properly, they would probably have tied Belleville in the round. As it was, they smiled disdainfully, said, "Oh, we've been playing hockey while Belleville has been asleep," and then found, when too late, that the team they laughed at was going to put it all over them. And just here it may be remarked that Belleville's O. H. A. team this year is the best that ever upheld the name of the city. The boys have worked hard, showed themselves to be gentlemen, on and off the ice, and deserve all the boquets which anybody can hand them."

(From the Toronto Star.)

Peterboro and Upper Canada College who won the championship of the intermediate and junior series of the O.H.A., respectively last season, are already down and out, not even having had a chance to win the honors in their districts.

Peterboro did not win a solitary game. The Belleville papers say the champions were traveling on their reputation, while Belleville and Port Hope teams trained faithfully for the games. This is hardly correct. The probable reason was the delay in the completion of the new rink at Peterboro, which did not give the players a fair chance to get in shape. The Peterboro Juniors played in just as hard luck as their seniors. They went through the season with continuous defeats, their one chance of victory being taken away last night by Port Hope Juniors after 20 minutes of extra play.

Upper Canada's defeat at Newmarket last night was a surprise. By some blundering in the schedule Newmarket was forced to play 3 games in 4 days, on Friday night with Upper Canada on the latter's ice, Monday night with St. Andrew's here, and last night at Newmarket with Upper Canada. Upper Canada won on Friday from Newmarket by a big score, 17 to 2, and it was expected they would win the return match and thereby secure a chance to tie St. Andrew's for the leadership of the district. Their defeat last night, however, puts them down and out for good.

The Wellingtons are the only champion team that held their own from season to season. They are three times winners of the O.H.A. senior championship, and the prospects look good this year for another clean sweep.

T. V. League.

Norwood defeated Keene at Norwood last night by a score of 4—2.

NORWOOD.

—Mr. W. Carnham is moving with his family to Shelburne.

—Mr. T. Crawford, of Lakefield, has been visiting here.

—Miss Kate Sperry is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hugh Bertram, Peterboro.

—Mr. Hugh Hill has been summoned to appear before His Honor Judge Dennison for pointing a revolver at the proprietor of the McGregor House recently.

BIRTHS

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

The members of St. Luke's Choir were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Howden last night.

—Peterborough Lodge of Oddfellows meets this evening, and will entertain Lindsay Lodge.

—The farmers state that it will not take much thawing to spoil the sleighing where the roads are high.

—The Girls' Guild of All Saints intend holding an "At Home," on Friday, Feb. 13th inst.

—Rev. W. L. Armitage, M.A., will conduct service to-morrow evening at Riverdale Mission at 7.30.

—The first quarterly meeting of the local Reading Union will be held in the Y.M.C.A. Hall on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—From Otonabee come reports that in some neighborhoods a most virulent type of measles is prevalent. In some, families five members are down at once with the disease.

—As will be seen by an advertisement elsewhere in this issue, the Ontario Bank is asking for tenders for the enlargement and improvement of their premises in town.

—A report has reached here that a young girl at Stanwood, near Blairton, has ended her life deliberately by taking carbolic acid. Death was almost instantaneous. No further particulars are to hand.

INSTALLED GAS PLANT

The Lakefield Preparatory School Now Equipped with This Modern Light

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DEATH OF MR. W. J. BELL

A Highly Respected Young Man Succumbs to Scarlet Fever

The death occurred yesterday afternoon at his father's residence, Reid street, of Mr. Wellington J. Bell, an employee of the Stanley Piano Company, from scarlet fever. The deceased had been ill for about five weeks, and finally succumbed to the advances of the disease.

Mr. Bell was a valued member of the 57th Band, a member of the Charlotte st. Sabbath School orchestra, and one of the most highly respected employees of the Stanley Piano Co. From these organizations as well as from his many other friends throughout the community, will come the deepest sympathy to the bereaved family in this sad affliction.

The funeral will take place at two o'clock this afternoon to Little Lake cemetery and will be private.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mrs. W. Wand, is making good progress towards recovery.

—Miss Edith Finlay, of Lindsay, is visiting Miss Reid.

—Miss Aline Tivey, of Ashburnham, has as her guest Miss Maud Evanson, of Toronto.

—Mr. A. B. Bailey, manager of the Union Bank, Hastings, paid a visit to Peterborough yesterday.

—Mrs. Dr. Graham, of Fenelon Falls, returned home yesterday, after a pleasant visit with Mr. W. Yelland's family, McDonnell St.

—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Crossman will be pleased to learn that their bright little son, Master Fred, is recovering from his recent rather serious illness.

—The Times had a pleasant call yesterday from Mr. L. R. Arnett, inspector of the Siche Gas Company, Toronto, who was on his way to Toronto from Lakefield, where he completed the installation of a plant in "The Grove."

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Chickens, per pair	60 to 75
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Geese, each	80 to 1 00
Turkeys, each	1 00 to 1 40
Butter, rush roll, per lb	18 to 20
Butter, crock	16 to 18
Egg per doz	25 to 30
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Stockers	3 to 3
Hogs, select, 160-200	5 75 to 5 87½
Fats and heavies	5 50 to 5 75
Lights	5 50 to 5 75
Sows	4 25 to 4 50
Stags	02 to 03
Sheep	2 50 to 2 75
Lambs, per lb	3 to 3½
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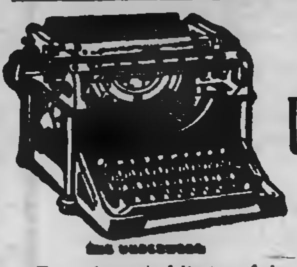

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VAGUE THREATS BEING MADE AGAINST ENGLAND

Ottawa Correspondent of the Manchester Guardian Sees Great Danger Ahead

BUT THE BRITONS REFUSE TO BELIEVE IT

Little England Newspapers are Making the Most Possible out of the Matter

London, January 29—The Manchester Guardian and other Little England journals are making the most of the statements said to emanate from a leading supporter of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and designed to frighten the British Ministry and people by threats of Canadian separation from the Empire. The Guardian in leading type, what it calls "plain talk *in Canada.*" *From* its Ottawa correspondent, who claims to be in touch with the members of the Government, he says the Government is face to face with the *fact* that a strong public opinion is being against the continuance of the preferance to Great Britain. The correspondent remarked to this Government authority, "your talk means separation from the Empire." "Of course," was the reply. "It means the loss of Canada to Great Britain and perhaps eventually the loss of all British America. We may soon have to decide which road we take. The two roads lead in entirely opposite directions. The further we go the further they take us apart."

To ninety-nine out of every one hundred Englishmen these vague threats are meaningless. The Alaskan treaty, they say, was Sir Wilfrid's own, while the *preference* was presented to John Bull as a free gift, as a small return for Britain's past protection. What Englishmen ask is, "What is Canada's exact complaint?"

TO BE TRIED ON A POISON CHARGE

Mrs. Marsten's Case Comes Up at Fredericton Next Week—History of the Crime—Defence Will Probably Be That Marsten Took Poison Himself—Fifty Witnesses In the Case

Fredicton, N.B., January 29.—On Tuesday before Judge Gregory, at Fredericton, Annie Marsten, of the village of Meductic, twelve miles below Woodstock, will be placed on trial, charged with having killed her husband, by giving him strychnine. Marsten died on June 11 last, and was buried two days later. A week or so later the body was exhumed and an inquest held, it having been reported that there was reason to suspect foul play. It was some little time after the opening of the inquest that the analyst, M. V. Paddock, of St. John, gave in evidence the result of his analysis of the portions of the stomach, liver, kidneys and brain. *In some 15 ounces of matter* which he subjected to analysis he found 1.25th of a grain of strychnine.

Drs. Rankin and Turner, who held the post-mortem on the body, had testified previously that they found nothing in the post-mortem to account for death, although there was fatty degeneration of the heart. Dr. Turner said not sufficient to have caused death. After the evidence of the analyst both doctors said that they had no doubt that George Marsten died from strychnine poisoning, and that according to the amount of poison found by the analyst in his examination, the whole body would contain over 6 grains of strychnine.

Mrs. Marsten in her evidence at the Coroner's inquest said that she had given her husband a dose of cream of tartar and wormwood the morning before his death. He had been complaining of feeling miserable all day. He had a light tea at 6 o'clock, but had nothing to drink except a cup of hot water, which he got for himself. Shortly after having his tea he went upstairs to his room. About seven o'clock, according to her story, she went up to his room and asked him if she would bring him up a dose of cream of tartar and salts, but he said he did not want it, and told her to pull down the windows and shut the door. Then, according to her version, she went down to the river bank near, and when she came back in the course of half an hour or so her husband was dead. In the house when he was dying were two sisters of Mrs. Marsten, Celeste and Birdie Stairs. In their evidence they said they heard a man scream and make distressing cries, they were afraid to go to his room, but ran across the road to a neighboring store, and called two neighbors named Olts and Higgens, who went up to Mr. Marsten's room, followed by the girls. They noticed twitching of the limbs, but apparently there was no very violent spasms, and there was no sign of purging or vomiting.

The relations between Mr. Marsten and his wife were evidently not ideal. He was much older than she, and was of a morose temperament.

One witness said that in her hearing Mrs. Marsten, when at a neighbor's place, had referred to her husband as a poor old soul, who was only living to be a nuisance and a bother to others, and that when he got his business settled the sooner he was dead the better.

The Coroner's jury found that George M. Marsten came to his death by strychnine poison, administered by an inmate or inmates of the household. On this finding Mrs. Marsten was arrested, and after the preliminary hearing before the magistrate, she was committed for trial Between the two hearings Mrs. Marsten gave birth to a fine baby boy. After her committal she was brought here with her child. Her counsel, Mr. Hartley, made formal application to have her admitted to bail. After some delay her case was considered exceptional, and she was allowed on bail in $10,000, her own for $4000, and three other sureties for $2000 each.

What the Crown may have succeeded in getting in way of additional evidence none but its representatives know. Strychine was found in George Marsten's stomach, but strychnine has not yet been traced certainly to his house, in any other vessel, anyway, nor to Mrs. Marsten's possession.

The case is likely to be a long one. Some 50 witnesses were examined at the Coroner's and Magistrate's hearings. Of course many of them testified at both hearings. The defence has not made known its plans, but it is likely that they will contend that George Marsten himself, was the "inmate" who administered the poison. He left property of the value of about $2000. There are two children besides the boy who arrived at such a critical time in his mother's career.

COAL MINERS MAY GO ON A STRIKE

Their Demands Will Make an Agreement With Operators Next Spring Difficult

THEY DIFFER IN OPINION

Some Operators Think Increase in Wages Should Be Granted Others Do Not

Pittsburg, Pa., January 29.—Coal operators have about reached the conclusion that unless they agree to very *material increases in the compensation of* miners for the year commencing April 1, next that there will be serious trouble with the mine workers in the March scale convention to be held in this city. Some of them are disposed to think there is likelihood of a strike or lockout.

That the miners will demand an increase in the price paid for mining coal of at least ten cents a ton for screened coal and five cents a ton for mine run coal, making the price $1 and 80 cents, is generally conceded. Whether the operators will be willing to grant this advance remains to be determined. The question has been discussed in an informal way by the operators, but there is a wide difference in opinion as to what should be done. Some of the operators want to grant the advance and prevent trouble and a rupture with the miners, and others want to compromise, while still others think that the present scale is high enough.

It has even been suggested that the miners will ask that all coal be paid for on a mine run basis and that it shall be weighed before it goes over the screen. *If this is done the cost of railroad coal* and clean lump will be materially increased and the benefit the miners will receive is estimated at an advance of fully 15 cents on the ton over the present arrangement.

The probabilities are that every mine in the state will be represented in Des Moines during the convention by both miners and operators and that the questions at issue will be referred back by the scale committees to the meetings for ratification. Heretofore the miners have pursued this policy, but the operators have entrusted their business to an executive committee. The feeling that there is to be a decided difference of opinion between the two houses of the conference has caused considerable correspondence already as to the advisability of calling in all the operators.

Operators say that their own numbers are to blame for the position they find themselves in, that many of them, because of good business and stiff prices, have voluntarily advanced the price from 90 cents to $1 a ton and have been paying it all winter. They admit that with this precedent it will be hard to convince the miners that they should not have an advance.

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ANOTHER RAILWAY DISASTER

Over Twenty Bodies Recovered From a New Jersey Train Wreck

New York, Jan. 28—An appalling railway accident took place near Westfield, Jersey, at a place called Graceland, last night. A fast express of the Philadelphia & Reading, running on the New Jersey Central tracks, overtook and plowed into the rear of a local train. The latter had orders to proceed on the express track to Dunellen, and there take the outside, or No. 4, track. Shortly after receiving orders the train had to stop for a hot box, which delayed it so that when it got under way again it was due at Dunellen. The train had just started and was moving slowly, when Royal Blue, travelling apparently at full speed, which at that point usually approximates 65 miles an hour, crashed into the rear end.

Then fire broke out, many bodies and cars being destroyed. Two wrecking crews worked all night taking bodies from the wreck. In all 21 bodies were taken from the wreckage, and a number of identifications of bodies of persons residing in Plainfield have been made. W. H. Davis, the engineer of the Reading express, died today.

A policeman who aided in the work of rescue, made the following statement:—"I assisted in carrying Davis, the engineer, from the wreck. He was terribly injured. He said, 'I am responsible for the accident. I saw the danger signal, but expected it to turn white.'"

The wrecking crews at work trying to clear the tracks and get out bodies, were assisted by hundreds of persons from Westfield, Cranford, Plainfield, by the news of the collision. Bonfires were built of the wreckage, and old railroad ties to light up the scene. More than one thousand persons remained about the wreck all night, and there were many tearful scenes, as bodies were dug out of the wreckage and recognized by latives and friends.

New York, Jan. 29—Later details of the New Jersey railway horror, say that up to noon today the total loss of life was believed to be 26. Thirteen bodies had been identified, and ten were held at Plainfield for identification. From the wreckage 21 bodies were taken, and two men—W. E. Davis, engineer of the Philadelphia and Reading Express, and Thomas McCarthy, fireman of the same train—died in the hospital today. More than 60 persons were injured, some of them very severely The hospital reports today, however, were that, with one or two exceptions, all will recover.

The blame for the dreadful occurrence is placed on the officials of the Jersey Central on W. E. Davis, engineer of the Philadelphia and Reading Express, and according to a policeman who took Davis from the wrecked engine, Davis admitted that he had taken chances, disregarding the danger signals displayed, expecting to see the red and green lights change to white as he neared them. They did not change. It was too late to stop, and change, and in an instant the crash came, carrying death to more than a score of human beings. The scenes following the wreck were unusually horrible, because, as the cars were splintered almost to kindling wood by the force of the collision hot coals from the engine poured from the fire box and the wood was soon burning fiercely. An east bound train then ran into the wreckage of the other two and added to the loss of life.

THE BIGGEST BATTLESHIP

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London, Jan. 29—The Government has invited tenders for the construction of an 18,000 ton battleship, which will eclipse anything in the world.

THE LIQUOR QSESTION

Strong Temperance Vote May Force Premier Ross to Act

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 28—Premier Ross, it is understood, in Government circles, has decided to act on the mandate of the 199,000 odd electors who supported the Liquor Act in the recent referendum vote, and will introduce some further drastic measure of temperance legislation at the coming session of the House. He is persuaded that the prohibition sentiment of the province is too strong to be ignored. Just what form the legislation will take is yet to be determined The Premier has friends who favor Government control, but his own sentiments are understood to be against any step of this kind and the militant temperance are as *bitterly* opposed to this system as they are to the license system. The Premier, however, when he spoke of the responsibility of the Legislature, probably had in mind the occasion when the Hardy ministry was defeated in committee by a majority of 22, on the small measure of restriction and the coming session will probably see a strong lobby by the liquor party against any radical legislation.

Victim Blew out Gas

Hamilton, Jan. 29—T. Johnston, a well-to-do resident of Port Dover, and his wife, nearly lost their lives through blowing out the gas at the Simcoe Hotel Hamilton, last night. Not only was their room, but the whole house was filled with the deadly gas. Both are ill today, but will recover.

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THE COUNTY COUNCIL

The Business Transacted at the January Session

Wednesday Morning's Session—Committees Appointed

The County Council went into session at ten o'clock, the Warden in the chair. All the members were present.

The minutes of the last session were read and adopted.

Councillor Johnston submitted the report of the committee to strike the Standing committees. It was as follows:

The committee appointed to strike the Standing committees for the year 1903 beg leave to report, recommending as follows:

County Property — Messrs. Johnston, Moloney, Hunter, Peck and Menogue. Mr. Menogue to be chairman.

Appointments to Office — Messrs. Menogue, Johnston, Curtis and Shaw. Mr. Shaw to be chairman.

Roads and Bridges — Messrs. Peck, Johnston, Fitzgerald, Hunter, Shaw, Menogue, Buck, Curtis, Moloney. Mr. Fitzgerald to be chairman.

Schools — Messrs. Peck, Curtis, Fitzgerald, Buck and Moloney. Mr. Curtis to be chairman.

Petitions — Messrs. Johnston, Fitzgerald, Menogue, Shaw, Buck and Hunter. Mr. Hunter to be chairman.

Printing — Messrs. Shaw, Johnston, Menogue, Hunter and Buck. Mr. Buck to be chairman.

Finance — Messrs. Peck, Johnston, Fitzgerald, Hunter, Shaw, Menogue, Buck Curtis and Moloney. Mr. Peck to be chairman.

Equalization and Assessment — Messrs. Peck, Johnston, Fitzgerald, Hunter, Shaw, Menogue, Buck, Curtis, and Moloney. Mr. Moloney to be chairman.

Joint committee — Messrs. Menogue, Curtis, Peck, Moloney, Johnston, and Shaw. Mr. Johnston to be chairman.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

T. J. JOHNSTON,
Chairman.

The report was adopted.

The Warden announced that he had a *number of letters from* treasurers of the various municipalities, stating the amount paid by them to the County Treasurer *during* the year.

The letters were referred to the Finance committee.

Upon motion of Mr. Peck, seconded by Mr. Fitzgerald, council adjourned and went into committee work.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The County Council went into session at two o'clock.

A deputation from Hiawatha was on motion first heard.

Mr. Davis, a trustee of the Hiawatha school, said he would like to have a new school built there, the present one having been condemned by the Health Inspector, and the section is now practically without a school.

Mr. Troop said there was no school in the section; there certainly was a temporary building, which had been condemned. It would only hold 18 scholars and the teacher. At present, he remarked, there were 30 scholars attending this school. To get a proper school section a portion of the Indian Reserve must be obtained. This question had been before the Council at previous sessions.

Mr. Mather said that a new teacher and a new school were badly needed, but that no other teacher could be obtained. The school was, he said, in a shocking state. The Indians were quite willing to give up some of their reserve.

Mr. Thompson said the school had been re-fitted, inside and out only seven years ago and he did not see how the school could be in such a shocking state as is alleged.

Mr. Gray said that Mr. Thompson was the first one to ask for a new school seven years ago, and now did not want one.

Mr. Troop read the minutes of a special meeting of the School Board, held in Feb., 1876, and said all that is wanted is a fair site for a school house, some children had to walk three miles to school, he thought the best thing would be to belong to another section.

Mr. Fitzgerald moved that the question be brought before the School committee. This was done.

Dr. Gray wanted the County Council to allow him to appoint a stenographer *for* inquests, as it would be a great saving to the county.

Mr. Hunter said that the western people died natural deaths, and required no inquests, and moved that it be referred to the Finance committee.

MR. CULVERWELL KICKS BACK

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—Permit me to reply to a letter over the alias "Peter" in a Peterborough issue of the 28th inst., which is directed at me.

Whatever J. Alexander Culverwell has done or endeavored to do to benefit Peterborough, and therefore his own interests, all has been done openly and above board, and not like the cur, who snarling and snapping, escapes a well-merited and thoroughly expected kick owing to the darkness in which he has ensconced himself.

Any who have read my letters in the press, must see instead of instructions, only suggestions anent the annexation of Ashburnham and the incorporation of both into the "City of Peterborough," which I hoped might meet the views of the Councils and citizens of both communities.

That my suggestions, as well as those of others viewing the future from the same standpoint as myself, have borne fruit, is proven by the energetic action of the Mayor, Reeve, members of both Councils, and citizens of Peterborough (and Ashburnham, and last, but not least, our local press, and which has no doubt disturbed the bile of our "Peter," and his disciples, if any there be.

As to his reference to the "Hamlet on the bank of the untamed Otonabee," I may say that it is citizens of like calibre to "Peter" who would make such conditions possible.

If "Peter" objects to what I have not accomplished in Peterborough, doubtless the more I will accomplish, such as bringing factories to Peterborough and and furnishing them with cheap water-power, the greater will be my offence to him.

Unfortunately for my business transactions there was already too much of the "untamed" Otonabee in and around Peterborough better geographically situated than my portion, and instead, therefore, of running into opposition with these several idle developed and undeveloped water powers, I "made haste slowly" rather than run into useless competition. "Peter" will now, no doubt, be sorry to learn that the days of waiting are past, and the many dollars, that I and my associates have invested in deeds of water power property, and in advertising Peterborough, will return a good interest.

In conclusion, I have never claimed that I brought the "Alladin Lamp" condition of manufacturing to Peterborough, which "Peter" describes, but I do think that I have ever had the interest of Peterborough at heart, and have made it at least a little better known to the outside manufacturing world, and who knows but that also possibly others have been awakened to the fact that there was "a good thing" in the great quantities of "untamed" Otonabee lying in and at Peterborough, and which is now being at last utilized, and is probably producing "that good thing."

Again the end is not yet.

Permit me to decline at once and forever the honor "Peter" would confer upon me in naming the new proposed City of Peterborough either "Alexandria" or "Culverwell." "Peterborough" is good enough for me.

J. ALEXR. CULVERWELL.

LUMBERMAN SERIOUSLY HURT

Pat Sweeny, in the Dickson Co's Employ Meets With Accident

On Tuesday last Pat Sweeney, an employee of the Dickson Company, arrived home from the Glamorgan camp in a serious condition. It appears he was driving a team attached to a big load of saw logs, and while descending a small declivity the binding chain gave way and the logs rolled off the sleigh. Several of them fell on Sweeney, and pinned him down in the snow. When released it was found that his back had been severely sprained, and indications pointed to internal injuries as well.

DEATH OF JUDGE M'DOUGALL

The Father of Mrs. "Dr." Young Dies Suddenly in St. Catharines

The sad intelligence was received yesterday morning of the death of Judge McDougall, of Toronto, by his daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Young.

It appears that the Judge and Mrs. McDougall went up to St. Catharines on Friday last, in the hope that the Judge, who had been in poor health for some time, would recuperate. His illness was due to overwork.

Mrs. McDougall was awakened by her husband moaning. Dr. Radcliffe was immediately summoned, but when he arrived the Judge had passed away.

Dr. and Mrs. Young went up to Toronto on the evening train.

ON A FIRM FOOTING

An Effort Being Made to Re-Organize Central Exhibition

The adjourned meeting of the West Peterborough Agricultural Society will be held in the Council Chamber on Wednesday next. The Times is pleased to notice that strenuous efforts are being made to place the society on a firm footing, and it is not unlikely that a prominent and influential citizen will be induced to accept the presidency. It is difficult to understand the apathy existing on matters of such vital importance to the general prosperity of the town. The geographical situtation of Peterborough is such that we ought to be able to provide one of the finest agricultural exhibitions in Canada. No noble task was ever easy, but we think it only requires the enthusiastic energies of our townsmen to bring about effective reforms. We hope that the initiative will be made, by a large and enthusiastic gathering at the Council Chambers on Wednesday evening. As a pure matter of business the influential men of the town should lend their valuable assistance to the reorganization of the society, that Peterborough may demonstrate its zeal in a matter of such vital importance to the welfare of the town and county.

A REAL NEED

A New Band Stand should be Built in Victoria Park

At the adjourned annual meeting of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society, of which an account was given in Wednesday's issue of The Times, remonstrant voices were raised concerning the condition of the band stands in our parks. We consider the complaints were timely. Of the two present stands in Victoria Park, the one lacks the necessary accommodation, while the other is fast falling to decay. We have in Peterborough one of the finest bands that any town in Canada can boast of, and therefore we think our appreciation of this distinction should take a practical form by using our efforts to provide a suitable stand for the use of those who ably contribute to our pleasure. The present stands are neither ornamental nor useful and could therefore be dispensed with without a sigh for their loss. What is now necessary is a Bandstand erected on modern scientific principles that would give scope to the instrumentalists to do justice to their fine art. This is a need the town should immediately consider. Mr. Gliddon would no doubt be ready with many useful and practical suggestions, and we know of no man more capable to aid the Council in the work.

At the Opera

A large audience greeted the return of Mark's Bros Dramatic and Vaudeville Co to the local Opera House last evening, after a too long absence. This company has reached that stage of popularity when great things are expected, but it is only fair to say they more than sustained their reputation on this present occasion.

"At the Point of the Sword" was the attraction presented, and the audience appeared well pleased at each effort made for their entertainment. It is hard to single out for praise where so many were worthy, but we cannot refrain from expressing pleasure at the delightful acting of Miss May A. Bell Marks in the part of Nadine, the Gypsy Queen. The olio with which the program was interspersed was of a very high order and would constitute an excellent entertainment in itself. We have little doubt the present visit of this popular combination will prove both pleasant and profitable

—The Lindsay Oddfellows arrived last evening at 8.15 by special train to visit Peterborough Lodge, No. 111.

WILL MEET THE FARMERS IN MANY MARKET TOWNS

The Tour of Canada's Sturdy Western Men Being Arranged in England on an Extensive Scale---Will Boom Immigration

London, Jan. 29—Lord Strathcona was present last night at a dinner at the Hotel Cecil, given by members of the West India Club, and proposed the toast of "Prosperity of the West Indies."

To Welcome Canadian Farmers.

The tour of Canadian farmers is awaited with great interest here. Mr. W. T. R. Preston, Canadian Immigration Superintendent, is now arranging for visits to all market towns, where some farmers will lecture, meet inquirers, and describe Western Canada at first hand. The project is expected to be of great service in stimulating emmigration, which promises well for the spring. Other authorities urge the necessity of careful selection of the Manitoba delegates, especially avoiding political nominees.

The Footballers.

Today's papers note the well-contested game of the Canadians and Oxford. The Canadians were best forward, and Oxford showed good combination and backs. The Daily Chronicle says the Canadians cannot be regarded as having failed entirely in scoring a try to one goal, two tries. Even the best clubs in England experience difficulty in holding their own with the Varsities' playing at home, and adds that the Canadians are hardly up to first-class form, but are improving, and are seen at their best in open work.

New C.P.R. Steamer.

The Canadian Pacific steamer Princess Victoria, for the Vancouver and Victoria service, made an excellent trial trip and a speed of 18 3-4 knots was maintained in very stormy weather during the four hours' trial. The steamer sails for Vancouver to-day via the Straits of Magellan.

The new Canadian Government immigration offices will be ready at the end of next month. They are still awaiting the internal fittings. This time the delay is due to Canadian, not British workmen.

CANADA'S COURSE A HINT TO AFRICA

Had Better Teach the Kaffirs, West Indian Outlook

DECLARED TO BE SEADILY IMPROVING

Prospect of Less Taxes—Britain's Voice Against Kaffir Slavery

London, Jan. 29—A leading article in The *Morning Post (Conservative)*, dealing with the Canadian Indian, praises the Indian agents and missionaries and calls the reserves an admirable system. The Indian himself, it says, is a hobbledehoy among the racial types of today. This paper urges the Government to apply the Canadian system to the Kaffirs, saying that the Government's first duty is to teach the Kaffir to work for himself, as the Canadians teach their Indians.

A West India Banquet.

The West Indian Club entertained Sir Marcus Samuel, the Lord Mayor, at the Hotel Cecil last night. The Lord Mayor said he believed the colonies were drawing into federation, because of trade interests. Lord Strathcona, the Canadian High Commissioner, proposed prosperity to the West Indies. Sir Alfred Jones, in the course of his speech, said he believed the West Indies had turned the corner, and that Mr. Chamberlain was doing his best to bring the British possessions into touch under the imperial flag.

Lower Taxes Possible.

The Right Hon. Charles J. Ritchie, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in a speech yesterday, hinted at a possible reduction in the strength of the standing army, and also a possible reduction in the taxes of the next budget. He said the war and its after expenses were enormous and continuous. Also was England's hope of free trade.

No Slavery Allowed.

Mr. H. H. Asquith, who was Home Secretary in the last Gladstone Ministry, and also in the Rosebery Ministry, said, in a speech yesterday, that the settled judgment of the British Empire was resolutely opposed to the establishment or recognition in South Africa, under any name of open or disguised slavery. This certainly is the general opinion here, and is made stronger by the opposition of the mine-owners to the importation of British labor. Mr. Leopold Albu, one of these magnates says: "We've lived on sintiment for four years, now let us have business and 300,000 Chinamen."

A Literary M.P.'s Divorce.

Mr. Henry Norman, the author and M.P. for Wolverhampton got a divorce this afternoon from his wife, who is the authoress of many novels. The suit was undefended. The co-respondent was Mr. Fitzgerald, who is also an author. Mr. Norman spent some months in Canada once, writing it up for the Pall Mall Gazette. He is one of London's best-known journalists.

The Aberdeens.

The Aberdeens continue to take the keenest interest in Canada. The Countess will read a paper before the Society of Arts on February 18 on "Women in Canada."

Colonies Want Contracts.

Leonard Courtney writes on the position of the Colonial representatives here, urging the War Office to revise its methods in army contracts, and representing that as the forms for meat contracts in South Africa were not obtainable in Canada and Australasia, it was impossible to send colonial tenders. He urges that in order to secure real competition, the War Office must issue the conditions of contract tender forms in sufficient time to enable Canadian and Australasian contractors to tender direct.

Speculation in Food Supply.

Regarding the new Imperial Food Supplies Company, it is announced today that a subsidiary company has been successfully floated in Cape Town, with a capital of $400,000, which will commence operations immediately, with frozen meat and other produce. The Westminster Gazette asks, "Are we not for the present getting perilously near the borderline of sense in relation to speculations in food supply?"

London, Jan. 29—From Berlin The Times correspondent sends word that the German capital appears to be hopeful, as it certainly is desirous that the Washington negotiations may be brought to a speedy and favorable issue. Dissatisfaction with the present situation finds expression wherever semi-official influences are not able to affect the attitude of the press. The Frankfurter Zeitung regards Venezuela as a fresh example of the lack of "la main heureuse," in Germany's foreign policy; "we are taking pains to cultivate friendships all over the world," said this newspaper, "we want too many friends and our wooing is too importunate. The result is that we impair friendships we already have and consequently none is our sincere friends and we encounter mistrust in all quarters."

Nordhausen, Prussian Saxony, Jan. 29—Prince Wolfgang Zu Stolberg-Stolberg, who was found shot in the head early Tuesday in the park of his castle at Rottleberode, probably committed suicide. His father lay dead in the castle of Stolberg, and the son started to drive from his own castle at Rottleberode to spend the night by his father's body. The Prince took a hunting rifle with him in the carriage. As the family explains, it was his custom to shoot game during his drive. While his carriage was still in Rottleberode Park, the Prince told the driver to stop, got out and walked, carrying his rifle into the thick woods. The driver later heard a shot, and waited a long time for the Prince's return. Then the men searched the woods and found the Prince dead, shot in the head, and his hands still clutching the rifle.

The Prince, who was 52 years of age, was the hereditary member of the Prussian House of Lords. His father was elevated from the rank of count to that of Prince this year. The bodies of the father and son will likely be buried side by side.

General - Sports

The Young Lady hockeyists had a practice yesterday afternoon.

Belleville, Woodstock, and Barrie will be the storm centers in the intermediate O. H. A. hockey to-night. Port Hope, Woodstock and Collingwood can create a tie in their respective districts by winning their matches. Woodstock plays Stratford at home, while Port Hope and Collingwood play on foreign ice.

The T.A.A. will play their return game with Lakefield tonight if ice can be obtained.

Much interest is being centered in the Belleville and Port Hope game tonight, which takes place on the former's ice. The Belleville team lead in this district, and Port Hope must win to have a look in, as the loss of tonight's game gives Belleville the district. Should Port Hope lose Belleville will be booked to play Prescott. Mr. E. H. Taller will referee the game at Belleville.

The draft of proposed arrangements for the second round of the O. H. A. is as follows:

SENIOR.

Wellingtons and Sault Ste Marie—At the Soo, February 7; at Toronto February 14.

INTERMEDIATE.

1. Prescott with Belleville or Port Hope.
2. Port Perry with Marlboros or Niagara Falls.
3. St. Georges II. or Newmarket with Orangeville.
4. Owen Sound with Listowel.
5. Gravenhurst with Blind River.
6. Stratford or Collingwood with 7th London.
7. Barrie or Collingwood with Paris or Galt.

JUNIOR.

1. Frontenac Beachgroves with Cobourg or Port Hope.
2. Marlboros II. with Varsity III.
3. Barrie I. with Penetang or Midland II.
4. St. Andrews with Stratford or Owen Sound.

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CANADA'S IMMEDIATE NEEDS

A correspondent who styles himself "A Mere Englishman," contributes the following:

"The three matters most worthy of immediate consideration for Canada are Education, Transportation, and Population." So remarked the Hon. Geo. W. Ross in an important speech delivered the other evening at a private banquet at the Toronto Club. To my mind, population is the solution of Canada's future greatness, for given the population, the wealth, and therefore the prosperity of the country would increase.

Truly your artizan may need some education in the production of first-class goods so as to give Canada a worthy place in the markets of the world; but I think with the hon. gentleman, that it is more the people of Great Britain who need educating in the wonderful resources and possibilities of the Dominion. The ignorance that prevails in the old land as to her greatest colony is truly appalling, but there cannot be an effect without a cause! What is the cause? There are thousands of enterprising and ambitious men in Great Britain to-day, who, if they only knew what they could gain by the emigration, would not hesitate to make the change. But they lack the confidence, not in themselves, but in the truth of the statements made. So many "bogies" have found their way across the waters, that they fear to give up their positions, on the principle that a bird-in-hand is worth two in the bush. Like the experienced desert traveller they are no longer inclined to chase the mirage, deeming it water, and need something more than bare statements and dull statistics to arouse them to action.

The Government have shown, and still are showing, that they are prepared for the expenditure of a considerable sum of money to bring about the desired results; but whether the present means will accomplish the object is a question open to dispute.

It was recently published that forty farmers were to be sent to England in the spring to assist in the emigration campaign. This certainly appears to us a move in the right direction. Yet still the question arises: are they the right people. What the British farmer wants is conviction, and in order to bring him to that state of mind he must be approached by persons in whom he can trust. If the afore-mentioned farmers are men who emigrated from England, then they may go into the districts where they were formerly known, and wield a mighty influence. But on the other hand, if they are strangers to the people they are being sent to influence their success appears to me doubtful.

From the larger cities of the Old Land, as well as in the rural districts, a useful mass of emigrants can be drawn, and the attention of the Government may profitably be turned towards influencing numerous sturdy and industrious young men whose ambitions are dwarfed through the cruel competitive system resulting from overcrowding. It is not only British gold that is needed in Canada, but British brains, energy and usefulness. This has been proved by the success of our forefathers who assisted to make Canada what she is to-day. Your industries are crying for more help, your farmers are embarrassed for the want of help, and your prairies invite the ploughman and the harvesters. These are facts all are prepared to acknowledge. The need, therefore, is a suitable class of men to occupy these positions. This need can be supplied without drawing wholesale from foreign-speaking nations, or even inviting the assistance of the United States. In my humble opinion, it only means a better system of handling the young blood of Great Britain, who once aware of the opportunities open to them would gladly avail themselves of the undoubted opportunities Canada affords them.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

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It is related that before the last solar eclipse the colonel of a German regiment of infantry sent for his sergeants and observed: "There will be an eclipse of the sun to-morrow. The regiment will meet on the parade grounds in undress. I will come and explain the eclipse before drill. If the day is cloudy the men will meet in the drill shed as usual." Whereupon the sergeants drew up the following order of the day: "To-morrow morning, by order of the colonel, there will be an eclipse of the sun. The regiment will assemble on parade ground, where the colonel will come and superintend the eclipse in person. If the sky is cloudy the eclipse will take place in the drill shed."

DISTRICT NEWS

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS

APSLEY.

—There is plenty of snow here, and sleighing is good.

—Mr. C. R. D. Booth was re-elected by acclamation on Monday last, as Reeve of Burleigh, etc. Mr. Booth is the right man in the right place.

—Our M.H.O. is very fond of fishing, winter or summer, and lately has been getting in a supply of minnows as bait for salmon. The creek below his residence is in places not very safe any time of the year, and the Dr., while walking down to procure a fresh supply, forgot or mistook the exact place where the ice was thin and broke through where the water was very deep—some nine feet, he says—but was saved by the aid of the ice chisel from going quite to the bottom. Still he found the water both wet and cold. He has quite recovered from the effects of his sudden bath. Ned says he, the Dr., tried Presbyterianism and Methodism, but concluded both put up such poor communion wine that he would rather take water and join the Baptists.

FROM COAST TO COAST

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Editor of the Morning Times:

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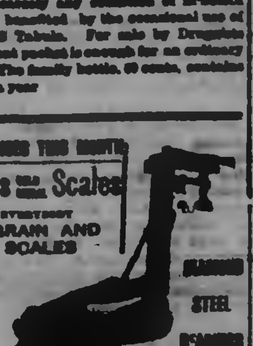

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laughed at. I fancied you would deem me foolish and quixotic, so I decided to go on my quest alone."

Cecil accepted the explanation in silence, but his heart was heavy with pain. He had become possessed of the idea that Sir Wilfred had won Hilda's heart. The thought was torture to him, yet he was forced to endure it without a sign of his pain. He stood silently with downcast eyes, unconscious that Hilda now and then regarded him with a gravely questioning glance, as if in wonder that he seemed so calm and cold.

"My lord," said Lady Leigh, as she kissed the cheek of the earl's granddaughter fondly. "I confess freely that it was I that designed Hilda's costume. I knew the resemblance could not fail to strike you anyhow, but to make sure of drawing your attention I dressed her like the twin to Ethel's picture."

"It was a happy thought," laughed the earl, "but it did not need the aid of dress to assure me of her kinship to the race. I suspected it as soon as I entered the gallery."

"What shall we do about Florence?" asked pretty, timid Mrs. Courtenaye, feeling a little sorry for the fair impostor who had loved her son.

"Aylesford must take her away from here to-morrow," said the earl, decidedly. "I cannot endure the sight of her. I always had some vague distrust of Florence. I never loved her. I could not force myself to it. The force of her wickedness is almost repugnant to me. If I could forgive all else, I could never pardon her heartless attempt to drown Hilda."

"Who told you of that?" they all cried out at once.

For answer the earl related the conversation he had overheard between the two girls that morning. Hilda looked distressed, but Cecil immediately confirmed the truth of her accusation against Florence.

"I saw it all through the willows," he said. "She deliberately tried to drown you."

"Oh! How wicked and terrible!" Mrs. Courtenaye cried, with a shudder. "I could scarcely have believed it of Florence, who seemed so sweet and winning."

"She has a devil's heart beneath an angel's face," said the earl with impatient wrath. "It is a wonder I did not suspect this imposition long ago, seeing how Aylesford clung to her, and how fond she was of him. But it is all as clear as daylight now."

"Is it not possible that the crafty Aylesford may attempt to take Hilda away from you, and deny your claim?" exclaimed Lady Leigh.

But the terrible flash in the dark eyes of the earl augured ill for Aylesford should he dare to attempt it.

The twilight shadows were beginning to lengthen long and dark over the beautiful pictured face of Lady Ethel, and they all adjourned to the drawing-room to discuss the event of the evening in all its bearings.

At dinner neither Mr. Aylesford nor Florence intruded their unwelcome presence. They were conspicuously absent from the family circle, but their absence boded no good.

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In "the dead waste and middle of the night" the terrible cry of "murder" rang through the long, dark corridors of Locksley Hall.

In a minute all was excitement and bustle. They rushed to the earl's room, from whence the sound had proceeded, and found the aged but hale old man sitting upright in his bed, and grappling with a slender, wiry-looking man with bushy black beard and hair.

It was terrible to see them struggling so frantically there, the yellow light of the night-lamp shining fitfully on a huge knife that gleamed in the hand of the would-be murderer.

They pulled the assassin away from his victim and bound him with stout thongs, while others cared for the earl, who cried out that he had been stabbed by the villain.

"I do not believe it is a fatal wound," said Sir Wilfred, who examined it carefully, after he had sent off in haste for the nearest surgeon.

But knowing how old the earl was, he felt uneasy. He knew he could not recuperate as easily as a younger man.

"Wilfred, tear off the villain's wig and false whiskers," said the earl faintly. "It is Aylesford in disguise."

Sir Wilfred hastened to obey him, and found that he had spoken truly. The would-be assassin was Mr. Aylesford, who crouched upon the floor shivering with terror, found out in his villainy at last.

The earl raised his night-capped head and pale face from the pillow and demanded, sternly:

"Aylesford, you craven wretch, why did you steal upon me in the darkness of night and try to murder me?"

"Because I hated you," was the bold reply, "and wanted you dead before your imbecile whim of repudiating your own granddaughter, and taking an impostor in her place, could be consummated."

"What, do you still persist in claiming that Florence is Guy Aylesford's daughter?" exclaimed Cecil Courtenaye, astonished at the villain's hardihood.

"Yes, I do persist in it," said Aylesford, unblushingly. "Florence is the daughter of Guy Aylesford and Lady Ethel, and I will maintain it with my dying breath."

"Aylesford, how dare you persist in such a wicked untruth!" cried the earl. "No falsehood can avail you now, or help your cause. The law will punish you for your attempt upon my life, and I shall send Florence away. Confess the truth that Hilda is my own granddaughter, and you shall go free. I will not hand you over to the law."

"I will not buy my freedom at the expense of my truth," cried Aylesford, with a hypocritical air of honesty. "Florence is your granddaughter, and I will swear to it and prove it before any court in the land. You have accepted her as your granddaughter, and you will find it hard to repudiate her now. I will make it so hard for you that you will never succeed in shaking her off."

His evilly triumphant tone impressed them all with a vague dread. Sir Wilfred looked depressed and uneasy, Cecil indignant. The earl began to realize that, after all, it might not be so easy as he thought to shake off the vampire that had fastened upon him. The men servants that had come in to assist the earl had got an inkling of the matter, and whispered eagerly together. The wretch saw that he had gained an advantage over his opponents.

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Railway Mail Service, Office of Assistant Superintendent Fifth Division. Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 5th, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 3rd inst., enclosing check for my balance, $125.00, and for my friend Chesley, of $51.56, which I have turned over to him. This is a very handsome profit on less than a month's transactions, on $100.00 investment in corn.

I appreciate your kindness very much, indeed, in closing the account so promptly following my request to do so.

Very truly yours,
HARRY E. FIRST.

Room 421, Government Building.
Baxter, Ohio, Dec. 4th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I have received your check for $112.50, amount I made by investing $25.00 in December corn and holding it about twenty days.

Thanking you for your good judgment in buying December corn at low price for me, and selling it at the very highest price, I remain yours very respectfully.

H. S. DOWNS.

Montreal, Can., Dec. 3rd., 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your favor of the 29th ult., with enclosure, came to hand yesterday, but I was so busy that I could not find time to reply to same until today.

I note your remarks regarding December corn, that you sold my holdings and invested the same, with profits, in May corn, which, under the circumstances, was and is satisfactory.

I also note your remarks regarding May corn, and leave you the handling of same, as you may think best and most profitable.

Awaiting your further favors, I remain yours truly,
W. H. LOVE.

Sacramento, Cal., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
214-222 Rialto Building,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received two letters from you today, which inform me that you have, according to my instructions, sold my holdings in December corn and bought 2,500 bushels of May corn at 43 cents, on a margin of 2 cents. This means a profit of $31.88 in fifteen days on an investment of $25.00, which, I must say, is very satisfactory to me, as it is my first venture in margins in grain or any other like investment.

Kindly continue to re-invest as your judgment dictates. I am satisfied to have you make the investment earn what it can.

Again thanking you, I am
Respectfully yours,
[illegible]

Ann Harbor, Mich., Dec. 4th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—In reply to yours of Nov. 29th (which would have been answered before this, but for the sickness of the writer), you did exactly what you should have done, and I hereby authorize you to make such moves in the matter as you think would be for my best interest, always saving me from loss, if possible.

I am well pleased over your action in the above deal, and hope to see you soon and express my thanks to you in person.

Very truly yours,
H. F. STURTEVANT.

Training Station,
Newport, R.I., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I received your letter of Nov. 29th, and approve of your action in selling my holdings in December corn and purchase of May instead.

Wishing you luck in selling and buying when you think best, I am,

Very respectfully,
BENJAMIN SMITH.

Armada, Mich., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favor of the 29th ult. received, and I hasten to reply. I have just arrived home and I am well pleased with the way you have handled my investment in December corn and with the handsome profits; also with your having disposed of the same and investing in May corn (the confirmatory for which I have received).

I wish to heartily thank you all for the deserving and kindly interest you have taken in my welfare. I have every confidence in you and your abilities. Do with the May deal as your best judgment would indicate would be best for me, and I wish you every success in it.

I also wish to thank you for sending me "The St. Louis Star."

Very sincerely yours,
D. H. WILSON.

Evanston, Wyo., Dec. 2nd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of Nov. 26th, enclosing draft for $827.80, at hand, with advice of $300.00 as margin on 15,000 bushels May corn, and appreciate the way you have managed the business, as you did not sell me out when I expected you could, but protected my interest to a good advantage, as above proceeds go to show.

I thank you for your good judgment in handling the business.

Yours truly, CHARLES STONE.

Rutland, Vt., December, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your letter at hand this morning, and I want to say that you are "true blue" all the way through— I'll bet my last dollar on you.

I sent a telegram for more May corn and I have got $25.00 here for you to remargin if it goes down. DON'T FORGET THIS for I want to wire; and if it comes to a pinch you can have more than $25 to protect the $50.00.

I am glad I have found someone to depend on, at least, and am more than obliged to you.

Thanking you, I am, sincerely,
40 Elm street. JEAN FISHER.

Hughesville, Pa., Dec. 11, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of your favor of the 8th inst., enclosing me your company's check for balance due me in full for which I thank you.

I appreciate the manner in which you served me in this transaction, and I assure you I will give you an order shortly for some May corn. What is your present opinion of this delivery?

I miss very much the copy of your evening paper you so kindly sent me, but which has been discontinued.

I will be very glad to receive, at your earliest opportunity, your advices.

Yours very truly,
CHAS. E. MOSSER.

Cleveland, Nov. 22nd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of your valued favor of the 20th, also check for $111.44 covering in full my account. My trading with your firm has been very satisfactory, and I thank you for the manner in which you have handled my account.

Yours very truly,
F. E. HALL.

Saugerties, N.Y., Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the check for $890.43, in full of my account. I want to thank you for your good advice in regard to purchasing this December corn, also the prompt and satisfactory way you have handled my account. I only regret that I did not take your further advice not to withdraw quite so soon, and I would have acknowledged receipt of a check for $1,090.43.

Again thanking you, I am, yours truly,
ADAM W. ELIAS,
per H. T. K.

Belleville, Ill., Nov. 26th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Yours of the 24th received, with check for $103.13, in payment of $25.00 which I entrusted to you October 21st to buy December corn, which you sold November 21st, with a net profit of $78.13—my check from you today showing the same, for which you will please accept my sincere thanks. My only regret is that I did not make a larger investment, as per your advice.

Truly yours, M. W. CARTER.

Slaterville Springs, N.Y., Nov. 25, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen—I have your favor of the 21st, enclosing check for $344.11, margin and profit on December corn. My profit of $219.11 on an investment of $125.00, made in less than a month, is certainly due to the way you handled the account.

Yours very truly,
A. J. SLATER.

Bobcaygeon, Ont., Nov. 22nd, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your letter and account duly received, for which accept thanks. I wired you this morning to forward by check my deposit and also profits, total of $98.88.

This is a very handsome showing for a $25.00 investment for ten days, and I assure you that you shall do business for me again, and also, many of my friends.

Yours very truly,
JOHN CONWAY.

Sharpsburg, Iowa, Nov. 25th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:
Hugh Dennis, President.

Dear Sir,—You cannot imagine my surprise upon receiving your personal check for last week's profit, and then upon receiving check for this week's profits, makes me completely satisfied that you do business upon a solid basis, and I can almost GUARANTEE any one of profits if they make a deposit with you.

Very respectfully,
J. J. UNDERWOOD.

Ravenna, Neb., Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received yours of the 22nd with check for $64.88, and I note that you say you have invested the $105.00 in 3,500 bushels of May corn for me.

Please accept my sincere thanks for the $109.38 which you made for me on the $50.00 investment. Had I left you alone, as I should have done, you would have made me nearly $300.00 in the three weeks; but I am satisfied with what you have done.

Hoping you will do as well, or better, with my May corn, and again thanking you, I am yours truly,

J. VALEK.

Whipple Barracks, Ariz., Nov. 21, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received your telegram last evening saying that you had sold the corn that I had directed (9,000 bushels) at 67 3-4. I thank you for your promptness and success with the order. If you have not already done so, on receipt of this, please send me the entire proceeds from this sale by check, $766.40.

I will watch the market, and a little later will take a flyer in May corn.

I assure you of my appreciation of the faithful interest and good business judgment with which you have handled my investment and which insures me a nice little sum of Thanksgiving and Christmas money. Very sincerely,

E. E. HATCH.

Captain 18th Infantry.
Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 10th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I notice by the reports that corn is gradually on the rise. I am telling my friends how well you used me, and I hope you will hear from this city in the shape of a good amount to invest. I certainly boost you with all my might. If my May investment proves as good as did the December, I will be satisfied.

Kindly let me hear from you occasionally. Thanking you, I am yours truly.
328 Valentine R. W. WALES

Washington, D.C., Nov. 26, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your letter of 20th, enclosing check for $109.35, received.

The transaction was very satisfactory, and I thank you for its successful termination. Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. CAMPBELL.
1,543 T st., N.W.

National Military Home, Ohio,
November 22, 1902.

Hugh C. Dennis, Esq.
St. Louis, Mo.:

My Dear Major,— You are a daisy. Yours of the 21st, with account of sale and purchase, almost took away my breath, $83.19 and $67.00 in such a short time on the small investment is almost beyond comprehension.

Thanks to your grand success in dealing with the market, I now see my way out to pay a debt of honor I have been wanting to pay for a long time.

Please remit about $50 by American Express to Dayton, Ohio, and apply the rest due to me to more December or May corn, as your good, and almost infallible judgment may decide. I see from your purchase order that you have already bought 6,000 bushels of corn (May market.)

Thanking you for your kindness and hailing you as my benefactor, I am.

Most truly yours,
G. J. REICHE.

We told the public this last Spring about September and December Corn. We tell them the same thing now: **BUY MAY CORN**. Common sense and your own sound business judgment must tell you that May corn, bought now, will make for you enormous profits within the next sixty days. May corn will, we believe, reach a price higher than it has touched in twenty years for this option. We respectfully submit the following digest of a few of our customers' trades in December Corn. The Affidavit as to the correctness of these statements is made by our Assistant Auditor, Mr. W. Arthur Clemes. What we did for our customers in **DECEMBER** Corn may be duplicated many times over by a purchase of **MAY** Corn at its present low price.

NAME.	P. O. ADDRESS.	DATE INVESTMENT.	AMOUNT	CHECK TO BAL. SENT.
L. Smith	West Point, Ia.	Invested Oct. 10th,	$200.00	Check sent 12-3
		Closed Dec. 3rd,	549.22	$549.22
Leo. F. Hugle	New Rochelle, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 21st,	150.00	
		" Nov. 18th,	100.00	Check sent 12-3
		Closed Dec. 3rd,	639.37	$639.37
Ellis C. Richardson	Kalmarnock, Va.	Invested Oct. 9th,	200.00	Check sent 11-28
		Closed Nov. 18th,	875.00	$875.00
H. C. Bell	Box 72, Marion, O.	Invested Nov. 5th,	200.00	Check sent 11-26
		" Nov. 12th,	100.00	$1,075.00
		" Nov. 14th,	200.00	Check sent 11-29
		Closed Nov. 21st,	1,600.00	$525.00
Chas. Stone	Evanston, Wyo.	Invested Oct. 11th,	100.00	Check sent 11-26
$300 00 reinvested in May corn		Closed Nov. 17th,	1,127.80	$827.80
A. M Kenny	Utica, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	150.00	Check sent 11-28
		Closed Nov. 19th,	564.00	$654.35
Chas. O. Hirsching	Cleveland, O.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	30.00	
		" Oct. 21st,	150.00	Check sent 11-25
$100.00 reinvested in May Corn		Closed Nov. 20th,	1,020.00	$920.00
S. L. Miles	Gerry, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 17th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 27th,	100.00	Check sent 11-22
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.49	$766.49
W. P. Morgan	Gerry, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 17th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 27th,	100.00	Check sent 11-22
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.49	$766.49
C. S. Scudder	Huntington, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	200.00	Check sent 11-2
		Closed Nov. 20th,	850.00	$850.00
Capt. E. E. Hatch	Whipple Barracks Prescott, Ariz.	Invested Oct. 22nd,	180.00	Check sent 11-24
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.40	$766.40
B. S. Brooks	Glade Springs, Va.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	250.00	Check sent 11-20
		Closed Nov. 19th,	1,083.00	$1,083.00
A. W. Elias	Saugerties, N Y.	Invested Oct. 6th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 21st,	100.00	Check sent 11-21
		Closed Nov. 18th,	890.43	$890.43
M. J. Higley	Burlington, Ia.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	200.00	Check sent 11-21
$300.00 re-invested.		Closed Nov. 21st,	787.50	$487.50
Elmer Bristnall	Aurora, Ia.	Invested Oct. 9th,	100.00	Check sent 11-21
		Closed Nov. 17th,	664.56	$664.56
Geo. C. Wait	Watkins, N. Y.	Invested Nov. 5th,	172.00	Check sent 11-20
		Closed Nov. 18th,	622.00	$622.00

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
City of St. Louis. }

W. ARTHUR CLEMES, of lawful age, being duly sworn before me, on his oath says that he is the Assistant Auditor of and for the Rialto Grain and Securities Co. of the City of St. Louis; that he is familiar with the books of account of said Company, and that he has personally examined the accounts of the aforesaid persons, and that the statements thereof, as above set out, are true.

W. ARTHUR CLEMES.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this eighth day of December 1902. My term expires January 20th, 1903.

IRWIN WALKER, Notary Public in and for the City of St. Louis, Mo

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Oswego, Ill., Dec. 5th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your check for $108.13 received. Thank you very much for prompt and courteous attention to my correspondence and dealings.

I remain, gentlemen, very truly yours,
DR. THOS. B. DREW.

Santa Cruz, Cal., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your letter of the 28th ult. received, together with enclosure of draft for $426.50, and please accept my thanks for same.

I am very well pleased with your manipulation of my holdings, and can find absolutely no cause for complaint. At one time my case most certainly looked rather hopeless, but, thanks to your suggestions, on which I acted, you brought me through with flying colors, and I trust that our future business relations may prove as congenial and profitable as they have in the past.

Thanking you for the kind and just treatment that I have received at your hands, I remain very truly yours,
45 Locust St. E. R. FOSDICK.

Toledo, Ohio., Dec. 6th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of the 3rd, with check for $75.00 enclosed, was received today, and I want to say to you that I was agreeably surprised to receive it. I am more than pleased with your treatment of my investment. I have shown the check and your letter to my friends and told them if they had any idea of investing to place their money in your hands. My writing to you in the first place was an accident.

I assure you that I shall take great pleasure in recommending your firm for honest, upright dealing in every way. I trust that the investment you have made me will be one-half as successful as the one just settled.

Again thanking you for your kindness in the transaction, and if nothing happens after the holidays you may expect to hear from me, together with some of my friends.

Wishing you a merry Christmas and a happy New Year and many years of prosperity, I am,

Gratefully yours,
328 Valentine Bldg. R. W. WALES.

Little Falls, N.Y., Dec. 1st, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received your favor of the 29th ult. today, with statement and remittance of my account, for which I thank you.

I also wish to express my appreciation of your fair dealing with me, and say that I am much pleased with the large profit you made for me.

In closing I would ask, on what do you base your opinion that May corn will be much higher.

Yours very truly,
EDWIN L. HALL.

Rockland, Me., Dec. 2nd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I have your letter of the 29th ult, and note with much satisfaction the result of the investment in December corn.

The investment which you have made in May corn is in keeping with my advices to use your own judgment about this investment.

I hope the investment in May corn will be profitable. Yours truly.

E. S. FARWELL.

Tuscumbia, Ala., Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Many thanks for the deal. I drew on you today for $206.25, being the $50.00 I invested and $156.25 profits made by same, full amount of my credit. Please honor the draft, as I need the money for a few days only; then I will figure with you on a larger scale.

With thanks again, I am,
Yours very truly,
J. O. CLARK.

Glenwood, Iowa, Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,— I beg to acknowledge receipt of check for $109.00, in settlement of my account.

Am pleased to say that the business which you have done for me has been in every way satisfactory and resulted in a very nice profit for me.

You will, in a short time, again have me on your lost of customers.

Thanking you, I am, truly yours,
A. R. SCHIER.

Utica, N.Y., Nov. 23rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I wired you November 20th to sell my account out at 56 cents and wire remittance. Yesterday I received by mail statement of my account, showing a profit of $42.19 on my $25.00 investment.

I am very much pleased with the way you have handled my account. Will buy May corn later. Respectfully yours,

WALTER A. HARRIS.
33 Genesee St. Secretary.

Watertown, N.Y., Dec. 5th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of Dec. 3d, enclosing draft for $75.64, received, for which accept my sincere thanks. I wrote to you last night asking reason for your delay in sending same, but received yours this noon.

I feel that you did finely with my last investment of $25.00, and if we had understood each other better on my first, I can see where your handling would have made a few hundred on it, which I think is sufficient to prove to any one that your firm is sound and able.

I thank you again, and hope to be able to help you to more customers, and, may be, myself dabble again soon.

Yours sincerely,
1-3 High St. W. J KELLOCK.

Binghampton, N.Y., Dec. 5th. 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,— I am in receipt of your valued favor of the 4th and acknowledge receipt of check for $50.00, profits on December corn holdings. Also confirmation of purchase of May. Thank you very much for same. Thought one time I saw larger profits coming my way, but feel satisfied as it is, and am confident there will be something in May corn after a time. Protect it as you did my last December holdings, and I will remit margin, if necessary. When it goes up a fair gain, sell and remit whole amount.

Respectfully,
FRANCIS L. GREEN.

Bangor, Me., Nov. 28th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your valued favors of Nov. 24th and 25th came to me today, and I assure you that I thank you for them. You have convinced me that May corn is a very desirable purchase, and I wish that I had had more of it.

That you know what you are doing, as well as you know the future of corn goes without saying, and I am glad that I am tied up to your house, and before we are through I shall try to turn all the business towards you that I can, and I hope soon to make my own personal investments thousands instead of hundreds.

With best wishes, I am,
Yours cordially,
GEO. S. SILSBY.

Arapho, Okla., Nov. 21st, 1902.

Mr. H. C. Dennis,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your letter notifying me of the sale of my December corn, received; and to find I had actually doubled my money to a penny in about five days, you cannot imagine my surprise. That beats our western ways of making money. Here interest runs from 12 to 24 per cent, but that is not in it with December corn.

You must have misunderstood my letter ordering immediate sale—I meant to say, sell latter part of November, 28th or 29th, to avoid any delivery, and to rebuy December 2nd or 3rd to sell about December 20th. I am not in a financial condition to invest more now, but will likely invest in May corn more heavily in a short time. Use the original purchase together with the profits, to best advantage, using your best judgment, but avoid delivery.

Should I be able to deal heavier, I shall risk your judgment in the matter.

Trusting that good luck may continue with us, I am very truly yours.

W. C. HAWKINS.

Dr. Guillermo Vives, Oculist,
Ponce, Puerto Rico,
Ponce, Dec. 20th, 1902.

Mr. Hugh C. Dennis,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favors dated December 12th and 16th were duly received inclusive check for [illegible], I am very glad to state that the return I had for $100 invested was $322; a pretty fair amount for one month's outlay.

As I already took the liberty of writing you I will take great pleasure in sending you as soon as I possibly can, all the funds at my disposition.

In the meantime I am explaining your excellent method of doing business to my friends, and I am sure that they, as well, will give you a trial.

If it is not too much trouble for you I would be very much obliged if you would keep me informed about the movements of the market.

Giving you my best thanks for the careful and speedy attendance you have given my interests, I am,

Very respectfully,
GUILLERMO VIVES.

Inglewood, Ont., Can., Nov. 27th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your statement to hand, and I am well satisfied with your management of my account.

Kindly remit the profits, $ 22.50, and invest the remaining $25.00 in May corn at 41 1-2 to 43 cents, on a 2-cent margin.

Awaiting remittance, I am,
Yours truly
FRED HARTLEY.

Thomas H. Wright,
Attorney-at-Law and Authorized
United States Claims Attorney,
Bellefontaine, Ohio, Dec. 6th, 1902

Mr. Wm. Leftwich,
V. P., Rialto G. & S. Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your esteemed favor of the 4th inst. is just received. Accept my appreciation of the promptness and ability of your firm.

You will probably hear from me with more business at another time. I acknowledge receipt of enclosure, $171.52.

Very respectfully yours,
THOS. H. WRIGHT.

Office of J. F. McNulty, M.D.,
Callaway, Neb., Dec. 12th, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I desire to express to you my entire satisfaction with your manner of doing business with me. You have always promptly attended to my trades and they have proven profitable.

I find it not only a pleasure, but a financial benefit to deal with your firm.

Yours truly,
J. F. McNULTY.

Pontotoc, Miss., Dec. 2, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.

Gentlemen,—Your letter and check of the 24th received a few days ago. Am well pleased with the way you handled my business for me, for the profit I received from that little amount I invested with you far exceeded my most sanguine expectations.

Very respectfully
A. D. FONTAINE.

Fitchburg, Mass., Dec. 2, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I am in receipt of your letter dated Nov. 29th, which more than pleased me. I was surprised at such profits in a month, and I am satisfied with that May corn investment. If I am right, I have to my credit 2,500 bushels of May corn. I leave the whole matter in your hands, and make as much as you can out of it; what you do will suit me.

I thank you for what you have done for me, and I hope by the first of next May I will be able to buy 2,500 bushels of July corn. Yours truly,

GEO. BEAUREGARD.

Green Springs, W. Va., Dec. 2. 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Yours of Nov. 24th to hand containing cheque for $77.22, leaving two-cent margin on 1,500 May corn, which makes nearly 400 per cent. on investment of $25.00 on Nov. 7th.

Hope you will make out on the May corn as well. Respectfully yours,

J. A. WILSON.

P.S.—Excuse delay, as I wrote and forgot to mail same.

Treasury Department, Office of
Auditor for Treasury Department,
Washington, D.C., Dec. 1, 1902.

Hugh C. Dennis, Esq.,
Pres. Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favor of 29th ult., advising me of the closing out of the small deal I have made with you, and the investment of proceeds in May corn has been received and is satisfactory. You did better than I expected. I have been through the West and observed the wonderful production through that country, so that I expected a decline in December corn.

Thanking you for your attention, I am,

Very truly yours,
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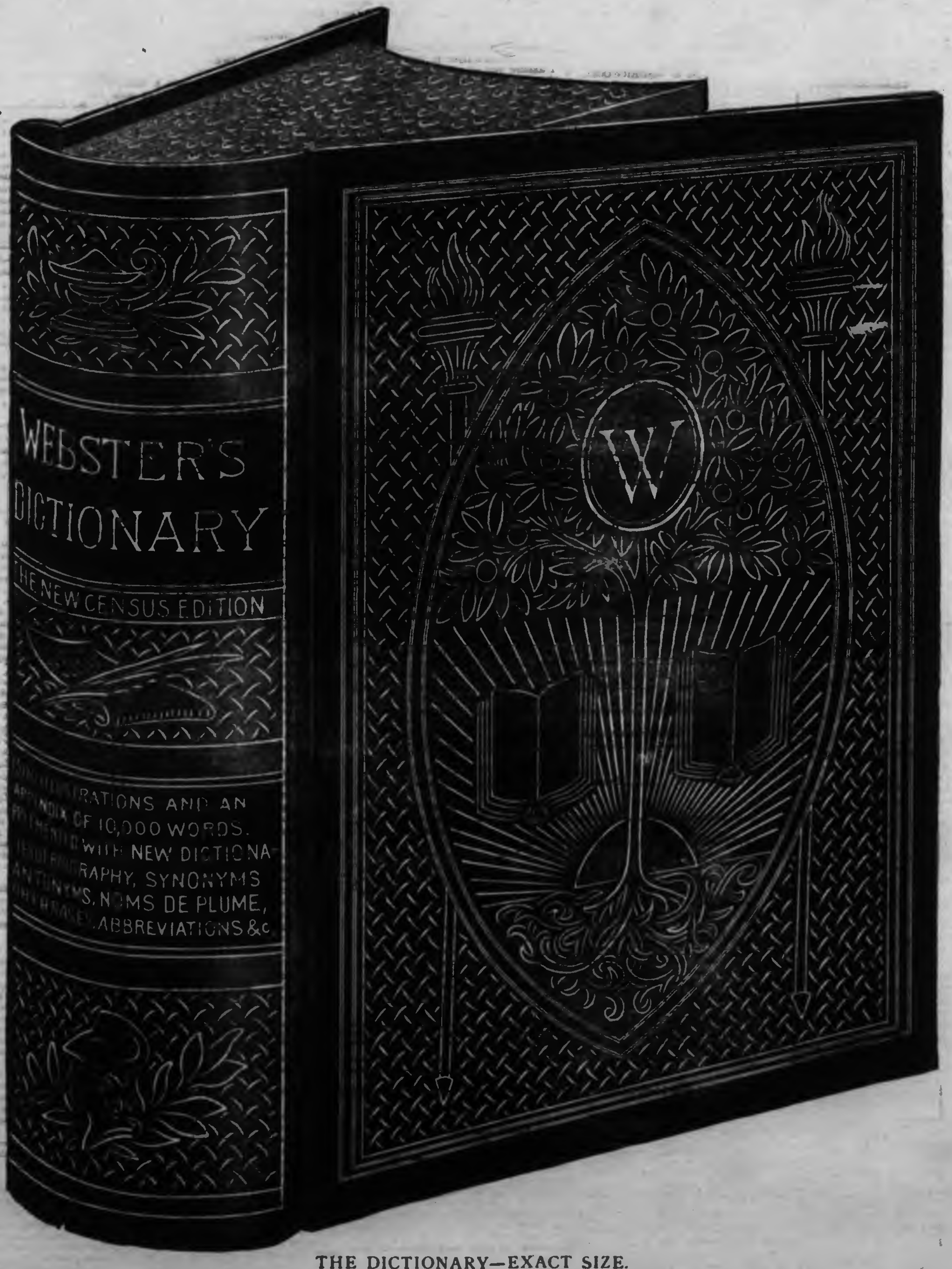

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10,000 shares 7 per cent. Cumulative Preferred Stock, par value $100 each........ $1,000,0000 0
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OIL

STOCK MARKETS

COPPER AGAIN ALSO ATCHISON

New York, Jan. 29.—These two issues are looking well again. A slow and tiresome market most naturally effects their market movement, causing them to fluctuate more or less sluggish. It also discloses the efforts of the insiders to accumulate these stocks. A buying or selling effort is more easily detected and traced in a dull market than it is in an active market. The more outsiders that are placed in a stock the more difficult it is to trace the hands of the manipulator. In order to deceive outsiders as to their real purposes and to cloak their operations with more or less mystery, pools and operators, when dealing in certain stocks place heavy orders with different brokers upon both sides of the market, thereby greatly increasing activity and volume of business with a view to covering up *their* real market operations. In an intensely dull market this can not be satisfactorily done without drawing attention. The copper situation is improving greatly. Price of metal is again hardening and the stock has been persistently bought by insiders for some time past.

HAIGHT & FREESE CO.

TO MAKE A NEW CABINET POSITION

Former Governor Ross of the Yukon to Fill It

REWARD FOR PARTY SACRIFICE

It is Said That He Will be Made Minister of Mines for Winning New Seat for Government

Ottawa, January 28.—It is intimated on pretty good authority that the Government will create an additional Cabinet position during the coming session of Parliament and that it will take the shape of a Dominion Department of Mines.

The man for whose benefit this department is created is Hon. James Ross, lately elected member for the Yukon and formerly Governor of the Yukon.

It has been suspected for some time that a move of this kind would be made for no one who is in the inner circle of Liberal politics imagined that Mr. Ross would, of his own free will, resign his position of Governor of the Yukon to enter Parliament.

It appears however that the Government could not put their hand on anyone whom they were certain would win the new constituency for the Liberal party, except "Jim" Ross, as he is popularly called.

He has been in the West for years, and his popularity among the Western paissmen as well as the miners of the Yukon is something tremendous. He won the hearts of the latter by his strong opposition to the Treadgold concessions, which he virtually defeated. He told them that he would go to Ottawa himself and prevent the scheme from passing or he would never put his foot amongst them again. When he finally did come back successfully among them, he could have possessed, and the Government took advantage of that fact.

He was told that they wanted him to resign and run for the Yukon, and no doubt the promise which is now said to be close upon fulfilment, was made at that time.

Personally, Mr. Ross just about that time did not care much what he did.

Though extremely fortunate in professional life, the greatest of misfortunes had befallen him, in the loss of his wife and child who went down with the ill-fated Islander.

He was ill of body and sick at heart and the physicians whom he consulted were not very sanguine about him.

He went to Southern California, and was there trying to recuperate, while his election campaign was going on, and so apropos of his popularity, he was elected by a great majority, although he did not make a speech, did not show his face, and was some four thousand miles from his constituents.

(From the Toronto Star.)

Peterboro and Upper Canada College who won the championship of the intermediate and junior series of the O.H.A., respectively last season, are already down and out, not even having had a chance to win the honors in their districts.

Peterboro did not win a solitary game. The Belleville papers say the champions were traveling on their reputation, while Belleville and Port Hope teams trained faithfully for the games. This is hardly correct. The probable reason was the delay in the completion of the new rink at Peterboro, which did not give the players a fair chance to get in shape. The Peterboro Juniors played in just as hard luck as their seniors. They went through the season with continuous defeats, their one chance of victory being taken away last night by Port Hope Juniors after 20 minutes of extra play.

Upper Canada's defeat at Newmarket last night was a surprise. By some blundering in the schedule Newmarket was forced to play 3 games in 4 days, on Friday night with Upper Canada on the latter's ice, Monday night with St. Andrew's here, and last night at Newmarket with Upper Canada. Upper Canada won on Friday from Newmarket by a big score, 17 to 8, and it was expected they would win the return match and thereby secure a chance to tie St. Andrew's for the leadership of the district. Their defeat last night, however, puts them down and out for good.

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DEPENDABLE INFORMATION

is the only right sort to receive relative to stock movements; when such is received in connection with any property, an analysis of the property should be carefully made, to learn if the facts warrant the likelihood of the information being correct. If the two agree, then one should make his trade immediately, in accord with the knowledge thus obtained. It is unwise to buy into a property when selling above its value; also, equally injudicious to sell when prices are below intrinsic values. Those who will keep within their means and will operate in accord with the above axiom, need never take a loss in Wall Street. We maintain a complete Statistical Department, with the view to laying before our client's the actual facts about any property whose shares are dealt in upon the Exchanges; also, we issue for free distribution, at considerable expense, a most complete 400 page, illustrated,

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REPORT BY EX-SUPERINTENDENT OF MINE

Cecil R. Gold Mining and Milling Co., Los Angeles, California.

Ballarat, Cal., Nov. 1st, 1902.

Gentlemen,—Your request for my opinion as to the "Santa Rosa" group of mines and other claims in which you are interested in this territory, to hand, and in reply will say:

The "Santa Rosa" group, which is situated southeast of Ballarat some three and a half miles, consists of twelve claims, equal to 240 acres. The ledge crops out more or less the full length of these claims, showing the same character and formation of work as where development work has been done. In most of the outcroppings it shows highly mineralized rock, with pyrites of iron, mica schist, slate, slate porphyry, gouge, quartz and quartzite, all bearing more or less. Where work has been done, it shows a very marked improvement in both quantity and quality of gold-bearing rock. Commencing with the surface, the ore shows much iron and copper stain. All mill tests show high ore commencing with the surface; in fact, I milled for several days and recovered $50 and over per ton, yet the milling process does not pay more than two-thirds of the value of the ore, the tailings oftitimes running as high as $35 per ton, and never less than $12.50. To save the entire values of your ore it will be necessary to install either concentrators or a cyanide plant. From careful study and frequent examination of the surface of the ground, and down as far as has been opened below the surface, I am highly pleased with the property. It is certainly a fine property, and as good as any I have ever had the pleasure of examining. Considering your mill site, with tramway facilities added, water, fuel, and cheapness of mining the ore, the Cecil R. will be capable of paying enormous dividends when your capacity for milling is increased to what it ought to be.

Wishing you every success, I remain, Yours very truly,

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, JAN. 30, 1903

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Lost

A diamond horse shoe pin. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at Oriental Hotel.

School Books

Times Bookstore for the best value in school books. Six good large dictation books for 25 cents. A prize with every purchase of 25 cents or over.

Laid at Rest

The remains of the late Wellington J. Bell were laid to rest at two o'clock yesterday afternoon. Mr. Bell was a member of the Charlotte Street Sunday school, orchestra, and other worthy institutions, as well as a clarionet player in the 57th Regimental band. We deeply sympathize with his parents in their sad bereavement.

Good News

Mrs. John Cameron, residing at 348 Garry street, Winnipeg, received word last week from her brother, Fred Pearson who was supposed to have died in California 30 years ago. He has accrued a large fortune in Arizona through mining investments. Pearson is a brother of Wm. Pearson, of Ottawa.

St. Paul's Mission

St. Paul's Mission building, located at the corner of Wolfe and Reid streets, will be opened for service on Sunday next, Feb. 1st. Rev. J. A. Wilson will conduct the morning service at 11 o'clock, and Rev. Dr. Torrance the evening service at seven o'clock. The Sabbath school and Bible class will be held at three o'clock in the afternoon.

At St. Luke's

The Ladies Auxiliary Society of St. Luke's held a preliminary meeting yesterday afternoon. The Rev. E. A. Langfeldt was down to deliver an address, but was unfortunately called away. The main object of the afternoon's gathering was to stimulate the members to secure a large attendance at the annual meeting to be held next month, when the selection of Toronto delegates will be made.

—A missionary meeting which proved both pleasant and profitable was held in the Charlotte street school room on Wednesday evening. The statement of the work done by the Woman's Missionary Society spoke well for its flourishing condition.

PREACHER OUTWITTED

In Another Preacher's Family

"It is easy to sing the praises of Postum Food Coffee; in fact, I should be most ungrateful did I not," says Mrs. R. B. Wright, the wife of the minister of the First Congregational Church of Boise, Idaho.

"Five years ago I was a nervous wreck and yet hard to convince that coffee was injurious. Postum was recommended by a friend and found to be delicious and strengthening. In a short time my nervousness left me, and today I am well and hearty without a moment's sickness.

"My husband has been relieved of biliousness by its use and our eldest daughter, who was a delicate child, has wonderfully improved in health. She has gained in flesh and is stronger than ever before in her life, while I scarcely know I have any nerves. The whole family children and all, prefer Postum to coffee.

"How sorry I feel when I hear any one say: 'I don't like Postum.' I know they have not properly prepared it and have frequently suggested another trial. —four teaspoonfuls of Postum to a pint of water, which must boil at least fifteen minutes after boiling commences, have cups warm and serve very hot with good cream. This is a cup fit for a king.

"I know so many who have been benefitted from its use; nervousness dyspepsia, with countless other ills, vanish when Postum becomes the family breakfast drink and coffee is left out.

"At our table recently, a clergyman was asked if he would not have his cup refilled. He replied, 'I never allow myself but one cup of coffee,' and when informed that he had been drinking Postum, he exclaimed, 'Indeed, I will have another cup,' surprised and gratified that he had been outwitted. This was considered a good joke by the younger members of the family."

Broke a Bone

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Gliddon will sympathize with them in the accident which their little son, Otto met with a few days ago. The little fellow had the misfortune to fall on the pavement in Toronto, where he is with his mother on a visit to Mr. Gliddon's parents, and broke one of the bones of his leg. The little sufferer is doing as well as can be expected.

Choir Entertained

The St. Luke's choir members enjoyed a sleigh drive on Wednesday evening, after which they were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Howden where a most enjoyable evening was spent. A rather regrettable feature of the evening was the conduct of a number of young hoodlums, who directed snow balls at the party. One young lady occupant had an eye painfully bruised. It is hoped the offenders may be located and brought to justice.

Increase Their Rolling Stock

The Canadian Pacific Railway company are making strenuous efforts to handle their rapidly increasing trade. The shops at Hochelaga are working to their full capacity turning out passenger and freight cars for the great business which is expected with the opening of spring. The company is building, and has orders placed for 200 locomotives which will bring the number of engines in the service up to 1200.

Y. M. C. A. Hockey Club

The Gymnasium Class in connection with the Y.M.C.A. at a meeting on Wednesday afternoon organized a hockey club and the following officers were elected:

Hon. President—Wm. Madill
President—Arthur Wood.
Vice-President—Norman Seaton.
Sec.-Treasurer—M. Robinson.
Captain—R. A. Boucher.
Team Committee—Boucher, Wood, Lang and Hall.

The team will practice every Saturday morning from 10.30 to 11.30. The team oppose the Junior Colts this afternoon.

Police Court

Before the Police Magistrate this morning, 5 boys, whose ages ranged from 10 to 14 years, were charged with theft. two of the boys were accused with having stolen several pairs of moccasins from Robt. McWhinnie's, four with having taken five fox skins from Lech Bros. two with stealing two sweaters from Meredith's, and four must answer for two caps and two toques taken from Thomas Barrie's. Four of the juveniles pleaded guilty to their respective charges. All five boys were remanded till Monday morning.

Manitoba Cement Company

The promoters of the Manitoba Cement Company whose announcement appears on another page of this issue, claims that their mine should be the most profitable in the world for the reason that they will have no competition in their market. Experienced engineers have estimated that the cost per barrel to manufacture Portland cement in their plant will not exceed $1.25. The present wholesale price of cement in Winnipeg is $4.00. The cost of bringing cement from Ontario in freight is $1.20. This saving freight alone would represent a fair profit, for the Manitoba Cement Company. The company is receiving congratulations on having a strong and representative Board of Directors. Forms of application for stock and prospectus may be obtained from Messrs. J. F. H. Ussher and Co., stock brokers, 28 Wellington Street West.

Weather Variations

A short continuance of the present temperature will at least have a tendency to solve the coal problem, and dealers who are withholding the precious mineral with an eye to gain will perhaps see the wisdom of a rapid disposal. From 15 below zero to 30 above is a variation indeed that we could hardly look for at this season of the year, though the philosophical mad add it is the unexpected which in this world of change most surely happens. On this account, then, it may be unwise to prophesy but more reliable authorities tell us that the present temperature is hardly likely to continue, and that more seasonable weather may be expected.

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Master Horse-Shoers decided at a recent meeting to charge $1.20 per set cash for iron shoes; $1.40 credit; 60c per set for setting. These prices will operate from April 1st.

—Miss Robinson, of Toronto, has been engaged to teach in the Cold Springs Public School. She commenced her duties yesterday. Mrs. Stewart, who had accepted the position, was unable to come, and hence Miss Robinson's engagement.

—Mr. R. H. Bradburn, who has just returned from a business trip to Ottawa, states that a freight train came to grief on the C.P.R., near Tweed on Tuesday morning and that the passenger traffic was delayed in consequence. The accident is said to have been caused by a broken axle on one of the freight cars.

The Church Wardens of St. John's Church gave a banquet last evening at Harry Long's Palm Gardens, in honor of Mr. Jos. Ball, who goes from their midst for two months to engage in missionary work at Minden. The Brotherhood of St. John's were also entertained.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. J. B. Ferris, of Campbellford, was in town yesterday.

—Mayor J. H. Sootheran, of Lindsay, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. M. McL. Potter is in town, visiting his brother, the Rev. J. G. Potter.

—Mr. Bernard Tait, of Toronto University, is in town, the guest of his brother, Mr. Jos. Tait.

—Miss Ethel St. George Baldwin, of Toronto, is the guest of Miss Dennistoun, town.

—Mr. Anderson, of Lindsay, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. Blackhurst, of Lindsay, was in town yesterday and gave The Times a friendly call.

—Mr. James Sheahy, of Chicago, arrived in town on Wednesday evening from Buffalo, where he had been on business. Mr. Sheahy will remain a few days, the guest of his brother, Mr. Richard Sheahy.

"I've Lost Ten Pounds"

A man says. "Look at this." And he over-laps his coat to show how loose it is. There are some people who can lose fat to advantage, but the loss of flesh is one of the accepted evidences of failing health. As flesh-making processes begin in the stomach, so naturally when there is loss of flesh we look first to the stomach for the cause. And the cause is generally found to be disease of the stomach and digestive and nutritive tracts, resulting in loss of nutrition and consequent physical weakness.

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Flour, bakers', per cwt	2 25 to 2 25
COARSE GRAIN	
Barley, per bushel	40 to 43
Peas, small	65 to 7
Peas, mummies	65 to 75
Oats	31 to 33
Buckwheat	40 to 45
Rye	45 to 50
WOOL AND HIDES	
Wool, unwashed	06 to 07
Fleece Wool	11 to 12
Veal Calf Skins	08 to 10
Deakens	40 to 45
Beef Hides per cwt.	6 00 to 7 00
Sheepskins	30 to 50
MEAT, POULTRY, AND DAIRY PRODUCE	
Beef by the quarter, per cwt	5 50 to 6 50
Mutton, per lb.	05 to 07
Spring Lamb, quarter	05 to 07
Dressed hogs, per cwt.	7 00 to 7 50
Pork by the quarter, per lb.	8 to 9
Lard	13 to 14
Chickens, per pair	60 to 80
Ducks, per pair	80 to 1 00
Geese, each	80 to 1 00
Turkeys, each	1 00 to 1 40
Butter, roll, per lb.	18 to 20
Butter, crock	16 to 18
Egg per doz	18 to 20
Hay, per ton	7 50 to 10 00
LIVE STOCK	
Cattle, choice butchers' (steers, exporters and heifers)	3 50 to 4 50
Medium butchers' (steers and heifers)	00 to 3½
Light cattle and cows	2½ to 00
Feeders, 1,000-1,100	3¼ to 3½
Stockers	2 to 3
Hogs, select, 160-200	5 50 to 5 87½
Fats and heavies	5 00 to 5 25
Lights	5 50 to 5 75
Sows	4 25 to 4 50
Stags	02 to 03
Sheep	3 50 to 3 75
Lambs, per lb.	5 to 5½
GENERAL	
Potatoes	1 00 to 1 25
Carrots	40 to 45
Wood, hard	6 25 to 7 00
Wood, soft	3 00 to 3 75
Straw, per load	3 00 to 3 50

APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN on behalf of the Corporation of the Town of Peterborough that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario at the next session thereof for an Act for the following purposes:

1. To amend 62 Victoria (2), Chapter 71 by striking out the following words in the first subsection of the second section thereof, namely, the words "at any point thereon south of and in no way using power obtained from the dam known as the Nassau Dam on the said River Otonabee" in the 3rd, 4th and 5th lines thereof; the words "for Municipal purposes only" in the 17th line thereof, and the words "except commercial lighting or private lighting" in the 18th and 19th lines thereof, and for such other amendments thereto as may be necessary to remove the restrictions imposed on the said Corporation by said subsection.

2. To authorize and empower the said Corporation to erect and maintain poles and other appliances on the streets and public places of the said Town for the transmission of electricity in and through the said Town of Peterborough, and to charge a rental therefor, and to make regulations for the use, management, maintenance and control of same, and to enter into agreements with any company, firm or person now or hereafter supplying electric energy to the inhabitants of the said Town for the use of said poles and appliances on such terms as may be agreed on.

3. To authorize and empower the said Corporation to issue debentures of the said Corporation without the assent of the rate-payers for the sum of $7000 to meet the deficiency on the sale of waterworks' debentures issued for the purchase of the waterworks.

4. To authorize and empower the Commissioners of the Waterworks to form a contingent fund and to retain out of the revenues derived from the said waterworks an annual sum not exceeding one-half of the net revenue for that purpose.

Dated at Peterborough this 29th day of January, 1903.

E. H. D. HALL,
Solicitor for the Applicants.

—The first Quarterly meeting of the Peterborough Reading Union was held at the Y.M.C.A. yesterday afternoon.

The Sale Continues

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SAFE IS LOCKED UP

Only Man Who Knows Combination is Dead

Cornwall, Ont., Jan. 30.—The safe in the Counties building is locked and since the sudden death of the late Treasurer Mattice no one knows the combination. The consequence is that the Counties Council will have to engage an expert to open the safe and another meeting of the Council will be held in the last week of February, as it is impossible to finish the business now.

THE GAME TO-NIGHT

T. A. S. and Lakefield Did not Play Last Night

The Game To-night.

The Senior St. George's of Toronto, and the Peterborough Senior Colts will come together tonight on Brock street rink in an exhibition game. The St. George's are one of the fastest hockey teams in Toronto and were put out of the senior running in the O.H.A. by the Wellingtons, who have captured the senior honors for three years in succession and were only prevented from landing the Stanley Cup from the Winnipeg Vics in the west by a small margin. The game tonight is billed to commence at 8.45 so as to give the clerks in the stores an opportunity to witness the game.

No Game Last Night.

The game to be played at Lakefield last night in the T.V.L. between the team of that place and the T.A.S. was postponed, as ice could not be obtained. The game will probably take place next Tuesday or Wednesday evening. The Lakefield people are quite confident that their team will turn the score of last week, and the boys are putting in some hard work. The T.A.S. team do not appear agitated over the results and will give a good account of themselves. It is up to the T.A.S. to bring one championship to Peterborough this season. Should the score go against them in Lakefield, it will make both teams a tie for this district, each having lost one game. The Bobcaygeon bunch are out of the running.

A matched race for the championship of the County of Peterborough will take place at the Brock street rink on Thursday evening, Feb. 5th, between Oliver Dusty, Champion of the Midland District, and Walter Jackson, Champion of the County of Peterborough, to be skated in one mile heats, two out of three, for a valuable trophy. The champion barrel jumper of the world on skates, W. H. Gonno, of Copper Cliff, Ont., will give an exhibition as follows: 7 barrels forward, 8 barrels backwards, 3 barrels on one foot forward, 1 backwards on one foot, five barrels close together hurdle jumping. Also a most wonderful adventure jump, sailing over 3 chairs, 3 barrels one box and three boys, which means 28 feet of a jump.

The Wellington's Challenge.

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—Mr. P. D. Ross, trustee of the Stanley Hockey Club, yesterday received the challenge of the Wellington Hockey Club, Toronto, who are anxious to meet the winners of the Montreal-Winnipeg Victoria games for the Stanley Cup. Mr Ross stated that at present the trustees had decided they could only fyle the challenge, as no arrangements could be made until the end of the O.H.A. series. Then, if the Wellingtons were champions, and he saw no reason why they should not be, their challenge would have first claim for a match.

Rowdys at Hockey Game.

Woodstock, Jan. 30.—At the Police Court yesterday Samon Laird and Hewitt Hall of Ingersoll were fined $5 and costs and $2 and costs for creating a disturbance at the hockey match played in Woodstock last Friday between Woodstock and Ingersoll team. Chief Teats swore that they were the ring-leaders in the interfering with the progress of the game, when a dispute took place over a goal, which Ingersoll claimed to have scored, and which the umpire had not allowed.

The meeting of the Thistles and the Granites, which was to have taken place on Wednesday last, but was postponed on account of the poor condition of the ice, will, weather permitting, be played off today.

Choir Entertained

The Charlotte Street choir members were entertained on Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. A. Davies. The evening opened by a short business meeting, and a brief practice, after which supper was served. During the evening Mr. Davies, the President, in a short speech, took occasion to thank Miss B. Sanderson, who is leaving to go to Copper Cliff, for the excellent service she had rendered the choir. Miss Sanderson, in a fitting reply expressed her regret at leaving, and her appreciation of the kind words spoken. A hearty vote of thanks to the host and hostess closed a pleasant evening.

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ST. PAUL'S SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Very Successful Tea and Entertainment Last Night

The annual tea and entertainment in connection with the Sunday School of St. Paul's church took place last night in the lecture room of the Church and was a decided success. Tea was served at six o'clock after which a choice programme of vocal and instrumental music was rendered in which the following young folks took part:

Piano solo, Miss Gladys Crane; recitation, Miss Helen Harper, vocal solo, Miss Stella Davis; Dialogue, the Jones Family; piano solo, Miss Hazel Sanderson; Recitation, Miss Daisy Burgoyne; recitation, Miss Mabel Pringle; piano solo, Miss Jean Hill; piano solo, Miss Mollie Meldrum; song, Mr. Harold Hatcher; piano solo, Miss Mattie Robertson.

A prize was awarded to Miss Madeline Baptie, a beautiful Bible, for attendance at Sunday school every Sunday during the year.

Interesting addresses were delivered by Rev. Dr. Torrance, Rev. J. A. Wilson, Sheriff Hall, and Mr. James Fife, Sunday School superintendent, who ably filled the chair.

MISSION BAND CONCERT

A Pleasant Evening Spent by the Children and Their Friends

The pupils of the Murray street Baptist church Sunday School Mission Band held their annual tea and concert last night in the Lecture room of the church. There was a large attendance of the scholars and their friends. After tea a pleasant programme was successfully gone through, and a delightful evening was spent. The following programme was rendered: Recitations by Col. E. B. Edwards, Clifton Kidd, Georgeana Janes Ethel Hardwick, four selections by the Young Girl's Orchestra and solo by Miss Belle Elcombe which completed the first part of the programme, and a short intermission of five minutes followed.

The second part of the programme consisted of a dialogue by Geo. Martin, Muriel Martin, and Minnie Ellis, a song by 12 little tots, a duet by May Roberts and Kathleen Martin, recitations by Harold and Gladys Yelland; a solo by Hattie Lee, a duett by Helen and Arthur Blade, solos by Georgie Matthews and Ray Scott, and a recitation by Angeline Armstrong.

A Concrete Discussion

At the last meeting of the Engineer Club of Toronto, with C. H. Rust, City Engineer, in the chair, there was a discussion on "Concrete Construction." Members of Ontario Society of Architects were also invited and there were about 60 in attendance. The following engineers and architects took part in the discussion: Willis Chipman, Beaumont Jarvis, J. W. Harrett, A. B. Aylesworth and J. Alexr. Calverwell. The "Canadian Contract Record of today says: "Mr. J. Alexr. Calverwell, of Peterborough, spoke of the use of concrete in the dams, locks, etc., of the Trent Canal, and of its use in the largest lift lock at Peterborough."

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Mr. J. N. Greenshields, of Montreal, has taken out papers of incorporation, and is the solicitor for the company.

MT. PLEASANT.

A horse owned by ex-Reeve Hooton while with his mate pulling a load of wood up a hill, fell dead. Cause of death not known.

Farmers are busy threshing. The hum of the engine is heard daily.

Those who have to cut their firewood in the swamp find it very difficult, as the frost has not penetrated the ground sufficiently to allow hauling it out.

A few days ago a man trying to draw a load of lumber into the swamp, lost one of his horses. He broke his leg and and his owner had to shoot him. The snow is very deep, which keeps the frost out of the ground.

Mr. Windram, of the township of Emily sustained a very heavy loss last week by having his barn with its contents destroyed by fire.

A CANADIAN ON S. AFRICA

British Labor the Right Thing for Mines

Slashing Attack on English Society —May Go to Paris

THREE JURISTS ARE NOT YET CHOSEN.

Yet Canada's Chief Justice May be One—Dreadful Tale of An Ocean Cruise

London, Jan. 30—In the matter of the Venezuelan embroglio, I called at the Foreign Office today and learned from the officials that they expect the blockade to be raised at any hour. The danger of serious entanglements is believed to have passed away. The jurists to deal with the Alaskan boundary have not been appointed yet, but Sir Elzear Taschereau, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Canada, will probably be one.

May go to Paris.

The Canadian footballers are considered just a bit rough by their English friends. They are generally a heavier team than the one they play against. Now, at a moment's notice, it is proposed that they shall go to Paris to-morrow and play on Sunday. They would return that night, a ten hours' journey, and play the London Scottish on Monday. This is generally regarded as a mistake, the team being already fagged.

Mr. Gibbs on Africa.

I had an interview today with Mr. Frank Gibbs, a successful mining engineer of Johannesburg, who is in London on his way to Canada on a visit. He graduated from the Kingston Military College in 1894, and is a grandson of the late Hon. Thos. Gibbs. He says the solution of the African labor trouble is the importation of thousands of skilled English workmen, and an improvement in the wage and condition of the Kaffirs. The blacks are willing to work now, but want more than two shillings a day. Mr. Gibbs is a decided anti-Chinaman on the labor question. Except for its mines, he says, Africa is a desert compared to Canada.

Captured Contract.

The Kerr Stuart Company, an English firm of engineers, have just beaten an American firm in an open tender for the contracts to supply locomotives for the Interoceanic Railway in Mexico. There is a feeling that John Bull is waking up.

Smart Society Scored.

Miss Marie Correlli, the novelist, has a slashing article in The Lady's Realm on the decay of Home Life in England, declaring that the so-called smart set is not the real aristocracy, but a "disordered wilderness of American and African scrap." Miss Correlli calls the smart set gadabouts and sexless creatures, a combination of the female chipanzee and the fashionable "Johnny." Mr. George W. E. Russell, the writer, who was Under Secretary for the Home Department in the last Gladstone Ministry, also says that the morals of society are worthy of a "poultry yard."

A Sea Tragedy.

The story of the ship Veronica and its murdering seamen is really a most extraordinary tale of murder and mutiny on the high seas. It seems that the barque Veronica, Captain Shaw, owned by Wm. Thompson, St. John, N.B., bound from Ship Island, Mississippi, to Montevideo, was reported as having been destroyed by fire and sunk, by the survivors, four Germans and a black cook. These were rescued from a desert island off Brazil by the English steamer, Brunswick and brought to Liverpool. The black cook now says a German and an Irish sailor quarrelled one night, and the Irishman was killed, then the four Germans silently clubbed the captain and the rest of the crew, seven in number, throwing the bodies overboard. The murderers fired the ship, reaching Teutonia. They are now jailed at Liverpool, and were charged today with murder on the high seas. The story causes a sensation here. Their names are Monson, Fisher, Rau and Smith. Rau and Fisher have practically confessed.

FOUND DEAD IN BED BLEW OUT THE GAS

Tragic End of a Pretty French-Canadian Girl

COMPANION MAY ALSO DIE

Visitors Came From St. Lin and Retired to Chamber After Spending Pleasant Evening

Montreal, Jan. 30.—A pretty French-Canadian country girl is dead at the General Hospital, and a married lady friend is dying, presumably because they blew out the gas.

The came from St. Lin yesterday, in good health and spirits, bent on having a pleasant visit to Montreal. They called at the house of their Montreal friends at 761 St. Dominique street, and after spending the evening chatting, retired to their room, which was lighted by gas.

This morning after the lady of the house where they were visiting had been up some time she noticed an awful smell of gas from the direction of the room where her visitors were sleeping. The suspicion that something was very wrong immediately crossed her mind and rushing up to and entering it, she found her fears realized, the room was full of gas, and the bodies of her two friends apparently lifeless upon the bed.

Help was immediately summoned and the General Hospital ambulance called for, but all the ambulance doctor could do was to testify that the young girl was dead, and that her friend was, in probability, beyond any help.

The young girl's name is Clarine Dufeau, and that of the older lady Mrs. Husler.

An inquest will be held by Coroner McMahon, who has been notified by the the authorities of the General Hispital.

At the Opera

Despite the inclement state of the weather, another large audience assembled last evening to renew their acquaintance with the worthy Mark's Bros. combination. The play advertised for presentation was in itself a great inducement to lead one to brave the elements. "The Three Musketeers," is a dramatization of Duma's masterpiece of that title and has enjoyed phenomenal success for several years on both sides of the Atlantic. There is nothing but praise for the way in which it was served to a Peterborough audience last evening. The staging and dresses were excellent, and the acting of the company was characterized by praiseworthy restraint. Miss M. A. Bell as Ann of Austria well sustained her previously gained reputation and her wardrobe must have been responsible for much envy among the ladies. Mr. Will L. Stewart played D'Artagnan, the bold man of France, to the life, whilst the three musketeers, as personated by Messrs. Fred Secord, Carl Stears and Will C. Millard, respectively, were commendable. Other parts deserving of mention were Lade de Winter as represented by Leah Stoddard and Cardinal Richelieu by T. C. Connolly. The olio, as usual, was excellent.

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WARSAW.

The anniversary services at the Methodist church, Warsaw, on Sunday and Monday evening last, were very successful. The Rev. J. Bartrop, of Toronto, preached on Sunday to a large congregation.

On Monday evening tea was served in the basement of the church to a large number. In connection with the services subscriptions were taken on behalf of the parsonage fund, which totalled $400 being the sum required, and the church is now quite free from debt. Inspiring and profitable addresses were delivered on Monday evening by Rev. Mr. Atkinson, of the Presbyterian church, and by Rev. Mr. Bartrop, Rev. Mr. McQuade, the pastor, under whose supervision the evening's program was arranged, is to be congratulated on the complete financial success of the project.

PREMIER ROBLIN ON GRAND TRUNK SCHEME

Does Not Appear Much in Favor of Outlined Pacific Plan

PRESENT RAILWAYS WILL DO

Says Manitoba School Question is Settled So Far as the Province is Concerned

Montreal, Jan. 30.—The particular manner in which the premiers of the different provinces arrived at the new basis on which they desire that subsidies should be granted the provinces by the Federal Parliament, was interesting information given the press yesterday by Hon. R. P. Roblin, Premier of Manitoba, who arrived in the city from Ottawa to attend the banquet tendered Mr. F. D. Monk last night. Among his first words in the course of his conversation with a press representative at the Windsor was that the weather might turn cold in order that the Winnipeg boys might not be handicapped in their matches for the Stanley Cup.

"The premiers of all the provinces," stated Premier Roblin, "were entirely in favor of the new basis. Of course, some of the premiers in the preliminary negotiations wanted more than will be granted them by the new basis, but it was thought that better results would be obtained if a basis were reached that all present would agree to. The main reason why we expect that the requests will be granted by the Federal Parliament is that they are not large, and will only enable the provinces to barely carry out the work for which they are granted.

"Did you notice that Archbishop Bruchesi, on his return from his audience with the Pope, stated that the Manitoba school question was not closed?"

"As far as the Manitoba Government is concerned, the question is closed, and neither at the present nor at any further date will it be re-opened. Then, as a matter of fact, the question is not any longer to be dealt with by the Manitoba Government. It was settled by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and he acted on behalf of the French-Canadian Catholics If any further action was taken it would have to be through Premier Laurier."

GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC.

"Then, according to the announcement made by some of the Grand Trunk officials, the new line will be run north of Lake Winnipeg and a branch built into the city of Winnipeg?"

"Such a project can hardly be considered a feasible one, simply because there is no arable land so far north and a branch with Winnipeg would not be of any use. Then again there is very little room for the railway to build south of Lake Winnipeg, for this portion is amply supplied with railways at the present time. Of course, they need more railways in the Territories, but then it would be much easier for the existing railways to build branches into the various districts than for another company to come along and build a new line. Personally, I think that the needs of the country will be amply attended to when the present railways are able to secure better equipment."

Fire Last Night.

About one o'clock last night the fire brigade was called out to extinguish a fire in the basement of a store adjourning Mr. B. B. Stone's law office. The blaze was noticed by Mr. Kearns, a driver at Mr. Leary's hack and livery stables, and an alarm sent in. Considerable damage was done to the basement and front of the buildings. The upper flats were used as dwellings. There was a high wind blowing, and had the fire not been noticed before it gained much headway, a disastrous conflagration would have been the result.

The Foretelling of the Future.

Maurice Maeterlinck has an article in the "Fortnightly Review" on the foretelling of the future, from which the following passages are clipped:

The seer in question is one of the most famous in Paris. She claims to incarnate, in her hypnotic state, the spirit of an unknown little girl called Julia. Having made me sit down at a table that stood between us, she begged me to tutoyer Julia and to speak to her gently, as one speaks to a child of seven or eight years. Thereupon her features, her eyes, her hands, her whole body, were for some seconds unpleasantly convulsed; her hair came untied; and the expression of her face changed completely and became artless, puerile. The voice, shrill and clear, of a small child, next came from that great ripe woman's body, and asked with a little lisp:

"What do you want? Are you worried? Is it for yourself or someone else that you have come to see me?"

"For myself."

"Very well; will you help me a little? Lead me in thought to the place where your worries are."

I concentrated my attention on the project with which I was engrossed and on the different actors in the as yet hidden little drama. Then, gradually, after some preliminary gropings, and without my helping her with a word or gesture, she really penetrated into my thoughts, read them, so to speak, as a slightly veiled book, placed the situation of the scene most accurately, recognised the principal characters and described them summarily, with hopping and childish but quaintly correct and precise little touches.

"That's very good, Julia," I then said, "but I know all that; what you ought to tell me is what is going to happen later on."

"What is going to happen, what is going to happen . . . you want to know all that is going to happen; but it's very difficult." . . .

"But still? How will the business end? Shall I win?"

"Yes, yes, I see; don't be afraid, I'll help you; you will be pleased." . . .

"But the enemy of whom you told me; the one who is resisting me and who wishes me ill." . . .

"No, no, he wishes you no ill; it's because of someone else . . . I can't see why. . . . He hates him . . . Oh, he hates him, he hates him! And it is because you like the other one so much that he does not want you to do for him what you want to do."

What she said was true.

"But tell me," I insisted, "will he go on to the end, will he not yield?"

"Oh, do not fear him. . . . I see, he is ill; he will not live long."

"You are mistaken, Julia: I saw him two days ago; he is quite well."

"No, no, he is ill . . . It doesn't show, but he is very ill . . . he must die soon." . . .

"But how, in that case, and why?"

"There is blood upon him, around him, everywhere" . . .

"Blood? Is it a duel?" (I had thought, for a moment, that I might be called upon to fight my adversary.) "An accident, a murder, a revenge?" (He was an unjust and unscrupulous man, who had done much harm to many people.)

"No, no, ask me no more, I am very tired. . . . Let me go" . . .

"Not before I know." . . .

"No, I can tell you nothing more . . I am too tired . . . let me go. . . . Be good, I will help you." . . .

The same attack as at the start then convulsed the body, in which the little voice had ceased; and the mask of forty years again covered the face of the woman, who seemed to be waking from a long sleep.

Is it necessary to add that we had never seen each other before this meeting, and that we knew as little of one another as though we had been born on different planets?

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In so far as I am concerned, Julia's prophecy was realized in part—that is to say, although I did not triumph in respect of the main point, the affair was nevertheless arranged in a satisfactory manner. As for the death of my adversary, it has not yet occurred, and gladly do I dispense the future from keeping the promise which it made me by the innocent mouth of the child of an unknown world.

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A Plausible Suggestion.

They were coming across the Brooklyn bridge, says the New York "Evening Sun," and saw a little tug puffing around one of Uncle Sam's war vessels just outside the navy basin.

"There's a man-of-war, my dear," he said, pointing to the big ship.

"And is the little one a tug-of-war?" she asked, as she gazed dreamily upon the water.

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Eat meat sparingly, and take very little sugar. Avoid intoxicants, keep away from dampness, drink water abundantly, and always rely on Nerviline as a quick reliever of Rheumatic pains. Being five times stronger than ordinary remedies Nerviline's power over pain is simply beyond belief. It cures also Sciatica, Lumbago, Neuralgia, and all pain whether internal or external. Large bottles, price 25c.

SERIOUS WAR IS IN SIGHT

European Powers Take Steps to Force Reform

Capt. Mahan Interprets the Munroe Doctrine as Now Up.

MUCH WHEAT NEEDED.

Australian Drouth Causes a Shortage in Food Supply, Ship from Vancouver?

London, Jan. 30—The publication of a French yellow book detailing the efforts made by France and Russia during the past year to induce Turkey to institute reforms in Macedonia, which resulted in the tour through the Balkans of Count Lamsdorff, and in the Austro-Russian agreement regarding press reforms in Turkey, is held to point to the fact that an acute phase of the Balkan question has arisen. The rumors that Austria is preparing a squadron at her naval port of Pola, the passage of the Russian torpedo boats through the Dardanelles into the Black sea and other incidents are being recalled; while the official denial of mobilization rumors issued by the Austrian Government are received with scepticism. There have been lately several reports of hasty purchases of war material by Roumania, the Balkan States and Turkey.

Reports are current in Odessa that Austria and Russia have agreed upon a joint naval coercion of Turkey in the coming spring to enforce the reforms in Macedonia. According to Prof. Mambery, who is supposed to be well informed as to the views entertained at Yildi Kiosk, the Sultan believing that the intention is to wrest Macedonia from the Turkish Empire, would prefer the risks of war to an acquiescence in the European demands.

Dominates, But Not Dominant.

London, Jan. 30—The February number of the National Review contains an article by Captain Mahan on the Monroe Doctrine, in which it is pointed out that the United States considers it "essential to her interests and to those of peace to withstand the beginnings of action which might lead to European intervention in the internal concerns of an American State." Dealing with the Venezuelan dispute, Captain Mahan remarks:—"Such an occurrence as the existing difficulty between Venezuela, Germany and Great Britain engages prompt and sensitive attention. This does not imply a doubt of the wisdom and firmness of the Government, but indicates an instinctive political apprehension not elicited by greater and immediate interests in quarters external to the American continents."

"Not to invade the rights of an American State is to the United States an obligation with the force of law. To permit no European State to influence them as a matter of policy. The United States is inevitably the preponderant American power, but she does not aspire to be paramount. She does not find the true complement of the Monroe Doctrine in an undefined control over American States exercised by her and denied to Europe. Its corelative is abstention from interference in questions territorially European."

Much Wheat Needed.

Ottawa, January 29—A report to the Department of Trade and Commerce from Mr. J. S. Larke, the Canadian Trade Commissioner in Australia, tells of three weeks' monsoonal rains in all the inhabited parts of the Commonwealth in these districts more rain fell in these three weeks than in three years before. It is too early to say whether the drought has been broken. The shipping rate for grain from Winnipeg via New York remains much lower than via Vancouver, and an excellent chance to establish Vancouver as an export shipping point has been postponed or lost. The original estimates of Australian crops were overstated. In New South Wales only 388,370 acres out of 1,561,704 sown were saved, and these only yielded 2.6 bushels to the acre, the worst showing in record.

The equivalent of nine million bushels in wheat or flour will be required to fill the shortage. In Victoria, of 2,000,400 acres sown, 1,139,275 acres failed. The remainder yielded only 4 1-2 bush. per acre. Three hundred thousand tons of wheat and flour will be required, exclusive of other breadstuffs and if favorable rates via Vancouver were available much of this trade should come from that port.

Mr. Larke reports the arrival of a shipment of apples from Vancouver in such a rotten condition that they were refused by the consignee. The apples came from the States and were reshipped at Vancouver. Manitoba flour is already finding a market in the Pacific Islands, though the demand is mainly for low grade "sharps." Canadians are warned of the existence in Australia of an alien labor contract law, known as the Immigration Restriction Act. A party of English hatters were recently admitted to Sydney, after a protest from the Grand Labor Union, and troublesome negotiations with the Commonwealth authorities.

BIG WHEAT TRAFFIC CONTINUES UNABATED

20,000,000 Bushels Still Remain in the Canadian West

LOCATION OF THE GRAIN

Movement of Settlers to "Soo" and North-West a Feature of Present Season

Montreal, Jan. 30.—The Canadian Pacific Railway people think there is still about 20,000,000 bushels of last year's wheat crop still to be moved.

Of this 10,000,000 remains in the elevators west of Fort William, and all three Canadian roads will probably be hauling grain far into the summer. The immense corn crop, which this season was so dilatory in hardening up, is now ready for shipment to the sea board, but the trouble is that the car congestion prevailing out West, as well as East, makes this an impossibility.

In addition to the large volume of grain to be carried, larger stocks of merchandise than usual are being purchased and hurried to the North-West to meet the influx of new settlers in the spring. The Canadian Pacific is already making every preparation for this. Mr. L. O. Armstrong, of the Colonization Department, has gone West to attend an important meeting to be held in Chicago in connection with the movement from the Western States of settlers into the Canadian North-West.

Mr. Miller, station agent at the Windsor street station, says that the most remarkable thing about the movement is that it has had no let up and that now, right in the heart of winter, every westbound train has its batch of settlers either west for the "Soo" district or for the North-West. The same report comes from the Federal and Provincial offices here, and the demand for farm labor remains unabated.

Hundreds of heads of families from the Eastern States have taken advantage of the cheap excursions and gone to look over the land.

The Grand Trunk traffic department reports the same state of affairs, both in passengers and freight. Another feature of the continued high traffic receipts of the Canadian roads is that Canadians are becoming more wealthy and families pass the winter either down South or in California.

MANITOBA FARMERS VISIT TO ENGLAND

They Will Be Taken to All Leading Market Centres

SOME OF THEM WILL LECTURE

It is Expected That Emigration From England will Be Greatly Stimulated

London, Jan. 30.—The proposed tour of a party of Manitoba farmers, who are expected to arrive in England on February 22, is awaited with great interest here. Mr. W. T. R. Preston, Dominion Immigration Agent, is now arranging the visits to all the market towns where some of the farmers will lecture and meet inquirers. To have Western Canada described at first hand it is expected will be of great service in stimulating emigration which promises well for the spring. Other authorities urge the necessity of a careful selection of the Manitoba delegates, especially in the way of avoiding political nominees. The new Canadian Government Immigration office will be ready at the end of next month. It is still awaiting internal fittings. This time the delay was due to Canadian, not British, workmen.

WONDERFUL RESULTS

From Taking Dr. Clarke's Wonderful Little Red Pills

Editor of the Morning Times:

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WEATHER NOTES

Saturday—Fair and decidedly cold.

Important western low area has now reached the Ottawa Valley, and the cold weather which has been prevailing in the Northwest is spreading quickly eastward in its rear. The outlook is decidedly cold for Ontario and Quebec for the next day or two.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, JAN. 31, 1903.

A WORD IN SEASON

The statements, which, according to the Ottawa correspondent of the Manchester Guardian, are supposed to emanate from a leading supporter of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, threatening a possible estrangement between the Dominion and the Empire, are in our opinion unworthy the publicity already given them. If, as has already been suggested, the object of this meaningless "plain talk" was intended to affright either the British Ministry or the people, we consider the result may be voted an ignominous failure. On the other hand, if the quoted correspondent sought questionable notoriety by supplying his organ with sensational copy, we suppose he has some reason to congratulate himself upon the results of his efforts. For any one to intimate that the Government felt themselves face to face with the fact that a strong public opinion was prevalent against the continuance of Canada to Great Britain is sufficient to vote that same individual either foolish or irresponsible.

Never, we hold, were the ties that bind the two countries more firm than at this time, and we think it will take a more serious breach than the much talked of Alaskan treaty to prevent a continuance.

Manitoba Cement Company

The promoters of the Manitoba Cement Company whose announcement appears on another page of this issue, claims that their mills should be the most profitable in the world for the reason that they will have no competition in their market. Experienced engineers have estimated that the cost per barrel to manufacture Portland cement in their plant will not exceed $1.25. The present wholesale price of cement in Winnipeg is $4.00. The cost of bringing cement from Ontario in freight is $1.20. This saving freight alone would represent a fair profit, for the Manitoba Cement Company. The company is receiving congratulations on having a strong and representative Board of Directors. Forms of application for stock and prospectus may be obtained from Messrs. J. F. H. Ussher and Co., stock brokers, 28 Wellington Street West.

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Mr. Pearson's Dates

Parties having horses to dispose of will do well to see Mr. W. J. Pearson, the popular Montreal horse buyer, at one of the following places: White's hotel, Peterborough, Wednesday, February 4th; Simpson's hotel, Lindsay, Thursday morning, February 5th; Brook's hotel, Fenelon Falls, Thursday afternoon, February 5th. Mr. Pearson will pay the highest market price for good, sound horses of every description.

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DISTRICT NEWS

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS

MOUNT PLEASANT.

—The barn of Mr. Windram, of Emily, was destroyed last week, together with all its contents.

—The snow is very deep in the swamps, so the frost has not penetrated far. Consequently it is very hard to draw out loads.

—Ex-Reeve Hooten had the misfortune to have one of his horses drop dead while drawing a load of wood. No cause was apparent for its sudden demise.

KEENE.

Campbellford hockey boys came up on Friday last, and played their first game in the T. V. League, with Keene. They got a beating they will remember for some time, the score being 21—3 in favor of Keene.

The Keene boys met their first defeat this season at Norwood on Wednesday evening. A large crowd drove down to see the match. At half time neither side had scored and in the second half Norwood got 4 goals and Keene 1. As Norwood was defeated at Keene a couple of weeks ago, they will have to play off the draw on neutral ice next week. The Keene players were: Goal, H. Dinsdale; point, Jas. Dixon; cover point, J. McCarthy; forwards, F. Walsh, H. Quinn, G. Laing and V. McCarthy.

The Y.P.S.C.E. of St. Andrew's church Peterborough, were entertained by the young people of the Presbyterian church, on Monday evening.

Miss Cavanagh, of Peterborough, is spending a few days at Dr. Harrison's.

Miss Susie Campbell, of Peterborough, was in the village on Wednesday, the guest of Miss Harrison.

Miss Eaton, of Norwood, spent a few days with Miss Eason this week.

The girls who represented the hockey club at the carnival were treated to an oyster supper on Saturday evening by the hockey boys.

The Keene Improvement Association will hold a concert on Monday evening, and have engaged Mr. L. B. Spafford. All who attend may expect a very enjoyable evening.

Mr. James Elmhirst's trotting horse Prince Hal, succeeded in taking first place at the races on Thursday last.

Mr. John Comrie and Miss May McFarlane, daughter of Mr. P. McFarlane, were married on Tuesday evening by the Rev. Mr. McDonald, before a large number of friends. The young couple will reside in Otonabee. We wish them many happy years of wedded life.

Mr. John Moore has purchased a lot in the village, and will put up a residence during the coming summer.

Mr. George Brown has moved into the village, to reside for the future.

Mr and Mrs. Wm. Main, of Peterborough, spent a few days with friends here this week.

WARSAW.

The anniversary services at the Methodist church, Warsaw, on Sunday and Monday evening last, were very successful. The Rev. J. Sartrop, of Toronto, preached on Sunday to a large congregation.

On Monday evening tea was served in the basement of the church to a large number. In connection with the services subscriptions were taken on behalf of the parsonage fund, which totalled $400 being the sum required, and the church is now quite free from debt. Inspiring and profitable addresses were delivered on Monday evening by Rev. Mr. Atkinson, of the Presbyterian church, and by Rev. Mr. Bartrop, Rev. Mr. McQuade, the pastor, under whose supervision the evening's program was arranged, is to be congratulated on the complete financial success of the project.

BENSFORT.

The farmers are very busy at present drawing their grain to market. Quite a number of them are drawing building material home for next summer's work.

Mr. Isaac Kerr is building a stone foundation under his barns.

Mr. Herman Thompson, who has been very sick for some time, is recovering.

Mr. John Fletcher has George Smithson engaged in building a storehouse and refrigerator for the purpose of keeping meats of all kinds. This will supply a long felt want, as we have had no butcher shop in our village for several years.

A horse belonging to Mr. Orde of Otonabee, came into our village on Thursday of last week, hitched to a cutter. The driver was far in the rear.

On Thursday afternoon of last week some of our lady friends proposed to go for a three mile tramp on their snowshoes. Several entered the contest, but there were only two of them who covered the entire distance, arriving home much refreshed by the exercise.

Miss Boskill of Lakevew, spent a few hours very pleasantly with her friend, Miss Marett, on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Albert Nurse has built a handsome residence on the north end of his farm. He has it all completed except the painting, and has promised the boys an oyster supper and dance just as soon as he gets moved into it.

Mr. John Pue has his brick house ready to build just as soon as spring opens.

The Board of Health met at Centreville last Monday for the transaction of business.

On Friday night of last week, a number of young people of Otonabee and several Monaghan people were entertained at the home of Mr. T. Wood.

Fishing through the ice seems to be good sport this winter, and some who cannot find time to go during the week, just steal away on Sunday afternoon to try their luck.

MT. PLEASANT.

A horse owned by ex-Reeve Hooten while with his mate pulling a load of wood up a hill, fell dead. Cause of death not known.

Farmers are busy threshing. The hum of the engine is heard daily.

Those who have to cut their firewood in the swamp find it very difficult, as the frost has not penetrated the ground sufficiently to allow hauling it out.

A few days ago a man trying to draw a load of lumber into the swamp, lost one of his horses. He broke his leg and and his owner had to shoot him. The snow is very deep, which keeps the frost out of the ground.

Mr. Windram, of the township of Emily sustained a very heavy loss last week by having his barn with its contents destroyed by fire.

Mr. Beatty, of Omemee has come to the rescue with the best coal in the market. He sells it at a reasonable price, considering the great difficulty and delay he has in getting it. Come one, come all, and get a first-class coal from Beatty, of Omemee, dealer in farm produce, etc. We tried his coal and find it the best we have ever burned.

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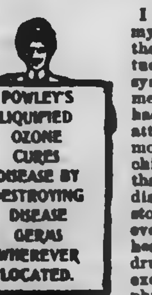

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OBJECTS OF THE COMPANY

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When the plant shall have been completed the Company will own material sufficient for at least 200,000,000 barrels of cement, and a mill capable of converting this material into cement of the highest grade, and by reason of its position and open market in the West, can without question manufacture and market its product at a maximum profit.

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Annual output, 300,000 barrels		

Gross Annual Profit		$315,000
Sinking Fund	$20,000	
Repairs and depreciations	50,000	70,000
Total annual profit for surplus and dividends		$245,000

N.B.—The present wholesale selling price of cement in Winnipeg is $4.00 per bbl.

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The letters that follow speak for themselves, and should prove that our judgment, while not infallible, is to be depended upon.

Last October, when December Corn was selling around 43 1-2 cents we urged all our customers to buy. Those who followed our advice and kept their trades in force made enormous profits.

We now urge the purchase of MAY CORN. MAY CORN is selling around 43 1-2 cents, and we believe that a purchase of this Cereal NOW will earn as great profits for the purchaser as did December Corn.

Read the following letters carefully, then send for our FREE BOOKLET giving reasons for our advice to buy MAY CORN.

Railway Mail Service, Office of
Assistant Superintendent Fifth Division.
Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 5th, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 3rd inst., enclosing check for my balance, $125.00, and for my friend Chesley of $61.56, which I have turned over to him. This is a very handsome profit on less than a month's transactions, on $100.00 investment in corn.

I appreciate your kindness very much, indeed, in closing the account so promptly following my request to do so.

Very truly yours,
HARRY M. FIRST.

Room 421, Government Building.
Baxter, Ohio, Dec. 4th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I have received your check for $112.50, amount I made by investing $25.00 in December corn and holding it about twenty days.

Thanking you for your good judgment in buying December corn at low price for me, and selling it at the very highest price, I remain yours very respectfully.

H. S. DOWNS.

Montreal, Can., Dec. 3rd., 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your favor of the 29th ult., with enclosure, came to hand yesterday, but I was so busy that I could not find time to reply to same until today.

I note your remarks regarding December corn, that you sold my holdings and invested the same, with profits, in May corn, which, under the circumstances, was and is satisfactory.

I also note your remarks regarding May corn, and leave you the handling of same, as you may think best and most profitable.

Awaiting your further favors, I remain yours truly,
W. H. LOVE.

Sacramento, Cal., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
214-222 Rialto Building.
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received two letters from you today, which inform me that you have, according to my instructions, sold my holdings in December corn and bought 2,250 bushels of May corn at 43 cents, on a margin of 2 cents. This means a profit of $21.25 in fifteen days on an investment of $25.00, which, I must say, is very satisfactory to me, as it is my first venture in margins in grain or any other like investment.

Kindly continue to re-invest as your judgment dictates. I am satisfied to have you make the investment earn what it can.

Again thanking you, I am
Respectfully yours,

Ann Harbor, Mich., Dec. 4th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—In reply to yours of Nov. 29th (which would have been answered before this, but for the sickness of the writer), you did exactly what you should have done, and I hereby authorize you to make such moves in the matter as you think would be for my best interest, always saving me from loss, if possible.

I am well pleased over your action in the above deal, and hope to see you soon and express my thanks to you in person.

Very truly yours,
H. F. STURTEVANT.

Training Station,
Newport, R.I., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I received your letter of Nov. 29th, and approve of your action in selling my holdings in December corn and purchase of May instead.

Wishing you luck in selling and buying when you think best, I am,

Very respectfully,
BENJAMIN SMITH.

Armada, Mich., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favor of the 29th ult. received, and I hasten to reply. I have just arrived home and I am well pleased with the way you have handled my investment in December corn and with the handsome profits; also with your having disposed of the same and investing in May corn (the confirmatory for which I have received).

I wish to heartily thank you all for the conserving and kindly interest you have taken in my welfare. I have every confidence in you and your abilities. Do with the May deal as your best judgment would indicate would be best for us, and I wish you every success in it.

I also wish to thank you for sending me "The St. Louis Star."

Very sincerely yours,
D. H. WILSON.

Evanston, Wyo., Dec. 2nd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of Nov. 26th, enclosing draft for $827.80, at hand, with advice of $300.00 as margin on 15,000 bushels May corn, and appreciate the way you have managed the business, as you did not sell me out when I expected you would, but protected my interest to a good advantage, as above proceeds go to show.

I thank you for your good judgment in handling the business.

Yours truly, CHARLES STONE.

Rutland, Vt., December, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your letter at hand this morning, and I want to say that you are "true blue" all the way through—I'll bet my last dollar on you.

I sent a telegram for more May corn and I have got $25.00 here for you to remargin if it goes down. DON'T FORGET THIS for I want to wire; and if it comes to a pinch you can have more than $25 to protect the $50.00.

I am glad I have found someone to depend on, at least, and am more than obliged to you.

Thanking you, I am, sincerely,
40 Elm street. JEAN FISHER.

Hughesville, Pa., Dec. 11, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of your favor of the 8th inst., enclosing me your company's check for balance due me in full, for which I thank you.

I appreciate the manner in which you served me in this transaction, and I assure you I will give you an order shortly for some May corn. What is your present opinion of this delivery?

I miss very much the copy of your evening paper you so kindly sent me, but which has been discontinued.

I will be very glad to receive, at your earliest opportunity, your advices.

Yours very truly,
CHAS. H. MORRILL.

Cleveland, Nov. 22nd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of your valued favor of the 20th, also check for $111.44 covering in full my account. My trading with your firm has been very satisfactory, and I thank you for the manner in which you have handled my account.

Yours very truly,
F. M. HALL.

Saugerties, N.Y., Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the check for $890.43, in full of my account. I want to thank you for your good advice in regard to purchasing this December corn, also the prompt and satisfactory way you have handled my account. I only regret that I did not take your further advice not to withdraw quite so soon, and I would have acknowledged receipt of a check for $1,-090.43.

Again thanking you, I am, yours truly,
ADAM W. ELIAS,
per H. T. K.

Belleville, Ill., Nov. 26th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Yours of the 24th received, with check for $103.13, in payment of $25.00 which I entrusted to you October 21st to buy December corn, which you sold November 21st, with a net profit of $78.13—my check from you today showing the same, for which you will please accept my sincere thanks. My only regret is that I did not make a larger investment, as per your advice.

Truly yours, M. W. CARTER.

Slaterville Springs, N.Y., Nov. 25, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen—I have your favor of the 21st, enclosing check for $344.11, margin and profit on December corn. My profit of $219.11 on an investment of $125.00, made in less than a month, is certainly due to the way you handled the account.

Yours very truly,
A. J. SLATER.

Bobcaygeon, Ont., Nov. 22nd, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your letter and account duly received, for which accept thanks. I wired you this morning to forward by check my deposit and also profits, total of $88.00.

This is a very handsome showing for a $25.00 investment for ten days, and I assure you that you shall do business for me again, and also, many of my friends.

Yours very truly,
JOHN CONWAY.

Sharpsburg, Iowa, Nov. 26th, 1902,

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:
Hugh Dennis, President.

Dear Sir,—You cannot imagine my surprise upon receiving your personal check for last week's profit, and then upon receiving check for this week's profits, makes me completely satisfied that you do business upon a solid basis, and I can almost GUARANTEE any one of profits if they make a deposit with you.

Very respectfully,
J. J. UNDERWOOD.

Ravenna, Neb., Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received yours of the 22nd with check for $64.38, and I note that you say you have invested the $165.00 in 2,500 bushels of May corn for me.

Please accept my sincere thanks for the $169.38 which you made for me on the $50.00 investment. Had I left you alone, as I should have done, you would have made me nearly $300.00 in the three weeks; but I am satisfied with what you have done.

Hoping you will do as well, or better, with my May corn, and again thanking you, I am yours truly,
J. VALEK.

Whipple Barracks, Ariz., Nov. 21, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received your telegram last evening saying that you had sold the corn that I had directed (9,000 bushels) at 57 3-4. I thank you for your promptness and success with the order. If you have not already done so, on receipt of this, please send me the entire proceeds from this sale by check, $766.-40.

I will watch the market, and a little later will take a flyer in May corn.

I assure you of my appreciation of the faithful interest and good business judgment with which you have handled my investment and which insures me a nice little sum of Thanksgiving and Christmas money. Very sincerely,
E. E. HATCH.

Captain 18th Infantry.
Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 10th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I notice by the reports that corn is gradually on the rise. I am telling my friends how well you used me, and I hope you will hear from this city in the shape of a good amount to invest. I certainly boost you with all my might. If my May investment proves as good as did the December, I will be satisfied.

Kindly let me hear from you occasionally. Thanking you, I am yours truly.
323 Valentine R. W. WALES

Washington, D.C., Nov. 25, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your letter of 20th, enclosing check for $109.45, received.

The transaction was very satisfactory, and I thank you for its successful termination. Respectfully yours,
JAMES H. CAMPBELL.
1,543 T st., N.W.

National Military Home, Ohio,
November 22, 1902.

Hugh C. Dennis, Esq.
St. Louis, Mo.:

My Dear Major.—You are a daisy. Yours of the 21st, with account of sale and purchase, almost took away my breath, $92.19 and $57.00 in such a short time on the small investment is almost beyond comprehension.

Thanks to your grand success in dealing with the market, I now see my way out to pay a debt of honor I have been wanting to pay for a long time.

Please remit about $50 by American Express to Dayton, Ohio, and apply the rest due to me to more December or May corn, as your good, and almost infallible judgment may decide. I see from your purchase order that you have already bought 6,000 bushels of corn (May market.)

Thanking you for your kindness and hailing you as my benefactor, I am.
Most truly yours,
G. J. REICHE.

We told the public this last Spring about September and December Corn. We tell them the same thing now: **BUY MAY CORN.** Common sense and your own sound business judgment must tell you that May corn, bought now, will make for you enormous profits within the next sixty days. May corn will, we believe, reach a price higher than it has touched in twenty years for this option. We respectfully submit the following digest of a few of our customers' trades in December Corn. The Affidavit as to the correctness of these statements is made by our Assistant Auditor, Mr. W. Arthur Clemes. What we did for our customers in **DECEMBER** Corn may be duplicated many times over by a purchase of **MAY** Corn at its present low price.

NAME.	P. O. ADDRESS.	DATE INVESTMENT.	AMOUNT	CHECK TO BAL. SENT.
L. Smith	West Point, Ia.	Invested Oct. 10th,	$200.00	Check sent 12-3
		Closed Dec. 3rd,	549.22	$549.22
Leo. F. Hugle	New Rochelle, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 21st,	150.00	
		" Nov. 18th,	100.00	Check sent 12-3
		Closed Dec. 3rd,	639.37	$639.37
Ellis C. Richardson	Kalmarnock, Va.	Invested Oct. 9th,	200.00	Check sent 11-28
		Closed Nov. 18th,	875.00	$875.00
H. C. Bell	Box 72, Marion, O.	Invested Nov. 5th,	200.00	Check sent 11-26
		" Nov. 12th,	100.00	$1,075.00
		" Nov. 14th,	200.00	Check sent 11-29
		Closed Nov. 21st,	1,600.00	$525.00
Chas. Stone	Evanston, Wyo.	Invested Oct. 11th,	100.00	Check sent 11-26
	$300 00 reinvested in May corn	Closed Nov. 17th,	1,127.80	$827.80
A. M. Kenny	Utica, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	150.00	Check sent 11-28
		Closed Nov. 19th,	564.00	$654.35
Chas. O. Hirsching	Cleveland, O.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	30.00	
		" Oct. 21st,	150.00	Check sent 11-25
	$100.00 reinvested in May Corn	Closed Nov. 20th,	1,020.00	$920.00
S. L. Miles	Gerry, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 17th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 27th,	100.00	Check sent 11-22
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.49	$766.49
W. P. Morgan	Gerry, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 17th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 27th,	100.00	Check sent 11-22
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.49	$766.49
C. S. Scudder	Huntington, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	200.00	Check sent 11-2
		Closed Nov. 20th,	850.00	$850.00
Capt. E. E. Hatch	Whipple Barracks Prescott, Ariz.	Invested Oct. 22nd,	180.00	Check sent 11-24
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.40	$766.40
B. S. Brooks	Glade Springs, Va.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	250.00	Check sent 11-20
		Closed Nov. 19th,	1,083.00	$1,083.00
A. W. Elias	Saugerties, N Y.	Invested Oct. 6th.	100.00	
		" Oct. 21st,	100.00	Check sent 11-21
		Closed Nov. 18th,	890.43	$890.43
M. J. Higley	Burlington, Ia.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	200.00	Check sent 11-21
	$300.00 re-invested.	Closed Nov. 21st,	787.50	$487.50
Elmer Bristnall	Aurora, Ia.	Invested Oct. 9th,	100.00	Check sent 11-21
		Closed Nov. 17th,	664.56	$664.56
Geo. C. Wait	Watkins, N. Y.	Invested Nov. 5th,	172.00	Check sent 11-20
		Closed Nov. 18th,	622.00	$622.00

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
City of St. Louis. }

W. ARTHUR CLEMES, of lawful age, being duly sworn before me, on his oath says that he is the Assistant Auditor of and for the Rialto Grain and Securities Co. of the City of St. Louis; that he is familiar with the books of account of said Company, and that he has personally examined the accounts of the aforesaid persons, and that the statements thereof, as above set out, are true.

W. ARTHUR CLEMES.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this eighth day of December 1902. My term expires January 10th, 1905.

IRWIN WALKER, Notary Public in and for the City of St. Louis, Mo

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Oswego, Ill., Dec. 5th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your check for $103.13 received. Thank you very much for prompt and courteous attention to my correspondence and dealings.

I remain, gentlemen, very truly yours,
DR. THOS. B. DREW.

Santa Cruz, Cal., Dec. 3rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your letter of the 28th ult. received, together with enclosure of draft for $426.50, and please accept my thanks for same.

I am very well pleased with your manipulation of my holdings, and can find absolutely no cause for complaint. At one time my case most certainly looked rather hopeless, but, thanks to your suggestions, on which I acted, you brought me through with flying colors, and I trust that our future business relations may prove as congenial and profitable as they have in the past.

Thanking you for the kind and just treatment that I have received at your hands, I remain very truly yours,
46 Locust St. E. B. FOSDICK.

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 5th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of the 3rd, with check for $25.00 enclosed, was received today, and I want to say to you that I was agreeably surprised to receive it. I am more than pleased with your treatment of my investment. I have shown the check and your letter to my friends and told them if they had any idea of investing to place their money in your hands. My writing to you in the first place was an accident.

I assure you that I shall take great pleasure in recommending your firm for honest, upright dealing in every way. I trust that the investment you have made me will be one-half as successful as the one just settled.

Again thanking you for your kindness in the transaction, and if nothing happens after the holidays you may expect to hear from me, together with some of my friends.

Wishing you a merry Christmas and a happy New Year and many years of prosperity, I am,

Gratefully yours,
323 Valentine Bldg. R. W. WALES.

Little Falls, N.Y., Dec. 1st, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received your favor of the 29th ult. today, with statement and remittance of my account, for which I thank you.

I also wish to express my appreciation of your fair dealing with me, and say that I am much pleased with the large profit you made for me.

In closing I would ask, on what do you base your opinion that May corn will be much higher.

Yours very truly,
EDWIN L. HALL.

Rockland, Me., Dec. 2nd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I have your letter of the 29th ult., and note with much satisfaction the result of the investment in December corn.

The investment which you have made in May corn is in keeping with my advices to use your own judgment about this investment.

I hope the investment in May corn will be profitable. Yours truly,
E. S. FARWELL.

Tuscumbia, Ala., Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Many thanks for the deal. I drew on you today for $206.25, being the $50.00 I invested and $156.25 profits made by same, full amount of my credit. Please honor the draft, as I need the money for a few days only; then I will figure with you on a larger scale.

With thanks again, I am,
Yours very truly,
J. O. CLARK.

Glenwood, Iowa, Nov. 24th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of check for $165.00, in settlement of my account.

Am pleased to say that the business which you have done for me has been in every way satisfactory and resulted in a very nice profit for me.

You will, in a short time, again have me on your list of customers.

Thanking you, I am, truly yours,
A. R. SCHIER.

Utica, N.Y., Nov. 23rd, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I wired you November 20th to sell my account out at 55 cents and wire remittance. Yesterday I received by mail statement of my account, showing a profit of $42.19 on my $25.00 investment.

I am very much pleased with the way you have handled my account. Will buy May corn later. Respectfully yours,

WALTER A. HARRIS.
93 Genesee St. Secretary.

Watertown, N.Y., Dec. 6th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of Dec. 3rd, enclosing draft for $78.84, received, for which accept my sincere thanks. I wrote to you last night asking reason for your delay in sending same, but received yours this noon.

I feel that you did finely with my first investment of $25.00, and if we had understood each other better on my first, I can see where your handling would have made a few hundred on it, which I think is sufficient to prove to any one that your firm is sound and able.

I thank you again, and hope to be able to help you to more customers, and, may be, myself dabble again soon.

Yours sincerely,
1-3 High St. W. J. KELLOCK.

Binghamton, N.Y., Dec. 5th. 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of your valued favor of the 4th and acknowledge receipt of check for $50.00, profits on December corn holdings. Also confirmation of purchase of May. Thank you very much for same. Thought one time I saw larger profits coming my way, but feel satisfied as it is, and am confident there will be something in May corn after a time. Protect it as you did my last December holdings, and I will remit margin, if necessary. When it goes up a fair gain, sell and remit whole amount,

Respectfully,
FRANCIS L. GREEN.

Bangor, Me., Nov. 28th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentleman,—Your valued favors of Nov. 24th and 26th came to me today, and I assure you that I thank you for them. You have convinced me that May corn is a very desirable purchase, and I wish that I had had more of it.

That you know what you are doing, as well as you know the future of corn goes without saying, and I am glad that I am tied up to your house, and before we are through I shall try to turn all the business towards you that I can, and I hope soon to make my own personal investments thousands instead of hundreds.

With best wishes, I am,
Yours cordially,
GEO. S. SILSBY.

Arapaho, Okla., Nov. 21st, 1902.

Mr. H. C. Dennis,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your letter notifying me of the sale of my December corn, received; and to find I had actually doubled my money to a penny in about five days, you cannot imagine my surprise. That beats our western ways of making money. Here interest runs from 12 to 24 per cent; but that is not in it with December corn.

You must have misunderstood my letter ordering immediate sale—I meant to say, sell latter part of November, 28th or 29th, to avoid any delivery, and to rebuy December 2nd or 3rd to sell about December 20th. I am not in a financial condition to invest more now, but will likely invest in May corn more heavily in a short time. Use the original purchase together with the profits, to best advantage, using your best judgment, but avoid delivery.

Should I be able to deal heavier, I shall risk your judgment in the matter.

Trusting that good luck may continue with us, I am very truly yours,
W. C. HAWKINS.

Dr. Guillermo Vives, Oculist,
Ponce, Puerto Rico,
Ponce, Dec. 20th, 1902.

Mr. Hugh C. Dennis,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favors dated December 15th and 16th were duly received including check for [illegible]. I am very glad to state that the return I had for the invested was $222; a pretty fair amount for one month's outlay.

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If it is not too much trouble for you I would be very much obliged if you would keep me informed about the movements of the market.

Giving you my best thanks for the careful and speedy attendance you have given my interests, I am,

Very respectfully,
GUILLERMO VIVES.

Inglewood, Ont., Can., Nov. 27th, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your statement to hand, and I am well satisfied with your management of my account.

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Awaiting remittances, I am,
Yours truly
FRED HARTLEY.

Thomas H. Wright,
Attorney-at-Law and Authorized
United States Claims Attorney,
Bellefontaine, Ohio, Dec. 5th, 1902

Mr. Wm. Leftwich,
V. P., Rialto G. & S. Co.,
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You will probably hear from me with more business at another time. I acknowledge receipt of enclosure, $171.36.

Very respectfully yours,
THOS. H. WRIGHT.

Office of J. F. McNulty, M.D.,
Callaway, Neb., Dec. 12th, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
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Yours truly,
J. F. McNULTY.

Pontotoc, Miss., Dec. 2, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
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Gentlemen,—Your letter and check of the 24th received a few days ago. Am well pleased with the way you handled my business for me, for the profit I received from that little amount I invested with you far exceeded my most sanguine expectations.

Very respectfully
A. D. FONTAINE.

Fitchburg, Mass., Dec. 2, 1902.

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I am in receipt of your letter dated Nov. 29th, which more than pleased me. I was surprised at such profits in a month, and I am satisfied with that May corn investment. If I am right, I have to my credit 2,250 bushels of May corn. I leave the whole matter in your hands, and make as much as you can out of it; what you do will suit me.

I thank you for what you have done for me, and I hope by the first of next May I will be able to buy 2,000 bushels of July corn. Yours truly,
GEO. BEAUREGARD.

Green Springs, W. Va., Dec. 2, 1902

Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
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J. A. WILSON.

P.S.—Excuse delay, as I wrote and forgot to mail same.

Treasury Department, Office of
Auditor for Treasury Department,
Washington, D.C., Dec. 1, 1902.

Hugh C. Dennis, Esq.,
Pres. Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favor of 29th ult., advising me of the closing out of the small deal I have made with you, and the investment of proceeds in May corn has been received and is satisfactory. You did better than I expected. I have been through the West and observed the wonderful production through that country, so that I expected a decline in December corn.

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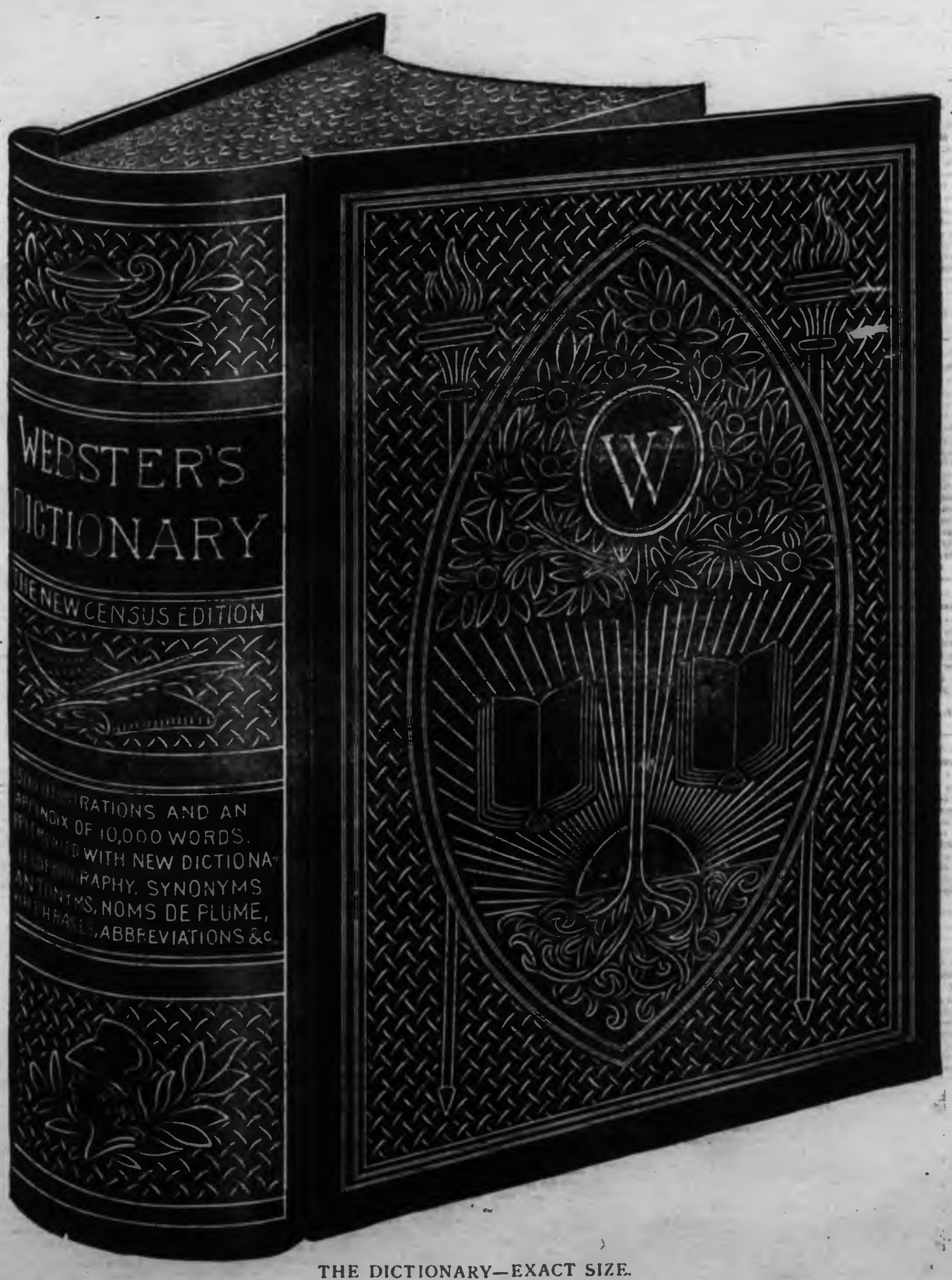
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Summary—Another day of more or less vacillating market without particular variation. Reports of a strike on the Union Pacific were current. Peoples Gas, which we recently spoke of as a favorable purchase, crept above 107. Metropolitan on the other hand fell from 138 to 136, recovered to 137 1-8. No news has been issued relative to the property. It seems to be unusually heavy. The Eries were very strong and heavily traded in. Sales 22,000. Money closed 3 per cent.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, JAN. 31, 1903

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Lost

A diamond horse shoe pin. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at Oriental Hotel.

New Election Ordered

On account of the disqualification of a member of the Council of Belmont and Methuen a new election has been ordered and will take place in a few days. It is another case of school trustee.

Sugar Beet Association

At the annual meeting of the Ontario Beet Sugar Association, held in Toronto on Thursday, Mr. E. W. Elliott, Reeve of Smith, was elected Vice-President, and Mr. T. E. Bradburn a member of the Committee of Management.

Accident at the New Dam

An accident occurred at the dam at the foot of London street, at about two o'clock yesterday afternoon. An Italian engaged on the construction works, was struck by the derrick and knocked into the pit. Fortunately no bones were broken, but he complained of internal injury. He was removed to St. Joseph's Hospital.

A Canadian's Promotion

Mr. W. W. Grant, of Peterborough, a graduate of the Guelph Dairy School, and formerly one of the instructors for the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association has been appointed a member of the dairy staff of the State Agricultural College of Kansas. The Times extends its hearty congratulations, "Billy" is sure to get to the top.

Police Court

Three cases came before the Magistrate at the Police Court yesterday. A boy charged with assaulting a woman with snowballs was discharged after a severe reprimand by the magistrate. An Indian from Scugog, who was charged with being drunk and disorderly, was discharged with a warning. A man who was accused of a breach of the bylaw by carrying night soil through the streets was fined two dollars.

A slight breakdown at the power house last evening placed the town in darkness for a short while, causing some inconvenience to business houses.

A REBUILT LAWYER

Food That Put Him Right

It is easy to correct the bad effect of wrong eating if one will give it a little thought. Scientific food is just as pleasant to the palate, and in the case of Grape-Nuts, is more delicious than improper food and it makes a world of difference in health and spirits.

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Floor Sagged

At the auction sale which was conducted by Mr. John Haggart on the second floor of the building occupied by H. E. Bradley & Co., something happened that might have resulted in a serious calamity. The floor suddenly sagged in the middle, and there was the danger of the floor giving way. As no alarm was given the place was cleared, without the people in attendance knowing how near they were to danger.

All Saint's Church

There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at All Saint's to-morrow at 8.30 a.m. The Rev. W. L. Armitage will as usual, occupy the pulpit at the morning service, choosing as the subject of his address, "The Spirit of Christ." In the evening the Rev. A. E. Langfeldt will conduct the service. Offertories will be taken in aid of the Diocesan missions.

Billets for Delegates

The committee who have charge of the arrangements for the Y.M.C.A. Convention report that as yet only 85 billets have been secured for delegates. As there will be more than double that number to provide for, it is earnestly hoped that support will not be lacking in this respect when such an important gathering is to take place. Persons willing to entertain one or more delegates are asked to report at once at the Y.M.C.A. building.

Strange Discovery

The Provincial Auditor has just issued his report and it is no doubt a very interesting pamphlet and contains many peculiar items. One in particular is very strange. During his jaunts about the country he discovered one municipality that had a surplus of $7,500, which the treasurer could in no way account for. The name of the fortunate municipality is not mentioned, but we can assure our readers that it is not the town of Peterborough.

A Good Idea

The merchants of Kingston, who for many years have given unlimited credit to customers, at least a few of them, have decided to adopt the cash system. The idea is the proper one and should be adopted by every business man in the country. No merchant can afford to give out goods and then await the pleasure of the purchaser to pay. No more than thirty days should be asked or given any class of buyer. Such a system would make better times.

Mr. Rogers' Lecture

The Montreal Star says:— "On Friday evening, Mr. R. B. Rogers, chief engineer of the Trent Canal will deliver a lecture in the course for teachers, upon the Waterways of Canada, with special reference to the Trent Canal. This lecture will be illustrated by a large number of lantern slides especially prepared for the purpose. The great importance of water transportation in the present commercial development of Canada, and the authoritative position which the lecturer holds, should secure a large attendance. Tickets will not be required, but the doors will close at a quarter past eight as usual.

Cobourg Wants Them

Cobourg Post: — Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons, of Peterborough, who recently asked exemption from taxation, and were refused by the votes of the people have expressed a willingness to leave that town and locate elsewhere. We, understand the above firm conduct a pretty large concern and would be a very acceptable institution in our town. Cobourg merchants and citizens have been gilt edged patrons of the above firm, and if they decide to move Cobourg would be as good a place as any to locate in.

Many Deer Were Killed

The fall of 1902 was a severe season on the deer of Ontario's northern woods. There were in all 6,165 deer-hunting permits issued, an increase of 75 over 1901. Non-residents secured 300 permits, double the previous year, while 160 persons were given permission to hunt moose. Of those given permits 2,681 were settlers. The Canadian Express Company carried 2,366 deer, weighing 248,000 pounds, while the Dominion Express Company carried 340 deer. In addition thousands of animals were killed and driven away in sleighs by the settlers, and of these there is no record.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Mr. G. W. Bennett, the efficient clerk of North Monaghan, has been appointed county auditor. Mr. Wm. O'Brien, of Douro, is the other.

—Potatoes are scarce and in some towns are over $1 a bag. It is predicted they will sell at $1.50 a bag in the spring.

—A lady was seen to pick up a gold watch and chain at the corner of Aylmer and Charlotte streets yesterday afternoon. An advt. by the loser will no doubt result in its recovery.

—Norwood pays the following munificient (?) salaries to village officers:—Treasurer $25, Solicitor $10, Assessor $15, Collector $40, Sanitary Inspector $20, Constable $64. The constable has to be on duty from 7 p.m. till 11 p.m. every night.

—Port Hope Guide.—Mr. R. Winch, Peterborough, was in the neighborhood of Gore's Landing the latter part of last week to learn the feeling of the farmers in this district with regard to the production of sugar beets to supply a sugar factory at Peterborough, the erection of which is being contemplated providing a sufficient supply of the roots can be secured. This industry is a growing one and should meet with approval.

A Belleville school teacher strapped a bad pupil into submission, and now the father is raising a row over it. We are glad to see that the School Board stands by the teacher. The chances are that the father is sowing a crop of dragon's teeth. Better to have taken the bad boy and applied any further persuasion necessary to make him offer the teacher a proper apology for his conduct. Many a man grows to thank his parents for compelling due respect and obedience to preceptors. The boy who gets the notion that his father backs him in treating his teachers with contempt is likely to occupy a prison cell in later days.

A DOUBTFUL CURE

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North Monaghan Deputation Gives a Hearing on Wednesday

They Want a Bridge—Also Deputation From Smith re Condition of Roads

A deputation from North Monaghan was then given a hearing. They came about a bridge condemned by the County Engineer, as being unsafe. He said that the sum of $100 had been granted, but had not been claimed, as the expense would be greater than that amount. The bridge, he said, was on the main road in the Township of Monaghan, and that there were in that Township 23 bridges to be kept up.

Mr. Brown said the township was a small one, lying just outside of Peterborough, and that there was a great deal of traffic in the district. The bridge had been closed and patched up, but it must now be rebuilt, but to do that the small township would incur a heavy debt.

Mr. Morrow said he was one who was appointed to view the bridge a short time ago. The bridge was an absolute necessity.

Mr. Bradburn said the bridge was a necessity to Peterborough and must be rebuilt. The cost of the bridge would be about $700.

Mr. Fowler said he could assure the councillors that the bridge was a necessity.

Mr. Shaw moved that the matter be referred to the Roads and Bridges committee.

A deputation from the Township of Smith was then given a hearing.

Mr. Elliott was the first speaker. He said that a certain road up a hill in that township was in a deplorable condition. A great amount of cheese was shipped over this hill and several accidents had occurred. He thought that $300 would mend matters.

Mr. Scott said that he knew the road very well, and the worst part was the aforesaid hill, which was impassible for heavy vehicles, traction engines, etc., to traverse it.

Mr. Hunter moved that it be referred to the Roads and Bridges committee.

The council then adjourned to take up committee work.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Toronto Globe: Mrs. R. J. Frost, of Peterborough, is at Matheson Hall, Yonge street, for a few days.

—Congratulations to Mr. Edward Green who yesterday celebrated his 77th birthday.

—Capt. Wilbur Harris, Gore's Landing, was in town Thursday, on business, and gave The Times a pleasant call.

—Mr. R. B. Rogers, of town, has been elected one of the councillors of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers.

—Mr. Andrew McFarlane has returned from a business trip of some weeks to Vancouver and other points in British Columbia.

—Mr. John Walls, a member of the Winnipeg city council is in town for a few days, looking up old friends. He came through with the hockey boys, who were defeated at Montreal.

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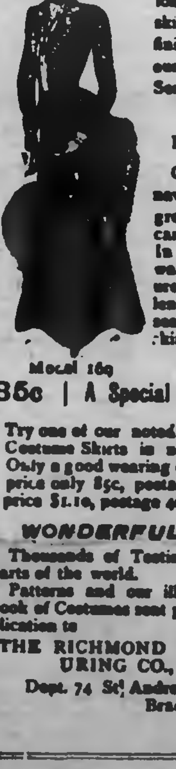

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The second thing about catarrh on which all doctors agree, is that it is difficult to cure it. Local remedies may give relief but they fail to cure permanently. Sprays or snuffs amount to little or nothing except to give temporary relief.

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ENGLAND AND FRANCE TOGETHER IN MOROCCO

France Thinks Germany Should Move First Toward Peace Terms.

London, Jan. 31—The Automobile Show which opened at the Crystal Palace yesterday comprises the finest collection of machines and accessories ever exhibited in England. Altogether more than two hundred firms exhibiting, more than six hundred machines are on the stands, while in the grounds are 125 automobiles running for the benefit of intending purchasers. The French machines still keep the lead in style, finish, and decoration. There are no radical departures in evidence, and the freak machine had had its day.

Almost all the new models have four cylinder engines, some with cylinders in pairs; others with all four lined up. The general tendency in English machines, appears to be toward increasing the power and lightness of construction, combined with greater luxury of appointments and simplicity in mechanism. In this the British manufacturers are following the lead of French makers. One thing very noticeable is that English built automobiles are coming nearer the French in style and in finish of the body of the machine. The upholstering of some English-built automobiles compares very favorably with the best Rothschild work.

There is also to be a noted increase in the number of the types of the small medium powered, moderate-price machine

'Agree in Policy.

London, Jan. 31—The Times' correspondent at Tangier says that Mulai Arafa, the Sultan's uncle, is proceeding to Riff Coast. He will thence proceed to Ujda, near the Algerian frontier. His object is not so much to attack the rebels from the East as to prevent the anti-Christian movement from spreading into Algeria, since France has notified the Sultan that if the movement approaches Algeria she will take active measures, even to the extent of invading Moorish territory.

The identical policy of England and France in the present crisis is due to an exchange of views between Lord Lansdowne and Ambassador Cambdon last year. Among the more important questions discussed was the neutrality of Tangier and the southern shores of the Straits of Gibraltar. M. Cambon's visit to Tangier with the Spanish Duke of Tetuan last August is understood to have been due to a desire personally to assure himself whether the plan was feasible.

French Armaments.

London, Jan. 31—The Times' Paris correspondent says that the socialist advocacy of disarmament is not approved by the public. While it is recognized as desirable gradually to reduce the crushing burden of armaments, it is felt that France is the last country which ought to be expected to take the initiative, which should be left to those powers which are forcing the pace in the general increase of armaments and are giving frequent signs of aggressive tendencies. The propaganda of universal disarmament, it is felt in Paris, had better be undertaken by the German peace party which can bring influence to bear where it is most needed.

London, Jan. 31.—The Times correspondent at Montevideo says that at a convention arranged between Uruguay and Argentina, regarding the mutual importation of live cattle, a decree has been issued restricting the importation of cattle from infected or suspected countries in conformity with the requirements of the British Board of Trade.

EACH STONE OF EMPIRE CEMENTED BY BLOOD

The Colonial Secretary will Spend sunday at Paardeburg at Canadian Graves

Mr. Chamberlain spends Sunday at Paardeberg, being anxious to see the spot where the Canadians struck the blow that turned the tide of war. He said yesterday at Kimberley that each stone of the Empire is cemented by blood.

London, Feb. 1—The advance spring bookings to Canada reported by the various steamship lines indicate that the unprecedently large interest in the Dominion is quickening.

May Tax Colonial Sugars.

There is a growing feeling that the Brussels Sugar Convention entered into by England with several continental powers, binds her to tax imported colonial sugar when it is bounty-aided. Mr. Balfour says this is not the Government's intention, but certainly the powers interested maintain that England is bound. Obviously the Government entered the convention without realizing the consequences to the colonies.

A Canadian Cattle King.

I have interviewed F. H. Lingham, formerly a drover at Belleville, and now called the King of Portugese East Africa, with headquarters at Delagoa Bay. He is a millionaire timber merchant ship-owner and cattleman, and is under contract with the British Government to import 10,000 stock cattle into South Africa. He says he must buy Texas cattle, as the Boers think the Canadian cattle are not suitable. Mr. Lingham recently invested half a million dollars of his savings in Dominion securities, and says he hopes to retire to Canada shortly. He considers the Dominion the finest country in the world.

Military Ball.

The first annual ball of the King's Colonials took place last night at the Royal Palace Hotel, Kensington. The whole regiment was in uniform. There was also a large number of soldier guests from other corps, and the scene was brilliant. The leading colonials were present. The Prince of Wales sent his good wishes.

Oyster Trade Killed.

The Dean of Winchester recently died of typhoid from eating oysters, and an examination of the oyster beds of England has been followed by the result that every bed is reported to be polluted by sewerage. This has killed the oyster trade, representing millions of capital and the employment of thousands of fishermen.

The Sultan Challenged.

Hamara, the claimant to the Morocco throne, challenges the Sultan to come out of Fez, the Holy City, and fight a decisive battle for the throne. The Sultan will accept. His general is Kid Maclean, a Scotchman.

Against Foreign Sailors.

The Veronica tragedy inquiry has resulted so far in the prisoners being remanded till Feb. 6th. It is expected that one of the sailors will turn King's evidence, corroborating the black cook, Moses Thomas, who says all the killed were British. The case has again started the controversy over the employment of foreigners in British ships.

CRUSHED UNDER HIS ENGINE

Thos. Johnstone While Working Underneath It

New York, Feb. 1.—Dr. Geo. W. Crile, professor of applied surgery at the Cleveland, (O.), College of Physicians and Surgeons, has made a discovery which is meeting with the greatest success in the medical and surgical world. By means of his discovery he has been repeatedly able to bring to life dogs which had been dead as long as 15 minutes.

In the experiment which resulted in this discovery he put a dog under the influence of anaesthetics and then cut off the animal's head. The dog was given an intravenous infusion of "adrenalin," the product of glands located about the kidneys of animals. This was supplemented by artificial respiration and rhythmic pressure over the thorax. By these means life was maintained in the body 16 1-2 hours.

Another dog, also under the influence of anaesthetics, was put to death by suspension of respiration by means of a clamp on the windpipe. After the expiration of 15 minutes the veins were opened and the infusion of adrenalin injected, and the other means of resuscitation resorted to. Life returned to the dog, and within a short time it was running about. The animal is alive and as well as ever now.

Dr. W. E. Lower, who assisted Dr Crile, says that he sees no reason why the same results which attended the experiments with animals cannot be obtained with human subjects especially in cases where death has been caused by surgical or electrical shock or by suffocation.

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IS NOW INCORPORATED

The Albany Club of Peterborough has Now an Official Status of Incorporation

Mr. E. B. Stone, solicitor, on Saturday received the papers of incorporation of the Albany Club of Peterborough.

The club is fixing up an elegant suite of rooms in the Opera House Block, which will be opened to the members in a few days. The club commences with a membership of 60, and it is understood that not more than 100 persons will be admitted to membership.

There will be a billiard room in connection with the club which will contain two new tables and there will also be provided a reception room, reading room and smoking room. The suite will be repainted and papered, and handsomely finished so that everything is being done to add to the comforts of the members.

GRAND MEETING

Indians from Three Reserves Meet at Chemong

The principal Indians of Hiawatha, Scugog and Chemong Reserves met in grand council at Chemong last week. About 500 were present.

A tea meeting and oyster supper, followed by an entertainment, was held on Thursday evening. The programme was a most enjoyable one.

At Council meetings held on Friday some Indian claims in Stony Lake were looked into, and it was resolved to send a deputation, consisting of the Chiefs and the secretaries of each Reserve to Ottawa, to lay their claims before the Hon. C. Sifton.

Another meeting was held in the evening concerning the camp meeting to be held during the first week in September. Peterborough had a visit from a number of the Indians on Saturday morning, for which the townspeople were unable to account.

THE LATE JUDGE MCDOUGALL

A High Tribute to a Worthy and Upright Man

The Toronto News, in referring to the demise of Judge McDougall, father of Mrs. (Dr.) Young, Peterborough, says:

"In Judge McDougall Toronto loses a public servant remarkable for fine ability and unquenchable industry, so fused, and touching public life at so many points, as to give him an altogether singular place in the community. The respect in which his probity, knowledge of law, acumen, and balanced judgment were held so profound as almost to be unconscious. He had for himself a place in the city outside of the exact and punctual discharge of his official duties, and was accepted as one of its forces making for exact performance of obligations and public rectitude. His capacity for work was amazing, and, unfortunately, he taxed his strength to the utmost. Nearly all of his services were rendered in purely official capacities, but he found time to give many years to the Public Library Board, where his talents as an administrator and his wide and sound information proved of exceptional value."

A SUCCESSFUL YEAR.

The Trusts & Guarantee Company, Limited Annual Meeting

The shareholders of the Trusts & Guarantee Company, Limited, held their sixth annual meeting at the company's offices, 14 King street west, last week, with the President, Hon. J R. Stratton, in the chair.

The directors' report of the year's business was of a very gratifying character, showing a decidedly successful year. After a dividend of 6 per cent. per annum had been paid to the shareholders, and all expenses had been met, the sum of $24,294.22 was placed to the credit of the profit and loss account, making the total of this account $46,461.70. An evidence of the solidity of the company and of the sterling business methods of its management is the fact that during the year a large amount of voluntary payments were received from the holders of partially paid up stock. These payments amounted to $122,408.18. The report shows that every department of the company's business is steadily increasing, and there is every indication of prosperity.

In his address to the shareholders the President spoke very highly of the general efficiency of the officers and staff of the company.

Last year's Board of Directors was re-elected, and at a subsequent meeting the Hon J. R. Stratton was re-elected President, and C. Kloepfer and D. W. Karn Vice-Presidents.

SUNDAY IN TOWN.

Interesting and Instructive Addresses in the Churches Yesterday

Rev. Dr. Torrance occupied the pulpit at St. Paul's yesterday morning, preaching to a large congregation. Mr. John Crane presided at the organ.

The George street Methodist Quarterly meeting was held in the church yesterday. Love feast at 10 a.m. After public service at 11 a.m., there was a reception of members. The Sacrament of Baptism and the Lord's Supper was administered. Rev. Jos. Kilgour assisted the pastor in this service. In the evening Rev. W. J. Jolliffe, pastor of Charlotte street Methodist church, occupied the pulpit.

At All Saint's there was a celebration of the Holy Communion at 8.30 a.m. At the usual morning service Rev. W. L. Armitage delivered an interesting sermon on the "Spirit of Christ." Rev. E. Langfeldt occupied the pulpit in the evening. Special offertories were taken in aid of the Diocesan Missions.

The pastor, Rev. W. J. Jolliffe, conducted the morning service at Charlotte street Methodist, and chose as the subject for his discourse, "The Witness of the Spirit."

G. W. Williamson, General Secretary was the speaker at the Y.M.C.A. and gave a delightful address on "The Seventh Man."

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VIOLENT ASSAULT UPON THE GERMANS

Writer in National Review Says They Menace World's Peace

BRITISH NATION ANXIOUS

People Want to See End of Venezuelan Affair—Hitch in the Negotiations

New York, Feb. 1.—The correspondent of the New York Tribune in London cables:

London, Feb. 1.—In the February number of the National Review appears "A Warning to the Cabinet," by "Elector," in which in an extremely violent assault upon Germany it is urged that a naval base on the east coast and a strong fleet in the North Sea are absolutely indispensable to Britain under any circumstances, and that Britain's foreign policy must work for the isolation of Germany as the most dangerous and aggressive enemy of the status quo in Europe.

The writer maintains that the German policy is menacing the whole world, and that Holland, Belgium, Switzerland, Austria and Denmark are marked down by the pan-Germans for plunder and partition. In the same magazine Captain Mahan has an academic article on the Monroe Doctrine. The article is chiefly remarkable for the way in which Captain Mahan asserts that Japan, China and the Pacific generally cannot be included with Africa, the Levant and India, within the exclusive sphere of European interests.

The nation is anxiously awaiting the end of the Venezuelan affair. A temporary impasse seems to have been produced by the refusal of Britain, Germany and Italy to admit equality of treatment all round, but there will probably be a way out of the difficulty. No solution of this international problem can, however, remove the deep impression which was made when the policy of the British Foreign Office was first revealed to the country. The reputation of the Government has been seriously damaged, and a warm time consequently is in store for the Ministers when Parliament meets on February 17th.

KRUGER'S GRANDSON ENGAGED

Bought English Soldiers for Birthday Present and Threw Them in the Street

Mentone, Jan. 30 —Ex-President Kruger, of the Transvaal, who is living here, gave his ten-year-old grandson five francs to spend on his birthday. The boy went to a bazaar, and bought a box of tin soldiers. He afterwards found that they represented English soldiers, whereupon he screamed with rage, and threw them into the street, to the amazement of the people passing by.

FORCING HIS WIFE TO PRAY

Indiana Religious Fanatic is Fined in Police Court

Kokomo, Ind., Feb. 1.—John Uewdick was fined $40 in Mayor Bruse's court yesterday for severely whipping his wife because of her refusal to join him in prayer.

The woman had been roughly handled and presented a most woe-begone appearance. Two blackened eyes were the most prominent points in the spectacle.

Mrs. Uewdick claimed that she was willing to join him in prayer, but, from his vagaries was not always in position to tell when he would call on her for impromptu prayer. At the time of the assault she was making bread, had her hands in the dough, in fact, and expostulated with him on the grounds that her husband demanded some attention.

ROSS' MAJORITY IS GROWING NOW

Mr. R. R. Gamey, M.P.P, who was elected to the Legislature for the first time last May by the new constituency of Manitoulin, has announced that, instead of supporting Mr. Whitney, as it has been confidentially expected he would do, he would throughout the present Parliament give an independent support to the Ross Government. Mr. Gamey changes his allegiance because, he says, there is no doubt that the Government has another four years' lease of power and he believes he can do a great deal more for his constituency and for New Ontario generally, by supporting the Government, than by opposing it.

Ross' Safe Majority.

At the present moment, Mr. Ross has accordingly, a majority of 8 in the House. When Mr. Davis resigns in North York, it will be 7, but after the elections are held in North York, North Renfrew and Center Bruce, it may be 10. And, besides, there are still three petitions against Conservatives before the courts—in Lennox, South Oxford, and Sault Ste. Marie. There is also one against a Liberal—in East Middlesex.

Mr. Gamey's Reasons.

Mr. Gamey, in discussing his change of ground, said:

"I have for some time been seriously considering the matter you mention. I have thought it over very seriously, and have come to the conclusion that it would be in the best interests of my constituency, as well as New Ontario, generally, that any Government in power should have a strong enough support to carry on the work.

"I believe that with a strong following the Ross Government will carry out their policy of developing New Ontario. I am chiefly interested in that; in this respect Manitoulin is my politics, and I feel that I have a right to do the best that I can do for its welfare. And I feel that I can do this best by helping the Government with

An Independent Support,

for I realize as well as anybody can what the development policy of the Ross Government has done, as well as what it is doing, and also what it is calculated to do for the advancement of New Ontario.

"My desire to see this policy carried out has led me to decide to give the Government an independent support. I will not be a staunch supporter, but will stand firmly by the Government on all questions where they need my help to carry out any good development policy. I want to see the Government kept in power by a fairly strong support, and will stand by them on all questions which may involve a vote of want of confidence in matters that I am satisfied with.

"I believe I can, by independently supporting the Government, induce them to introduce changes in mining laws, timber, and settler's regulations, and appointment of officials, that will be in the interests of New Ontario. I find that the members of the Legislature in the past have often erred through lack of knowledge, rather than intentionally in regard to New Ontario questions.

PETERBORO' DEFEATED BY ST.GEORGES

On Saturday Night, In an Exhibition Game

The St. George's Hockey Club, of Toronto sent down their senior team to do battle with the Peterborough intermediate seven on Saturday night, on the Brock street rink. A fair crowd of spectators turned out to witness the match, and were given a good exhibition of hockey. In the early part of the game things seemed to be going Peterborough's way as the rubber was kept in the vicinity of the St. George's net, but luck was not coming Peterborough's way and after a few minutes play the speedy forward line of the St. George's took the rubber up the ice and scored, Peterborough doing likewise about 3 minutes after, both teams scoring alternately until 3 goals had been notched for either team, the St. George's breaking the running by adding two more to their number, making the score at half time 5 to 3 in the visitors favor. In the next half both teams came out with a determination to pile up their scores, and were playing faster hockey than in the first half of the game, with the result that at the expiration of time the score stood 7 to 5 in St. George's favor, each team adding two goals to their score. The game was free from any rough play, although some heavy checking was indulged in. Cavanagh of the local team, was the first player to deck the fence, followed by Hynds, of the visitors, and Morgan of the home seven. Graham played on the forward line during the first half and Morgan during the remainder of the game.

The ice was not in very good shape as the skating in the afternoon and previous evening cut the ice considerably.

Lee, of the Juniors, who took the place of Glover, at point, played a good game, it being his first time out with the seniors. Crough in goal has improved considerably and stopped some pretty hot ones.

Mr. Jas. McCabe officiated as referee.

—The Winnipeg Vics and Montreal game on Saturday night resulted in a draw, 2—2.

Montreal, Jan. 30 —The first of the series for the Stanley Cup was played last night at the Arena, Montreal, the holders, defeating the Victorias of Winnipeg, the challengers, by 8 goals to 1. The visitors were outclassed on the slow, heavy ice, so the 5,000 spectators became disgusted, and most of them left before the match was finished.

On Thursday evening next there will be a matched race for the championship of the County of Peterborough, at the Brock street rink. The following are those who will try to win this year's championship:—Oliver Dusty, champion of the Midland District, and Walter Jackson, champion of the County of Peterborough, to be skated in one mile heats, two out of three, for a valuable trophy. Mr. W. E. Genno, of Copper Cliff, Ont., the champion barrel jumper, on skates, of the world, will give an exhibition.

Mr G. E. Whiten is responsible for an excellent photograph of the winning group in the Primary Series of the Peterborough bonspiel, which is on exhibition in the window of Ormond & Walsh's drug store, corner of George and Simcoe streets. The group is an excellent likeness of the winning team.

ENGLAND AND GERMANY ACT IN PERFECT HARMONY

No Anglo-German Friction, Matters of Detail Discussed at Washington

Calcutta, Jan. 31— It is stated that the Indian Government views with some anxiety the efforts that are being made to exploit the iron and steel resources of India. Three big schemes are now afoot. The Bengal Iron and Steel Company has erected great plants at Barakar and Tutte end their experts are examining the ores in Central India. Sir Ernest Cassel has sent an agent for a similar purpose to Jubbulpore, and Mr. Phipps, the secretary of the American Steel Corporation, is now in Calcutta, it is believed, with a view to looking over the same business. Lord Curzon, the Viceroy, favors the schemes, but high officials are afraid that their realization would mean the influx into India of large numbers of democratic workmen, whose presence would greatly complicate the problems of the Government.

Fast Canadian Steamship Line.

New York, Jan. 31—The Irish Times claims (according to the London correspondent of the Tribune) to have the most excellent authority for stating that the Canadian Government is absolutely determined to institute a fast steamship service as soon as possible, by which mails can be landed at Vancouver within eight days from London. The Dominion authorities have not yet fixed a port of call on this side of the Atlantic, and Ireland is pushing the claims of Blacksod Bay, which is nearer Halifax than any other port in the United Kingdom.

Killed by a Stray Bullet.

Toronto, Jan. 31 —The funeral of J. Lahmar, a Canadian, who was killed in St. Louis Mo., last Thursday, took place at Vellore, near Richmond Hill, yesterday from the home of his parents. Lahmar, who was a wholesale druggist in St. Louis, was standing on a corner, waiting for a street car, when a bullet from a revolver used by a bartender in a near-by saloon to defend himself from the attacks of a band of roughs, pierced his brain. Lahmar was divorced from his wife in the States and she afterwards married Dr. Heffner of Elmira, N.Y. Mrs. Heffernan was present at the funeral. A son from Chicago also attended the obsequies.

Opposing Forces Face to Face.

London, Jan. 31—The Times' correspondent at Tangier says that the rebels and the troops of the Sultan are reported facing each other on the banks of the Inawen River, a tributary of the Sebu, not far from Fez. In skirmishes that have occurred the advantage has been with the rebels. Optimism in Fez has given way to much anxiety, as the rebels are reported to outnumber the troops of the Sultan who is declared to be weary of the struggle, and anxious to leave Fez.

Sixteen of the Crew Missing.

London, Jan. 31 —The British steamer Croffoo, from Glasgow, for Buenos Ayres, was sunk off Rambay Island recently. Six of her crew were saved by the life boat, one man lost his life and sixteen are missing.

London, Jan. 30—The Times' Brussels correspondent says that permission to turn to South Africa has been granted to Wolmerans, the Boer delegate, as well as Fischer, his co-worker.

Madrid, Jan. 30 —A despatch to The Imparcial from Tangier announces that Bu Hamara, the pretender to the throne of Morocco, has been repulsed and is retreating rapidly.

Hamilton, Jan. 30—Thos. Johnstone, of Walton, a fireman on a freight from Sarnia to Toronto, yesterday alighted from his engine to fix some part of the machinery under it. While underneath, he signaled the engineer to go ahead a short distance in order that he might see how it worked. He fell beneath the wheels, and the engineer passed over the center of his body. When it was stopped the poor fellow was found to be terribly crushed, but was conscious, and suffering fearful agony. He was carried on the train to this city, and on the way he suffered terrible pain, and time and again begged of the driver to go slower and ease his agony. He died about half an hour after reaching the hospital.

A SENSATION AMONG THE GERMAN NOBILITY

Countess Substitutes a Child as Her Own--Wished to Gain an Estate

Berlin, Feb. 1—A sensation has been caused among the Polish and German nobility by the arrest of Countess Isabella Weisierska Kwilecki, wife of a great Polish magnate, on the charge of substituting a child as her own, for the purpose of securing her family an estate of 12,000 acres. The story reads like an old-fashioned romance. The incidents were first made public in 1896 when the Countess claimed that she had borne a male child. She was then fifty years old, and had not borne a child for seventeen years. The remarkable, though not impossible, occurrence excited the suspicion of Count Mirjislaw Kwilecki, a member of the Upper House of the Prussian Diet, and the head of a collateral branch of the family, which, in the event of the Countess and her husband dying without a son, would have inherited the estate. When the child was four years old, Count Mirjaslaw thought he had obtained sufficient evidence to prove the substitution. He brought a civil action to set aside the boy's rights, and lost the case. This was two years ago. He continued to gather evidence which is now abundant enough to have induced the police to arrest the Countess, the charge against her being substitution for the sake of gain, to which a penalty of ten years' penal servitude attaches. The trial will take place in Berlin. Two hundred witnesses have been supoenaed. Both branches of the family have many friends in exalted circles, and the case has excited great excitement among them.

Opposed to Subsidies.

Berlin, Feb. 1—Herr Ballin, director of the Hamburg-American Steamship Company, in an interview, said he regretted that Great Britain had subsidized the Cunard Line, not because he feared competition, but because of the bad example. The experiences of Italy and France had shown the deadening effect of subventions on the shipping industry. He had resolved to do his utmost to prevent Germany from granting them. Great Britain, he added, had practically presented the Cunard Line with new boats. Their consumption of coal would be enormous, and he did not believe that they would ever successfully compete with the shipping combination. He was convinced that shipping prospered best in independence.

Lunched With the King.

London, Feb. 1— Mr. Henry White, the American Charge d'Affaires, took luncheon recently with the King and Queen, as the guests of Earl Carrington, the Lord Great Chamberlain, at High Wycombe. When, according to custom, the list of guests was submitted to the King he made a special request that Mr. White's name be added.

Riot at Amsterdam.

Amsterdam, February 1.—The striking railway men and dock laborers yesterday attacked a party of free laborers. A fight with knives and clubs followed. Several of the combatants were so seriously injured that it was necessary to take them to the hospital. A strong force of infantry and marines is now helping the police to maintain order. The strike threatens to hinder shipping. Outward bound vessels have hitherto obtained their cargoes, but the strikers refuse to discharge the vessels arriving. It is feared that passenger traffic may be stopped.

FOUND DEAD IN BED BLEW OUT THE GAS

Montreal, Jan. 30.—A pretty French-Canadian country girl is dead at the General Hospital, and a married lady friend is dying, presumably because they blew out the gas.

The came from St. Lin yesterday, in good health and spirits, bent on having a pleasant visit to Montreal. They called at the house of their Montreal friends at 761 St. Dominique street, and after spending the evening chatting, retired to their room, which was lighted by gas.

This morning after the lady of the house where they were visiting had been up some time she noticed an awful smell of gas from the direction of the room where her visitors were sleeping. The suspicion that something was very wrong immediately crossed her mind, and rushing up to and entering it, she found her fears realized, the room was full of gas, and the bodies of her two friends apparently lifeless upon the bed.

Help was immediately summoned and the General Hospital ambulance called for, but all the ambulance doctor could do was to testify that the young girl was dead, and that her friend was, in probability, beyond any help.

The young girl's name is Clarine Dufeau, and that of the older lady Mrs. Husler.

An inquest will be held by Coroner McMahon, who has been notified by the the authorities of the General Hospital.

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SAFE IS LOCKED UP

Only Man Who Knows Combination is Dead

Cornwall, Ont., Jan. 30.—The safe in the Counties building is locked and since the sudden death of the late Treasurer Mattice no one knows the combination. The consequence is that the Counties Council will have to engage an expert to open the safe and another meeting of the Council will be held in the last week of February, as it is impossible to finish the business now.

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THE COUNTY COUNCIL

The Matter of a House of Refuge Taken up on Friday

Reports of Committees—Special Beet Sugar Beet Committee Appointed by the Council

The County Council went into session Friday morning at 11.30, with Warden Crowe in the chair, and the Councillors all present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

BEET SUGAR COMMITTEE.

Mr. Fitzgerald presented the following report of the special committee appointed to accompany the deputation to Berlin re sugar beets:

The committee appointed at the last January session of this council to ascertain the prospect of securing in this county a beet sugar factory and to act if desirable in co-operation with any other committee, beg leave to report:

That they were requested to unite with a deputation of the council of the Town of Peterborough and with the provisional directors of a company formed for the above purpose in arranging a visit to the beet sugar factory at Berlin, and after obtaining the approval of the Warden, an inspection of the factory, by the members of this council, of the town council, and of others interested in providing such an industry, was arranged for the 27th day of November last.

The deputation was received by the manager of the company and Mr. Shuttleworth, provincial analyst, also the Mayor of the town, and the members of the County Council, who very kindly showed the deputation through the factory, explaining the whole process very fully and furnishing the deputation with a good deal of information.

A full account of the process of manufacture, etc., was published in the newspapers at the time, and it is not necessary to go at all fully into detail.

The committee, however, desire to emphasize the following points of which their visit convinced them:

1.—The article produced of of an excellent quality and meets with a ready sale.

2.—Several millions of dollars are at present sent out of the Dominion in purchase of sugar, and such industries tend to retain money in circulation among the people of the country.

3.—The directors appeared well satisfied with the result of their venture, and under proper management, a factory at Peterborough should become a permanent industry.

4.—The farmers who had furnished beets to the factory and who were consulted by the members of the deputation as a rule expressed themselves as very well satisfied with the results and stated they intended to take additional acreage this year. The few who complained were those who had undertaken too much, and your committee concluded that a farmer undertaking from two to five acres would find his enterprise rewarded with a very profitable return for his labor.

On behalf of the committee.

G. W. FITZGERALD.

On motion of Mr. Shaw, seconded by Mr. Peck, the report was adopted.

Mr. Hunter spoke on the report, pointing out the value of the beet sugar industry as he had seen it in the west and dwelt upon the many advantages existing in Peterborough and vicinity for such an industry.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

On motion a deputation from the Horticultural Society was heard.

Mr. Dumble, was the first speaker, and he dwelt upon the unity of interests existing between the County and Town of Peterborough. One should co-operate with the other, he said, looking to advancement along the lines of business and the good condition of those institutions which were so important for the good standing and credit of the town and county. Mr. Dumble said he represented the Horticultural Society and made request for a grant of $100 towards the maintenance of parks. It was very desirable that these should be maintained in proper condition, and the town council was undoubtedly willing to do their part in contributing towards this object.

Mr. Dumble spoke in favor of the beet sugar industry and said it should be supported by the town and county.

Mr. W. H. Hill was next heard. He congratulated Warden Crowe upon his appointment and expressed his assurance that the position would be marked by the tact, and good judgment so characteristic of that gentleman. Mr. Hill brought before the council the desirability of a grant being made to the Horticultural Society.

Mr. Shaw moved, and Mr. Menague seconded, that the matter be referred to the Finance committee.—Carried.

JOINT COMMITTEE.

Mr. Johnston on motion presented the following report of the Joint committee:

To the Council of the County of Peterborough:

Gentlemen: Your Joint committee beg leave to report as follows:

1. Your committee had a meeting on Jan. 28th inst. with the Joint committee of the council of Town of Peterborough at which the following resolution was adopted:

"That a sub-committee consisting of Mayor Roger and Ald. Morrison and County Councillors Johnston and Peck be appointed to enquire into the whole subject of a House of Refuge or some other manner of properly caring for the poor of the town and county and that the town and county councils be requested to make provision for an expense necessarily incurred in the enquiry.

2. Your committee recommend that this action be confirmed and the request of the Joint committee granted and that the Treasurer be authorized to pay the county's share of any expense on the certificate of the chairman of this committee.

T. J. JOHNSTON, Chairman.

County Council Chamber, Peterborough, Jan. 30, 1903.

On motion of Mr. Shaw, seconded by Mr. Peck, the report was adopted.

PETITIONS.

On motion Mr. T. M. Hunter presented the following report of the Committee on Petitions:

The Committee on Petitions beg leave to report as follows:

1. Your committee recommend that the Warden and Messrs. Peck and Hunter be representatives of this Council on the Trent Valley Waterway Association should a general meeting be required.

2. Your committee recommend that a memorial be sent to the Minister of Railways and Canals at Ottawa, asking that the Trent Valley Canal be completed at an early date.

3. Your committee recommend that no action be taken in reference to the petition from the council of the County of Grey asking that the term of office for councillors in towns, townships and villages be two years instead of one.

4. That a memorial be forwarded to the Ontario Government, asking that the Act for the Improvement of Public Highways be amended.

5. That a memorial be forwarded to the Ontario Government, to amend the Statutes in reference to the fees paid to constables, etc.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

T. M. HUNTER, Chairman.

County Council Chambers, Peterborough, Jan. 29th, 1903.

On motion of Mr. Buck seconded by Mr. Curtis the report was adopted.

SCHOOLS.

On motion Mr. Curtis presented the following report of the Committee on Schools:

The Committee on Schools beg leave to report recommending as follows:

1. That the matter complained of by the ratepayers of School Section No. 11 of Otonabee be referred to the June session of this council, as your committee are of the opinion that the proper course has not been pursued by the parties concerned to warrant this council to take any action in the matter at present, and that the County School Inspector be requested to write to the parties concerned in the matter to try to amicably adjust their difficulties.

2. That no action be taken in reference to the appointing of delegates on the meeting of the Trustees' Association.

3. That the result of the Public School Inspector be received.

4. Your committee recommend that the County School Inspector and Messrs. John Davidson, Norwood, Wm. A. Evans, Lakefield, and Duncan Walker, Peterborough, be the County Board of Examiners to examine teachers and give certificates in accordance with the statutes in that behalf.

W. T. CURTIS, Chairman.

County Council Chamber, Peterborough, January 29th, 1903.

On motion of Mr. Moloney, seconded by Mr. Fitzgerald, the report was adopted.

APPOINTMENTS.

On motion Mr. Shaw presented the following report of the Committee on Appointments:

The Committee on Appointments beg leave to report recommending as follows:

1. That Mr. W. E. Roxburgh be re-appointed trustee of the Norwood High School.

2. That Messrs. E. A. Peck and R. C. Strickland be appointed members of the Board of Audit of Accounts in connection with the Administration of Justice.

3. That Mr. John E. Belcher, C.E., be re-appointed County Engineer.

4. That Dr. William Caldwell be re-appointed Gaol Surgeon at the yearly salary of $150.00, payable as formerly, the sum to cover all extras heretofore charged.

5. That Mr. Henderson Nesbitt be re-appointed caretaker of the Court House at a yearly salary of $175, payable as formerly.

6. That Mr. Thomas Flood be appointed caretaker of the Pigeon Creek bridge, at a yearly salary of $25 as formerly.

7. That Mr. John Purser be appointed caretaker of the Buckhorn bridge at a yearly salary of $5.

8. That the nomination of a student by this council to the Guelph Agricultural College be left in the hands of the Warden with power to act.

9. That the Warden and Messrs. Peck and Moloney be representatives of this county on the Board of Management of the Peterborough Historical Society.

10. That Mr. Edward Young be appointed caretaker of the Young's Point bridge at a yearly salary of $5

11. That Mr. William Lockington be appointed caretaker of the Nassau bridge at a yearly salary of $5.

12. That Mr. William O'Leary be appointed caretaker of the Chemong Lake bridge at a yearly salary of $250, payable monthly.

13. That the appointment of caretaker of the Gannon's Narrows Ferry for 1903 be left in the hands of the Warden and Mr. Shaw with power to act.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

ROBT. SHAW, Chairman.

On motion of Mr. Hunter, seconded by Mr. Buck, the report was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Peck, seconded by Mr. Johnston, a bylaw was introduced to authorize the Warden and treasurer of the County to borrow $15,000 to meet the current expenses. The bylaw was passed.

The Council adjourned.

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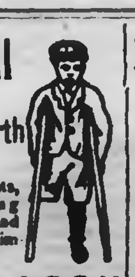

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Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 6th, 1902
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Gentlemen—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 3rd inst., enclosing check for my balance, $125.00, and for my friend Chesley of $61.56, which I have turned over to him. This is a very handsome profit on less than a month's transactions, on $100.00 investment in corn.

I appreciate your kindness very much, indeed, in closing the account so promptly following my request to do so.

Very truly yours,
HARRY E. FIRST.

Room 421, Government Building.
Baxter, Ohio, Dec. 4th, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I have received your check for $112.50, amount I made by investing $25.00 in December corn and holding it about twenty days.

Thanking you for your good judgment in buying December corn at low price for me, and selling it at the very highest price, I remain yours very respectfully,
H. S. DOWNS.

Montreal, Can., Dec. 3rd., 1903.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your favor of the 29th ult., with enclosure, came to hand yesterday, but I was so busy that I could not find time to reply to same until today.

I note your remarks regarding December corn, that you sold my holding, ... invested the same, with profits, in May corn, which under the circumstances, was and is satisfactory.

I also note your remarks regarding May corn, and leave you the handling of same, as you may think best and most profitable.

Awaiting your further favors, I remain yours truly,
W. H. LOVE.

Sacramento, Cal., Dec. 3rd, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
214-222 Rialto Building,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received two letters from you today, which inform me that you have, according to my instructions, sold my holdings in December corn and bought 2,250 bushels of May corn at 43 cents, on a margin of 2 cents. This means a profit of $31.88 in fifteen days on an investment of $25.00, which, I must say, is very satisfactory to me, as it is my first venture in margins in grain or any other like investment.

Kindly continue to re-invest as your judgment dictates. I am satisfied to have you make the investment earn what it can.

Again thanking you, I am
Respectfully yours,

Ann Harbor, Mich., Dec. 4th, 1903.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—In reply to yours of Nov. 29th (which would have been answered before this, but for the sickness of the writer), you did exactly what you should have done, and I hereby authorize you to make such moves in the matter as you think would be for my best interest, always saving me from loss, if possible.

I am well pleased over your action in the above deal, and hope to see you soon and express my thanks to you in person.

Very truly yours,
H. F. STURTEVANT.

Training Station,
Newport, R.I., Dec. 3rd, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I received your letter of Nov. 29th, and approve of your action in selling my holdings in December corn and purchase of May instead.

Wishing you luck in selling and buying when you think best, I am,
Very respectfully,
BENJAMIN SMITH.

Armada, Mich., Dec. 3rd, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favor of the 29th ult. received, and I hasten to reply. I have just arrived home and I am well pleased with the way you have handled my investment in December corn and with the handsome profits; also with your having disposed of the same and investing in May corn (the confirmatory for which I have received).

I wish to heartily thank you all for the unswerving and kindly interest you have taken in my welfare. I have every confidence in you and your abilities. Do with the May deal as your best judgment would indicate would be best for us, and I wish you every success in it.

I also wish to thank you for sending me "The St. Louis Star."

Very sincerely yours,
D. H. WILSON.

Evanston, Wyo., Dec. 2nd, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of Nov. 26th, enclosing draft for $327.80, at hand, with advice of $300.00 as margin on 15,000 bushels May corn, and appreciate the way you have managed the business, as you did not sell me out when I expected you would, but protected my interest to a good advantage, as above proceeds go to show.

I thank you for your good judgment in handling the business.

Yours truly, CHARLES STONE.

Rutland, Vt., December, 1903.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your letter at hand this morning, and I want to say that you are "true blue" all the way through— I'll bet my last dollar on you.

I sent a telegram for more May corn and I have got $25.00 here for you to re-margin if it goes down. DON'T FORGET THIS for I want to wire; and if it comes to a pinch you can have more than $25 to protect the $50.00.

I am glad I have found someone to depend on, at least, and am more than obliged to you.

Thanking you, I am, sincerely,
48 Elm street. JEAN FISHER.

Hughesville, Pa., Dec. 11, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of your favor of the 8th inst., enclosing me your company's check for balance due me in [illegible] for which I thank you.

I appreciate the manner in which you served me in this transaction, and I assure you I will give you an order shortly for some May corn. What is your present opinion of this delivery?

I miss very much the copy of your evening paper you so kindly sent me, but which has been discontinued.

I will be very glad to receive, at your earliest opportunity, your advices.

Yours very truly,
CHAS. H. MOSHER.

Cleveland, Nov. 22nd, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I am in receipt of your valued favor of the 20th, also check for $111.44 covering in full my account. My trading with your firm has been very satisfactory, and I thank you for the manner in which you have handled my account.

Yours very truly,
F. B. HALL.

Saugerties, N.Y., Nov. 24th, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the check for $890.43, in full of my account. I want to thank you for your good advice in regard to purchasing this December corn, also the prompt and satisfactory way you have handled my account. I only regret that I did not take your further advice not to withdraw quite so soon, and I would have acknowledged receipt of a check for $1,490.43.

Again thanking you, I am, yours truly,
ADAM W. ELIAS,
per H. T. K.

Belleville, Ill., Nov. 26th, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Yours of the 24th received, with check for $103.13, in payment of $25.00 which I entrusted to you October 21st to buy December corn, which you sold November 21st, with a net profit of $78.13—my check from you today showing the same, for which you will please accept my sincere thanks. My only regret is that I did not make a larger investment, as per your advice.

Truly yours, M. W. CARTER.

Slaterville Springs, N.Y., Nov. 26, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen—I have your favor of the 21st, enclosing check for $344.11, margin and profit on December corn. My profit of $219.11 on an investment of $125.00, made in less than a month, is certainly due to the way you handled the account.

Yours very truly,
A. J. SLATER.

Bobcaygeon, Ont., Nov. 22nd, 1902
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your letter and account duly received, for which accept thanks. I wired you this morning to forward by check my deposit and also profits, total of $98.00.

This is a very handsome showing for a $25.00 investment for ten days, and I assure you that you shall do business for me again, and also many of my friends.

Yours very truly,
JOHN CONWAY.

Sharpsburg, Iowa, Nov. 26th, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:
Hugh Dennis, President.

Dear Sir,—You cannot imagine my surprise upon receiving your personal check for last week's profit, and then upon receiving check for this week's profits, makes me completely satisfied that you do business upon a solid basis, and I can almost GUARANTEE any one of profits if they make a deposit with you.

Very respectfully,
J. J. UNDERWOOD.

Ravenna, Neb., Nov. 24th, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received yours of the 22nd with check for $84.38, and I note that you say you have invested the $100.00 in 2,500 bushels of May corn for me.

Please accept my sincere thanks for the $100.38 which you made for me on the $50.00 investment. Had I left you alone, as I should have done, you would have made me nearly $300.00 in the three weeks; but I am satisfied with what you have done.

Hoping you will do as well, or better, with my May corn, and again thanking you, I am yours truly.
J. VALEK.

Whipple Barracks, Ariz., Nov. 21, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received your telegram last evening saying that you had sold the corn that I had directed (5,000 bushels) at 67 3-4. I thank you for your promptness and success with the order. If you have not already done so, on receipt of this, please send me the entire proceeds from this sale by check, $766.40.

I will watch the market, and a little later will take a flyer in May corn.

I assure you of my appreciation of the faithful interest and good business judgment with which you have handled my investment and which insures me a nice little sum of Thanksgiving and Christmas money. Very sincerely,
E. E. HATCH.
Captain 18th Infantry.

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 10th, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I notice by the reports that corn is gradually on the rise. I am telling my friends how well you used me, and I hope you will hear from this city in the shape of a good amount to invest. I certainly boost you with all my might. If my May investment proves as good as did the December, I will be satisfied.

Kindly let me hear from you occasionally. Thanking you, I am yours truly.
230 Valentine R. W. WALES

Washington, D.C., Nov. 26, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your letter of 20th, enclosing check for $109.38, received.

The transaction was very satisfactory, and I thank you for its successful termination. Respectfully yours,
JAMES H. CAMPBELL.
1,543 T st., N.W.

National Military Home, Ohio,
November 22, 1902.
Hugh C. Dennis, Esq.
St. Louis, Mo.:

My Dear Major,— You are a daisy. Yours of the 21st, with account of sale and purchase, almost took away my breath, $92.19 and $67.00 in such a short time on the small investment is almost beyond comprehension.

Thanks to your grand success in dealing with the market, I now see my way out to pay a debt of honor I have been wanting to pay for a long time.

Please remit about $50 by American Express to Dayton, Ohio, and apply the rest due to me to more December or May corn, as your good, and almost infallible judgment may decide. I see from your purchase order that you have already bought 5,000 bushels of corn (May market.)

Thanking you for your kindness and hailing you as my benefactor, I am.
Most truly yours,
G. J. REICHE.

We told the public this last Spring about September and December Corn. We tell them the same thing now: **BUY MAY CORN.** Common sense and your own sound business judgment must tell you that May corn, bought now, will make for you enormous profits within the next sixty days. May corn will, we believe, reach a price higher than it has touched in twenty years for this option. We respectfully submit the following digest of a few of our customers' trades in December Corn. The Affidavit as to the correctness of these statements is made by our Assistant Auditor, Mr. W. Arthur Clemes. What we did for our customers in **DECEMBER** Corn may be duplicated many times over by a purchase of **MAY** Corn at its present low price.

NAME.	P. O. ADDRESS.	DATE INVESTMENT.	AMOUNT	CHECK TO BAL. SENT.
L. Smith	West Point, Ia.	Invested Oct. 10th,	$200.00	Check sent 12-3
		Closed Dec. 3rd,	549.22	$549.22
Leo. F. Hugle	New Rochelle, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 21st,	150.00	
		" Nov. 18th,	100.00	Check sent 12-3
		Closed Dec. 3rd,	639.37	$639.37
Ellis C. Richardson	Kalmarnock, Va.	Invested Oct. 9th,	200.00	Check sent 11-28
		Closed Nov. 18th,	875.00	$875.00
H. C. Bell	Box 72, Marion, O.	Invested Nov. 5th,	200.00	Check sent 11-26
		" Nov. 12th,	100.00	$1,075.00
		" Nov. 14th,	200.00	Check sent 11-29
		Closed Nov. 21st,	1,600.00	$525.00
Chas. Stone	Evanston, Wyo.	Invested Oct. 11th,	100,00	Check sent 11-26
$300 00 reinvested in May corn		Closed Nov. 17th,	1,127.80	$827.80
A. M Kenny	Utica, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	150.00	Check sent 11-28
		Closed Nov. 19th,	564.00	$654.35
Chas. O. Hirsching	Cleveland, O.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	30.00	
		" Oct. 21st,	150.00	Check sent 11-25
$100.00 reinvested in May Corn		Closed Nov. 20th,	1,020.00	$920.00
S. L. Miles	Gerry, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 17th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 27th,	100.00	Check sent 11-22
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.49	$766.49
W. P. Morgan	Gerry, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 17th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 27th,	100.00	Check sent 11-22
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.49	$766.49
C. S. Scudder	Huntington, N. Y.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	200.00	Check sent 11-2
		Closed Nov. 20th,	850.00	$850.00
Capt. E. E. Hatch	Whipple Barracks Prescott, Ariz.	Invested Oct. 22nd,	180.00	Check sent 11-24
		Closed Nov. 20th,	766.40	$766.40
B. S. Brooks	Glade Springs, Va.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	250.00	Check sent 11-20
		Closed Nov. 19th,	1,083.00	$1,083.00
A. W. Elias	Saugerties, N Y.	Invested Oct. 6th,	100.00	
		" Oct. 21st,	100.00	Check sent 11-21
		Closed Nov. 18th,	890.43	$890.43
M. J. Higley	Burlington, Ia.	Invested Oct. 23rd,	200.00	Check sent 11-21
$300.00 re-invested.		Closed Nov. 21st,	787.50	$487.50
Elmer Bristnall	Aurora, Ia.	Invested Oct. 9th,	100.00	Check sent 11-21
		Closed Nov. 17th,	66[illegible]	$664.56
Geo. C. Wait	Watkins, N. Y.	Invested Nov. 5th,	172.00	Check sent 11-20
		Closed Nov. 18th,	622.00	$62[illegible]

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
City of St. Louis. }

W. ARTHUR CLEMES, of lawful age, being duly sworn before me, on his oath says that he is the Assistant Auditor of and for the Rialto Grain and Securities Co. of the City of St. Louis; that he is familiar with the books of account of said Company, and that he has personally examined the accounts of the aforesaid persons, and that the statements thereof, as above set out, are true.
W. ARTHUR CLEMES.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this eighth day of December 1902. My term expires January 20th, 1903.
IRWIN WALKER, Notary Public in and for the City of St. Louis, Mo

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Oswego, Ill., Dec. 5th, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your check for $103.13 received. Thank you very much for prompt and courteous attention to my correspondence and dealings.

I remain, gentlemen, very truly yours,
DR. THOS. B. DREW.

Santa Cruz., Cal., Dec. 3rd, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your letter of the 26th ult. received, together with enclosure of draft for $436.50, and please accept my thanks for same.

I am very well pleased with your manipulation of my holdings, and can find absolutely no cause for complaint. At one time my case most certainly looked rather hopeless, but, thanks to your suggestions, on which I acted, you brought me through with flying colors, and I trust that our future business relations may prove as congenial and profitable as they have in the past.

Thanking you for the kind and just treatment that I have received at your hands, I remain very truly yours,
45 Locust St. R. R. FOSDICK.

Toledo, Ohio., Dec. 5th, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of the 3rd, with check for $25.00 enclosed, was received today, and I want to say to you that I was agreeably surprised to receive it. I am more than pleased with your treatment of my investment. I have shown the check and your letter to my friends and told them if they had any idea of investing to place their money in your hands. My writing to you in the first place was an accident.

I assure you that I shall take great pleasure in recommending your firm for honest, upright dealing in every way. I trust that the investment you have made me will be one-half as successful as the one just settled.

Again thanking you for your kindness in the transaction, and if nothing happens after the holidays you may expect to hear from me, together with some of my friends.

Wishing you a merry Christmas and a happy New Year and many years of prosperity, I am,
Gratefully yours,
230 Valentine Bldg. R. W. WALES.

Little Falls, N.Y., Dec. 1st, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I received your favor of the 29th ult. today, with statement and remittance of my account, for which I thank you.

I also wish to express my appreciation of your fair dealing with me, and say that I am much pleased with the large profit you made for me.

In closing I would ask, on what do you base your opinion that May corn will be much higher.

Yours very truly,
EDWIN L. HALL.

Rockland, Me., Dec. 2nd, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I have your letter of the 29th ult, and note with much satisfaction the result of the investment in December corn.

The investment which you have made in May corn is in keeping with my advices to use your own judgment about this investment.

I hope the investment in May corn will be profitable. Yours truly,
R. S. FARWELL.

Tuscumbia, Ala., Nov. 24th, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Many thanks for the deal. I drew on you today for $206.25, being the $50.00 I invested and $156.25 profits made by same, full amount of my credit. Please honor the draft, as I need the money for a few days only; then I will figure with you on a larger scale.

With thanks again, I am,
Yours very truly,
J. O. CLARK.

Glenwood, Iowa, Nov. 24th, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,— I beg to acknowledge receipt of check for $100.00, in settlement of my account.

Am pleased to say that the business which you have done for me has been in every way satisfactory and resulted in a very nice profit for me.

You will, in a short time, again have me on your list of customers.

Thanking you, I am, truly yours,
A. H. [illegible].

Utica, N.Y., Nov. 2[illegible], 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I wired you November 20th to sell my account out at 65 cents and wire remittance. Yesterday I received by mail statement of my account, showing a profit of $42.19 on my $25.00 investment.

I am very much pleased with the way you have handled my account. Will buy May corn later. Respectfully yours,
WALTER A. HARRIS.
93 Genesee St. Secretary.

Watertown, N.Y., Dec. 5th, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Yours of Dec. 3rd, enclosing draft for $75.64, received, for which accept my sincere thanks. I wrote to you last night asking reason for your delay in sending same, but received yours this noon.

I feel that you did finely with my last investment of $25.00, and if we had understood each other better on my first, I can see where your handling would have made a few hundred on it, which I think is sufficient to prove to any one that your firm is sound and able.

I thank you again, and hope to be able to help you to more customers, and, may be, myself dabble again soon.

Yours sincerely,
1-3 High St. W. J KELLOCK.

Binghamton, N.Y., Dec. 5th, 1902
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,— I am in receipt of your valued favor of the 4th and acknowledge receipt of check for $50.00, profits on December corn holdings. Also confirmation of purchase of May. Thank you very much for same. Thought one time I saw larger profits coming my way, but feel satisfied as it is, and am confident there will be something in May corn after a time. Protect it as you did my last December holdings, and I will remit margin, if necessary. When it goes up a fair gain, sell and remit whole amount.

Respectfully,
FRANCIS L. GREEN.

Bangor, Me., Nov. 28th, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your valued favors of Nov. 24th and 25th came to me today, and I assure you that I thank you for them. You have convinced me that May corn is a very desirable purchase, and I wish that I had had more of it.

That you know what you are doing, as well as you know the future of corn goes without saying, and I am glad that I am tied up to your house, and before we are through I shall try to turn all the business towards you that I can, and I hope soon to make my own personal investments thousands instead of hundreds.

With best wishes, I am,
Yours cordially,
GEO. S. SILSBY.

Arapaho, Okla., Nov. 21st, 1902.
Mr. H. C. Dennis,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your letter notifying me of the sale of my December corn, received; and to find I had actually doubled my money to a penny in about five days, you cannot imagine my surprise. That beats our western ways of making money. Here interest runs from 12 to 24 per cent, but that is not in it with December corn.

You must have misunderstood my letter ordering immediate sale—I meant to say, sell latter part of November, 28th or 29th, to avoid any delivery, and to rebuy December 2nd or 3rd to sell about December 28th. I am not in a financial condition to invest more now, but will likely invest in May corn more heavily in a short time. Use the original purchase together with the profits, to best advantage, using your best judgment, but avoid delivery.

Should I be able to deal heavier, I shall risk your judgment in the matter.

Trusting that good luck may continue with us, I am very truly yours.
W. C. HAWKINS.

Dr. Guillermo Vives, Oculist,
Ponce, Puerto Rico.
Ponce, Dec. [illegible], 1902.
Mr. Hugh C. Dennis,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favors dated December 12th and 16th were duly received including check for [illegible]. I am very glad to state that the return I had for [illegible] invested was $222; a pretty fair amount for one month's outlay.

As I already took the liberty of writing you I will take great pleasure in sending you as soon as I possibly can, all the funds at my disposition.

In the meantime I am explaining your excellent method of doing business to my friends, and I am sure that they, as well, will give you a trial.

If it is not too much trouble for you I would be very much obliged if you would keep me informed about the movements of the market.

Giving you my best thanks for the careful and speedy attendance you have given my interests, I am,
Very respectfully,
GUILLERMO VIVES.

Inglewood, Ont., Can., Nov. 27th, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Your statement to hand, and I am well satisfied with your management of my account.

Kindly remit the profits, $ 32.00, and invest the remaining $25.00 in May corn at 41 1-2 to 43 cents, on a 2-cent margin.

Awaiting remittances, I am,
Yours truly
FRED HARTLEY.

Thomas H. Wright,
Attorney-at-Law and Authorized
United States Claims Attorney,
Bellefontaine, Ohio, Dec. 6th, 1902
Mr. Wm. Leftwich,
V. P., Rialto G. & S. Co.,
St. Louis, Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your esteemed favor of the 4th inst. is just received. Accept my appreciation of the promptness and ability of your firm.

You will probably hear from me with more business at another time. I acknowledge receipt of enclosure, $171.88.

Very respectfully yours,
THOS. H. WRIGHT.

Office of J. F. McNulty, M.D.,
Callaway, Neb., Dec. 12th, 1902
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Gentlemen,—I desire to express to you my entire satisfaction with your manner of doing business with me. You have always promptly attended to my trades and they have proven profitable.

I find it not only a pleasure, but a financial benefit to deal with your firm.

Yours truly,
J. F. M'NULTY.

Pontotoc, Miss., Dec. 3, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Gentlemen,—Your letter and check of the 24th received a few days ago. Am well pleased with the way you handled my business for me, for the profit I received from that little amount I invested with you far exceeded my most sanguine expectations.

Very respectfully
A. D. FONTAINE.

Fitchburg, Mass., Dec. 2, 1902.
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—I am in receipt of your letter dated Nov. 29th, which more than pleased me. I was surprised at such profits in a month, and I am satisfied with that May corn investment. If I am right, I have to my credit 2,250 bushels of May corn. I leave the whole matter in your hands, and make as much as you can out of it; what you do will suit me.

I thank you for what you have done for me, and I hope by the first of next May I will be able to buy 2,500 bushels of July corn. Yours truly,
GEO. BEAUREGARD.

Green Springs, W. Va., Dec. 2, 1902
Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sirs,—Yours of Nov. 24th to hand containing cheque for $77.32, leaving two-cent margin on 1,500 May corn, which makes nearly 400 per cent. on investment of $25.00 on Nov. 7th.

Hope you will make out on the May corn as well. Respectfully yours,
J. A. WILSON.

P.S.—Excuse delay, as I wrote and forgot to mail same.

Treasury Department, Office of
Auditor for Treasury Department,
Washington, D.C., Dec. 1, 1902.
Hugh C. Dennis, Esq.,
Pres. Rialto Grain & Securities Co.,
St. Louis Mo.:

Dear Sir,—Your favor of 29th ult., advising me of the closing out of the small deal I have made with you, and the investment of proceeds in May corn has been received and is satisfactory. You did better than I expected. I have been through the West and observed the wonderful production through that country, so that I expected a decline in December corn.

Thanking you for your attention, I am,
Very truly yours,
S. [illegible].

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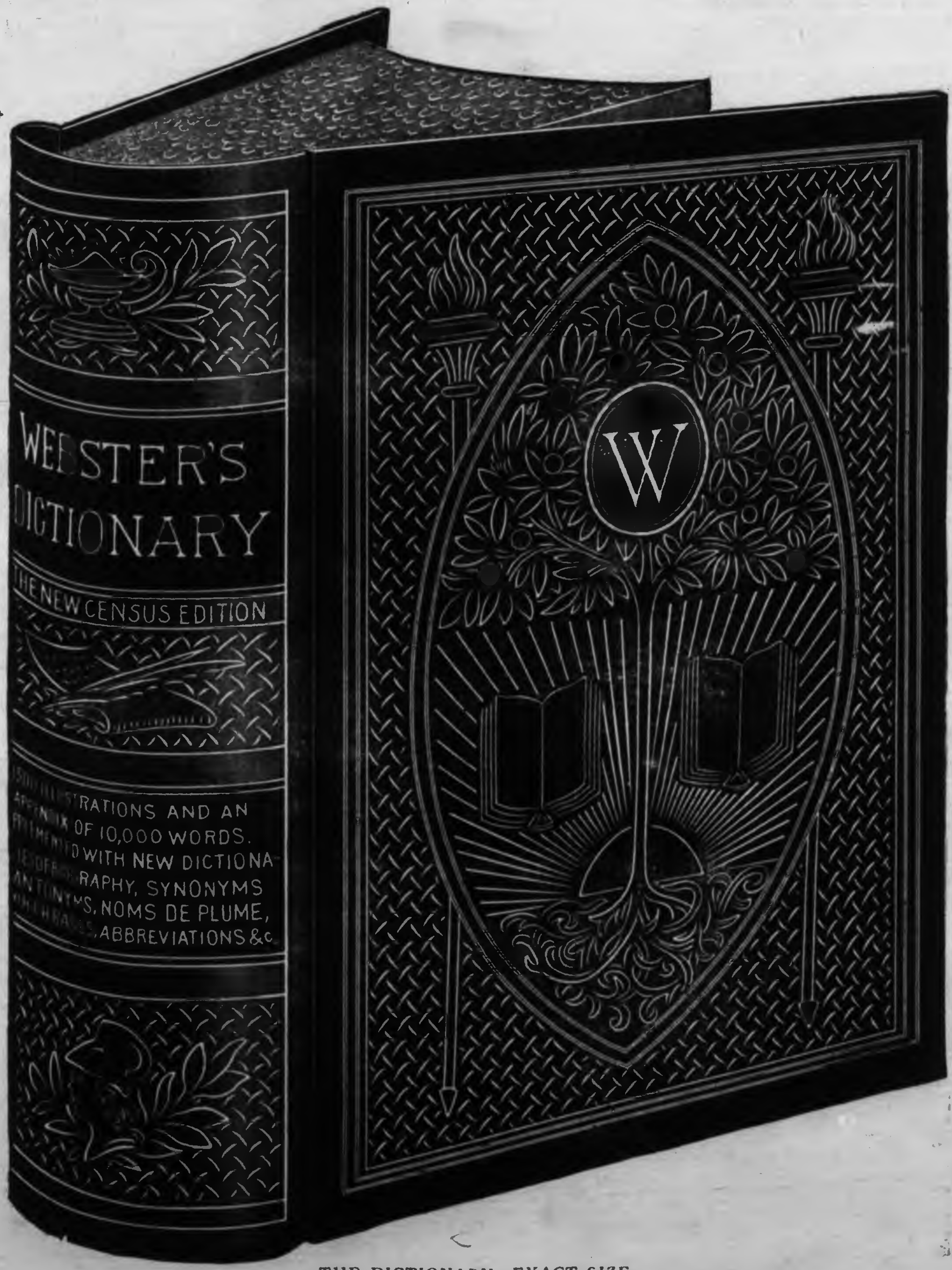

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STOCK MARKETS

MORE RELATIVE TO ATCHISON

New York, Jan. 31.—We had something to say about these shares in our letter of last night. We believe they are preparing for a jump of some magnitude and consequently promptly called your attention to the stock. Have you noted the strength of St. Louis and San Francisco shares the past week. Did it occur to you that what is going on in that stock is more than likely in the interest of the Atchison. Look at the geographical position of that company's lines upon the map of our country and you will see how closely they are affiliated with the Atchison. The system has been worked in unison with Atchison for years, and it now looks as if the larger road were going to swallow the smaller and forever weld it unto itself. We have given in these letters quite frequently as our opinion that Atchison will ultimately be an integral part of a system with through line from ocean to ocean. We believe the eastern end of such a combination will be the Pennsylvania Railroad. What is Pennsylvania authorities a doubling of its capitalization for? Loaded with such formidable grapes and cannister they are naturally not going out to shoot chipmunks or sparrows. It does not require a doubling of the Pennsylvania stock to come into Manhattan Island through tunnels and to build a palatial terminal. There is something greater behind the move. We expect to see Atchison very shortly sell at par. The large deals pending are the ammunition which is calculated by the great powers to be the future lever to bring the public later on tumbling into the market and to take their stocks off their hands at materially higher prices. The last people to buy in a boom thus started will as usual be stuck. Those who buy now will be the contingent to make the money. Stocks have been confidently held by the great powers for a long time. They certainly have the cards up their sleeve still unplayed. On these confidence is based. It causes them to hang on in a market drifting aimlessly, and being steadily hammered. They buy the stocks of tired holders, also the shares of the bears. An advancing market will attract more and more support as it continues to go up.

Summary—The market failed to pay any attention to an average bank statement. Stocks fluctuating for the day within a radius of 1-2 per cent. Considerable dealings took place in Pennsylvania, Missouri Pacific, and Erie, without any particular variations. Industrials were extremely quiet. Reserves increased $1,500,000. Loans increased $14,000,000. Money closed 2 per cent. Sales, 187,100.

Monday's letter—"Renewal of speculative activity drawing near."

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A Concrete Discussion

At the last meeting of the Engineer Club of Toronto, with C. H. Rust, City Engineer, in the chair, there was a discussion on "Concrete Construction." Members of Ontario Society of Architects were also invited and there were about 60 in attendance. The following engineers and architects took part in the discussion: Willis Chipman, Beaumont Jarvis, J. W. Barrett, A. B. Aylesworth and J. Alexr. Culverwell. The "Canadian Contract Record of today says: "Mr. J. Alexr. Culverwell, of Peterborough, spoke of the use of concrete in the dams, locks, etc., of the Trent Canal, and of its use in the largest lift lock at Peterborough."

Choir Entertained

The Charlotte Street choir members were entertained on Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. A. Davies. The evening opened by a short business meeting, and a brief practice, after which supper was served. During the evening Mr. Davies, the President, in a short speech, took occasion to thank Miss B. Sanderson, who is leaving to go to Copper Cliff, for the excellent service she had rendered the choir. Miss Sanderson, in a fitting reply expressed her regret at leaving, and her appreciation of the kind words spoken. A hearty vote of thanks to the host and hostess closed a pleasant evening.

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Daily Nevada State Journal, January 4, 1903.

Lovelock, Nev., October 6, 1902.

International Electric Mining Co.,
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Gentlemen,—If you wish to sell your Brooklyn mine I can get you a good price for it. If it was mine I would not sell it at any price, as you have more than a million dollars of ore in sight.

G. W. OSTRANDER, Supt.

Boston, Mass., December 1, 1902.

Mr. Geo. D. Burton, Treas.,
International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—During the six months of October and November of this year I visited the mines of the International Electric Mining Company, situated in Arabia and Trinity mining districts, Humboldt County, Nevada. I found the country remarkably mineralized; in fact, the possibilities of the country as a mineral producing country are yet unknown. For years it certainly has produced well. The work now being done in the Arabia and Trinity districts establishes the fact that they are fine producers.

I also found that there is a great deal of interest being taken in these properties, which have produced a great deal of wealth the past quarter of a century.

M. A. LATHROP, Mining Engineer.

Letters Received From Some of Our Stockholders

5 West Stockton Ave.,
Allegheny, Pa., Jan. 9, 1903.

Treas. International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—I have received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, with thanks.

Yours truly,
JOHN B. LIVINGSTONE.

Nahant, Mass., January 8, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
185 Summer St., Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Yours of Jan. 1st, enclosing dividend on my one hundred shares of stock in the International Electric Mining Company, received.

R. L. COCHRAN.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—I hereby acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

Respectfully,
HENRY STREIFLER.

Hudson, Mass., Jan. 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—Yours of Jan. 1st., enclosing dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company, has been received.

Respectfully,
M. A. WARREN.

Lamont, Iowa, January 8, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Dear Sirs,—Yours of January 1st., enclosing tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in your Company, has been received.

MRS. MARY KNATT.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 2, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Enclosed find receipt for the semi-annual dividend due January 1st on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

ISAAC R. JAMIESON.

Taunton Street Railway Machine Shops,
Taunton, Mass., January 2, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock held by me in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, as per receipt herewith enclosed.

FRANK S. RANDLETT.

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 10, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—Enclosed you will find my receipt for dividend for stock in the International Electric Mining Company to Jan. 1, 1903.

MICHAEL GLASSER, 565 High Street.

South Birmingham, Mass.,
January 3, 1903.

Received the International Electric Mining Company dividend to January 1, 1903, on the stock of the International Electric Mining Company standing in my name.

Respectfully,
J. W. MARNDEN.

1124 12th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.
January 11, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—I received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my shares of stock in your Company and thank you very much.

Yours truly,
MILLIS O. WOOD.

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Ballarat, Cal., Nov. 1st, 1902.

Gentlemen,—Your request for my opinion as to the "Santa Rosa" group of mines, and other claims in which you are interested in this territory, to hand, and in reply will say:

The "Santa Rosa" group, which is located southeast of Ballarat some three and a half miles, consists of twelve claims, equal to 240 acres. The ledge crops out more or less the full length of these claims, showing the same character and formation of work as where development work has been done. In most of the outcroppings it shows highly mineralized rock, with pyrites of iron, [illegible] slate, slate porphyry, gouge, quartz and quartzite, all bearing [illegible]. Where work has been done, it shows a very marked improvement in both quantity and quality of gold-bearing rock. Commencing with the outcrop, the ore shows much iron and copper stain. All mill tests show rich ore commencing with the surface; in fact, I milled for several days and recovered [illegible] every per ton, yet the milling process does not pay more than two-thirds of the value of the ore, the tailings still assaying as high as [illegible] per ton, and never less than [illegible]. To save the entire value of your ore it will be necessary to install either concentrators or a cyanide plant. From careful study and frequent examination of the surface of the ground, and down as far as has been opened below the surface, I am highly pleased with the property. It is certainly a fine property, and as good as any I have ever had the pleasure of examining. Considering your mill site, with tramway facilities, ample water, fuel, and cheapness of mining the ore, the Cecil R. will be capable of paying [illegible] when your capacity for milling is increased to what it ought to be.

Wishing you every success, I remain, Yours very truly,

(Signed) G. W. FLEMING,
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Tenders to be Addressed to Messrs. Bond and Smith Architects, care Ontario Bank, Peterborough

Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, JAN. 30, 1903

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

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Mr. Waller Elected

The result of the election held in the Townships of Belmont and Methuen, to fill the vacancy in the council, was the election of Mr. A. Waller, by a majority of 70 votes.

Trent Water Association

A meeting of the Trent Waterway Association will be held in the Peterborough Town Council Chamber on Monday, Feb. 9th, to commence at 3 o'clock. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance from all parts of the district.

Surrendered to Col. Hughes

Mr. W. J. De Jonghe, the former Boer Commandant, states that he was misunderstood by the interviewer in regard to the surrender in Bechuanaland. The 252 men who then quit fighting, surrendered to Col. Sam Hughes. Sir Charles Warren was at the time 125 miles away and knew nothing of the occurrence until the surrendered men were handed over to him.

Improvements at the Driving Park

The Peterborough Turf Club purpose putting the oval at the driving park into good condition, in order that different sports of different denominations may be played there. The only difficulty to be surmounted is that of getting to the driving park, etc. In this respect there is an opportunity for some capitalist to occupy a dual role of public benefactor and contractor.

For the Lumber Camps

Messrs. Alf. Garlick and W. Fowler are taking charge of a carload of horses, consigned to Mr. Geo. Gladman, the prominent Parry Sound lumberman, son of Mr. T. Gladman, town. They are a fine lot, three of the teams costing between $300 and $400 each. The caretakers of the shipment claim they were put to great inconvenience in Lindsay owing to the failure of the Grand Trunk people to send the car through promptly.

A Pledge Signing Campaign

"A political Prohibition Pledge," has been drafted by Mr. W. G. Fee, organizer for the Prohibitionists in the recent referendum campaign in West Toronto, to which it is proposed to obtain the signatures of electors. The plan adopted is to embark upon a pledge-signing campaign in the churches, canvassers being selected in each church to obtain signatures, pledging those who sign it not to vote for any candidate for the Commons or Legislature who refuses to give a pledge that he will vote for the largest measure of prohibition which it is in the power of the legislative body of which he is a member to enact.

Raging in Toronto

A virulent form of scarlet fever, similar to that which has existed in Peterborough is raging in Toronto. In this connection the Globe of Saturday says: Within the comparatively brief period of seven weeks, three children of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brooker, 94 Lippincott street, have died from scarlet fever. Charles, aged 9 years, passed away on January 6, and eleven days later the death occurred of Edith, aged four years and six months. The third death took place Thursday afternoon, when Alfred aged six years and six months passed away.

—"To Set Her Free," is the title of a new serial story which is to be commenced in an early edition of the "Times" The story is by a well-known author, and we trust will be eagerly devoured by readers.

ST. PAUL'S NEW MISSION

OPENING SERVICES YESTERDAY MORNING AND EVENING

Interesting and Instructive Discourses Delivered by Rev. J. A. Wilson and Rev Dr. Torrance

St. Paul's Mission, situated at the corner of Wolfe and Reid streets, was opened for service yesterday morning. Rev. J. A. Wilson conducted the service before a crowded congregation. The building in its completed state presents a most pleasing appearance, giving evidence of construction with a view to comfort and convenience that reflects great credit upon all parties concerned. The preacher chose as the subject of his discourse the later portion of the 6th verse of the 1st chapter of Joshua; "What Mean Ye by These Stories," and ably exemplified the natural feelings of exultation that mortal man experiences when the goal for which he has striven appears above the horizon. The noble Crusaders in their glorious mission to rescue the Holy land from the intruder were quoted as an example of what men fired with righteous enthusiasm and doubly armed with right and might, may by the Grace of God accomplish. Difficulties are but stepping stones to higher things, which when surmounted, present themselves sweeter and stronger for the effort spent in their accomplishment. The children of Israel, liberated from bondage, saw the promised land looming ahead, and knew that Jordan once crossed their days of weary travel were over, and the peace for which their hearts yearned would be blessed reality. Jordan was the difficulty! But Jordan was passed! The goal was reached, the result of their strivings accomplished. And they raised "Stones of Memorial" to mark their thankfulness The preacher remarked that the building which they now opened for praise, was a memorial of God's goodness to his people, that they might continue in the work of usefulness in his service.

It was an impressive address, upon a subject well chosen and delivered. Special collections were taken in aid of the building fund.

The Sabbath School and Bible Class were held in the afternoon, commencing at 3 o'clock, and at the evening service the sermon was delivered by Rev. Dr. Torrance.

This evening, at 8 o'clock, there is to be a social evening, for which a pleasant program has been arranged.

Special collections will be taken at the door, and as the object is really a worthy one, it is hoped that those who avail themselves of the gathering will contribute liberally.

At the Opera

Notwithstanding strong counter-attractions in the town on Saturday evening, a vast audience assembled at the local opera house to witness the "Crimes of London," as perpetrated by the various members of R. W. Mark's combination. Familiarity in this instance, breeds nothing but admiration for the clever versatility of the various artists. In drama such as was presented on Saturday evening, the company have very little trouble to command the sympathies of their audience. The "Crimes of London," is essentially an English melodrama, full of thrilling experiences and "hair breadth escapes," which held the audience in a fever of excitement throughout the various acts. Once again we must record a triumph for Miss May B. Marks, in the part of Annie Meadows, afterwards known as Nan, the flower girl. Her acting was a piece of realism that stamps her an artist of more than ordinary merit. Will L. Stewart, too, is deserving of special commendation, for real clever work. Indeed, the whole cast was well selected, and the performance may be voted a genuine success.

New Insurance Agent

Mr. S. H. Mitchell, who is well known in connection with the Post Office, having been an employe therein for over nine years vacated his position on Saturday evening to accept the city agency of the Great West Life Insurance Co. Mr. Mitchell has a wide circle of friends, who will be pleased to learn of his advance in business life. The vacancy in the Great West occurred through Mr. H. G. Williamson, the local agent, having had his territory enlarged. Mr. Mitchell is undoubtedly well qualified to fill the position, and we trust he will have a prosperous future.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Miss Pearl has returned from a visit to London.

—Miss L. Fee, of town, is visiting Miss A. Cox, Lakefield.

—Hon. J. R. Stratton, Provincial Secretary, spent Sunday in town.

—Mr. Wm. O'Brien the popular clerk of Douro, was in town Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hale, of Orillia, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Greer, Aylmer street.

—Miss Ida Thurston, of Lindsay, is visiting her cousin, Eva Preston, Charlotte street.

—Miss Jessie Spence, with Miss Alberta Gooding, have gone to Ottawa on a visit for a couple of weeks.

—Mr. F. B. Stutt, connected with the Wentworth Paper Mills, West Flamboro, is the guest of Mr. W. Vandbury, Rubidge street.

—Toronto Globe: Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ames, with their family and Miss Merrow, of Peterborough, left Toronto yesterday for St. Augustine, Ormond and Palm Beach, and will be absent until the month of April or May.

—Lindsay Post: Mr. Michael O'Brien of Peterborough, Inspector of Separate Schools examined the boys classes in Lindsay street school today, and to-morrow will inspect the Convent classes for girls. Mr. O'Brien was for a number of years principal of the boys' school here, and has a host of friends in town.

AT HALF MAST.

Sometimes we are greeted in the morning by flags at half-mast for some prominent official who yesterday was apparently in perfect health. When we inquire the ailment by which he was stricken it is not uncommon to be told "acute indigestion" or "stomach trouble."

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—The many friends of Warden Crowe will regret to learn that he is not in good health. On Saturday when the council adjourned he was feeling quite poorly. The Times joins in the general feeling of the public in hoping that he will speedily be restored to health and strength.

—Globe: "All sympathy is felt and expressed for Mrs. McDougall of Carlton Lodge, in the death of her husband, a warm friend of so many residents of Toronto. Miss Stella McDougall was to have been one of the four bridesmaids at Miss Osler's wedding. On the sad news being received Miss Cochrane took the place as bridesmaid. In deference to the bereavement all thought of gaiety at Craigleigh was postponed at once." Miss MacDougall is well known in Peterborough, being a sister of Mrs. (Dr.) Young, Water street.

—The Times had a pleasant call on Saturday last from Ald. John C. Wells, of Winnipeg, who is spending a few days in town renewing old acquaintances. Mr. Wells is an old Peterborough boy. He left here 24 years ago, to make a home and a name for himself in the West. He has become one of Winnipeg's leading business men, and is as popular in the western metropolis now as he was in Peterborough when a boy, nearly a quarter of a century ago. Mr. Wells leaves for his home in the west to-morrow.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Board of Education will meet on Tuesday night.

—The sidewalks are in a very dangerous condition just now with ice.

—There will be a meeting of the Peterborough Town Council on Monday.

—At the Police Court today a man was fined $5 for being drunk and disorderly

—A meeting of East Peterborough License Commissioners was held in town on Saturday last.

—On Monday and Tuesday of next week the clergy of the Rural Deanery of Northumberland, will meet in Havelock.

—An up-to-date machine for sawing and splitting cordwood was installed for Mr. J. H. A. Fitzgerald by G. W Green

—Mr. W. J. Quibell, a joiner in the employ of the Peter Hamilton Co., had his hand badly lacerated by a circular saw on Friday last. He will be unable to resume work for some time.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held this afternoon at half-past three o'clock, in the Y.M.C.A. Hall. Strangers are invited.

—Galt has had no less than 50 cases of smallpox in the past month and Dr. Wardlaw is authority for the statement that only nine of the victims had been vaccinated. Also that the nine vaccinated were the lightest cases.

—Visitors to town from the north country on Saturday stated that since the thunderstorm on Thursday, there are from one to three feet of water on the ice and frequent air holes on Chemong Lake, and it is unsafe to drive over.

—Messrs. Hogg & Lytle of Mariposa have purchased the fancy pea business of Mr. John Hume, of Port Hope. The purchase includes the entire stock of grain, the fine brick warehouse, and a grain elevator at the wharf. The total price paid is considerably more than $20,000. Mr. Hume retires on account of ill health, but his son, Mr. R. Hume, will conduct the business for the new proprietors.

—Stockholders of the Lakefield Cement Company will take satisfaction out of reading the opinion of City Engineer Rust, of Toronto, published recently in the News that, although the cement factories had greatly enlarged their capacity they could not keep pace with the growth of concrete work, and the shortage, so noticeable during a portion of last year, would continue throughout the whole of this year." That put the recent article in the Monetary Times and Mail and Empire, warning the public against the danger of over-production of cement, in a bad light.

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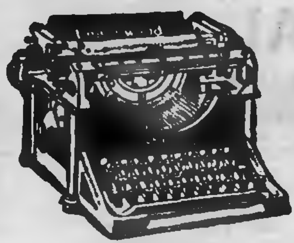

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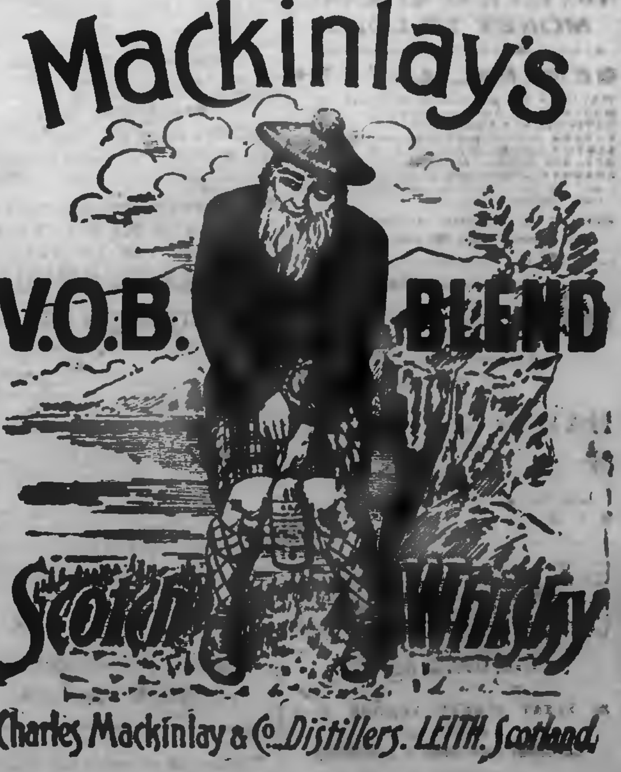

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Invention of G. W. McMullen, will it is Said, Greatly Change It.

Toronto, Feb. 2.—The World says: George W. McMuller, ex-M.P., of Picton, is expected to accompany the excursion from Ontario and Victoria Counties to Berlin on Wednesday of this week. Mr. McMullen has perfected an invention for evaporating which is applicable to the beet sugar industry. The process drives the water out of the beet, reducing the weight 90 per cent., leaving only the sugar and dry pulp. This will effect a large saving in freight and will enable the farmers to assemble their beets at convenient points and have them treated there. The effect upon the industry will be to have the central refinery in operation continuously instead of, as at present, only in the winter. Dr. Wylie, the beet sugar expert of the United States Department of Agriculture; Prof. James, Deputy Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, and others who have investigated it agree that it is the most important development that American genius has given to this great industry now being successfully established in Canada and the United States. With the establishment of the industry in Ontario County, and a factory at Whitby, under this system, there would be evaporating plants (which would compare in cost with the modern cheese factory), at, say, Bowmanville on the east, Port Perry and Lindsay on the north, and at a point most conveniently situated to serve Markham and Scarboro. Then outside of that radius there would be another chain of evaporating centres.

In order that the farmers and business men of this part of the province, who are interested in this enterprise, may have an opportunity of seeing the Berlin factory in operation, the Whitby Board of Trade has arranged an excursion from Lindsay and intermediate stations as far as Scarboro Junction at exceedingly low rates. From Lindsay the fare is $2.70 for adults and $1.35 for children, from Whitby $2.95 and $1.85. Among those expected to attend are the Minister of Agriculture, members of the Dominion Parliamnet, Ontario Legislature, Wardens and members of the Councils of Ontario and Victoria Counties and leading business men.

Elaborate preparations are being made at Berlin for the reception and entertainment of the visitors. The excursionists will leave Lindsay at 6.30 a.m. on the regular morning train, via Whitby, and from Toronto a special train will be run at 9.30, arriving at Berlin at 11 o'clock. Returning, the special will leave Berlin at 6 p.m., and run through to Lindsay. Tickets will be good to return by regular train on the following day. The committee will have tickets on the train. The factory is a revelation of the magnitude and importance of this great modern industry.

VENEZUELA PRESIDENT SCENTS A WORLD WAR

Castro Sounds the Defiant Note--Republic's Troops Defeated by the Insurgents

Prince Holkar Resigns—Hereditary Ruler of Indore Gives Way to His Son—Silver Coinage

Caracas, Feb. 2.—President Castro said to-day: "I cannot grasp the the Venezuelan conflict will be made a pretext for a world war. I have answered, however, the demand for preferential treatment, as follows: 'The Venezuelan Government desires equal treatment for every creditor nation; at the same time keeping in mind and respecting its previous diplomatic agreements and obligations.' Perhaps there will be no testament with Venezuela but war, from which I do not shrink. The last four years have been of an educational nature to Venezuela. We have concluded that if there is no honor among nations nor virtue in international agreements, we must defend ourselves, and to insure tranquility we must take possession of Trinidad and other adjacent places from which, with the consent of the unfriendly powers, filibustering expeditions have started, and have made Venezuela walter in blood. The Ban Righ, which sailed from England, and an expedition under the command of General Carlos Vidal, which sailed from Trinidad, landing arms two weeks ago at Higuerote, would cost England as much as the Alabma claims, if we had equal rights with the strong."

Willemstad, Curacao, Feb. 2.—President Castro's troops have met with defeat at the hands of the Venezuelan revolutionists. The battle took place forty miles south of Caracas.

London, Feb. 2.—The Times' correspondent at Indore, in Central India, says that the abdication of Prince Holkar, ruler of the State of Indore, on Saturday last, in favor of his son, Tikoji Rao, a bright lad of twelve years, is an event unprecedented in Anglo-Indian annals. On several occasions the paramount power has been compelled to depose native rulers, but never before has a feudatory prince of India renounced his throne on his own initative. At a durbar held in New Palace, and attended by British high officials, the Maharaja briefly alluded to the state of his health, and directed Munshi to read a set speech announcing his abdication, and earnestly exhorting his successor to be loyal to the British Empire, and to fulfill his moral and the religious duties. He then surrendered his seat, and tendered homage to his son. The young ruler proceeded to the old palace, where the religious ceremony attending the installation was performed. Prince Holkar displayed great dignity throughout. There exists unhappily an hereditary taint in the family, which, since the time of the Marquis of Ripon's viceroyalty, has caused the gravest concern to viceroys. But whatever have been his shortcomings as ruler of his own State, Prince Holkar has always been a loyal feudatory ruler, and entertained special veneration for the late Queen Victoria. Prince Holkar succeeded to the throne in 1886, the income of the State being £570,000 and its population 850,000.

London, Feb. 2.—The Times' financial editor, referring to President Roosevelt's recent message as to changes of the gold and silver standards sought by China and Mexico, says: "We assume that what is intended is to endeavor to ascertain whether China and Mexico can follow the example of India in fixing the rate of exchange of silver for gold by restricting the coinage of silver. We fear there is little chance of its being found possible to do anything of the kind in China, but there seems no reason why Mexico should not secure and advance a stable monetary system based on gold as the standard, with a limited coinage of silver, such as is now in force in France and India."

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CANADA'S CONTRIBUTION

What was Given in Men Money and Subsidies to Go to the War

Ottawa, Ont., February 2 — A supplementary report has been issued by the militia department giving the details of the organization and despatch to South Africa of the Canadian division, South African constabulary, the second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth regiments, C. M. R., and the 10th Field hospital and the services rendered by these corps while in the field, including the third batallion, R. C. R., which relieved the Leinster regiment at Halifax. Canada raised a force of 8,372 of all ranks at a total cost of $3,300,965. The expenditure on the contingents was $1,996,867, whilst the sum of $334,807 was paid out in connection with the Third Special Service batallion at Halifax. Of the total force of 7,368 that went to South Africa 224 died and 252 were wounded, making in all 476 casualties. The number of killed was 63. Thirty-one died of wounds, 127 succumbed to disease, one was accidentally drowned and two were reported missing and believed to be dead. Of the deaths from disease 96, or over 75 per cent, were due to fever.

THE PRIVELEGE OF AN EMPLOYER

INTERESTING LABOR CASE TRIED IN TORONTO

Discharged Workman Sues Alleged Slander; Jury Finds no Malice in World's Word

Toronto, Feb. 2—At the assizes the jury in the case of David McKever, suing J. B. Smith & Sons for $5,000 damages for alleged slander, have returned a verdict in favor of the defendants, with costs.

The case aroused great interest among labor men for it involved the dismissal of one of their number from the employ of the company named. McKever was one morning called into the office and told by William Smith that he had been tampering with his machine, and was discharged. The suit for slander was based on these words said to have been used by Wm. Smith: "I saw McKever tampering with the machine and that is a penitentiary offence" and a statement said to have been made by Robert Smith to Samuel Moore, organizer of the Woodworkers of America to the effect that his brother had seen McKever tampering with the machine.

Mr. Duvernet said that McKever belonged to the union, the members of which do not work after five o'clock. William Smith had seen him after his matching machine with a wrench, for the purpose, as he believed, of preventing a substitute from working it. A strike had resulted from McKever's discharge. Edward Chandler and Alfred Puterbaugh gave evidence, and the plaintiff himself swore that when accused of taking a bolt from his machine, to injure its usefulness, he had requested to see it, and had been refused by William Smith, with the words, "This is not the last you'll hear of this." During the month following his discharge he had made only $12. Later he earned from $10 to $18 a week. He did not know that his character had been injured by the Smiths' statements.

Justice Britton ruled that the remarks of the employers were "privileged," and there was no slander, and on the question of malice alone, the case was sent to the jury. Both counsel spoke strongly, and Justice Britton gave a very clear explanation of "absolute and qualified privilege." Malice he said, was defined to be ill-feeling aside from the circumstances.

Premier Haultain May Resign

Winnipeg, Feb. 1.—A despatch from Indian Head says Premier Haultain, of the Territorial Government, may resign to accept a judgeship, to be created in the west.

THE DOMINION CAN SUPPLY THE MEAT.

The Government Impresses Upon Britain Canada's Advantages in Filling Contract for Army in South Africa

London, Feb. 2.—Lord Strathcona is chairman of the committee of the association to promote an official enquiry into the security of the food supply just formed under the presidency of the Duke of Sutherland. The association's chief concern will be to insist on the importance of naval supremacy, and also the fullest official enquiry into the whole subject of Britain's food supply. The commission is most influential, and includes eight dukes, many M.P.'s, including Sir Gilbert Parker, and many admirals.

AFTER MEAT CONTRACT.

The High Commissioner's office is taking an active part in the movement to secure for the colonies a greater share of the South African army meat contracts, and in representations to the War Office a great point is made of the fact that Canada has direct steamship connection with South Africa and that Canada's shipping port, Montreal, has the readiest possible railway communication with the great centers of the Canadian meat traffic, namely, Toronto. The Canadian Government represents that Canada is prepared to fulfil any contract for fresh or frozen beef, and good results are anticipated.

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THE LATEST NEWS IN SPORTING CIRCLES

Belleville Defeats Port Hope by 4 Goals to 1.

In the sporting page of the Toronto Star last night appears a cut of Mr. A. W McPherson, Vice-President of the O.R.F.U. and Secretary of the Peterborough Hockey Club. Mr. McPherson has been appointed to act as one of the members of the executive committee to look after the drafting of the new snap back system. The cut of Mr. Fred. Whitcroft, one of the forward line of the Peterborough seniors, also appears.

A Double Header.

A double-header hockey match will be played on the Brock street rink tonight when the "Cutie" will play Fenelon Falls in the T.V.L. game and the junior Peterboroughs will play T.C.S of Port Hope.

Belleville Wins.

The hockey match at Belleville last night to decide the winners of the district, was a great struggle for supremacy the contesting teams being the fast team of that place, and the Ontarios of Port Hope. The score at half-time was 1—0 in Belleville's favor and at the expiration of time 4—1 in their favor.

Barrie and Collingwood.

The game at Barrie last night between Barrie and Collingwood resulted in a win for Barrie by 3—2.

The Winnipeg Vics won their game from Montreal last night by a score of 2 to 0.

The approaching match for the skating championship of Peterborough which is to take place at the Brock street rink on Thursday evening is arousing considerable interest among lovers of the sport. A keen rivalry exists between the opposing skaters and whilst in some quarters Oliver Dusty is the favored competitor, his opponent, Walter Jackson, has a large number of backers. It is likely to prove a stiff contest, anyhow; and the visitors to the rink on Thursday will be provided with an excellent evenings entertainment.

The most remarkable score made in the O.H.A. during this or any other season was compiled by the Marlboros in their game with Niagara Falls at the Mutual street rink on Saturday, when they beat the visitors by a score of 28 goals to 6. As the game lasted 60 minutes, the local team scored a goal on an average of every 2 minutes of play. They outclassed their opponents in every particular, and surprised the hockey enthusiasts present by the excellence of their work, especially on the forward line. They played together like well-oiled machinery, displaying a combination that most senior teams might envy. The ridiculous ease with which they passed the visiting team was a striking testimony to the system under which they played.—Toronto Star.

The St. George's had a good laugh at the expense of their manager, "Teddy" Bonnell, at Peterborough on Saturday night.

Mr. Bonnell was goal umpire behind the Peterboro net, and all through the first half endeavored to work up a conversation with Crough, the local goal-keeper. Every time there was a delay or a face-off at the other end the Toronto man would make some pleasant remark to the goal-keeper, but that individual did not pay the slightest attention to him.

At half-time the St. Georges' manager went into the dressing-room in a huff.

"I'll be blowed," he remarked to the team "if that Peterboro goal-keeper isn't the most unsociable person I ever met. I talked to him all night and he never said a word in reply or even let on he heard me."

Jack Hynes exploded with laughter.

"Why should he?" he asked. "That fellow Crough's a deaf-mute."

And the manager went outside and kicked himself three times by actual count.—Toronto Star.

CURLING.

This is the way the Bobcaygeon Independent refers to the bonspiel at Barrie: The two foreign rinks of the Curling Club went to Barrie on Monday to contest in the Tankard Group, and the result was very unsatisfactoyr. In the first round Bobcaygeon had a bye, in the second they were drawn with Barrie, but the ice being soft Barrie defaulted. Orillia was the next opponent, and though Bobcaygeon was ready to play out, Orillia declined to, and the umpire held that the ice was too soft. It is said that Boycaygeon was in the rink and considered the ice quite playable, whilst the umpire was not in the rink and did not see the ice. The Bobcaygeon players were not prepared to spend the winter in Barrie pretty and hospitable as the town may be, neither were they inclined for another trip such a distance, when the cause appeared somewhat unsportsmanlike and insufficient. The rinks returned home, not entirely pleased with their outing.

Montreal, Feb. 2—Capt. Boon, of the Montreal Hockey Club, states that if his club wins to-night's match with Winnipeg and retains possession of the Stanley Cup, he will recommend to the committee of the club that they send the Cup back to the trustees. He considers that Mr. Ross, of the trustees, has not properly administered his trust, and that the cup had been a detriment instead of a benefit to the game. On account of being compelled to play the cup matches in the middle of the season, they stand the possibility of having their men disabled, thus spoiling their chances of winning the league championship.

ST. PAUL'S MISSION

A very enjoyable Evening—Program and Refreshments

A very enjoyable evening was spent at St. Paul's Mission School, Park street, last evening, at the opening of that new structure, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society.

The Rev. Dr. Torrance presided and opened the entertainment in a very becoming manner, after which the following program was presented: Quartet; address, Rev. Mr. Joliff; song, Miss Best; address, Rev. Mr. Bastow; song, Mr. Dawson; adress, Rev. Mr. Wilson; adress, Rev. Mr. Yule.

After this lengthy and interesting program had been rendered, refreshments were served and a very enjoyable social hour spent.

SILVER WEDDING

Anniversary Celebrated by Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Cameron

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Cameron, No. 796 George street, celebrated the 25th anniversary of their wedding on Friday evening last. The employees of Gough Bros. where Mr. Cameron is engaged, presented Mr. and Mrs. Cameron with a silver bread tray and fruit dish. Another present received was a silver tea service from friends in Toronto. A very pleasant evening was spent, and those who were present wished for Mr. and Mrs. Cameron many years of happiness.

BOARD OF HEALTH

A Mysterious Chemical Compound Visits the Village of Ashburnham

A meeting of the Ashburnham Board of Trade was held last evening

The Medical Officer reported 29 deaths during the year, exclusive of hospital reports. A strange nuisance had appeared in the village during the past year. It was a mysterious chemical compound, and was called a fertilizer. That unpleasant visitation was, however, got rid of without any serious harm being done.

A resolution was passed accepting the Medical Officers report, and the Board adjourned.

MAN'S LEG IN THE FIRE-BOX

Gruesome Find of a Lindsay Train Crew at Midland

Lindsay Post:—A couple of days ago a light engine in charge of engineer Geo. Peacock was sent from Lindsay to Midland. On arriving at the later place the fireman, while cleaning the engine, discovered in the ash pan the leg of a man and other pieces of flesh. On enquiries being made at way stations it was learned that a man named Haddon, had left Fesserton, a small station this side of Midland bound for Victoria Harbor, and had taken to the railway track, intending to walk the distance. The man was not seen on the track and how the accident occurred Driver Peacock is unable to explain. The body was badly cut and mangled, portions of flesh being scattered along the track at the point for a considerable distance. The crew of the Midland way-freight picked up the remains, which were taken to Fesserton for burial. We understand the unfortunate man was employed in Carter's saw mill at Fesserton.

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ASHBURNHAM COUNCIL

New By-law to Borrow Money for Current Expenditure

The Village Council met in monthly session last night, when there were present Reeve Adams and Councillors Wm. Gibbs, James Hourigan, and Wm. Scott.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The auditor's report caused considerable discussion.

The receipts for the year, 1902 amounted to $10501.89, and the expenditure for the same period was $1728.62. Expenditure over receipts $1226.73. It was finally moved by Councillor Gibbs, seconded by Councillor Scott, that the auditor's report be laid over until next meeting.—Carried.

It was moved by Councillor Gibbs, seconded by Councillor Hourigan, that by-law No. 289, to borrow money for current expenditure for the year 1903, be read a first time.—Carried.

It was moved by Councillor Scott, seconded by Councillor Gibbs, that the following accounts be paid:

R. Hicks & Co.	$1 25
Dickson Co.	0 60
John Kerr	60
Peterborough Light and Power Co.	1 20

—Carried.

It was moved by Councillor Gibbs, seconded by Councillor Hourigan, that the whole Council be a Street and Bridge committee, and that Councillor Scott be chairman thereof.—Carried.

Councillor Scott moved, seconded by Councillor Gibbs that Mr. J. T. Wright be reappointed a member of the Board of Health.

This concluded the business, and the Council adjourned.

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STREET COMMISSIONER TO BE ADVERTISED FOR

Better Management of Our Streets Thought Necessary by the Town Council

When Ald. Best submitted his report of the Board of Works at last night's Council meeting, Ald. Clinkscale took exception to clause 5, which recommended advertising for applications for the position of Street Commissioner. He remarked that if the Council continued on these lines the Town would soon be paying out all its revenue in salaries. He did not think a change in the present system of street management at all necessary.

Ald. Best replied that under the present system the Town was not getting 60 cents on the dollar for its money expended on streets and bridges. We expended some $13,000 on day labor, and what have we to show for it. I don't believe the interests of the whole community should be sacrificed for the sake of one man (the Town Engineer); and if the Council does not wish to appoint a thoroughly competent Street Commissioner I will resign my position as Chairman of the Board of Works.

Ald. McWilliams thought it better before advertising for a commissioner to adopt a clearly defined system for the management of streets and bridges. It may be true that Mr. Hay is not competent to handle men, or to manage work on the streets, but still he may be a good engineer. There is undoubtedly a good deal of dissatisfaction regarding the management of our streets at present, but he was not prepared to say who was to blame. Mr. McWilliams understood that the present engineer receives a salary of $1,200 a year, and he did not think a competent commissioner could be secured for less than $800 per annum. This would mean $2,000 a year for street engineering and supervision, which he thought altogether too high a figure.

Ald. Best said the best inspector we ever had was Mr. Pope, an old railroad man. The object of this report is to get a thoroughly practical man to look after our day work. The scheme of combining the office of street commissioner and engineer, has apparently proved a failure. It seems impossible to get a man to fill both positions.

Ald. O'Connell concurred with Ald. McWilliams' remarks, and thought that if Mr. Hay had undertaken to fill both offices, he is the one to answer for any neglect in either of the departments.

Ald. Morrison replied that the trouble is there is too much work for one man to attend to. Mr. Hay's time is considerably taken up in drawing the necessary plans, etc. There is sufficient work now for both an engineer and a competent commissioner; the duties of the latter were looked after by Mr. Gibson till last fall, since which time Mr. Hay has not had any competent assistance in that respect. Ald. Morrison thought a portion of the engineer's salary should be charged up to permanent improvements. He considered it a right move to advertise for a commissioner.

In reply to the Mayor Ald. Best said Mr. Hay, as an inspector, is undoubtedly a failure.

Ald. McWilliams asked if the report implied that the Town should employ two men to do the work now undertaken by the present engineer.

The Mayor answered that since the engineer was appointed his duties had increased to such proportions as to render it necessary to have both a street Commissioner and an Engineer.

Ald. McWilliams—"And to spend $2,000 on street management?"

The Mayor—"Not at all. We can, I think, get it done for less than that sum."

As a parting shot Ald. Rush suggested that Ald. O'Connell and Ald. McWilgiams step into the engineer's office this morning and see the amount of work under way.

The matter was here dropped, and clause 5, calling for advertising for a commissioner adopted.

Incidentally it might be remembered that Mr. Alex. Reid, in his complaint hereafter alluded to, said that on several occasions he had informed Mr. Hay of broken planks on outlying roads, and the matter had always been promptly attended to.

COUNCIL IN SESSION.

The Town Council met in regular session last night, when there were present Mayor G. M. Roger and Aldermen Shortly, Morrison, H. Rush, D. O'Connell, Finnie, R. F. McWilliams, Clinkscale, Batten, Corkery and Best.

The minutes were taken as type-written.

Communications.

From B. H. D. Hall enclosing petitions for the Legislative Assembly, and the Lieutenant-Governor in duplicate for the passing of the legislation now being asked for.—Received.

Mr. J. Taylor wrote saying that he purposed erecting a new brick block at the corner of George and Charlotte streets, and as the present corner store would render it unnecessarily expensive for him to comply with the by-law governing the erection of new buildings, he would like to confer with the Board of Works on the matter.—Referred to the Town Engineer to report.

From W. D. Lighthall, Hon. Sec-Treasurer, U. C. M., Montreal, to the Mayor, dated, January 29th, saying that the Minister of Justice at Ottawa had wired him that he would receive a delegation of municipal authorities at Ottawa on the Bell Telephone Bill, and an interview is being arranged for next Thursday. Also saying that Mr. D. Lighthall would be pleased to meet the Mayor at Ottawa, if convenient, or to represent him as giving a general endorsation of the delegation, if he could not see his way clear to be present at the interview.

On motion of Ald. Best, seconded by Ald. Corkery that the Mayor and clerk were authorized to either attend that meeting themselves, or to send representatives in their place.—Carried.

From W. J. Green, tax collector, advising that the Court of Revision be instructed to have the shops under the market hall be struck off the collector's roll as remitted—Finance Committee.

From the American League of Civic Improvement, inviting representation at the Provincial Improvement Conference to be held in the Board of Trade Building, Toronto, on Friday, Feb. 13th.—Received.

From T. W. Doan, local manager of the Bell Telephone Company, asking permission to erect a pole at the corner of Homewood Avenue and Walton street.

Received from T. A. S. Hay, Town Engineer, submitting his fourth annual report.

Received from the Cranston Novelty Co., Galt, re dog tags.

Received from the Salvation Army Band asking for a grant of $100.—Finance Committee.

Received from F. Sandy, local agent of the G.T.R., stating that he had received a letter from Mr. Hay, the Town Engineer notifying him that the office addition to the end of their freight sheds is an infringement of the building by-law of the Town. Mr. Sandy pointed out that he was not aware of this fact. The extension was hardly 10 feet, it had been kept back from the street line and a new and better chimney put in, and everything made safe and neat both outside and in. He asked that the Council grant him a permit that the building might be completed.

Received from Geo. McLellan, calling attention to the need of two new snow plows to replace the ones now in use.—Board of Works.

From A. B. Cunningham claiming remission of Statute Labor tax—Court of Revision.

Accounts.

A number of accounts were referred to the Finance Committee for certification thereto.

Finance Report.

Ald. Rush submitted the report of the Finance Committee, recommending that the Board of Education be paid the amount of their demand in accordance with the request of the Board, and that a number of miscellaneous accounts be paid. The report was adopted.

Board of Works.

Ald. Best submitted the following report:

Gentlemen,—Your Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the request of the Peterborough Light and Power Co., for permission to place a pole on Water street, be granted, subject to the approval, and under the supervision of the Town Engineer.

2. That the request of the Bell Telephone Company for permission to open the street to place a pole at the corner of Homewood Avenue and Walton street, be granted, subject to the approval, and under the supervision of the Town Engineer.

3. That with a view of doing the work asked for in the petition of R. E. Lord and others, as soon as practicable the Town Engineer be instructed to report upon it, and that the request of the same petitioners, for an electric light, be granted, and that the Peterborough Light and Power Co. be instructed to place the light at a point located by the Town Engineer, to best meet the wishes of the petitioners.

4. That the Town Engineer be instructed to have the provisions of the contracts regarding the removal of slush from the streets carrried out, or report to this Board why it has not been done.

5. That the Chairman of this Board be authorized to advertise for applications for the position of Street Commissioner.

The report was adopted as read.

Street Lighting.

Ald. Morrison submitted the following report:

Gentlemen,—Your special committee on street lighting and franchise beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the Council petition the Ontario Legislature and the Lieutenant in Council to amend chapter 71 of 63 Victoria, so as to remove the restrictions limiting the Town to the south of Nassau for power and to municipal lighting only.

2. That this committee be given authority to procure expert and other assistance to assist in reaching a conclusion on the question of electric light and franchises, and that the Treasurer be authorized to pay for such assistance upon the certificate of the Chairman of this committee.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

In submitting the above report Ald. Morrison said if the Council understood that it was part of the duty of this special committee to deal with the question of the union with Ashburnham, they would do so. The committee's duty in this respect had not been clearly defined.

The report was adopted as read.

House of Refuge.

Ald. Morrison submitted the report of the House of Refuge, which was adopted as read.

The balance of the report will appear in tomorrow's issue.

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THE COUNTY COUNCIL

Conclusion of the January Session on Saturday

No Conditional Grants—The Road and Bridge and Finance Committees Make Important Recommendations—Further Outlay on Mud Lake Road

County Council went into session at 10.30 Saturday morning, with Warden Crowe in the chair, and all the councillors present, namely Messrs. Moloney, Hunter, Fitzgerald, Menague, Shaw, Johnston, Peck, Curtis and Buck. Save for a brief session in the morning, the council devoted Saturday to committee work, and then dealt with considerable important business.

The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

On motion, Mr. Fitzgerald presented the report of the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

The Committee on Roads and Bridges beg leave to report as follows:

1. That the matter of the salary of the caretaker of the Wallace Point Bridge be left in the hands of the Chairman of the Joint committee with power to act.

2. That the communication from the Secretary of the Western Ontario Good Roads Association be received.

3. That the matter of appointing delegates from this council to attend the convention of the Eastern Ontario Good Roads Association at Ottawa on March 12th and 13th, 1903, be left in the hands of the Warden and chairman of this committee with power to act.

4. That a pier, 40 feet square at the base, be erected in connection with the Lake Bridge, about 100 feet from the swing opening, it appearing that a swing is necessary in order to protect the bridge from damage by the ice in the spring, and that the matter be left in the hands of the Warden and chairman of this committee with power to act, and to appoint a delegation to wait on the Dominion Government to ask for a grant to assist the county in the erection of the pier.

5. That the report of the County Engineer be received.

6. That the matter of the necessary repairs to Gannon's Ferry be left in the hands of the chairman of this committee, Mr. Shaw, and the county engineer, with power to act.

9. That the repairs to Young's Point Bridge be left in the hands of the chairman of this committee with power to act.

10. That the repairs to the Lakefield bridge be left in the hands of Mr. Moloney with power to act.

11. That the matter of the erection of the new Payne's Bridge over Indian River in the Township of Dummer, be left in the hands of the Warden, the chairman of this committee and Messrs. Johnston and Moloney with power to advertise for tenders and let the contracts for the erection of the bridge and abutments according to plans and specifications to be prepared by the County Engineer.

12. That the repairs to Nassau Bridge be left in the hands of Mr. Moloney with power to act.

13. That the repairs to Wallace Point and Beaufort Bridges be left in the hands of the Warden, the chairman of this committee, Messrs. Peck and Johnston, and the County Engineer with power to act.

14. That the matter of placing signs in reference to fast driving on the several county bridges be referred to the June session of the Council.

15. That Mr. J. C. Bates be appointed caretaker of the Burleigh Bridge at a yearly salary of $5.00.

16. That the matter of repairing and reflooring O'Sullivan's Bridge in the Township of Douro be left in the hands of Mr. Moloney and the County Engineer, with power to act.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

G. W. FITZGERALD, Chairman.

County Council Chamber, Peterborough, January 31st, 1903.

The report formerly contained clauses recommending payment of conditional grants to the township for roads and bridges, the grants to be supplemented by others from the Government. The report was amended as follows:

Moved by Mr. Fitzgerald, seconded by Mr. Menague, That clauses 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, be struck out and now amended that the usual grants be made to the following townships: Harvey, $75; Galway and Cavendish, $75; Burleigh and Anstruther, $75; Chandos, $75; Belmont and Methuen, $75; and that Mr. Shaw be commissioner for Harvey and Galway, Mr. Menague for Burleigh, Anstruther and Chandos, and Mr. Curtis for Belmont and Methuen.

In moving the resolution Mr. Fitzgerald said the expenses of the council were creeping up year by year and increase of county rate was probable. He therefore did not favor the making of any special grants until the county had got upon a good financial condition.

Mr. Moloney pointed out that Sutherland's Bridge over Indian River, was in very bad condition and he suggested that necessary steps be taken looking towards the construction of a new one. The bridge was a very old one, and was not worth repairing.

Mr. Moloney did not think it well to strike out the conditional grants, and thus lose a considerable amount from the Government. Other counties were making similar grants. He moved that the conditional grants be allowed.

Mr. Hunter considered that it was only reasonable that these grants be made. It looked like losing some $1200 in good grants for the sake of some $600. He supported Mr. Moloney's motion.

Mr. Peck said there was no good reason apparent why the Government should refuse to make grants for the improvements of roads provided the county council was not prepared to make grants. The county certainly could not afford to grant money in view of the large expenditures that were proposed. He thought if the county's position was explained to the Government, it would not insist upon such appropriations being made.

Mr. Moloney considered that the expenditures every year were very similar and he again urged that the conditional grants be made.

The vote on the amendment was lost and the original motion carried.

On motion of Mr. Shaw, seconded by Mr. Fitzgerald, the report as amended was adopted.

PRINTING.

Mr. Buck presented the following report of the Printing committee:

1. That the County Clerk be instructed to grant to the Norwood Register, Lakefield News and Havelock Standard, alternately, the printing of the lists of convictions and assessment schedules required to be published and printed, at the same price as last year.

2. That all other printing be divided by the County Clerk in as equal manner as possible, between the Peterborough Examiner, Peterborough Review and Peterborough Times, save and except that the County Clerk shall apportion between the Lakefield News, Norwood Register and Havelock Standard, whatever printing of letter heads, posters and other work he can conveniently give them.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. T. BUCK, Chairman.

County Council Chamber, Peterborough, January 30th, 1903.

On motion of Mr. Shaw, seconded by Mr. Fitzgerald, the report was adopted.

FINANCE REPORT.

Mr. Peck presented the report of the Finance committee as follows:

The Finance committee beg leave to report as follows;

1. That the following accounts be paid:

S. S. Moore	$ 3 00
W. English Canoe Co.	90
B. Shortley	75
Ed. Courtney	70 50
E. D. Young	21 16
Joe Batten	1 50
Lakefield News	20 00
Light & Power Co. (2 acc'ts)	228 50
Newsome & Gilbert	9 00
A. H. Stratton	6 10
J. G. Keefer	10 25
Adam Hall (2 acc'ts)	16 10
T. A. Redner	1 00
J. D. Craig	65
J. & W. Metheral	50
Peterborough Examiner Co	65 54
W. J. Dowser	1 25
Bell Telephone Co.	20 00
Kingan Hardware Co.	1 00
W. Stocker	3 00
Review Printing Co.	23 86
W. B. Kelly (2 acc'ts)	36 00
Office Specialty Co.	450 00
J. E. Belcher	23 50
Peterborough Examiner Co. (when certified)	6 40
Dr. Carmichael, town and county engineers	10 00
Geo. Hutchison	70 42
J. D. Grady, when certified by sheriff	4 00
A. H. Stratton, when certified.	5 62

2. That the payments set forth in the memorandum of accounts and moneys paid by the treasurer on the authority of the Warden or under contract entered into be confirmed.

3. That Mr. J. H. Gardiner having paid for an auctioneer's license for 1902 in November last, be granted a license for 1903 for the further sum of five dollars.

4. That T. N. Call and Wm. Spencer and S. H. Airens be granted one horse peddler's license free of cost for 1903.

5. That Boyle Bros. having obtained and paid for one horse peddler's license for 1902 in October last be granted a license for 1903 on payment of a further fee of $7.50.

6. That the several statements from the treasurers of other municipalities in reference to amounts paid by them to the County Treasurer in 1902 be referred to the auditors.

7. That the communication from the Ministerial Association be referred to the County Crown Attorney.

8. That the presentment of the Grand Jury be received.

9. That annual statement furnished by the trustees of the Foley estate be referred to the Auditors.

10. That this council pass a bylaw authorizing the investment of the sinking fund of this county in the purchase of the last issue of debentures under bylaw number 327, and that a copy of such bylaw be forwarded to the Lieutenant Governor with the request that an order in council be passed approving of the said bylaw.

11. That a special grant of $30.00 be made to the Hospital for Sick Children at Toronto.

12. That a special grant of $100 be made to the Peterborough Children's Aid Society.

13. That Mr. J. W. Ratcliff be paid $16.00 as nominating officer.

14. That the account of Jas. Calder in connection with the county council elections be paid namely for nominating officer, $12.00, and as village clerk, $19.50.

15. That the account of the township of Dummer for $21.00 in connection with the county council elections in 1903 be paid.

16. That the County Clerk be instructed to renew the subscription to the Municipal World for 1903.

17. That no action be taken upon the application from the Ontario Rifle Association for a grant.

18. That no action be taken upon the application from the Prisoners' Aid Association for a grant.

19. That a grant of $75.00 be made to the Peterborough Horticultural Society for the purpose of assisting in keeping the court house park in good condition.

20. That a grant of $30.00 be made to the Peterborough Rifle Association.

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Brunette and Blonde

A ROMANCE.

"Yes," he repeated, growing defiant even in his bonds, "persecute me as you may, you shall not oust Lady Florence from her place. I swear to maintain her rights as your heiress. You may understand how desperate I am when I tell you that I tried to murder you to-night that Florence might inherit your wealth to-morrow, and the question of her rights be forever settled. She is your granddaughter. Make up your mind to that fact, for you cannot alter it, my proud, imperious Earl of Devon. As for Hilda, she is my own child, and I shall take measures to remove her from the path of Lady Florence right speedily."

"Liar!"

That single word, uttered in a voice of the most terrible rage and deadliest hate, came with the suddenness of the lightning's flash from the open door-way. All eyes turned toward it.

On the threshold stood a lady—tall, stately, still young and lovely, though the dark eyes flashing fire beneath her frowning brow were shaded by waving tresses of silver-white hair. From the somber setting of her long lusterless black robe the beautiful white face gleamed ghost-like, star-like, against the outer darkness of the corridor.

"Liar!" she repeated, in that awful, passionate voice, and Aylesford yelled in horror:

"Has the dead returned to punish me?"

"Not the dead, but the living," said Mrs. L'Estrange, as she glided into the room and turned her angry face from the craven wretch, while a tenderer light came over it as she went up to the bed and put out her white hands to the earl. "Papa," she said, "it is your own Ethel. I have come home to you. You must forgive me and love me again."

"It is Ethel's voice," said the earl, in a tone of joy and wonder, as he kissed the soft white hands she held out to him. "It is Ethel's face, too, but that man there told me Ethel was dead."

Then his head fell back heavily on the pillow, his eyelids closed.

Lady Ethel uttered a shriek of fear and alarm. Sir Wilfred went to her side.

"Ethel," he said, gently, "do not be frightened. Your father is weakened by a slight wound, and the shock of joy has caused him to swoon. Sit down here and rest yourself while I attend to him. I think the surgeon will soon be here."

"Is the wound dangerous?" asked Lady Ethel, frightened by the deathly paleness of her father's face.

"No, I do not believe it is," he answered. "I will soon bring him around, I think."

"Let me help you—Wilfred," said Lady Ethel, timidly.

That name, breathed so softly by the lips he loved, thrilled to the core of the baronet's heart. Together they bent over the unconscious earl, employing every available remedy to revive him. Then she stepped softly out of the way as the heavy eyelids fluttered upward.

But the first words he said were: "Ethel, my darling!"

She came and stood by him without speaking, fearful of frightening his feeble strength away if she excited him.

He understood her motive. After a little he said to her gently:

"I am too weak to talk to you, dear. Tell Wilfred all your story; it will not hurt me to look at you and listen."

An expression of the bitterest pain swept over the beautiful mournful face as she turned to the baronet.

"Make it brief if it hurts you to dwell upon it Ethel," he said, gently and pityingly.

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OBJECTS OF THE COMPANY

The Manitoba Cement Company has secured incorporation for the purpose of manufacturing a high-grade Portland Cement. It owns one of the most valuable cement deposits in Canada, located south of Morden, S ½ Sec. 4, Tp. 1, Rge. 6 west. The raw material has been thoroughly analyzed by the highest authorities on cement and pronounced by them suitable for the manufacture of a superior quality of Portland Cement.

When the plant shall have been completed the Company will own material sufficient for at least 200,000,000 barrels of cement, and a mill capable of converting this material into cement of the highest grade, and by reason of its position and open market in the West, can without question manufacture and market its product at a maximum profit.

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PROBABLE RESULTS TO SHAREHOLDERS

The following statement of probable results to be secured is based on a very conservative estimate of cost and selling price:

Average selling price per bbl at factory	$2.25
Cost per bbl., incl. office and general expenses	1.20
Profit per bbl	$1.05

Annual output, 300,000 barrels

Gross Annual Profit		$315,000
Sinking Fund	$20,000	
Repairs and depreciations	50,000	70,000
Total annual profit for surplus and dividends		$245,000

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Head Office: WINNIPEG, MAN.

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I ENCLOSE HEREWITH $..................

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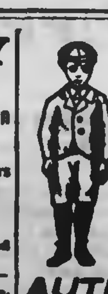

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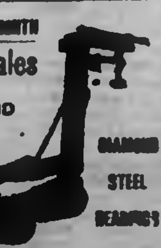

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STOCK MARKETS

RENEWAL OF SPECULATIVE ACTIVITY DRAWING NEAR

New York, Feb. 2.—An inactive and uneventful week has just closed. An incessant hammering of prices was kept up during the period, while several houses bought upon balance considerably in excess of their sales. It has been a week of depression and discouragement emphasized by a brass band, yet under cover of general apathy and listlessness stocks of many issues have been most persistently accumulated. The very dullness of the market makes the process a slow one. The new week just opening will probably see a continuance of these tactics, accompanied by a gradual hardening of prices as stocks are absorbed. A coterie of the active element of Wall street are assembling at Palm Beach, Fla., on a little vacation, and it is anticipated that considerable buying orders will emanate from that source this week, as it is known that the views of these operators are favorable to the market. The current money position has been absolutely reversed. Competition to loan funds to brokers is now as keen as formerly were their efforts to borrow. Money is almost a drug again, being offered in millions upon millions at three per cent. So much for the supply of the essential sinews of war for conducting bullish operations. As a result brokers who formerly discouraged buying orders will now encourage them. There is a marked increase in the inquiry from the public as to market prospects, which foreshadows their resumption of stock dealings. We are of the opinion that speculative activity will very shortly be resumed with higher prices resulting.

Summary—Market was substantially stronger today. St. Paul crossed 181. Illinois Central sold ex dividend. Reading led the coal issues, for which there was considerable inquiry. Pennsylvania was heavy throughout the session. Steel was absorbed by insiders. Balance of market was strong throughout the day. Money closed 3 1-2 per cent. Sales 650,500.

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The Company is offering for a short time a limited amount of stock for the enlargement of its plant and the working force at the mines and for the completion of the Brooklyn tunnel.

This Company has thousands of tons of rich ore in sight.

We are not making a lot of talk, because it is unnecessary. What the investor wants is dividends, which we have paid for the past five years. Now if you want a safe 12 per cent. investment, let us hear from you.

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References furnished upon application.

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Daily Nevada State Journal, January 4, 1903.

Lovelock, Nev., October 6, 1902.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—If you wish to sell your Brooklyn mine I can get you a good price for it. If it was mine I would not sell it at any price, as you have more than a million dollars of ore in sight.

G. W. OSTRANDER, Supt.

Boston, Mass., December 1, 1902.

Mr. Geo. D. Burton, Treas.,
International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—During the six months of October and November of this year I visited the mines of the International Electric Mining Company, situated in Arabia and Trinity mining districts, Humboldt County, Nevada. I found the country remarkably mineralized; in fact, the possibilities of the country as a mineral producing country are yet unknown. For years it certainly has produced well. The work now being done in the Arabia and Trinity districts establishes the fact that they are fine producers.

I also found that there is a great deal of interest being taken in these properties, which have produced a great deal of wealth the past quarter of a century.

M. A. LATHROP, Mining Engineer.

Letters Received From Some of Our Stockholders

5 West Stockton Ave.,
Allegheny, Pa., Jan. 9, 1903.

Treas. International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—I have received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, with thanks.

Yours truly,
JOHN B. LIVINGSTONE.

International Electric Mining Co., Nahant, Mass., January 8, 1903.
185 Summer St., Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Yours of Jan. 1st, enclosing dividend on my one hundred shares of stock in the International Electric Mining Company, received.

R. L. COCHRAN.

International Electric Mining Co., Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—I hereby acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

Respectfully,
HENRY STREIFLER.

International Electric Mining Co., Hudson, Mass., Jan. 3, 1903.
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—Yours of Jan. 1st., enclosing dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company, has been received. Respectfully,

M. A. WARREN.

Lamont, Iowa, January 5, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Dear Sirs,—Yours of January 1st., enclosing tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in your Company, has been received.

MRS. MARY KNATT.

International Electric Mining Co., Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Enclosed find receipt for the semi-annual dividend due January 1st on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

ISAAC R. JAMIESON.

Taunton Street Railway Machine Shops,
Taunton, Mass., January 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock held by me in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, as per receipt herewith enclosed.

FRANK R. RANDLETT.

International Electric Mining Co., Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 10, 1903.
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—Enclosed you will find my receipt for dividend for stock in the International Electric Mining Company to Jan. 1, 1903.

MICHAEL GLASSER, 546 High Street.

South Birmingham, Mass.,
January 3, 1903.

Received the International Electric Mining Company dividend to January 1, 1903, on the stock of the International Electric Mining Company standing in my name.

Respectfully,
J. W. HARNDEN.

1124 11th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.
January 11, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—I received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my shares of stock in your Company and thank you very much.

Yours truly,
MILLIE C. WOOD.

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We have placed a small block of this stock on the market at 20 cents per share which will be worth $1.00 in a short time. Now is the time to buy.

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Y. M. C. A. Convention

At the time of going to press, the Y.M.C.A., reports that the number of delegates to be entertained by the local Association is over 50 in excess of the number of billets sent in, and as every mail increases the number to be provided for, friends are asked to make an effort to help the Committee in securing homes. Those who can in any way help are invited to send in their names at once to the Association Building.

A Narrow Escape

Yesterday afternoon as one of the pupils was on her way to the convent, while crossing Charlotte street, she was struck by a rig and knocked down. Her face was badly cut, and the child was otherwise severely shaken up. She was carried into Mrs. Lightfoot's, where medical aid was summoned and her wounds dressed, after which she was able to proceed to her home.

Preparing for Next Season

Mr. A. W. Hepburn, General Manager of the Lake Ontario Navigation Co., met the agents of the steamer Argyle, at Port Hope on Monday last to arrange for the business of the coming season. The steamer will probably commence her regular trips in May this year. The many from Peterborough and surrounding districts who patronized the Lake Ontario Navigation Company's popular steamers last year, will be pleased to read the above.

Will not go to Cobourg

The Cobourg Post says:—On learning that J. J. Turner & Sons proposed leaving Peterborough, that firm was communicated with in reference to coming to Cobourg with their establishment. In replying Mr. Turner said that he would like to come to Cobourg, but as we only had one railway, the town was not adopted for manufacturers. If he leaves Peterborough he intends locating in a larger place.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Toronto Globe: Mrs. Rolleston Tait, of Lakefield, Peterborough, is in town.

—Cobourg Post:—Mr. Robt. Kirkpatrick has accepted a position in Peterborough and left for that town on Monday.

—Mr. H. Sherin, the enterprising merchant, of Lakefield, was in town yesterday on business.

—Miss Lyle, of Bowmanville, and Miss O'Brien, of Millbrook, are the guests of Miss McKee, Rubidge street.

—Cobourg Post:—Miss A. B. Patterson who visited Mrs. B. A. Duncan last week, returned to her home in Peterborough on Monday.

—The many friends of Mr. Adam Thompson, of Otonabee, will be sorry to hear that his health is not improving as rapidly as was expected.

—Yesterday evening Mrs. C. B. McAllister entertained a number of her friends to a drive to Lakefield, and supper at the Craig House, where a dance took place. A delightful evening was spent, about thirty being present. The party returned to town shortly after midnight.

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OBITUARY

Sad Death of Sarah Jane Fowler at Moosejaw Peterborough

We grieve to hear of the death, at Moosejaw, of Sarah Jane Stevenson, wife of J. P. Fowler, at the age of 21 years. The deceased left Peterborough about a year ago. She has a brother and sister living in town, who will have the sympathy of their friends in their loss.

ANNUAL MEETING

Peterborough Lock Manufacturing Co. Met Yesterday

The Peterborough Lock Mfg. Co. held their annual meeting at the offices of the Company yesterday. The annual statement of the company showed a flourishing condition, the business of the Company has materially increased during the past year. Hon. J. R. Stratton, A. Cox, A. L. Davis, R. B. McKee, T. H Forty were re-elected directors.

At the subsequent meeting of the directors Mr. Stratton was elected President and Mr. R. B. McKee, Vice-President.

WEDDING AT CATHEDRAL

Nuptials of Miss Lucy Curtin and Mr. M. F McGrath

Miss Lucy Curtin, daughter of Mrs. W. Curtin, Aylmer street, and Mr. Michael A. McGrath were the principals of a wedding solemnized in St. Peter's Cathedral yesterday morning. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father McColl. Miss Rose Milloy acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Wm. Curtin was the groomsman. Mr. and Mrs. McGrath leave for their new home in Jeanette, Pa., today.

FORTNIGHTLY CLUB

Illness Prevents Prof Wrong from Speaking Thursday Night

Prof. Wrong, of Toronto University, was to have delivered a lecture in the club's winter course on Thursday evening next, but the professor is unfortunately confined to his bed with illness, and unable to keep his engagement, and it is not known when his health will be sufficiently restored to admit of his appearing in Peterborough. The Club Committee have been unable to get another course lecturer to take Prof. Wrong's date. Due notice of the next lecture will be given.

POLICE COURT

Boys Sent to Reformatory—Fined for Being Drunk and Disorderly

A man charged with being drunk and disorderly, and using abusive language on the streets, was fined $2 and costs, amounting in all to $4.25.

Three boys, Frank Scriber, James Brooks and Willie Fallon, charged with stealing some fox skins, toques and moccasins from different stores in town were found guilty. Scriber and Brooks were sent to the Reformatory for a period not exceeding five years, and Willie Fallon to the Industrial School for a like period.

WEDDING BELLS

Mr. Peter Tully, of Smith, Wed Miss Lucy Marion Tebb

The nuptials of Miss Lucy Marion Tebb daughter of Mr. Richard Tebb, of Peterborough, to Mr. Peter Tully, of Smith, took place on Wednesday, Jan. 28th, at St. Andrews manse. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. J. G. Potter. Miss Emma Tebb, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. Robert J. Tully, brother of the groom, was best man.

After the ceremony the party repaired to the residence of the bride's parents, where a sumptuous dinner was served. The young couple received the hearty congratulations of their hosts of friends. The newly wedded pair will reside on a farm near Lindsay.

The Two Orphans

Once again the capacity of the local opera house was taxed to its utmost capacity, with an audience who appeared well pleased with the efforts made for their entertainment. The standard emotional drama "The Two Orphans," was the attraction presented, and the company scored another success.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—In Port Hope cordwood is selling at $3 a cord.

—The Board of Education will meet this evening.

—A union cottage meeting will be held at Auburn tonight.

—The Rural Deanery Meeting of the local diocese is being held at Havelock today.

—It is reported that a coal dealer in a neighboring town was heavily fined for short weight last week.

—Tomorrow evening, at 8 o'clock a teacher's convention will be held at St. Luke's, when some interesting papers will be read.

—Don't forget the meeting to-morrow afternoon in the Council Chamber, to discuss matters connected with the Central Exhibition.

—A number of schools in the northern part of Northumberland county were closed for a few days last week owing to several cases of scarlet fever.

—William A. Bradley was arrested in Toronto on Sunday by detective Verney on a charge of seduction. He is wanted in Port Hope.

—Mr. Theo. Ludgate, of Vancouver, and formerly of Peterborough has obtained possession of Deadman's island, and will establish large lumber mills, and employ over 500 miles.

—The last Peterborough License Commissioners held a meeting on Saturday. Accounts were passed after which the Board adjourned until April 18th, when they will meet to consider applications for licenses.

—We hear that Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons, on Saturday received an order from John Miller & Sons, of London, for 500 coal bags. This enterprising firm continues to grow, spreading the name of Peterborough abroad.

—Recently a Belleville school teacher strapped an unruly pupil and now a hot headed parent is after the teacher. Perhaps if the parent had gone after the pupil first he would have no occasion to threaten the teacher with punishment now.

—Through an unfortunate error in print the text of Rev. J. A. Wilson's sermon at St. Paul's Mission Sunday morning was made to read, "What Mean Ye by these Stories." The correct quotation, of course, is, "What Mean Ye by these Stones."

THE COUNTY COUNCIL

Continued from page 1.

21. That Mr. R. P. Watt be paid $3 per day as Sessional Clerk during this session.

22. That the Treasurer be authorized to pay the sum of $10 to each reporter who regularly reports the meeting of the council and who published such reports in the newspapers which each represents.

23. That the Coroner be authorized to employ a stenographer to take the evidence at Coroner's inquest at a cost not to exceed $3.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

E. A. PECK, Chairman.

County Council Chamber, Peterborough January, 1903.

On motion of Mr. Peck, seconded by Mr. Shaw, the report was adopted.

COUNTY PROPERTY.

On motion, Mr. Menogue presented the following report of the Committee on County Property.

The Committee on County Property beg leave to report as follows:

1. Your committee recommend that the necessary files be procured for use in the office of the clerk of the County Court and that the work be done under the supervision of the Warden and Messrs. Peck, and Hunter, the cost of repairs, etc., not to exceed $50.

2. Your committee recommend that the matter of repairs and supplies for the county buildings as may be required from time to time be left in the hands of the chairman of this committee with power to act.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JNO. MENOGUE, Chairman.

County Council Chamber, Peterborough, January 30th, 1903.

The report was on motion adopted.

COUNTY AUDITORS.

A bylaw was passed appointing Messrs. W. O'Brien and Geo. W. Bennett county auditors.

Bylaws were passed confirming the reports of the Committee on County Property, the Financial committee, the Road and Bridge committee.

A bylaw was passed authorizing the investment of the uninvested sinking funds of the county in debentures of the county.

Moved by Mr. Shaw, seconded by Mr. Menogue, that the Warden and chairman of the Road and Bridge committee be instructed to appoint a deputation to wait on the Government in reference to the bridge at Gannon's Narrows, if necessary.—Carried.

The Council then adjourned.

Two Irishmen were arguing who was the cleverer. "Well," said Pat, "I'll bet you can't tell me what keeps bricks together." "Shure," said Mike, "it's mortar." "No," said Pat, "you are wrong; that keeps them apart."

"And what," asked the cannibal chieftain in his kindest tones, "what was your business before you were captured by our men?"

Pessimism of Educated Youth.

Almost any evening, at dinner time, there may be seen in a well-known down town restaurant a group of young men, who occupy always the same corner and spend a long time talking over their coffee and cigars. They are all college graduates of a recent date, occupied in the day in getting a start in life, or, as one of them, who is engaged in some sort of literary work, more picturesquely puts it, "bucking the metropolis with a stub pen." Few have heard their talk, for when a stranger falls among them they are decorously polite, but uncommunicative, in the spirit of their leader. A few, however, have been initiated, and describe the conversations as "a series of carefully cultivated cynicisms, led by a lecture." Thus do their guests become victims to phrase-making.

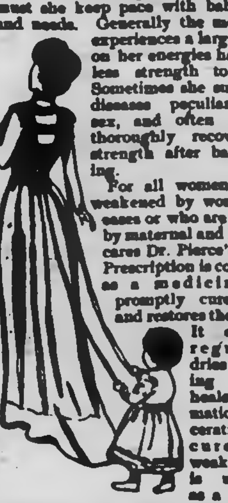
"It would be hard to diagnose their complaint," said one of these victims; "they are so cheerful in their woe. Nothing at present suits them, and they all pronounce their daily tasks a bore. But they are not bothered with reform notions and don't make a public fuss. I suspect they all cherish secret ambitions of winning commonplace successes, and swap their melancholy epigrams because they have no other way at present to maintain that academic seclusiveness your college graduate usually feels the lack of during the first years of his plunge into life. However, there's some truth and humor in their talk that needn't be summarily dismissed as downy faced cynicism."

And the speaker narrated as nearly as he could a speech of the leader on the subject of "How to Be Successful Though Educated." The young man knocked his cigarette ash into the dregs of his coffee and said: "I've thought this all out, as Devery does his brilliants. It's not impromptu. I was burdened with the conception by too much paternal advice on how to succeed. We get too much of that advice on all hands. The path from the log cabin to the White House has been exploited and explained; we have been taught how to be happy though married, and it only remains to put the teaching into practice—a minor detail; magazines conducted by underpaid editors have told us how to get from home to college with a cow for capital; the lives of our captains of industry have been laid bare from their always humble beginnings, but the really useful work is the one not done. Who will tell us how to be successful though educated?

"The worst that may be said of a college training (until the chair of success is founded) is that it gives a young man ambitions. After all, the youth whose capital is a cow in most instances prefers to keep his capital and milk it; the boy in the log cabin hopes some day to build a house with store shingles; the young worker in the steel mill thinks he may in time rise to be a foreman, and is content if he does. But the college graduate has ambitions. Nurtured in romance, fed on history, filled with the keen relish for intellectual excitement and the power of intellectual mastery, he is yearly turned by the thousand into the hard world, with ambitions, but no job.

"There are open for him the law and medicine; but each requires three or four more years of training, and then an additional period of unremunerative waiting. There is business, but already the high school graduate has a four years' start, which, when all is said, the classics and French literature do not help to overcome. He might write novels, but his taste is too good, while a knowledge of art bars him from the drama. To be sure, there is teaching; the world still puts up with a little education in its teachers. Yet, as women will teach cheaper, even that field is restricted. It is no wonder that there are so many men of culture in the mines of Mexico and Alaska, or that so few of us college men marry before we are thirty."

Then someone asked this gloomy teacher of twenty-three, whose remarks were greeted with no applause, but quiet approval," said the outsider, "what he proposed to do about it. His answer was characteristic. 'To-morrow I play golf,' he said."—N. Y. "Tribune."



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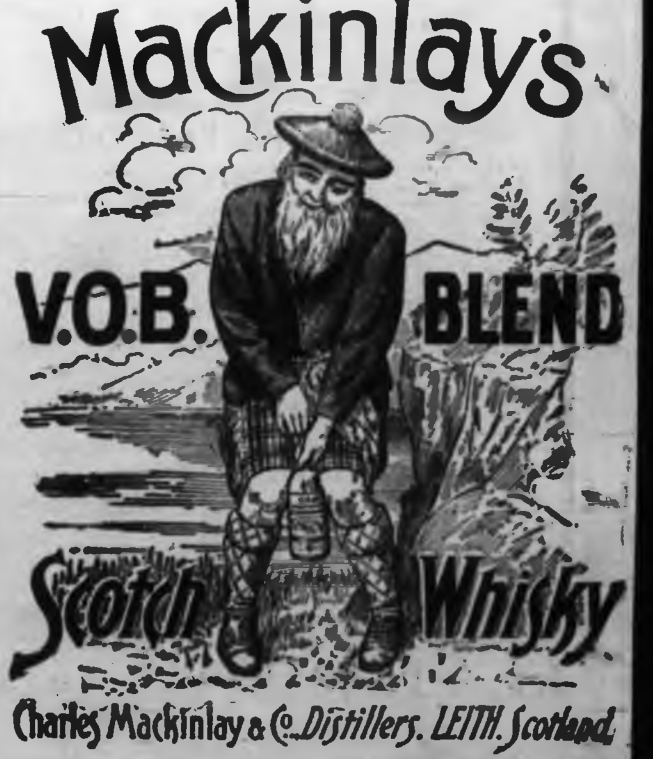
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Rio Janeiro, Feb. 4.—General Itaperuna has left the province of Matto Crosso, the scene of the Acre difficulty between Brazil and Bolivia. He is taking with him artillery, rapid fire guns and ammunition, and is accompanied by General Caesar Sampio.

General Sampio will command the Brazilian division on the Matto Crosso-Bolivian frontier.

The Acre difficulty between Brazil and Bolivia is acute, notwithstanding the statements from some quarters that an amicable understanding would be reached.

Dispatches received from La Paz, Bolivia, declare that two detachments of Bolivian troops had left the capital for Acre, and that the Brazilians in Acre were besieged in the Porvenier and Costa Rica settlements.

SULTAN TRIUMPHS OVER PRETENDER.

Latter's Camp Rushed and Followers Killed or Captured

THE LEADER HIMSELF SAID TO BE PRISONER

Victory Has Ensured the Stability of the Moorish Throne

Tangier, Feb. 3—The tide of war has suddenly turned in favor of the Sultan. A messenger whose credentials are regarded by experienced residents as entitling him to complete belief, has brought news that El Menbhi commanding the Sultan's troops surprised and rushed the camp of Bu Hamara the pretender, on January 29, capturing almost all his force. El Menbhi seized the camp together with quantities of provisions and ammunition, and recaptured the guns that the Sultan's troops lost on Decem.

A second messenger of the Fez confirms this news with the exception of the capture of Bu Hamara, which he denies, but it has not yet been ascertained whether the pretender is among the slain, who are numerous. The pretender's khalifa and staff were captured.

There is great rejoicing here where it is believed that the Sultan is now infinitely stronger than he was before the rebellion. Even if the pretender escaped, the popular belief in his saintship will be destroyed, and he will never again obtain a following.

Bu Hamara's previous successes are ascribed rather to the incapacity of the Sultan's uncles who commanded the imperial forces than to his own character. Simultaneously with the above information comes authentic news that two of the Sultan's Kaids have beaten the Beneswarin and Hyaina tribes, capturing and destroying all their possessions. It has been many years since any Sultan was able to put down these tribesmen. The fugitives, instead of joining Bu Hamara, all submitted, offering themselves as guarantees for the capture of the pretender. This victory occurred some days previous to El Menebhi's, to which it apparently led.

Tribesmen Submit.

London, Feb. 3—Mr. Forwood, an Englishman, writing from Fez, under date of January 13, records the defeat and submission of the Hyaina and Beneswarin tribesmen. He adds that the Englishmen in Fez never had any idea of going to the coast. The women went because the town was full of wild tribesmen. The gates of Fez have never been closed. There has never been a panic or any cause for anxiety.

Pretender Exposed in a Cage?

London, Tuesday, Feb. 3—A despatch from Tangier to the Morning Leader mentions a circumstantial report current in that city that Bu Hamara was brought to Fez in a cage and exposed to public derision. The despatch adds that it is impossible to ascertain the truth, and attributes the Sultan's victory more to his bribery of the tribes than to military tactics. The bribed rebels suddenly abandoned the pretender's standard.

Berlin, Feb. 2—A curious story widely told in the Provincial and Berlin papers this morning, is that the Crown Prince of Saxony is determined to renounce his succession to the throne in favor of his son George, who is ten years of age, for the reason that the military code of honor does not permit a husband wronged as he has been, to remain in the service, and the Crown Prince, as commander of the first army corps of Saxony, and as the future commander of the entire Saxon contingent, must pass upon the findings of military courts of honor, which, in circumstances similar to those of the Crown Prince, requires a challenge, or the laying aside of the uniform. The Crown Prince, it is added, is scarcely expected to challenge Professor Giron, the teacher of languages, who eloped with the Crown Princess, but opinion in the army is so rigid on points of honor that the Crown Prince is regarded as ineligible for reviewing the decisions of courts of honor or protecting the honor of the uniform.

WOULDN'T TAKE A DARE

Cleveland Woman Drinks Poison in Presence of Her Husband

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 3.—Because she wouldn't take a dare, Miss Lizzie Weisbarth swallowed two ounces of carbolic acid last night. Prompt action saved her life.

Mrs. Weisbarth, her husband, George Weisbarth, and the woman's brother and sister-in-law, were together. Mrs. Weisbarth, said; "I'll do it now." "Do what?" exclaimed her husband. "Why, commit suicide." "You wouldn't dare," retorted the husband, laughing, thinking she was joking. For answer the woman produced a bottle and drank part of its contents before the astonished husband knocked it from her lips. No motive is known for her act, and she will recover.

SHOWS A BIG INCREASE

Westbound Traffic Over Lakes is Thirty-Eight Per cent Higher

Winnipeg, Feb. 3.—General Manager McNicholl of the C.P.R., was questioned yesterday by a newspaper representative respecting the proposed new station and hotel, and the C.P.R. yard extensions, but he said he had nothing to give for publication at present. He said the engineers were busy preparing a number of different plans for the yard extension, but it had not yet been decided as to the course the company would pursue in this connection.

He said that the returns which he had received showing the west bound business over the lakes were of most satisfactory character, showing as they did, an increase of 38 per cent. over those of the preceding year.

Mr. McNichol expects to spend another week in Winnipeg.

LIFE'S END IS NEAR

For the Widow of Napoleon III., Who is Visiting in Madrid

Madrid, Feb. 3.—The ex-Empress Eugenie, who is back in her native land to escape the hazards of an English winter, impresses all who have seen her during the last few years to have aged much. Though she manages to keep up an appearance of activity, she leans more heavily than ever on her walking stick, and the lines of her face have deepened noticeably.

The ex-Empress who was Mlle. de Montijo when Napoleon III. fell captive to her beauty, is much beloved in Madrid, but she has to be chary in responding to the desires of society to pay deference to her on account of her increasing infirmities. She dresses always in deep mourning and the expression of sadness on her fine features and her still stately carriage make her a noticeable figure wherever she goes, even among those who do not recognize her.

Later on the ex-Empress will go to her home in the south of France, where she hopes to entertain Prince Henry of Battenberg. She will not return to England until the spring is well advanced.

CHANDOS.

—The rain storm on Thursday of last week made bad roads.

—Mr. Robert Knox, of Minnesota, is visiting his friends in Chandos.

—Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Scott have returned home from visiting their friends in Buckhorn.

—The many friends of Mr. Dennis O'Brien will be glad to hear that he is over his illness.

—Mr. Chas. Hawkes is in town this week.

—Mrs. John Menogue visited her friends in town last week.

—Mr. W. Nugent, the popular agent for the Massey Harris and the Bain sleighs and waggons, was in this vicinity last week. Mr. Nugent is doing a rushing business. He has sold a lot of the Massey Harris mowers, which are second to none in Canada.

—The patrons of the Clydesdale cheese factory held their annual meeting on Saturday, 24th inst., which was largely attended. Mr. John Menogue, president of the factory, resigned his position. He has served the patrons faithfully for the past six years. Mr. D. S. Campbell took the chair, and called on the patrons to elect a president. Mr. Alex. Trotter was elected president for the coming year, and Mr. D. S. Campbell, auditor, and Messrs. Henry Hillcock, Wm. Martain, James Scott, Edward Gooley, John McKee, Committee of Management. Cheese maker for 1903, Mr. Fred Remington.

NEW ELECTRIC DISCOVERY

Alternating and Direct Current Sent at the Time

Ithaca, N.Y., Feb 3—At a meeting of the Cornell Electric Society last night, Prof. Frederick Bedell of the physics department of Cornell University announced a new discovery in electric power transmission, whereby an alternating and direct current may be sent at the same time. Experiments show economy, the amount of copper being reduced one-half.

GIANT CANAL FOR CANADA

Scheme for New Waterway From Georgian Bay to the sea

Albany, N.Y., Feb. 3—The legislature is discussing some interesting canal projects. Assemblyman Graff, of Essex is sponsor for the Georgian Bay canal scheme. This is a proposition to enlarge the Champlain Canal to twenty-one feet, to provide an outlet to the sea for the proposed Canadian ship canal that is to run from Georgian Bay, along the Ottawa River and Lake Nippissing to the St. Lawrence River to Montreal, thence to St. Johns and by way of the Richelieu River to Lake Champlain down the Champlain Canal to the Hudson River.

COAL PROSPECTS BRIGHTER

Yesterday 188 Cars, Mostly Hard, Arrived in Toronto

Toronto, Feb. 3—Coal prospects were better again yesterday. There were 140 cars into the G.T.R. yards, of which 76 arrived during the day. Of the 86 cars were hard. Over the C.P.R. 80 cars arrived, of which 54 were hard. The G.T.R. officials were much distressed at accounts appearing in the press telling of hundreds of cars that had not been moved for months. For such a state of affairs to occur, they said, they would have to be in collusion with the local dealers, which they indignantly denied. All they got out of coal brought here from Niagara was 60 cents a ton. If coal was stalled in the yards the dealers would have to pay $1 a day demurrage, besides a penalty. The only possibility of coal accumulating in the yards and not being moved for months was in case coal had to be kept for the railway's own use. But the railway was not doing this. It was using coal as soon as it got it.

WILL SOON BE EVADED

By Dowie's Restoration Host—Says he Expects to Make a Hundred Thousand Converts

Kenosha, Wis., Feb. 3.—John Alexander Dowie, who, by his personal magnetism, has built up a city of 10,000 people just south of this city, announces this morning that he had decided to take the restoration host to New York and make an effort to secure 100,000 converts to Dowieism in Greater New York. For his great work he has taken options on Madison Square Garden and Carnegie Hall, and he is to have a lease of them early in the summer.

The fight against sin will continue for six months. Mayor Lowe has granted a permit to the representatives of Zion to hold 1,000 street meetings daily in New York. The entire membership of the church has been asked to help, and thousands of dollars have already been contributed for the crusade. Dr. Dowie will be personally in charge of all the great meetings, adopting the methods which have made the General Overseer and Zion famous in Chicago.

In speaking of the proposed work Dr. Dowie proudly referred to it as "the greatest work ever attempted by the followers of any religion." The host which will be sent to New York will be composed of from three to five thousand people, both men and women. They will be fed at Madison Square Garden, and will live at the different points in the city where work is contemplated.

CANADA'S CONTRIBUTION

What was Given in Men Money and Subsidies to the late War

Ottawa, Ont., February 3 — A supplementary report has been issued by the militia department giving the details of the organization and despatch to South Africa of the Canadian division, South African constabulary, the second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth regiments, C.M.R., and the 10th Field hospital and the services rendered by these corps while in the field, including the third battalion, R.C.R., which relieved the Leinster regiment at Halifax. Canada raised a force of 8,372 of all ranks at a total cost of $2,830,965. The expenditure on the contingents was $1,996,807, whilst the sum of $824,897 was paid out in connection with the Third Special Service battalion at Halifax. Of the total force of 7,368 that went to South Africa 224 died and 252 were wounded, making in all 476 casualties. The number of killed was 63. Thirty-one died of wounds, 127 succumbed to disease, one was accidentally drowned and two were reported missing and believed to be dead. Of the deaths from disease 98, or over 75 per cent, were due to fever.

Premier Haultain May Resign

Winnipeg, Feb. 3.—A despatch from Indian Head says Premier Haultain, of the Territorial Government, may resign to accept a judgeship, to be created in the west.

THE NEW COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE BUILDING

Reported on by the Property Committee of the School Board

AT LAST NIGHT'S MEETING.

Winners of the Nicholls Scholarship Prizes—Inaugural Meeting of the Board of Education for 1903 Takes Place This Evening.

The last meeting of the Board of Education of 1902 was held last night. The Board met in Mr. W. G. Morrow's office, the caretaker not being on hand to open the board room.

There were present Chairman W. H. Hill and Trustees W. G. Ferguson, F. J. Jameson, R. Fair, Jas. Stevenson, W. H. Wrighton, V. Eastwood, H. P. Kennedy, and Drs. Burnham and Caldwell.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Mrs. J. L. Hatton, Rubidge street, asked permission to send her little brother, whom she is raising, to one of the town schools without paying fees. The boy has previously attended country schools, but now that he is living with her, Mrs. Hatton thought he should be entitled to the town's educational privileges. —This matter was referred to the inspector for investigation.

Arthur Tomlinson, of Bristol, England, applied for a position as manual instructor.—This was referred to the Committee on Appointments.

R Laidlaw, Secretary of Brockville Collegiate institute, asked the co-operation of the board toward securing an amendment of legislation passed last session, in connection with the High School Act, regarding county maintenance.—Received

FINANCE REPORT.

Dr. Caldwell, chairman of the Finance Committee reported, recommending payment of a number of accounts.

The following accounts were referred to the Finance Committee:

McClellan Coal Co.	$75.	27
Dr. Bingham	25	00
Kingan Hardware Co.		80
John Simpson	14	75
R. Hicks & Co.	7	91
Peterboro Light & Power Co.	16	24
Peterboro Hardware Co.	30	63
C. A. Dednes		16
Peterboro Hardware Co.	3	15
Peterboro Water Co.	63	30
Adam Hall	10	02
Clarke & Gibson	1	25
R. B. Clegg & Co.		85
Wm. Butler	6	22
Jas. Batten	3	00
Adam Dawson	11	40
A. H. Stratton & Co.	31	73

ATTENDANCE.

The average attendance reported from the Collegiate Institute for the month of January was 210; total on roll, 230.

The average attendance at the Central School for January was 319; at the South Central School, 361; Barnade Avenue School 125; Park Street School 108; George street school, 108; Kindergarten 24.

SCHOLARSHIP PRIZES.

Mr. Fessenden submitted a report from Mr. H. H. Wilkinson, Deputy Minister of Education, which named the successful competitors for the Nicholls Scholarship prizes at the last July examinations as follows: Part I, Junior Leaving, Mary Roberts. Part I, Matriculation, H. Sawers. Part II, Junior Leaving, S. Eyres. Senior Leaving and Hon. Matriculation, Florence Corkery.

NEW COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

Mr. Robert Fair, chairman of the Property committee, submitted the following report:

Gentlemen,—Early last autumn, by resolution of your Board, your Property committee was authorized to make enquiries and ascertain the probable cost involved in the purchase of a site and erection of a new building to be devoted to the purposes of the local Collegiate Institute.

Your committee made diligent enquiry, and collected a variety of information relative to the matter in hand. They communicated with Inspector Seath, of the Department, asking where such a building as would meet the needs of the town was located. Mr. Seath recommended the Jamieson Avenue School, Toronto Junction, as an entirely suitable building, and one thoroughly modern in all respects. On January 13th, a sub committee of your Property committee went to Toronto and viewed this school, and these gentlemen have pleasure in handing you a report in reference to the matter. The facts are fully set out in the communication, and need not here be repeated. It is the opinion of your sub-committee that such a building would afford ample accomodation not only for immediate needs, but for the possible contingencies of future years.

As to a site. Your committee are unable to give any definite information as there is some difference of opinion as to location. Several sites have been mentioned, all seemingly equally suitable, but unless your committee was authorized and empowered to accept offers, and be advised as to the quantity of land desired to be made use of the cost of a site must remain a matter of speculation.

Your committee is of the opinion that a suitable building, one that will rank well with the other public buildings of the town, and at the same time afford suitable accomodation, will cost in the neighborhood of $30,000, exclusive of site.

Your committee suggest that the matter be handed to their successors, to be further dealt with, fully satisfied that the needs of the town will not be lost sight of, and the best interests of the schools fully served.

The matter of improving the fences around the Institute and Central School and renovation of the grounds has been considered by your committee. Only one opinion exists and that is that the work should be done and done thoroughly. The fence require considerable repair and the ground should be levelled.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A MODEL BUILDING.

In connection with the above matter the following report was submitted:

Gentlemen,—Your delegation appointed to view the Jamieson Ave. Collegiate Institute, Toronto, Ont., beg leave to report that on January 21st inst., they did so. This school was built 10 years ago, and is acknowledged in Toronto, so far as we could ascertain, to be the best property of that kind in the city, though there are several other buildings of later date. The building is arranged for eight regular class rooms. Each have a seating capacity for 40 pupils. These rooms being on two flats of four rooms each. The basement is utilized for heating appartus, lavatories, bicycle rooms, etc. The top flat contains a lecture, or assembly room, capable of seating all the pupils, where they are assembled once each day by the principal, which is a pleasing future, and found to be a most useful function. There are also several rooms off the assembly room, found useful for occasional small classes, in special studies. On each floor are two large cloak rooms, fitted up with lockers, and drip racks for umbrellas, etc. On the first floor of the main entrance is the principal's office and library. On the second floor are private study and waiting rooms for women and men teachers, respectively. The halls are specially pointed out in this school, on account of their excellent lighting and spaciousness, are said to be most attractive and helpful in airing the class rooms during recess, and also giving plenty of room for the pupils to remain in during cold or wet weather at recess time. The floors and wood-work are all in hardwood, and thoroughly well constructed. The building is located on 1 1-2 acres of land, bounded on three sides by streets, this assuring plenty of good light. It is constructed of good ordinary red brick, with stone facing, and slate roof. The entire property cost the city about $55,000, the building proper about $40,000. We are of the opinion that allowing for future increase of attendants that a school of capacity of the above would be sufficient for all requirements. There are, of course, numerous minor changes and improvements that would arise in the construction of a new building that are not necessary to be pointed out in a report of this kind.

Yours truly,
V. EASTWOOD,
Chairman

The above reports were referred to the incoming Property Committee.

Mr. Eastwood moved, seconded by Mr. F. J. Jameson, that the matter of the further preliminary work in connection with the building of the proposed Collegiate Institute be handed to the Property Committee for 1903, with instructions to continue the work and power to employ an architect to prepare plans and estimates of cost, and that the Committee be empowered to receive offers embracing options for sites, such offers to be submitted to the Board, and that the Committee report to the Board from time to time as to the information and facts so obtained.—Carried.

The matter of the caretaker not being on hand to give admittance to the Board room was here taken up.

Mr. Robert Fair remarked that he knew the caretaker to be in poor health just now, and probably he was really too ill to be in attendance this evening. He must say in his behalf that he is attending to his duties very well.

Mr. McBain replied that as this was not the first time the caretaker had overlooked being present at Board meetings the Property Committee should investigate.

Mr. Hartley moved, seconded by Mr. Wrighton, that the matter be referred to the incoming Property Committee, with power to act.—Carried.

The Board then adjourned.

The inaugural meeting of the Board for 1903, will take place in the board room at the Collegiate Institute this evening at 8 o'clock.

A BIG NEW COMPANY WILL GROW WHEAT

Stock offered in England by Canadians--Directors Include an Official of the Canadian Pacific

London, Feb. 3—A prospectus is widely advertised today of the British Canadian Wheat Raising Company, with a capital of $1,000,000, divided into 200,000 shares of $5 each, and 30,000 shares held in reserve. The vendor, J. Richard Browne of Montreal, takes 60,000, and the remaining 50,000 are now offered to the public. The object is to acquire 20,026 acres in Assiniboia, held under Government grant in perpetuity. The company estimate that at least 30 bushels per acre will be raised, and, allowing for cost of cultivation and threshing, the anticipated net profit is $130,000 per annum, at a selling price of 60 cents per bushel.

The directors are: J. Richard Browne, Montreal; M. C. McHenry, the Chief Engineer of the Canadian Pacific; Hon. T. Mayne Daly of Winnipeg; J U. Gregory, of Quebec; William Johnston, of Winnipeg; Hugh R. Cameron, of Winnipeg; Charles Cangrain of Montreal, and two others to be elected by the English shareholders after allotment. The presence of Mr. McHenry on the board is taken to indicate that the company will work in conjunction with the new Canadian Pacific freight service. The company will start planting in April.

The Pall Mall Gazette notes that the company is registered in Ontario, not England, thus escaping inconvenient provisions of the Companies' Act of 1900 with the stringent regulations as to public disclosures.

Sale of a Canadian Line.

The bondholders' meeting of the Calgary and Edmonton Railway will be held on Friday to consider an agreement to lease the line to the Canadian Pacific for 90 years, at a rental of $22,000 per annum. A bondholder writes the Financial Times today that the prospects of the road are so good that if the Canadian Pacific does not offer £100 of 4 per cent. debenture stock for each £100 bond instead of the 94 1-3 now offered, the road should be run independently. There is every prospect, however, that the agreement will be confirmed.

Considerable attention is devoted to the announcement that the Canadian Northern has absorbed the Great Northern of Canada. Grand Trunk officials here are anxious to make it clear that the purchase has no connection with the Grand Trunk Pacific scheme, while Mackenzie is now visiting England, and are also emphatic in assertions that he has no business here with the Grand Trunk. Nevertheless, it would surprise few if the Great Northern and Canadian Northern ultimately form part of the Grand Trunk Pacific System, for much as Englishmen are impressed with the progress of the North-West, they hardly anticipate room as yet for three transcontinental systems.

Disappointment is expressed at the latest Le Roi mining returns. The manager reports that neither tonnage nor values equal expectations, owing to a falling off in value of the intermediate stope between the ninth and tenth levels. The disappointment is all the keener because it is felt necessary that some British Columbia mines show good results to counteract the bad influences of the past for Whitaker Wright.

The Footballers.

The Canadian footballers were entertained at dinner last night at the Criterion restaurant, Piccadilly, by the London Scottish Club.

Regarding the projected tour in Canada of the English footballers, it is understood that J. A. Parker, well-known in connection with South African sport, has been unable to induce the team which he is taking to South Africa in June next to return via Canada. He hopes to arrange a Canadian tour in 1904 on the way from Australasia.

The German Frankfurter Zeitung publishes a statement that the Hamburg-American Steamship Company proposes this year to again run a service of passenger steamers to Quebec and Montreal. In consequence of accidents on the St. Lawrence route, especially the cases of the Arabia and Arcadia, it was thought the company would withdraw from the Canadian passenger traffic.

ELEVEN PERISHED IN FIERCE FLAMES

Three Storey Tenement of Finish Colony Totally Consumed Seven Fatally Injured

Vancouver, Feb. 3—Relentless fate seemed to pursue the British colony of political refugees that is trying to establish a foothold in British Columbia, on Malcolm Island, under the guidance of Matti Kurrika, formerly publisher of the Finnish newspaper Aika at Nanaimo. On Thursday last the worst in a long series of calamities befell them.

While a meeting of the men of the colony was in progress in the Assembly Hall fire broke out in the three-storey building, in the two lower floors of which were 244 living apartments. Nothing could check the flames, and in them eleven persons perished, seven were fatally injured, and ten others painfully burned or injured by jumping from upper storey windows to escape the flames.

No Clothes, No Furniture.

The majority of the children, and many of the women were left with nothing but their night garments, and many of the men have lost all but their working clothes. They have also lost all their household effects.

Mrs. Orberg was sleeping in the room next the fire, which presumably originated from a wooden hot air shaft. She was awakened by what seemed to her a voice saying: "Awake, eternity is at hand!". She ran out in affright, and though badly burned, her life was saved, but her two little daughters, five and six years old, were burned to death. Her husband was also badly burned in trying to fight his way in to save his family.

Mrs. Lofbacka, a widow, got her two children into the hallway, but all were overcome and perished within a few feet of the door that led to open air and life.

Mrs. H. Hermanson and four children perished in their room. Mr. Hermanson had remained in Vancouver to look after the office while Mr. Kurrika was at the island. Mrs. Hermanson got out unhurt, but heroically returned for her children and perished with them.

In a Fiery Furnace.

Mr. Sortell had been at the meeting. Coming down he turned into the hallway at the second floor and entered one of the rooms, evidently with the intention of jumping from one of the second storey windows. He went into a room under which the floor was badly burned and it gave way beneath him, and he crashed through into the raging furnace beneath. He remained upright with one hand aloft, and friends could see through the window, but were powerless to approach. He was burned to death in the same room as were the Orberg children.

Saved Her Husband.

Mrs. Hiltunen's knees and face are badly bruised and cut. She is a heavy woman, and pitched forward when she struck the ground after jumping from the third storey. Mrs. Hiltunen is a very thoughtful woman, and had a rope ready for such emergencies. Her husband was ill, and she was getting ready to raise him from his bed and lower him from the window, when the only one-legged man in the colony hopped in, and, appropriating the first turn on the rope, slid to safety. Mrs. Hiltunen bravely hauled back the rope and lowered her helpless husband carefully to the ground, though the flames were licking through the floor when she lifted him through the window. By the time he was on the ground in safety the flames were bursting out around where the rope was tied, and the noble, self-sacrificing woman had no alternative but to jump.

Big Colony Coming.

Arrangements for the all-British colony in Assiniboia are making such progress that two steamers are expected to be necessary to carry the first party to be necessary to carry the first party to Canada. The party will probably greatly outnumber any special contingent of settlers in Canada except the [illegible]

ILLNESS OF THE KING CONFINED TO BED

With Feverish Cold—Royal Engagements are Cancelled—Sir F. Laking Summoned to Windsor to Attend Him

London, Feb. 3—King Edward is confined to bed to-day with a feverish cold. The royal engagements have all been cancelled. Sir Francis Laking, the King's private physician has been summoned to Windsor. It is supposed that an attack of influenza is probably the cause of the King's illness.

The King and Queen were to have left for Derbyshire this morning on a visit to the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, and were to have received popular demonstrations at one or two places not previously visited by the King.

New York, Feb. 3—The New York Times' despatch from London says: King Edward's very sudden indisposition, necessitating the postponement of his visit to the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire at Chatsworth, has created general surprise here, and it is remarked as curious, to say the least, that the King should have been apparently in excellent health and spirits, laughing heartily with the Prince of Wales during the tree planting ceremony at 11.30 o'clock yesterday morning, and then within an hour he should be in pronounced suffering from a feverish cold, and unable to leave Windsor Castle, as arranged.

The King's dislike for breaking public and private engagements is well known by the people. Therefore, they are inclined to be skeptical regarding the cause assigned for his having done it at a moment when an alteration of his program must have caused great inconvenience to a great many people, besides his expectant host and hostess.

Is it Appendicitis?

Having regard for the suddenness of his illness, and the fact that feverish colds do not ordinarily develop with such rapidity, also the invariable practice of court physicians and other officers to minimize Royal ailments, there is a tendency to attribute the indisposition to a recrudescence of the case of appendicitis, which caused a postponement of the Coronation, and which came near to causing the loss of his Majesty's life last year. It will be remembered that the appendix was not removed that time. All that was done was the evacuation of a large abscess in that region. It is known that sufferers from appendicitis frequently have very sudden attacks, hence the anxiety of the public is not dispelled by a reassuring statement that his Majesty's indisposition in this case is only a feverish cold.

If this anxiety is not justified by the facts, it is not unreasonable, considering the public recollection of the optimistic official reports constantly issued just before the startling announcement last June that the King was about to undergo a serious operation.

Just a Cold.

The World's London cable says it's Windsor correspondent sends the following: The King has been suffering since Saturday with a cold, which, as his colds always do, became fixed in his throat. He was better this—Monday—morning, and drove to plant some trees along the new avenue in Windsor Park. His carriage is artificially heated and while he was standing about in the morning air, he caught a fresh cold, which made his throat so troublesome that his visit to Chatsworth was postponed at the last moment.

The World's London correspondent heard last night from a high court source that the King only remembered yesterday morning that it was the anniversary of Queen Victoria's funeral, and decided it would be highly improper for him to start on a junketing expedition to Chatsworth on such a day.

The Duke of Devonshire is said to have expended more than $100,000 in arranging for the King's visit. It is reported at Chatsworth that the Queen has promised to go there today if the King cannot.

THEY ARE A MARVEL

Dr. Clarke's Little Red Pills the Greatest Wonder of the Age

Editor of the Morning Times;

Sir,—I am only too pleased to write a letter to the press, as I firmly believe that all who suffer from rheumatism or any troubles of the blood can get sure and certain relief. I was ill for many years, and am now entirely well. Dr. Clarke's Little Red Pills are without doubt the greatest wonder of the age in medicine. They cured me, and I know they will cure others who are even worse than I was. I write this of my own accord in the hope that it will do some good. Evans Blair, G. T. R. News Agent, Union Station, Toronto.

A. R. Leggo, Stanstead, Que., writes "Six boxes of Dr. Clarke's Little Red Pills entirely cured me of indigestion after years of torture."

Dr. Clarke's Little Red Pills are positive and certain cure for rheumatism, asthma, paralysis, coughs, lame back, indigestion, all stomach and liver troubles, female complaints, even who the diseases have been standing for many years; the most stubborn case will yield. Sold by Ormond & Walsh, Peterborough, price 50c. per box.

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BAKING POWDER

It enables you to cook and bake with perfect confidence as to results.

"I use Cleveland's Baking Powder in my kitchen and class work." [illegible]

BLOOD POISON.

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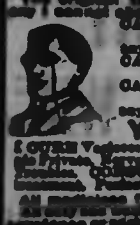
The original testimonials can be seen at my office; [illegible] for any I cannot show.



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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, JAN. 31, 1903.

DEVELOPING WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY

Signor Marconi is of the impression that he will be able to commence a regular commercial service with his wireless system in three months. The young inventor proposes to fit a station at Poldhu in the immediate future for communication with Canada. More powerful generators will be placed at Cornwall, and other appliances should add materially to the effectiveness of the service. The next development of wireless telegraphy will be to connect England with South Africa.

Experimentating is developing many things which formerly puzzled Marconi. The inventor believes that the electric waves conveying aerograms follow the surface of the earth. Whether these waves go above or below the earth has not yet been determined. But in sending his messages, Marconi will calculate the distance to a certain point of the globe directly opposite his station by taking the semi-circumference of the earth.

The interesting fact is developed, that in sending aerograms, more power is needed by day than by night. The fact that the sun may be shining or that the day may be cloudy appears to make little difference in the effectiveness of the messages.

When Marconi received word at sea from Poldhu last summer, the wiseacres who were predicting that wireless telegraphy would never be used for commercial purposes made much of the fact that a few of the messages were picked up by persons for whom they were not intended. The wireless apparatus has since been tuned for secrecy. The tuning system consists in each receiver being adjusted to "respond only to waves of a prescribed frequency, and the various transmitters being adjusted to develop different frequencies."

In time, the Marconi system will naturally undergo many improvements. As now operated the generator at work for transoceanic services makes a deafening noise, and electrical instruments in the vicinity are greatly affected by the electric current.

CANADA'S CONTRIBUTION

What was Given in Men Money and Subsidies to the to the War

Ottawa, Ont., February 2 — A supplementary report has been issued by the militia department giving the details of the organization and despatch to South Africa of the Canadian division, South African constabulary, the second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth regiments, C.M.R., and the 10th Field Hospital and the services rendered by these corps while in the field, including the third battalion, R.C.R., which relieved the Leinster regiment at Halifax. Canada raised a force of 8,372 of all ranks at a total cost of $[illegible]. The expenditure on the contingents was $1,[illegible], whilst the sum of $[illegible] was paid out in connection with the Third Special Service battalion at Halifax. Of the total force of 7,[illegible] that went to South Africa, 224 died and 252 were wounded, making in all 476 casualties. The number of killed was 63. Thirty-one died of wounds, 127 succumbed to disease, one was accidentally drowned and two were reported missing and believed to be dead. Of the deaths from disease 56, or over [illegible] per cent, were due to fever.

Premier Haultain May Resign

Winnipeg, Feb. 1.—A despatch from Indian Head says Premier Haultain, of the Territorial Government, may resign to accept a judgeship, to be created in the west.

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THE COUNTY COUNCIL

Balance of the Report of Monday Night's Meeting

The House of Refuge—Legal Committee Work—Orders on the Treasurer

HOUSE OF REFUGE.

Ald. Morrison submitted the following report:

Gentlemen,—Your Joint committee beg leave to report as follows:

1. Your committee had a meeting on January 20th, inst. with the Joint committee of the Council of the County of Peterborough, at which the following resolution was adopted:

"That a sub-committee consisting of Mayor Roger, and Ald. Morrison and County Councillors Johnston and Peck be appointed to enquire into the whole subject of a House of Refuge or some other manner of properly caring for the poor of the Town and County and that the Town and County Councils be requested to make provision for any expense necessarily incurred in the enquiry."

2. Your committee recommend that this action be confirmed and the request of the Joint committee granted and that the treasurer be authorized to pay the town's share of any such expense on the certificate of the chairman of this committee.

The report was adopted as read.

WORK OF LEGAL COMMITTEE.

At this juncture Ald. McWilliams drew attention to the fact that the case of Wm. Hopkins, who had threatened the Town with suit for damages for injuries received by reason of a defective sidewalk on Edinburgh street, had not been definitely reported on by 1902's committee, and he would like to know what power the present Legal committee, of which he was chairman, had in the matter.

Council referred this matter to the present Legal committee, with power to act, which practically meant a settlement with Mr. Hopkins.

ORDERS ON TREASURER.

Ald. Rush moved, seconded by Ald. Morrison, That the treasurer pay the Children's Aid Society $25 on account of any grant that may be made the society this year.—Carried.

Ald. Rush moved, seconded by Ald. Morrison, That the treasurer pay the Trustees of the Nicholls estate $30 interest on balance of account owing the estate by the town.—Carried.

QUESTION OF POWER.

Ald. Morrison moved, seconded by Ald. Rush, That the matter of the petition to the Lieutenant Governor re Niagara Falls power, be referred to the Electric Light and Franchise committee.—Carried.

A LIVE WIRE.

At this juncture Mr. Alex. Reid complained to the Council of uncivil treatment he received at the hands of Police Constable Stewart. He said that at 7.30 last Thursday evening, when driving past the corner of George and Brock streets, his colt was caught by what an investigation proved to be a live electric wire. He at once informed Constable Stewart of the circumstance, but on returning after driving a couple of blocks, he found the wire in charge of a couple of citizens, but no constable on the spot. He hunted up Stewart once more and told him he should give his attention to the live wire in the interests of the citizens, when the constable replied: "Mind your own business or I'll make you." Mr. Reid did not like such treatment from a public servant paid to safeguard the lives and property of our citizens.

Ald. Rush explained that Stewart had informed him that he had at once telephoned the circumstance of the live wire to Mr. Fisk.

Ald. Shortly said the trouble was that Reid thought the constable should have gone himself to keep citizens from running foul of the live wire in question.

UNION WITH THE VILLAGE.

Ald. McWilliams moved, seconded by Ald. Morrison, that a special committee be appointed to confer with a like committee from Ashburnham on the question of union with Ashburnham.

Ald. Best said that he altogether opposed taking over Ashburnham with its present limits.

Ald. O'Connell moved in amendment, that the matter be left in the hands of the Committee on Electric Light and Franchise, as originally intended.

Ald. Best moved in amendment, that the question be referred to a Committee of the Whole Council.

The amendment was carried on the casting vote of the Mayor and a Committee of the Whole Council will consequently look into the question of amalgamation with Ashburnham.

Council then adjourned.

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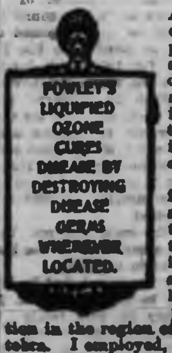

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I feel that I cannot find words with which to express what Ozone has done for me, and I will be most pleased to meet any person or persons you may wish to send to me in regard to the above.

I have the honor to be,
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(Signed) T. J. COO,
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Thos. [illegible] Church ave., Verdun, Montreal.
Richard [illegible], 31 Bruce st., London, Ont.
Chas. [illegible] st., Ottawa, Ont.
[illegible], 1 East Adelaide st., Toronto.
[illegible], 43 Gould st., Toronto.
[illegible] st., Montreal.
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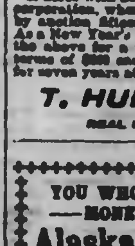

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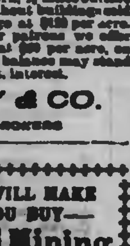

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COPY OF TESTIMONIALS.

A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.: Columbia National Bank, Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 23, 1903.

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(Signed) G. W. [illegible],
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The shares are entitled to cumulative preferred dividends from the net earnings of the Company, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, payable half-yearly on the first days of April and October. They may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged for common shares. They are subject to be called in, in whole or in part, by the Company, at 15.00 per share, at any time on or after 1st January 1909.

The total issue of Preferred Stock is only $1,000,000.00, the whole of which is now offered.

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Company owns 9,600 acres of coal property known throughout the coal trade as the New Campbellton Colliery, located on Bras D'Or Bay, County of Victoria, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia. Mine is fully equipped, producing and marketing 100 tons of coal a day at a net profit of $1.00 a ton. Improvements are now being made that will increase the output to over 1,000 tons a day. On present output, figuring 300 working days in year, the net result will more than pay interest on entire issue of preferred, with output of 1,000 tons a day net result will be $300,000 per annum.

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Company owns in fee simple, free and clear of all incumbrances, 4,000 acres of iron ore deposit, located at Natashquan (tidewater) situate on North shore of Gulf of St. Lawrence, in the County of Saguenay, province of Quebec.

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STOCK MARKETS

SOME BULL POINTS

New York, Feb. 3.—A bullish factor of primary importance is the changed condition of the foreign market. Two months ago, fluctuations of foreign exchange strongly foreshadowed exports of gold upon the easement of the money market. Money is now far easier than any one anticipated that it would be at this time, yet foreign exchange is one cent in the pound sterling away from the shipping price, and still receding. Some people say sales of bonds abroad are accounted, the real reason is that we have paid much more upon account of our foreign indebtedness than most people imagine. In four months our foreign borrowing has failed to increase, in the meantime our excess trade balance of $400,000,000 for the year has come to our aid. Our exports are increasing more than equivalent to the increase in our imports. We will consequently make as good a showing for 1903 as we have for the year just closed. We are likely to import more gold this year than we export. Great crops have been gathered and are now moving belated to market at excellent prices. Winter wheat never looked finer at this time of the year than it does at present. English spinners decline to buy our cotton, owing to the impression that we had a vast crop. It being now clear that the 1902-03 will be no larger than the preceding one, the consumers of the world are now hurriedly buying cotton from us at high prices, and will continue to do so until a new crop can enter into their calculations. These are most excellent reasons for anticipating an advancing market in the immediate future. Despite the fact that increased wages have greatly increased operating expenses, thereby reducing net railway incomes, Railway net showings for December are better than those for November, and they will show yet still better, as the increase in freight traffic are gradually going into effect, which work has already started. The coal shares have the best outlook they have ever known. It has been calculated that Erie and Reading will by the first of June next have made up all the losses made by them due to the strike. In both these instances a dissolution of the voting trust will bring additional distribution upon their preference shares.

Summary—Practically the same state of affairs existed today as for several days past. The market was strong, but more or less dull. The Wabashes were in sharp demand at advancing prices, owing to a satisfactory settlement with the Pennsylvania railroad as to its entrance into Pittsburg. The steel issues livened up in the afternoon, advancing sharply upon a good volume of business. The common crossed 38 1-2 and the preferred 88. Copper was steady around 68, while sugar was somewhat depressed, owing to the closing of some of the refineries for cleaning purposes. Pennsylvania was steady around 150, while Arbitrage sales against the purchase of Pennsylvania convertible warrants continued. The market remains very firm and activity would bring better prices. Money closed at 2 1-2. Sales 616,100.

Tomorrow's letter—"Time for industrial stocks to advance."

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References furnished upon application.

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Daily Nevada State Journal, January 4, 1903.

Lovelock, Nev., October 6, 1902.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—If you wish to sell your Brooklyn mine I can get you a good price for it. If it was mine I would not sell it at any price, as you have more than a million dollars of ore in sight.

G. W. OSTRANDER, Supt.

Boston, Mass., December 1, 1902.

Mr. Geo. D. Burton, Treas.,
International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—During the six months of October and November of this year I visited the mines of the International Electric Mining Company, situated in Arabia and Trinity mining districts, Humboldt County, Nevada. I found the country remarkably mineralized; in fact, the possibilities of the country as a mineral producing country are yet unknown. For years it certainly has produced well. The work now being done in the Arabia and Trinity districts establishes the fact that they are fine producers.

I also found that there is a great deal of interest being taken in these properties, which have produced a great deal of wealth the past quarter of a century.

M. A. LATHROP, Mining Engineer.

Letters Received From Some of Our Stockholders

6 West Stockton Ave.,
Allegheny, Pa., Jan. 6, 1903.

Treas. International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—I have received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, with thanks.

Yours truly,
JOHN H. LIVINGSTONE.

Nahant, Mass., January 5, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
185 Summer St., Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Yours of Jan. 1st, enclosing dividend on my one hundred shares of stock in the International Electric Mining Company, received.

R. L. COCHRAN.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 2, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—I hereby acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

Respectfully,
HENRY STREIFLER.

Hudson, Mass., Jan. 2, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—Yours of Jan. 1st., enclosing dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company, has been received. Respectfully,

M. A. WARREN.

Lamont, Iowa, January 5, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Dear Sirs,—Yours of January 1st., enclosing tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in your Company, has been received.

MRS. MARY KNATE.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Enclosed find receipt for the semi-annual dividend due January 1st on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

ISAAC R. JAMIESON.

Taunton Street Railway Machine Shops,
Taunton, Mass., January 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock held by me in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, as per receipt herewith enclosed.

FRANK S. SANDLEST.

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 15, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—Enclosed you will find my receipt for dividend for stock in the International Electric Mining Company to Jan. 1, 1903.

MICHAEL GLASSER, 565 High Street.

South Birmingham, Mass.,
January 2, 1903.

Received the International Electric Mining Company dividend to January 1, 1903, on the stock of the International Electric Mining Company standing in my name.

Respectfully,
J. W. MARSDEN.

1124 11th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.
January 11, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—I received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my shares of stock in your Company and thank you very much.

Yours truly,
MILLIE C. WOOD.

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Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, FEB. 4, 1903

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

School Books

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Police Court

At the police court yesterday two men were charged with being drunk and disorderly on Friday night. Fines of $2 and costs, amounting to $4.60, were inflicted.

Ontario Bank at Trenton

A branch of the Ontario Bank has been opened in Trenton, under the management of Mr. B. H. Siddall, formerly accountant at Lindsay.

Ladies' Auxiliary Conference

The Ladies' Auxiliary sessions are to be held in the Association building tomorrow and Friday. An interesting programme will be presented at each session and the ladies of the town are specially invited.

A Broken Press

Owing to an accident to our large newspaper press The Times has been late for a couple of days. It is usually issued about four o'clock each morning. Yesterday it was nine o'clock before the entire edition was printed.

The Central Exhibition

The public are again reminded of the meeting to be held this afternoon of those interested in the reorganization of the Central Exhibition Association. Business men especially are requested to attend.

Convention Banquet

In the Association Hall on Friday evening there will be a banquet tendered to the delegates of the Y.M.C.A. Convention. Friends wishing to contribute to the provisions of the same are asked to send in on that day meats, salads, cake, etc.

Board of Trade Meeting

The Board of Trade meet in the Council Chamber to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. There is considerable business of importance to be discussed, notably the Trent Valley Canal and Beet Sugar Industries. A large attendance of the members is requested.

New Peat Plant

At the annual meeting of the Dominion Peat Products, Limited, held last week, a report of the erection of the Peat Plant at Kensington was given, the first in this country of the "Econo-Jo Process." It is ready for operation as soon as the frost goes.

Valuable Advice to Mothers

If your child comes in from play coughing or showing evidences of an approaching attack of Grippe, Sore Throat, or sickness of any kind, first thing get out your bottle of Nerviline. Rub the chest and neck with Nerviline, and give internal doses of ten drops of Nerviline in sweetened water every two hours. This will prevent any serious trouble. No liniment or pain reliever equals Polson's Nerviline, which is a necessity in every household. Large bottles cost only 25c.

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The supposition that the notes of chartered banks which fail are not worth face value is not in accordance with the fact. Time was when holders of the notes of Canadian chartered banks lost money when the bank failed. But that is no longer possible. Under a new law each chartered bank in Canada deposits with the government an amount in cash equal to 5 per cent of its note circulation, and this money all goes into one general fund from which the government pays, not only the face value of all notes of the failed bank, but 6 per cent. interest from the time that payment is suspended by the bank. In this way every Canadian bank becomes responsible for the note circulation of every other bank, and the note holder is made perfectly safe.

ROBBED IN DAYLIGHT.

TWO MEN HELD UP ON A PUBLIC HIGHWAY

One Assaulted and Claims to Have Been Robbed—Frank Murphy Arrested and Charged with the Crime

It is alleged by a man named Willot Harris, that while he and a companion were returning from No. 6 Dam on Monday, where he was employed, he was overtaken by a man named Frank Murphy, who assaulted him, and afterwards robbed him of $2 in money.

Murphy, the alleged assailant, is a married man, residing on Smith street, and came with his family to Peterborough from Whitby a few years ago.

The accused has been arrested, and will be brought before the magistrate at the City Police Court this morning.

THE M'LENNAN PAINT.

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Attention is called to the prospectus of the above company to be found in this issue of the Times.

The name and fame of the McLennan Paint Company is known throughout the United States, as well as in foreign countries, and their management is evidenced by the large business they have built up.

The company propose to establish a branch of the concern in Canada, to be controlled and managed by the parent company, and offer at par 50,000 7 per cent preferred treasury stock shares, $100 each. The banking testimonials of the concern are of the best, and their growth in the past has been phenomenal. The stock they offer appears to be a safe investment, and we confidently draw the attention of our readers to the aforementioned prospectus.

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Fenelon Falls' colors were evident on the streets yesterday.

—"A teacher's convention will be held in St. Luke's this evening. Several interesting papers will be read.

—The Y.M.C.A. building will be convention headquarters during the convention and the Oriental will serve as hotel headquarters.

—The Young Men's Guild of St. Andrew's met last evening. An interesting programme was gone through.

—Mr. R. H. Bradburn, manager of the opera house, has been unable to book an engagement for the Boston Ladies' Symphony Orchestra.

—The prayer meeting announced at St. Paul's mission for this evening has been withdrawn. The people are invited to attend the union prayer service in Murray street church.

—The day sessions of the Y.M.C.A. convention will be held in the Murray street Baptist church as follows: Thursday, 2 o'clock; Friday 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. Saturday, 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. Evening sessions in St. Paul's Church at 7.30.

The fact that the Orillia Board of Trade is announcing to the world the fact that the town of Orillia is selling "electric energy at $16 a horse-power per annum, 24 hours to the day," ought to stir up somebody or something.

—Mrs. W. J. Morrow's chorus class of last year, and other lady sight singers, who are accustomed to sight reading, are requested to meet at Mrs. Morrow's studio this evening for the first practice. The musical instruction will be valuable to all.

—By a judgment of the Court of Appeal the Ontario Bank won its action against James Poole, who consequently must pay a promissory note given by him to the bank for $1,500. Mr. Poole was one of the shareholders of the Consolidated Pulp and Paper Company of Toronto, which assigned some time ago. A number of the shareholders, among them Mr. Poole, gave a series of thirteen notes, each for $1,500. The bank made a test case of this one.

C. P. R. Pensions

With the first of the new year the C. P. R. pension fund went into effect, whereby all employees of the road who have been twenty years with the company and reached the age of 65 years, receive the benefit of their faithful services in the shape of a yearly superannuation allowance.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Ald. J. C. Wells, who has been visiting relatives in Peterborough, for the past few days, left yesterday for home.

—Mr. R. J. Moore, of the Gazette, Fenelon Falls, was in town yesterday and last night with the hockey team from that village.

W. G. FERGUSON, Treasurer

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January 1st to December 31st, 1902.

INTEREST ACCOUNT.

To cash from principal	$ 306 00		By balance due bank Jan. 1, 1902	$ [illegible] 61
Interest on mortgages	$ 262 [illegible]		Total expense account	[illegible] 00
Interest on debentures	1247 00		Relief paid for year	[illegible] 00
		1520 35	Balance on hand	645 14
		$1826 35		$1826 35

PRINCIPAL ACCOUNT.

To balance at credit, Jan. 1, 1902	$ 306 00	By transfer to interest account	$ 306 00
Received proceeds sale land	695 00	Balance on hand	695 00
	$1001 00		$1001 00

SECURITIES IN HANDS OF TREASURER.

Debentures	[illegible]
Mortgages	[illegible]
Cash credit principal account	695 00
	[illegible]

Certified Correct,

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Tuesday, February 3rd, 1903.

At the Opera

Still they come! Each performance of the Marks Bros' combination appears to advertise another, for record audiences assemble each evening, no matter what counter-attractions there may be. "Hulda the Mountain Queen," which was the attraction last evening, is a drama of Western life, and, as the atmosphere would suggest, is full of stirring episodes. Miss May A. Bell Marks appeared on this occasion as Hulda, the Mountain Girl. The part does not afford her opportunities her talents deserve, but it is needless to add, she made the most of it. Will Stewart was at home as Jack Truesdale, while Will C. Millard caused much amusement in the part of Herman Sweitzer. J. C. Connolly suffered most from lack of material, but, like the good artist he is, took full advantage of every opportunity. Several meritorious specialty acts were introduced, which kept the audience in excellent humor. The company considerably enhanced their reputation this present visit, and we consider an extension would be profitable.

Georgie ate a watermelon
Which had grown beside the gorge
With ten seeds in his appendix
George's parents planted George.

Mainly About People.

In a case being tried before the United States Court at Topeka, one lawyer said to another, "You are a liar." "Do you mean that personally?" passionately demanded the other.

Among the reminiscences of the class of '93 at Yale is the story of a stout and healthy-looking member, who was told by his tutor that "he was better fed than taught." "You teach me; I feed myself," was the retort.

An Irishman was walking with a friend past a jewelry shop. The window was filled with precious stones. "Wouldn't you like to have your pick?" asked Larry. "Not me pick," said Mike, "but me shovel."

A rag peddler called several times at a Wichita (Kan.) house and found the people away from home. At last he wrote and pinned this note on the door: "Madam: Kindly remain at home tomorrow forenoon. I want to sell you a rug."

A witness called in a case in the King's Bench, says the London "Daily Mail," was asked his name. "John Aubion," was the prompt reply. "Do you spell your name with or without an 'h'?" asked counsel. "With—J-o-h-n," was the unabashed reply.

FENELON FALLS WIN OUT.

Defeat the "Cubs" in a Closely Contested Game Last Night

The Fenelon Falls hockey team of T.V. League played their return match with the Peterborough "Cubs" last night on the Brock street rink, and at the expiration of time, the score stood 6—5 in favor of the visitors. The Fenelon Falls aggregation are speedy skaters and good stick handlers, and a gentlemanly lot of players. They are winners of the northern district of the T.V.L. and will likely compete against the T.A.S., who are likely winners of this district.

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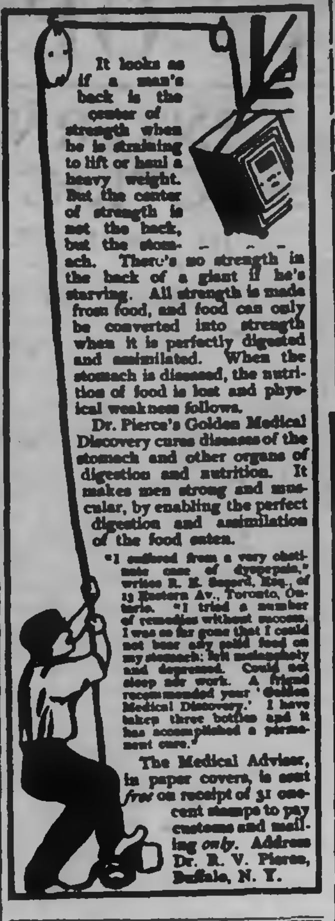

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THE TRENT VALLEY CANAL

What Peterborough Should Do to Have the Work Quickly Completed

ANOTHER MONSTER DEPUTATION NECESSARY

The Times is of the Opinion That Any Other Method is Useless—Must Show Government We Are in Earnest

Once more action is to be taken to secure the early completion of the Trent Valley Canal, this time by the Trent Valley Waterway Association, with which object in view communications have been addressed by Mr. S. R. Armstrong, Secretary of the Association, to the municipal councils along the route of the canal, urging that a memorial, prepared by the Association, be taken into their consideration, and that the same should be passed, and forwarded, signed by the head of the Council and the Clerk, to the Hon. A. G. Blair, Minister of Railways and Canals, Ottawa.

The Association promise it will do all it can to back up the resolutions of the Councils, and requests also, that one or more members be appointed to represent each Council on the Association in the event of a general meeting being required.

THE MEMORIAL.

The memorial reads as follows:

To the Honorable the Minister of Railways and Canals:

The Memorial of the Council of the .... respectfully sheweth:

1. The extraordinary development of the trade and commerce of Western Ontario, Manitoba and the North West Territories, the immediate prospects of the speedy settlement of our vast unsettled, but fertile lands, and the demonstrated inability of the railways to carry the produce of the west to the seaboard, emphasize the conviction that it is an obligatory duty to enlarge the facilities for giving free outlet to the products of the labors of the settlers who are being invited and urged to settle our western heritage.

2. The construction of railways north of the Great Lakes as compared with the cheaper natural route by water is not only extravagantly expensive, but very limited as to capacity; and the fact that the railway companies take from vessels at Parry Harbor, Midland, Owen Sound, Collingwood and other ports the larger portion of the western grain is demonstration of the capacity and economy of the water route, and your memorialists submit that the time has come when this water route be extended by the construction of the Trent Canal, which will give direct communication between Port Arthur and Montreal, thus shortening the distance between Port Arthur and Liverpool by 727 miles as compared with the route by the Erie Canal, and by 245 miles as compared with route by the Welland Canal.

3. The barge capacity of the Trent Canal is twice as great as on the Erie, and, by reason of the great stretches of lake and river, and the rocky shores of the canal portion, the capacity of the Trent is infinitely greater than that of the Erie, even after the expenditure of the twenty millions of dollars now being spent on it.

4. Besides providing a new, cheap and safe route for through trade, by which grain may reach Montreal and return goods by the empty ships may reach Port Arthur, this water way will accomodate the domestic trade of a population greater than that of several of the provinces of the Dominion, and will add 4 to 6 cents per bushel to the value of home grown grain. The local waters on the route have a shore mileage of over 1,000 miles, all of which will supply trade to this water way.

5. Your memorialists are reminded that only 32 miles out of the 200 remain to be completed and that the whole is of little value until the outlets to the lakes are opened.

Your memorialists submit that as against the Erie Canal the Trent route offers infinite advantage at a cost which is comparatively trifling, and that it is desirable that our own country should get the benefit of carrying our own produce.

Your memorialists therefor pray:

That steps be taken to put the remaining incompleted sections under contract that all may be constructed simultaneously, and that with the least possible delay.

And your memorialists will ever pray.

Signed on behalf of..............................

So far, so good. But The Times must pause to ask: What then? There is no doubt in our minds that the executive of the Trent Valley Waterway Association are sincere, and even enthusiastic in the steps they are taking in this important national work, and that as they say they will do all in their power to "back up" the resolutions adopted by the municipal councils, but we have only to look back over a few pages of modern history to conclude that the means suggested are totally inadequate in this present connection. In view of the importance of this great undertaking, which means so much to the commercial advantages of our district, and the country as a whole, we feel that the action to be taken must be one of more sturdy aggression. Well addressed memorials and prayers to the powers that be are no doubt well in their season, but we think it has been clearly demonstrated on more than one occasion that such a season has long passed, and that nothing short of a general demand for recognition will awaken the Government to the fact that the people no longer intend to remain a cypher in a matter of such vital importance to the prosperity of the country.

A strong, united effort must be made to impress the Government that the incompleted sections of this great work be immediately put under contract. It is no longer a question of judicious appropriation; for the cost is comparatively trifling with its infinite advantages and facilities for giving free outlet to the products of the country.

But whatever the reason why successive Government's shirk the responsibility of action to complete the work, it cannot be of so great but that the barrier can be removed. The time for action is evidently close at hand, and Peterborough, as the premier town upon the route of the canal, must be prepared to shoulder a large share of the responsibilities. What, The Times would ask, is to be the action of our town in this all-important matter? Are we to remain in a condition of parasitism, or shall we accept this opportunity of declaring our recognition of our premier position, and appendage ourselves to the Association only upon the conditions that a decidedly more aggressive action be taken.

The Times would suggest that the modus operandi which proved so successful some years ago again be put into operation. At that time the railroad companies were induced to run cheap excursions into Ottawa, and as a result of the efforts of several influential citizens of Peterborough, the townspeople in large numbers availed themselves of the trip to the capital, with the result that a monster deputation, headed by the best speakers in the town, took possession of the House of Commons and laid their claims before the Government. To that effort we owe the work on the Peterborough and Lakefield sections, and we have no doubt a similar plan of action would be followed by similar success. Indeed no other scheme that has been suggested appeals to us as being in any way feasible; and we consider the end will justify the means. It was to some extent due to the efforts of The Times that the former drastic measures were adopted, and any move of a similar nature in this present connection will receive our hearty co-operation. We look upon any action that Peterborough may take, not only as a privilege but a duty. In this commercial age "the survival of the fittest" is a potent factor in determining the position a country must occupy in the industrial world, and the completion of the Canal means a great deal to the commercial status of the Dominion. In view of the action of the Trent Valley Waterworks Association, it will be recognized that this is the time for immediate action. If the people of Peterborough desire to prove their loyalty to the country, and at the same time demonstrate their ability to act without absorbing nutrition from others, now is the opportunity to form an invincible combination that will move the Government to realize that this great national work must be accomplished.

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GETS DEADMAN'S ISLAND

Theodore Ludgate Secures Possession After a Long Legal Fight

Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 4—Theodore Ludgate secured a lease of Deadman's Island from the Dominion Government for sawmill purposes.

The island is in Vancouver harbor.

The provincial legislature and the city of Vancouver claimed the ownership of the island and withheld possession.

After fighting for two years in the courts, the province has given in to Ludgate, and the city is making a compromise.

DAY IN KRUGER'S LIFE

Oom Paul Takes His Sleep on the Instalment Plan

Paris, Feb. 4.—A well-known deputy has received the following quaint letter, dated Mentone, from President Kruger's housekeeper;

"President rises at 5 a.m.; no breakfast—never. Reads a Bible until eight o'clock, and again goes to sleep until half-past 10. At 10.30 smokes his pipe for six minutes. Then people come to see him. At 12 sharp breakfast; lasts 20 minutes. Drinks nothing but milk. Goes for a drive between 1.30 and 2.30. Sleeps until half-past four. Receives Boers and reads Bible. Dinner at 6 sharp, about 20 minutes. His prayer before and after dinner is full of piety. The president goes to bed at 8.30 and is woke up at 11, when he takes a cup of coffee, and again goes to sleep until 1. At 1 he eats some fruit. The doctor doesn't want him to have continuous sleep."

GRAND ORANGE LODGE

WILL ASSEMBLE AT PETERBORO' 3RD WEDNESDAY IN MARCH.

Second Occasion the Grand Lodge Has Met Here—A Large Number of Delegates Expected.

There was a large turnout of members of the County Orange Lodge, at the annual meeting held on Tuesday night, and a large amount of business was transacted. It was decided to celebrate the 12th at Lakefield, and a committee was formed to receive the members of the Grand Lodge of East Ontario, which meets here in March. The following officers were elected: J. B. McWilliams, county master; S. Hawson, deputy master; Col. W. G. Miller, financial secretary; W. H. G. Armstrong, recording secretary; Jos. Batten, treasurer; Maxwell E. Weir, lecturer; W. Northcott, D of C. and D. H. Chamberlain deputy lecturer.

The master was installed by P. C. M. J. H. McWilliams, and he installed the remaining officers.

After the installation of officers, Mr. J. B. McWilliams, county master, on behalf of the County Lodge, presented Bro. Sidney B. Weir, the retiring secretary, with the following address, and a certificate of honorary membership in the County Lodge:

Sidney Weir, Esq.,
Secretary West Peterborough
County L. O. L.:

Dear Sir,—On this occasion of your leaving our country, we, the officers and members of the West Peterborough Loyal Orange Lodge desire to express our regret at your departure and our high appreciation of your services to the Order in this County. As master of L.O.L. No 49, as District master and as secretary of the County Lodge you have rendered most faithful and efficient service for many years, and we feel keenly the loss which our lodge sustains in your removal. We take this opportunity of expressing both our regret and our heartiest wishes for your prosperity in all things in your future home, and the confidence that you will there also render excellent service and win honor and advancement in the cause of our beloved order.

We have much pleasure in now presenting you with a Certificate of Honorary Life Membership in this County Lodge which the Lodge has by unanimous vote been pleased to confer upon you.

Signed on behalf of the County Lodge of West Peterborough

J. B. McWILLIAMS,
County Master.
W. H. G. ARMSTRONG,
County Secretary.

It was the unanimous request of the members of the Lodge that Bro. J. B. McWilliams consent to accept the position of County Master this year. It was just 32 years ago since he was first elected County Master, and since then he has filled the position more than half the time, and felt that he had had his share of the honor from the County. It is seldom or ever that any man can hold the respect and esteem of any society for so many years, and it must have been gratifying to Bro. McWilliams, after such a long service, to be elected to the position without one dissenting vote.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH

Dr. Bryce, of Toronto, in Town, and Attends Meeting

The Board of Health met yesterday afternoon in the Town Council Chamber. The following members were present—Messrs. R. Neill, chairman, Mayor Roger, A. Parker, and W. Eyres.

Dr. Bryce, the Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, was present and gave information as to methods of checking infectious diseases — by quarantine and disinfection, and by the learning of cases through householders, physicians and schools. He recommended having all absentees from school reported and looked up, and to have a town physician visit schools every morning.

The Secretary was instructed to have forms printed on which physicians may report to Board of Health and to the Medical Health Officer.

The Board adjourned until Friday at 4 o'clock.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER CONDEMNS THE TREATY

He Has No Faith in the New Alaskan Boundary Commission

THE INSULT WHICH WAS OFFERED TO CANADA

The Venerable Statesman Interviewed in Winnipeg by a Reporter—Sir Hibbert Tupper Also Speaks

Winnipeg, Feb. 4.—According to the opinion of Sir Charles Tupper, expressed to a reporter of The Times, who waited on him at Ravenscourt, the residence of J. Stewart Tupper, at Armstrong's Point, yesterday, the treaty providing for the submission on the lines published of the Alaskan boundary dispute between Great Britain and Canada on the one side and the United States on the other to a commission composed of three representatives from each side, is distinctly against Canada's interests and gives the Dominion no chance of obtaining a favorable decision. This opinion is borne out by the comments of the Canadian press generally on the subject.

The veteran baronet said, in discussing the treaty:

"It will be remembered that, when Lord Herschell and the other British plenipotentiaries proposed that the difference of opinion between England and the United States as to the true construction of the British-Russian treaty of 1825 should be settled in the manner uniformly adopted by civilized nations—a reference to an international tribunal of experts—and that they were willing that the terms of reference should be the same as those dictated by the United States in the Venezuelan arbitration, their proposal was rejected, and the insulting proposition made that the tribunal should consist of three on each side without any provision for an umpire in case of a disagreement, and that, even if it was found that Skagway and other points were in British territory, they should belong to the United States. The negotiations were promptly broken off.

"It is now confidently stated by the Washington press that the present treaty contains the same provisions as those which were indignantly rejected by Great Britain and Canada. I cannot for a moment believe this to be possible, yet it seems strange that with this treaty now in possession of the United States Senate the people of Canada, so deeply interested, should have no authentic information on the subject.

"It seems to be admitted, however, that arbitrators shall consist of three on each side, and I cannot see how Canada, after the experience we have had in previous affairs of this kind, can hope to secure any decision in favor of her just claim from a tribunal so constituted."

SIR HIBERT TUPPER ALSO SPEAKS

Vancouver, B.C., Feb. 4.—Sir Hibbert Tupper said to a correspondent this evening, in speaking of the proposed Alaskan boundary commission, "I believe the commission will be appointed to settle the question once for all.

"I believe that, as usual, Canada is to be cuchered out of her rights by the Americans. There are to be three commissioners on each side and at least on the side of Great Britain, there will be one Englishman, and perhaps two. In the light of past experience, bearing in mind three similar arbitrations, the American commissioners will not budge an inch from their ground, no matter what happens. On the other hand, where Canada is concerned, British jurists are apt to lean towards the American side on the grounds of impartiality, justice and the merits of the case. Thus it is possible that the English jurists will favor the American commission and give them victory.

"In the event of the commission resulting in a tie, each side holding its own, then, according to legal procedure, the Americans win as the case falls to the ground and the United States will say; We are in possession of the disputed territory, as you have not proved your case. We will hang on to what we have.

"I believe that England would never fight the United States for one inch of Canadian territory. The United States knows this, and knows what she is doing when she agrees to a commission, on three on each side for which ever way it goes, the United States will win."

ENGLAND IS ANXIOUS NOT TO BE MISJUDGED BY THE UNITED STATES

The Future of Peterborough.

In view of the fact that water-power is the generative power of this age of electricity and industrialism it behooves Peterborough to see to it that all water powers tributary to this town and controllable by it, shall be secured by it without delay. The size of the future city of Peterborough will be directly proportionate to the electric power at its disposal for manufacturing purposes. Every effort should be made to get hold of the Burleigh power which, since the transference of electric power has become a cheap and easy matter, will be worth a mint of money to us in the near future. Which of our councillors has the interests of the town most at heart?

The people are looking for him at this juncture. Mere speculators, who are looking for the return of a usurious interest, on their investment, must not be allowed to stand in the way of the town's development. The day for that sort of thing has gone by.

CANADIANS IN PARIS

Over Twenty-Five Unite to Form a Chamber of Commerce

Ottawa, Feb. 5— The Canadian agent in Paris writes the Department of Trade and Commerce that a meeting was held recently in Paris to form a Canadian Chamber of Commerce. Over twenty-five Canadians were present. A sub-committee was appointed to perfect the organization.

POPE IS BOUND BY LAW

Otherwise He Would Be Glad to Canonize Joan of Arc

London, Feb. 5—The Times' Paris correspondent says the French bishops have asked the Pope to beatify Joan of Arc, "in whom was incarnated soul of Fatherland, who passed across our history as a radiant apparition of Christ's life for the Franks." The Pope says, in reply, that it would be great satisfaction to him to accord the favor asked, but the laws governing the procedure of the congregation of rights must be observed.

HIS BACK BROKEN

Deseronto Man Named Blanchford Struck by a Freight Train

Deseronto, Ont., Feb. 4.—About 6.30 last night a man named Blanchford, about 68 years of age, was struck by a G.T.R. engine at Deseronto Junction and had his back broken and head badly cut. He was walking on the track at the west end of the yard, and in getting off one track to save himself from an approaching train, he got in front of a freight train moving slowly in the opposite direction. He was sent to the Kingston General Hospital this morning.

RELICS OF PAARDEBERG

Chamberlain Views the Scene of the Great Battle

London, Feb. 3—The Times has a despatch from Paardeberg saying that Mr. Chamberlain arrived in that South African city on Saturday and spent two nights in an encampment pitched near the scene of Cronje's surrender. Very few landmarks of the battlefield have been effaced. Some of the trenches are becoming filled, but the debris, such as burned wagons and bleached bones of animals, still bear witness to the long resistance of the Boers. Two more Boer rifles were discovered in the river bed, and bullets and cartridge cases and shells abound.

BOXERS AND MISSIONARIES

Threatening Attitude in China Causes Change of Plans

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 5—Serious news was received yesterday from China, at the Methodist Mission Rooms. Rev. Dr. Service writes from Wu Hu that "well-disciplined army of Boxers is in the field in the province of Kang Su, and that it is reported that five Imperial regiments have joined the Boxers. In consequence of these reports a party of Christian Alliance Missionaries proceeding to Kansu has been stopped by the direction of their superintendent, at Wu Hu for the winter."

So far the disturbances have not reached the territory occupied by the Canadian Methodist missionaries.

WM. REDMOND FREE

The Irish Member Has Served Only Half His Term

Dublin, Feb. 5—William Redmond, M. P., who was sentenced last year to six months' imprisonment because he refused to give bail in $1,000 for his future good behavior, as the result of an alleged incendiary speech at Wexford, and who was arrested at Kingstown and taken to Kilmainham Jail on November 4, was released this morning, although he had only served half his term. In an interview Redmond said:

"I do not know why I am released, but I certainly do not thank the Government, who have kept me in jail for three months for really nothing."

Mr. Redmond added that he stood by every word of the speech, for making which he was imprisoned, and said there will be no real peace in Ireland until Dublin Castle shall have been cleared out from top to bottom.

The Sugar Convention.

The Brussels sugar convention has now been ratified by Germany, Holland, Austria and Italy. These countries all hold that England is compelled to impose countervailing duties on bounty-fed sugar from the self-governing colonies. Russia has notified the English, and also the above Governments, that enforcement of the convention means the abrogation of the favored nation clause in her international treaties. The question is coming up in Parliament. The session commences on the 17th inst. This is considered an anti-colonial policy, and bound here to [illegible] outcry from all parties.

TEACHERS CONVENTION

A Successful Gathering at St. Luke's Last Evening

A Teachers' Convention of the St. John's, All Saint's and St. Luke's Sunday schools, was held last evening in St. Luke's schoolroom. Despite the inclement weather there was a large gathering. The convention was called for the purpose of discussing methods of precepts to the young. The Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, in opening the proceedings, welcomed the teachers to St. Luke's, and in a few appropriate remarks referred to the object of the convention. The teaching in our Sunday schools was, perhaps, one of the most important branches of church work, and he thought the present gathering would be productive of many useful suggestions to those who taught in the schools. The programme consisted of a paper by Miss Davidson, on "Primary Work in Sunday Schools"; a demonstration of Bible teaching by Mrs. Ward; an address "Bond of Churchmanship," by Mr. Myles; and an address by Mr. Armitage on "Discipline in the Sunday School." Many useful and practical suggestions were set forth by the respective teachers, and the gathering may be voted an unqualified success.

Believes That Hitherto Americans Have Cherished no Suspicions of Our Motives

HER CONSCIENCE AT ANY RATE IS CLEAR

Hopes Sudden Wave of Doubt will Disappear as Quickly as It Arose

London, Feb. 4—The Times, in an editorial today, says: "If the report that Minister Bowen will pay an amount which the allies are willing to accept as preliminary to a reference of the question of the preferential treatment to The Hague tribunal be correct, it is hard to see what further difficulties can arise to defer the consummation we so earnestly desire. The relief which will be experienced throughout Great Britain should President Castro have decided to adopt a course which will free us from the obligation of continuing methods of compulsion, will be heartfelt and profound. "We are confident that this sentiment will be reciprocated no less earnestly, or less generally among the people of the United States. The language constantly employed by British statesmen, and the scrupulous care wherewith we have limited our share of the blockade, ought to convince them of our moderation, and the loyalty of our purpose in seeking to assert elementary international rights, which no self-respecting people could afford to abdicate or waive. We believe that hitherto Americans have cherished no suspicion of our motives. We trust that the sudden wave of doubt which appears momentarily to have affected some of the leading organs of American opinion will subside as quickly as it has arisen. Our conscience, at any rate, is clear."

THE BALKAN REVOLT IS SURE TO COME

It will Come, Despite a Plan of Reform—Every Legitimate to Frustrate the Activity of the Revolutionary Committee

London, Feb. 4 — The Times' Vienna correspondent says that one consequence of the delay in completing the publication of the Austro-Russian scheme for reforms in Macedonia is the growth of skepticism regarding the efficiency of any reforms. Where optimism prevailed a month ago, doubt is now general, and, in fact, outside of the Foreign Office, it is difficult to find any confidence in the value of diplomatic action, and the introduction of reforms.

The continual delay in the production of the Austro-Russian scheme of reforms in Macedonia is causing considerable uneasiness in Bulgaria, says the correspondent of The Times at Sofia. Although the publication of a plan would probably now be too late to forestall a probable insurrectionary movement, he adds, it would probably strengthen the Bulgarian Government in its resistance to popular pressure. The last Government Council decided to employ every legitimate means to frustrate the activity of the Macedonian Revolutionary Committee, which is energetically collecting subscriptions all over the country to aid their

A NEW FEELING OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE

Ministers Refer to Unity and Defence—Hall Caine on Canada—Our Securities Higher

Almost a daily feature of the Stock Exchange is the steady upward tendency in Canadian Pacific, Hudsons and Grand Trunks. The Grand Trunks show an improvement because there is a growing feeling of an early absorption at par of some trans-Canadian syndicate subsidized by the Government.

The Food Company.

The Imperial Food Supplies, Limited have gone to allotment. The Canadian Pacific have consented to Mr. Archer Baker, their European manager, going on the board. The manager is Mr. John Hotson, Scotch-Australian, who is now arranging a trip to Canada, with the object of establishing cold storage depots, and enlisting the sympathy of the Dominion and Provincial Governments.

London, Feb. 4—Lord Balfour, of Burleigh, Secretary of State for Scotland, in a speech last night at Edinburgh, said that Scotland was heart and soul in sympathy with the promotion of the unity of the Empire. Imperial defence, he said, was the first consideration. The colonies ought to contribute. Lord Onslow, Under Secretary for the Colonies, at the same meeting contrasted Mr. Goldwin Smith's and Mr. Disraeli's opinion many years ago, that Britain would be better off without the colonies, with the Imperial sentiment of today. The change, he said, was largely due to Mr. Chamberlain.

London, Feb. 4—Nine hundred Boer families are booked from the Transvaal to Texas, where a million acres have been secured. The American Government and some financiers are backing the emigration.

Women Hanged.

Two women were hanged here this morning for baby-farming. This is the first case of a woman being hanged during the present reign, and there is considerable feeling against inflicting the capital penalty upon women.

Marconi in England.

I am assured officially that the Marconi system is all ready to commence business, except for the final arrangement with the English Post Office's telegraph lines. The Post Office authorities [illegible] promised to grant Marconi every assistance and arrangements are now nearing a conclusion. The Marconi officials are delighted with the Canadian support and enterprise extended to the system.

COUNTY ORANGE LODGE

Decided to Celebrate the Glorious 12th at Lakefield

The Grand Orange Lodge of Eastern Ontario, inclusive, will meet in Peterborough the 3rd Wednesday in March. There will be between two and three hundred delegates and the sessions will continue between two and three days.

This is the second occasion on which the Grand Lodge has met here, and their sessions will be open to all members of the Order.

There may possibly be a meeting open to the public, at which the principles of Orangeism will be expounded, but particulars of this will be reported later.

ASSAULT AND ROBBERY

Frank Murphy, the Accused, Committed for Trial

Before Magistrate Dumble at the police court this morning, Frank Murphy, of town, was charged with having assaulted Willet Harris and robbed him of the sum of $2 on Monday evening last. Murphy declined to elect as to trial, but the case proceeded. Willet Harris, the complainant, stated that on Monday afternoon he was one of a party of four who left work on Dam No. 62, who, having drawn their wages at Lakefield, went to a hotel. He was unable to say how many drinks he had, but said the party boarded the evening train for Peterborough. Murphy carried the bottle which was frequently "hit up" on the way. At Auburn, where the men alighted from the train, the alleged assault took place. Murphy, having asserted that he could lick the "hull of 'em" made a savage attack upon the complainant. After much wrangling Murphy invited Harris to "cough up" his money and he did so to the extent of $2. Harris said Murphy threatened to kill him. It was evident all parties concerned were drunk, but the [illegible] did not feel inclined to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] was committed [illegible]

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SCARCITY OF FARM LABOR

The scarcity of farm help in Ontario is resolving itself into an enigma that will require the strenuous efforts of responsible persons to aid in its solution. Mr. Thos. Southworth, the Provincial Director of Colonization, admitted to a press representative that the question was fast becoming serious. It is stated that 10,000 farm hands can be placed immediately in the older portions of Ontario, and so far there appears to be no means of supplying the demand. The great inducements that the North-West offers to men may to a very great extent be responsible for the removal of a vast number of our Ontario boys, whilst the Territories have been so exalted by the Dominion agents in the old lands, that the stream of emigrants arriving in the country would naturally flow in that direction.

The Government officers are ever ready to give all possible assistance in helping supply the need, but farmers themselves must be prepared to do something if they wish to secure a percentage of the right sort of laborers who no doubt will arrive from Great Britain in the spring as a result of the efforts now being made by the agents of the Government in the old country.

A better rate of wages, with more adequate accommodation, especially for married men, is almost a necessary condition to success. A circular has been issued by the Bureau of Colonization at Toronto for the perusal of farmers throughout the province, accompanied by blank form on which they are asked to state their requirements, so as to aid the department in supplying the demand. The situation demands prompt action to prevent a dearth in the coming season.

THE ALASKA BOUNDARY MATTER

Perhaps it would be just as well not to jump to the conclusion that the treaty for a boundary commission sacrifices Canadian rights, says the Ottawa Citizen. A great deal of talk in the American press appears to be pure bluff to mask a distinct retreat from the extreme position formerly assumed by that government on the question. The former contention was that the settlements on the coast, such as Skagway and Dyea, were in the opinion of the United States the property of that country beyond contention, and would not be included in any negotiation. In plain English it was proposed that the United States should hold these places whether they were in his territory or not. It is now proposed to include these in the scope of negotiations "lest it be considered a sign of weakness" or lack of confidence in their case. This is an advantage from the outset. Canada wants nothing but what is hers, but if the coast settlements belong to the Dominion this country wants them. The United States in admitting a wider scope to the arbitration improves the chances of a satisfactory conclusion. There is the usual talk of making capital out of the desire of England for the friendship of the United States but there is just the probability that the really able administration at Washington recognizes the fact that the friendship of Britain has been in the past and may in the future be more valuable to the United States than the friendship of the latter country is to Great Britain. The incidents preceding the Spanish war and the recent aggressiveness of Germany towards the Monroe doctrine should remind the United States that apart from the British alliance it stands in a position of isolation almost as complete and not quite so splendid as that of the nation which can handle any two first class powers afloat or ashore, and is ready to do it at a moment's notice, which is a great deal more than the United States will be able to do for years to come, and may never be able to do because the nation is averse to expending money on the maintenance of an armament equal to that of even one first class power.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

The Topeka police are suing a Methodist minister who said unkind things about them from the pulpit. If the minister was talking of things he could prove he will have an opportunity of proving them. If he was not he had no business to say what he said and deserves to be punished for it. There are a lot of men who look upon the occupancy of a pulpit as extending a right to freely criticise other men.

That Manchuria is already practically a Russian province is evidently the belief of the Novoye Vremya, of St. Petersburg. Recently it published a long letter from a correspondent in that region, who says that although the Russians are said to be leaving Manchuria, those on the spot have a totally different impression. To them it seems as if they had only just begun to settle down there in real earnest, and to take up the work with energy. And now, he asks, could it be otherwise, seeing that they have only just taken in hand their great work of civilization, which has not yet lost its fascination for them? The general impression—the energy with which towns, ports and great commercial centers are being constructed, the solidity with which the great railway line has been laid—all this points to the conclusion that there is not a single Russian in Manchuria who does not believe in the brilliant future of his countrymen in this province.

All persons in Germany who have an income of $225 or upward per annum have to pay an income tax. The tax commissioners assess all income between $225 and $750. Persons with incomes of more than $750 must make a signed declaration of their incomes, stating exactly the source from which they are derived. The authorities have drawn up an array of "steps," which show just what tax every income has to contribute to the State. The assessment for income tax applies also for the municipal taxes, which are collected on a simpler plan than in England. Each municipality or country district estimates the amount it will require in the coming year for all administrative expenses. It compares this aggregate amount with the sum paid by the inhabitants of the town or district in imperial taxes, and then informs the taxpayers that they have to contribute an extra certain percentage of the imperial taxes for municipal purposes. Berliners, it is stated, have contributed for some years past exactly 100 per cent. of the imperial taxes for municipal purposes.

GIANT CANAL FOR CANADA

Scheme for New Waterway From Georgian Bay to the Sea

Albany, N.Y., Feb. 3—The legislature is discussing some interesting canal projects. Assemblyman Graff, of Essex is sponsor for the Georgian Bay canal scheme. This is a proposition to enlarge the Champlain Canal to twenty-one feet, to provide an outlet to the sea for the proposed Canadian ship canal that is to run from Georgian Bay, along the Ottawa River and Lake Nipissing to the St. Lawrence River to Montreal, thence to St. John's and by way of the Richelieu River to Lake Champlain down the Champlain Canal to the Hudson River.

By a judgment of the Court of Appeal the Ontario Bank won its action against James Poole, who consequently must pay a promissory note given by him to the bank for $1,000. Mr. Poole was one of the shareholders of the Consolidated Pulp and Paper Company of Toronto, which assigned some time ago. A number of the shareholders, among them Mr. Poole, gave a series of thirteen notes, each for $1,000. The bank made a test case of this one.

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Brunette and Blonde

A ROMANCE.

He was trembling from head to foot at the shock of meeting his early love, whom he had mourned as dead so many years. The joy of her reappearance would have prostrated him as completely as it had done the earl, but that he had controlled himself by the power of a strong and resolute will. But his heart beat quick and fast as he met the sad and dreary gaze of the dark eyes he remembered as so bright and joyous in the long ago.

She looked at the man who crouched upon the floor in abject terror, staring at her with ashen face and terrified eyes, as though she were indeed a ghost.

"Ask that man," she said, trying to hush the vibrating passion in her voice in her tenderness for her father. "He it was who murdered my husband, stole my child, consigned me to a mad-house, and finished his work by imposing his own child on my father for mine."

"Then Florence is not your child!" said the baronet, joyfully.

"No," Lady Ethel answered; "Hilda is my own daughter. She is eighteen years old; Florence is twenty-two. She was a child of four years when I went to America with Guy. I remember her perfectly well."

Mr. Aylesford broke into a torrent of fearful curses. The butler, who stood at the foot of the bed, went up to the wretch threateningly, and he subsided into moody silence. Then the baronet said, wonderingly:

"You say that this man murdered your husband, Ethel?"

"Yes," she answered, while Aylesford's eyes fell uneasily before the hatred in the dark eyes she flashed upon his face. "He stole my husband's fortune while Guy was abroad. They quarreled over it in the private office of the swindler, and he murdered Guy—murdered him, and hid his body beneath the flooring of the office—then fabricated a lying story of a murderous assault and a disgraceful flight."

"It is a lie," shrieked Aylesford, furiously, but his eyes were staring with horror, his teeth chattered, his knees knocked together.

"You have only recently discovered this fact, I suppose?" said the baronet, gently, his heart aching with sympathy for Ethel's sorrow.

"Yes," she said; "I will tell you how it happened, Sir Wilfred. I believed that villain's plausible story at first, as did others. I went mad with the horror and grief of it all after my little dark-eyed daughter was born. When my reason returned I found myself the inmate of a lunatic asylum—consigned to it for life by my husband's murderer. They told me my baby was dead. I had nothing left to live for, so I remained there for long years, passive, listless, broken-hearted, my dark hair prematurely whitened with grief. At length a fellow-sufferer, a wealthy woman, unjustly placed there by wicked relatives, persuaded me to join her in an effort to escape. We were successful and she overwhelmed me with bounties. Then, by the merest chance, I found Margery, the maid I brought with me from England. I took her into my service again. Last year I went to the Springs for my health. Perhaps you have heard Hilda speak of Mrs. L'Estrange?"

Sir Wilfred started.

"Yes," he said, "often. But Mrs. L'Estrange and her maid were burned to death in their cottage."

Lady Ethel smiled sadly.

"No," she said. "The cottage was empty; for Margery and I had started south an hour before, by an early train."

Mr. Aylesford, listening silently, with dilated eyes, cursed himself inwardly for the failure he had made of that dark night's work.

"I went south," continued Lady Ethel, "in order to get some information by which to circumvent the terrible scheme I had just found out. I hated to leave my daughter whom I had so recently found, but I knew I could serve her interests better by going than staying. Some vague doubts were forming in my mind. I went to Mr. Aylesford's former office, and had the flooring removed. Beneath it was found the body of my murdered husband."

Lady Ethel stooped and buried her convulsed face in her hands. If looks could have killed, the glances of execration that fell upon the murderer must have scorched him into smoldering ashes.

Lady Ethel looked up after a moment, and went on, brokenly:

"Armed with this terrible discovery, I returned to West Virginia to demand my child at the hands of her pretended father. I was met with the news of her supposed death. Then I came to England, to seek my father. I had only just reached here, with my faithful Margery, when I entered that door a little while ago."

She paused a moment, then continued, in a fluttering voice:

"But Hilda lives! I gathered so much from that villain's words as I came in the door. Where is my darling?"

She had not heard the light footsteps that stole in a little while before and paused behind her chair. Cecil Courtenaye had stolen out silently and broken the news to Hilda. She had come in very quietly, and at a sign from her grandfather, passed behind Lady Ethel's chair. Now she came forward, and threw herself, weeping, into the arms of the beautiful mother she had first learned to love as a stranger.

"The surgeon is here," announced the butler.

Lady Leigh glided softly into the room. She took the hand of her old friend softly in hers.

"Ethel, let me take you away for a little while," she whispered.

At the sound of Lady Leigh's voice — the voice of her girlhood's dearest friend —Lady Ethel broke into passionate weeping.

They led her passively away, and Lady Leigh, Mrs. Courtenaye, Hilda, and the maid, Margery, cared for her tenderly through the weary hours till morning.

Cecil Courtenaye came to them once to say that the surgeon thought well of the earl's wound. It would cause him a tedious confinement, he feared, but, with careful nursing, he would almost certainly recover.

The butler and other men servants had incarcerated Mr. Aylesford in a locked room, meaning to deliver him

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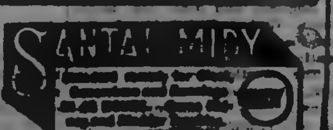

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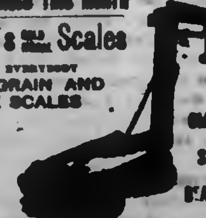

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The McLennan Paint Company, Limited, was organized in 1892 by Mr. C. J. McLennan of the McLennan Dipping Process, and other valuable paint-making machinery. The Company began business in rented premises, in East Buffalo. So profitable was the business, and so rapid the growth, that large factories were built in North Buffalo in 1895. The business again doubled, and another plant was added in 1898. In 1901 the Company invented and perfected a line of reds, or vermilions, permanent in color, and at much less cost than the old line colors. This increased the sale of their products practically one-fourth, making it necessary for them to build a new Color and Chemical Works. This factory is without doubt the largest and most modern in the world. Mr. Charles J. McLennan, the President of the Company, and the inventor of labor-saving machinery, such as dipping tanks, mills, etc., is recognized as one of the most skillful and best known paint manufacturers in the country. The name and fame of this Company, and its products, are known all over the United States and foreign countries, and that they will capture the Canadian market is evidenced by the fact that many of the large Canadian manufacturers are at present using their goods, in face of the heavy duty. It is with a view to saving this 25 per cent. duty and adding it to to the profits of the Company that they have decided to establish a branch in Canada, which will be controlled and managed by the parent Company.

Practical men of means, character and national reputation constitute the directorate and management. Each department is managed by a skilled man; monthly statements rendered and careful audit made semi-annually. The books are always open to the smallest shareholder. The finances of such a concern are guarded as closely as the finances of any bank, and failure is practically impossible.

COPY OF TESTIMONIALS.

A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.: Columbia National Bank, Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 23, 1903.

Dear Sir,—The McLennan Paint Co. are good customers of this bank, and I have known them personally for years. All the officers bear excellent reputations, and are considered good business men. Their management is evidenced by the large business they have built up, as careful and conservative. They have met with great success in the past, and I believe that today, theirs is one of the largest and most prosperous concerns of its kind. I have every reason to believe that the stock which they are now offering for sale is a desirable, as well as a safe investment. Yours very truly,

L. H. GETHOEFER, Cashier.

The Merchants' Refining Co., Refiners of Petroleum, Paraffines, Paraffine Wax, Lubricating Oils, Residuum, Napthas, and Gasoline,

A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.; Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 23, 1903

Dear Sir,—Your favor of 21st received, and note you are offering for sale $50,000 of the preferred stock of the McLennan Paint Company and ask me what I know of the firm. Would say I have had business dealings for eight years—transactions of many thousands of dollars. I am also doing business with other houses engaged in the same line, and desire to say there is no house in America to-day that stands higher than the McLennan Paint Co. The growth of their business has been phenomenally large, and under the conservative management of the President, Mr. C. J. McLennan, the success of the business is assured in the future. As an investment, in my judgment, nothing could be safer than the stock they offer.

Very respectfully, C. A. SALISBURY, Manager.

A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.: Buffalo, Jan. 26th, 1903.

Dear Sir,—Referring to the sale of $50,000 of our 7 per cent. Preferred Stock, the Prospectus does not elaborate on the proposition, but merely mentions the amount guaranteed. I desire to inform you, however, we could have paid at least 14 per cent. last year, but carried balance to a Reserve Fund, which, necessarily, makes the stock very valuable.

Very truly yours,

THE McLENNAN PAINT CO., LIMITED,

C. J. McLennan, Manager.

P.S.—Having visited this proposition on behalf of some very conservative investors, I can verify all the above. The plant is extensive and modern in every detail; officers and management skilled and very industrious; all the products superior. This is a Canadian Company, Canadian Charter. Having built in Buffalo, in proximity to raw material, by shipping here in ground state and preparing here, will save and add large duty to already large profits. Bear in mind this is not prospective, but a large, rich, going, paying institution. Prospectus, application forms, and any further particulars, and subscriptions, address the undersigned. All cheques or drafts for stock made to the order of the Company, and forwarded to

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W. T. CARTER, Vice-President. CHAS. FAULBEICH, Secretary.
GEO. C. HALDEMAN, Director.

REPORT BY EX-SUPERINTENDENT OF MINE

Cecil R. Gold Mining and Milling Co., Los Angeles, California.

Ballarat, Cal., Nov. 1st, 1902.

Gentlemen,—Your request for my opinion as to the "Santa Rosa" group of mines, and other claims in which you are interested in this territory, to hand, and in reply will say;

The "Santa Rosa" group, which is located southeast of Ballarat some three and a half miles, consists of twelve claims, equal to 240 acres. The ledge crops out more or less the full length of these claims, showing the same character and formation of work as where development work has been done. In most of the outcroppings it shows highly mineralized rock, with pyrites of iron, mica schist, slate, slate porphyry, gouge, quartz, and quartzite, all bearing more or less. Where work has been done, it shows a very marked improvement in both quantity and quality of gold-bearing rock. Commencing with the surface, the ore shows much iron and copper stain. All mill tests show [illegible] ore commencing with the surface; in fact, I milled for several days and recovered $10 and over per ton, yet the milling process does not pay more than two-thirds of the value of the ore, the tailings ofttimes running as high as $8 per ton, and never less than $2.50. To save the entire value of your ore it will be necessary to install either concentrators or a cyanide plant. From careful study and frequent examination of the surface of the ground, and down as far as has been opened below the surface, I am highly pleased with the property. It is certainly a fine property, and as good as any I have ever had the pleasure of examining. Considering your mill site, with tramway facilities added, water, fuel, and cheapness of mining the ore, the Cecil R. will be capable of paying enormous dividends when your capacity for milling is increased to what it ought to be.

Wishing you every success, I remain, Yours very truly,

(Signed) G. W. FLEMING,
Ex-Mine Supt. Cecil R. Gold Mining and Milling Company.

Price is now 25 cents a share, and we offer 50,000 shares at this price, but it may be advanced by January 1st, 1903, to 50 cents a share.

Address Los Angeles Branch,

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10,000 shares 7 per cent. Cumulative Preferred Stock, par value $100 each	$1,000,000 00
50,000 shares Common Stock, par value $100 each, issued and fully paid	$5,000,000 00
Total Capitalization	$6,000,000 00

Issue of $1,000 000 7% Preferred Stock in 10,000 Shares of $100 each at par.

This Stock is preferred both as to Assets and Dividends.

The shares are entitled to cumulative preferred dividends from the net earnings of the Company, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, payable half-yearly on the first days of April and October. They may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged for common shares. They are subject to be called in, in whole or in part, by the Company, at 15.00 per share, at any time on or after 1st January 1909.

The total issue of Preferred Stock is only $1,000,000.00, the whole of which is now offered.

Subscriptions for 10,000 shares of $100 each of the 7 per cent Preferred Stock of the CANADIAN STEEL AND COAL COMPANY will now be received at par, that is, $100 for each $100 share as follows:—

5 per cent on application.
25 per cent on allotment.
35 per cent 30 days thereafter.
35 per cent 60 days thereafter.

One share of common, par value $100.00, given with each share of preferred.

The whole of the instalments remaining unpaid at any time may be prepaid in full. A discount of one per cent will be allowed upon the par of each share if prepaid at time of allotment.

Notice of allotment will be sent promptly by ordinary letter.

COAL

PROPERTY IN FULL OPERATION

Company owns 9,600 acres of coal property known throughout the coal trade as the New Campbellton Colliery, located on Bras D'Or Bay, County of Victoria, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia. Mine is fully equipped, producing and marketing 100 tons of coal a day at a net profit of $1.00 a ton. Improvements are now being made that will increase the output to over 1,000 tons a day. On present output, figuring 300 working days in year, the net result will more than pay interest on entire issue of preferred, with output of 1,000 tons a day net result will be $300,000 per annum.

IRON

RICHEST ORE IN THE WORLD

Company owns in fee simple, free and clear of all incumbrances, 4,000 acres of iron ore deposit, located at Natashquan (tidewater) situate on North shore of Gulf of St. Lawrence, in the County of Saguenay, province of Quebec.

Deposits contain 20,000,000 tons of ore ABOVE SEA LEVEL ALONE.

Quality of ore is highest ever discovered, running from 69 to 72 per cent. in metallic iron.

More orders for the sale of this ore have been received by the Company than can possibly be accepted, and at a price netting the Company a profit of $2 a ton F. O. B. vessels at Company's docks.

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STOCK MARKETS

TIME FOR INDUSTRIAL STOCKS TO ADVANCE

New York, Feb. 4.—Investors and speculators are commencing to scan the industrial list with the view to selecting stocks for purchase. It is becoming to be appreciated that there has been no material advance in industrials since the flour boom of 1899 while since then there has been a thorough out-cleaning. Copper is down from 130 to 60. Sugar from 180 to 130. Peoples Gas from 124 to 107. Steel from the equivalent of about 60 to 37, etc. Many companies have drastically reduced capitalizations, while others have entirely disappeared. Among industrials Merit has been unduly and unjustly obscured. The industrial situation has never looked more radiant than it does at present. The past sceptical are now pouring in their orders, and the companies are literally swamped in business. The iron and steel situation is the best ever known. The copper situation has greatly improved. No great stocks are pressing upon the market. There is plenty of room and sufficient bullish material at hand to lift Amalgamated copper to par. The sugar situation is also in good shape. The cane and beet sugar interests have come to an understanding. The American Sugar Refining Company has on hand at present $15,000,000 of undivided profits secured from its coffee trade in the past five years. This being the dull season of the year, of the sugar trade, the company in accordance with its custom, closed down for repairs and cleaning several of their plants. Gas shares are making a most excellent showing, all increasing their surplus most prodigiously. We have quite recently been advocating immediate and extensive purchases of Peoples Gas. In our opinion the following issues are specially attractive to purchase at present, and if you will immediately buy some of them you will make good profits. American Sugar, America Copper, United States Steel common and preferred Pressed Steel and American Car and Foundry, common and and preferred Republic Steel, common and preferred A. C. O., American Locomotive and American Smelting issues, also Leather preferred and little Leather. Indications are most strong that material improvement in prices for industrials shares is near.

Summary—Today's market was much more lively, and was strong Steel touched 39. Copper sold above 69, and there was more doing in the industrials at improved prices. St. Paul sold above 179. Illinois Central advanced sharply. The Gould stocks were all in good inquiry. Quite a buying movement developed in Reading, which carried the common stock up two points. The Eries followed. It looks as if the market were about to emerge from its speculative rut. Increased activity brings advancing prices. Money closed 2 3-4. Sales 619,000.

Tomorrow's letter—"Iron and Steel Properties."

HAIGHT & FREESE CO.

WOULDN'T TAKE A DARE

Cleveland Woman Drinks Poison in Presence of Her Husband

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 3.—Because she wouldn't take a dare, Miss Lizzie Weisbarth swallowed two ounces of carbolic acid last night. Prompt action saved her life.

Mrs. Weisbarth, her husband, George Weisbarth, and the woman's brother and sister-in-law, were together. Mrs. Weisbarth, said; "I'll do it now." "Do what?" exclaimed her husband. "Why, commit suicide." "You wouldn't dare," retorted the husband, laughing, thinking she was joking. For answer the woman produced a bottle and drank part of its contents before the astonished husband knocked it from her lips. No motive is known for her act, and she will recover.

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The Brooklyn and New York mines of this Company lie north of and join the Victor and the Hoodlum—two rich mines that are now being worked by California parties. On the west lies the Electric Mining Company's mines. In these mines are millions of dollars' worth of rich ore in sight. On the south, adjoining the Berlin mine of this Company, is the Montazuma and Clipper. From the Montazuma over three million dollars has been taken within 80 feet of the grass roots.

This Company owns free and clear seven mines of twenty acres each, all containing rich ore, located in the Arabia and Trinity mining districts, Humboldt County, Nevada. The Company has worked these mines for the past five years, and is now driving a tunnel to cut out a rich ledge about 800 feet from the surface. The Arabia mining district, in which these mines are located, is a lively district—a great many men being employed there. The tunnel now being driven on the Brooklyn mine has about 350 feet already completed. When the tunnel cuts the main ledge, which has just been reached by the Victor tunnel about 600 feet, the Brooklyn will have about 800 feet stoping ground, which runs high in gold and silver, over $60.00 per ton.

The Company is offering for a short time a limited amount of stock for the enlargement of its plant and the working force at the mines and for the completion of the Brooklyn tunnel.

This Company has thousands of tons of rich ore in sight.

We are not making a lot of talk, because it is unnecessary. What the investor wants is dividends, which we have paid for the past five years. Now if you want a safe 12 per cent. investment, let us hear from you.

INTERNATIONAL ELECTRIC MINING Co.
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References furnished upon application.

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Daily Nevada State Journal, January 4, 1903.

Lovelock, Nev., October 6, 1902.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—If you wish to sell your Brooklyn mine I can get you a good price for it. If it was mine I would not sell it at any price, as you have more than a million dollars of ore in sight.

O. W. OSTRANDER, Supt.

Boston, Mass., December 1, 1902.

Mr. Geo. D. Burton, Treas.,
International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—During the six months of October and November of this year I visited the mines of the International Electric Mining Company, situated in Arabia and Trinity mining districts, Humboldt County, Nevada. I found the country remarkably mineralized; in fact, the possibilities of the country as a mineral producing country are yet unknown. For years it certainly has produced well. The work now being done in the Arabia and Trinity districts establishes the fact that they are fine producers.

I also found that there is a great deal of interest being taken in these properties, which have produced a great deal of wealth the past quarter of a century.

M. A. LATHROP, Mining Engineer.

Letters Received From Some of Our Stockholders

6 West Stockton Ave.,
Allegheny, Pa., Jan. 9, 1903.

Treas. International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—I have received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, with thanks.

Yours truly,
JOHN B. LIVINGSTONE.

International Electric Mining Co.,
185 Summer St., Boston, Mass.

Nahant, Mass., January 8, 1903.

Gentlemen,—Yours of Jan. 1st, enclosing dividend on my one hundred shares of stock in the International Electric Mining Company, received.

R. L. COCHRAN.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.

Dear Sirs,—I hereby acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

Respectfully,
HENRY STREIFLER.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Hudson, Mass., Jan. 2, 1903.

Dear Sir,—Yours of Jan. 1st., enclosing dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company, has been received. Respectfully,

M. A. WARREN.

Lamont, Iowa, January 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Dear Sirs,—Yours of January 1st., enclosing tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in your Company, has been received.

MRS. MARY KNATT.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.

Gentlemen,—Enclosed find receipt for the semi-annual dividend due January 1st on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

ISAAC R. JAMIESON.

Taunton Street Railway Machine Shops,
Taunton, Mass., January 2, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock held by me in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, as per receipt herewith enclosed.

FRANK S. RANDLETT.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 10, 1903.

Dear Sirs,—Enclosed you will find my receipt for dividend for stock in the International Electric Mining Company to Jan. 1, 1903.

MICHAEL GLASSER, 565 High Street.

South Birmingham, Mass.,
January 3, 1903.

Received the International Electric Mining Company dividend to January 1, 1903, on the stock of the International Electric Mining Company standing in my name.

Respectfully,
J. W. HARNDEN.

1124 11th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.
January 11, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—I received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my shares of stock in your Company and thank you very much.

Yours truly,
MILLIE C. WOOD.

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We have placed a small block of this stock on the market at 20 cents per share which will be worth $1.00 in a short time. Now is the time to buy.

The Electric Spark Gold Mining Company,
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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Young Men's Guild

The Young Men's Guild in connection with St. Andrew's church, held their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday night, Mr. W. Campbell, the president in the chair. After the general business had been transacted, Rev. J.G. Potter read an instructive paper on the "Industrial Invasion of Canada." The paper was well received by a large audience.

Municipal Ownership

Sherbrooke, Feb. 4—The first official move towards municipal ownership of electric light, the issue in the recent election, was taken by the City Council last night. A committee consisting of Councillors McManamy, Fraser, Fuller, Dansult and Lanctot was appointed to meet the directors of the Gas and Water Company and open negotiations for the purchase by the city of the electric light plant.

T. A. S. Reception

A reception was tendered the T.A.S. Hockey Team last night by the ladies of St. Peter's T.A.S. in the Society Rooms. The affair was a success in every particular, a large crowd being present. The handsome sum of about $25 being realized in aid of the expenses of the team. The evening was spent sociably in playing games, etc., a supper being served, of which all present partook freely of, after which dancing was indulged in until about midnight, when the gathering broke up.

At the Opera

That sterling play, "Under Two Flags," was the attraction by the Mark's Bros' Combination at the Opera House last evening. The piece has been seen here on numerous occasions, but we venture to say, it has never received such generous treatment as on this present occasion. Not only was the caste adequate to the exacting requirements of the play, but the general attention to detail was worthy of much praise. Dear Cigarette! We have laughed and cried often times at her whimsicalities and ultimate sad end, and last night in the hands of their talented actress, Miss May A. Bell Marks, she seemed to have found new arts and graces to win our affection. Her performance created a lasting impression. Bertie Cecil, too, found a capable exponent in Will. L. Stewart, whilst that capable actor J. C. Connolly, was seen at his best as the vindictive Black Hawk. It was a production of all-round merit and would bear repitition on this present visit. It is almost needless to add there was another packed house. The specialities introduced, were of the usual high-class standard and the humor of the audience was demonstrated by their generous applause.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. S. D. Weir, county secretary of the Loyal Orange Lodge, was down from Toronto attending the annual meeting. He returned last night on the C.P.R.

—Dr. P. H. Bryce, Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, was in town yesterday, and met the local Board at 1.30 in the Council Chamber for the purpose of advising as to detection in connection with contagious diseases.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Matched race at the rink tonight.

—The Charlotte street choir will hold no rehearsal this week.

—Ladies' Reading Circle of St. Peter's T.A.S. hold a literary evening tomorrow.

—Members are urged to attend special practise of George street church choir this evening.

—A general meeting of the O.G.R. Co. Mutual Benefit Society will be held in the T.A.S. rooms to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock.

—The Board of Trade hold a special meeting tonight. The Trent Valley Canal and the sugar beet factory are subjects of importance.

NEW CENTRAL FAIR HAS BEEN ORGANIZED

The Old Society Has Gone Out of Business for Good

AND A FRESH START MADE

Mr. Hughes-Charles Elected President, and Mr. C. B. McAllister, Vice President—Many Leading Business Men Take Hold.

Yesterday the adjourned meeting of the West Peterborough Agricultural Society took place in the Town Council Chamber. Mr. F. H Dobbin, President occupied the chair. There were about thirty representative business men and farmers present.

The President stated the object of the meeting was for the election of a new board of directors and other business.

An informal discussion took place regarding the obligations of the society, which amounted to about $1,400.

Mr. J. M. Brooks, President of the Peterborough Turf Club, stated that the club was prepared to help the society as far as it possibly could. He had called on a number of leading business men, and had got their consent to go on the board of directors, should the meeting be disposed to elect them.

Mr. Hughes-Charles stated that he was in favor of starting with a clean sheet. He would not care to assume the obligations of the past, as it would prove a heavy load to carry. He also believed in liberal prizes, and was prepared to do what he could to promote the success of the society if reorganized.

After some further discussion, the following resolution was adopted:

Moved by Mr. W. H. Robertson, seconded by Mr. Robert Fair—That it is desirable that a new society be formed and that Messrs Hughes-Charles, E. W. Elliott, F. H Dobbin, W J Green and Alex. Elliott be a committee to nominate the officers and Board of Directors for the ensuing year.

The committee immediately went to work and brought in the following report, which was adopted:

Hon. Pres.—Hon. J R Stratton
President—D. Hughes-Charles.
1st Vice-President—C. B. McAllister.
2nd Vice-President—E. M. Elliott
Directors—H. P. Kennedy, Joseph Madill, (South Monaghan), Alex. Elliott, Robert Fair, D. Maloney, (Douro) T. M. Hunter, (North Monaghan), Geo. W. Fitzgerald, (Smith), J. K. Galvin, (Ennismore) and R. J. Munro.

The honorary directors will be appointed at the first meeting of the new board.

There was considerable enthusiasm manifested, and from appearances the new society will be a success. Mr. Hughes-Charles, the President, has taken hold in earnest, and with the splendid board of directors at his back, will place the Peterborough Central away in the lead amongst its competitors.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS. WARAM

Wife of the Late Mr. Richard Waram, After a Short Illness

After a short illness of only a few days, there passed away at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. John Chittick, Smith, on Tuesday, February 3rd, Mary, beloved wife of the late Richard Waram.

The deceased was 72 years of age, and was born in Cornwall, England, coming to this country with her parents in 1854, and took up residence in Smith, where she has resided almost continuously until her death.

She leaves to mourn her loss a family of five, three daughters and two sons, all of whom are married, and two sisters and two brothers. Her husband predeceased her five years ago.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. John Chittick, Lot 19, Con. 8, Smith, on Thursday at 2.30 o'clock, and proceed to the Lakefield Cemetery for interment.

BEET SUGAR FACTORY

The Local Company are Busily Engaged Securing Acreage

Dr. Jeffs, one of the promoters of the Peterborough Beet Sugar enterprise, told a Times representative yesterday that the Company had 15 men out securing acreage from the farmers for the growing of beets. He also stated that the factory would be built, regardless of whether the full five thousand acres was secured or not. The Company would probably take in hand to cultivate 1000 acres or more if necessary, so as to bring the acreage up to the required amount.

The Wiarton Canadian, in speaking of the new factory built in that town, says:

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J. J. HARTLEY IS CHAIRMAN

Of the Peterborough Board of Education for 1903—Inaugural Meeting Last Night —Standing Committees

The inaugural meeting of the Board of Education for 1903 took place last night when there were present Messrs. Stevenson, W. M. Hayes, W G Ferguson, F. J. Jameson, Wm Pringle, J. J. Hartley, Dr. Jno. Burnham, Jno Crane, H. P. Kennedy, W. H Hill, Robert Fair, J. J. McBain, V. Eastwood and Peter Hamilton.

The new members in the above list are Messrs. John Crane and Wm. Pringle.

The first ballot for chairman for 1903 resulted as follows, W. G. Ferguson 6, W. H. Hill, 6, J. J Hartley 3, J.J. McBain 1

Mr. W. G. Ferguson positively declined to accept the office under any circumstances. Mr. W. H Hill, also said he would rather his colleagues did not vote for him, as he believed two years was long enough for any member to hold the office of chairman.

The sixth ballot gave Mr. Hartley a majority of 3 over Mr. Hill, and the secretary declared Mr. J. J. Hartley duly elected chairman for 1903.

THE CHAIRMAN-ELECT.

Mr. Hartley, on taking his seat, said he did not expect on coming to the meeting this evening to be the choice of his esteemed colleagues for chairman. Although he had served on the School Board for 12 years, he felt there were others more capable than he of filling that honorable position. He had been a member of the Town Council for 10 years—22 years altogether in public office—but he had never appreciated anything so much as being elected chairman of this Board. He felt satisfied that with such exceedingly capable colleagues as he saw before him, it would be found almost impossible for a Chairman to go astray. In conclusion Mr. Hartly thanked the Board kindly for the honor bestowed upon him, and hoped that at the end of the year they would have no cause to regret their choice of Chairman for 1903.

COMMITTEES.

Mr. F. J. Jameson moved, seconded by Mr. W. G. Ferguson, that Dr Burnham, and Messrs Kennedy, Hayes, Eastwood and the mover be a committee to strike the standing committees.—Carried.

Dr. Burnham, chairman of the above committee, reported the striking of the standing committees as follows

Finance — Messrs Hayes, Crane, Stevenson, Fair, Prinfle, and
Stevenson, Fair, Pringle and
Supervision —Messrs. Jameson, Hill, Burnham, Ferguson and Hamilton
Mr. Hill, chairman.
Property—Messrs. Eastwood, Kennedy McBain, Hill, Fair and Jameson.
Mr. Eastwood, chairman.
Appointments—The whole Board. Mr. McBain, chairman.

The Board then adjourned.

GENERAL - SPORTS.

SKATING.

There appears to be considerable interest taken in the skating match, which takes place at the Brock street rink tonight, and Oliver Dusty and his rival, Walter Jackson, are both confident of success. People who are capable of judging, seem to favor the chances of Dusty, but his opponent his a lad of metal, and will no doubt make a good showing. W. E. Gamo, the champion barrel jumper of the world, will give an interesting exhibition of his powers during the evening, including a most adventurous jump over two chairs, three barrels, one box and three boys. Such a remarkable leap on skates appears at first sight almost incredible, but the fact that Mr. Gamo has performed the feat on several occasions is sufficient assurance of its possibility.

T.A.S. At Lakefield

The T.A.S. Hockey team will drive to Lakefield this evening to play the return game with the hockey team of that village. Lakefield people are quite confident that their team will win out, but the local team are not worrying and will likely spring a surprise on their Lakefield friends.

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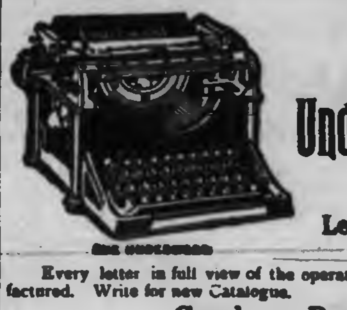

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ndon, Feb. 5—The preparations Macedonian Revolutionary Com- e for a general rising in the g are so extensive that it is im- ble to keep them a secret, and it possible to offset them except large army, and campaign ar- ments.

is only necessary to point out main features of the situation in to demonstrate the imminence he peril. The Sultan's atrocious vernment of Macedonia despite warnings and protests, has at aroused both the Christian and man populations to revolt.

Bulgarian Government has formal assurances that it will erything in its power to avoid ference in the coming quarrel. It ite beyond its power, as all con- d know, to prevent the Bul- n people from crossing the fron- and making common cause with Macedonian revolutionists. Ser- also professes its intention to aloof, but, there also no Gov- ent is strong enough to keep the ry long out of the field after ighting begins.

Japan's Huge Army Ready for War

London, Feb. 2—Among the best fighters of the world are the trained soldiers of Japan. No matter what their rank they never seem to be unmindful for an instant of the services in which they are engaged. They do not dissipate. The little recreation that they give themselves is quiet and innocent, and they keep their eyes, and doubtless their minds, on their business.

When the military scheme, now in course of development shall be completed, there will be 450,000 men under the age of 40 years trained for military service, divided equally among troops with the colors and men enrolled respectively in the first and second reserves. This takes no account of the masses with military training who have passed the age of 40, nor of an element quite as eager and promising under the age of 20 years. Company drill has been imposed in the government schools and many of the private schools have adopted it. All over the land at any season may be met troops of schoolboys in uniform, bearing the flag, blanket rolls, and knapsacks of food, and sometimes carrying also funs, tramping with their instructors over the hills and gathering martial spirit and a sense of discipline with their outings.

T SUGAR MEETING

ge Gathering Held in uth Monaghan on Wednesday Night

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ing Addressed by Mr. T. E. Brad- urn, Dr. Jeffs, T. M. Hunter and Geo. W. Bennet

Wednesday evening a meeting in nterest of the Sugar Beet Indus- was held in the C.O.F. Hall at aboro. Although the night was unfavorable, still the farmers in vicinity showed their enthusiasm turning out in large numbers, being upwards of 60 or 80 re- ntative farmers present.

J. W. Dawson was chairman of meeting, and the Peterborough r Co. was represented by Mr. T. radburn, the President; Dr. W. H Agricultural Superintendent, Hunter and G. W Bennett

Dawson in opening the meeting rred to the interest he had taken estion of producing sugar beets from his sources of information formed the opinion that the in- ry would greatly benefit the ers in this district.

Bradburn gave an account of steps the Company had taken to a sugar factory in Peterbor- . The factory would cost to pur- land, erect the building, railway gs, barges, etc., and equip with ern machinery, the sum of $565,- and would have an additional out- or beets alone of from $250,000 to ,000 as well as an additional out- for lime, coal, coke, barrels, labor of another $250,000 annually.

. Bradburn said that all addition- rrangements had now been com- d, and just as soon as an assured age sufficient to keep the factory peration during the first three s was secured the work of erect- he buildings and plant would mence.

Company, Mr. Bradburn stated, ld accept beets on board cars or es at various convenient points the railways and rivers or lakes. Company to provide the cars and es, the farmer to pay freightage of more than 50c. per ton by cars 30c. per ton by barges.

. J. B. Lucas, a resident of Bail- oro, and one of the parties chosen xperiment for the Government years ago, said he had been convinced by his experience that other crop or industry would give good returns to the farmer. Any ry in Peterborough was a good for the farmer as the extra con- ing capacity brought in by such ories gave the farmer a better rket. His experiment in growing s at $4.00 per ton would have ught him $80.00 per acre as the eriment test gave him 20 tons, this, Mr. Lucas said, was even low- than it might have been.

r. G. W. Bennett showed how the beets could be grown, cultivated and harvested with little more work than any other root crop, especially if the farmer did not undertake too much—and the Company had undertaken to much—and the Company had undertaken to supply farm laborers through the Emigration Department. Blank forms of application were now in the hands of the agents of the Company and anyone wanting help could procure the forms and make application for whatever kind of help they required. This, Mr. Bennett said was an industry as directly related to the farmer as the cheese making and dairying; it meant the production and manufacture of a staple article of commerce directly from the raw material produced off the farm in the vicinity of the factory, and not only would it open up a new source of profit in farming operations but would also stimulate trade and traffic in our town and along the rivers and railways. Taken as a whole, it was a good proposition, and if the farmers of this district failed to embrace this opportunity, they would make a great mistake.

Dr. W. H. Jeffs was the next called upon. He went very fully into the advantage the beet sugar industry would be to the farmer. The growing of grain could not be done profitably by the Ontario farmer. Dairying and hog raising were now his principal sources of profit. He must seek for some industry that would go hand in hand with these industries. It was found in the cultivation of the sugar beet. This was an industry that went hand in hand with dairying. The cultivation of the sugar beet left the soil in a better condition after the crop was taken off than before it was put in. Then another feature of the business is that the pulp is a very valuable food for cattle, hogs and sheep. It is just as good a food as turnips and mangles, and is not pressed as some farmers imagine, but is in strips as it came from the pulper. The Dr. then went into the comparative figures of growing 10 acres of wheat and growing 10 acres of sugar beets. These figures are taken from a practical farmer, for the wheat a man from Victoria County, and for the beets a man in Bay County, Mich.

10 acres of wheat, Johnston Ellis—

Ploughing	$ 15 00
Cultivating	3 00
Sowing	2 00
Harrowing	3 00
Seed	10 00
Harvesting & twine	10 00
Drawing in	5 00
Threshing	10 00
Cleaning and drawing out	7 00
Rent of land	20 00
	$90 00
20 bush. acre—200 bush. at 70c per bush.	140 00
Cost	90 00
Profit 10 acres	$41 00
Profit 1 acre	4 10

10 acres of beets, John Callan, Caro, Bay County—

Ploughing	15 00
Dragging and fitting	9 00
Drilling	5 00
Thinning	50 00
Cultivating 4 times	6 00
Pulling and topping	60 00
Drawing 60 loads	56 00
Seed 150 pounds	27 00
Total cost	$248 00
Beets delivered to factory received	$620 00
Cost	248 00
Profit 10 acres	$372 00
Profit 1 acre	37 20

The following figures were taken from the Clerk's books of a Bay City factory by Mr. Johnston Ellis, of Victoria County, who was sent over last year by Victoria County Council to study the industry from the farmer's standpoint :—

Pay roll $2,000.00 per week. 1,500 patrons average 4 acres apiece grew 6,000 beets, 14 tons to acre gives 84,000 tons. Price paid by the factory, $336,000, average $56.00 per acre average for each patron $224.00.

Dr. Jeffs then went very fully into the manufacture of the granulated sugar from the sugar beet, tracing it in its various steps.

Mr. T. M. Hunter said that although his was a good wheat growing farm yet he found that there was scarcely any profit from growing wheat—he had turned his energies to the dairying, and although it had been profitable, yet he was going into the sugar beet business and intended to plant 8 acres in the spring. He foresaw great results to the farmer, especially the dairy farmer in the procuring of cheap feed from the beet pulp.

The meeting altogether was very encouraging and since the problem of shipping the beets had been assured by the Company, the farmers look quite favorably upon the proposition and nearly everyone present signified their willingness to grow the beets—it is expected that from 500 to 600 acres will be grown in S. Monaghan the first year.

Mr. Bennet, Mr. Lucas and Mr Hunter will call on the farmers and close contracts during the coming week.

Y.M.C.A. WORKERS IN CONVENTION.

Opened Yesterday Afternoon in the Baptist Church.

MANY DELEGATES PRESENT

Valuable Paper by Mr. J. W. Hopkins of Woodstock—Many Useful Suggestions Brought Out in the Course of an Interesting Discussion

A large number of delegates were present at the general opening of the 33rd annual Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association of Ontario and Quebec, which took place in Murray street church at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Peterborough has indeed been honored by selection to entertain such a gathering of enthusiastic workers on behalf of the young men. It has been an anxious time for the local Association preparing for the reception of the 200 delegates, who have assembled, representing their respective branches. But all the visitors have been billeted and their accommodation and comfort provided for.

Our local association hall is well adapted to meet the requirements of the convention, and it is safe to say its comfortable and home-like appearance will be the subject of many compliments by the delegates.

The first item on the programme at the opening session was an interesting address by Rev. John McNichol, B. A., of Toronto Bible Training School on "Preparation," followed by the appointment of a Committee on Permanent Organization. Mr. John W Hopkins, Woodstock, then read a valuable paper on "Our Opportunity Among the Young Men of our Local Fields."

The subject, the writer expressed, was one which had an important bearing upon every phase of Association Life. The extent to which this movement is to be made world wide is largely dependent upon the clearness of vision which the local association experiences, and to the spirit in which every local organization strives to influence all classes of men within the limit of its constituency. A perquisite to the realization of the problem, the writer expressed, is a knowledge of the men constituting our field of opportunity.

Woodstock offered a fair illustration of the average town and city in which association work is conducted, and Mr. Hopkins would take that town as the basis of his comparisons and investigations.

With the object of obtaining statistics to constitute a satisfactory basis of calculation of the field open for Association work, there was formed in Woodstock a committee of sufficient numerical strength to return some useful information for the writer of the paper. The figures which accompanied the reports showed to what extent the Association had been successful in reaching the various classes of men in their city.

Of the total number of business and professional men, 13 per cent. appeared on the Y.M.C.A roll; clerks 20 per cent.; mechanics, 6 per cent.; laborers, 9 per cent; students, 4 per cent: while upon further investigation it was learned that of 300 men whose names appeared on the record of the Woodstock Y.M.C.A. 16 were business and professional men, 24 clerks, 23 mechanics, 21 laborers and 10 were students.

The writer also dealt with the apparent apathy of men in the matter of attending the week-day prayer meetings in connection with the churches. It was a subject, he thought, demanding the attention of religious workers everywhere. But the problem which appeared to present itself to the minds of those present as the result of the writer's able paper, was, how to reach the class of men to whom the Association at present offers no attraction. There was a great field of opportunity in every department of the work, and if the members would be faithful to the trust committed to them, they must, in the words of Caleb and Joshua, "Go up at once and possess the land, for we are well able to overcome it." The session adjourned at 5 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.

The evening session was held in St. Paul's church and commenced at 7.30. A most interesting address, on "Our Opportunity Among the Soldiers in South Africa," was delivered by Trooper A. J. Brace, of Second Canadian Mounted Rifles," followed by a most able discourse by the Rev. James Morrison on "Our Opportunity in View of God's Promises and Power," by Rev. James Morrison Barkley, D.D., of Detroit, Mich. The Session was largely attended, and the delegates must be well pleased with the result of the first days' proceedings.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARIES.

The eighth interprovincial Convention to the Woman's Auxiliaries of the Young Men's Christian Association of Ontario and Quebec, also opened today, the place of meeting being the Association building. As the program of the organization sets forth, the Ladies' Auxiliary is intended to give moral support to the general work, to give the Association a home-like appearance, and to assist in receptions, as well as to open homes to the entertainment of young men who may be away from home influence.

The meeting opened at 2 o'clock with Devotional services, led by Mrs. Alexander, of Toronto, followed by the appointment of Day Secretary, reading of the minutes of last convention, the Secretary's and Treasurer's reports, the appointment of Nominating Committee and an interesting address by the President. Mrs. McCallum, of Kingston, read a most interesting paper on "The Members' opportunity, which was followed by some helpful discussion.

OFFICERS GIVEN A LESSON

Hazing in the Army Has Been Put Down

London, Feb. 4—Military circles here are profoundly agitated by the sequel to the hazing of some young officers newly appointed to regiments. The London Gazette announces that Lieut.-Col. David A. Kinloch, commanding the Grenadier Guards, has been placed on half pay, and Second Lieut. Cuthbert L. Blundell Hollinshead Blundell has resigned his commission in the regiment. The practice of hazing has been very common among officers of the British army, recently. In one case, a young officer was pulled from his bed in the night, his quarters wrecked, his carpets torn up, and his furniture thrown out of the windows, simply because he devoted too much time to study to suit the taste of his brother officers, and declined to join in the sports of the regiment.

Recent cases of hazing in that crack regiment, the Grenadier Guards, have created much comment and discussion in military circles. It appears that the mother of one of the young officers hazed went to see Lord Roberts and complained, with the result that Earl Roberts, without consulting the colonel of the regiment, started a vigorous examination resulting in Col. Kinloch's retirement on half pay, and the resignation of young Lieut. Blundell. People are very sorry indeed for Colonel Kinloch, as it is not considered that he countenanced the conduct of certain wild young sparks of the regiment.

NOT OVER YET

Morocco's Sultan Still Has Trouble on Hand

London, Feb. 4—The Times' Tangier correspondent reports that the Sultan's victory over the Pretender appears to have been exaggerated. Only thirty heads and eighty-five prisoners have reached Fez so far. Although this may check the rebellion, it by no means implies that the affair is finished.

Ambassador Must Explain

Constantinople, Feb. 4—The Turkish Ambassador at Paris, Salis Munir, Bey, has been summoned here to explain the attitude of France in regard to Macedonia.

Spanish Labor Men Violent

Barcelona, Feb. 4—A meeting of representatives of twenty-three trades today voted in favor of a general strike in support of the strikers at Reus. Violent speeches were made, urging the workmen to be in readiness to destroy authority, pillage, and launch a social revolution. The authorities are preparing for trouble.

Canada's Oldest Woman Dead

Stratford, Feb. 3—Mrs. Mary Ann Mills, aged 115 years, said to have been the oldest woman in Canada, died at her home in Blanchard Township last evening. She was born in Fermanagh, Ireland, and up to a few months ago was quite active and bright. She has been a widow for fifty years. Seven of a family survive.

Miss Jones' Voice Greatly Improved

A startling improvement is noticeable—voice is stronger, and sounds clearer and sweeter than before using Catarrhozone, which is a wonderful aid to singers, speakers and ministers. Catarrhozone Inhaler insures absolute freedom from Colds, Coughs, and Catarrh, clears the nose and throat, and prevents hoarseness and huskiness. Catarrhozone makes the voice brilliant and enduring, and is uncommonly well recommended by Prima Donnas, members of Parliament, Lawyers, Doctors and thousands that use it daily. Better try Catarrhozone. Price $1.00; trial size 25c. Druggists or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Hamilton's Pills cure Constipation.

THE BYE-ELECTIONS

North York and Centre Bruce Perhaps on the 26th

Toronto, Feb. 4. It is probable that the writs for the North York, and Centre Bruce bye-elections will be issued in a few days, or as soon as the Judges' reports in connection with the disposal of the cases have been received. While no date has actually been fixed, it would not be surprising if polling day will be during the last week in February, perhaps on Thursday, the 26th.

TRAIN KILLS CHILD

A Brantford Girl Crushed While Picking up Coal

Brantford, Feb 3—Elma Smith, the ten-year-old daughter of Mrs. Smith, a widow, who resides at 166 George street, was instantly killed by a freight train here this afternoon. She and her brother were gathering coal in the Grand Trunk yards, and at the moment that she was crawling under a car, the engine shunted, and she was pinned beneath a wheel. Her head was horribly crushed. No inquest was deemed necessary, the Grand Trunk Company having repeatedly warned the children of the danger, and having even prosecuted them for trespassing.

THE LIQUOR QUESTION.

The Temperance Party Likely to Hold Many Meetings

The question of bringing pressure to bear on all representatives in the Local Legislature is occupying a prominent place in the thoughts of temperance workers. The Times is informed that the provincial leaders of the prohibition element propose to hold public meetings in every constituency in Ontario, at which resolutions will be adopted urging the passing of legislation along the lines desired, and that every effort will be made as soon as possible to induce the local representative to support such legislation. The pioneer this week urges this line of policy. A careful study of the new law which came into force in England the first of this year is being made, and it is almost certain that the Local Legislature will be asked to apply as far as practicable some of its clauses to Ontario.

It is not, however, believed, that Mr. Ross will be moved to make any radical change in the license laws.

ANGLO-AMERICAN'S REPORT

Vastly Increased Business Reported During the Past Year

The report presented at the fourth annual meeting of the Anglo-American Fire Insurance Company on Tuesday and which is published in this issue of the Times, is such as few fire insurance companies, after four years' working, could hope to compete with. Not only has the business vastly increased but the losses and working expenses have been kept down to a minimum figure. In premium incomes the company received during the year $203,716, which, with interest on its investments, brought its total income up to $206,746. After paying all losses, paying a dividend of 7 per cent. per annum, writing off the balance of the organization expenses in full, and paying other expenses in full the statement shows a balance of over $51,000, making the credit of its profit and loss account stand at $196,854.

The statement shows an increase in the premium income of the company from $54,242 in 1899 to $203,716 in 1902. As compared to 1901, without taking into account reinsurance, the premium income shows an increase of $94,969. The loss ratio to premium income and the expenses for conducting the business also showed a favorable reduction over previous years. The assets, nearly all of which are immediately available are :—Capital paid in $91,780; uncalled subscribed capital, $308,320; credit to profit and loss account, $196,854, making in all $596,954.

The directors tendered their thanks to Mr. Armstrong Dean, the General Manager, and to the staff. Mr. S. F. McKinnon was re-elected President, and Mr. J. J. Long, of Collingwood, Vice-President.

MR. ARTHUR WHITE BACK

Well-Known Railway Man Returns From Japan

Mr. Arthur White, formerly general passenger agent of the Midland Railway, Peterborough, and afterwards District Freight Agent of the Grand Trunk returned to Toronto after a trip of some months duration to Japan. Mr. White left Toronto in September and went over the proposed new route of the Grand Trunk Pacific, which, he thinks, presents no very great obstacles. While in the mountains it would be expensive. He estimates that an average of about $22,000 a mile would cover the whole situation. He was very favourably impressed with the possibilities of the country traversed by the Canadian Northern, which he found well equipped with rolling stock for freight handling. At the Pacific end of the proposed new route Mr. White encountered some remarkable hunting. Guests at the Great Northern Hotel, Port Simpson, were shooting wild duck from the windows of the hotel, and one member of a party which Mr. White took up the Work Channel shot a mountain goat, two large brown deer, a martin, about twenty ducks, and also fired three shots at a white-faced bear.

Mr. White speaks enthusiastically of the Canadian Pacific steamship service across the Pacific Ocean. On the Athenian he had an unusual experience, as the steamer was struck by a hurricane so terrific that it smashed every pane of glass on the port side of the vessel. The captain, whom Mr. White describes as a plucky fellow, turned his boat and ran nearly 400 miles back on his course, in that way saving his ship and the lives of his passengers. Mr. White tells many interesting anecdotes of his visit to Japan. He is unfortunately suffering from rheumatism, owing to the amount of driving and exposure he received at Vancouver, when a small boat in which he was sailing was cut in two by a Russian torpedo boat.

—Mr. John Primeau has been elected a member of the Separate School Board to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Daniel O'Connell.

$50,000 WANTED FOR SUGAR BEET FACTORY

Several Important Matters Come Before Board Of Trade Last Night

Trent Valley Canal, and Fire Insurance Rating Come in for Considerable Discussion.

The Peterborough Board of Trade met last night in the Council Chamber. Present: Mr. D. W. Dumble in the chair, and Messrs. T. E. Bradburn, W. H. Meldrum, W. O Strickland, B Shortly, T. A. S. Hay, R B Rogers, Kilgour, Kilbourn, E. J. Toker, J. W. Garvin, H. Rush, Jno. Carnegie, W Collins, W. H. Bradburn, G. W Bennet, A P. Poussette.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Communications.

A telegram was received from Mr. J. Alexr. Culverwell, regretting his inability to be present, and hoping that the Board of Trade would memoralize the Government regarding the immediate completion of the Trent Valley Canal, and advise the Boards on the route of the canal to do likewise, thus acting in concert to see that action be taken in this business man's proposition.

The President, Mr. D. W. Dumble, in introducing the subject of the Trent Valley Canal, read a memorial from the Trent Valley Waterway Association, urging the Government to take immediate steps to put the remaining incomplete sections of the Canal, under immediate contract, that all may be constructed simultaneously. The President spoke at some length on the good that must inevitably result from the completing of the Canal from a commercial standpoint, and invited the opinions of the members on the proposed memorial.

Mr. A. P. Poussette referred to an article he had read in The Times that morning which advocated that a large and influential deputation be sent from Peterborough to wait upon the Government at Ottawa and lay their claims before the Government. He thought the suggestion a wise one, and he would suggest the Board of Trade should undertake to run an excursion to the capital, with such an object in view. He had mind of a deputation in which he took part that created a most favorable impression, and resulted in Sir John Thomas giving an order that an appropriation be made in this connection.

The President said the last deputation of a similar nature had felt themselves so snubbed by the Government on that occasion that he thought it would be a difficult task to organize such a one at this time. He moreover inclined to the opinion that more good could be accomplished by sending such men like Mr. Cox and Mr. Stewart to wait upon the authorities. The deputation, too, would cost a deal of money.

Mr. Poussette said it would not cost the Board any money.

Another member thought it more important to bring Ottawa men here. Every Minister who has come to Peterborough has been impressed with the value and commercial advantages of the Canal.

Mr. Bradburn moved the adoption of a resolution that the Memorial be signed by the Board and forwarded to the Hon. A. J. Blair, Minister of Railways and Canals, and also that the secretary advise the councils on the route of the Canal.

The motion was carried.

The President then referred to the Port Hope scheme. He said the levels to Port Hope had been fixed. He thought the Port Hope route was impracticable and absurd. There were deep cuttings to be overcome, which rendered the route impossible. Boats reaching Port Hope would find themselves in the open sea, and subject themselves to storms for which the boats were unsuitable. On the other hand the Canal provided protective waters in any weather, besides the significant fact that boats arriving at Trenton would find themselves sixty miles further on their journey to Montreal than they would be when they arrived at Port Hope.

Mr. Kilbourn thought there were many reasons why the Port Hope scheme should not be chosen in preference to the present scheme, and he did not think Ottawa had any intentions in such a connection. He was watching with interest the proposed effort to effect a completion of the Canal, which he thought would be of great commercial advantage to the country.

Mr. E. J. Toker concurred with the previous speakers that the Port Hope route was an impossible one, but thought that delay may be caused if pressure was brought by Port Hope upon the Government.

Sugar Beet Factory.

The next subject brought before the Board for discussion was the proposed Beet Sugar Factory for Peterborough, and in response to an invitation of the President, Dr. Jeffs, who was a delegate of the County Council, to Berlin, gave some impressions of his visit to the Berlin factory. He said he came to the meeting as an auditor and it placed him in a rather awkward place to be called upon without preparation. He had taken some little time considering the question of the sugar beet factory, and he must say, he was very much impressed with the usefulness of the idea. At first he could not comprehend the necessity of the expenditure of $500,000 for the extracting of sugar from the beet, but when he saw the machinery necessary he was not surprised at the money necessary. He was confident of the advantage the beet sugar industry would be to the farmer. In Berlin the farmers are well satisfied with the industry, and with the result of the returns from the factory. The doctor thought that if a factory of this kind was introduced into Peterborough it would be of considerable advantage to the town, and he thought the success of the industry was unquestionable. Any farmer, he said, who can grow turnips and carrots can grow sugar beets, and he felt confident the farmers were going to take the industry up, and draw home their pulp for food.

Mr. Garvin accompanied the excursion to Berlin, and was very much surprised with the extent of the sugar beet industry. The results of his investigations were that everybody appeared well pleased with the industry, and he hoped an effort would be made to secure a sugar beet factory for Peterborough.

Messrs. Hunter, Meldrum, Collins and others also spoke, and after a discussion on fire insurance rating the meeting adjourned until Thursday, Feb. 12th.

OLD TIME LUMBERING

Four Hundred Sticks of Square Timber Cut Near Town

Four hundred pieces of square timber will be shipped in a few days to Belleville and thence rafted to Quebec where it will be sent to England. The timber was purchased standing, on the farm of the late Capt. Wallis, about two miles west of the town, and on the Tyndell farm at Chemong Lake.

Mr. Matthew Doody, of Cobourg, purchased the trees which have been manufactured into square timber. The sticks are from 20 to 80 feet in length, and remind one of the days 30 or 40 years ago, when rafts of the same class of timber were floated down the Otonabee. This is probably the last of the giants of the forests to be found in these parts.

BIG CROWD WITNESS SKATING EXHIBITION

By Mr. W. E. Genno, of Copper Cliff, and Matched Race Last Night

A large crowd was present at the rink last night to witness the matched race between Oliver Dusty and Walter Jackson, and Mr. W. E. Genno, the champion barrel jumper of the world, give an exhibition of his skill on skates. Mr. Genno is a wonder and performed many daring feats during the evening which kept his audience spell bound, as he executed his many adventurous jumps over barrels, boxes, chairs, forwards, backwards, and on one foot, for which he received deafening applause. His first exhibition was over five barrels, which he cleared quite easily and then six and seven, which he seemed to do without difficulty, and for which he received an outburst of applause. He then jumped over two, three and four, barrels backwards, while his next jump was to clear four barrels on one foot which at first seemed to the audience impossible for him to do, but the jump was made without a hitch. The next was a more difficult one over three barrels, two chairs and seven boxes. His last exhibition was a hurdle, jumped on one foot over eight barrels, 18 feet apart, which he leaped over without any apparent trouble.

The people of Peterborough will welcome Mr. Genno back, to give another exhibition, when he will be sure of a still larger crowd to witness the event.

The matched race was won by Oliver Dusty in two straight heats of 15 laps each. In the first heat Dusty took the lead, keeping it until the finish and doing the mile in 3.40. In the second heat Jackson took the lead for the first ten laps, when Dusty, jumped to the front and finished first. Time 3.23.

KEENE.

—The concert given by Mr. L. B. Spafford, under the auspices of the Keene Improvement Association, on Monday evening, was well attended, though the bad roads kept many from attending.

—The last carnival of the season will be held on Friday next, 13th February.

—Mr. Dennis Kylie, of Peterborough, is visiting at Mr. Ed. Foley's at present.

—Mr. T. G. Tully, who has been laid up for some time with a severe cold, is able to be out again.

—The hockey team will play Norwood in the near future on neutral ice. They are confident of winning the tie.

—Mr. V. McCarthy moved on to his farm a few days ago.

—The ice harvest is on now, and a great many are laying in a supply for the summer.

—Mr. P. Roach received a telegram on Wednesday informing him that his brother, Thomas, had lost his three children with scarlet fever. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved parents.

A Sure Cure for Constipation

Some remedies cure this distressing complaint in a day, some in a month, but Nerviline never fails to cure in a few minutes. Just ten drops of Nerviline in sweetened water — that's enough, and away goes dysentery, cured to stay cured. Nerviline also cures Cramps, Colic, Pain in the Stomach and Sick Headache. It has five times the strength and curative properties of ordinary remedies, and should be in every household. Better buy a 25c. bottle and try it. Nerviline is all right.

Hamilton's Pills for the Liver.

—Let it not be forgotten that every man leaves himself liable to a fine for neglecting to blanket his horse when it is left standing on the streets on a cold day. The law goes [illegible]

Cleveland's
BAKING POWDER
Makes the cake and biscuit come right every time.
"I prefer Cleveland's; perfectly wholesome; always [illegible] uniform results." CARRIE M. DEARBORN, Late Principal Boston Cooking School.

Anglo-American Fire Insurance Company

The Fourth Annual Meeting of Shareholders of the Anglo-American Fire Insurance Company was held at the Head Office of the Company, McKinnon Building, Toronto, on Tuesday, the Third day of February, 1903.

The President, Mr. S. F. McKinnon, having taken the chair, Mr. Armstrong Dean, General Manager, was requested to act as Secretary to the meeting.

After reading the notice convening the meeting, the Secretary read the following Directors' Report and Financial Statement:

Your Directors have pleasure in presenting their Fourth Annual Report and the Financial Statement of the Company's business for the year ending 31st December, 1902, which is duly certified by the auditors.

The Premium income for the year ending 31st December, 1902, less rebates for cancellations, is	$303,716 58
Interest on the Company's investments	5,029 69
Total income	$308,746 27

Showing an increase in income over the year 1901 of $94,269.56.

The Company's net income for the year 1902, after deducting all re-insurance, amounts to $232,194.26.

You will note the outstanding unpaid losses at the 31st December amounted to the small sum of $1,705.00. These losses occurred during the last days of December and were unadjusted.

Result of the workings of the year shows that after paying all losses, charges and expenses, and writing off the balance of our organization expenses in full, 10 per cent. off our office furniture and Goad's plans, and paying Dividend No. 1 at rate of 7 per cent. per annum, we carry the handsome balance of $51,635.32 forward to Profit and Loss Account, making the balance now standing at credit of this account $106,854.60.

Your Directors have much pleasure in expressing their appreciation of the faithful manner in which the Manager, Office Staff, General Agents and Representatives of the Company have discharged their duties during the past year.

We cannot close this report without referring to the great loss we have sustained by the death of Mr. John Gowans, one of our most esteemed Directors, who has acted in this capacity since the inception of the Company.

Your Directors all retire, but are eligible for re-election.

S. F. McKINNON,
President.

Financial Statement for Year ending 31st December, 1902

REVENUE ACCOUNT.

Fire losses for year paid (net)	$90,[illegible] 13			Premium income	$[illegible]	
Fire losses under adjustment	$1,765 00			Less rebates for cancellation	21,[illegible]	$303,716 58
Less reinsurance	60 00	1,705 00	$[illegible] 13	Interest Account		5,029 69
Paid for reinsurance			76,[illegible] 61			
Dividend No. 1			[illegible] 20			
Commission and other charges, including Government fees licenses and taxes, 33 1-3 per cent. off organization expenses being balance in full of same, and all books, stationery, etc., and 10 per cent. off office furniture, including Goad's maps			73,[illegible] 61			
Balance			51,635 32			
			$308,746 27			$308,746 27

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

Balance from 1901	$ 55,219 28
Balance from Revenue Account	51,635 32
	$106,854 60

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Capital stock paid in	$ 91,780 00	Cash on hand and in Molson's Bank	$[illegible]
Sundry accounts and reinsurance	[illegible]	Bonds and debentures deposited with Dominion Government	[illegible]
Losses under adjustment at 31st December, 1902, of which $60 is reinsured	1,705 00	Accrued interest on above	[illegible]
Balance at credit of profit and loss account	106,854 60	Agents' balances and other accounts	[illegible]
		Office furniture, including Goad's maps	7,177 87
	$[illegible]		$[illegible]

SECURITY FOR POLICYHOLDERS.

Subscribed Capital—		
Paid on Stock	$ 91,780 00	
Balance to Pay on Stock	388,320 00	
		$480,100 00
Balance from Profit and Loss Account		106,854 60
		$586,954 60

ARMSTRONG DEAN,
General Manager.

To the President, Directors and Shareholders of the Anglo-American Fire Insurance Company:

Gentlemen,—We, the undersigned, having examined the Vouchers, checked the Bank Balances and audited the Books of the Anglo-American Fire Insurance Company, for the year ending 31st December, 1902, certify that we have found them correct, and that the Annexed Balance Sheet is a true statement as at above date.

J. P. LANGLEY,
RICHARD LEE,
Auditors.

Toronto, 27th January, 1903.

Mr. McKinnon, President—In rising to move the adoption of the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1902, I feel it is unnecessary for me to say very much.

It is always a pleasure to meet the Shareholders with a good statement. I think you will agree with me that the report is a very satisfactory one, and that we are making steady progress in the right direction. In common with the other companies we have shared in the light fire losses that have occurred throughout the Dominion, especially the latter half of the year.

The Report of the Directors and Financial Statement now in your hands for approval and adoption, or otherwise, shows a very considerable increase in the volume of business written, and also in Premium Income.

This being the Fourth Annual Meeting, it may not be out of place to go back to the year of our inception and compare the increase made year by year.

1899, the year we commenced business, was only a broken one of about seven months.

In 1899 the Net Premium Income was	$ 54,242 96
In 1900 the Net Premium Income was	133,871 73
In 1901 the Net Premium Income was	210,[illegible] 54
In 1902 the Net Premium Income was	303,716 58

The Premium Income for the year 1902, as compared with 1901, without taking into account re-insurances, shows an increase of $[illegible]. The loss ratio to Premium Income 44 41-100 per cent., as also the expenses for conducting the business to Premium Income, 22 91-100 per cent., both of which show a favorable reduction over previous years.

Organization expenses have now been entirely written off, and therefore, for the future, will be eliminated from our accounts.

After paying off all losses, expenses of conducting the business, writing off 10 per cent. on furniture, Goad's plans, and Dividend of 7 per cent. for the year 1902, we carry to the credit of Profit and Loss for the year $51,635.32.

Turning to the "Assets" side of the Statement, you will find them in a very satisfactory condition, nearly all in what is usually known as liquid form, or immediately available.

The security for Policyholders now stands:

Capital paid in	$ 91,780 00
Uncalled Subscribed Capital	388,320 00
Credit to Profit and Loss Account	106,854 60
Making in all	$586,954 60

The Anglo-American is now writing policies from the Atlantic to the Pacific, but in the Dominion of Canada only.

This is, indeed a growing time in Canada. It is very gratifying to know that prosperity still prevails in all parts of the Dominion. All branches of trade and commerce, banking, etc., are flourishing; farmers are well-to-do and contented; labor is plentiful for those willing to work, and wages are good. Emigration to our country is increasing largely. Someone has said we are soon to become a nation. I am not inclined to dispute it.

I do not like to prophesy, but, if I did, I should say there is a great future for the Anglo-American, especially if managed on the same vigorous and conservative lines as in the past. The Anglo-American policy, when issued, or becomes a claim, is as good as gold.

The statement, "Canada for the Canadians," or "made in Canada," is as applicable to fire insurance as to steel rails or rolls of carpet. If we are to have "Canada for Canadians," let us have it in fire insurance as well as in other lines. Why pay tribute to other countries for what we can supply as well at home?

Our board, as well as the Executive Committee, comprises gentlemen of large experience in manufacturing, banking, shipbuilding, mercantile, marine, and other pursuits, and, although I have been and now am on many boards, I find that none give the same careful scrutiny to all matters of detail as that of the Anglo-American.

Reference has been made in the Report to the death, which occurred in July last, of our esteemed colleague, Mr. John Gowans, one of the foremost merchants of this city, of strict integrity and high honor. His counsel and advice will be much missed by this company. The vacancy thus caused on the board was not filled by your Directors for the balance of the term.

I cannot close without stating that we owe much of our success to the untiring care and attention to details of our Manager, Mr. Dean, who has been so ably aided by our efficient office staff.

I now have great pleasure in moving the adoption of the Report and Financial Statement, which will be seconded by the Vice-President, Mr. Long.

Mr. John J. Long, Vice-President, in seconding the resolution said: Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,—

It affords me much pleasure to second the motion of the President for the adoption of the Report of the Directors, the Financial Statement, and Auditors' Report, of the business of the Company for the year ending 31st December, 1902.

I think it unnecessary to add anything to the very appropriate remarks of the President, but may say that when the business of a company or an individual is prospering satisfactorily, as I am happy to say the business of the Anglo-American Fire Insurance Co. is, the adoption of such a Report and Financial Statement as we have before us must without a word of comment or commendation be most pleasing to the Shareholders, and assuring to all concerned.

Our expectations of the growth and continuous success of the business of the Company, I am thankful to say, are being constantly realized. The income of the Company for 1902 was more than 44 per cent. greater than that of 1901. The proportion of working expenses to income in 1901 was 21.66 per cent., while in 1902 it was 22.91 per cent. The loss ratio in 1901 was 48.98 per cent.; in 1902 it was 44.41 per cent.

To the prosperity of Canada, to which the Anglo-American Fire Insurance Co., confines its business, and to the great care constantly exercised by the Agents, the Manager, the Inspectors and the Directors in the selection and acceptance of risks, this improvement is mostly due.

To the loyal co-operation of the Office Staff, the Agents throughout Canada, and Inspectors, with the well directed efforts of our excellent Manager, Mr. Dean, the satisfactory growth and results of the business of the Company are chiefly due.

The prospects of the Company for the year we are entering upon are bright, and I confidently hope the results for 1903 will be most satisfactory.

The following gentlemen were elected Directors for 1903:

S. F. McKinnon, Esq., S. F. McKinnon, & Co., Toronto, President.

J. J. Long, Esq., the T. Long & Brother Co., Collingwood, Vice-President.

Directors: A. A. Allan, Esq., Messrs. A. A. Allan & Co., Toronto; John R. Barber, Esq., President Toronto Paper Co., of Cornwall, Georgetown; Dr. George H. Bowlby, Berlin; A. B. Cunningham, Esq., barrister, Kingstown; H. P. Eckardt, Esq., Messrs. H. P. Eckardt & Co., Toronto; John Flett, Esq., Flett, Lowndes & Co., Limited, Toronto; W. J. Gage, Esq., the W. J. Gage Co., Limited, Toronto; John Knox, Esq., Messrs. Knox, Morgan & Co., Hamilton; R. Millichamp, Esq., Messrs. Millichamp, Coyle & Co., Toronto; J. N. Shenstone, Esq., Sec.-Treas. Massey-Harris Co., Limited, Toronto; Dr. Uriah M. Stanley, Brantford; Hugh Waddell, Esq., Peterborough; Emil Nerlich, Messrs. Nerlich & Co., Toronto.

Brunette and Blonde

A ROMANCE.

up to justice in the morning, but when morning dawned they discovered, to their grief and dismay, that the prisoner had escaped them.

Florence had learned of the disastrous failure of the attempted murder, and knew that the end had come. She secretly liberated her father, and they fled together, taking with them as lawful spoil all the costly jewels that Florence had become possessed of during her triumphant year as the earl's granddaughter. They were never seen nor heard of again by any of those whom they had so deeply and irreparably injured.

Florence's portrait was removed from the gallery, and a lovely one of Hilda soon occupied its place.

Hilda, and every one else, was surprised that Cecil Courtenaye went away suddenly the day after Lady Ethel returned, without telling any one when he would come back. It was some unexpected news in a letter from his mother that brought him back in a week.

Mrs. Courtenaye told him simply that Lady Ethel and the baronet had renewed their early troth, and that as soon as the earl recovered from his wound, they would be married. Was not her dear Cecil glad to hear of the pleasant ending of the baronet's romantic love story?

CHAPTER XXII.

"Forever Thine."

No one knew that Cecil was coming back that lovely summer morning, as there was no conveyance to meet him. He walked from the station to Lockesley Hall.

Passing through the park he heard the sound of voices near the lake. He looked, and saw Lady Ethel walking with Sir Wilfred under the trees, and Lady Leigh and Hilda sitting on the banks of the lake. He went over to them.

Hilda was looking fresh and lovely in a cool, white dress, with a bunch of white and red roses carelessly fastened in her belt. The sunshine shone down on her lovingly, the breeze caressed her dark hair with tender, viewless fingers, lifting the soft, careless locks from her fair low brow.

Cecil never forgot how deliciously she started and blushed when he went up to her so suddenly and called her name.

"You naughty boy! Where have you been?" cried Lady Leigh, shaking a playful finger at him.

"To London— on the most pressing business," replied Cecil, unblushingly.

He did not like to confess that he went away because he thought Hilda was engaged to Sir Wilfred Hale.

"Let us go on the lake and get some lilies," he said, a minute later.

Cecil was deliberately selfish when he made the remark. He knew that Lady Leigh had a nervous dread of going on the water in a small boat.

"Hilda may go," she said, ashamed to confess her weakness. "I think I would rather walk with Wilfred and Ethel. It looks too warm out there on the water."

She went away just as Cecil had expected she would do. He and Hilda went out on the lake alone.

"I would not tell Lady Leigh why I went away, Hilda," he said, "but I will tell you. I was jealous of Sir Wilfred. I thought you were engaged to him."

She looked at him in wonder, and then she laughed merrily.

"How strange," she said, "I never thought of such a thing, Mr. Courtenaye. Sir Wilfred is to marry mamma."

"So my mother wrote me," he said. "That is why I came back. I was wild to see you, darling."

Hilda did not answer. She was looking down at the water, trailing the tips of her white fingers through the rippling waves.

"Hilda, you know already how dearly I love you," Cecil went on, half pleadingly.

Hilda gave him a bright, arch glance from her sparkling eyes. She did not know how unconsciously the tenderness of her heart shone through them.

"You have saved my life once— I have saved yours twice," he said. "Does it not really seem as if we ought to belong to each other?"

"Yes," she answered, with the pretty naive simplicity that seemed to belong to her frank, sweet nature so perfectly, and Cecil realized with a thrill of rapture so keen it was almost pain, that his beautiful, brave Hilda was all his own.

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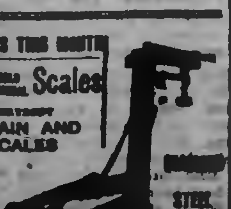

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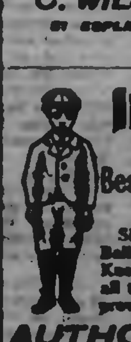

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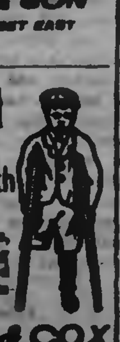

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A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.: Columbia National Bank, Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 23, 1903.

DEAR SIR,—The McLennan Paint Co. are good customers of this bank, and I have known them personally for years. All the officers bear excellent reputations, and are considered good business men. Their management is evidenced by the large business they have built up, as careful and conservative. They have met with great success in the past, and I believe that today, theirs is one of the largest and most prosperous concerns of its kind. I have every reason to believe that the stock which they are now offering for sale is a desirable, as well as a safe investment. Yours very truly,

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Very respectfully, C. A. SALISBURY, Manager.

A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.: Buffalo, Jan. 26th, 1903.

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Very truly yours,
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STOCK MARKETS

IRON AND STEEL PROPERTIES

New York, Feb. 5.—Industrial iron and steel producers look particularly well at present. It would appear as if an upward movement were on its way in these properties. They are all doing wondrously well, and have about all the business they can attend to at present, while the prices for their shares are entirely too low commensurate with their earnings and dividends. They should be bought at current prices. Chairman Gary of the executive committee of the United Steel Corporation said, day before yesterday "At present time unfilled orders of our subsidiary companies amount to over five and one half million tons, which is the highest since the organization of the corporation. The orders now booked weekly are not materially larger than the shipments made. In many lines of products the orders booked will keep the mills busy until the early part of 1904. The demand in our lines is excellent, and there is nothing in sight to indicate a change in conditions. During the last few months prices have not materially varied, except in a very few instances where prices had been reduced to meet unusual conditions. They have since been restored."

It is an absurdity that the common and preferred stock of the United States Steel Corporation sell as low as they do. They are more than cheap. The car making companies are doing splendidly. Their reports show remarkable results. The same state of affairs exists with the Republic Iron and Steel Co., and with the American Locomotive Co. Every one of these shares will be taken in hand and advanced shortly. Merit warrants it happening. Way down in Tennessee and T. C. I. Company has been working night and day crowded with business to the utmost of its capacity. The old Bank party, so prominent in the manipulation of the stock in the past, are again buying into the shares, and there will more than likely be something doing upon the bull side very shortly. The small capitalization of the company and the financial strength of its friends cause it to fluctuate violently at times. Facts, and its present market price, indicate the next active movement in the shares will be more than likely upon the bull side. Buy some T. C. I.

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BOXERS AND MISSIONARIES

Threatening Attitude in China Causes Change of Plans

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 5—Serious news was received yesterday from China, at the Methodist Mission Rooms. Rev. Dr. Service writes from Wu Hu that 'well-disciplined army of Boxers is in the field in the province of Kang Su, and that it is reported that five Imperial regiments have joined the Boxers. In consequence of these reports a party of Christian Alliance Missionaries proceeding to Kansu has been stopped by the direction of their superintendent at Wu Hu for the winter."

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Daily Nevada State Journal, January 4, 1903.

Lovelock, Nev., October 6, 1902.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—If you wish to sell your Brooklyn mine I can get you a good price for it. If it was mine I would not sell it at any price, as you have more than a million dollars of ore in sight.

G. W. OSTRANDER, Supt.

Boston, Mass., December 1, 1902.

Mr. Geo. D. Burton, Treas.,
International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—During the six months of October and November of this year I visited the mines of the International Electric Mining Company, situated in Arabia and Trinity mining districts, Humboldt County, Nevada. I found the country remarkably mineralized; in fact, the possibilities of the country as a mineral producing country are yet unknown. For years it certainly has produced well. The work now being done in the Arabia and Trinity districts establishes the fact that they are fine producers.

I also found that there is a great deal of interest being taken in these properties, which have produced a great deal of wealth the past quarter of a century.

M. A. LATHROP, Mining Engineer.

Letters Received From Some of Our Stockholders

5 West Stockton Ave.,
Allegheny, Pa., Jan. 3, 1903.

Treas. International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—I have received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, with thanks.

Yours truly,
JOHN B. LIVINGSTONE.

Nahant, Mass., January 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
185 Summer St., Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Yours of Jan. 1st, enclosing dividend on my one hundred shares of stock in the International Electric Mining Company, received.

R. L. COCHRAN.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 2, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—I hereby acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

Respectfully,
HENRY STREIFLER.

Hudson, Mass., Jan. 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—Yours of Jan. 1st., enclosing dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company, has been received. Respectfully,

M. A. WARREN.

Lamont, Iowa, January 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Dear Sirs,—Yours of January 1st., enclosing tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in your Company, has been received.

MRS. MARY KNATT.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Enclosed find receipt for the semi-annual dividend due January 1st on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

ISAAC R. JAMIESON.

Taunton Street Railway Machine Shops,
Taunton, Mass., January 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock held by me in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, as per receipt herewith enclosed.

FRANK S. RANDLETT.

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 12, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—Enclosed you will find my receipt for dividend for stock in the International Electric Mining Company to Jan. 1, 1903.

MICHAEL GLASSER, 565 High Street.

South Birmingham, Mass.,
January 3, 1903.

Received the International Electric Mining Company dividend to January 1, 1903, on the stock of the International Electric Mining Company standing in my name.

Respectfully,
J. W. MARNDEN.

1324 11th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.
January 11, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—I received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my shares of stock in your Company and thank you very much.

Yours truly,
MILLIE C. WOOD.

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Morning Times
PETERBOROUGH, FEB. 6, 1903

WN AND COUNTY NEWS

ASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

An Open Meeting

The Times is requested to state that Daughters of England will hold open meeting in their hall, Hunter treet, this evening. All members are quested to attend.

Jewellers to Close

The jewellers of the town have reed to close their respective places business every evening at 6 o'clock cept Saturday night and nights preceding public holidays, the month of ovember and December excepted.

A Sad Death

The deep sympathy of the public will extended to Mr. John Kylie in the eat loss which he has sustained in death of his youngest daughter, which took place yesterday orning. The little girl had been for about three weeks from the gestion of the brain. It is a blow to Mr. Kylie, who has lost even children in almost as many ears. The funeral will take place is morning at nine o'clock from the family residence, Hunter street, to he Roman Catholic cemetery.

Mr. Nicholl's Return

Mr. D. McNichol, Second Vice-President and General Manager of the P.R., passed through town last ight on his way to Montreal. Mr. McNicholl had been on an extended our of inspection extending over everal weeks. He stayed over for a ay in Toronto, in connection with the ouble track which the company intends laying on the Esplanade. The company contemplates purchasing ore land on the south side of the Esplanade, and application therefore has een made to the Minister of Railways.

The Story of Morning Tiredness

is told by impure blood, poor digestion, sluggish liver and tired nerves. It is a warning of very serious trouble ahead, and should prompt sensible people to take a bracing tonic like Ferrozone, an energetic invigorant and rebuilder. Ferrozone will give you a sharp appetite, promote good digestion and sound sleep; it will feed and energize the enfeebled organs, strengthen the nerve and vital forces and regulate the heart. Ferrozone changes that tired feeling into vigor, strength and ambition, and does it quickly. Remember the name, and insist on having only Ferrozone; it's the best tonic made. Price 50c. per box, or 6 boxes for $2.50, at Druggists, or N. C. Polson Co., Kingston, Ont.

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LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—Saturday bargain day at Times Bookstore.

—Easter Sunday this year falls on the 12th of April.

—The Board of Health will meet this afternoon at four o'clock.

—A choice lot of fancy and comic Valentines now on sale at Times Bookstore.

—Hastings Star: R. M. Dennistoun, barrister, of Peterborough, will give an address at St. George's church, Hastings, on Sunday morning, and at St. James church, Roseneath, on Sunday afternoon on behalf of diocesan missions.

—A branch of the Master Horse Shoers' Association was organized in Norwood last night by Messrs. .W Kennedy, R. McGill, Ald. Jos. Batten and Ben Yelland of town.

—The Times received what is probably the largest single shipment of ledger paper ever brought to town. It consisted of nearly three tons of paper, which is to be made up into blank ledger books for a leading financial concern by The Times bindery.

—Mr. F. Might, of the J. C. Turnbull Co., is having his premises remodelled, so as to make room upstairs for the mantle department which has outgrown the space formerly allotted to that special trade on the ground floor.

—On Saturday, Jan. 25th, Maggie Groves, a young woman who was employed as a domestic at the home of Mr. I. Lane, Stanwood, Seymour township, committed suicide by deliberately swallowing two ounces of carbolic acid, causing almost instant death. The deceased was 20 years of age, and her home was in Dummer.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mrs. R. P. Gough, of Torotno, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. LeBrun.

—Mr. F. J. Elmhirst, Peterborough is registered at the Brunswick Hotel, Winnipeg.

—Mr. Wm. Moindoo, Pontypool, was in town yesterday and gave The Times a call.

—Miss Ivy B. Fisher, granddaughter of Mr. Robert Walton, returned home yesterday morning from a three weeks' visit to Norwalk, Ohio.

—Mr. Frank Conroy, of Ashburnham has gone to Battle Creek, Michigan, to visit with his brother, Dr. R. J. Conroy, formerly of town.

—Mr. C. B. Routley, our enterprising merchant, has been in Toronto for several days on business.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Emrie, who have been residing in apartments in the Grand Central leave town today to take up their residence in Toronto.

—The many friends of Mr. T. Campbell, Warsaw, will regret to learn that he is seriously ill, and is now confined to his bed.

—Mr. Sisson, of Cold Springs, Otonabee, who was stricken with paralysis some months ago, is not recovering as fast as his many friends would like. He is now, we are sorry to say, confined to his room.

—Dr. and Mrs. Willis who have been residing with Mrs. Wm. Scott, Water street, for some time, leave town this morning for the balance of the winter. Mrs. Willis goes to Sherbrooke, Que., while the doctor will go to Savannah, Georgia. Later on Mrs. Willis will be joined at Sherbrooke by her sister, Mrs. Lucke, of Mexico. They will visit Washington. Their many friends in Peterborough will wish them safe return next summer to their beautiful lodge on the Otonabee River.

THE CEMENT INDUSTRY

To the Editor of the Morning Times:

Sir,—In your Monday's issue you refer to the opinion of City Engineer Hunt, of Toronto, in regard to the threatened abundance over production of cement in Canada. A few facts relative to this will not, we trust, be without interest to your readers. In 1902 the consumption of cement in Canada reached its highest point, namely 1,040,000 barrels. Of this 640,000 were made in Canada, and 400,000 imported. Prior to 1902 only three companies were engaged in the manufacture. In the year 1902 no less than five additional companies got under way, several of them, however, did little more than get started and supplied only about 100,000 barrels. In the year 1903 we shall have all the old factories in operation and with largely increased outputs, and also the five new companies above mentioned, the output will then be for 1903, 1,600,000 barrels, that is to say over 600,000 barrels more than the total consumption of last year, exclusive of whatever may be imported during this year. In view of these facts you will perceive that the warnings contained in the Monetary Times and Mail and Empire to which you refer, as to the danger of over-production, were well timed and should be carefully heeded by the investing public. But when we tell you that in addition to the five new companies so started last year, we have ten more new companies now being floated in this country, which are to have, according to the promoters, a combined capacity of 10,200 barrels per day, equal to an annual capacity of about 3,000,000 barrels, you will see the utter folly of putting money into more cement enterprises. Here is a list of the ten new companies with their promised output.

	Barrels per day.
The Manitoba Portland Cement Co., Winnipeg	1000
The Western Canadian Portland Cement Co.	1000
The St. Mary's Portland Cement Co.	1000
The Colonial Portland Cement Co., Wiarton	1000
The Raven Lake Portland Cement Co.	1000
The Blue Lake Portland Cement Co., Brantford	600
The Superior Portland Cement Co.	600
The Kingston Portland Cement Co.	1000
The Belleville Portland Cement Co.	2000
The International Portland Cement Co., Hull	1000
Making a daily product of	10,200

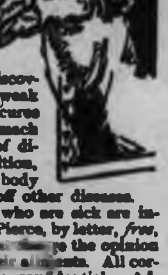
It is clear than that whatever money is made in Canada out of the cement industry hereafter will be made in promoting companies, not in operating them. It is said that the gentlemen who, two years ago, floated the Durham Company, cleaned up a half million of dollars out of the flotation, on a capital of $1,000,000. The same gentlemen are now promoting, in different parts of the country, several new companies on a scale still more ambitious than the Durham Company. For instance the Belleville Portland Cement Company is to have a capital of two and a half millions of dollars and an output of two thousand barrels per day. Can they be putting any of their money in them? If the flotation of the Durham Company could yield the promoters a half million, fairly makes ones mouth water. These promoters far surpass Engineer Rust, as dispensers of satisfaction. They gravely assure us that cement can be made in this country and profitably exported to the United States, notwithstanding the fact that nearly all cement machinery comes from the United States and is subject to heavy charges for freight and duty, and that the coal for burning the cement is all imported from the United States and costs here double what it costs there, and that the actual cost of burning cement alone is more than they pretend they can make cement for.

But then, let the promoters take courage—a sucker is born every minute, and the fools are not nearly all dead yet.

Yours,
AN OLD SUBSCRIBER.
February 5, 1903.

THE CAMEL'S HEAD.

"Where the camel's head goes his body follows," says an Oriental proverb. It's the same way with disease. A small opening will give it an entrance and when disease once has a place in the body a large number of ills may follow it.



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INDIAN RIVER.

—Mr. Peter Butler, of Hastings, is at present a blacksmith with Mr. A. Whibbs.

—The people here are pleased with Mr. Duff's broad views: as regards our roads in the lower part of the township.

—Mr. A. Whibbs is erecting a new weight scales for Mr. Torpey, live stock merchant, of our town.

—Mr. John Devlin, has an increase in his family of a daughter.

—Mr. Twomey, of Keenemore, is at present visiting at Stephen Murphy's.

—The school, No. 1, Douro, which has been closed for some time on account of scarlet fever, will re-open on Monday, February 9th.

—Miss M. Moloney, trained nurse, of the Nicholls Hospital, Peterborough, is at present nursing a case of scarlet fever at Mr. Leach's.

APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN on behalf of the Corporation of the Town of Peterborough, that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario at the next session thereof for an Act for the following purposes.

1. To amend 62 Victoria (2), Chapter 71 by striking out the following words in the first subsection of the second section thereof, namely, the words "at any point thereon south of and in no way using power obtained from the dam known as the Nassau Dam on the said River Otonabee" in the 3rd, 4th and 5th lines thereof; the words "for Municipal purposes only" in the 17th line thereof, and the words "except commercial lighting or private lighting" in the 18th and 19th lines thereof, and for such other amendments thereto as may be necessary to remove the restrictions imposed on the said Corporation by said subsection.

2. To authorize and empower the said Corporation to erect and maintain poles and other appliances on the streets and public places of the said Town for the transmission of electricity in and through the said Town of Peterborough, and to charge a rental therefor, and to make regulations for the use, management, maintenance and control of same, and to enter into agreements with any company, firm or person now or hereafter supplying electric energy to the inhabitants of the said Town for the use of said poles and appliances on such terms as may be agreed on.

3. To authorize and empower the said Corporation to issue debentures of the said Corporation without the assent of the rate-payers for the sum of $7000 to meet the deficiency on the sale of waterworks debentures issued for the purchase of the waterworks.

4. To authorize and empower the Commissioners of the Waterworks to form a contingent fund and to retain out of the revenues derived from the said waterworks an annual sum not exceeding one-half of the net revenue for that purpose.

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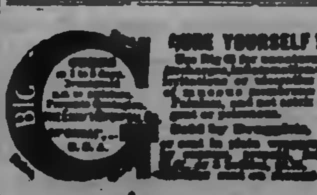

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THE PROPOSED BONUS TO SUGAR BEET FACTORY

Some Important Information Regarding the Sugar Beet Industry

TOWN TO BE ASKED FOR A LARGE BONUS

Which Will be in in the Shape of Stock and Bonds to the Amount of $50,000

Considerable interest is evidenced in many quarters regarding the proposed sugar beet factory to be started in Peterborough, and much important information relating to the sugar beet industry has been brought before the public notice in the past few days.

The farmers in the neighborhood of Billieboro showed their enthusiasm upon the subject by turning out to a large meeting held in the vicinity recently, and it would appear that a favorable impression was created by those who spoke in the interests of the industry. A resident of Baillieboro, who was one of the parties chosen to experiment for the Government two years ago, expressed himself as quite convinced by his experience that no other crop or industry would give such good returns to the farmer. His experiment in growing better at $400 per ton would have brought him $60.00 per acre as the Government test gave him 20 tons; and this, he thought, was lower than it might have been.

The gentlemen who spoke on the subject of the industry at the meeting of the Board of Trade last evening, were, in most cases of the opinion that the industry was one worthy of the attention of farmers. Several gentlemen gave their impressions resulting from an investigation into the condition of the industry as practised in Berlin, which would lead the opinion that the farmers in that district are more than satisfied with the results of their work in this connection. It would appear that very little capital was required to grow beets, and it was contended that the industry would build up the land and rid the country of weeds. The beets would be grown, cultivated and harvested with little more than any other root crop. The industry was as directly related to the farmer as cheesemaking and dairying, and it meant the production and manufacture of a staple article of commerce directly from the raw material produced off the farm in the factory. It was the opinion of other speakers who spoke at the Board of Tarde meeting that the beet raising was far more profitable to the farmer than the growing of grain. In fact, it was averred that grain was no longer a source of profit to the Ontario farmer, and that some industry must be sought by him to go hand in hand with dairying and hog raising, which were now his principal sources of profit. It was thought that this desired acquisition was found in the cultivation of the sugar beet.

Another feature of the business is that the pulp is a very valuable feed for cattle, hogs and sheep. It was thought to be as good a feed as turnips and mangolds, and is not pressed as some farmers imagined, but is in strips as it came from the pulper. Some interesting figures obtained from a practical farmer, showed a preponderance of profits in favor of sugar beet cultivation, as against wheat growing, and it would seem that, the said figures proving reliable, there is little doubt of the advantages of the industry to local farmers.

With reference to the proposed factory for Peterborough, it is estimated that the sum of $665,000 would be required for the erection of the the building, purchase of land, railway sidings, barges, etc., and to equip the factory with modern machinery. It would also mean an additional outlay for beets alone of from $250,000 to $350,000, whilst the acquiring of coal, coke, lime, barrels, labor, etc., would call for an additional expenditure of $250,000 annually. The company would be prepared to accept beets on board cars or barges at various convenient points along the railways and rivers or lakes, the company to provide the cars and barges, the farmer to pay freightage of not more than 50c. per ton by cars and 30c. per ton by barges.

Much enthusiasm was manifested by some of the speakers at the Board of Trade meeting, in reference to the benefit the factory would confer upon our town, and it was thought that no other crop or industry would give such good returns to the farmer. Any factory in Peterborough was a good thing for the farmer, as the extra consuming capacity brought in by such factories gave the farmer a better market. One speaker proposed that the people of Peterborough as a corporation purchase a block of $25,000 of stock, and $25,000 of bonds in the new sugar factories. He hoped the Board of Trade would lend its valuable assistance in the establishing of this great factory in our midst. He was confident it would be a move in the right direction.

The subject really is a most interesting one. The introduction of any industry in our town which has the likelihood of contributing to its general prosperity should call forth our best energies to further its promotion. Further developments will no doubt prove of service in aiding us to form more definite opinions, and providing the industry can be shown to open out such a profitable yield as present reports would lead us to believe, there is little doubt the farmers and capitalists of Peterborough and district would only be too willing to lend their efforts towards helping on the proposed factory.

An interesting special meeting of the Board of Trade will be held on Thursday, February 12th, in this connection. The delegates who were sent to Berlin for the purpose of acquiring information, and studying the conditions of the beet sugar industry there, will submit their report. There will no doubt be a large attendance, and some important steps may be taken as a result of this report.

THE CENTRAL FAIR

How a Well Conducted Race Track Advertises a City

A Few Pointers to the Managers of the Central Fair and the Turf Club

The Times has been requested to publish the following, written by Mr. Palmer L. Clark, in the Chicago Inter-Ocean:

Opinion seems to be divided as to whether the city makes the race track a success or the race track is of more value to the city, but the best of evidence exists in favor of both sides, as is the case when the question arises as to whether a track should be controlled by one man or by an association. I am of the opinion that the city can be too large as well as too small for any man or association to profitably maintain a race track exclusively for harness-horse meetings, owing to the many counter attractions, the indisposition of business men as a whole, and the fact that the expense of properly advertising the events would run up to a greater sum than the possible gate receipts would justify. As to the second question, it all depends upon the one man or the association. The former, if good, is better than the latter, if poor, while the association if composed of the right kind, that will give its undivided support to an experienced secretary, is much the best for the track, the city, and all concerned.

Lexington, Ky., offers the best illustration of what a properly located and equipped race track and fair grounds can do for a city under the supervision of an association composed of the best business men who have the welfare of the city and the sport at heart and lend their help to a competent secretary who has the active management of affairs under his personal supervision at all times. The Kentucky Breeders' association was organized three years ago, when Lexington boasted a population of some 20,000, about one-half its present size, and the increase is due more to the efforts and success of the association than to all other interests combined. Two hundred and sixty shares of stock were issued at a face value of $100 per share to as many of Lexington's best citizens as could be induced to subscribe. Officials and directors were chosen from the stockholders, and, including the changes from time to time, have represented the leading commercial, financial and manufacturing interests of Lexington. They have always aimed to secure a secretary of recognized ability and experience, and have paid him liberally to devote his entire time to his official duties, never interfering with the details and looking only to the results of his labor. From the first an unwritten law has prevailed that no dividend should be paid on the capital invested. As the stock was scattered in small lots, this plan has never been a hardship to any one, and it has enabled the directors to enlarge the plant as increasing success demanded, inaugurate annual futurities and other rich stakes on broad and liberal plans that have in time become profitable in themselves. To-day the association stands at the head of the list from every standpoint. The grounds and buildings are worth over $100,000. Five times this sum invested in any other way would not begin to advertise Lexington and bring to the city as much outside money and trade as the Kentucky Breeders' association under past and present methods.

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AN EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIATION

A Branch to Be Formed in Peterborough at an Early Date

The Times is informed that a branch of the new Employers' Association is likely to be established in Peterborough. The Association is the outcome of organized labor, and is intended to unite the employers in order to deal with strikes and labor troubles of every kind.

It is claimed that such an association will protect the weaker employer, as it provides for arbitrating all differences, and effects peaceful settlements where possible. When unreasonable demands are made, and peaceful means of settlement do not prevail, the Association will give the employer all the assistance and protection in its power.

NEW CITY DAIRY COMPANY

Disposal of Stock Fulfils All Expectators

Company Expect to Commence with a Business of From 300 to 500 Gallons Daily

The directors of the newly-organised City Dairy Company, of Peterborough, report that the sale of stock in the new concern is so far eminently satisfactory.

Already a number of the largest milk producers and vendors are interested in the promotion of the company, and are prepared to hand over their business and goodwill. This would appear to ensure success from the outset. The company expects to commence operations with a business of from 300 to 500 gallons of bottled milk daily, apart from the supply of cream and fresh creamery butter.

The benefits which the company will be able to confer upon the consumer by the supply of milk, cool, sweet, and free from disease germs, unfortunately so prevalent in this product, should, we think, ensure a large patronage.

We have in mind a similar concern in one of the principle cities that has so gained the confidence and appreciation of the people, it had grown to be considered a real public benefit, and we have little doubt this present company will in a little while be held in similar esteem in Peterborough.

It is an undertaking worthy of the co-operation of townspeople. Many of the most fatal diseases are constantly being traced to the milk supplied by ordinary means, and there is little doubt the carelessness in handling milk is responsible for considerable disease and death especially among young children.

The new Dairy Company propose to secure its supply of milk from producers whose cows are given pure water, and properly fed and kept clean. The company's own vetinary surgeon will examine each cow, and all stables and surroundings will be kept and milking done according to rules laid down by the company, and under constant inspection.

Besides all this the vessels and bottles used will be sterilized by superheated steam, and the cans used by the producers for the purpose of delivering milk at the dairy will be washed, cleansed and sterilised by modern machinery.

The company is prepared to deal liberally with all local milk dealers who wish to sell their trade or join in with the concern, and judging by the interest evidenced and the patronage already given, we think it is safe to predict that the City Dairy Company will soon be in successful operation.

EQUITY INSURANCE COMPANY

Another Prosperous Year Indicated by the Annual Report

The Director's report of the Equity Fire Insurance Company, read at the fifth annual meeting of the Company, recently held in the Company's office, Toronto, shows a prosperous year just closed. The premium income has increased from $126,980 in 1901, to $175,231.74 in 1902, the net excess of income over expenditure being $25,406.73 out of which a dividend of six per cent. has been declared upon the paid up capital. The directors felt, also, that the results justified a two per cent. cash bonus to the shareholders. With the dividend and bonus paid there remains the very handsome sum of $21,406.79 out of the year's business to add to the reserve, which now stands at $66,860.18.

The President, in moving the adoption of the report said it was pleasant to note that prosperity was more general in the insurance field for 1902 than some time previously. Not only had they reason to congratulate all concerned upon the success that had attended their efforts during the past year, but they expected a substantial increase of business during 1903, and urged that the influence of the shareholders be exercised to contribute to this end.

The short history of the Equity Fire Insurance Company shows a record of splendid accomplishments and the Company is now well established in the confidence of the public. With the watchfulness in the selection of risks, that has characterized the company in the past, and the loyal support of the general staff, there is every reason to expect a still more gratifying report at the end of the present year.

SECOND DAYS SESSION Y.M.C.A. CONVENTION

Many Important Matters Discussed by Delegates Yesterday.

Thoughtful Paper by Mr. F. S. Goodman, New York, Upon a Topic of Vital Interest

There was a large attendance of delegates at the opening of the second day's session of the Y.M.C.A. convention in Murray street church yesterday morning. The meeting opened at 9 a.m., with a song service, ably conducted by Mr. H. M. Gilchrist, of Stratford. A pleasant feature of the programme was the half-hour devoted to introductions, each delegate giving his name and that of his Association.

The programme called for the Rev A. Orr, of Pittsburg, Pa., to conduct "An Hour With the Word of God," but that gentleman was unfortunately unable to attend, and the devotional services were conducted by Mr. C. M. Copeland, of Toronto. The text was taken from the 20th chapter of Acts, and many helpful, practical suggestions were drawn from the lesson.

Mr. A. L. Breithaupt, the newly elected president, took the chair at 10 o'clock. A telegram was read from Rev. Dr. Johnston, of London, regretting his inability to be present, after which the chairman announced the convention committees.

OPPORTUNITIES.

"Our Opportunity in View of Our Young Men," was the subject of a topic by Mr. F. S. Goodman, of New York. In the course of an interesting study of the religious meetings and personal and foreign work of the Ontario and Quebec Association, the speaker considered it significant that so much time should be given to religious work in the Convention. The work of the Y.M.C.A. was in a large and true sense religious, and time spent in this feature was very important since religion would have to do with the development of all the departments in their turn.

The Association was capable of greater spiritual force, and it was desirous that it take a greater grasp of religious work, to make Christian men and to develop their social, physical and intellectual forces in their best capacity to the glory of God, and the benefit of their fellows. The religious department was as the life blood circulating through the extremities of Y.M.C.A. work. The field was the membership, which in Ontario and Quebec amounted to 12,800 men. Of this it was approximately estimated that 65 per cent. were non-Christian and the remaining Christian, and that there were 25,000 men who though friendly to the Association were not members. The directly approachable field, therefore numbered about 40,000 men.

Work among the sailors, meetings in opera houses, goal meetings and the study of personal responsibility among those at present inactive were means towards the solution of this great problem.

The discussion was heartily entered into by the delegates.

The speaker then discussed the development of personal and organized Bible study in the Association, and said the four wheels of the Y.M.C.A. chariot were, Bible study, religious meetings, personal work, and missionary extension. The boards of managers, the secretaries, the committee men, and all workers of the Association were responsible in the duty of spreading the gospel in that field directly at hand. The meeting closed with prayer.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

There was a very large gathering at the afternoon session in Murray street church. Rev. Dr. Harris, of Toronto Bible Training School gave an interesting Bible Study.

The theme of the Reverend Doctor's discourse was the great portraits of Christ as drawn by the apostles in the three synoptical Gospels, Matthew, Mark and Luke. The four gospels are selections out of the great mass of matter provided by the life of Christ on earth, and he would write over the first page of each of the Gospels the following significant headings: Matthew, Sovereignity; Mark, Service; Luke, Sympathy; John, Salvation. Matthew presented Christ as the King; Mark, the Servant; Luke, the Son of Man, and John as the Son of God. It was necessary to take the first four Gospels to get the true character of Christ.

Concluding the Rev. doctor said the Bible proved to be inspired as much by what is not said, as by what is said. In its silence, as in its speech. It was an impressive address, full of helpful and instructive suggestions to Bible students.

The general Convention adjourned at 3 o'clock, that the delegates might attend the various parlor conferences.

The Directors' Conference, the students conference and the Railroad conference were held in the Murray street church and were presided by Messrs. Robert Kilgour, Toronto; R. J. Colville, Toronto, and N. D. McLeod, Ottawa, respectively.

The Physical Work Conference presided over by by Mr. J. E. Merritt, Montreal; the District Work, presided over by T. J. Wilkie, Toronto, and the Boys' Conference took place in the Association Building. A banquet was tendered to the delegates in the Association Building, commencing at .20 when several informal addresses were delivered.

EVENING SESSION.

The evening session was held in St. Paul's church. Again there was a large attendance of delegates. The meeting opened with song, after which Mr. Frank Yeigh, Toronto, was called upon to deal with the topic, "Our Opportunity in View of the Young Men on Ontario and Quebec."

The speaker spoke with authority upon a theme with which he appeared most familiar. It was important that their best efforts should be brought into service to the bringing into the ranks the needy young men.

An interesting discussion followed.

The next speaker was Mr. John Penman, Paris., Ont., who dealt ably with the question "What have we Done in View of Our Opportunities." He reviewed what was at present being done by the Association, and invited suggestions for future aid.

Mr. F. S. Goodman, New York, dealt with the topic: "Conditions Essential to Making the most of our Opportunities," which was productive of many useful suggestions for obtaining the best possible results from the Association Work.

The meeting adjourned with prayer.

HIS BACK BROKEN

Deseronto Man Named Blatchford Struck by a Freight Train

Deseronto, Ont., Feb. 3.—About 6.20 last night a man, named Blatchford, about 56 years of age, was struck by a G.T.R. engine at Deseronto Junction and had his back broken and head badly cut. He was walking on the track at the west end of the yard, and in getting off one track to save himself from an approaching train, he got in front of a freight train moving slowly in the opposite direction. He was sent to the Kingston General Hospital this morning.

RELICS OF PAARDEBERG

Chamberlain Views the Scene of the Great Battle

London, Feb. 3.—The Times has a despatch from Paardeberg saying that Mr. Chamberlain arrived in that South African city on Saturday and spent two nights in an encampment pitched near the scene of Cronje's surrender. Very few landmarks of the battlefield have been effaced. Some of the trenches are becoming filled, but the debris, such as burned wagons and bleached bones of animals, still bear witness to the long resistance of the Boers. Two more Boer rifles were discovered in the river bed, and bullets and cartridge cases and shells abound.

The Marvellous Agent That Brings Happiness and Joy to Sad Homes

Paine's Celery Compound

Full of Virtue and Power Saves Life When Everything Else Fails

Fathers, mothers, brothers and sisters should all be interested in making home happy and joyous. Home cannot be a bright spot while some loved one is laid low by disease and suffering. Too often, the efforts of physicians are vain and fruitless, and the iron hand of death snatches away some loved one, and we are left to mourn.

Today, thank Heaven, there is a strong and mighty helper that we can bring into our homes for the rescuing of our loved ones. It is Paine's Celery Compound, the precious prescription of one of the noblest physicians that ever lived. No living mortal can form an estimate of the blessings that Paine's Celery Compound has carried into the dwellings of our country. It has revived spent hopes, banished tears, brought smiles to the faces of sad ones, because it has saved lives at the eleventh hour. Thousands of bright, strong and thankful letters of testimony continually pour in, telling of perfect restoration to health after years of suffering. Mrs. J. Valliere, Dorchester St., Montreal, says:

"I think it my duty to advise you of what Paine's Celery Compound has done for me. I was terribly inflicted with inflammatory rheumatism. I tried a vast variety of medicines, but all proved failures; I also spent much money with doctors, but never got any relief. I took the advice of a friend and used four bottles of Paine's Celery Compound, with the result that I am now perfectly cured. I think it the best remedy in the world."

THE GERMANS ARE VERY ANGRY, ARE MUCH INFLAMED AGAINST AMERICANS

"Insolence of the United States is Resented—Official Views are More Hopeful.

REAL GERMAN OPINION

Anglo German and Anglo-American Relations had been Gravely Compromised

London, Feb. 6—The Berlin correspondent of The Times says that a feeling of relief was caused by the news that has been received at the German capital from Washington during the past two days. It was felt since the recall of Ambassador Von Holleben that German policy with reference to German-American Anglo-German and Anglo-American relations had been gravely compromised but now it is hoped that Count Von Sternberg will save the situation by showing at some critical juncture a slightly more accommodating temper than Ambassador Herbert.

Real German Opinion.

The real opinion of German influential circles may be gathered from papers like the Kreuz Zeitung and the Tagliche Rundschau. The latter publishes "from a valued correspondent," a communication confirming that newspaper's opinion that "the insolence of the United States of America, fostered by the inexhaustible complaisance of Europe, has reached a pitch which is simply unbearable."

Canada's Part in South African War

Ottawa, Feb. 6—A supplementary report has been issued by the Militia Department, giving the details of the organization and despatch to South Africa, of the Canadian Division, South African Constabularly, the second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth regiments, C.M.R., and the 10th Field Hospital, and the services rendered by these corps while in the field, including the 3rd Batallion, R.C.R., which relieved the Leinster Regiment at Halifax. Canada raised clothed, equipped, and paid a force of 8 373 men of all ranks at a total cost of $2,830,965. The expenditure on the contingents was $1,996,867, whilst the sum of $834,097 was paid out in connection with the Third Special Service Batallion at Halifax. Of the total force of 7,368 that went to South Africa, 224 died and 252 were wounded. The number of killed was 63. Thirty-one died of wounds, 127 succumbed to disease, one drowned and two reported missing.

THE WORKINGMEN'S EDUCATION MOVEMENT

Lecture to be Delivered Under the Auspices of Trades and Labor Council

All right thinking men should aid the workingman in their present campaign of education. The labor movement has forged its way through many successes and many reverses to a higher plane than ever before. The coming lecture in the Opera House on Friday, February 13th., ought to be largely attended by all those who have the good of the toiling masses at heart, as well as by those who feel the necessity of finding some way to stop the conflict between capital and labor which has done so much damage in both England and America. The lecture will not be merely a defence of labor, but a careful and impartial examination of the whole field, as it is at present, of both capital and labor. These meetings are being held in all countries just now in connection with the workingmen's education movement. As it is the firm conviction of all moderate-minded men that education is the solution of the differences between capital and labor the general public will do well to encourage the workingmen by being present. It has been only too true heretofore that the well-to-do have failed to interest themselves in the movements of labor, apparently siding with capital as against labor. A chance has now arisen in this conciliatory attitude of the workingmen, who are inviting rational discussion of the question and a sympathetic interest, for the public at large to show that they are in earnest in their desire to do the fair thing by both parties. If in the future which is now making for order becomes disorder and chaos it will be due to the apathy of the general public quite as much as to anything else. The workingmen invite both men and women to be present and every effort will be made to make the discussion of a great question both interesting and profitable.

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Will act, not so much directly upon the nerves as upon the digestive functions and the abundant formation of red vitalizing blood. Nerves can't be fed on medicine. They can, however, be restored and strengthened by assimilated food. The marvelous action of Ferrozone arises from its action over the digestive and assimilative processes. When you take Ferrozone the blood is purified, strengthened, and grows rich and red. Then you grow vigorous, healthy and beautiful, ready for work, because you have the strength to do it. No tonic for the brain, blood or nerves compares with Ferrozone. Price 50c., at Druggists, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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SUNDAY SERVICES

List of Those Who will Fill the Pulpit in the Different Churches on Sunday

St. Paul's Presbyterian—11 a.m., C. M. Copland, Provincial Secretary, Toronto.

George street Methodist—A. B. Williams, New York International College Secretary; 7 p.m., C. K. Ober, editor Association Man.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian —7 p. m. D. E. McGregor, Varsity, Toronto, and A B. McWilliams.

Charlotte street Methodist —John P. McPherson, B.A., Inter-Provincial College Secretary, Toronto., Ont. 7 p.m., George Irving B.A, General Secretary Y.M.C.A.

Murray Street Baptist—7 p.m., C. K Calhoun, Asst. Secretary, Montreal.

Park Street Baptist—11 a.m., J. E. Merritt, Physical Director, Montreal, 7 p.m., R. J Colville, Railway Secretary formerly of Peterborough.

Mark street Methodist—11 a.m. J W Hopkins, Secretary, Woodstock, 7 p.m. H. H. Distin, Secretary Quebec.

Bethel Methodist church—3 p.m., J. T. Hem, Secretary Midland.

St. Paul's Mission—Geo. Elliott, Secretary, Berlin. 7 p.m., E. Peel, of Lindsay.

Boys' Meeting at 4 p.m.—C. K Calhoun will preside; Norman D. MacLeod, Boy Secretary, Ottawa, will speak.

Men's Meeting, Opera House, 4 p.m., F. S. Goodwin International Com., New York.

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General - Sports

HOCKEY.

Girls at Port Perry.

Port Perry, Feb. 7—A very interesting game of hockey was played here last night between Blues and Reds, Girls' Hockey Clubs. The score was 1 to 0 in favor of the Reds.

The Quakers have challenged the Jewellers for a game of hockey.

The following players will represent the Ontario Bank in their match with the Imperial Bank of Toronto tonight on the Brock street rink:—Goal, Sawers; point, Hollingshead; cover-point, H. Armstrong; forwards, Ferguson, Bloomfield, R. Armstrong and Macfarlane. Mr. J. T McCabe will referee.

Keene and Norwood will battle for supremacy of their district in the T.V. League on Monday night. The game in Norwood last week was won by Norwood and made both teams a tie. The game was ordered to be played off here.

THE TURF.

—Looking Glass and Commodore K won in straight heats at the Ottawa ice races.

SKATING.

Having secured the championship of Peterborough by his victory over W. Jackson, that sterling young skater, Oliver Dusty, is looking for bigger game. He not only is prepared to protect his present title, but issues a challenge to any skater for the right to hold the championship of Ontario and will support his challenge to any reasonable amount. This time he prefers to increase the racing distance to two miles. We hope his challenge may be accepted and the local lad receive the honor he covets.

FROM COAST TO COAST

The Fame of Dr. Clarke's Wonderful Pills Spreading

Editor of the Morning Times:

Sir,—At the request of the makers, I cheerfully furnish the following statement in the hope that others like myself may be cured. I was a lifelong sufferer from rheumatism and stomach troubles and was a total wreck. Nothing did me any good until I tried Dr. Clarke's Little Red Pills, and, thank God, I am now almost well, after taking only six boxes. They undoubtedly saved my life. Clara E. Humphrey, Victoria avenue, Halifax, N.S.

R. F. Henry, Vancouver, writes: Dr. Clarke's Wonderful Little Red Pills have worked a marvel in my case. I was unable to walk with paralysis and rheumatism, and am now entirely well. These marvellous pills have done what no doctor or medicine could do.

Dr. Clarke's Little Red Pills are a positive and certain cure for rheumatism, asthma, paralysis, coughs, lame back, indigestion, all stomach and liver troubles, female complaints, even when the diseases have been standing for many years; the most stubborn cases will yield. Sold by Ormond & Walsh, Peterborough, price 50c. per box.

The Future Foretold.

A visitor to Richmond overheard the following conversation between his hostess and the cook.

"Please, Mis' Gawdee, may I git off nex' Sunday to go to the fun'ral of a friend of mine?"

"Next Sunday? Why, Eliza, this is only Monday—they wouldn't put a funeral off for a week!"

"Yas'm"—respectfully—"but dey has to, 'cause he ain't dead yit."

"Not dead! I am positively ashamed of you! How can you be so heartless as to arrange to attend the funeral of a man who is still living? Why, he may not die at all!"

"Yas'm, but he will; dey ain't no hope."

"It is impossible to say that, Eliza; the best doctors are often mistaken. But, even if they do know a case to be hopeless, they cannot predict the exact time of a man's death with such a certainty that the funeral can be arranged so long beforehand."

"Yas'm"—with calm assurance—"but he will be buried nex' Sunday for all dat, cause he's goin' to be hung on Friday."

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NERVOUSNESS

Or despondency caused by weak unhealthy nerves, are responsible for more sickness and [illegible] than any other disease. If you have a secret drain from early abuse, later excesses or exposure, you cannot expect healthy nerves while your vitality is being wasted. Do not go through life a miserable outcast on account of your follies, you are not safe until cured—disease never cures—no matter how young, old or innocent one may be.

KIDNEYS AND BLADDER.

Have you pain in the back, a dull feeling in the region of the kidneys? At times your water comes freely, a large quantity light in color, while at other times you do not make a quarter as freely, it is dark in color, you make a small quantity, or you may have a mucous deposit or brick dust colored sediment; give your condition immediate attention or more serious complications will set in. My treatment guaranteed as a positive cure for such conditions, and remember you

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Morning Times

The paper is the only Morning Daily published between Toronto and Ottawa and is largely read throughout Eastern Ontario.

Strangers visiting Peterborough are cordially invited to make their headquarters at the Times Office, where they will be provided with writing material.

The Times is a member of the Associated Press and receives telegraphic news each morning up to four o'clock.

The Times will be sent to subscribers in the district at 25c per month, and to outside points at $3 per year strictly in advance.

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PETERBOROUGH, FEB. 7, 1903.

COUNTY OR DISTRICT AUCTION SALES

In many districts of Great Britain auction sales of live stock have been held annually for years. Large numbers of pure-bred animals for breeding purposes have been marketed in this way, besides many "store" cattle and other animals. In several provinces of the Dominion, provincial sales of this kind have been established with satisfactory results, and have created a feeling in favor of county or district sales. There are hundreds of farmers throughout Canada who raise yearly from one to four good breeding males, and perhaps a few females. Many of these men understand the *principles of stock breeding*, and have from time to time bred noted show yard specimens. Yet the progress and profits of these men has been greatly hampered because of their inability to sell their surplus stock promptly. In some years they have been able to sell; in other years they have had to keep a number of animals longer than their means of feeding warranted. On the other hand, many farmers desire to obtain suitable breeding males, but do not know where to buy what they require at a reasonable price. The cost of travelling from place to place in search of suitable animals deters them from purchasing at all.

With the idea of bringing buyers and sellers into touch with each other, a number of breeders of pure bred cattle in Durham, Northumberland and adjacent counties, last year formed the "Central Ontario Pure Bred Stock Association," and started a series of annual auction sales. Their initial sales was fairly satisfactory, and they are now arranging for their second sale, which is to take place at Campbellcroft, on 18th of March next, with J. W. Martyn, of Canton, as President, and W. B. Campbell, of Campbellcroft, as Secretary of the Association.

There are many other counties and districts which would find it beneficial to inaugurate sales of this kind, and as a guide to breeders interested in the subject, the rules governing the Central Ontario sale are given below;

1. A committe of three will be appointed to inspect entries, value same, confer with contributors, and reserve the right to either withdraw from sale or accept the bid offered.
2. All animals must be registered in their respective herd books.
3. Each animal must be in good condition and well halter broken.
4. All entries must be made with the Secretary on or before Wednesday, February 18th, 1903.
5. An entrance fee of $2.00 to accompany each entry, same to be returned if animal is sold.
6. A charge of 3 per cent. on the sale price will be made to cover expenses of sale.
7. All entries to be in place not later than 11 a.m. on the day of sale, to be numbered for sale, and for inspection of intending purchasers.
8. Each animal when sold becomes the property of the purchaser.
9. Terms of sale, cash.
10. All settlements to be made with the Clerk on day of sale.

OLD TIME LUMBERING

Four Hundred Sticks of Square Timber Cut Near Town

Four hundred pieces of square timber will be shipped in a few days to Belleville and thence rafted to Quebec where it will be sent to England. The timber was purchased standing, on the farm of the late Capt. Wallis, about two miles west of the town, and on the Tyndell farm at Chemong Lake.

Mr. Matthew Doody, of Cobourg, purchased the trees which have been manufactured into square timber. The sticks are from 20 to 60 feet in length, and remind one of the days 30 or 40 years ago, when rafts of the same class of timber were floated down the Otonabee. This is probably the last of the giants of the forests to be found in these parts.

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IT SPEAKS FOR ITSELF

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Editor of the Morning Times;

Sir,—I have been a sufferer for 10 years from rheumatism. Tried everything and got no relief. Six boxes of Dr. Clarke's Wonderful Little Red Pills made me as well as ever. I write this solely that others may get relief. James Goodfellow, Ste. St. Marie.

F. H. Yates, Millbank, Ont., writes Tried different remedies for stomach trouble without relief. Three boxes of Dr. Clarke's Wonderful Little Red Pills have cured me.

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Dr. Clarke's Sure Cure for Catarrh and Dr. Clarke's Sure Cure for Eczema, same price $500 will be paid for any case that it will not permanently cure.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

The Annual Meeting—Very Favorable Reports Made

The annual meeting of St. Andrew's church took place on Wednesday evening, and was presided over by Rev. J. G. Potter, pastor of the church.

The report of the session showed that on December 31st there was a membership of 378, 62 being added to the church during the year. Seven were removed by death, and 17 by departure from town. There were 23 baptisms during the year—three adults and 20 children.

The Sunday school report showed 280 on roll. Total receipts $184.32.

The Ladies' Aid Society had a very successful year. Total receipts $212.87, and a small balance on hand.

The W.F.M.S. had also a good year's work to report. Membership 52. Total income $106.

The Mission Band showed a membership of 54, and income $41.13.

The Y.P.S.C.E. had a membership of 50, and was doing good work.

The Young Men's Guild had a very successful year. Membership 45. Total receipts $640.59; expenditure $559.

The Boys' Guild and Willing Workers also had favorable reports.

The Board of Managers reported a reduction of the church debt $350.

The financial statement showed receipts of general account to have been $2,965.86, and the surplus, $5.28. The property account receipts were $840, of which $455.79 was transferred to general account. The Missions Account receipts were $559.91, of which $250.00 was remitted Dr. Warden, and $309.91 was for allocation. The total indebtedness was shown to be $691.68. The amount contributed to Cordova Mission was $65.71.

On motion Mr. Lloyd was appointed on the Board of Managers in place of Mr. Graham, who has removed from town, and Messrs. Tully and Thompson were re-appointed.

Rev. J. G. Potter was appointed the representative on the Nichols Hospital Board.

Rev. Mr. Potter said it would undoubtedly inspire confidence in the congregation to know that no hospital in Canada to-day was so well equipped, and none in which there existed such pains-taking and loving interest and care.

Mr. Fowler was appointed to represent the church on the Central Charity Board.

The matter of increasing the seating capacity of the church was discussed and referred to the consideration of a committee. The erection of a gallery was proposed.

A vote of thanks was tendered the Ladies' Aid for the splendid work accomplished during the year.

Refreshments were served by the ladies at the close of the business meeting.

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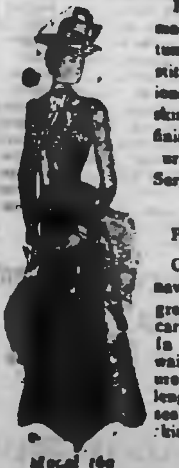

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THE EQUITY

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The Fifth Annual Meeting of the above Company was held yesterday at the Company's Head Office, 24 King street west, Toronto, with a good attendance.

DIRECTORS' REPORT.

Your Directors beg to present herewith the Fifth Annual Statement, representing the Company's financial standing for the year ending December 31st, 1902, as attested by the Auditors.

Your attention is called to the satisfactory increase of premium income from $126,960.93 in 1901, to $175,281.74 in 1902, the net excess of income over expenditure being $25,406.79, out of which a dividend of 6 per cent. has been declared upon the paid-up capital. Your Directors felt also that results justified a 2 per cent. cash bonus to the Shareholders.

With the dividend and bonus paid, there remains the very handsome sum of $21,406.79 out of the year's business to add to Reserve, which now stands at $55,250.18. Upon the excellent results attained, all interested, we think, may well be congratulated.

Several changes were necessitated by the retirement of Mr. Campbell. In pursuance of the powers vested in them, your Board filled the vacancies by the election of Mr. Thomas Crawford, M.P.P., as President, Mr. C. VanNorman as Vice-President and Mr. W. Vandusen as a member of the Board.

The term for which the Auditors and Directors were elected now expires. They are eligible for re-election.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

THOMAS CRAWFORD.
President.

REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1902.

To premium income...	$172,295 72	By reinsurances and cancellations...	$ 46,955 01
To interest...	2,986 02	By commission...	23,639 00
		By general expenses...	22,888 11
		By fire losses and adjustment...	56,392 83
		By balance to profit and loss...	25,406 79
	$175,281 74		$175,281 74

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

To net revenue, Dec. 31st, 1901...	$ 33,843 39	By dividend No. 3 (6 p.c.) ...	$ 3,000 00
To net revenue balance 1902...	25,406 79	By cash bonus (2 p.c.) ...	1,000 00
		By accumulated reserve fund...	55,250 18
	$ 59,250 18		$ 59,250 18

BALANCE SHEET.

To capital stock, liable to call...	$450,000 00	By capital stock subscribed	$500,000 00
To mortgages and debentures...	73,261 92	By dividend No. 3 (paid in Jan.) ...	3,000 00
To plans, furniture and supplies...	4,864 63	By cash bonus (2 p.c.)...	1,000 00
To premiums outstanding...	13,875 57	By fire losses unpaid...	2,801 45
To cash in bank and on hand...	24,027 80	By sundry accounts...	5,862 66
To sundry accounts...	1,904 37	By accumulated reserve ...	55,250 18
	$567,914 29		$567,914 29

This is to certify that we have maintained a continuing audit of the books, and examined all vouchers and securities of The Equity Fire Insurance Company for the year ending 31st December, 1902, and find they have been correctly kept and are truly set forth in the above statements.

C. E. ARNOLDI,
FRED ROPER,
Auditors.

Toronto, January 31st, 1903.

The President, in rising to move the adoption of the Report, said:—From the Report just read it will be observed that the Company has enjoyed another prosperous year. It is pleasant to note also that prosperity was more general in the Canadian insurance field for 1902 than for some time previously. This, no doubt, will strengthen confidence in the business. The Shareholders, Agents, and all interested in the Company have reason, in the Report before you, to take pride in its progress and management. 20 per cent. of Surplus earnings upon the net business of the year does not leave room for adverse criticism. Our ratio of increase has been quite satisfactory though we have not secured the large volume of business which might have been secured, our policy being to increase moderately, and carefully. The value of this, we trust, the future will further disclose.

To realise, however, what this Company has accomplished, let it be remembered that it started into business in 1898 with $12,000, passed through a conflagration in 1900, and stood at December 31st, 1902, with $105,250.18 over and above and $450,000 unpaid Subscribed Capital. Besides this, we have paid to Shareholders in that period $7,750.00 in Dividends and Bonus. It will be seen, therefore, that there has been produced out of the earnings of the Company roundly $63,000, or an average of $12,600 per annum. Out of this $63,000 we paid off Organisation expenses, 15 1-2 per cent. dividends, and at the end of the year just closed $55,250.18 of an Accumulated Reserve.

To protect the Capital as well as the Policyholders, it is absolutely necessary to maintain a strong reserve against the time of excessive fire losses. This is the first essential. While we are undoubtedly in the position at the present time of transferring every liability of the Company without a dollar of cost to the Shareholders, we aim to make our Reserve come up to the high standard set by the Insurance Department.

We have, as you are aware, paid a Dividend of 6 per cent., which may be regarded as a good return upon Capital. The Directors thought, however, the favorable results of the year justified an additional 2 per cent. to the Shareholders.

As for the Policy-holders, we close the year with security to them as follows:—

Capital paid-up...	$ 50,000 00
Uncalled Subscribed Capital...	450,000 00
Accumulated Reserve Fund...	55,250 18
Total...	$555,250 18

I trust the Company is now so well established in the confidence of the public that with continued watchfulness in the selection of risks and in the exercise of judicious economy, the future business will not only continue to be characterised by eminent satisfaction to assurants, but will permit the most gratifying returns to Shareholders.

We expect the business of 1903 to show a substantial increase. The influence of the Shareholders can and should contribute very materially to this end. Increased burden and responsibility is laid upon the Management and Staff, the Directors and Auditors. We look to the loyalty of the Agents. Their support is indispensable. They, and all those contributing to the excellent showing in the Report placed before you to-day, certainly deserve credit.

I have much pleasure in moving the adoption of the Report.

The Board of Directors for the ensuing year are:—

Thos. Crawford, Esq., M.P.P., Toronto, President; C. C. VanNorman, Esq., Toronto, Vice-President; Stephen Noxon, Esq., Ingersoll; His Honor Judge Morgan, Toronto; Wm. Hendrie, Jr., Esq., Hamilton; David Carlisle, Esq., J.P., Toronto; W. H. Biggar, Esq., K.C., Montreal; H. E. Irwin, Esq. K.C., Toronto; Alex. MacLaren, M.P., Stratford; C. H. Elliott, London; W. Vandusen, Esq., Toronto.

W. GREENWOOD BROWN,
General Manager and Secretary.

Toronto, February 4th, 1903.

—*NEW*—

Telephone Directory

The Bell Telephone Co. of Canada will issue a new

Subscribers' Directory

or the District of Eastern Ontario, including the City of Peterborough, early in January, 1903. Orders for new connections, changes of firm names, etc., should be placed at once to insure appearance in this book.

F. W. DOAN,
Local Manager.

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vor in the world," he said. "Will you give me Hilda?"

Lady Ethel looked at him, startled. The quick tears sprang to her dark eyes. She looked at him, half vexed.

"So soon?" she said. "Why, I have only just found her myself."

Then Hilda blushed crimson, and slipped her hand caressingly through her mother's arm.

"Mamma," she said, "do not be angry with Cecil. It is all my fault. I allowed him to ask you. I thought as Sir Wilfred had taken you from me——"

She stopped just there, for every one was laughing.

Lady Ethel colored vividly, then said resignedly:

"I see how it is. You may take her, Cecil."

"You brought roses from the lake, instead of lilies," Lady Leigh said, mischievously, to Hilda, as she kissed her glowing cheek.

Then they went to the earl in his large, airy chamber, where his wound still confined him. The ladies all took turns in amusing him. Mrs. Courtenaye was reading to him now, while Margery fanned him.

"My lord," said Cecil, demurely, "I have changed my mind. I am willing to marry your granddaughter."

The worn, white face of the old man flushed with pleasure. He said, quickly:

"I am very glad to hear it, Cecil. You have given me the desire of my heart."

"And mine," said Mrs. Courtenaye, giving Hilda a very motherly kiss.

The earl lived several years longer—long enough to see Lady Ethel and Hilda both married; then one quiet summer evening they found him sitting in his chair with a calm, happy smile on his lips, like one dreaming; in his peaceful slumber his soul had gone away from him to the better land.

Hilda made a very noble and beautiful wife to the new earl of Devon. She was very happy and blessed in the love of her devoted husband. When a little son came to her she called him Guy, in tender memory of her own young father, who had died before she was born.

Lady Ethel Hale was very fond of her little grandson. Every one remarked her devotion to the child, but no one guessed how many hours she spent alone with the little one, fondly tracing, in his infantile features, fancied resemblances to her first husband. Hilda was wholly like her mother, but Hilda's son grew very like the pictured face of the handsome young man in the pearl-studded locket Lady Ethel always wore on her breast. She looked at the picture often; she kissed it when it had first been given back to her by Hilda. Sir Wilfred was not jealous of her love for the dead. He loved her with the devotion of a life-time, and she made him very happy, but he knew, for she had told him so, before she had given herself to him, that half her heart was buried in Guy Aylesford's grave.

The End.

NOT OVER YET

Morocco's Sultan Still Has Trouble on Hand

London, Feb. 4—The 'Times' Tangier correspondent reports that the Sultan's victory over the Pretender appears to have been exaggerated. Only thirty heads and eighty-five prisoners have reached Fez so far. Although this may check the rebellion, it by no means implies that the affair is finished.

Ambassador Must Explain

Constantinople, Feb. 4—The Turkish Ambassador at Paris, Salie Munir, Bey, has been summoned here to explain the attitude of France in regard to Macedonia.

Spanish Labor Men Violent

Barcelona, Feb. 4—A meeting of representatives of twenty-three trades today voted in favor of a general strike in support of the strikers at Reus. Violent speeches were made, urging the workmen to be in readiness to destroy authority, pillage, and launch a social revolution. The authorities are preparing for trouble.

Canada's Oldest Woman Dead

Stratford, Feb. 3—Mrs. Mary Ann Mills, aged 115 years, said to have been the oldest woman in Canada, died at her home in Blanchard Township last evening. She was born in Fermanagh, Ireland, and up to a few months ago was quite active and bright. She has been a widow for fifty years. Seven of a family survive.

Art Photography.

The new art photography is very attractive and a boon to the homely girl for which she will be eternally grateful, but it has its disadvantages. A man discovered the latter fact about a month ago, when he received the photograph of a beautiful creature whom he did not in the least recognize. He examined the likeness that was not a likeness by daylight, by gaslight and by the ghastly glare of an arc light. He looked at the handwriting on the cover, and it conveyed not an idea to his stupid masculine head. Then he gave it up.

"Blest if I know who it is," said he to himself, "but if I ever meet her my bachelor days are over, sure, for she's the prettiest thing ever."

Just last week after he'd cherished the photo of his unknown admirer for a good fortnight, he met his second cousin on the street.

Now, his second cousin is a very amiable young woman, but she isn't in the way of being beautiful, and when she greeted him with—

"Well, Fritz, why haven't you acknowledged the photograph I was good enough to send you?" the man was staggered.

"I never received it, that's why," said he. "I'd love to have a likeness of you, Mab, but you've never sent me one."

"I have sent you one, nearly a month ago, taken in my bridesmaid's gown and with a big chiffon hat on. Now, don't tell me you never received it, for I'm sure you did, and have forgotten."

"Was that you?" exclaimed the man, and then he felt that this was among the things better left unsaid, and he weakly hedged.

"'Course I got it," said he. "I just wanted to jolly you a bit. Splendid of you, too."

"What did the man do to her?" he asked his sister half an hour later. "I declare to you I'd never recognize her in the world."

"Well, he drew a line down her nose to make it look less—er—well, less retrousse," replied that world-wise young lady, "and he curved her mouth with rouge, and made her eyes larger in the negative, and really I think it's a very creditable work of art. I'm going to him myself."

The man didn't say a word, but he made up his mind to something, and now when people show him a photograph of "my lovely niece down South," or "my sister, who's the beauty of Denver," he glances at it cursorily and then he says gently, "It's a very pretty picture, but I should like to see the original."

FARM JOYS

I've heard about the men who make
  A million in a day
A-buyin' stocks or sellin' 'em
  Or any other way.
I've heard about their habits,
  And so far's I can see,
A life down on the ole farm
  Is good 'nough for me.
Them fellers who in cities live
  No doubt would think me slow,
Well, if I am, I'm satisfied
  That none of 'em can know
The 'mount of solid comfort
  A feller gets in life
Who's miles away from any kind
  Of worry, care or strife.
I'm just eighteen, but you can bet
  I know what I'm about—
The wealth is here, and all you have
  To do is "dig" it out.
And the singin' of the robins,
  As they hop from twig to twig,
Just makes a feller really feel
  He rather wants to "dig."
And the more I hear tell about it,
  The plainer 'tis to see,
That life down on the old farm
  Is good 'nough for me.

—J. B. Dignam.

Experiments show that a frog deprived of his brains will live and eat and pursue existence in a sort of automatic manner.

Nearly one-half of the ships sold by England in 1899 were built before 1886, and more than three-fifths were built before 1891.

There is plenty of money throughout Northern Brazil. Para is a city of great thrift and enterprise, and is enjoying prosperity.

The output of oil in California has increased from 1,245,339 barrels in 1895 to 2,292,123 barrels in 1899. The output for 1900 will be much larger.

A west Australian exploring party that recently arrived at Oodnadata reported that there had not been a drop of rain for two years in the region traversed.

The ice business in Costa Rica is small. There are factories in San Jose, Port Limon and Punta Arenas, and several smaller towns are supplied from these.

Aden, Arabia, Feb. 4—The North German Lloyd steamer Freisburg, from Hamburg, January 8, for ports of China and Japan, is ashore near Mocha, Arabia. It is expected she will be re-floated.

London, Feb. 4—King Edward is still confined to his apartments at Windsor Castle, but his progress is perfectly satisfactory.

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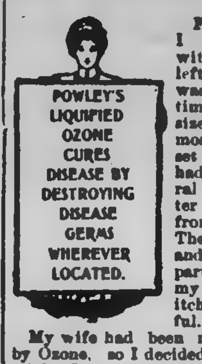

For twenty years I was troubled with eczema in my left leg. My leg was swollen three times its natural size and apparently mortification had set in. The skin had broken in several places and matter was oozing from the ulcers. The leg was black and rawish-red in parts right up to my hip and the itching was frightful.

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M. Lever, 19 St. Vincent st., Toronto, blood disorder.
J. W. Brown, 30 Alexander st., Toronto, skin disease.
Miss Crew, 346 Van Horn st., Toronto, blood poisoning from ivy.
Miss Edythe Cooper, Cornwall, Ont., scrofula.
Rodger Pilson, Downsview P.O., eczema.
Herbert Cookman, Huntsville, Ont., running sore.
Mrs. Ellen Smith, 21 St. Andre street, Montreal, eczema.
P. Trompe, 351 Panet st., Montreal, painful boils.
Vincent O'Neil, 108 Mitchell ave., Toronto, eczema.
Mrs. Wm. Stevenson, 73 Laughton ave., Toronto Junction, Ont., skin disease.
Mrs. F. Southorpe, 72 Cobourg st., Ottawa, Ont., eczema.
C. Hagens, 94 Anderson st., Montreal, running sore.
W. Dorsey, 27 Sultan street, Toronto, eczema.
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THE BYE-ELECTIONS

North York and Centre Bruce Perhaps on the 26th

Toronto, Feb. 4. It is probable that the writs for the North York, and Centre Bruce bye-elections will be issued in a few days, or as soon as the Judges' reports in connection with the disposal of the cases have been received. While no date has actually been fixed, it would not be surprising if polling day will be during the last week in February, perhaps on Thursday, the 26th.

—Dr. and Mrs. Willis who have been residing with Mrs. Wm. Scott, Water street, for some time, leave town this morning for the balance of the winter. Mrs. Willis goes to Sherbrooke, Que., while the doctor will go to Savannah, Georgia. Later on Mrs. Willis will be joined at Sherbrooke by her sister, Mrs. Lucke, of [illegible]. They will visit Washington. Their many friends in Peterborough will wish them safe return next summer to their beautiful lodge on the Otonabee River.

HIS BACK BROKEN

Deseronto Man Named Blatchford Struck by a Freight Train

Deseronto, Ont., Feb. 3.—About 6.30 last night a man named Blatchford, about 68 years of age, was struck by a G.T.R. engine at Deseronto Junction and had his back broken and head badly cut. He was walking on the track at the west end of the yard, and in getting off one track to save himself from an approaching train, he got in front of a freight train moving slowly in the opposite direction. He was sent to the Kingston General Hospital this morning.

RELICS OF PAARDEBERG

Chamberlain Views the Scene of the Great Battle

London, Feb. 3—The Times has a despatch from Paardeberg saying that Mr. Chamberlain arrived in that South African city on Saturday and spent two nights in an encampment pitched near the scene of Cronje's surrender. Very few landmarks of the battlefield have been effaced. Some of the trenches are becoming filled, but the debris, such as burned wagons and bleached bones of animals, still bear witness to the long resistance of the Boers. Two more Boer rifles were discovered in the river bed, and bullets and cartridge cases and shells abound.

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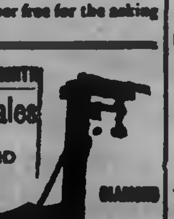

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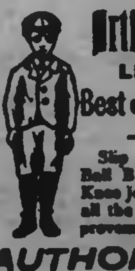

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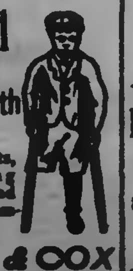

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A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.: Columbia National Bank, Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 23, 1903.

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Very respectfully, C. A. SALISBURY, Manager.

A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.: Buffalo, Jan. 26th, 1903.

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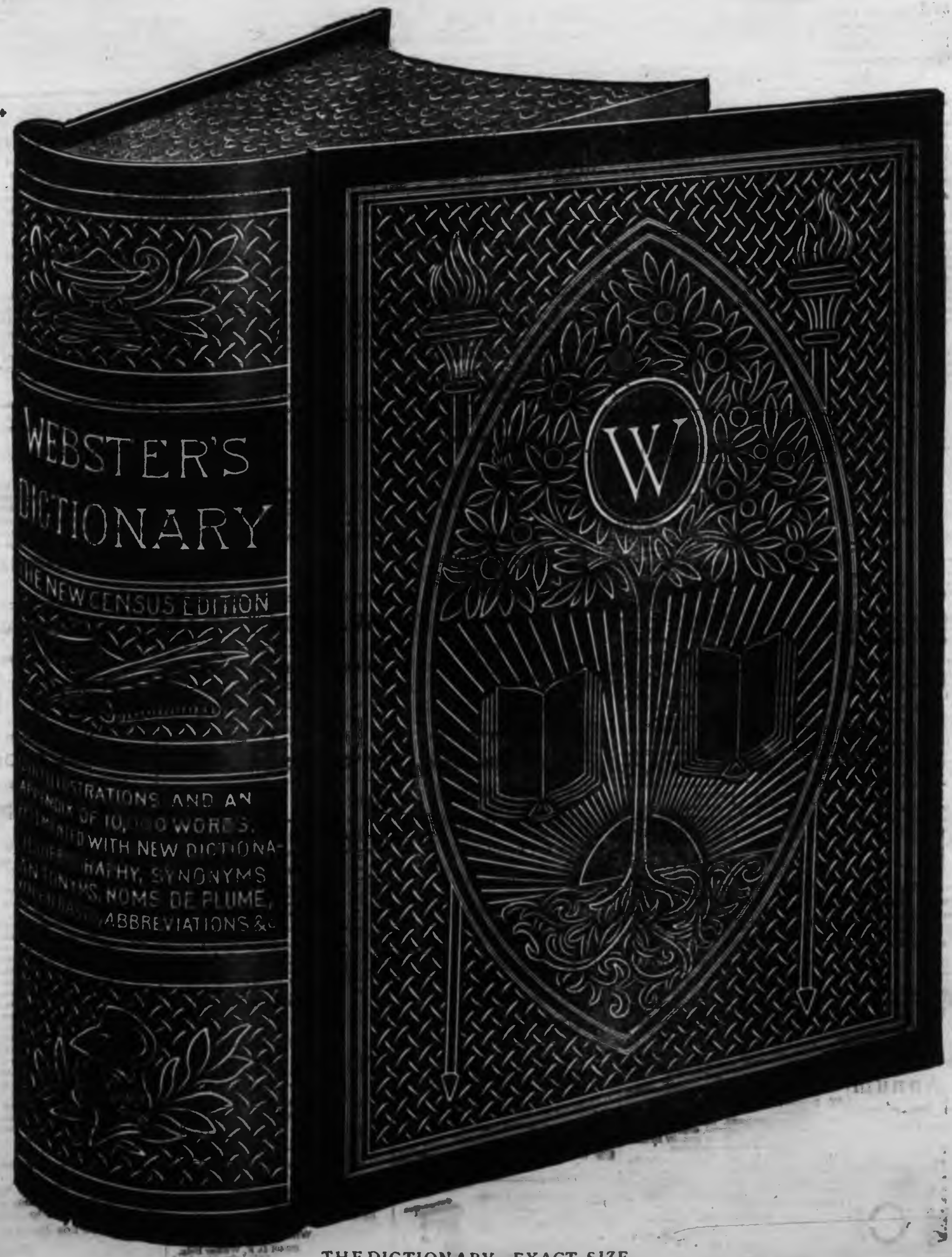
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Daily Nevada State Journal, January 4, 1903.

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Dressed hogs, per cwt.	[illegible]
Pork by the quarter, per lb.	[illegible]
Lard	13 to 14
Chickens, per pair	[illegible]
Ducks, per pair	[illegible]
Geese, each	[illegible]
Turkeys, each	[illegible]
Butter, roll, per lb.	[illegible]
Butter, crock	[illegible]
Eggs, per doz.	[illegible]
Hay, per ton	[illegible]
LIVE STOCK	
Cattle, choice butchers' (steers, exporters and heifers)	[illegible]
Medium butchers' (steers and heifers)	[illegible]
Light cattle and cows	[illegible]
Feeders	[illegible]
Stockers	[illegible]
Hogs, select	[illegible]
Fats and heavies	[illegible]
Lights	[illegible]
Sows	[illegible]
Stags	[illegible]
Sheep	[illegible]
Lambs, per lb.	[illegible]
GENERAL	
Potatoes	[illegible]
Onions	[illegible]
Wood, hard	[illegible]
Wood, soft	[illegible]
Straw, per load	[illegible]

Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, FEB. 7, 1903

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Two More Smallpox Reports

An unexpected outbreak of smallpox has been reported from Hallowell, Township in Prince Edward County. A case is also reported from the Township of North Easthope, Perth County

The German Choir Boys

The German choir boys are requested to meet at the Y.M.C.A. rooms this morning at 10 o'clock when they will be driven around the town, at the hospitality of their friends. The hosts who are entertaining them will kindly see that they arrive safely at the building, and on time.

An Important Case

A case for violation of the Public Health Act will come before Police Magistrate Dumble this morning at the Police Court. It is the first case of the kind in Peterborough. It appears that the card was put up in a window of a house on Parnell street, and the father, who will neither stay in our out of the house, will be charged with being a danger to the public health.

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What Does It Mean?

The Times has received an unsigned letter dealing with the proposal to add another high salaried official to the list of civic office holders, in the shape of a road commissioner. The writer thinks the employment of a competent man to superintend and take charge of our highways is all right, but the services of engineer should be dispensed with. If the author will send us his name, (not for publication), the letter will appear, but not otherwise.

Complete Isolation Necessary

In discussing the outbreak of scarlet fever in Peterborough, the Lindsay Post says :— "The serious outbreak of scarlet fever and diphtheria in Peterborough has been checked, but not overcome Chief of Police Rossell, Sanitary Inspector, claims that physicians are still negligent about reporting cases within the legal time, and should another failure occur he say he will prosecute the offender and enforce the full penalty. In connection with our remarks a few days ago on the same subject, when we quoted Dr. McAlpine, Medical Health Officer, of this town, as having stated a couple of years ago before Lindsay Board of Health, that no case of fever had ever been traced to citizens using city water. Dr. McAlpine informs us that he referred to typhoid fever. He does not agree with the Peterboro physicians who hold that scarlet fever can also be contracted from the use of impure well water, and says that the perfect isolation of patients and suspicious persons is the plan to be followed if the disease is to be stamped out in an effective manner."

At the Opera

The Sensational French drama "Camille" was presented by the Marks Bros.' combination last evening at the local opera House. The piece is a most exacting one, calling for all-round talent to present a performance of credit. The requirements of the piece were amply furnished last evening by the artists who took part in its presentation. The unfortunate Camille could hardly have a more sympathetic representative than Miss May A. Bell Marks. Her action was marked by intelligent restraint, and she found no difficulty in commanding the sympathies of the audience. Mr. Will Stewart scored another success as Armand Duval, and the same may be said of J. C. Connolly as the Count de Varville. It was a production of all round merit.

The present visit of this clever combination has been so successful that the visit will be extended until Wednesday evening next, Feb. 11. Several new plays are yet to be produced including "In Old New York Town," which is promised for Monday night. The attraction for tonight is "A Romance of Colorado.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. and Miss Fowlds, of Hastings, were in town yesterday.

—Mr. John Hull, of Lakefield, was in town on business yesterday.

—Mrs. Ebar Syre, of Millbrook, returned home today, after spending a week in town with friends.

—Mr. H. P. Kennedy went up to Toronto in the interest of his live stock business.

—Mrs. George Ingham, of Roseneath has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs A. R. Kidd, Aylmer street

—Mr. A. H. Scobell, of the Stanley Piano Co., left for home yesterday, evening to visit his mother in Bowmanville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Poole, of St. Catherines are attending the convention, and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H Robertson, Water street.

—Lakefield News:—Mr. Wm. Patterson, of Peterborough, is at present taking Mr. Evans' place as principal of the public schools here. Mr. Evans is confined to his home through illness.

—The many friends of Mr. John Smith, ex-Reeve of Ashburnham will be pleased to learn that he is able to be out again. He left last night for Orillia, where he is engaged in doing some work at the Asylum.

—Rev. H. D. Kennedy, brother of H P. Kennedy, of town, has just closed a very successful revival at Crawford street Methodist church, Toronto. During the revival there were over fifty adult converts and over 100 children. He was in town yesterday and leaves for Deseronto today at 2 o'clock, where he will conduct services for a month.

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—Saturday bargain day at Times Bookstore.

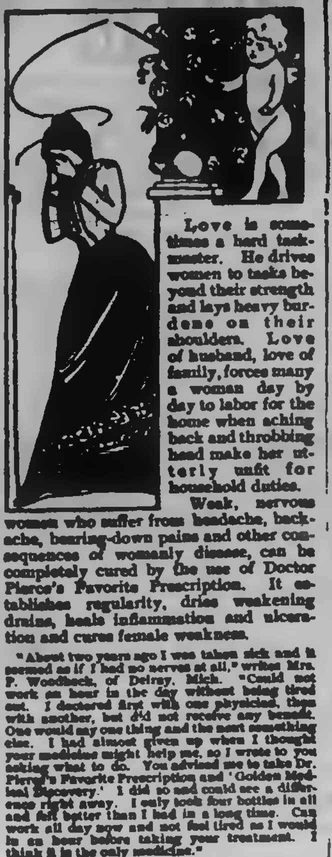
—The band was at the rink last night.

—The Orangemen of this district will celebrate the Battle of the Boyne in Lakefield on July 12th. next.

—Rev. Mr. Hannah, of the Park st. Baptist Church, has resigned. His departure will be much regretted.

—A good game of hockey will be played this evening at the Brock st. rink between the Ontario Bank team and the Imperial Bank team, Toronto. There should be a large turnout.

—A fine new building is to be erected at the corner of Charlotte and George streets, by Mr. W. J. Taylor The structure will be three stories in height, of red pressed brick. This building will extend 126 feet along Charlotte street, and 37 feet on George st. The ground floor will be taken up by about three stores, and offices will be on the two other floors above. The building will have all modern conveniences and will be heated by steam. The structure is expected to be completed about September. Mr. W. Blackwell is the architect.



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Mr. Lang is Prepared.

Mr. Andrew Lang, always deft and generally victorious in controversy, has shown a new resource to the practitioner of that amusing art. He has been apprised of the fact that when Mr. Swinburne publishes his essay on Dickens in the "Quarterly Review" he will incidentally "speak his mind liberally about a recent editor of Dickens." Mr. Lang is "a recent editor of Dickens," and he reads with a chuckle the warning in a literary journal that Mr. Swinburne has the gift of "incisive language," and that the "recent editor" may "look sharply to his eye." Whereupon Mr. Lang playfully anticipates things in the "London Morning Post." He points out that he did no editing of his author, leaving the text inviolate, but merely spoke his mind about the books, "with the frankness of an old and enthusiastic admirer and the candor of an elegant and liberal mind." He goes on to eulogize Dickens again, but the gem of his delightful paper must be given intact:

If I am the unhappy "editor" on whom Mr. Swinburne is going to exercise his gift of "incisive language," why, I don't care! A good deal of language has been expended on me already as the critic of Dickens, just as considerable quantities have been poured forth on Mr. Henley, editor of Burns. Indeed, Mr. Henley himself expended, I was told, the vials of his Dickensian wrath on this head of mine, which remains "bloody but unbowed." I did not read the criticism; for I could not alter what I had written, and my feelings might have been hurt. It was not that the blessing was too great, but that the blessing came too late, for practical purposes of correction. And, even if I am the recipient of Mr. Swinburne's blessing, and of his "incisive language," that language also I shall deny myself the tonic tribulation of reading.

It is clever of Mr. Lang, and it is good of him to indicate in this happy manner a perfect way in which to discount the onslaught of the foe.

The World's Best Age.

Most people have no doubt asked themselves at some time or other what part of the world's history would have been best worth living in; it is a favorite topic, on which the superlative degree is often exercised. Mr. Justin McCarthy, the eminent Irish historian, has been heard to vote for the period of Dr. Johnson and Mrs. Thrale. Years ago, when Mr. Gladstone was alive, the Grand Old Man and a group of friends were discussing this same question at Hawarden Castle. Mr. Gladstone, without any hesitation, decided from the intellectual point of view, and expressed the opinion that he would describe as the greatest day in the world's history a day in ancient Greece, when Athens was at the summit of its glory. Another member of the group chose the day of Pentecost. The effect on Mr. Gladstone is still remembered vividly by those who were present. The intellectual gave way at once to the spiritual, and the aged statesman, "seeming rather ashamed of himself," according to one who was present, asked leave to withdraw his former choice, and to say, "A day with the Lord."—"Leslie's Weekly."

What I would like to unravel in Justa's predictions is the unknown part foreign to myself. Did she go beyond what I knew? I do not think so. When she spoke to me of the fortunate issue of the affair, this was, upon the whole, the issue which I anticipated, and which the selfish and unavowed part of my instinct desired more keenly than the complete triumph which another and more generous sentiment made it incumbent on me to pursue and hope for, although I knew it to be, in its essence, impossible. When she foretold the death of my adversary, she was but revealing a secret wish of that same instinct, one of those dastardly and shameful wishes which we hide from ourselves, and which never rise to the surface of our thought. There would be no real prophecy in this, except if, against all expectation, against all likelihood, that death should occur suddenly within a short time hence. But, even if it were shortly to occur, it would not, I think, be the Pythian that would have fathomed the future, but I, my instinct, my unconscious being that would have foreseen an event with which it was connected. It would have read the pages of Time, not absolutely and as though in a universal book, where all that is to take place is written, but by me, through me, in my private intuition, and would but have translated what my unconsciousness was unable to communicate to my thought.

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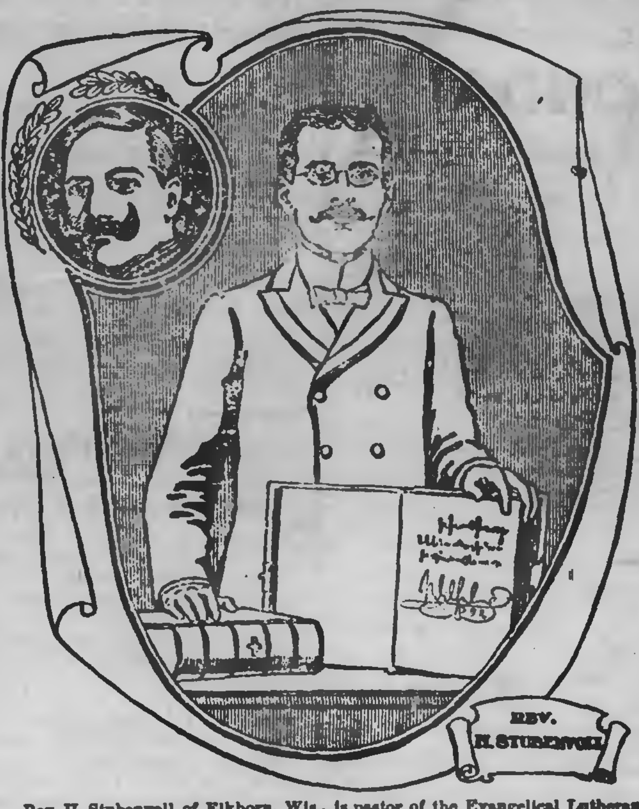

Rev. H. Stubenvoll, of Elkhorn, Wis., is pastor of the Evangelical Lutheran St. John's Church of that place. Rev. Stubenvoll is the possessor of two bibles presented to him by Emperor William of Germany. Upon the fly leaf of one of the bibles the Emperor has written in his own handwriting a text.

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SATURDAY'S MEETINGS.

The third day's session opened in Murray street church, on Saturday, at 9 a.m., about 200 delegates being present. After devotional services, Rev. Dr. Harris conducted "An hour with the Bible," and took for his subject the Gospel of St. John. He made a most beautiful analysis of the beauties of the Gospel, and said the only way to study the Bible was to take it book to book. The Gospel of St. John was to be regarded as the spiritual Gospel, and reveals the Sonship of Christ in its great aspects and reveals St. Luke's Gospel as the Gospel of the Son of God.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Mr. J. J. Gartshore, of Toronto, Treasurer, presented his statement, showing a prosperous financial year for the Association, with a small surplus, after all requirements had been provided for. The receipts amounted to $5,964.43, and the expenditure $5,924.48, leaving a credit balance of $29.95. The collection at St. Paul's church last night amounted to $46.24, the subscription from new people amounted to $152.50, and renewals of old subscriptions amounted to $606.

The reports of the conferences held yesterday were presented.

DISTRICT WORK.

The conference report showed that E. T. Case, of Picton, read a paper on the work which emphasized the place of the corresponding members in the Y.M.C.A, whose function was to bring men into the work from outlying districts to centres. Mr. T. J. Wilkes dealt with the topic: "Some fundamentals in organized Christian work for men." "Our opportunity to private Bible study," showed the need of a full realization of the objects aimed at. "The summer conference" also received consideration and commendation.

DIRECTORS' CONFERENCE.

At this conference, "The directors' responsibility" was the topic; and it was thought the directors should be a man engaged in business, a Christian man, and willing to give his time to the work, and should be familiar with all details of work, and capable of exercising foresight. These qualifications were elaborated in discussion.

BOYS' WORK.

At the Boys' Work Conference, reports were considered from a large number of Associations, which brought out the necessity of keeping before boys the necessity of all rounded manhood. Every boy of fourteen should have a definite place in the work. Mr. Jameson, Hamilton, read a paper on the religious aspect of the work. Personal purity was a question that must be dealt with, for the object of bringing about purity of life among boys. A paper was read by Mr. Dead of Montreal, on "Boys camps," and in a paper by Mr. Froude, of Peterborough, it was held that the Boys' department was a source of supply to the Association, and their future strength.

PHYSICAL COMMITTEE.

In the report of the Physical committee it was stated that Bible Classes for men were the most desirable. Mr. Winters, of Montreal, told of the organization of a gymnasium, which proved very successful. The Hamilton Association had found a "Good night" a useful innovation. It was the conclusion of the conference that Boys' Work in the gymnasium should be carefully looked after.

PERMANENT COMMITTEES.

The efficient and admirable work of the Provincial committee was dealt with by the committee on Provincial committees report, the secretaries, Messrs. Copeland, Wilkie and McPherson, being especially commended. The report records a budget of $6,000, and with a surplus in the treasury. Numerous recommendations were made.

AFTERNOON MEETING.

There was another large attendance at the afternoon session on Saturday, in Murray street Baptist.

After devotional service, Rev. Dr. Harris conducted "An hour with the Bible," and chose as his subject the Acts of the Apostles, and made a clear and eloquent analysis of the main points in the chapters.

Mrs. H. Yeigh, of Toronto, gave a report of the work done in the convention by the Ladies' Auxiliary Association, and expressed the gratification she felt at the appreciation their efforts has received. They, as an Association, had been in existence ten years, and she was convinced that every life had been helped and quickened by their connection with the work of Y.M.C.A.

Mr. F. S. Goodman, of New York, took up the subject: "A continuation of the consideration of the religious work department," and invited the delegates to make suggestions, and submit questions upon the subjects: "Field of religious work," and "Bible study." In the line of religious work many suggestions were volunteered by the delegates. It was thought shop meetings and shop classes were useful, and experience had proven that not only were they practical, but had shown excellent results in places where they had been introduced. They were no new thing, either, having been held in some form as far back as 25 years ago. The shop meetings held to-day, were usually at dinner hour, and the "Cleveland Idea" was quoted as a successful example. These classes were conducted in fifteen factories, and took the form of a Bible lesson, whilst a most successful shop Bible class was held at Topeka, Kansas. These classes proved themselves practical by the large numbers who attended them.

Evangelical meetings in every form were advocated by the delegates, as family prayer gatherings, missionary meetings, evangelical meetings for boys, and meetings of a social nature which should include a Bible study. The salvation of man was the vocation of the Y.M.C.A., and in neglecting that main object of the work, they would not be true to purpose. The delegates appeared to favor aggressive evangelism. It was their mission, and would be sure to produce results.

Much was said on the importance of the association work among boys. Boys were available to temptations. Most men found Christ in youth, and it was important that the association direct their labors to this source. The boys were responsive, if care was taken in the manner of presenting the Gospel to them.

More enterprise was necessary in organising and advertising Y.M.C.A. meetings, and care taken in the choice of speakers. What was wanted in this connection was a manly man with a manly message.

The meeting closed with prayer.

EVENING MEETING.

St. Paul's church was well filled at the Saturday evening meetings. Mayor Roger took the chair and after devotional service, and an anthem by the Berlin Lutheran church boys' choir, he called upon Mr. A. B. Williams, New York, to deal with the topic: "An opportunity in view of the young man of the world."

The speaker took the student class of young men as the direction of his discourse, whom he though, taking the world as a whole, were the most influential class. He thought it a very significant fact that the Y.M.C.A. had laid hold of the hand and heart of this class of young men. Practically every institution of importance has been entered, despite the fact that many of them were bound by conservatism. Even theological students, who thought they had not so many temptations as other young men, had been brought into fold of Y.M.C.A. workers.

The speaker said he could point to eastern universities, where it was impossible for any man, leading an immoral life to be appointed to any position of leadership by the students, such a hold had the institution upon the mind and heart of the student. He thought that college and university life was now the safest place against temptation any young man could enter.

The colleges of this continent, the speaker said, were giving some of its brightest spirits to the work of the institution, and he cited many students who had taken notable positions in the religious world, and were now devoting their energies and mental equipment to this noble work. It was not only among the students of this country, that the institute had taken a hold. In Great Britain and in all lands a great world-wide movement of students was devoting its energies for the evangelization of the world.

The speaker concluded by saying that we have every reason to be proud of such an agency as the Association for bringing men to the standard of Jesus Christ.

Mr. C. K. Ober, Chicago, was the next speaker. He dealt with the same topic. There were four great divisions of the Christian army, viz., the students of our colleges and universities, railroad workers, the army and navy, and the city men. He represented the young men of the city. He spoke of the largeness of the opportunities in the cities and towns of North America. There was a wide field in the larger cities. In smaller towns of the continent where the Y.M.C.A. was represented, they had an average membership of 29 per cent., whereas in the large cities the average membership only showed 3 1-2 per cent. But they were growing most rapidly. So fast, indeed, that in many large centres the Association had outgrown their buildings. The city of Buffalo was quoted as a notable example of this. There the Y.M.C.A. had made such rapid strides during the past few years that a new building three times the capacity of the old one had had to be erected. The movement was showing unmistakable signs of rapid growth, and he looked forward when the Association would at least double its present membership.

The speaker also dwelt upon the the field of opportunity among railroad men, and quoted the laudable cooperation of the railroad corporations in the work. The employers sought this means of solving the great problem of capital and labor.

The session adjourned with prayer.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

A Fellowship meeting opened the Sunday services of the Y.M.C.A. Convention, which was held in the Association building at 9.30. Several informal addresses were delivered.

There was a large attendance at the Men's meeting, held in the opera house yesterday, commencing at 4 p.m. Mr. F. S. Goodman, of New York, delivered a stirring address. He opened his remarks by a reference to the wonderful growth of the Association. The movement had its origin fifty-nine years ago in England, in the heart of a young man, who saw the need of such an institution among his young associates. At the present time there were 7,000 Associations in existence.

The speaker then dwelt on Christ's mission to men, and appealed to those present to bring themselves into touch with the Christian life.

FAREWELL MEETING.

The Farewell service of the Convention was held in the George street Methodist church last evening. There was a crowded congregation. The service was conducted by Rev. W. J. Jolliffe, of Charlotte street. Anthems were rendered by the German choir.

MUCH MISERY FOR THE LONDON POOR

Hundreds of Thousands Go to bed Hungry Every Night

THE DISTRESS VERY WIDESPREAD

Interesting Budget of News by Cable - Mr. Chamberlain's Visit to South Africa

London, Feb. 29.—The distress and destitution of the London poor this winter are intense. All the resources of the various charitable organizations are strained to their utmost. Industrially, times in England, and particularly in London, are not good. Normally there are more than 150,000 confessed paupers in London. Now, with tens of thousands of honest workingmen unable to obtain employment at anything, it is a bitter fact that hundreds of thousands of Londoners go to bed (when they have one) hungry every night.

The unemployed workingmen are parading the streets, particularly of the fat, wealthy West End, in processions of from 200 to 1,000.

In some twenty processions in different parts of the city there were 12,000 men. They were thinly clad. "out-of-works," as they are called here, and they looked and were very destitute. They carried banners inscribed "Give us work or bread" and "We are willing to work, but there is no work."

One procession tried to sing the stirring song of the French "The Marseillaise," as it passed through Park lane, the millionaires' row of London, but there was no enthusiasm in the song.

Hungry Englishmen cannot sing "The Marseillaise." It takes a Frenchman to do it justice.

Each procession is escorted by a squad of police. There has been no disorder. The men are permitted to solicit money, and dozens shaking collection boxes walk the sidewalks flanking each procession of the unemployed.

The timorous people are demanding that the authorities prohibit these processions of the miserable, fearing that trouble may come from them.

The distress is widespread. A charitable bachelor living in The Temple the abode of the lawyers, the other night determined to share his Sunday night dinner with twelve unfortunates.

He found them easily on the embankment. Of the twelve three were high school graduates, three were university men and one could speak Greek and Latin as fluently as English.

The managers of the Salvation Army's relief shelters state that not in years has utter want been so widespread, or so many honest men out of work and unable to earn over 10 cents a day. Fortunately the winter until now, has been very mild.

PRINCELY SALARIES

London, Feb. 9.—The Established Church of England pays its high priests generously. Dr. Randall Davidson, bishop of Winchester, the appointed archbishop of Canterbury, will in the latter post get $12,500 a year more than he got at Winchester.

The bishop of London and the archbishop of York get the salary of the president of the United States, $50,000 a year.

The bishop of Durham gets $35,000 annually. The bishops of Oxford, Worcester, Salisbury, and Bath, have to make both ends meet on salaries of $25,000 a year.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S TRIP.

London, Feb. 9.—When the colonial secretary, Joseph Chamberlain, who is now in South Africa, with his wife, who is an American, started for the Cape in imposing style in the huge cruiser, the Good Hope, the radical press condemned the government for extravagance in setting aside a great warship for Mr. Chamberlain's cruise.

It was stated that Mr. Chamberlain could have gone to the Cape in the style of an American millionaire for $15,000, with special cabins and all the luxuries of the season.

It now transpires that Mr. Chamberlain's trip will cost much more than even the radicals imagined.

The cruiser on the way out burned an average of 280 tons of coal daily. the first week's consumption was 1,680 tons.

Coal in England sells at about 12 shillings, or $3 per ton. Americans who are now paying from $5 to $10 a ton for coal can appreciate the fact that the government was indeed lavish in providing a huge warship to carry Mr. Chamberlain and his wife from Portsmouth to far Durban.

It is as much of an extravagance as if Mr. Morgan were to use one of his huge trans-Atlantic ships to carry him and his wife from New York to Southampton.

Mr. Chamberlain's trip is probably the costliest any untitled Englishman ever has made.

THE KING'S MODESTY.

London, Feb. 9.—King Edward has set his face against publicity and has ordered the palace attaches not to give out any news of his comings and goings.

It is reported that the King has caused orders to be given to the servants of all his palaces that they must not divulge anything of what they see or hear in the palaces, and must not even tell their wives!

The servants never learn anything about their royal master's movements until the very last moment.

Very short notice is given them in which to get ready to travel with the King and Queen, and they are forbidden to ask questions about the King's next journey.

A palace servant was abruptly dismissed the other day because he answered a simple question asked by a newspaperman. A nobleman passing heard the brief conversation and reported it, and the servant was instantly dismissed.

No servant or clerk at the palace dare be seen speaking to a newspaper man. They dare not even return an ordinary salutation.

BOERS RESPECT A STRONG MAN

Chamberlain Has Earned Their Admiration By Keeping a Steady Hand on the Reins

His Advice, "Let us Shake Hands and Be Friends," Accepted by Country Burghers

London, Feb. 9.—Hopeful signs are apparent in the Transvaal of the establishment of good relations between the Boers and the British. Mr. Chamberlain's tour which continues to be reported at great length in the newspapers, having had the most promising results already. Mr. Chamberlain's trek through the Western Transvaal certainly was the most interesting part of this journey. "Now the fight is over," said Chamberlain at Venterdorp, "let us shake hands and be friends."

It looks as if the country burghers are inclined to act on this excellent advice. A remarkable feature of the proceedings at Venteradorp was the impromptu and unexpected speech of Gen. Delarey, who expressed his pleasure at seeing Mr. Chamberlain among them and remarked that he had found the colonial secretary a strong man. He thought Chamberlain was the man to set things right in South Africa.

Chamberlain has earned the respect of the Boers by refusing to reopen the peace terms. He declined in London when the Boer generals endeavored to persuade him to do so, and he declined again at Pretoria, where another attempt was made.

The Boers respect a man who knows his own mind and will keep to his resolution. Many years ago a Boer who knew his countrymen well, said; "It is the jerky hand on the reins that makes them jibe." Chamberlain's hand is steady, and the Boers already are showing that they appreciate firmness when it is allied with kindness and sympathy.

The poor pro-Boers in England are sadly disconcerted by Chamberlain's success with his former enemies. It upsets all their calculations, falsifies all their predictions, and makes them them not look a little foolish. "Never prophesy unless you know" is a sound maxim in politics as well as in the other departments of life. Had they observed it the small section of extreme pro-Boers in this country would have been spared much mortification. As it is, they are inclined to withdraw their sympathy from those so grievously by yielding to the stern logic of facts and grasping the hand of friendship held out to them by Chamberlain in the name of the British nation.

Britishers are compelled nowadays to "think continentally," as Alexander Hamilton would have said. While South Africa claims their attention to its pressing problems they dare not forget North Africa, where Kitchener and Milner both served their apprenticeship under Cromer, the great administrator, whose magnificent statesmanship their activities have temporarily outshone.

PREMIER SPRIGG NOT POPULAR.

Kimberley, Cape Colony, Feb. 8.—Since his arrival here with Colonial Secretary Chamberlain, a series of demonstrations against Sir John Gordon Sprigg, the premier of Cape Colony, have occurred. He was publicly hissed on several occasions, and during Mr. Chamberlain's remarks on the situation in Cape Colony at the banquet given in his honor here Friday evening, cries were raised of "Away with Sprigg," while the members of a deputation which waited on Mr. Chamberlain informed him in the premier's presence that they had no faith in the Sprigg ministry, which "pampered the Afrikander bund and was dependent on it for its existence."

Sir John heatedly characterised these remarks as a personal insult.

ONTARIO BANK WINS FROM IMPERIAL

Bank Hockey Team of Toron by 6 to 4.

Saturday night's match between the Imperial Bank team, of the Toronto Senior Bank League, and the Ontario Bank seven, was one of the fastest and best games played here this season, and the win of the local team by 6 goals to 4 was a very popular one. The Imperial team has made a splendid showing in the Bank series, and on Saturday night were strengthened by McKay and Wiley, of the Bank of Toronto team. McKay is the Wellington's star rover. The Ontario Bank has a fast, well balanced team, and it is understood that other games will be arranged with other Bank League teams.

The game was free from roughness. Referee McCabe, who gave splendid satisfaction, was not called upon to discipline any of the players. The half time score was 5 to 4 in favor Ontario, and 6 to 4 at the finish. The teams were as follows:

Ontario Bank—Goal, Sawers; point Hollingshead; cover point, H. Armstrong; forwards, Ferguson, R. Armstrong, Blomfield, Macfarlane.

Imperial Bank—Goal, Ogden; point Lowsmboro; cover point, Smith; forwards, Wiley, MacKay, Young, Keele.

The T.A.S. will have a practise with the Intermediate Colts to-night between 7 and 8.

The T.A.S. and Lakefield will play off their tie at Lindsay on Wednesday night. A special train will leave Peterborough at 7 o'clock and return at 12, so that the supporters of the team may accompany the boys. Tickets can be had at the T.A.S. rooms, Ormond and Walsh's or Lynch's drug store.

—A choice lot of fancy and comic valentines now on sale at Times Book-store.

THE DREYFUS CASE BROUGHT UP AGAIN.

Forged Documents Before Rennes Tribunal.

TRUTH IS SURE TO COME OUT

Minister of War is Charged with Crime.

London, Feb. 8.—The Times Paris correspondent writes that M. Jaures, the Socialistic Deputy, writing in the newspaper, The Petit Republique announcing his intention of throwing more light upon the Dreyfus case, says; "I defy my adversaries to oppose in Parliament free and loyal utterance of the truth. I shall there declare it on my personal responsibility without exaggerating and without attenuating." It is asserted by the Agence Fournier that M. Jaures has proof that secret documents submitted to the Rennes court martial were forged., and he is confident that he can get the verdict of that tribunal annulled. It is asserted that a general, who once held the post of Minister of War, is implicated. The Master of Deputies will be asked to prosecute him.

PRINCESS NOT WELCOME

Mentone Shows Hostility to Her and Giron

Mentone, Feb. 9—The Crown Princess of Saxony and Andre Giron do not like the treatment they have been receiving here recently and will probably leave at once. For several days passers-by have jostled the couple on the streets whenever they appeared. For the last day or two Giron and the Princess have remained at their hotel. Giron states that they have determined to seek new quarters immediately, and, when the divorce proceedings are over, they will go to America.

DETERMINATIONS TO HIT AT GREAT BRITAIN EVERYWHERE

Anglo-Geman Alliance is Violation of Compact with Colonies.

THE EMPIRE'S UNITY.

Australia Condemns the German Alliance

London, Feb. 7.—Count Posadowsky, Secretary of the Interior, speaking in the Reichstag at Berlin yesterday, said that some Canadian wheat and flour may enter Germany via the United States, thus benefiting, owing to the lower duty, on American cereals, but that every effort would be made to stop it. He also said that no Canadian food was bought by the Government for the German army and navy, and that the Government would not buy any.

The German Government seems delighted to hit the British Empire at any point.

Last night, Right Hon. Henry H. Asquith, formerly Home Secretary, speaking at a big Liberal banquet, said he hoped the self governing colonies and the Motherland would always feel one people, with one destiny. Attorney-General Wise, of New South Wales, speaking at the same meeting, startled the gathering by declaring that the Anglo-German alliance in Venezuela was contrary to the spirit of the understanding arrived at by the Colonial Premiers at the late conference, which said that the views of the self-governing colonies should be obtained in such treaties as they were interested in. Mr. Wise said that Australia condemned the German alliance, and considered Germany her only enemy in the Pacific.

Dying by Slow Degrees

Although not always aware of it yet thousands die by slow degrees of catarrh. It first attacks the nose or throat, then the lungs, and finally spreads all through the system. Catarrhozone is the only remedy that will immediately prevent the spread of this awful disease. Every breath from the inhaler kills thousands of germs, clears the throat and nose, aids expectoration and relieves the pain across the eyes. Catarrhozone eradicates every vestige of catarrh from the system, and is highly recommended also for Bronchitis, Asthma, Deafness and Lung Trouble. Price $1.00; trial size 25 cts., all druggists. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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THE SULTAN CALLS OUT TWENTY THOUSAND MORE TROOPS.

FEAR OUTBREAK NEAR CANTON

Arms and Ammunition Taken From Chinese Reformers

Hong Kong, Feb. 8.—The authorities of Canton have captured arms, ammunition and the commissariat which were in possession of the reformers. Foreign marines are patrolling Shamian, a suburb of Canton. Gunboats are being held in readiness in in case of emergency.

DUTCH STRIKE SERIOUS

Cavalry and Marines Sent to Amsterdam to Keep Order

Amsterdam, Feb. 9.—The strike of men employed on the wharf railways and the railway men's union, which has assumed the proportions of a general labor contest, became so serious to-day that it was necessary to reinforce the garrison with detachments of cavalry from The Hague and Haarlem and marines from Nieuwe-Diep, the harbor of Helder. The ironclad Evertsen is held in readiness at Nieuwe-Diep to start for this place at a moment's notice. The postal service of Amsterdam, Haarlem and Utrecht is done by motor cars.

MEN'S CLUB ORGANIZED

Young Men of St. John's Met on Friday Last for That Occasion

A meeting of the young men of St. John's congregation was held in the schoolroom on Friday evening last, with the object of organizing a Men's Club. Officers for proposed club were elected as follows; President, Mr. Gray, secretary-treasurer, Jas. Bell; executive committee, Messrs. T. Dawson, R. Gibbs, and R. [illegible]

And Russia and Austria Reply with Firm Requests for Reform.

FABRIC OF MODERN GERMANY IN HOMES

Regulationc Under the New "Undesirables Act."

Paris, Feb. 8.—Official advices have been received here confirming the report that the Sultan of Turkey has ordered the immediate mobilization of 240,000 troops for a military demonstration in Macedonia. The step is regarded with apprehension by the French officials as being likely to involve complications between Turkey Russia and Austria.

It is said that the Russian and Austrian Governments have agreed on a firm note to the Sultan, which will be presented within the next few days, insisting on administrative and financial reform in Macedonia. Although France will not be a party to the note, she will approve of it. It is considered the Sultan's mobilization of such a vast army is clearly an effort to forestall the presentation of this note. The mobilization of so many troops is here regarded as unwise and dangerous, especially as it is said the soldiers who are to be brought into Macedonia from Asiatic Turkey are semi-barbarous levies and are hostile to Christians, which will tend to inaugurate another series of massacres. It is understood the powers are exchanging views as to the course to be pursued towards the mobilization of Turkish troops.

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For the Year ending 31st December, 1902.

Dec. 30, 1901.	To Net Ledger Assets		$4,194,309 51
	RECEIPTS		
Dec. 31, 1902.	To Cash for Premiums	$1,049,652 74	
	To Cash Income on Investments	221,187 47	
			1,270,840 21
			$5,465,149 82
	DISBURSEMENTS		
Dec 31, 1902.	By Payment for Death Claims, Profits, etc.	$374,513 14	
	By all other payments	316,851 33	
			691,364 47
			$4,773,785 35
	ASSETS		
Dec. 31, 1902.	By Mortgages, etc.		$1,070,703 98
	" Debentures (market value $1,097,535.52)		1,080,601 72
	" Stocks and Bonds (market value $1,501,764.00)		1,455 729 87
	" Real Estate, including Company's building		404,684 69
	" Loans on Policies, etc.		321,642 92
	" Loans on Stocks (nearly all on call)		351,257 00
	" Cash in Banks and on hand		89,165 17
			$4,773,785 35
	" Premiums outstanding, etc., (less cost of collection		198,982 10
	" Interest and Rents, due and accrued		38,045 76
			$5,010,813 21
	LIABILITIES		
Dec. 31' 1902.	To Guarantee Fund	$ 60,000 00	
	" Assurance and Annuity Reserve Fund	4,385,565 00	
	" Death Losses awaiting proofs, etc.	50,203 45	
			$4,495,768 45
	Net Surplus		$815,044 76

Audited and found correct.—J. N. LAKE, Auditor.

The financial position of the Company is unexcelled—its percentage of net surplus to liabilities exceeds that of any other home company.

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The report containing the proceedings of the Annual Meeting, held on January 29th last, showing marked proofs of the continued progress and solid position of the Company, will be sent to policyholders. Pamphlets explanatory of the attractive investment plans of the Company, and a copy of the Annual Report, showing its unexcelled financial position, will be furnished on application to the Head Office or any of the Company's agencies.

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The Times is a member of the Associated Press and receives telegraphic news each morning up to four o'clock.

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UNION LABEL

PETERBOROUGH, FEB. 9, 1903.

IRRIGATION

What the British government has done in India to irrigate arid regions is both encouraging and instructive to this country, which has so much land that needs water. The British government has expended in India no less than $150,000,000 in works to distribute water. It did not introduce irrigation into India, for irrigation had been in vogue there from ancient times, but it developed old systems and built new ones, so that now India has the most extensive irrigation works in the world. The Ganges system, which was opened in 1854 by Lord Dalhousie, who was then governor-general of India, now includes more than one thousand miles of main canals and branches, and takes water to an area exceeding 1,000,000 acres. In the Madras presidency, are the irrigation works projected by Sir Anthony Cotton. The great dams that he designed have relieved vast sections of country from the dangers of famine, and in some instances have made lands formerly barren fertile and productive. Some of the irrigation plants have proved highly successful from a financial point of view, one of them yielding recently thirty-one per cent. on the capital invested. Another plant, which has converted one of the poorest regions in India into one of the most prosperous, pays fifteen per cent. on the money invested. There are several canals in India more than 250 miles long. The extension of the works is still in progress, and will go on probably until most of the land is protected against the failure of the periodic rainfall.

It will cost a pile of money to carry out the great irrigation schemes that are proposed in this country, but much of the money will doubtless be well spent. It is astonishing what water will do for some of the dry western lands.

LOOKS LIKE A POLICY OF RETALIATION

It was understood in 1896 and 1897 that the Bertram brothers, John and George, has played an important part in the preparation of the Liberal tariff, and it was to George Bertram that Sir Wilfrid wrote his letter a few days before the election in 1896 telling the manufacturers not to be afraid. An expression of opinion from Mr. John Bertram is therefore of considerable significance in connection with the policy of the Liberal party. Mr. John Bertram has just written to the Globe a letter in which he advocates changes and increases in the tariff to place Canada on a more equal basis with the United States. A change of policy has been clearly hinted at on a number of occasions, and this is but another indication of the lines in which development is taking place in the Liberal party. Mr. Bertram writes;

"If the tariff of the two countries, so closely associated with each other, were the same, manufacturers might be left to fight it out, but the Canadian low tariff enables Americans to exploit the market, whilst the Canadian is prevented by the high tariff of the United States from making a raid back, as American manufacturers cynically take advantage of our helplessness, and have been known to boast that they would ruin this or that Canadian factory."

As a remedy, Mr. Bertram urges the substitution of "specific" for "ad valorem" duties on competitive American goods coming into Canada, and also in some cases an additional duty to the regular duty. He thinks this change would cover nearly all the hardships now existing.

PARTISAN POLITICS

Wentworth county council, which holds forth in Hamilton, is illustrating the beauties of partisan politics in municipal affairs. The council consists of twelve members. This year six Grits and six Tories were elected. The council was to meet to elect the county warden. An injunction was got out forbidding a Grit member to take his seat because he had been a school trustee when elected. Pending the decision in court, the five other Grits won't go to council. If they did, the six Tories would elect a Tory warden. So long as the five Grits stay away, the Tories can not do any business, because the law requires a majority of the council for a quorum. The six Tories are not sufficient. The legal judgment upon the injunction may not be decided for some weeks. Meanwhile all Wentworth county municipal business is blocked. What does this matter in comparison with the importance of having a Tory or Grit warden to help decide where a county bridge shall be built, or a county ditch dug?

EDITORIAL COMMENT

There appears to be some ground for the charge that the oil find in the vicinity of Chatham is being exaggerated and that a large discount may be deducted from the reports sent out from here to the press. Intending investors should govern themselves accordingly and thoroughly investigate propositions before putting money into them.

Chili and Argentina have paid another compliment to Britain, their great stand-by in international disputes. They have agreed to limit their naval armaments so that neither need be afraid of the other. By part of this agreement, they are to sell off the ships they now have under construction in Europe, and—the most interesting point of the whole thing—if they are not successful, "the ships are to remain under the control of the King of England."

In the Supreme Court of the United States a judgment has been rendered sustaining a law of California which declares void all contracts for the purchase or sale on margin of the shares of the capital stock of any corporation, or for the purchase or sale of shares to be delivered at any future time, or all agreements for payment of any money in such transactions. One Parker who bought stock on margin and lost, sued the broker to get his money back and has won. The California law looks like a pretty successful whack at stock gambling.

HIS BACK BROKEN

Deseronto Man Named Blatchford Struck by a Freight Train

Deseronto, Ont., Feb. 8.—About 6.30 last night a man named Blatchford, about 60 years of age, was struck by a G.T.R. engine at Deseronto Junction and had his back broken and head badly cut. He was walking on the track at the west end of the yard, and in getting off one track to save himself from an approaching train, he got in front of a freight train moving slowly in the opposite direction. He was sent to the Kingston General Hospital this morning.

THEY ARE A MARVEL

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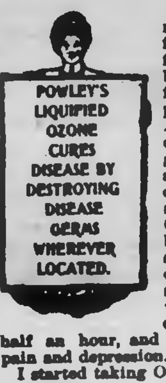

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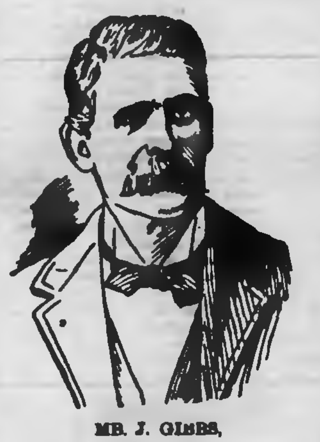

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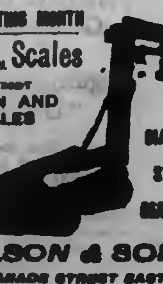

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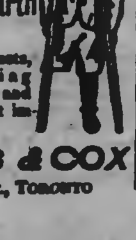

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A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.: Columbia National Bank, Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 23, 1903.

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DECEMCER AND JANUARY EARNINGS

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Summary—The market today opened dull at about prevailing prices at close last night. Considerable trading in Wabash securities with slight changes and a decline of about 1 1-2 per cent. were the only features of any account. The general market held strong with apparently little interest, but showed some weakness after publication of the bank statement, which appeared a little disappointing. On any further decline Monday, we most certainly advise purchases. Money closed nothing doing. Sales 204,000.

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NOW. This company owns, free from debt, [illegible] acres on the beach and tundra at Nome, Alaska. [illegible] tests made to bed rock on [illegible] acres averaged to the cubic yard of sand [illegible] in gold, the sea bar sand averaged $11.00 in gold. This Company's one mill is pumping, through the ice, from the sea bottom, [illegible] cubic yards daily; heaping it up on the beach to sluice in the Spring. To erect more mills a limited amount of stock is now offered at [illegible] a share. Capital [illegible]; all Common Stock. Address,

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The International Electric Mining Company owns seven mines and milling plant.

The Brooklyn and New York mines of this Company lie north of and join the Victor and the Hoodlum—two rich mines that are now being worked by California parties. On the west lies the Electric Mining Company's mines. In these mines are millions of dollars' worth of rich ore in sight. On the south, adjoining the Berlin mine of this Company, is the Montezuma and Clipper. From the Montezuma over three million dollars has been taken within [illegible] feet of the grass roots.

This Company owns free and clear seven mines of twenty acres each, all containing rich ore, located in the Arabia and Trinity mining districts, Humboldt County, Nevada. The Company has worked these mines for the past five years, and is now driving a tunnel to cut out a rich ledge about [illegible] feet from the surface. The Arabia mining district, in which these mines are located, is a lively district—a great many men being employed there. The tunnel now being driven on the Brooklyn mine has about [illegible] feet already completed. When the tunnel cuts the main ledge, which has just been reached by the Victor tunnel about [illegible] feet, the Brooklyn will have about [illegible] feet stoping ground, which runs high in gold and silver, over [illegible] per ton.

The Company is offering for a short time a limited amount of stock for the enlargement of its plant and the working force at the mines and for the completion of the Brooklyn tunnel.

This Company has thousands of tons of rich ore in sight.

We are not making a lot of talk, because it is unnecessary. What the investor wants is dividends, which we have paid for the past five years. Now if you want a safe 12 per cent. investment, let us hear from you.

INTERNATIONAL ELECTRIC MINING Co.
185 Summer Street, Boston, Mass.
References furnished upon application.

THE OLD COMSTOCK

A California mining paper has this to say: "Nevada, that grand old stamping ground of mushroom millionaires, who plucked enough wealth from her prolific fields to build mansions, banks, and big hotels in San Francisco, and palaces in Paris and London, is again astonishing the world by making more millionaires and by yielding millions in gold and silver from a new field which rivals the old Comstock lode in the days of its pristine splendor. Not only in Tonopah and Arabia districts, where within the past year nearly ten millions have been exposed, are operations active, but in every mining district in the Silver State are operations active, and Nevada will once more take her place among the big producers, the peer of any of them."

Daily Nevada State Journal, January 4, 1903.

Lovelock, Nev., October 6, 1902.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—If you wish to sell your Brooklyn mine I can get you a good price for it. If it was mine I would not sell it at any price, as you have more than a million dollars of ore in sight.

G. W. OSTRANDER, Supt.

Boston, Mass., December 1, 1902.

Mr. Geo. D. Burton, Treas.,
International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—During the six months of October and November of this year I visited the mines of the International Electric Mining Company, situated in Arabia and Trinity mining districts, Humboldt County, Nevada. I found the country remarkably mineralized; in fact, the possibilities of the country as a mineral producing country are yet unknown. For years it certainly has produced well. The work now being done in the Arabia and Trinity districts establishes the fact that they are fine producers.

I also found that there is a great deal of interest being taken in these properties, which have produced a great deal of wealth the past quarter of a century.

M. A. LATHROP, Mining Engineer.

Letters Received From Some of Our Stockholders

6 West Stockton Ave.,
Allegheny, Pa., Jan. 9, 1903.

Treas. International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—I have received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, with thanks.

Yours truly,
JOHN B. LIVINGSTONE.

International Electric Mining Co., Nahant, Mass., January 6, 1903.
185 Summer St., Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Yours of Jan. 1st, enclosing dividend on my one hundred shares of stock in the International Electric Mining Company, received.

R. L. COCHRAN.

International Electric Mining Co., Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—I hereby acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

Respectfully,
HENRY STREIFLER.

International Electric Mining Co., Hudson, Mass., Jan. 2, 1903.
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—Yours of Jan. 1st., enclosing dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company, has been received. Respectfully,

M. A. WARREN.

Lamont, Iowa, January 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Dear Sirs,—Yours of January 1st., enclosing tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in your Company, has been received.

MRS. MARY KNATT.

International Electric Mining Co., Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Enclosed find receipt for the semi-annual dividend due January 1st on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

ISAAC R. JAMIESON.

Taunton Street Railway Machine Shops,
Taunton, Mass., January 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock held by me in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, as per receipt herewith enclosed.

FRANK S. RANDLETT.

International Electric Mining Co., Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 12, 1903.
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—Enclosed you will find my receipt for dividend for stock in the International Electric Mining Company to Jan. 1, 1903.

MICHAEL GLASSER, [illegible] High Street.

South Birmingham, Mass.,
January 3, 1903.

Received the International Electric Mining Company dividend to January 1, 1903, on the stock of the International Electric Mining Company standing in my name.

Respectfully,
J. W. MARNDEN.

1224 11th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.
International Electric Mining Co., January 11, 1903.
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—I received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my shares of stock in your Company and thank you very much.

Yours truly,
MILLIE C. WOOD.

The Company is conducted upon an economical and conservative basis and incorporated with a small capital stock, more than half of which is now in the Treasury of the Company, and with assets in excess of the entire capital of the Company.

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We have placed a small block of this stock on the market at 20 cents per share which will be worth $1.00 in a short time. Now is the time to buy.

The Electric Spark Gold Mining Company,
NEBRASKA TELEPHONE BLDG, OMAHA, NEB.
C. H. J. MITCHELL, Fiscal Agent, Peterborough, Ont.

Canadian Steel and Coal Co

CAPITAL

10,000 shares 7 per cent. Cumulative Preferred Stock, par value $100 each	$1,000,000 00
50,000 shares Common Stock, par value $100 each, issued and fully paid	$5,000,000 00
Total Capitalization	$6,000,000 00

Issue of $1,000 000 7% Preferred Stock in 10,000 Shares of $100 each at par.

This Stock is preferred both as to Assets and Dividends.

The shares are entitled to cumulative preferred dividends from the net earnings of the Company, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, payable half-yearly on the first days of April and October. They may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged for common shares. They are subject to be called in, in whole or in part, by the Company, at 15.00 per share, at any time on or after 1st January 1909.

The total issue of Preferred Stock is only $1,000,000.00, the whole of which is now offered.

Subscriptions for 10,000 shares of $100 each of the 7 per cent Preferred Stock of the CANADIAN STEEL AND COAL COMPANY will now be received at par, that is, $100 for each $100 share as follows:—

5 per cent on application.
25 per cent on allotment.
35 per cent 30 days thereafter.
35 per cent 60 days thereafter.

One share of common, par value $100.00, given with each share of preferred.

The whole of the instalments remaining unpaid at any time may be prepaid in full. A discount of one per cent will be allowed upon the par of each share if prepaid at time of allotment.

Notice of allotment will be sent promptly by ordinary letter.

COAL

PROPERTY IN FULL OPERATION

Company owns 9,600 acres of coal property known throughout the coal trade as the New Campbellton Colliery, located on Bras D'Or Bay, County of Victoria, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia. Mine is fully equipped, producing and marketing 100 tons of coal a day at a net profit of $1.00 a ton. Improvements are now being made that will increase the output to over 1,000 tons a day. On present output, figuring 300 working days in year, the net result will more than pay interest on entire issue of preferred, with output of 1,000 tons a day net result will be $300,000 per annum.

IRON

RICHEST ORE IN THE WORLD

Company owns in fee simple, free and clear of all incumbrances, 4,000 acres of iron ore deposit, located at Natashquan (tidewater) situate on North shore of Gulf of St. Lawrence, in the County of Saguenay, province of Quebec.

Deposits contain 20,000,000 tons of ore ABOVE SEA LEVEL ALONE.

Quality of ore is highest ever discovered, running from 69 to 72 per cent. in metalic iron.

More orders for the sale of this ore have been received by the Company than can possibly be accepted, and at a price netting the Company a profit of $2 a ton F. O. B. vessels at Company's docks.

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Tel., Main 3981

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Morning Times
PETERBOROUGH, FEB. 9, 1903

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Fancy Dress Skating Carnival

It was decided at a well attended meeting of No. 29, Canadian Order of Foresters, on Friday evening, to hold a fancy dress carnival in the rink on Friday evening, February 26th. A strong committee has charge of the arrangements.

Is Your Back Lame

Does it hurt to stoop or bend down? Have you a heavy dull pain at the base of the spine? If so, the best remedy is Nerviline; it will invigorate the tired, sore muscles, make them supple and strong. Nerviline will drive out the pain and make you well in no time. Nothing so good as Nerviline for Lumbago, Stiff Neck, Rheumatism, Neuralgia and Sciatica. Buy a bottle of Polson's Nerviline to-day, and try it.

Dr. Hamilton's Pills Cure Constipation.

Peterborough Old Boys

The Times is in receipt of an invitation to attend a meeting of the Toronto Peterborough Old Boys' Association to be held in the Oakam House in that city this evening. This great family journal would like to put in an appearance, but fear it will be unable to do so this time. There is nothing that appeals more vigorously to this g.f.j.'s feelings than the prospect of sitting around the fire place in the back parlor of an old-fashioned suburban inn, and relate reminiscences (over a glass of hot lemonade) of the good old days when we were all boys and girls together. We are pleased to see that the old town is not forgotten by those who left it years ago, and regard it as "home, sweet home."

At the Opera

"A Colorado Romance" is the title of a new play, which was presented for the first time in its entirety on Saturday evening by the Marks' Bros. combination at the local opera house. The piece is full of thrilling episodes which roused the audience to much enthusiasm. In the hands of a less capable company the play might have failed in its purpose, but the versatility of the Marks' Bros. combination scored for it instantaneous success. The action was quick and decisive, and the humorous situations taken full advantage of. Each character represented had a most adequate portrayal. Miss A. Bell-Marks lacked sufficient opportunity in the character of Sylvia Thorpe, but needless to say every scoring point was taken advantage of. Will L. Stewart was excellent as Harold Sinclair, and the same may be said of G. C. Connelly, as Larry Donovan. The work of Will C. Millard throughout the engagement has been marked by consistent excellence and in the part of Joe Heinrich, he soon gained the good feeling of the audience. There was a packed house on Saturday night, which once more testifies to the drawing powers of Marks' Bros. combination.

THERE IS A COLD SNAP COMING

but a WARM SNAP in prices at the old reliable firm of PETE SIMONS & CO. will make matters right. He quotes the following red hot prices:

$ 7.00	Overcoats	reduced to	$ 4.00
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Another Year of Success for This Popular and Progressive Company

Once again has the North American Life Assurance Company passed a milestone in its history, and once again do we congratulate the directors and the policy-holders on the splendid results of the year's operations, as set forth in the annual report, which appears elsewhere in this issue of The Times. This company is popular in Peterborough, as it is elsewhere throughout the country, on account of the high character of the gentlemen who are at its head, and the correct business methods which prevail in dealing with its policy-holders.

The annual report for the year ending December 31st, 1902, show a total revenue of $1,279,810.21, and total assets of $5,465,149.82. The total disbursements were, for death claims $374,513.14, other payments $316,851.33, making a total of $691,364.47. There is a net surplus on hand of $515,041.76.

The insurance issued during 1902 amounted to $6,600,265; insurance in force $30,637,268. The new insurance exceeded the previous year by over a million of dollars.

To the ability and progressive spirit of its executive officers, Mr. Wm. McCabe, Managing Director, and Mr. L. Goldman, Secretary, much of the great success of the company is due, and it must be gratifying to these gentlemen to know that their labors have been so phenomenally fruitful.

TO ENFORCE HEALTH ACT

Warning Issued by Medical Health Officer Bingham to Citizens

Posters have been issued from The Times job rooms, signed by Dr. Bingham, Medical Health Officer, calling attention to the provisions of the Public Health Act, which are as follows:

1. All cases of infectious diseases must be reported promptly.
2. When a house is placarded for infectious disease, no person must enter such house or leave such house without proper permission.

TRENT WATERWAY ASS'N.

Meeting to be Held in the Council Chamber To-Day

We would call attention to the meeting of the Trent Valley Waterway Association, to be held in the Council Chamber at one o'clock to-day. The meeting is called to urge on the work of the Trent Waterway. The co-operation of all influential citizens will be welcomed, for the necessity of immediate action cannot be too urgently insisted upon

POLICE COURT

Mr. Thomas McGee Charged with Violating the Health Laws

Before Magistrate Dumble, at police court on Saturday, Thomas McGee was charged with a violation of the Health Laws. It was alleged that McGee's child had been taken to the hospital with scarlet fever, and that McGee had not confined himself to the house as the law demands, but had mingled with other people, thereby endangering those with whom he came in contact.

The accused in answer to the charge said that with the exception of milking his cows and feeding his pigs, he had confined himself to the house. After the child's removal to the hospital the house had been disinfected.

The magistrate, in discharging the accused, said people could not be too careful.

Many Complaints Being Made

The Times is in receipt of an important letter, which was posted at Fenelon Falls on January 31st, and which only reached us on Saturday. This letter took exactly seven days to get to its destination. Another instance: An important letter was posted in Toronto to a member of our staff, on December 16. It reached Peterborough next day, but did not reach this office till January 5th. The result of this delay was the loss of the opportunity of claiming the grant of land given by the Ontario Government to veterans of the Fenian raid, as the time for fyling applications expired on January 31st. Almost every day complaints reach us regarding the mail service. This is not surprising when it is known how poorly the clerks are being paid. Long hours at starvation wages is not calculated to ensure an efficient service. No blame is attachable to Postmaster Rogers or the staff. They are simply underpaid and overworked.

A Long Established Real Estate Business Changed Hands

Mr. John L. O'Connell, our enterprising real estate salesman, has recently purchased the real estate business of Mr. T. Hurley & Co., and the business will henceforth be conducted under the name of O'Connell & Co., at the same stand, No. 126 Hunter street, near the Post Office.

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With the present staff of salesmen and a newly equipped office, and good conveyance, Mr. O'Connell is in a position to meet the demands of the public whose patronage he solicits.

Having sold my real estate business to Mr. John T. O'Connell, who has been in my employ as salesman for nearly five years, I wish to return my most sincere thanks to my numerous friends, and the public generally for the liberal patronage accorded me during the past nineteen years, and solicit for my successor a continuance of the same.

T. HURLEY.

—The German choir boys, when on their way to the Convention here, were met by the Mayor of Port Hope at the station, and were munificently treated.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. Charles Fairburn, ex-M.P. for South Victoria, was in town Saturday.

—Rev. O. C. Elliott, of Belleville, who has been in town for several days, returned home on Saturday.

—Miss Nellie Minore, of Belleville, who has been visiting friends in town, left on Saturday for Indian River, on a visit to her brother, Mr. M. Minore, station agent.

—Mr. J. B. McWilliams leaves this morning on a tour of inspection over the North Shore lumbering districts, where the Sudbury and Webwood agencies are situated. Mr. McWilliams will be absent two or three weeks.

NO CHAIN IS STRONGER THAN ITS WEAKEST LINK
NO MAN IS STRONGER THAN HIS STOMACH
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DISASTROUS FIRE AT CRESSMAN'S STORE.

The Entire Building Completely Gutted

Great Damage to Property by Fire and Smoke—Loss Estimated Between Thirty and Thousand Dollars

On Saturday afternoon Peterborough was visited by one of the most disastrous fires that has occurred for many a day. Mr. A. W. Cressman's dry goods store was the scene of conflagration, and the loss of property is estimated at between thirty and forty thousand dollars.

The actual conflagration broke out in the cellar of the southern store, No. 385 and 384 George street, but the real cause of the outbreak cannot as yet be ascertained, though it would appear to be either from the furnace or the electric wires.

The fire brigade answered promptly to the summons, and on their arrival dense clouds of smoke and fire were issuing from the windows of the second floor of store No. 385, as well as between the window sashes of No. 384 store. Three powerful streams of water were soon pouring upon the building from the front, and the effect was early noticeable. In a few minutes two extra streams were in service at the rear, and for a full-hour the streams of water poured into the building before any noticeable effect was produced. The firemen had a fierce struggle before the results of their untiring efforts were rewarded. The contents of the various floors were of a most inflamable nature, and the flames spread with remarkable rapidity. Fortunately at the time of the outbreak only a few ladies were employed on the second floor, but their time for escape was very limited, and but for the fact that one of the employees hustled up with the elevator, things might have been more disastrous. Mr. Robert Fair occupied the next store to Mr. Cressman's on the south side, and much damage has been done to his store by the fire, which will necessitate a cessation from business for some little time.

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. Cressman in his severe loss. He has conducted business in the town for the past four or five years, and he recently enlarged his opportunities by adding a furnishing department.

The building is owned by the Toronto Savings and Loan Company. It is difficult at this time to estimate the damage done to it, but it is most likely covered by insurance.

Had the fire not been so early discovered it is hard to say to what extent it might have spread, so rap'd was its progression. Much credit is due to the fire department for its prompt and efficient action.

OBITUARY

We regret to hear of the death of Mrs. Louise Brault, wife of Mr. Earnest LaPlante, at 9 o'clock on Saturday evening. The funeral will take place at 3 o'clock this afternoon to the Roman Catholic cemetery.

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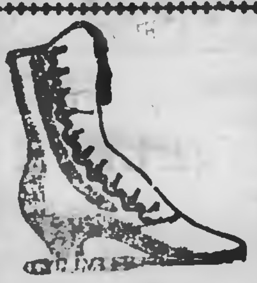
Specifications and full information will be furnished on and after Friday, the 30th January, 1903, at the Office of the Superintending Engineer of the Welland Canal, St. Catharines, where Form of Tender may be obtained.

By order,
L. K. JONES,
Secretary.
Department of Railways and Canals.
Ottawa, January 29th, 1903.



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THE NEW AGREEMENT TO PACIFY IRELAND

Provided the Imperial Government Will Find the Necessary Amount of Money

Clear Summary of the Recent Agreement Arrived at in the Green Isle

Dublin, Feb. 9—The basis of agreement arrived at as the result of the conference between representatives of the Irish landlords and Irish tenants is meeting with the faith of all, compromises. A section of the landlords headed by the Earl of Erne, professes itself dissatisfied with the bargain made by Lord Dunraven and Lord Mayo, which a section of tenant opinion—to which prominent expression is given by Mr. Davitt—is dissatisfied that Mr. John Redmond and Mr. William O'Brien have yielded so much to the landlords.

The simple way of stating the net result of the compromise is that each of the conflicting parties has accepted all or a great part of the opposite party's demands, and left the imperial treasury to provide the amount of money necessary to make up the difference they could not split.

If the result is viewed in relation to the public demand of each side before the conference was entered upon the landlords have certainly had less reason for regret. Their rents are falling; the security of their property is so bad that they have the greatest difficulty in raising any more money on it, even at 5 or 6 per cent interest. They are blistered by mortgages raised to meet the extravagances of their ancestors, and the future of agriculture is full of doubt.

Since Gladstone's land act of 1881 their rents, judicially fixed, have come down by 40 per cent. and if prices continue to fall, consequent on the development of agriculture in hitherto unfruitful countries, such as Eastern Russia, they would have to face still further reductions which would bring many of them to bankruptcy. They have, therefore, reasons for satisfaction that the tenants' representatives have agreed that they shall be paid for their properties a sum which will secure them their present net income (their nominal rentals less 10 per cent.) if invested at 3 per cent. The change from the uncertainty of rents to an income in a 3 per cent. security is surely enormous. In figuring the net rent no account is taken of bad debts and law costs—two fertile sources of loss. The man with a thousand a year in rentals is admitted to receive £900 of it and he is to get for the land which is supposed to bring him in this amount the sum of £30,000. There are few men in a failing business who would not be glad to accept such terms.

But this is not all. They have all good mansions and demesnes. They are to keep these if they wish. Furthermore, they are to retain their sporting and riparian rights—assets often of considerable value—and will have sole right of fishing or shooting over the estates they have sold. It is a very rosy prospect, and it is no wonder that the Duke of Abercorn, and the other landlords who opposed the land conference have passed a resolution congratulating it upon its results.

The reason for all these concessions to the landlords lies in the fact that the abolism of landlordism is regarded as imperatively necessary to free Irish agriculture from an intolerable incubus. The possibility of forcing a compulsory expropriation of the landlords—one of the primary objects of the United Irish League—is doubtful and at best somewhat remote. For the compulsion of necessity there has therefore been substituted the compulsion of inducement and to hasten the process the offer of the inducements must be closed within five years. On the other hands these boons to the landlords will not, according to the agreement, come from the tenants. It is hoped that the government, to get rid of the most immediately pressing part of the Irish difficulty, will bridge the gap between what the landlords get and what the tenants give, and that the savings on law and police which would result from the end of the land war would be sufficient or almost sufficient to recoup the expenditure.

What the tenants are to give is provided in the stipulation that every tenant shall pay, by way of installments of purchase money, 15 to 25 per cent. less yearly than he is paying in rents fixed judicially for the second term. That is to say, if a man was paying £100 a year for a farm in 1881 and had had 20 per cent. knocked off twice, he is now paying £80 rent a year. Under the purchase scheme he will pay not more than £45 nor less than £35 a year in purchase, and every payment will bring him nearer to the ownership of his holding. In sixty-six years he, or his successor will be absolute owner.

Mr. Davitt is very doubtful whether the government will provide the necessary bonus. He puts the necessary figure of treasury loss at £20,000,000 ($100,000,000.) But the figure is much less startling than it looks. It is after all only £500,000 a year ($2,500,000) if the government borrows it at 2 1-2 per cent. The Irish police alone costs a million and a half sterling a year and except for land disputes has nothing to do. Moreover, when the government wanted the landlords to agree to local government it gave them a subsidy of about £700,000 a year in relief of rates. For a less sum than it then cheerfully parted with it can rid itself of Irish agrarian agitation forever. It seems cheap at the price, and even the London Times is inclined to believe that the thing is possible.

A special feature of the recommendations of the land conference is the provision for the reinstatement, when possible, of tenants evicted in the land war in past years, and the provision for exceptional treatment for the congested districts, which means the bad land where the people swarmed when they were evicted to make room for cattle in the days when cattle rearing was as profitable as a gold mine, before American trade entered the competition. It is in these districts principally but not wholly along the western seaboard, that the famines are heard from. The people live mainly on potatoes in wretched cabins. A bad potato year means a famine. A redistribution of the great grazing ranches would provide all the people with comfortable little holdings and Ireland would cease to be counted in with India as the home of famine under the British flag.

The chief secretary for Ireland will bring in a land bill once parliament meets. If it is a big bill facing the situation you will have heard the last of the Irish land question. If, encouraged by the conciliatory attitude of the tenants' representatives, who felt themselves strong enough to state without finesse their minimum demand, he tinkers at the question, the fight will begin all over again.

ANTITOXIN FOR TYPHOID

Bacteriologists Searching for One Along New Lines

London, Feb. 9—It is one of the disappointments of the medical profession since the bacteria theory of many diseases has been fully established that all efforts to find an antidote for the typhoid bacillus have failed. An antitoxin has been provided for the diphtheria bacillus, because the poison of this bacillus passes out of its cell and is soluble. The poison of typhoid tuberculosis is intracellular and cannot be reached under ordinary conditions.

Recent experiments by bacteriologists, with the assistance of Prof. Dewar, of the effects of extreme cold upon the bacilli show that they survive at the lowest temperature attainable. It was discovered, however that when frozen in liquid air, the bacilli became extremely brittle, so that they could be triturated into exceedingly fine character and their cellular character thus destroyed. It is then possible to experiment with antidotes upon their poisonous contents, and it is hoped before long that this method will lead to the discovery of a treatment which will destroy the germs of typhoid in the human body.

LORD CROMER ON CAPTURE OF KHARTOUM

It Is Now Five Years Since the Mahdi Has Vanished

British Rule Meeting With the Usual Success—British Education; its Nature

London, Feb. 9—Lord Cromer made a remarkable speech this week in Khartoum, which reminds the people that in five years after the defeat of the Mahdi at Omdurman the Soudan has been reclaimed from sanguinary fanaticism to peace, prosperity and civilization.

Lord Cromer spoke most highly of the American missionaries on the Sobat river, saying that their work was being conducted admirably. Despite all this progress, however, he insists that the Soudan wants more population, more railways, more irrigation, more British officials, more schoolmasters, more public buildings in fact, except some crocodiles and hippopotami of which there is a superabundant supply, there is not enough of anything in the Soudan.

Will all these wants be supplied? That depends on the moral and financial resources of the British Empire and its continuity of policy. At present there is every indication that that the nation will rise to the demands of its great responsibilities.

Frequently of late English education has been adversely criticized. Cromer admits that the English youth are behind those of other nations in book learning, but he maintains that the results of the British educational system are best seen in countries like the Soudan. A lad, he says, who has been trained in the free atmosphere of the great English schools or military colleges has learned lessons which fit him for his duties as one of an imperial race. He is no automaton but can think and shift for himself; can take responsibilities and can govern with justice and fairness.

In proof of the truth of this, he adds that there exists all over the Soudan these young Englishmen who are being regarded by the natives as the representatives of a system which debars any return to the oppression and mal-administration of the past.

CRIMES OF PASSION

Startling Increase in Them Is Reported in France

Paris, Feb. 9—The increase in recent years in France of what the French call crime passionel has been most alarming. Dr. Toulouse, an eminent phychologist, who has investigated the subject, states that out of 191 murders committed in France, only 44 were due to motives of cupidity. All the others sprang from sexual passion. There were also, of course, numerous attempted murders, assaults of all kinds, stabbing and vitriol throwing, arising from the same cause.

It is useless to look for an improvement so long as French juries persist in acquitting or recommending to mercy, offenders of this kind, who plead the so-called tender passions as an excuse for their crimes.

A SCOURGE OF TYPHOID

Ithaca, New York State, in a Very Bad Way With Fever

Ithaca, N.Y. Feb 9—The epidemic of typhoid fever which recently broke out in Ithaca has now attained serious proportions. Today the nurses of the City hospital were obliged to give up their rooms to make room for the patients, the hospital having been crowded for some time. The Rev. C W. Peuer, of the Unitarian church offers to turn the church over for a hospital. There are at least 200 cases in the city at present and the list is rapidly increasing.

Physicians agree that the epidemic is due to impure drinking water and all citizens are warned not to use city water before it is boiled. The hospital authorities refuse to admit any but the worst cases.

MILES THE KING'S GUEST

Called to Windsor for a Sunday Visit—Sousa's Band Plays There

London, Feb. 9—This will be a great American week-end at Windsor. By command of the King, Sousa's band gave a concert today. Mr. Henry White, the American Charged' Affaires and Mrs. White dined with the King and Queen and will remain at the castle until Monday. Gen. Miles will join the party on Sunday at dinner time for an overnight visit.

At the request of Lieut-Gen. Miles, Mr. White asked his Majesty to receive the General in audience next week. The King, however, invited the General to visit him on Sunday, explaining that his engagement with the Duke of Devonshire to attend a house party at his seat in Chatsworth would prevent him from receiving the American commander on a week day.

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BITE OF THE BOERS IS LESS THAN BARK

Attitude of Extremists is Not Regarded Seriously

A FIRM HANDIS WHAT IS NEEDED

Results of Chamberlain's Visit to Bloemfontein

London, Feb. 9.—The Times' Bloemfontein correspondent says that the net results of the visits of the three deputations that waited on Mr. Chamberlain at Bloemfontein is to prove that the settlement of the Orange River Colony has not progressed quite so far as has been represented. The Moderate party seems to be leaning a little more toward the Extremists than to the ultra-loyalist party, and this perhaps is the most satisfactory feature of the case.

There will always be extremists among the Boers, but Mr. Chamberlain's reception in the Transvaal led him to believe that the moderates constituted a more numerous section, and were entirely well disposed toward the British.

The correspondent, however, still believes that the bark of the Boer, is worse than his bite, and it is possible that a sufficiently firm attitude has not been adopted in the Orange River Colony, and that the authorities have fallen into the easy-going attitude and a policy of conciliation through being surrounded by so many friends, but the Boers will only appreciate conciliation when thoroughly impressed by accompanying firmness.

NAVAL RESERVE

Bill to Be Introduced at Next Session of Parliament

Ottawa, February 10 — At the coming session of Parliament, a bill will be introduced by the Government for the establishment of a Canadian naval reserve force. Although the new naval force will be defensive yet it is not the intention to place it under the charge of the Minister of Militia and Defence, but of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries. Mr. Prefontaine will therefore be the first admiral of the Canadian navy. The details of the scheme are being worked out. Generally it is understood that the idea is to train a number of the young fishermen of the Maritime Provinces in naval and gunnery practice during the winter months, but whether on special Canadian vessels or on the vessels of the North American squadron, is not yet determined. It is obvious that the instruction will have to take place on Southern waters owing to climatic influences. It has been suggested, however, to also establish a training school for lads, whose vessels could be stationed in Canadian waters in the summer time.

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RUSSIA WILL TAKE A HAND, FRANCE IS RUSSIA'S ALLY

War in Balkans May Mean a General Outbreak

TURKEY IS READY FOR WARFARE.

After Macedonian Outbreak Big Powers will Grapple.

New York, Feb. 9.—The Sun has the following special despatch from London in regard to the Macedonian situation; The Turkish view of the situation is lucidly set forth in the Pall Mall Gazette by a staff officer who served in the last Russo-Turkish war. He says: "There have been many false alarms, but this spring trouble will come. The one convincing sign is to be found in the circumstances of Count Ignatieff's tour of the Balkans in commemoration of Russian victorism, which were not a sufficient motive for his speeches. These were of a sort calculated to make mischief. He did not improvise those speeches or make them on his own responsibility. That is not the Russian way. It follows that in fomenting trouble he was carrying out the settled policy of the Russian Foreign Office. It is reasonable to infer that the trouble he made publicly was not all the trouble he made. What one has to remember is that Macedonia is always ready to rise whenever she sees a chance of foreign assistance, but the leaders know perfectly well that without foreign assistance their case is helpless.

WILL RUSSIA ACT?

"Bulgarian assistance is not enough. The Turks are quite capable of stopping the Bulgarians without bringing a single man from Asia Minor. This fact is well known in Macedonia, Bulgaria and Russia. There will be no serious rising in Macedonia until Russia gives the word. If Russia gives the word, it will be because she is sure of a free hand, without interference from the other powers. Has Russia a free hand? At present everything depends on the answer to that question, and I believe it can be answered in the affirmative. Take the powers one by one. Since Lord Salisbury's speech about putting money on the wrong horse, Russia has held that England does not count in Balkan politics. France is Russia's ally, and the alliance may be presumably relied upon to keep Germany quiet. Some small concession on the Adriatic coast would easily conciliate any objection that Italy might be disposed to raise.

RUSSIA MUST FIGHT.

"The theory that a Macedonian rising is not only anticipated, but has been arranged for is the only theory that fits all the facts. The course of events will be somewhat as follows: The programme of reforms which Russia, France and Austria have pressed upon the Sultan will not be carried out. The snows will melt, and the insurgents will take to the mountains. The rising will be put down and the bloodshed involved will be exaggerated. The Macedonian committee will no longer be held back. Bulgaria will come to the rescue of Macedonia, and Russia will have to come to the rescue of Bulgaria. Austria will have to stand aside, keeping in the ring and awaiting the stipulated reward of a war like the last one.

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RETREAT CUT OFF

Many Yaqui Indians Barely Slaughter Mexican Regulars

Tucson, Ariz., Feb. 9—Word has just reached here that the Twelfth Battalion of the Mexican regulars was almost annihilated on a battle with the Yaquis, whom they were pursuing after having defeated them in a fight at San Marcial.

The regulars were caught in a trap their retreat was cut off by a second band, of whose existence they knew nothing. There were 600 soldiers in the battalion and if the report of the survivors of the fight who reached San Marcial is true, a great many of that number were killed. The reports, however, are believed to be exaggerated.

According to last previous accounts, the regulars were in a critical condition and had lost a large number, although the casualties are not known. The Twelfth battalion has been stationed for some time at Potam Rio Yaqui. It was made up of soldiers, trained to fight the Indians in the bush and was officered by some of the best men in the service in Sonora.

WEDDING BELLS

Nuptials of Miss Agnes Maud Fraser, of Norwood, and Mr. Jas. A. Bradley, of Calgary

Maple Villa, the home of Mr. Thos Fraser, one of Norwood's most prominent citizens, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Wednesday, February 4th, the occasion being the marriage of his eldest daughter, Agnes Maud, to Mr. James A. Bradley, of Calgary, N.W.T., formerly of Peterborough. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. R. Taylor.

The bride entered the drawing-room leaning on the arm of her father, to the strains of the song, "My Dearest Heart," by Sir Arthur Sullivan, sung by the bride's sister-in-law, Mrs. D. A. Fraser, and took her place under a tastefully draped arch

The bride was attired in her going-away gown of blue ladies' cloth, the waist being of Louisiana silk, trimmed with cream silk applique. The bride was attended by her neice, Miss O. Fraser, as ring bearer. After the ceremony the guests sat down to a dainty dejeuner, the tables being decorated with carnations and smilax.

The wedding presents were numerous, showing the esteem in which the young couple are held. The gift of the groom to the bride was a highly ornamental silver tea service. The happy couple left on the 5 o'clock train, remaining a few days at Peterborough, Toronto and Winnipeg before taking up their abode at Calgary.

SATURDAY'S GREAT FIRE

MORE DISASTROUS THAN FIRST ESTIMATED

Stock Destroyed at Cressman's Valued at $40,000—Amount of Insurance

So far the cause of the fire at Mr. Cressman's building on Saturday is shrouded in mystery, although many theories have been advanced.

The results of the conflagration have proved so far more disastrous than were anticipated. The loss to the two buildings and the stock of Messrs. Cressman and R. Fair & Co. is estimated at $60,000. Mr. Cressman estimates the value of his stock destroyed at $40,000, which is covered by insurance to the extent of $35,000.

Mr. R. Fair's loss is between $15,000 and $20,000, which is also nearly covered by insurance.

Mr. Cressman's building, which is owned by the Toronto Savings and Loan Co., was damaged to the extent of $6,000, and is covered by policies in the British American and Western. R. Fair and Co.'s store is owned by the Bradburn estate, and is also fully insured.

Mr Cressman was to-day able to open his safe and take out papers of value which were uninjured by the fire.

A Good Magazine

The January issue of "Canadian Good Housekeeping" is on our desk, and is another evidence of the excellent work being done by Canadian publishers. The magazine, while new to many of our readers, has a very wide reputation in the United States. Its circulation here is growing steadily, and is based upon sheer merit. Among the many features of the current issue are: The commencement of "Colin of the Ninth Concession," a tale of Scottish life in Eastern Ontario, written by R. L. Richardson. This splendid story is considered by many to be superior to that well-known book, "The Man from Glengarry," and will run through several months' issues of "Canadian Good Housekeeping." "A Railway King at Home," by Mary MacLeod Moore, a description of the private life of Sir William Van Horne, with photos of his magnificent residence in Montreal. "The Housekeeper," Her Importance in the State, by Lally Bernard; "Chinese Women in America," by Jessie Juliet Knox; "Jacob Abbott's Methods with Children," by Lyman Abbott; "A Romance of the Kitchen," by Alice Dunbar. In addition we note many other interesting and instructive articles by well-known writers. The cover of the January number is a work of art. It was designed by Edward Penfield, who is unequalled in cover designing. We can say in all sincerity that "Canadian Good Housekeeping" is a magazine that should be in every household. It fills a long felt want, and there is no doubt that it will turn out to be by far the most popular magazine in the Dominion.

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AWFUL DISASTER REPORTED FROM SOUTHERN SEAS

The Tidal Wave Brought Death--Thousands Lost Many Homeless

Society Islands and Tuomotu Group Swept by Storm—About Eight Hundred Lives Lost

San Francisco, Feb. 9.—News of a fearful loss of life in a destructive storm that swept over the South Sea Islands last month has reached here by the steamer Mariposa, direct from Tahiti. The loss of life is estimated at 1,000 persons. January 13th last a huge tidal wave, accompanied by a terrific hurricane, attacked the Society Islands, and the Tuomotu group with fearful force, causing death and devastation never before equalled even in a land of dreaded storms. The storm raged several days, reaching its maximum strength between January 14th and January 16th. From the meagre news received at Tahiti up to the time of the sailing of the Mariposa, it is estimated that 1,000 of the islanders lost their lives. It is feared that later advices will increase this number.

SATURDAY NIGHT'S BIG HOCKEY MATCH

Norwood Defeat Keene and Win Their District

Here we are again, and the much talked of hockey match between the C.G.E. Co, Rats and the Lock Works Mice is over. It was a grand spectacle, brilliant game, full of ginger, speed and wind, and unearthed stars who never shone before. The following players lined up before Big Bon Brown for instructions:

C.G.E. Co Rats—Goal, Drop McBrien, point, Hustler Norton, cover point, Fatty Foley; rover, Curly Jones; centre, Chaser Grady; right wing, Go On Crough; left wing, Get There Mahoney; goal umpire, Shorty Hurtubise.

Lock Works Mice—Goal, Stop O'Brien; point, Dagger McAuliffe; cover point, Shamus O'Brien; rover, Jumper Humber; centre, Popcorn O'Brien right wing, Cyclone Stortz; left wing, Hurricane Rishea; goal umpire, Hold Up Gleeson.

The game started with a rush and after some beautiful combination on both sides, and some useful stops by McBrien, (who by the way played a grand game) Cyclone Stortz got the puck, and a grand end to end rush, scored the first game for the Lock Works, to the delight of the assembled multitude. Time 3 min. 47 7-9 sec.

The second game commenced immediately after the first, and O'Brien, McAuliffe and O'Brien, the Lock Works defence, who were now down to business and playing brilliant games, stopped many well directed shots, when by a pretty piece of combination by Rishea, Stortz and O'Brien, Stortz scored the second game, and some of the girders gave away. Time 4 1-2 min.

The puck was hardly faced when Rishea scored the third game for the Lock Works on a wrist shot from centre.

After the face off, the game got a little rough, and Foley and Humber were sent to the fence by Referee Brown for two minutes. Both sides were working like Trojans, and the goal keepers were having their work cut out, when suddenly to the delight of all the players, the bell rang for half-time. Score 3 to 0 in favor of the Lock Works.

When the referee called the players on the ice again, it could be easily seen they had all benefitted by the ice bath, and soon were playing magnificent hockey again. After some grand rushes of the grand-stand order by both sides, Pop Corn O'Brien got the puck and shot, which McBrien could not see, and the score was 4 to 0.

As soon as the hostilities commenced again it could be seen that the C.G.E. were forcing matters and Stop O'Brien turned away some hot shots till Grady got a nice side shot and Shorty's hand went up, which meant the C.G.E.'s first game, and their supporters were tied down. Time 6 1-2 min.

They were soon down to business again, and by a beautiful piece of rush work by Humber the puck was brought into C.G.E. Co.'s territory, and the umpire's hand went up, and as there was only one minute to play, no further damage was done till the referee's bell rang. Score ended 6 to 1 in favor of the Lock Works.

NOTES.

Dagger McAuliffe showed much of his old time form, and with a little practice will be the same stalwart player as he was when he played with the old "Goose Pond Wonders" who nearly won the Stanley Cup.

Shamus O'Brien also put up a pretty game. His lifting being the feature.

Cyclone Stortz was the most brilliant man on the ice and his shooting was marvellous. It is rumored that the Montrealer's are after him to help to defend the Stanley Cup.

Rishea's checking and fast skating was also a feature.

McBrien and Norton for the C.G.E. Co. played grand games and are fast enough for any company.

Mahoney, the Spalding Bay League recruit, on the Electric team, shot well, but spoiled his chances by having a jersey the same as the Lock Co. players.

Stortz's fall was perhaps the best feature of the match, and the dejected look on him after his stick struck the rafters would have been a masterpiece for any photographer.

Manager O'Hearn was a delighted spectator. He was heard to say on the side, "They are world beaters."

A grand matched race was now the order, and Shamus O'Brien and Dagger McAuliffe faced starter Evans, and the pistol cracked. McAuliffe took the lead for the first half lap when O'Brien passed him, and held the lead till he fell on the last lap and McAuliffe came in a winner and is now the champion of the Lock Works.

Mr. W. E. Genno, who gave a successful exhibition at the new rink last Thursday, gives an exhibition at Lakefield to-night.

Norwood and Keene played off their tie last night on the Brook street rink, which resulted in Norwood winning by a score of 4 to 3, although it took 10 minutes over time to score the deciding goal. At half time the score was 1—0 in Norwood's favor, and at the expiration of time 3—3. It was a hard fought game from start to finish. This places Norwood in the semi-finals of the T.V.L. Mr. Jas. McCabe officiated as referee, and Mr. H. R. H. Kenner and Harry Morgan as goal umpires.

—A special train to Lindsay will be run by the T.A.S. hockey team to-morrow evening.

—Two post office keys, without numbers, and also a new lock, picked up on Hunter street, are in the possession of the Chief of Police. The articles may be had on application at police station.

A PROBLEM FOR GREAT BRITAIN SHOULD SHE BE INVOLVED IN WAR

JOB FOR MORGAN

New York, Feb. 9—A despatch to the World from Boston says that J. Pierpont Morgan, according to an Advertiser story, will go to Ottawa, and submit to the Canadian government a proposition to take charge of the Dominion railways. In case this mission is not successful he will propose as an alternative to finance the

Soldiers For Manitoba Here

Winnipeg, Feb. 10—Twenty English soldiers and volunteers who have seen service in South Africa arrived in the city yesterday with the object of settling in the northwest, and only six of them registered at the immigration hall, and these had all seen considerable service, extending from six to eleven years, in cavalry regiments, and were well accustomed to horses. Five of the men were engaged by Headingly farmers, and the other who has his wife with him, left last night for Medicine Hat. They say that a large number of South African veterans will follow them.

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American Correspondents are Sending in Anti-Canadian Despatches

London, Feb. 9.—The committee headed by the Duke of Sutherland, Lord Strathcona, Lord Charles Beresford, and a number of members of Parliament, admirals and other prominent men, which was formed February 1, to agitate the question of the scarcity of Great Britain's food supply in time of war, has issued a statement, in which the opinion is expressed that in the event of Great Britain becoming involved in an European war the country must be prepared to see bread at practically a famine price.

Various reasons are given as the basis for this opinion. The chief reasons are that the greatest source of Great Britain's food supply is the United States, where the price of wheat can be raised artificially, and that the corn trade on both sides of the Atlantic would expect to make profits on a scale commensurate with the war risks.

MEMOIR OF PROF. DOUGLAS.

London, Feb. 9.—Dr. Charles Douglas, M.P. for North-West Lanarkshire, has written a memoir of his brother, the late Professor Halliday Douglas, of Knox College, Toronto.

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A BANQUET THAT WON'T COME OFF

There was going to be a celebration in St. Petersburg of the second centenary of the Russian press, but there isn't going to be now. The promoters of the feast intended to ignore official warnings, and hold their banquet at all hazards, but when they found that the dining hall had been seized and individual warnings sent to all the guests, they concluded to yield to superior force. A glance at the resolutions which were to have been adopted affords an explanation of the government interference. Here are some of the demands which were to have been made: It is necessary that the system of preventive censorship should be absolutely and completely abolished; a complete change is necessary in the system by which the government is able to inflict punishment on the press by administrative order; breaches of law committed by press organs should be brought before a public and independent court of law; it is necessary that the press should have the legal right of discussing freely social and political questions; no concession should be necessary for the establishment of any organ of the press in any language; the inviolability of copyright should be guaranteed by law; the system by which publishers are required to deposit caution money should be abolished.

These demands seem reasonable, but the rulers of Russia think the press is already too free, and they are not disposed to give it any more privileges. M. Plehve told a press committee the other day that their newspapers were the cause of all Russia's internal troubles, and were not entitled to any favor from the government.

A TWENTY MILLION THANK-OFFERING

The most remarkable financial achievement of any religious body since the world began is the raising by American Methodists of a "thank-offering" fund of $20,000,000 in commemoration of the advent of the twentieth century. Four years ago at a meeting held in Trinity Methodist church, Springfield, Mass., this plan was broached. It was soon taken up in earnest and Rev. Dr. Mills, a presiding elder in the Elmira district No. 3, was chosen as the raiser of this fund. On the last night of 1902, at a watchmeeting held in the Springfield church, where the movement started, he announced that the last dollar of the immense amount had been secured.

In promoting his work, Dr. Mills visited every Methodist conference in the United States and met with interesting and dramatic experiences that would fill volumes. A few large donations have come from wealthy people, but the fund has been made up mostly of the smaller offerings of people of moderate means. Dr. Mills found the sons of Methodist ministers playing an active part in the business and professional life of all sections of the country, many of them being men of wealth and influence. One man, whose fortune is estimated at $20,000,000 gave a check for $400,000 as a contribution to the "thank-offering." As his father, a circuit preacher, had never received an annual salary of more than $400 this cheque represented a larger sum than that good man could have earned in a thousand years. The Norwegian conference of Minnesota, all of whose members are poor men, leads the list with an average contribution of $32 from each member, and the ministers of the Oregon German conference comes next with an average of $30 each.

The fund is to be devoted to educational uses, to the paying off of church indebtedness, and to various charitable purposes, such as the founding of hospitals, ten having been built since the movement started. Two of these hospitals, one in Illinois and another in Iowa, have been erected by wealthy laymen. Debts on other hospitals have also been cancelled. Dr. Mills, in his report, says that nearly $8,000,000 of this fund has been devoted to education, and that over eighty-six universities and schools will be its beneficiaries. It is confidently expected that when the payments are all utilized, no Methodist church of the United States will be in debt.

This fund, which has more than doubled the capital the church had hitherto in philanthropy, means, says the Baltimore American, "an advance movement for Methodist along vance movement for Methodism all along the line," while according to the Chicago Daily News, it has a "finer significance as a revelation of the abiding vitality and vigor of religious faith." In the days of its founder Methodism was only rich in faith. It is a gratifying fact that its growth in numbers, material wealth and influence has in no way dampened its zeal for good works. In this movement it has set an example that other churches would do well to follow.

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To Set Her Free

By FLORENCE WARDEN

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CHAPTER I.

Two miles at least from anywhere, with the first flakes of a coming snowstorm falling, a biting wind cutting into your bones, suffering moreover from a recent spell of fever and a scarce healed gunshot wound: can mortal man imagine a much worse predicament?

This was not, however, the whole sum of the suffering of Astley Darwen on that bitter December day. For he had not only himself to think of, but he had to consider also the fact that he was in charge of a brand-new motor-car, the property of a confiding friend, which had broken down in a hopeless manner when he had got a few miles out of Oxford, and which he felt bound to stand by in misfortune as it had stood by him up to then.

With much exertion, therefore, and limping along in a very chastened mood, Astley directed his steps, motor and all, towards a riverside inn which he knew, where he proposed to leave the car for the time, and to get rest and refreshment for himself, before returning into the town.

Never had he seen the place so deserted. Not so much as a tramp did he meet to give him a hand on his way. Slowly, painfully, with laborious steps, he pushed the vehicle along, filled with that deep sense of humiliation and abasement of which the Englishman becomes conscious when, after forsaking his true friend the horse, and taking up with the modern substitute, that substitute breaks down and, so to speak, taunts him with his inconstancy.

When he had got so near the inn that a shout would have brought someone out to him, Astley paused a moment, and gave a look round him.

The snow was beginning to drive down at a faster rate; the wind was whirling the flakes round before dropping them in little feathery clumps wherever there was a nook or a hole to be filled. Already a cloudy veil hung between him and the river, which was running fast and looking black as it ran.

There was just one figure in sight, and Astley watched it with the interest to which its lonely position entitled it. It was that of a woman, apparently a slight young girl, who, with her hat pressed down tightly with one hand, and her skirts blown round her like a sheath, was running like a hare with the wind, along the towing-path and towards the hand-bridge which crossed the river, a little below this point, past an old water-mill.

He was much too far off to see her face, but something in the woman's walk and manner made Astley look again, and presently made him leave his motor-car, to hobble a few steps in the direction in which she had gone, to look at her again.

And the more he looked, the more infatuated he became.

The woman reached the bridge, stepped on it, stopped short, turned once, turned twice, hesitated, came off the bridge again, and stood for a few moments looking down at the water. Then again she made a dash for the bridge, crossed it, and disappeared in the veil of snow.

Astley had by this time made up his mind to follow her. Something in his own circumstances at that time made him take a special interest, of a cynically bitter rather than a benevolent sort, in the doings of any woman of eccentric tendency. So he crossed the bridge, and turned to the right, and saw the same figure again, this time close to the racing water.

She did not see him. She did not hear him. The snow was driving, the wind was roaring and whistling in the leafless trees, and she walked along the bank quickly, without a look behind.

Then suddenly she stopped. Whether she was blinded by the snow, or whether she did it of her own free will she never told; but the next moment she was down the bank and in the water.

Astley was near enough to scramble down the bank after her, to snatch at her dress, to seize it, and to hold on, wet through himself, until, somehow or other, neither ever knew exactly how, they both found themselves, dripping, shivering, in a state of pitiable amazement at their circumstances, on the slimy grass and mud at the edge of the river.

Such a bedraggled, miserable object as the woman looked, Astley thought he had never beheld. What she was like it was impossible to tell; for her hair had got loose and was hanging in strings down her face; she had lost her hat, and a wisp of something which had that morning been a cravat of white chiffon now hung round her neck like a cord.

Her voice was young, and so he concluded that the creature was a girl: and to his surprise, there was an accent of refinement in it which he had not been prepared to expect.

"Thank you, thank you," she said, rather tartly, as she freed herself from the grasp of her preserver's hands, and made a futile attempt to draw her jacket back into its proper place: it had twisted itself round her in an indescribable way, while one of the sleeves had become stretched to an inordinate length.

Astley was by this time exceedingly cross, and his ill-humor was discernible in his voice as he said:

"Are you all right?"

"Oh, yes. I'm—I'm much obliged to you—of course," said she, speaking with so much irritation that Astley suddenly burst out laughing.

It was not that he was ill-natured, not that he was unsympathetic; but the incongruity of her words with the service he had just rendered her struck him with so much force that, being not unnaturally in a state of some excitement over his adventure, he was quite unable to control the impulse which moved him.

His laughter startled the girl as nothing else could have done. She stood before him—for they had now scrambled up a little way—and stared at him stolidly.

"Why do you laugh?" said she shortly.

Brought face to face with the knowledge that he was behaving unconventionally, Astley grew serious again.

"Indeed I don't know," said he. "There's nothing really laughable about the affair for me; for I've got wet through, and as I'm dead-lame, and haven't long got over an attack of typhoid, there's really nothing about this adventure which ought to make me merry."

The woman stared at him, and a little sound, like a smothered sob, came to her lips. Her eyes, which were black and looked unnaturally large in her face now that it was blue-grey with cold, suddenly became moist.

"Let me help you up the bank," said she.

And it was now her turn to do him a service, for his injured limb was benumbed with the cold, and she had hard work in getting him up to the top of the bank, which was now wet and slippery.

"I'm much obliged to you," said he, with his teeth chattering.

And he tried to walk, following her as she hurried along in the direction of the bridge. A curious object she looked, with her lank garments clinging to her, and the water still pouring down all over her. Before she had got many steps away she turned half round to look at her rescuer. He was hobbling along with evident pain, and she hesitated, her conscience getting the better of her shyness. In another moment she had come back to him.

"Won't you let me help you along?" said she quickly, in a shamefaced way.

"Thanks. It's very good of you, but you'd better make haste and get somewhere out of the snow, and I can't get along fast enough to—to—"

"I can't leave you, after what you did, until I've seen you out of it, too," murmured the girl in a low voice, still in the same awkward and shy manner.

Suddenly it occurred to Astley to think that it would be better for the girl, as well as for him, for her to remain under his eye for the present. So he said:

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The McLennan Paint Company, Limited, was organized in 1892 by Mr. C. J. McLennan of the McLennan Dipping Process, and other valuable paint-making machinery. The Company began business in rented premises, in East Buffalo. So profitable was the business, and so rapid the growth, that large factories were built in North Buffalo in 1895. The business again doubled, and another plant was added in 1898. In 1901 the Company invented and perfected a line of reds, or vermilions, permanent in color, and at much less cost than the old line colors. This increased the sale of their products practically one-fourth, making it necessary for them to build a new Color and Chemical Works. This factory is without doubt the largest and most modern in the world. Mr. Charles J. McLennan, the President of the Company, and the inventor of labor-saving machinery, such as dipping tanks, mills, etc., is recognized as one of the most skillful and best known paint manufacturers in the country. The name and fame of this Company, and its products, are known all over the United States and foreign countries, and that they will capture the Canadian market is evidenced by the fact that many of the large Canadian manufacturers are at present using their goods, in face of the heavy duty. It is with a view to saving this 25 per cent. duty and adding it to to the profits of the Company that they have decided to establish a branch in Canada, which will be controlled and managed by the parent Company.

Practical men of means, character and national reputation constitute the directorate and management. Each department is managed by a skilled man; monthly statements rendered and careful audet made semi-annually. The books are always open to the smallest shareholder. The finances of such a concern are guarded as closely as the finances of any bank, and failure is practically impossible.

COPY OF TESTIMONIALS.

A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.: Columbia National Bank, Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 23, 1903.

DEAR SIR,—The McLennan Paint Co. are good customers of this bank, and I have known them personally for years. All the officers bear excellent reputations, and are considered good business men. Their management is evidenced by the large business they have built up, as careful and conservative. They have met with great success in the past, and I believe that today, theirs is one of the largest and most prosperous concerns of its kind. I have every reason to believe that the stock which they are now offering for sale is a desirable, as well as a safe investment. Yours very truly,

L. H. GETHOEFER, Cashier.

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A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.; Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 23, 1903

DEAR SIR,—Your favor of 21st received, and note you are offering for sale $50,000 of the preferred stock of the McLennan Paint Company and ask me what I know of the firm. Would say I have had business dealings for eight years—transactions of many thousands of dollars. I am also doing business with other houses engaged in the same line, and desire to say there is no house in America to-day that stands higher than the McLennan Paint Co. The growth of their business has been phenomenally large, and under the conservative management of the President, Mr. C. J. McLennan, the success of the business is assured in the future. As an investment, in my judgment, nothing could be safer than the stock they offer.

Very respectfully, C. A. SALISBURY, Manager.

A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.: Buffalo, Jan. 26th, 1903.

Dear Sir,—Referring to the sale of $50,000 of our 7 per cent. Preferred Stock, the Prospectus does not elaborate on the proposition, but merely mentions the amount guaranteed. I desire to inform you, however, we could have paid at least 14 per cent. last year, but carried balance to a Reserve Fund, which, necessarily, makes the stock very valuable.

Very truly yours,

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Cecil R. Gold Mining and Milling Co., Los Angeles, California.

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(Signed) G. W. FLEMING,
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STOCK MARKETS

MORE FAVORABLE EXHIBITS

New York, Feb. 9.—We cannot refrain from again calling your attention to more of the remarkable statements of earnings being issued by the American roads at present, though we have no desire to become reduntant or tedious. As earnings are the primary foundations of all values, they naturally enter largely into all financial discussions and are thereby prominent in any theme or treatise relative to stocks and stock prices. When earnings are larger and apparently still on the increase, it is usually not only a good time to become interested in the market, but a very bad time to dispose of one's holdings. With easy money freely obtainable also, the above truism becomes even more trite and pertinent. Chesapeake and Ohio has been more or less strong lately, exhibiting a marked tendency to advance. People closely allied with the property have been steady buyers and are favorably disposed to it at the time. It is showing marked improvement and will undoubtedly work considerably higher prices. For the fourth week in January it reports a gross increase in earnings of $105,597. We believe you will make no mistake in buying into the property immediately. The Brooklyn Heights Railroad which is to all intents and purposes is the backbone of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit system reports increased earnings for the quarter of $274,902 and for the last six months of $602,334. ern Pacific reports a gross increase for December, amounting to over $600,000 while the net was about the same as last year. This is due to the fact of the company's enormous expenditures for improvement all of which is being directly charged to operating expenses. This policy will cause this stock in a comparatively short time to sell above par. It is synonymous to the business man of large earning capacity, spending for his living say only one-fifth of the income. The policy of all the American roads nowadays is to husband resources, to improve their property and traffic handling facilities as much as possible at the expense of the operating cost, which policy diminishes steadily the cost of handling of business, thereby increasing net results. As long as this is the case, and in addition business continues to expand, and traffic consequently increases it is futile to anticipate any decided fall in market values.

Summary.—Today's dealings were characterized by continued strength, many issues opening up quite sharply. Copper crossed 70. Sugar advanced 2 points, while T.C.I., Steels and Leathers were in demand at improving prices. The industrial list is in most every instance a good purchase at the present time. Wabash preferred led the railway list advancing four points. Rock Island rose over 2 points. St. Paul was strong all day, selling well above 180. Mo. P. rose 2 points. The entire market without exception was higher. We anticipate further improvement. Money closed last loan, 2 1-2. Sales 892,700.

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Daily Nevada State Journal, January 4, 1903.

Lovelock, Nev., October 8, 1902.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—If you wish to sell your Brooklyn mine I can get you a good price for it. If it was mine I would not sell it at any price, as you have more than a million dollars of ore in sight.

O. W. OSTRANDER, Supt.

Boston, Mass., December 1, 1902.

Mr. Geo. D. Burton, Treas.,
International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—During the six months of October and November of this year I visited the mines of the International Electric Mining Company, situated in Arabia and Trinity mining districts, Humboldt County, Nevada. I found the country remarkably mineralized; in fact, the possibilities of the country as a mineral producing country are yet unknown. For years it certainly has produced well. The work now being done in the Arabia and Trinity districts establishes the fact that they are fine producers.

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M. A. LATHROP, Mining Engineer.

Letters Received From Some of Our Stockholders

5 West Stockton Ave.,
Allegheny, Pa., Jan. 9, 1903.

Treas. International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—I have received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, with thanks.

Yours truly,
JOHN B. LIVINGSTONE.

Nahant, Mass., January 5, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
185 Summer St., Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Yours of Jan. 1st, enclosing dividend on my one hundred shares of stock in the International Electric Mining Company, received.

R. L. COCHRAN.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—I hereby acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

Respectfully,
HENRY STREIFLER.

Hudson, Mass., Jan. 2, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—Yours of Jan. 1st., enclosing dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company, has been received. Respectfully,

M. A. WARREN.

Lamont, Iowa, January 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Dear Sirs,—Yours of January 1st., enclosing tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in your Company, has been received.

MRS. MARY KNATT.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Enclosed find receipt for the semi-annual dividend due January 1st on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

ISAAC R. JAMIESON.

Taunton Street Railway Machine Shops,
Taunton, Mass., January 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock held by me in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, as per receipt herewith enclosed.

FRANK S. RANDLETT.

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 10, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—Enclosed you will find my receipt for dividend for stock in the International Electric Mining Company to Jan. 1, 1903.

MICHAEL GLASSER, [illegible] High Street.

South Birmingham, Mass.,
January 3, 1903.

Received the International Electric Mining Company dividend to January 1, 1903, on the stock of the International Electric Mining Company standing in my name.

Respectfully,
J. W. HARNDEN.

1124 11th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.
January 11, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—I received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my shares of stock in your Company and thank you very much.

Yours truly,
MILLIE C. WOOD.

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We have placed a small block of this stock on the market at 20 cents per share which will be worth $1.00 in a short time. Now is the time to buy.

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Hear Mr. Burnham on Friday evening in the Opera House in connection with the workingman's educational movement. Seats reserved for ladies. Subject: "The Workingman in Ancient and Modern Times and the Labor Movement in America." Silver collection.

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Bartenders Ball

Don't forget the first Annual Ball of the Bartenders' League, Local Union, No. 298, at the Forester's Hall Simcoe street, on Thursday evening, 12th inst., at 8.30. Tickets, $1 per couple, to be had from members of the Union.

Young Men's Guilds

A joint meeting of the Young Men's Guilds of the town will be held un the Charlotte street Sunday school on Friday evening. A debate will take place on the topic: "Resolved that the Trades Unions should be incorporated. The speakers will be chosen from the various Guilds.

Better Mail Service

Havelock Standard:—Mr. Jas. Bryans interviewed Mr. Jno. Lang, M. P., at Peterborough on Saturday, in regard to Havelock obtaining better mail service. What our merchants want is a service to Peterboro and Toronto on the afternoon express, and to Montreal and other eastern points on the moon express. Mr. Lang thought that it could be obtained from the Government and the matter will be looked into without delay.

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AT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Opening of the Revival Services Last Night

LARGE CROWDS PRESENT.

The Meeting Commenced with Song Service—Able Addresses Delivered By Evangelists Kerby and Turk.

There was a large congregation at St. Paul's church last evening, when the evangelists, Messrs. Turk and Kerby opened the week night meetings of the union revival services. The evangelists united inspiring song with earnest preaching and exhortation. The meeting opened with a song service, led by Mr. Mulligan, which was followed by a bible reading from Mr. Kerby.

Evangelist Turk delivered an address, and chose his text from the 4th Chap. 2nd Corinthians. He dwelt upon the Divine and human sides of the word revival. God had, in his work of saving the world, limited himself to a partnership with man, and if results were expected from this present revival in Peterborough the way must be prepared. Each individual must realize his own responsibility, and do something to make the meetings a success. They must get united with God. After the baptism of Pentecost Peter and John had, in the power of Jesus' name, healed the lame man who lay at the gate called Beautiful, and only they who had the baptism of the Spirit could do effective work. They, the evangelists, came not to Peterborough in the capacity of leaders of this revival, they had merely come to assist in the work. The pastors of the churches were the leaders of their people, and the Almighty was the Director. The speaker thought that there never was a time when the need for revivals existed as in this present age of materialism. What he saw at the opera house on Sunday had, he said, satisfied him that the time was ripe for a revival in Peterborough. There are people in the town whom God would save, and who in their turn are ready to receive the message—are yearning for that peace which the world cannot give. What was required now, was personal work and earnest prayer. There was work ready to be accomplished, and the responsibility of its accomplishment rested upon the Christian people of this town. It was an address full of earnest spirit and created a deep impression.

Mr. Kerby closed the meeting, and exhorted those present to help make the revivals a spiritual success. To fit themselves for the work four things were necessary: First, "Get right with God;" second, "Get right with your fellow-man;" third, "To get the Holy Spirit;" and lastly, "To get to work."

No evangelists who have ever been in Peterborough have made so good an impression as these men. Their utter abnegation of self, their freedom in method from anything savoring of sensational or emotional methods, their deep earnestness and apparent sanctity by baptismal power, created a very deep and worshipful feeling among the people present. The service was a benediction as all realized not only that they were in the presence of the Master, but that God was working by his spirit on the hearts of the people. The meetings will be all week at St. Paul's. Those who stay away are making a mistake, as no one could listen to the beautiful music so finely rendered by the evangelists and to their earnest words without feeling themselves lifted into a higher and nobler life.

THREE HUNDRED ABSENTEES."

From Schools Yesterday — Absentees will Receive Police Call To-Day

A report, which was the result of a plan arranged to find out the number of school absentees, showed that 300 pupils were not present yesterday morning. The Chief of Police advises that unless the children are in their places this morning, the police call to ascertain the cause of absence.

FRACTURED HIS COLLAR BONE

Mr. Jas. Tindle Meets with a Very Painful Accident

While working around the barn yesterday morning, Mr. Jas. Tindle, of Smith, met with a very painful accident. He had the misfortune to fall, alighting on his shoulder, and fracturing his collar bone. Dr. Morgan, of Peterborough, was summoned, and reduced the fracture.

OBITUARY

Death of Mr. Alex. Drummond, Town—Funeral To-Day

We regret to announce the sad death of Mr. Alex. Drummond, which occurred on Sunday at the residence of his mother, Mrs. Alex. Drummond, No. 759 George street. Mr. Drummond had only been sick since Friday last. The deceased had been in town four years, and during the greater part of that time has been employed in connection with the repair department of the Massey Harris Co. on Simcoe street.

The funeral will take place to-day at 1.30 o'clock to the Keene cemetery.

IMPORTANT MEETING

A Movement to Improve the Norwood Road for Travel

A public meeting of those interested in the improvement of the Norwood road is to be held at Shearer's cheese factory, on Friday next, at 2 o'clock. The meeting has been called in view of the $1,000,000 grant the Provincial Government is making for the improvement of the roads in Ontario. The purpose of the meeting is to arrange some definite plan of action with a view to improve the Norwood road.

Of this total Government grant, the sum of $2,300 is the township's share to be spent on the leading highways of Otonabee. This is a matter of importance to residents of the township, and all are cordially invited to attend.

—Chase will be skating at the Brock street rink this evening.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mr. J. J. Salmond, advertising manager of the Monetary Times, left on Sunday night by the midnight train for Montreal, in the interests of the paper.

—Mr. Wm. McLeish, of the Monetary Times, Toronto, spent Sunday in town, the guest of his friend, Mr. R. B. Morrison. Mr. McLeish left for the Capital on the midnight train Sunday night, to spent a few days with his brother, Mr. John McLeish, of the Geological Survey Department.

The Future Foretold.

A visitor to Richmond overheard the following conversation between his hostess and the cook.

"Please, Mis' Gawdon, may I git off nex' Sunday to go to the fun'ral of a friend of mine?"

"Next Sunday? Why, Eliza, this is only Monday—they wouldn't put a funeral off for a week!"

"Yas'm"—respectfully—"but dey has to, 'cause he ain't dead yit."

"Not dead! I am positively ashamed of you! How can you be so heartless as to arrange to attend the funeral of a man who is still living? Why, he may not die at all!"

"Yas'm, but he will; dey ain't no hope."

"It is impossible to say that, Eliza; the best doctors are often mistaken. But, even if they do know a case to be hopeless, they cannot predict the exact time of a man's death with such a certainty that the funeral can be arranged so long beforehand."

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Count von Goetzen, the Governor, is Looking for Capital for a Railway

Berlin, Feb. 10—Lady Curzon is not the only American woman whose husband rules over a colonial empire. A similar position is also held by the Countess von Goetzen, who is now in Berlin with her husband, Count von Goetzen, the governor of German East Africa.

The count, who has leave of absence until March, is now in Berlin. He said to a correspondent there:

"German East Africa is double the size of Germany," he said "and has a population of 6,000,000 of which only 1,000 are Europeans. The country is very porductive and rich in mineral wealth. I am now seeking capital for the purpose of building a railroad to connect Kiwa, in the neighborhood of our capital, Daaresaalam with Lake Nyassa. This road, if built, will be of immense value for it will make possible the control of trade between Lake Nyassa and Lake Tanganicka.

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"Slavery in German East Africa is gradually becoming a thing of the past—slave dealers being severely punished. The result has been that many Arabs formerly engaged in the traffic have become very poor. We are still permitting the so-called house slavery which can be abolished only by gradual processes.

"Daaresaalam, the capital, is increasing in size and is becoming an important shipping centre. It has the best harbor in the African coast, and is equipped with a dry dock.

"The climate of German East Africa is very enervating, but is no worse than that of India and Ceylon. In the highlands of the interior a delightful sub-tropical coolness prevails. We are now planning to establish in the Usambara Mountains, where the good coffee is raised, a hill station, in which to spend the warm season, patterned after similar ones in India.

"Daaresaalam can be reached from Naples in two weeks by the German East Africa line. Socially it is not a bad place and my wife is well pleased with it. We have our own yacht, and besides can visit Zanibar by steamer the island being only four hours distant. We frequently have regattas and tennis tournaments with the foreign residents of Zanibar. At home we often have concerts by amateurs, take delightful drives in the romantic environments of Daaresaalam, and, with our regular governmental duties, the day passes rapidly. Speaking of our drives, the story is true that when we were out driving a leopard attacked us, but the animal fled when I struck it with my whip. The story, it seems, was cabled over to America, for my wife's relatives had a special mass celebrated to express gratitude for our narrow escape.

Seldom Wear Uniforms.

"Regarding military life in the German East Africa, I wish to say that while of course drills and military parades take place occasionally, military exploits do not form the sole object of the colony. I also desire to correct the impression given out by Poultney Bigelow and others that German East Africa is governed on military lines and that officials and officers constantly wear uniforms. The very contrary is the case. Men go mostly in civilian clothes, and only on special occasions wear uniforms."

Count von Goetzen's rule of East Africa has meant the entire approval of the German Government. It has been Germany's aim to model its colonial system after that of Britain, and it found in Count von Goetzen the right man for the work on these lines.

His methods have been unbureaucratic, and in every possible way he has given active support to the merchants and planters living in the colony. He frequently holds meetings at which these elements are present and hears from them their grievances. He has solved the difficult labor problem of how to obtain men to work on the plantations by bringing natives from districts in the interior. It is his aim to put the colony on such a financial basis that it shall be self-sustaining and financially independant of the home government.

Governor von Goetzen is very popular with the natives whom he has endeavored to treat humanely and fairly. He hopes to establish a native council somewhat on the same principle as that adopted by the British in India.

SUGAR BEET INDUSTRY.

ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING AT OMEMEE ON MONDAY NIGHT

Much Interest Manifested — Important Addresses Delivered by Mr. C. W. Bennett Dr. Jeffs and Mr. Koenig

A meeting in the interests of the growing of sugar beets for the Peterborough Sugar Company was held in Omemee on Monday evening.

There were 40 or 50 representatives of farmers and business men of the village in attendance, all of whom gave evidence of the importance such an industry might become to the farming community.

The Peterborough Sugar Company were represented by Dr. W. H. Jeffs, the Agricultural Superintendent, and Mr. G. W. Bennett.

Mr. Koenig, of the Marine City Sugar Company, was also present.

Mr. McQuade, County Councillor, of Victoria County, was elected Chairman of the meeting, and in opening referred to the fact that as the Beet Sugar project that had been started in the town of Lindsay having as yet failed to materialize, he deemed the proposition from the Peterborough Sugar Company worthy of the earnest consideration of the farmers in this vicinity.

Mr. G. W. Bennett was then called upon.

Mr. G. W. Bennett, in opening, tendered apologies for the absence of Mr. T. E. Bradburn, the President of the Peterborough Sugar Company, who had been unavoidably detained owing to a fire on Saturday having destroyed some of his property in Peterborough, necessitating an appointment with the inspectors of insurance for this evening.

The Peterborough Sugar Company, Mr. Bennett said, did not wish to conflict with the Lindsay project in any way. It was at the solicitation of a large number of farmers in the County of Victoria that lead to their extending their acreage contracts into that county, and there was nothing to prevent the farmer from contracting to grow beets for both companies. This was done by the beet growers of Michigan, many of whom are now under contract to grow beets for five or six factories.

In this way the farmer had the companies at their mercy, as the factory that paid the farmer the best price and used him the best was the one who got the most beets.

Mr. Bennett clearly stated the project for the Sugar Company. The initial stages of the building of the factory were now almost complete, and in a few weeks it was expected the material and plant would be on the way.

The beets grown by the farmers in the vicinity of Omemee would be accepted by the company delivered on cars at the station, the farmer to bear the cost of hauling, the company to supply the cars and do the unloading.

Mr. Bennett gave a full description of the extent and importance of the industry to the farmer, showing that in like manner as the production and manufacture of cheese had become of great importance to the people of this country so also would become the production and manufacture of sugar from the beet, and the risk and cost of the latter, as far as the farmer was concerned, being comparatively nothing as compared to that of the former.

Mr. Bennett asked the farmers present to treat the project as a straight business proposition, to carefully consider the question from a practical standpoint, and if each one would figure the question of cost of production and income from crop, he opined that the balance would show a much greater profit than that derived from any other crop at present produced off the farm.

Dr. Jeffs, speaking of the starting of such an immense industry, mentioned the difficulties met, and compared them to the difficulties that were found in starting the cheese business, and especially at a period of prosperity, and strongly advised the farmers who, without a doubt, were experiencing an era of almost unprecedented prosperity, to encourage this new channel of production on the farm, so that in case a period of dull times again arrive farmers may have the growing of beets as another source from which to derive profit.

The Doctor said that while a few years ago a farmer could get from $5 to $10 a load for garden truck, etc., to-day the market gardeners were doing well if they made $3 to $4 for the same load, and by the reports of the meeting of the Tomato Growers' Association, of Hamilton, it was found the tomato growers were going into sugar beets. Any farmer would be well satisfied with ten cents a bushel for turnips or mangels if he could get an unlimited market. The sugar factory supplied this, and gave 12 cents the first year. This is a sure crop, and the price is fixed before the crop is planted, and is a crop that does not require any more labor than most farmers are accustomed to in their ordinary work.

If the farmer finds the price too small he has the matter in his own hands, he need not contract for a second term unless the company accedes to his demand for a better price.

The farmers of to-day are up to date, and are every where reaching out for new avenues of trade. This sugar beet industry supplies one, and the farmers are sooner or later bound to take it up.

The company can supply labor for any who contract for 25 acres or more as the Emigration Department are sending out experienced British farm hands to work on Ontario farms this spring, and any who make application will be supplied.

Mr. Koenig was then called upon. He said he had just come from Wiarton where the sugar factory was in operation at the present time. The people of that town and vicinity thought this industry was the greatest boon that had been established, and no trouble would be experienced in contracting for a far greater acreage next year. Mr. Koenig had been growing sugar beets in Ontario for three years near Wallaceburg and Dresden, he had been employed by the Marine City Sugar Company, of Michigan, and was an agriculturist for that company. He had made a great success in the growing of the beets. His company in 1900 had only 250 acres in Ontario, it increased in 1901 to 2500 acres, in 1902 to 4000 acres, and in 1903 there are 6000 acres contracted for this one company alone.

A friend of his at Sombra, Ont., had one acre in 1900 and produced 20 tons, in 1901 he had 5 acres and produced 85 tons, and in 1902 he took 20 acres. This man was not a farmer, but a citizen of the town.

Mr. Koenig gave the cost of the production as found by himself after three years experience to be from $15 to $20 per acre. That is figuring from an acreage company's standpoint, and in every case that he was connected with, the profits were large enough to satisfy all concerned.

Mr. Koenig then, at the request of those present, went fully into the question of preparing the ground, sowing, thinning and harvesting the crop, and while so doing was plied with numerous questions, all of which were answered in a very instructive and interesting way.

Mr. Koenig said that while there was no doubt slightly more work to carefully cultivate and grow beets than an ordinary root crop and careful cultivation was necessary to secure the best results, yet, on the whole, the extra work should not hinder any one from trying the crop, as the results were much better and the profit greater. They would be well repaid for the extra work

Several gentlement present expressed their intention of growing the beets, and an acreage company is well on the way to undertake 100 acres in the immediate neighborhood of Omemee.

Mr J. D. Thornton and Mr. J. McDonald were appointed contract agents and were quite enthusiastic that the townships of Emily and Mariposa will do more than their share of encouraging in a practical way this great industry.

Another meeting will be held at Reaboro on Monday evening next.

DISCOVERY OF MOLYBDENUM

Bulletin of the American Iron and Steel Association

Molybdenum is a metal which, until recently, has been but little known outside of the labratory, and its name, even now, is strange to the general public. Of late years, however, it has been much inquired for. It has been found superior to nickel for hardening and toughening steel. It is even better than tungsten for that purpose. Nickel makes steel tough; tungsten makes it tough and hard; but tungsten steel is disposed to crack under impact. Molybdenum makes the steel both tough and hard, and does not make it brittle. It has the additional quality of keeping the steel cool. It is therefore valuable in the manufacture of quick-firing guns. Molybdenum is one of the most refractory of metals. It cannot be melted in any furnace, nor even under the blowpipe. Nothing but the electric current will reduce it to a liquid state. A current of about 50 volts and 300 to 350 amperes will melt it.

The ore resembles lead and is mostly found in laminae and thin wedge-shaped masses in quartz veins. It is generally composed of about 60 per cent. of pure molybdenum and 40 per cent. of sulphur. The greater part of the ore supply has hitherto come from Sweden, but small quantities have been obtained from Maine and Arizona. Recently it was discovered in the county of Hastings, Ontario. This has been secured by a Buffalo company. A. T. Freed, formerly of the office of the American Iron and Steel association, and now of Hamilton, Ontario, has some molybdenum property on the west shore of the Georgian bay, near Parry Sound. Neither of the Canadian properties has been developed.

At present molybdenum ore, carrying 60 per cent. of the metal, is worth about $400 per ton, and the pure molybdenum about $2 a pound.

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THE TRENT VALLEY CANAL

Chief Engineer Rogers Lectures at Mc Gill College, Montreal

And Illustrates His Interesting Talk on the Great Waterway by Stereopticon Views

The Montreal Gazette thus refers to the lecture recently delivered at McGill College, by Mr. R. B. Rogers, Chief Engineer of the Trent Valley Canal:

One of the great results of engineering skill is the hydraulic lift lock, and two of these appliances now being installed in the Trent Valley Canal, will bring it in point of usefulness and convenience in operation to be a most important link in the chain of Canadian waterways from the west to the east. The many interesting features of this canal and the ingenuity of its construction were told last night by Mr. R. B. Rogers, chief engineer, of the canal, to a large audience in the lecture room of the High School.

The lecture was one of the series of those given to teachers, and proved most interesting. The lecturer dealt with the canal system in its entirety, but paid particular attention to the many features of the Trent canal. Mr. Rogers spoke of the value of canals and their importance in the movement of merchandise, and of the place taken by these waterways in the great problem of transportation. Grain carrying methods were gone into, and the necessity for the maintenance of the Canadian system demonstrated. The various routes were gone over, and these were made clear by the use of maps.

Mr. Rogers ventured to foretell that improvements in the western waterways would ultimately result in grain being carried to Montreal for 3 3-4 cts a bushel, a rate hitherto unheard of. The route by water from Port Arthur or Fort William to tidewater at Montreal or Quebec, comprises seventy-three miles of canals, forty-eight locks overcoming 551 feet. There are 1,150 miles of Lake and river navigation, making a total of 1,223 miles to Montreal.

Speaking of the Trent Valley Canal, Mr. Rogers said that the idea of a canal through the valley originated with the engineer corps of the Imperial Government in the first quarter of the century. Champlain had used this route on his way to the west, and afterwards spoke of its advantages. The way was explored and surveyed, and the Imperial Government commenced the work of the canal. In 1837 the Mackenzie rebellion broke out, and the money voted for the canal was turned to other channels. A portion of the work had been completed, but nothing further was done until 1880, when the Minister of Railways and Canals took a trip over the route, and its advantages appealed to him.

The work has been continued, and is now well under way. The two hydraulic lift locks which are being built will be features of the canal. The lift at Peterboro will raise vessels 65 feet in as short a time as it would take a vessel to go through the ordinary lock. These lifts consist of steel boxes, which counterbalance. A vessel enters the box, the ends of which are then closed. The pressure of the upper lift descending, causes the other to ascend. At the top the boxes are opened, and the vessel floats into the reach. Rams 7 1-2 feet in diameter support the boxes and raise or lower them. There are lifts of this character in operation in Europe, but none of them is of the size of the Canadian lifts.

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Editor of the Morning Times:

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JILTED MAN TAKES LIFE

Commits Suicide on the Night He Was to Have Been Married

Butte, Mont., Feb. 10—William Winters, one of the most prominent men in Butte, and former county auditor, shot himself through the head with a revolver last night, dying instantly. It is said Winter's fiancee broke their engagement, and this, it is believed, led to his suicide.

On a table within a foot of the corpse were many wedding presents. The ceremony was to have been performed last night.

—A full attendance of all members of Companion Court Queen, No. 276, is requested for the meeting to-morrow night, as business of importance will be transacted.

FOR BIG NAVY

Nebraska Legislature Wants Uncle Sam to Prepare For War

Lincoln, Neb. Feb. 10—The following concurrent resolution, which under the rules, takes the form of a regular bill, was introduced in the state senate yesterday:

Whereas, Congress has prudently taken steps to strengthen the army of the United States by an increase in the proposed arropriation for this branch of the service, therefore, be it

Resolved, That in view of the menacing attitude of foreign powers, the international situation justifies the general government in making further preparations to secure a lasting peace by being prepared for war; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the state of Nebraska, by its legislature, in session assembled, respectfully requests its representatives in congress to support an appropriation for a larger navy.

OTTAWA FIRE INSURANCE CO.

The Company Makes a Successful Record During the Past Year

We congratulate the management of the Ottawa Fire Insurance Company on the success of their operations for the year just closed, as shown by the report which appears in this issue of The Times. The company, although only three years in existence, is one of the most prosperous in the Dominion. At its head are several of the representative business men of Ottawa, including Mr. Charles Magee, Mr. C. Berkeley Powell, M.P.P., and Mr. C. Ross. Its business is extending rapidly throughout the Dominion. The net profits for the year just closed amount to $68,192, or about 68 per cent., on the paid up capital, out of which a four per cent. dividend has been declared. The gross revenue of the past year was $300,856, an increase of $72,000 over the previous year, and there was a decrease of over $13,000 in the losses, the latter representing less than 35 per cent. as compared with the premium income.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES

Another Large Meeting at St. Paul's Church

Evangelistics' Singing Enraptures Audience—Marked Spirit of Unity Present.

There was a crowded congregation in St. Paul's church last night, at the second week-night meeting held in connection with the union services now being conducted. All the churches were represented by their respective pastors, and the meeting was a most successful one. Representatives from the various Young Men's Guilds had charge of the ushering. Mr. Mulligan, of George street, assisted the union choir in the service of praise, while Mr. Wilgust, of St. Paul's, presided at the organ.

The service commenced with devotional singing, which was heartily joined in by those present. Evangelist Turk gave an expianatory bible reading, after which the two Evangelists sang a sacred duet.

Mr. Kerby was the speaker last evening, and selected his text from Mark 14, 8th verse. "She had done what she could." The subject of the discourse would be "The spirit and method of work."

Other writers, the speaker said, would have left out, what Scripture writers have put in. They would not have penned the incident of the eccentric woman. There must have been something wonderful about it, or Christ would not have linked it with the Gospel. Christ values things by their intrinsic worth.

This expression of love, came at a time when Christ most needed it. Others were forsaking; some betraying; some denying. But this woman showed her love. There is more love, the speaker said, in one woman's heart, than in the hearts of ten men. What was to be learned from this incident.

First: That those who love Christ are under obligations to manifest that love. Does your milkman know that you are a Christian? Has your newsboy discovered that you are a child of God? Has your family gained anything by your joining the church? Does your washer-woman believe that she is toiling for a servant of Christ?

Second: The spirit that prompted this woman's act. It is the motive that gives moral quality to an act. Much of what is done is without excellence because it is not done for Christ's sake. The man that forgets himself for Christ, will never be forgotten by Him.

Third: Timeliness of her act. If she had put it off six days longer it would have been too late, for Christ would then have been dead. We should make use of the present opportunities. Some are always behind. Late for breakfast; late for train; late with accounts. If they were not careful they would be to late to get into Heaven's gate. Now is the time to tell your wife you love her. Not tell her friends when she is dead. Now is the time to carry flowers to a sick friend. Not strew the coffin after she is gone. A ton of coal is worth more to a live man than a bouquet to a dead man. If your ministers help you, say so. It's the word in season, the bread when hungry, the sympathy when the heart is pining, and the good we can do when the days are passing by.

Fourth: The extraordinary character of this woman's effort. We ought to do something extraordinary for the Kingdom of Christ. We get into ruts and grooves, and it seems to take more or less work to get us out. Whitfield's preaching on Kennington Commons, John Wesley's preaching to the coal miners, John Livingstone's preaching on a tombstone was an extraordinary line of work, but it brought results. We must be willing to be singular for Christ.

Fifth: The spontaneous and impulsive character of this woman's act. Many a Heaven born impulse is checked for too much regard for conventionalities. It was the impulsive spirit of Lord Nelson that gave England victory at Copenhagen and Trafalgar. The same spirit in Admiral Dewey led him to sail up Manila Bay and gave the United States the proud distinction of giving civilization to ten million Fillipinos. General Buchanan was the finest scholar of the 16th century, but it was the enthusiasm of John Knox that wakened up Scotland. Erasmus was the finest scholar of any age, but it was Martin Luther that gave the world religious liberty.

To press the question them, said the speaker in conclusion, have you done what you could to know more of Christ through the study of the Bible? Have you done what you could wish with your time, money and personal influence.

The address was most impressive. Eloquent words, spoken with earnestness, and the knowledge of conviction.

After prayers from the various pastors the meeting closed with the benediction.

THE BIG POWERS ARE BEING APPEALED TO

A Menace to Bulgaria--Turkish War Preparations are So Regarded

London, Feb. 10.—The Times correspondent at Sofia says that the Bulgarian Government has addressed a representation to the Powers invoking their good offices in order to cause cessation of the Turkish military preparations. It is felt that there may be justification for the reinforcement of the Turkish troops in Macedonia, but the mobilization of an army corps at Adrianople can only be regarded as a menace to Bulgaria.

The situation is considered grave, but the Government, relying upon the friendly intervention of the Powers, will refrain from any counter demonstration. The Bulgarian army will not be mobilized except under pressure of extreme necessity, as it is fully realized here that even in case of a successful conflict with Turkey the result would be financial ruin to Bulgaria.

The same correspondent quotes a trustworthy correspondent, who has made an eleven-day excursion through Northern Macedonia. This correspondent says that the killing of some Turks in the Jumaia district led to a search for arms, which, in many cases became a pretext for extorting money. It was commonly said; "If you have no rifle, buy one and give it up," as a ransom from personal violence. The same rifles are repeatedly received by the Turks and sold again.

London, Feb. 9.—Washington and New York correspondents of London papers are busily engaged in endeavoring to prejudice the British public against Canada on the Alaskan boundary. The Standard correspondent says; "Canada can have nothing but a claim to a treaty that is objectionable because it authorises the cession of territory without any consideration, and so places the United States in jeopardy which Canada does not share."

The general English opinion, on the contrary, has been that a concession treaty should be the outcome, a give and take arrangement, both sides conceding something.

MARCONI'S CAMPAIGN.

London, Feb. 9.—Marconi will return to Canada two months hence, after visiting Italy. He is now carrying on a spirited campaign against the British permanent officials, who refuse to co-operate in establishing a commercial service between England and the American continent, and is applying over their heads to Austen Chamberlain. Marconi contrasts the obstructive tactics of the British officials with the assistance from the Canadian Government, and says there is great dissatisfaction in Canada at the British obstacles.

Milan Feb. 3—Signor Pino, the Genoese engineer, whose hydroscope, which it is said, enables the person to see the bed of the sea, was recently experimented with in the Mediterranean, said in an interview today that his invention would allow a clear view over an area of several thousand square yards, at a depth of from 400 to 500 yards. Signor Pino was reticent in regard to the construction of his instrument, but stated that he was able to see fish, plants crustacea, and other objects, even of the smallest size.

He says his apparatus can be adapted to use on shipboard and will enable a captain to see submerged reefs and banks from the maindeck of his ship. The instrument was tested in the presence of delegates from the Ministry of Marine.

The Genoese Submarine Society has also purchased for 8,000 another invention of Signor Pino. It is a large egg-shaped submarine boat, provided with two screws and also with wheels, which will enable it to crawl on the bottom of the sea. It is furnished with large grappling appliances with which loose objects at the bottom can be secured. The motive power is electricity, which maintains communication between the vessel and the surface by means of a telephone.

Signor Pino says he will make efforts in the coming spring to find the Black Prince, which was sunk during the Crimean war, with much gold aboard, and also the art treasures lost in the Greek Archipelago by Pompey in the civil war with Caesar.

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Another Crowd d House Greet This Popular Company Last Night

The success which has attended the various productions of the Marks' Bros. combination during their present engagement has been well nigh phenomenal. Crowded houses have witnessed each performance and the efforts of the artists have been received with unbounded enthusiasm. To-night is their closing performance, and they will depart from town leaving a lasting impression.

Last evening "In good old New York town" was the attraction, and the performance may be voted another success. Miss May A. Bell-Marks once again proved herself an emotional actress of rare ability. Her acting in May Trimmer was characterized by perfectly legitimate and artistic methods. She suggests intensity of feeling more by inference than by dramatic outbursts. There is no straining after effect; no mannerisms, but a charm and intelligence which enables her to conceal her art—which after all is the highest point of art.

Webster Morse is a real stage villain—the audience are never in doubt as to his evil intentions. J. C. Connally started out to convince that impression, and the hisses of execration accorded him last evening may be justly considered a sign of recognized merit. Will L. Stewart may be accorded a fair measure of praise for work which at least was conscientious and the same may be paid of Mr. Will C. Millard as Denny Dolan. Mr. Millard is an artist of many accomplishments, and well deserves the salvos of applause that greets his appearance. Miss Leah Stoddart tried hard to be convincing in her dual role last evening. She would do well to digest that valuable axiom of the actor's art "Appear natural." Carl B. Steers was seen at his best as Lake Trimmar, and a kind word must be spoken for the thoughtful work of Millie Bell Millard and Margie Steers. Turning to the olio "The Rowley's" in their excellent act earned new laurels. Their performance contains genuine humor free from vulgarity.

Proof Positive.

This year's Summer Girl is, more than ever alert. As witness the following incident: First, know that the young man meant only to revive that good old custom of "a pair of gloves" as a forfeit. When he found her curled up in the hammock, a magazine slipped from her listless fingers, he—well, who wouldn't! Of a sudden she opened her blue eyes on him, and remarked accusingly, a tremble in her voice: "You kissed me!"

He lost nerve, and stammered a denial.

"I know it was you," she insisted.

"I am not the only person about," he ventured. "There's Wilcox going over the links now. He had to pass here. And doubtless Dandy Williams—"

"No," she interrupted, "it was you, I know it."

Her look froze him, but he gathered desperate courage. "How do you know?" he demanded triumphantly. A flush spread to her pompadour. "Did I ever kiss you before?" he asked. "Granting I did kiss you just now—" he was pushing his advantage hard, and she squirmed—"I think I ought to be cleared!" He was getting indignant now. "There is only one way," he went on, "to put the matter to a fair test, and I propose to have that way adopted." He paused, and she looked troubled, but did not interrupt. "If I kiss you now, you can decide whether or no I was guilty before."

It was an awful risk, but he hoped a second time might soften her. She went quite pale, then replied firmly:

"I feel you have a right to vindication, Mr. S., and to show that I am perfectly fair-minded, I will submit to the test."

At this he almost shrank from continuing. But a second kiss! Delicious! And would she not relent? Would not all opposition be drowned, that is amalgamated in a mutual third? Great as the risk was, it was worth taking.

"I wish to be perfectly fair," he said, briskly, "and I suggest that you close your eyes that you may give undivided attention to the character and quality."

"But I was asleep before," she urged.

He almost said, "Really," but stopped in time, and substituted: "Simulation of sleep must do now."

"You will hurry, won't you?" she asked, her voice trembling.

But he was judicial. "It should be done properly," was all he would reply. She closed her eyes and doubled her fists, the color wavering from carnation to white rose in her cheeks. He drew a long breath, bent lingeringly, swept her trembling mouth with the tips of his moustache; softly fitted his lips to hers, gently pressed their yielding ripeness till almost the little white teeth were felt, lifted the lingering pressure till the tips of his moustache swept her trembling lips, and—it was over!

She lay quite still then, her eyelids fluttered. Presently they lifted over the blue, which was all dreamy and soft. She sighed, clasped her hands, spoke:

"I don't think the other was you!" she murmured with deep conviction.

Then he fainted.

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FARM LABOR

Mr. Preston writes from England that there are two classes in the old country available to help the solution of the Canadian farm labor problem. There are married men, with families of children, but the farmer must have a cottage on his premises to take advantage of this kind of help. Then there are young men, without agricultural experience, who would like to learn farming before investing in farm property. The latter, we should imagine, would be of a roving disposition and not inclined to do hard work. It would be much safer to rely on the married laborer. Canadian farmers cannot expect to find help available during the few busy months of summer, unless they can keep their men employed during the winter also. Those who have a lot of cattle and hogs to take care of need help in winter as well as in summer, and it must be a relief to the farmer's wife and family to have the hired man quartered in a house of his own. Manitoba makes a strong bid for the unattached farm laborer by its offer of high wages, with low excursion rates, during the harvest season, and Ontario can only offset that attraction by providing employment on the farm all the year round. In the fruit and sugar beet districts, the farm laborer's children could add much to the family income during the summer season.

THE NEW SERUM FOR SCARLET FEVER

The announcement of the discovery of a new anti-toxin for scarlet fever, coming as it does with the indorsement of Professor Baginsky, of Berlin, has the mark of authenticity upon it, differing from other cabled scientific news along similar lines. Aronson who is given credit for isolating the remedy, and Baginsky, who claims to have practically proved its value, have been alike identified with the earlier studies of diphtheria anti-toxin, in which they have made an enviable record. Positive statements from such men inspire all sorts of possibilities.

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THIRD ANNUAL MEETING

—OF THE—

Ottawa Fire Insurance Co'y

The annual general meeting of the shareholders was held in the head office of the Company, at Ottawa, on Tuesday, the 3rd February, 1903, at 3 p.m.

Amongst those present were Messrs. G. B. Pattee, G. F Henderson, W. C Edwards, M.P., Charles Magee, C. Berkeley Powell, M.P.P., Claude McLachlin, D. Murphy, M.P.P., C Ross, C. Jackson Booth, Bennett Rosamond, M.P., C. C. Ray, W D Hogg, W S Odell, J. A. Gemmill, John Coates, Peter Larmouth and Walter G. White.

The chair was taken by the president, Mr. Charles Magee, and Mr. A. B. Powell, the manager, acted as secretary.

The manager then read the third annual report of the directors as follows:

The directors have pleasure in submitting to the shareholders the annual statements of the Company's accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1902.

The revenue account shows a large increase of premium income, the gross being $300,856.65. This amount with cancellations and reinsurances deducted leaves $211,937.08, or an increase of $72,000.00 over last year, which your directors consider satisfactory.

On the other hand losses are $73,304.57, as against $86,808.62 in 1901, and the percentage of losses to premium is under 35 per cent. The net underwriting profit was $63,163.54, or, including interest on investments and rents, $68,192.67.

The very large increase in the business transacted this year, and especially the very gratifying increase in the net profits, fully justifies the confidence expressed by your directors in the last annual report.

During the year the Company purchased the property on the corner of Sparks and Bank streets with the intention of utilizing it for the offices of the Company as soon as our present lease expires.

All of which is respectfully submitted

CHARLES MAGEE,
President.

were necessary to re-insure all our outstanding risks, or to liquidate the business, we have more than sufficient assets on hand at the present moment to do it without touching the paid-up capital. We have a well established and growing business in every province of the Dominion and in Newfoundland. The business has now reached such a volume, and is so divided and spread over such a large territory that, although we may not always have such profitable years as the last, the directors feel assured that the outlook for the future prosperity of the Company is bright; at the same time we do not wish to raise hopes of large dividends in the near future, as it should be, and I am sure, will be the policy of the directors to build up a large reserve as a protection to both policy holders and shareholders.

In explanation of the item of the $30,000 mortgage on real estate— the property was bought subject to this mortgage bearing 4 1-2 per cent. interest. The Company offered to pay it off, but the mortgagees declined to accept the money without a substantial bonus.

It was then moved by the president seconded by Mr. C. Berkeley Powell, that the directors' report and financial statements just read be received and adopted.—Carried.

A resolution was then passed thanking the president, vice-presidents and directors for their care and attention to the interests of the Company during the past year.

Mr. C. Berkeley Powell, first-vice-president, on behalf of the directors, replied, thanking the shareholders. He was very pleased that, at the end of three years, the directors were enabled to show not only a large increase in business, but a substantial profit upon the year's operations.

A similar resolution thanking the manager and head office staff, the general and other agents of the Company for their care and zeal was next passed. The manager replied briefly.

Mr. Jas. F. Cunningham was appointed auditor for the ensuing year.

The board of directors were unanimously re-elected as follows: C. Jackson Booth, John Coates, C.E., W. C. Edwards, M.P., Allan Francis, Chas Magee, Dennis Murphy, M.P.P., Claude McLachlin, W. S. Odell, C. Berkeley Powell, M.P.P., C. C. Ray, C Ross and Bennett Rosamond, M.P.

At a subsequent meeting of the board, Mr. Charles Magee was re-elected president, and Messrs. C. Berkeley Powell, and C. Ross were re-elected first and second vice-presidents respectively.

REVENUE.

Premiums	$300,856 65		
Less re-insurance and cancellations	88,919 57		
		$211,937 08	
Interest on investments		4,370 43	
Rents		658 70	
			$216,966 21

EXPENDITURE.

License Fees		$ 8,645 98	
Fire Losses and Adjustments		73,304 57	
Commissions and Expenses of Management		65,018 90	
Repairs to Real Estate		165 51	
Provision for depreciation in value of Good a Piano and Office Furniture		1,638 58	
			$148,773 54
Surplus of earnings for 1902			$68,192 67
Reserved for Re-insurance			36,186 46
Carried to the credit of Profit and Loss			$32,006 21

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

Balance at 31st December, 1901	64,347 72	
Balance of Revenue account		$32,006 21
Dividend No. 2, payable 1st January, 1903	4,000 00	
Balance carried forward		36,341 51
	68,347 72	$68,347 72

ASSETS.

Cash—			
On hand	$ 124 07		
On deposit in Bank of Ottawa	16,490 27		
		$16,614 34	
Investments—			
Municipal Debentures deposited with the Dominion Government	$56,000 00		
Municipal Debentures	10,162 50		
Dominion Government Securities	10,106 50		
Railway and other Debentures	43,830 00		
Bank Stocks	20,362 50		
Real Estate	20,000 00		
		$160,461 00	
Interest due and accrued		556 92	
Rents due and accrued		681 31	
Agents' Balances		16,911 33	
Office Furniture and Good's Piano	$6,638 58		
Deducted for depreciation	1,638 58		
		5,000 00	
		$200,224 90	
Balance		36,341 51	
			$236,566 41

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$100,000 00	
Due other Companies for re-insurance	2,837 71	
Unadjusted Fire Losses	863 15	
Dividend No. 2	4,000 00	
	$107,700 86	
Re-insurance Reserve	128,865 55	
		$236,566 41

A. B. POWELL,
Manager.

To the President, Directors and Shareholders
of the Ottawa Fire Insurance Company:

Gentlemen,

We hereby certify that the books of the Company have been audited by us, that the vouchers and securities have been examined up to 31st December, 1902, and we find the whole carefully kept and correct.

P. LARMONTH, F. C. A (Can.),
JAS. F. CUNNINGHAM, F. C. A. (Can.).

Ottawa, January 30th, 1903.

The president, Mr. Charles Magee, then said:

Gentlemen:

I think we may congratulate ourselves as Shareholders, on the result of the year's business, as revealed by the statement just read.

In 1901 the gross premium income was $190,000 and in 1902 it was $300,000, or an increase of 58 per cent., whilst the net income for 1901 was $139,987, and for 1902 it was $211,937, or an increase of a little over fifty per cent.

The fire losses for 1902 were $73,304 which are $13,000 less than the previous year, notwithstanding the large increase in the volume of business; the percentage of losses to net income being under thirty-five per cent.

The net profits for 1901 were $5,296, and in 1902 they were $68,192, after writing off $1,638 for depreciation in office furniture and piano.

Out of this amount $4,000 was paid in dividends, $36,186 put aside for reserve on the increased liabilities to policy holders, leaving $28,006 to go to the credit of profit and loss.

In calculating reserve we complied with the Dominion Government requirements, which are more severe than is considered necessary, and we always use the same figures in our statement to the shareholders as we do in the return to the Insurance Department, and I am glad to be able to assure our shareholders that if it

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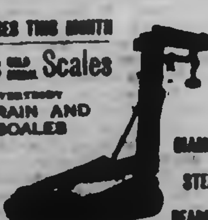

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To Set Her Free

By FLORENCE WARDEN

Author of "The House in the Marsh," "A Prince of Darkness," etc., etc.

"Very well. Then we'll get to the other side, to the inn there, and—"

"Oh, no," cried she in sudden horror. But the next moment she checked herself, and said, in a low voice: "Yes, yes, to the inn. Very well."

They had to go against the driving wind now, and, at the slow rate of progression which was the best Astley was capable of, they were so blue and stiff with the cold by the time they got across the bridge, that it was with difficulty they parted their lips to exchange a few melancholy words.

"Now—I'll—leave—you. You can —get along from here," the girl said, as she withdrew her stiffened arm from his when they had reached the opposite bank, and were near the little desolate-looking inn.

"You'd better—come in—too," rejoined Astley, with difficulty forming the words behind his chattering teeth. "There'll be—a fire—Think of it!"

He was trying to speak with humorous joviality, though his half-frozen companion was scarcely aware of the fact. She shook her head, but feebly. Astley tried again.

"Come—you'd better," said he. "You'll be half dead—by the time you get back —anywhere—if—if—"

Something in these words struck the girl, and made her hesitate.

Half dead! Dead! That was a solemn word, and it had a new meaning to her who knew what she had just escaped. She let herself be persuaded. When Astley put a cold, stiff hand on her arm, as if again asking for her support, she silently gave in, and accompanied him up the little path, trembling and wearing a very hang-dog expression.

Before they reached the door it was thrown open, and the landlady, with a hearty warmth of kindness, which sent a glow to both the frozen hearts, hurried them within doors, and busied herself at once in preparations for their restoration.

"Here, Sam, go and tell your master to find some clothes for a gentleman that's fallen in the water!" screamed she, not waiting to hear particulars of the accident. "And, Susan, light a fire in my room, and go and rout out something for the lady. This way, this way, my dear. Oh, you'll catch your death of cold if we don't make haste. How did you do it? Come, this way, this way!"

And the good woman, talking herself so fast that there was no need for either of the guests to find an answer, hurried the shivering girl up the stairs, and into her own bedroom, where she quickly provided her with some clothing to put on while her own was dried downstairs at the kitchen fire.

When the shivering girl had had her circulation restored by a warm bath, and had put on the clothes provided for her by her good-natured hostess, she sat down before the bedroom fire, with her face buried in her hands, and her heart oppressed with fears which were strangely different from the miseries which had brought her to her present plight.

In a short time there came a tap at the door, and on her crying, "Come in," she found herself once more in the presence of Mrs. Benne, who smilingly asked her how she felt, and handed her a cup of tea.

"Oh, I'm all right, thank you, and I don't know what to say to you, or how to thank you for your kindness," said the girl, reddening and holding down her head, as if to hide her face from scrutiny.

"Bless me, that's nothing!" said Mrs. Benne, pulling back the window-curtain a little so that she could get a better look at her guest's face. For, though it was still early, the December day had already begun to draw in towards dusk. "I only hope you've not caught cold. Never shall I forget the turn it gave me to see you both, you and the gentleman, looking that blue and shivering at the door. How did it happen now? Were you blinded by the snow, so that you both walked right into the river before you saw where you were going? Oh, there now, don't mind me!" added the good woman with a little laugh, patting

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COPY OF TESTIMONIALS.

A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.: Columbia National Bank, Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 23, 1903.

DEAR SIR,—The McLennan Paint Co. are good customers of this bank, and I have known them personally for years. All the officers bear excellent reputations, and are considered good business men. Their management is evidenced by the large business they have built up, as careful and conservative. They have met with great success in the past, and I believe that today, theirs is one of the largest and most prosperous concerns of its kind. I have every reason to believe that the stock which they are now offering for sale is a desirable, as well as a safe investment. Yours very truly,

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Very respectfully, C. A. SALISBURY, Manager.

A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.: Buffalo, Jan. 26th, 1903.

Dear Sir,—Referring to the sale of $50,000 of our 7 per cent. Preferred Stock, the Prospectus does not elaborate on the proposition, but merely mentions the amount guaranteed. I desire to inform you, however, we could have paid at least 14 per cent. last year, but carried balance to a Reserve Fund, which, necessarily, makes the stock very valuable.

Very truly yours,
THE McLENNAN PAINT CO., LIMITED,
C. J. McLennan, Manager.

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Ballarat, Cal., Nov. 1st, 1902.

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STOCK MARKETS

KELLOGG PREDICTS A LARGE ADVANCE

New York, Feb. 10—Daniel F. Kellogg, the writer of the Weekly Financial articles appearing each Monday in the New York Sun, takes a decided stand upon the bull side of the market and predicts an advance of considerable importance. Yesterday he said —The belief must be again expressed here as it was last week, that if, as now seems likely, an upward movement of considerable proportion occurs in the price of securities in the coming spring and summer it will centre in the industrial shares and lower priced railway shares. Industrial concerns at present are affording the most brilliant examples of large and increasing profits applicable to dividends. The strongest thing that can be said about them is that their productive capacity is still inadequate too meet the demands of consumption. For some reason or other the industrial concerns do not seem to be harassed by the exactions of the labor unions as the railways have been. An advance in the industrial list might be heralded by an uplift in the steel shares, while such an advance will probably come soon enough in due course of events. Its coming will unquestionably be hastened if the directors of the corporation see fit to proceed at once with the plan of converting $200,000,000 of its preferred stock into bonds as they now have the right to do, under the decision of the New Jersey Court of Appeals and Errors. Mr. Kellog's comments are exceedingly interesting, and we thoroughly coincide with him that we are on the eve of a good advance for both industrials and lower priced railway stocks. We also believe the lower priced stocks will advance also. Very seldom do we have an advance in stock prices, but what the higher priced stocks are close up to the leaders; consequently profitable to purchase. The money question is now all right. It is going begging at from 2 3-4 to 3 per cent., while astute judges of the money market as Russel Sage and others are pressing time upon their clients at 4 per cent. Railway earnings and business offerings are right up to the limit. We fail to see any factor in sight detrimental to market prices.

Summary—Dealings are increasing and market interest growing. Stocks were all up again today. Copper touched 71 while People's Gas rose to 103 3-8. More industrials were traded in freely than for some time past. Leather preferred rose three points and the common was in active demand. Railways were all strong. Mo. P. touched 115 7-8. Most of the issues were bought in considerable quantities and improved generally. Later in the day a reaction due to profit taking accompanied by reports of gold shipments took place. The market is in our opinion, a purchase upon each and every reaction. Money closed 2 1-2. Total sales 750,600.

To-morrow's letter—"Market Interest Increasing."

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Royal Templar's Social

The members and friends of the Royal Templars had a social in their hall last eve. An interesting program was successfully gone through.

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Watch Lost

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Bartenders Ball

Don't forget the first Annual Ball of the Bartenders' League, Local Union, No. 285, at the Forester's Hall Simcoe street, on Thursday evening, 12th inst., at 8.30. Tickets, $1 per couple, to be had from members of the Union.

Court Young, Peterborough C.O.F.

All members of the Court Young Peterborough Canadian Order of Foresters are urgently requested to attend the regular meeting to be held this evening at eight o'clock. Many matters of importance will be considered. The Executive committee also meet this evening.

Adjourned Meeting

The adjourned meeting of the Board of Trade will be held in the council chamber to-morrow evening at 8 p.m.

The report of the Sugar Beet Industry committee, etc., will be received, and it is requested that all members be present. Cards to this effect are being circulated to the members by Mr. T. G. Quartermaine, secretary of the Board.

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BEFORE JUDGE WELLER

Frank Murphy Guilty of Assault — Robbery Charge Dismissed

Frank Murphy, who was last week committed by Magistrate Dumble on a charge of assaulting and robbing Wilber Harris, received a hearing before His Honor Judge Weller on Monday. The judge looked upon the case as a drunken brawl. He dismissed the charge of robbery, but found Murphy guilty of the charge of assault. He was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

OBITUARY

Martin Leonard, Resident of Ennismore, Passes Away

On Monday morning, Martin Leonard, a prominent resident of the township of Ennismore, passed away at the age of 62 years. The deceased had only been ill a week and his demise was caused by heart failure. He was a school trustee and member of the township council.

The funeral will take place this morning at 9 o'clock. Much sympathy will be felt for his wife and two daughters who are left to mourn his loss.

TO PAINT BARNS RED

A. F. MacLaren, M.P., is strongly in favor of a movement to paint the barns of the Province of Ontario. This he thinks, should go hand in hand with the good roads movement and agricultural education. Anyone who travels through certain rural sections of New York, Pennsylvania, and Wisconsin where every barn and outhouse is painted, realizes what an enormous improvement it would make in the Canadian landscape if it were the general practice with our farmers. In winter time, especially, the presence of gray, bleak-looking buildings crowning every knoll is particularly depressing. The cost of paint has been materially lowered by the growth of the cement industry, and the introduction of cheap cement paints, while the novel process of squirting paint on with a hose has practically eliminated the cost of labor. There is no reason why in a few years' time the whole aspect of rural Ontario should not be changed.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mrs. Boswell, from Vancouver, is in town.

—Miss Jessie Miller is visiting with friends in Toronto.

—Mr. S. W. Tripp, of Picton, was in town yesterday.

—Mr. William Fair, father of Mr. Robert Fair, was in town yesterday.

—Mrs. R. P. Weir, of Ashburnham, has gone to Toronto to take part in the golden wedding of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mowry.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Charlotte street choir will have no rehearsal this week.

—A good assortment of fancy and comic valentines now on sale at Times Bookstore.

—Messrs Turk and Karby will address a mass meeting for boys to be held at the Y.M.C.A. at 4 p.m.

—To-day is market day. There is very little wood coming into town this week, owing, no doubt, to the bad roads.

—The "Elite" writing pad containing 100 sheets of best quality foreign which we are selling at 10 cents has no equal in value.—Times Bookstore.

—A meeting of the White Rose Degree of the Sons of England took place in the society's hall last evening.

—The funeral of the late Robt. Tice who died at Nichols hospital on Monday, will take place this morning, at 10 o'clock, to Little Lake cemetery.

ALL SAINTS' ENTERTAINMENT.

Under Auspices of The Senior Girls Guild a Decided Success

The entertainment at All Saints' Sunday school last night, under the auspices of the Senior Girls' Guild, was a phenomenal success. As an introduction, Miss Ida Mulholland gave a piano solo entitled "The Gipsey's Revel," in her usual clever manner, which was well received. Then Peterborough's great entertainer, Mr. Joseph Halpanny, was called upon, when he gave a humorous song, and for an encore sang "Sunday Afternoon. His songs and character sketches throughout in his own inimitable manner brought down the house. One of the most pleasing features of the evening was a recitation by Miss McCrae, who displays wonderful ability in that line. A vocal solo by Miss White was sweetly rendered. Little Pearl Haskill, for her years, did well in a piano solo. Mr. Walter Hooper's recitation of "Mothers Fool" and other pieces was rapturously received. Miss Mary Rush, in a vocal solo, sustained her well known reputation and received well merited applause. Little Geraldine Hooper's recitation was cute and clever. The accompaniments of Mrs. Glanville, Mrs. Halpanny and Miss Lillie Rush were quite artistic The oyster supper was a splendid menu and well served, during which many selections were rendered on the piano and by the graphaphone. The whole was presided over by the Rector with grace and dignity, who did much to make it one of the most successful concerts of the season.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

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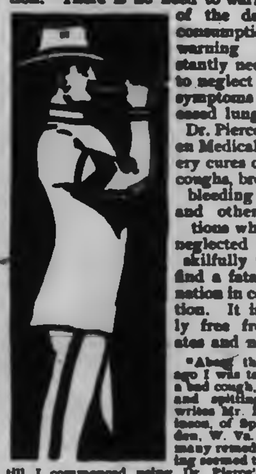

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TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

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Meeting for Boys.

Messrs. Turk and Kerby, the evangelists, will address a mass meeting for boys to be held in Association hall to-day at four o'clock. All boys over twelve are invited.

Court Young, Peterborough, C. O. F.

A regular meeting of Court Young Peterborough was held in the Foresters' hall last evening. Many matters of importance were considered. The Executive committee also met last evening.

Bartenders Ball

Don't forget the first Annual Ball of the Bartenders' League, Local Union, No. 298, at the Forester's Hall Simcoe street, on Thursday evening, 12th inst., at 8.30. Tickets, $1 per couple, to be had from members of the Union.

This Has a Local Application

The following, from the Whitby Chronicle, will furnish food for reflection in view of the amount of sewerage emptied into the Otonabee river above the town: Messrs. Sleep and Brant, two farmers of Whitby, mysteriously lost some cattle two years ago by a disease which was pronounced anthrax. They entered action against the town of Whitby and the Ontario Ladies' College, both of whom were emptying sewage into a stream which flowed on their farms. The case has been compromised out of court by the payment of $105 to Mr. Sleep, $110 to Mr. Brant and $125 costs, the college and town both agreeing to filter their sewerage by modern methods.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

County Police Magistrate Edmison will go to Havelock to-day to hold a session of the County police court.

—The visit of the Boston Ladies' Symphony Orchestra has been cancelled owing to a date not being obtainable.

—The 59th Stormont and Glengarry Regiment is to receive a new outfit complete, including Oliver equipment and Lee-Enfield rifles.

—The adjourned meeting of the Board of Trade will be held this evening to consider the establishing of a beet factory and other important business. A full attendance of members is requested.

—Lindsay Post:—The fame of the Lindsay Local Minstrels has gone abroad. The manager of the company received a request from an organization in Peterborough, asking for a date for that town in the near future.

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The T.A.S. hockey team defeated Lakefield last night at Lindsay by a score of 5 to 2, in the final game to decide the winners of this district of the T.V.L. Both teams, being a tie, were ordered to play off at Lindsay. The half time score was 2—2.

The ice was in poor condition and made good hockey and combination almost impossible, and in some places the player's skates sank through to the boards. There was considerable water on the ice when the teams lined up in the first half, but in the last half the ice appeared to be in better condition. For the T.A.S. Lynch, on the forward line, played a strong game, and Crowley, at cover point, did very effective work, while Lakefield always found Bill Meagher in his place ready to take care of anything that was coming his way. Lakefield put up a stubborn fight through out the game.

About 150 people accompanied the T.A.S., and about 80 with the Lakefield team on special trains.

Mr. Ernie Wasson officiated as referee, and was entirely satisfactory to both teams. Mr. Breen and Mr. Vanderwater were goal umpires.

NOTES.

Father Casey, of Lindsay, was an interested spectator.

A peculiar accident happened while the game was in progress. An enthusiastic spectator had to call upon the referee to pick up his false teeth, which had fallen from his mouth to the ice.

Will Peterborough have a championship?

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Here's luck.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—The many friends of Mrs. G. Payne will be glad to hear that she is recovering from a severe illness.

—Messrs. R. P. and A. G. Gough, of Toronto, are in town attending the closing days of stock-taking in their Peterborough establishment.

—Miss May O'Brian, of Millbrook, who has been staying in town during the past week or two with Mrs. McKee, Rubidge street, returns to Millbrook.

CIRCUIT FORMED

Big Race Meet to be Held in Peterborough in August

Mr. Arthur Rountree, secretary of the Peterborough Turf Club, arrived from Belleville on Tuesday night, where he had been attending a meeting of representatives of the Turf Clubs of Napanee, Kingston, Belleville, and Peterborough. The turf men of these towns succeeded in forming a circuit, and a grand meet will be held here in the first week of August, in Belleville the second week, Kingston the third week, and Napanee the forth week of the same month.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

MEETING HELD YESTERDAY MORNING

Dr. Bingham Asks an Increase in Salary on Account of Extra Work.

A meeting of the Board of Health was held this morning in the Town Clerk's office. There were present Mr. Robert Neill, chairman, and Messrs. A. Parker, W. Eyres, Mayor Rogar, Chief Rossel, Sanitary Inspector, and Dr. Bingham, Medical Health Officer, Dr. Burnham, and Dr. McNulty.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Dr. Bingham said that he had disinfected four houses yesterday, and produced the apparatus which he had used. In view of these extra duties Dr. Bingham presented an application in which he asked for an increase of salary of $100, as these extra duties took up all his time.

On motion of Mr. Parker, seconded by Mr. Eyres, it was resolved that Dr Bingham's application would be considered.

The secretary, Mr. S. R. Armstrong, read a communication from Dr. Bryce, of the Provincial Health Board, relating to the samples of water sent up to him for analization. He suggested that a map of the town be sent with each sample, and the place where the water was taken from marked on the map.

On motion it was resolved that this be done.

Chief Rossel related to the Board how, according to instructions, he had hired a horse and rig, and a boy to drive, and had visited the homes where children were reported to be absent from school, but he said he had not seen half the number of the absentees from school.

Mr. R. Neill thought it would be a good thing to continue visiting for a few days, and then as the ground would be fairly covered, stringency could be decidedly lessened.

Mayor Rogar said that he thought it would save both the Chief and the teachers a great deal of trouble by examining the absentees only once a week.

The chairman thought that it would not be sufficient to report the absentees only once a week — he suggested that they should report on Mondays and Fridays for the next three or four weeks.

Mr. R. Neill said that the Medical Health Officer should accompany the Chief of Police on his inspection tours.

Mr. Eyres thought that in the teacher's report that official ought to mention any person whom he thought had contagious disease.

On motion of Mayor Rogar seconded by Dr. Burnham, it was resolved that on Friday the teachers of the different schools should report the absentees for that day.

Dr. Bingham said that in Dr. Bryce's analyzation report of the well water of the Lake street school, he had condemned it, and as yet the well had not been closed.

On motion of Mayor Rogar, seconded by Mr. Parker it was resolved that the secretary be requested to communicate with the Separate School Board and request them to close the well.

The Board then adjourned. The next meeting will take place on Monday next.

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The sermon last evening was preached by Rev. Mr. Turk. His subject was "Reconciliation," and he selected a text from 2nd Corinthians, 5 and 18 verses.

The speaker said it was the privilege of every citizen to know something of the constitution by which he is governed. That without such knowledge he cannot discharge the duties of citizenship. If as is generally believed, there is a Supreme Being, it is the duty of man to know Him. I, as an intelligent man, the speaker said, want to know how God feels towards me, and how I ought to feel towards God. If God is good, then I ought to love him and obey him. The chief word of the text tonight is "Reconciliation," which is a beautiful word in itself; but at the same time is darkly suggestive. The Bible tells us that there is an estrangement between God and man. Not a distance, but a difference; and the main object of the Bible is to show how God and man can be reconciled.

We don't have to go to the Bible to find out this truth. The fact is that man needs to be reconciled with himself. He is out of harmony with himself. You take the lower animals: If you supply their needs and give them their liberty, they are apparently content and happy. But man is different. Let him roam over every land, and traverse every sea. Build him a palace and fill it with art. Write his name high in history —he is not content. This is but a tribute to the truth of the Bible, and leads up to the thought of the text, that man by nature is out of harmony with God. The carnal mind is enmity with God; for it is not subject to the law of God, neither indeed can be.

A little thought will show us that there is not one of God's laws but that men are opposed to. Take the covetous man: he objects to the law "Thou shalt not covet." The man that wants what does not belong to him is very much opposed to the law "Thou shalt not steal." The sensual man objects to the law "Thou shalt not commit adultery." Whilst the young man who wants to live a fast life refuses to accept the law of God which says: If a man soweth to the flesh he shall of the flesh reap corruption.

The whole truth, continued the speaker, lies in this fact: that God as the Ruler of this world has laws which must be obeyed, or man must suffer the penalty. Man has broken God's laws, and the extreme penalty of the violation is death—which means separation from God.

This Scripture to-night tells of reconciliation, and the wonder is that God, who is the offended one, should have made the reconciliations possible. And yet in earthly relations the stronger must help the weaker.

Concluding, the Evangelist said, the person through whom the Bible reconciliation is effected is Jesus, the Christ. Every barrier between God and men was removed by him. He had heard ministers exhort men to make their peace with God, but that is needless, for the Bible tells us that Jesus is our peace. Men will go on having hard thoughts about God, but all the time God feels kindly towards man through Jesus Christ, and is trying to get man to trust Him, and to love Him, and to obey Him. If he were asked to decribe in a word how a man is going to be saved, he would say: Submit to God.

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Summary—Today's market was strong and the upward movement in leather issues still continued, apparently fostered by keen brokers. These stocks will go higher. Eries were a feature specially the second preferred, which advanced two points, they were largely dealt in. Variations in balance of list were unimportant. Prices were firm. Smelters advanced still further despite the suit relative to taxes and looks like going higher. The market looks unusually good to buy into at present. Money closed 2 3-4. Sales 476,500

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Daily Nevada State Journal, January 4, 1903.

Lovelock, Nev., October 6, 1902.

International Electric Mining Co.,
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G. W. OSTRANDER, Supt.

Boston, Mass., December 1, 1902.

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M. A. LATHROP, Mining Engineer.

Letters Received From Some of Our Stockholders

6 West Stockton Ave.,
Allegheny, Pa., Jan. 9, 1903.

Treas. International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—I have received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, with thanks.

Yours truly,
JOHN B. LIVINGSTONE.

Nahant, Mass., January 8, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
185 Summer St., Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Yours of Jan. 1st, enclosing dividend on my one hundred shares of stock in the International Electric Mining Company, received.

R. L. COCHRAN.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—I hereby acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

Respectfully,
HENRY STREIFLER.

Hudson, Mass., Jan. 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—Yours of Jan. 1st., enclosing dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company, has been received. Respectfully,

M. A. WARREN.

Lamont, Iowa, January 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Dear Sirs,—Yours of January 1st., enclosing tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in your Company, has been received.

MRS. MARY KNATT.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentleman,—Enclosed find receipt for the semi-annual dividend due January 1st on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

ISAAC R. JAMIESON.

Taunton Street Railway Machine Shops,
Taunton, Mass., January 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Gentleman,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock held by me in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, as per receipt herewith enclosed.

FRANK S. RANDLETT.

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 16, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—Enclosed you will find my receipt for dividend for stock in the International Electric Mining Company to Jan. 1, 1903.

MICHAEL GLASSER, 545 High Street.

South Birmingham, Mass.,
January 4, 1903.

Received the International Electric Mining Company dividend to January 1, 1903, on the stock of the International Electric Mining Company standing in my name.

Respectfully,
J. W. HARNDEN.

1124 11th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.
January 11, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
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NAVIES AS INSURANCE

If big armies and big navies prevent war they are worth all they cost, and they are valuable in some ways even if they don't prevent war. A correspondent of the London Times makes an interesting calculation of the cost of the maintenance of the British navy, in connection with the merchant marine, as so much insurance. The navy insures the safety of the Empire's trade, and on that account has a commercial value. The yearly cost of the navy, including the naval expenditures of India, Australia and other colonies, is $170,160,000, the tonnage of the mercantile marine is $10,908,487 tons, and the value of over-sea trade is yearly $6,783,722,755. On the basis of these facts it is figured out that the naval expenditure is 2 1-2 per cent. of the yearly trade—a small "insurance premium" compared with what some countries pay. Russia, it is calculated, pays 12 1-2 per cent., France, 4.2 per cent., Italy 5.9 per cent., Germany 1.8 per cent. the United States 3.3 per cent. and Japan 6.2 per cent. What annoys the Times' correspondent is that, while India and the colonies do not take their share of the naval expenditure, the United Kingdom protects their shipping. They get their "insurance" for next to nothing, while the United Kingdom foots the bill, really paying 3.6 per cent. India pays but .2 per cent, Australia .14 per cent., and the other colonies .08 per cent.

According to this calculation the United States is getting its insurance fairly cheap.

FAMINE AND RAILWAYS.

While Canada is overflowing with plenty, far in the north of Europe there are two countries that are sadly scourged by present want. One of these is Finland, where an unusual measure of privation has been brought home to some 40,000 persons by the partial failure of the barley crop. The other is its old suzerain, Sweden, where perhaps 70,000 persons in the northern areas are facing the rigors of the long arctic winter, with an insufficient food supply. While high civilization has made men susceptible to new diseases and nations liable to new dangers, the forces it has organized have made famine practically impossible. In Russia, with its crude populations and its small railroad mileage, famine in some districts has become the expected thing. But the world has ceased to expect it from France, or Germany, or even from Italy. Australia is in the grapple of a drought that has lasted year after year, and which in ancient times, would almost have extinguished the race of man on the antipodean continent. But so thorough is the organization of society in the commonwealth, and so extensive is its railroad net, that, while its sufferings are acute, and its embarrassment is keen, the phenomena it presents to the world are not the grim eventualities of famine. It is the remote and backward communities, like Finland and Northern Sweden, that suffer the worst effects of such a visitation. Primitive people have all their eggs in one basket; more civilized states have various desperate resources. The failure of the American corn crop a year ago did not even check the National prosperity, other crops brought up the average and 1901 was a good year, even from the standpoint of the individual farmer.

A Toronto clergyman complains that many churches pay their preach- doesn't seem to be as many passeners less than the wages received by street car conductors, but there gers over the line the preachers operate.

To Set Her Free

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By FLORENCE WARDEN.

Author of "The House on the Marsh," "A Prince of Darkness," etc.

the girl's arm kindly, as she seemed to shrink into herself at these words. "I know what young folks are; I've been young myself, and I know it's very little they see of anything but each other."

The young girl moved restlessly under the infliction of this speech, not knowing whether she had better confess that the man who was her fellow-sufferer was a stranger to her, or allow Mrs. Benne's curiosity to evaporate in ignorance.

"Oh, it wasn't that, it was not at all like that," she said, with a little frown and a restless movement.

"Oh well, never mind, I won't bother you. You neither of you want to talk about it, I see." From these words the girl gathered that her unknown rescuer had been as reticent as herself. "I only hope the poor gentleman will get over it as well as you seem to have done; but he's done nothing but shiver ever since."

"Really?" said the girl, in a strangled voice, rising instinctively as she uttered the word.

"Really and truly. It seems he's not long got over an attack of typhoid, and he's been wounded beside, so he's more than ordinarily susceptible just now. Do you want to see him?" she went on, moving towards the door, as if to lead the way downstairs.

"No," said the girl, sharply, as she promptly resumed her seat by the fire.

Mrs. Benne seemed rather surprised, if not displeased.

"He's sitting all by himself in the parlor downstairs," said she, while she began to wonder whether a serious quarrel was at the bottom of this accident. "He's sent into Oxford for a fly, to take you both, and in the meantime I advised him to keep as warm as possible."

Again the girl stood up, and now it was impossible to mistake the expression of her face for anything but one of serious concern.

"Not for both of us," she said quickly. "He—I—"

She stopped. The landlady was confirmed in her suspicion, and the expression of her face changed also. Intense curiosity began to get the better of every other feeling in her breast, and the girl, grateful as she felt for the kindness she had received, was worried and distressed by her position, and a little inclined to resent Mrs. Benne's evident wish to know more than anybody chose to tell her.

"Oh well, of course, it's no business of mine," said the landlady, after a pause to allow her guest to unbosom herself if she chose. "Of course I've no wish to intrude, though I've been trusted with a good many secrets in my time."

"There's no secret in the case," said the girl, with unconscious irritation, turning to the window, and looking out at the still fast falling snow. "I slipped and fell into the water, and—and this gentleman got me out, and unfortunately got wet through himself in doing so. That's all."

"I quite understand, and I won't trouble you again till the fly comes," said Mrs. Benne, as she snatched up her little tray and retreated to the door.

And before her guest could detain her to express afresh her thanks for the kind treatment she had received, Mrs. Benne had shut herself out of the room, and was on her way downstairs.

The girl sprang up again, and once more stared out in the gathering gloom. The snow was falling faster than ever; the wind swept clouds of the feathery flakes now to the right and now to the left, and the black line of the river was growing dim.

"I must get away, I must get back!" muttered the girl, peering out at the flat country along the river bank with a dismal sense of the difficulties that lay before her. Then she turned quickly, and having by this time exchanged her borrowed garments for her own, proceeded to put on her jacket and misshapen headgear which, much damaged by the water, had to do duty for a hat. With one horrified glance in the little looking-glass at the strange object she then appeared, she hurried across the room, opened the door softly, and ran downstairs.

The day was by this time fading fast; the heavy clouds and the falling snow all contributed to the darkness and the gloom. At the bottom of the narrow staircase she came to a window half blocked with snow, and to a door which she knew was the back door of the house.

Almost leaping to the ground in her haste to get away, the girl had her fingers on the handle when someone darted out of an opposite door and, turning in her direction, began to grope for the latch, evidently without seeing her.

Instinctively she drew back; the other person found the handle and threw open the door.

It was the man who had rescued her from the river. At the same moment they saw, recognized each other, and uttered an exclamation.

Each understood that they had had the same idea in their minds, that of escaping from the house without the knowledge of the other.

CHAPTER II.

A curious situation it was, and for the first moment each hesitated what to make of it. Then, with a laugh, Astley spoke:

"Not inviting outside, is it? And—there's a fire in that room."

Drawing the outer door slowly to, in the face of a gust of wind and a whirl of snow, he looked round towards the room out of which he had just come.

The girl hesitated, made a movement forward, as if she would have burst her way out of the house at sight of him, and then, with a crimson, hang-dog look, and breathing heavily, turned in the direction he indicated. She hoped he would not follow her, but he did. He came in his turn, into the big, bare room, with its uncomfortable linoleum-covered floor, and its rows of deal tables, now huddled together at one end, which would be covered with little white tablecloths and ranged at even distances when the summer came, to invite the tea-drinking visitors and excursionists from Oxford.

Now there were only two of these tables in occasional use, and they were placed near the fire, each with a couple of worn knives, a few Britannia metal spoons, and a dusty basin half full of sugar, to intimate that they were at the service of the chance visitor.

On each side of the fire was a springless arm-chair, relic of the days of horsehair and crochet antimacassars, and in one of these Astley had been taking his ease when a sudden impulse had urged him to leave the inn before his fellow-visitor should make her reappearance. For there was no doubt that their situation with respect to each other was an awkward one. Astley had few romantic tendencies, and although the young woman had certainly not appeared [illegible]

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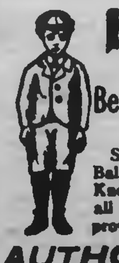

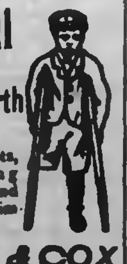

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A LITTLE BRITISH WAR IN ONE OF THE WORLD'S WONDERLANDS

Expedition Preparing to Punish the Slave Raiding Emir of Kano

ANOTHER WAR ABOUT TO START

In Which Britain Will Carry Civilization to the Sokoto Empire on the Dark Continent

London, Feb. 11 —Col. Morland, commandant of Northern Nigeria, is about to advance on the Emir of Kano, who shelters the murderers of Captain Moloney, the British resident at Keffi, and given great offence to the British government, under whose protection his territory is, by persistent slave-raiding.

Kano, which is a sultanate in Northern Nigeria, is distant some five days' march from Zaria, to which the expedition is about to make its way from Zungeru. Colonel Morland has with him some eleven hundred officers and men, five 12 1-2 pounders and seven Maxims. It is the most considerable force yet engaged in that part of the world, and the evidences point to its being fully taxed.

The Emir is no mere African savage chief. Kano is nominally but a subordinate sultanate of the Sokoto empire which, in turn, is, of course, under British protection. But Kano and its people differ from every other area and community on the Dark Continent.

Ten thousand splendid horsemen, travellers tell us, are at the command of the man who has braved the power of Britain. Behind him is a history of unchecked successes and cruel conquests.

There is no other place on earth like Kano. It is the very kingdom of paradox. A peep into one of its teeming marts suggests its story at a glance. There you see the richly apparelled Arab, urbane, refined, bartering in the open market-place with a jabbering, naked heathen.

The Hausas, who people Kano, have a literature of their own. Their language, rich and sonorous, with a vocabulary containing some ten thousand words, is an ancient one.

Their writings we are able to trace back for at least a century; they are believed to date back to a far more remote period. Differing from every other people in tropical Africa in having reduced their laguage to writing, they stand unrivalled for culture and learning, with a literature of political and religious poems and native history.

And these sable savants, with their inexplicable erudition, with their trading colonies scattered far and wide, have for their currency—what? Cowrie shells, and slaves —slaves for pounds, shillings and pence, and the cowrie shell for a two-hundredth part of a penny.

An African Manchester.

Kano is the Manchester of the Soudan. For nine and a half centuries the Hausas have been the great clothmakers of the Dark Continent. So famous is this product that the natives of the Soudan will have no other. The Hausas grow the cotton themselves, dye it with indigo of home production, or a brilliant scarlet obtained from the bark of an indigenous tree—all this by slave labor. The making of cloth is the work mainly of the free, who employ small and cunningly devised hand-looms for the purpose.

And if their cloth is good, there's nothing like leather—Kano leather. Far and wide they export it; and the "Morocco leather," of commerce, is largely the product of the Kano craftsmen.

They have altogether an enormous trade, and yet do not possess a single factory, the industries all being carried on in the homes of the individual workers.

Far and wide their caravans travel to Mecca, across the Sahara, and by way of Tripoli and Alexandria; sometimes by way of Wadai, Darfur, Khartoum, and Suakim. To this stage the Hausas have brought the trade of the land they took. But they are not the ruling body.

For the past two centuries the kings and governing classes have been drawn from the Fulah tribes—soldiers and rulers by instinct and training.

Originally, they were shepherds, and owned all the flocks and herds in the country round about. One day they decided that they would be kings; and their splendid guerilla cavalry rode staright to power and has kept the Fulahs there ever since.

World in a Market-Place.

These are they with whom slave-raiding originated, and by whom it is continued today, in spite of every British attempt at repression.

A Kano market day—it is every day in the week—is a sight never to be forgotten. Thirty thousand people daily attend to buy and sell. The market is the Whiteley's, Unlimited, of the Soudan.

You can buy everything— camels, horses, asses, cattle, cloth, leatherwork, hides, silks, nuts, salt, ivory ostrich feathers, sugar, needles, pins, paper, swords, razors, spices, copper every variety of provisions—and slaves. Never less than 500 a day of these poor wretches stand on offer in the pens.

But these do not represent the number traded. Every landowner, and man of authority demands tribute of slaves from the man next in rank beneath himself, so that raiding is incessant.

Until recently the Emir of Adamawa sent each year 10,000 slaves to the Sultan of Sokoto, a journey of eight hundred miles. An English traveller recently in Kano told us that Mohammedans were constantly arriving with gangs of captives, and that, on one occasion he saw upwards of a thousand brought in by one party.

A landowner has slaves to work his property. When he goes to trade his wares slaves form his means of transport. As the provisions for the caravan get lower he sells a man or two in wayside villages, or, pausing at a halting-place for rest and diversion, leaves a slave for payment, and takes his change in cowries.

Only Man is Vile.

The city of Kano stands four-square to a hundred miles of the richest cultivation in the world. North, south, east and west are vast tracts of Guinea corn, Indian corn, wheat, rice, indigo, ground nuts, peas, beans, bananas, sweet potatoes, onions, and every variety of vegetable and herb—all produced by a generous soil requiring little or no aid from man.

Enormously thick walls of mud, 30 feet in height, fifteen miles in circumference, guarded by a moat, 8 feet deep and pierced by thirteen gates and one water gate to permit the escape of floods, engirdle the capital. Within are fine broad thoroughfares lined by wonderful houses of mud.

The land inside the city is mainly cultivated, so that from this point of view the stronghold is equal to a prolonged seige.

The oldest quarter is Dala, which takes its name from a huge rocky mound, said to possess gold. Hausa legend has it that if ever a white man be allowed to tap the treasure of that rock, Hausa and Fulah away will perish that same instant.

To see his majesty of Kano is a matter of grave difficulty, and attended by rites and ceremonies hardly according with British ideas of the homage due to a sable potentate.

You must wait a minimum of three hours in the outer chamber of the Emir's mud palace, and then, without warning, are whirled into the presence of majesty and left to make the best of it.

An audience with the Emir of Kano is one of those genial occasions on which, if you do not keep your head in a figurative sense, you will lose it in a literal one.

TOMMY ATKIN'S WAIST LINE

Tight Lacing Causes Many Deaths Among British Soldiers

London, Feb. 10—Tight lacing is killing Tommy Atkins. This, at least, is the opinion of army surgeons who attribute the great prevalence of heart disease among soldiers to the tight-fitting British uniform. On parade Thomas looks very spruce and neat in his faultless-fitting tunic, but that same effect of neatness has cost more than one soldier of the king, his life.

One surgeon made the startling declaration this week that nearly all the soldiers upon whom he has held post-mortems have suffered from heart affection, due to the tight strapping in which the men are enveloped, especially for heavy exercises. Officers at Aldershot concur in this opinion. The high rate of sickness in camp in the summer time is due to exhaustion caused by tight belting and strapping in the drill season.

The English soldier, perhaps, is the most unsuitably clad of any army in the world, and the difference between winter and summer garments is so small as to be of no actual protection. Men faint and fall out on the march with painful frequency and soldiers, after a few years of it, develop valvular troubles.

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OUR DEBT TO EMPIRE

Chamberlain Declares that While Colonies' First Duty is at Home They Owe Much to Britain

SIGNIFICANT SPEECH IN SOUTH AFRICA.

"Who Knows When the Next Blow will Fall?"

London, Feb. 11.—Chamberlain's speech at Grahamstown on Monday was evidently intended for a wide audience, and constitutes the clearest indication of a general Imperial policy that Chamberlain proposes to pursue. He declared that the Mother Country would defend its heritage to the last man, but the colonies had their share of responsibilities for the Empire. Last year England spent £60,000,000, besides the war debt. He was, he said, addressing all the colonies when he said they were not doing what they ought in regard to obligations to the Empire. The increased vote of Cape Colony for a fleet was not sufficient to keep for six months the warship Good Hope. He would agree that the first duty was at home, but all hope of the Empire's future was based on co-operation with the mother country. He said he was anxious that the colonial aspiration should be partners in the Empire, whose mission was justice, freedom and equality. He added: "Who knows when the next blow will fall? We, by remaining one people, shall prove that the Empire is founded on a community of sacrifice."

KILLED FAMILY AND HIMSELF

Insane Man Murders His Wife and Three Children and Commits Suicide

Dallas, Tex., Feb. ——News reached here today by telephone from Woods, in Panola county, of the killing of an entire family near that village last night. Charles Rowe, who has been considered insane for several months, killed his three children, and his wife, by splitting their heads open with an axe, as they lay sleeping in their beds. Rowe then went to a field and cut his throat, and died in the woods.

Neighbors discovered the tragedy this morning. The five bodies are to be buried tomorrow.

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CASTRO IS MASTER

Government Troops Capture the Town of Guatire

Caracas, Feb. 11—A force of 2,000 men with fifty horses and two guns under command of Minister of War, General Ferrer, left Caracas yesterday in the direction of the seaport Higuerote, fifty-five miles east of Caracas. The object of the expedition was to attack a body of 1,500 revolutionists, under general Mohagas, reported to be too feeble to attack the government, but strong enough to devastate the district around Rio Chico, province of Miranda, sixty miles southeast of Caracas, and daily enter and pillage the town.

Even ardent revolutionists recognize that President Castro is master of the situation.

The government troops captured the town of Guatire at noon and are now marching on Rio Chico.

TRYING TO INJURE CANADA'S CASE

Attitude of American Correspondents of London Newspapers

NOT MEETING WITH SUCCESS

The General Public Thinks Policy of Give and Take Should be Pursued

London, February 10—The Washington and New York correspondents of the London papers are busily engaged in endeavoring to prejudice the British public against Canada in the Alaskan boundary question. The Standard correspondent says: "Canada can have nothing but a claim treaty, which is objectionable because it authorizes the cession of territory without any consideration and so places the United States in jeopardy which Canada does not share."

The general English opinion on the contrary, is that it is a concession treaty, the outcome of a give and take arrangement, both sides conceding something.

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REBELLION NOW FEARED

THE SITUATION IN CHINA NOW BECOMING SERIOUS

Preparations Being Made for a Great Revolt —Letters from Dr. Service

The gravity of the situation in China is at last admitted by the Methodist Mission Board. Those in charge have persistently denied cable despatches as altogether exaggerated and unreliable, but recent advices from their own representatives have placed matters in a more serious light.

The reason for this changed feeling at the Mission rooms is that a letter has been received from Dr. C. W. Service, who left the city for China last year, dated Werber, December 29th. It refers to the fact that a very cautious and experienced China Inland missionary, who has just returned from a tour of Kansu, reported that most extensive preparations were being made for a great rebellion, and that two of the leaders of the Boxer movement, whose heads were forfeit by demand of the foreign powers, were now at the head of a well-disciplined army of ten thousand men. A later letter from another missionary confirmed this statement, observing that the people were never known to be so unfriendly. The Mission Rooms admit that as Kansu is immediately north of Sz-Chuan, where the Canadian missionaries are, it looks serious for the peace and order of that province. Dr. Service says the missionaries at Wuhu, some twenty in number, think the situation is grave and fear that the summer may witness a widespread rebellion.

BARBARITY IN BRITISH ARMY JUNIOR OFFICERS WERE FLOGGED

Their Comrades Do It—Each Compelled to Administer Part of the Blows.

London, Feb. 10.—The Countess of Aberdeen, addressing a large audience at the Society of Arts this afternoon on "Women in Canada," paid compliments to the the earnestness, purity, patriotism and intellectuality of the Canadian woman. Right Honorable Leonard Courtney occupied the chair.

A movement is on foot for the formation of a college for training poor cultured English women for life in the colonies. They are to be taught gardening, cooking, nursing and laundrying in a one year's course. Mr. Duff Miller, the agent general for New Brunswick, is the only Canadian endorser. The syllabus rather snobbishly says: "The future wellbeing of the colonies demands English women of higher cultivation to inculcate traditions of English home-life." In my opinion Canadian have little to learn from English women

THE KING'S HEALTH.

The King is completely restored to health, and is now at Buckingham Palace, where he received Premier Balfour to-day, settling the details for the King's speech at the opening of Parliament this day week.

GAVAN DUFFY'S DEATH.

Much regret is expressed on all sides at the death at Nice of Sir Charles Gavan Duffy. He was a fellow rebel with D'Arcy McGee, but afterwards became Premier of Victoria. Since 1877 he had lived in the South of France. He met him at the last jubilee, when he said he was as keen a Home Ruler as ever. In his opinion McGee was one of Ireland's greatest men.

NAVAL EXTENSIONS.

The Admiralty has decided to build three battleships of 18,000 tons each, the largest in the world by 2,000 tons, also the heaviest armor-plated and armed. The largest American and Russian are 16,000 tons, and French 15,000 tons. The Admiralty has also decided on some ten new cruisers of 13,000 tons each.

THE GUARD'S SCANDAL.

The agitation continues in military circles arising out of the dismissal of Col. Kinloch, of the Grenadier Guards, for permitting "ragging" of subalterns by their seniors. Admiral Cochrane has a long letter in the Times today, explaining that it is the custom in the officers' mess of the Guards to cane subalterns' fleshy part bared, not for fun, but real punishment for offences against military etiquette. The Admiral quotes the case of a brilliant subaltern who resigned rather than submit to such indignities. There seems to be a prejudice in the Guards against earnest military ability.

Public feeling is veering round to favor Lord Roberts for dismissing Col. Kinloch and stopping the indignition.

COREA AGAIN BALKS

Government Forbidden Use of Notes of Japanese Bank

London, Feb. 11—The Times' Tokio correspondent says: "Despite the strong protests of Japan, the Corean Government has again interdicted the use as currency in Corea of notes issued at Seoul by the First Bank, which is a thoroughly stable Japanese institution, under the presidency of Baron Shibusawa. The Japanese press is indignant for what is termed Corea's arbitrary neglect of the treaty of 1896, guaranteeing full facilities for trade in Corea. Russian intrigue is suspected, but this is scarcely credible, as the Russo-Chinese bank also probably desires a note issue which is within the power of Corea to stop. The Japanese Government is said to be resolute in the matter, but pacific.

MANITOBA LOOKS FOR RUSH OF SETTLERS

The Provincial Government Immigration Agent Makes a Bright Forecast

Says That For Each One Last Year There Will be Five in 1903

Winnipeg, Feb. 11—The prospects for heavy immigration to Manitoba during the summer of 1903 are exceedingly hopeful. J. J. Golden, provincial government immigration agent, in speaking to a reporter for The Times this morning that for every one who came to the province last year, five will come this year. Last year over 30,000 settled in Manitoba and next year, Mr. Golden expects, the influx will be limited only by the transportation facilities.

Speaking of the rush into the country he expressed the hope that all concerned in providing accommodation realized the number that are likely to come. Last year the city was crowded; hotels and boarding houses were taxed to their utmost capacity, and considerable inconvenience was experienced by arrivals. Facilities for supplying bed and board will have to be increased greatly to handle this year's rush, and the better the newcomers are handled, the better will be their impression of the country.

Everybody Coming.

All the Americans who call at Mr. Golden's office speak of settling in the west, and he is kept busy answering the communications of those who intend coming. "If I were establishing agencies for the sale of government land throughout the United States," he said, "I could put in 1,000 now. People who intend coming want to know if they can supply their friends with government lands and what commission they will be allowed on sales made by them."

These people both call at his office and write him. In every instance they speak of large numbers coming from their vicinities in the United States in the spring, when the weather is more favorable.

Men Still Scarce.

Despite the enormous influx into the country, there is a shortage of farm hands. Men cannot be got to work on a farm, although wages are good and work is supplied for twelve months in the year. The farmer is also now more desirous of keeping good men, but on account of the easy terms on which a man can get a homestead, the experienced hand, in most cases, becomes a proprietor. By doing this, he not only depletes the army of laborers, but increases the number of employers.

RACED FOR HIS LIFE.

INCIDENT OF WOOD LIFE ENDING IN A TRAGEDY.

Fight of Woodsman Over the Ice From a Ravenous Pack of Wolves

Ottawa, February 11 — Intelligence has just been received at Hull of one of those startling tragedies which now and then direct attention to a class of men who spend more than half the months of each year in the solitude of the pine woods. Secluded in their log shanties from early in September, with, as a rule, no connection with the civilized world until the frost permits teamsters to bring their horses along the bush roads and over the lakes these men are glad to seize every opportuntiy for a change.

When the lakes were covered with a clear sheet of ice recently, two young fellows employed on the shore of Deer Lake secured two pairs of skates, which chanced to be in the place and set out at night to visit another band of men about nine miles away. With the exception of a little portage of about half a mile between two lakes, the whole journey was by ice and no very formidable undertaking to the two sturdy log makers.

As they were hobbling over the portage on their skates, they were startled by the sudden breaking across their path of a red deer, followed by three or four wolves, who were close upon the heels of their prey. Being without defensive weapons of any kind, they realized their danger if another pack of wolves should, as is often the case, follow after the beasts they had seen pass, and they made all speed to the lake before them.

Just as they were breaking through the thin ice at the lake side, they heard a whining behind them, and then

THE LOW HOWL.

which told them that their track had been discovered and that they would certainly be followed. But by the time the wolves reached the waterside, where they caught their first sight of the man they were tracking, the two shantymen had reached the firm ice and were skating in earnest.

Fortunately for them there were a few hundred yards of thin ice to be crossed, which almost, but not quite, held up the wolves, and its sharp, edges wounded and hindered them greatly. Otherwise they would have caught up with the men, and probably have overpowered them before they had gone half a mile.

As it was they had almost overtaken them before they had covered the first half of their four-mile race. Neither of the two men was a hunter and this was their first experience with wolves, but by mutual agreement they adopted the very best tactics possible, and when their pursuers came too near to them, wheeled sharply to one side. As the smooth ice afforded no grip to their claws, the wolves could not turn or stop suddenly, but generally shot forward, and made several stumbles, and sometimes somersaults before getting on the fresh track.

In this manner the skaters avoided the brutes for some time, and would probably have reached their destination, but for an unfortunate suggestion of the younger man, that they would be more likely to tire out the wolves if they separated. In accordance with this plan they wheeled in different directions at the end of an island they were approaching.

As the elder man reached the other end of the wooded island, he saw before him the sparks which issued from the huge chimney of the shanty he was searching for. Putting on all of his remaining strength, he spurted on to where the cook's path led from the shanty to the water hole. There the two big gray timber wolves, which were elected to follow him, turned tail, and with a parting yelp

TURNED IN THEIR TRACKS.

By some curious accident the poor fellow stumbled as he was approaching the low door of the shanty, and fell, breaking his right leg just below the knee. The pain and the previous exertion were too much for his overstrained nerves, and it was upward of an hour before the shanty men could recover him from the swoon into which he fell as he was carried inside.

When consciousness returned his first question was for his companion whom he had last seen as he skated around the little island in the lake. As soon as the men could be made to understand the situation, a dozen of them started out to see what had befallen the other traveler.

Within 200 yards of their winter home they found the blood-stained spot where the unfortunate young fellow had been attacked in front by the two brutes which had chased his friend. In the lightly falling snow could be read the whole story of his destruction. His boots and skates and a few fragments of clothing were all the tangible signs of the tragedy left by the wolves.

Happily for the injured man a shanty missionary, on his rounds, reached the island where he lay that same night, and being a medical man also was able to set his leg with some degree of satisfaction. Strangely enough, as it happened, the clergyman had taken with him as his driver for the trip, an uncle of the man devoured on the ice, who was greatly attached to his nephew, and was conveying to him a substantial token of this regard in hard cash, as a present.

BOERS AND PEACE TERMS LOYALISTS DISSATISFIED

Cleavage in Ranks of Extremists is Extending—Method of Awarding Relief Must be Soon Changed

London, Feb. 11.—The line of cleavage in the ranks of the Boer extremists who waited on Colonial Secretary Chamberlain on Friday has been clearly defined since Saturday's banquet, reports the correspondent of The Times at Springfontein. The irreconcilables are reduced in numbers. A memorial is being signed deprecating the lack of courtesy shown to Mr. Chamberlain by the delegates, and will be forwarded to him at Cape Town. The scheme of settlement of compensation does not meet with complete favor, however, even among the loyalists. The local magistrates, who will be commissioners to carry out the plan, have earned many complaints, and in some cases have proved incompetent. A resident magistrate in the outlying districts, says the correspondent, is an ordinary inhabitant. The British Government, therefore, should exercise the utmost care in selecting them. There is no use in preaching conciliation if the administration of the law in the outlying districts is constantly subjecting the inhabitants to petty annoyances.

London, Feb. 11.—The correspondent of The Times at Sofia reports that assurances have been received by the Bulgarian Government from one of the greatest powers that the Turkish military preparations are purely of a defensive character. It appears that large bodies of Turkish troops are already concentrated at various points close to the eastern frontier. These include 1,600 cavalry and 30,000 infantry, under Mustafa Pasha, which force commands the railway leading from Turkey into Bulgaria.

The correspondent of The Times at Vienna says that it is thought certain in the Austrian capital that all the powers will agree to the Austroprove acceptable to Turkey, and affording the Bulgarian Government some guarantee of substantial improvement of the situation in Macedonia. Fortunately, there is reason to believe, he continues, that Germany will keep in step with the other powers, and advise the Sultan to accept the proposals which are manifestly concerned with the interests of Turkish territorial integrity.

Macedonia. The programme will constitute a broad framework, he declares, well calculated to spare the susceptibilities of the powers and Russian programme of reforms in

London, Feb. 11.—The Corriere de la Socia, an important Conservative newspaper in Milan, according to the correspondent of The Times at Rome, declares that the British dispositions for attacking the Mad Mullah of Somaliland are in small accord with the policy agreed upon with Italy. Instead of preventing the Mullah's southward toward the Italian colony, the Milan newspaper says the British expeditions have actually forced him to take that direction. The British authorities refused to despatch a column to avert the danger to the Italian colony, and Italy had to bow her head to the inevitable.

"British astuteness, as usual, has had its way," remarks the Corrierre.

London, Feb. 11.—The reports that Bu Humara, pretender to the throne of Morocco, has been captured by the Government forces are contradicted by the correspondent of The Times at Tangier. He reports that the pretender is at Ghiaas, where a large number of tribesmen are continuing to support his rebellion against the Sultan.

Marks' Bros

Last night was the farewell performance of the popular combination of versatile artistes that have entertained large audiences during the past twelve nights at the local opera house. Despite the inclement weather there was a packed house, and every effort made for the amusement of the audience was greeted with unbounded enthusiasm. "The Bird in the Gilded Cage" was the title of the play presented, but it would have mattered little to the audience what medium the company had chosen to bow their adieus. The audience were there to greet old friends, and they did it in a manner that must have been very gratifying to all. Miss May Bell-Marks received a beautiful bouquet from some lady admirer, and indeed her acting last night deserved some such recognition. Everyone acted their best: Will C. Millard, Jack Connelly, Carl B. Stears, Margie Stears and Millie Bell, all of whom have furnished our amusement during the past two weeks, received their reward last evening in the enthusiasm of the audience. It would not be fair to close this eulogy without a word of honest praise to Mr. Gregory—a conscientious young actor and a club-swinger of real merit.

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Postmaster of Hiawatha Had His Left Leg Broken

A serious accident befell Mr. Robt. Davis, postmaster of Hiawatha on Tuesday morning last. The unfortunate gentleman, by some means, got his left leg entangled in the sleigh runner, and a bag of grain falling resulted in the leg being broken. Dr. W. T. Harrison, of Keene was called, and the latest reports from the doctor say the patient is progressing as favorably as may be expected.

THE KAISER LOSES FAVOR WITH THE BRITISH PUBLIC

Story of His Alleged Offensive Criticism of King Edward Has Been Repeated

London, Feb. 11—The National Review again refers to its famous story about the German Emperor's visit to an American yacht, saying:

"It is beyond all possible doubt that the Kaiser did perpetrate an appalling indiscretion in talking Anglophobia at large in the presence of strangers and discussing his uncle, our king, in the most offensive manner.

"Judging from the communications which have followed during the last two months, the incident made a deep impression upon our readers.

"The reason we lay so much stress upon it is that it affords a conclusive reason why the German Emperor should not be allowed to occupy the position which he covets in this country of being the power behind the throne."

OBITUARY

Passing Away of Mrs. James Brown, of North Monaghan

—We regret to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. Brown, relict of the late Jas. Brown, at her house in North Monaghan, on Wednesday morning. She has resided in North Monaghan for 40 years and was 73 at the time of her death.

The funeral takes place to-day at 1 p.m. in the Front church cemetery.

The Convener's Thanks

Mrs. Wm. Hamilton, convener of the Social committee of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A., wishes to express her hearty thanks to the members of the Ladies' Auxiliary and the ladies of the town for their co-operation in sending supplies and for assistance in connection with the convention banquet held last week. We might add that great credit reflects on Mrs. Hamilton, upon whom a great deal of the responsibility fell.

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The Plans of the Catholic Orders Which Were Driven From France

SOME GO TO WASHINGTON OTHERS TO OTTAWA

As Affiliated Bodies of Catholic University, They Will Open Seminaries for Training Priest

New York, Feb. 11—As a result of the recent French legislation, known as the Association act, several powerful orders and congregations of the Roman Catholic church will seek asylum for their mother homes in the United States. The greater number of them will come to Washington. As affiliated colleges of the Catholic university of America they will open seminaries for the training of their priests and conduct their business from the capital of the American rather than the French republic.

The congregation of the Holy Cross, originally a distinctively French organ has already completed its arrangements to transfer its motherhouse to Washington, where a college of this order is already affiliated with the Catholic university. The Marists and Sulpicians will, in all probability, follow the example of the Congregation of the Holy Cross, and locate at Washington. The Congregation of the Marists has already been suppressed and the Sulpicians do not feel secure in their position, although this latter order has heretofore been specially favored by the French Government.

The fact that it is practically settled that the powerful Congregation of the Holy Cross will emigrate to America is of the greatest importance. It will work for the elevation of the dignity of the Catholic University of America.

Foreseeing the storm which has recently burst upon the church in France the Very Rev. Gilbert Francais, superior general of the Congregation about three years ago, he encouraged the foundation of the Holy Cross college near the Catholic university. The wisdom of this is now realized in the fact that he has a college in this country, where post-graduate students may continue their studies.

It is proposed to locate the undergraduates at Notre Dame, in South Bend, Ind., and in the Holy Cross colleges in Canada. The superior general is a man of strong nature, combining in his nature the beautiful and simple traits of St. Francis de Sales, and the broad-minded and energetic charity of Archbishop Ireland.

Little Hope in Appeal.

Father Francais has an appeal from the French decision now pending but there is very little hope that his efforts will meet with any success. It is estimated that the congregation will lose more than half a million dollars dollars in money by the sequestration of their property. Their principal college was located at Neuilly, in the suburbs of Paris. Upward of 1,000 students were enrolled at that institution. The various other foundations of this congregation throughout France had charge of more than 6,000 additional students. Several hundred of this number will eventually find their way to the United States and Canada.

The work of enlarging the college at Washington has not yet actually begun but the plans are projected, so that immediately the word is received from France that the order is sequestered conditions may be arranged for the influx of the French exiles.

The Congregation of the Holy Cross is not unknown in the United States. The present superior in this country is Very Rev. Dr. John A. Zahm, who is widely known as an advanced evolutionist. His book, "The Bible, Science and Faith," had done much to spread a popular conception of the scientific truths which underlie the arguments of Darwin and at the same time to recognize the infallible inspirations of the Scriptures. By liberal quotations from the writings of St. Augustine and St. Basil, he shows that many of the questions which now agitate the scientific world were fought out in the ancient schools of Alexandria in Egypt, and that these fathers of the church often admitted more startling postulates than either Darwin or Huxley. It was rumored that these works had been suppressed by order of the Congregation of the Holy Office. This was erroneous and the circulation is greater than ever.

It is not known here what course the French Dominicans will take to recoup themselves for their losses through this sequestration. The Dominicans at Washington do not correspond with their brothers in France but the heads of the order in this country have recently purchased a splendid site right at the gate of the Catholic university, and will erect a convent as large and ornate as the handsomest hall of the university itself.

Plans of the Marists.

When the Marists received the order sequestrating their property and dissolving their association a large majority of their priests took up secular work, and will remain in France, engaged in parochial duties. The superior general and his four assistants will seek an asylum in Belgium temporarily, but a large number of the priests who prefer to remain in this order will be drafted to the United States, and some doubtless will find their way to the Philippines to replace the Spanish friars. If possible the mother house will be transferred to Rome. Conditions in Italy are not much more favorable than in France, and the officials of the society here would not be surprised to receive word at any time that the chief seat of the order was removed to the United States.

While the Sulpicians do not fear immediate danger from the French laws they share the apprehensions of the other orders. Recently a good site for a college was purchased near the Catholic university, and their agents are now searching the market for a larger and more available plot, should it be needed. This order has always been closely associated with the French civil administration. It is devoted to the education of the priesthood. Archbishop Ireland and Bishop O'Gorman of Sioux Falls, are shining examples of their teachings. The eminent prelate of St. Paul has had much to do with interesting the American Government in the Passionist Fathers, whose Paris church has been confiscated. This is an English Society and the services of the Passionist church were largely frequented by English speaking Catholic tourists while in Paris.

Influence of Sulpicians.

The seminary of the Sulpicians is at Issy, a suburb of Paris, and is regarded throughout the Catholic world as the model seminary for the training of priests. Almost every bishop and cardinal now in France studied at that institution and its fame is dear to a host of American clerics. Should the Sulpicians be compelled to emigrate to the United States they will need a large tract of land, and their agents are now securing options on about a hundred acres immediately north of the Catholic university. Such men as Bossuet, Fenelon and other great preachers, thundered their eloquence from the pulpits of St. Sulpice in Paris.

The congregation gave an asylum to the great conde during a period of disgrace, and the history of their order is so intertwined with that of France that its uprooting will be in the nature of an epoch. It has long been a pet project of this order to build a counterpart of San Sulpice near the Catholic university. The spiritual directors of Divinity hall at the Catholic university are Sulpician fathers.

The Carthusians, Trappists, and White Fathers have been the only church organizations exempted from the operations of the drastic associations act. These have either very little communications with the outside world or some local interest which it is advisable the French government should recognise. Almost all the other orders will be driven away from France, and they are diligently preparing for the unhappy day when they will be forced into exile.

The drastic administration of this act will make Washington one of the greatest Roman Catholic centres outside of Rome. The Franciscans have already transferred their commissariat of the Holy Land here, and the operation of French law will expedite an emigration the European laws made certain in the future. The church in this country is displaying the utmost hospitality toward their unfortunate brethren, and there is something of retributive justice in the fact that many of these French societies during the "Americanist" controversy of a few years ago were loud in their denunciations of the alleged heretical and lax conduct of the champions among the American hierarchy.

The most generally assaulted of these are now the prelates to whom the French orders look for succor, and they hope that some relaxation of the rigors of French law will be brought about by the intercession of the United States. The action of Ambassador Porter in championing the cause of the Passionists has been cordially recognised by all the prelates and professors connected with the Catholic university.

PRINCESS TRIED TO END HER LIFE

Report That Louise of Saxony Used a Pistol

Said to Have Fired Twice—Story Not Confirmed, and Reports of Her Mental Condition are Conflicting

Vienna, Feb. 11.—Die Zeit this morning reports that the Crown Princess Louise of Saxony attempted suicide at the sanitarium where she is stopping by firing two shots at herself with a revolver. Both shots went wide of their mark, however, and before she could repeat the act, attendants at the sanitarium disarmed her. The Princess, Die Zeit says, is wild with despair, brought on by the refusal of her family to permit her to see her sick boy.

CONFLICTING REPORTS.

Vienna, Feb. 11.—There are numerous reports concerning the Crown Princess of Saxony, but there is nothing confirming the rumor that she had attempted to commit suicide. One report represents her as being mentally unfit to give attention to her case, while another says that she has greatly improved.

EXAMINED BY SPECIALIST.

Geneva, Feb. 11.—Dr. Forel, of Zurich, a mental specialist, who examined the Crown Princess of Saxony, has reported that her condition is very favorable. M. Lachenal, her lawyer, and Archduke Leopold, her brother, have visited her, and found her much improved. M. Lachenal is quoted as saying that her residence in the sanitarium will not extend beyond her confinement in April. It is stated that the Crown Princess has received numerous telegrams and letters congratulating her upon her separation from M. Giron. An anonymous letter from America contained a handsome gift of money.

MENTALLY DERANGED.

Dresden, Saxony, Feb. 11.—It is stated, apparently on high authority that the settlement of the trial here of the Crown Prince's suit against his wife will not end the matter, which will have its sequel in Austria. Several eminent legal authorities contend that there is a serious legal flaw in the action by which the Crown Princess was deprived of her Austrian titles, membership in her family, and the right to bear its name.

IS THE BATTLESHIP DOOMED? EXPERTS SAY THAT IT IS

Affirmative Reasons Advanced Advanced by Naval Architects and Engineers

NOT DANGEROUS EXCEPT TO SELF

The Success of the Destroyers in Recent Manoeuvers

London, Feb. 11—Naval architects and engineers are about agreed that the great battleship is no longer a danger, except to herself and her crew. During the recent manoeuvres of the English Mediterranean fleet the destroyers were sent out some hours in advance of the battleships. The course to be steered by the latter was kept secret and was purposely made as uncertain and as perplexing as possible. The destroyers were given two days in which to find the fleet, and within that time they did find it and planted blank shells against their hulls that in a real battle would have sunk every one of the ships attacked. Ten out of the fourteen admitted that "they were fairly bagged without so much as a chance at the attack."

This admission by competent and responsible officers is leading to a pretty general consensus of opinion on the part of naval authorities that the destroyer is the "ship of the future." In view of these developments the great naval powers are at a loss to tell what to do next. Many battleships are in course of construction, and there seemed every probability that their number would be increased. Yet, if these ships are to prove only a danger to themselves and their occupants, it would be idle to proceed with the construction. England has decreased the number of battleships she intended to commence this year by two, and will increase her torpedo destroyers by fifty. So significant a change is not going into actual fulfillment without some pretty strong proof of its wisdom.

President Roosevelt is very strenuously in favor of a greatly enlarged American navy, but in view of what is going on around them, it would appear to be the part of their program to go slow for awhile. The effectiveness of the torpedo has been so advanced that no battleship can escape her, and no solid wall of Harveyized steel can resist the terrible onslaughts of modern and maximite. Torpedoes will take to fighting each other at a combined speed of not less than sixty miles an hour and that will be warfare such as the world has not so far dreamed of. There will be no time to think. Such a battle may be all over in five minutes. There may be no room for tactics, the fight may be quicker than thought. The stricken is put hors de combat by a single blow. In such a fight everything tends to favor craft that can be lost without that loss proving an irreparable disaster.

The question becomes serious as to which nations can best supply the kind of men necessary to such warfare. They will be found among the descendants of Nelson's men-of-war's men. A naval writer in the Fortnightly says: "A thousand destroyers so manned would make the Seven Seas a British lake. In the making 500 might be lost, but the enemy's flag would have disappeared forever, nor would any battleship float a week. This is not a military opinion, but is the gospel of the entire new generation of naval officials."

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SELECTING LAND IN THE ARID BELT

C.P.R Proposes to Introduce Vast Scheme of Irrigation

Would Enhance Values, Immense Areas Can be Rendered Profitable.

Montreal, Feb. 12—The question of irrigating some 2,500,000 acres of the arid lands on the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway is now being considered by the executive. The company has made a proposition to the Government in regard to the selection of the 3,300,000 acres of the company's original main land grant, which remains to be allotted. It is understood that the company desires 2,500,000 acres in the arid belt, en bloc, instead of in alternate sections. It thinks that with the aid of this land, irrigation can be made fertile, as has already been proved by the success of the Mormons with their arid lands. The company has reserved a considerable amount of capital for this work, and the plans for the scheme, which embrace a main land farm, the Bow and Saskatchewan rivers are now being elaborated. The company estimates that the cost of irrigation will be from $3.50 to $4 an acre, and that the cost of reclaiming the arid waste will be from $8000,000 to $10,000,000.

The transformation of a waste of 2,500,000 acres into cultivable land, it is estimated, would create homes for 10,000 settlers.

BRITISH OFFER ACCEPTED

Minister Bowen Conveys Venezuela's Acquiescence to Washington Embassy

Washington, Feb. 11.—Mr. Bowen has formally accepted Great Britain's protocol framed to secure a reference of the Venezuelan dispute to The Hague arbitration tribunal. He carried his note of acceptance to the British Embassy yesterday, and personally presented it to Ambassador Herbert. He expressed the opinion that it was a document of a high order from a diplomatic point of view.

BACKS CANADA IN ALASKAN TREATY

A London Paper Wants Britain to Talk Plainly to Uncle Sam

London, Feb. 11.—The Morning Post discussing the Alaskan question, urges the British Foreign Office to use emphatic words in support of the words as emphatic as those of the Canadian lady in the gallery of the Washington Congress. The Post supports the suggestion that Canada renew the previous lease of access to the Pacific on terms made moderate by the United States, and says anything would be better than the present modus vivendi which permits too many opportunities of forcible aggression on the part of the United States customs officials.

STUDY IS "BAD FORM

In the Regiment and Young Leveson-Gower Had to Leave

London, Feb. 11.—The Guards' scandal is monopolizing the press. Indignation is general especially in the case of Lieutenant Leveson-Gower, nephew of Admiral Cochrane, who bullied out of the regiment because he insisted upon studying military subjects. Study is considered bad form in the Guards. Colonel Kinloch won't talk, but the matter will be brought before Parliament.

People who have opinions to express on the subject of the "ragging" in the Guards should remember one fact—that the Brigade of Foot Guards is remarkably efficient from the military standpoint. The Guards' Brigade went through the South African campaign from Belmont to the blockhouse lines with credit. Their dash in the early morning at Belmont taught the Boers the fighting power of the British soldier when he can get at his enemy, and produced, loyal Afrikanders state, an immense moral effect in South Africa. They showed steadiness and constancy all through the war, and probably had a longer term of continuous campaigning than any other infantry brigade. The Foot Guards are the one corps of infantry in Great Britain in which genuine short service prevails. The men remain only three years with the colors, yet their excellence in ceremonial drill is proverbial, and the events of the past three years have shown that good drill and good fighting are not necessarily divorced. Such proficiency on the part of such young soldiers must mean unusually hard work on the part of the regimental officers. Let that be remembered when subalterns' courts-martial are being passed in view.

Does Your Baby Cry at Night

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MENTALLY DERANGED.

Dresden, Saxony, Feb. 11.—It is reported that when the divorce proceedings against the former Crown Princess are called up to-day, counsel for the Princess will ask that a new date for the hearing be fixed, on the ground that the Princess is mentally deranged.

BEET SUGAR INDUSTRY AGAIN DISCUSSED

Should the Town Purchase Bonds and Stock in Proposed Factory?

The Board of Trade to Confer with Town Council to Discuss the Advisability of Such Proceeding.

The adjourned meeting of the Board of Trade was held last evening, when were present D. W. Dumble, in the chair, J. W. Garvin, E. J. Toker, T. E. Bradburn, Jno. Carnegie, Geo. Fitzgerald, J. Hughes-Charles, E. M. Elliott, T. A. S. Hay, Lieut.-Col. Rogers, Dr. Jeffs, G. W. Bennett and A. P. Pomette.

The report of the delegates sent by the Council to Berlin to study the conditions of the beet sugar industry in that district and the possibilities for the successful establishment of a similar industry in our town, was read by Mr. Jno. Carnegie.

The report showed that the delegates were favorably impressed as the result of their investigations, and were inclined to the belief that the introduction of the industry into this county might prove beneficial.

Mr. Carnegie thought the farmers would be working against their own interests not to do all in their power to help forward the introduction of the beet sugar industry into this district. They would receive especial benefits, and would run no risks.

Mr. Garvin did not know whether he could add to what he had said on previous occasions. The heavy task was getting acreage. He was pleased to say twenty men would be employed in this capacity by the end of the week, and they looked to have acquired 3000 acres by the end of March, which would be ready for sowing toward the end of May. The constant press reports had an educational influence upon the farmers and tended to bring before the people the possibilities and advantages of the industry.

The adoption of the delegate's report was moved and carried.

MANUFACTURERS COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

To the President of the Board of Trade, Peterborough, Ont.:

Gentlemen,—Your Manufacturers' committee, to whom were submitted the report of the delegation to Berlin to inspect the Sugar Beet Industry, and the figures pertaining to the purchase by the town of $25,000 worth of stock in the Peterborough Sugar Co. and also $25,000 worth of the company's bonds, bearing 5 per cent. interest, beg leave to state that they have considered the whole matter carefully and ascertained the following facts:

1. The Peterborough Sugar Co., Ltd., has been incorporated by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Province of Ontario, its object being to manufacture beet sugar, and for that purpose erect a factory at or near the town of Peterborough, and its provisional directors are Messrs. T. E. Bradburn, James Kendry, M.P., J. W. Garvin, Thos. M. Hunter and Arthur Stevenson.

2. The authorised capital of the company is $350,000.

3. The company has arranged with a Construction Co. to erect and equip a factory with a daily capacity of 650 tons, at a cost of $565,000, site included, of which amount $165,000 of stock, $275,000 of the company's bonds, bearing 5 per cent. interest, and $125,000 in cash will be accepted in payment.

4. It is intended to locate the factory by or near the banks of the Otonabee at the south of the town; and the Construction Co. has contracted to erect a main building, 226 by 60 ft., and 5 stories high, with walls of solid concrete, in which the extracting and refinery machinery will be placed; a warehouse with two floors, 100 by 65 ft; a machine shop 55 by 35 ft; a laboratory 66 by 60 ft; and beet sheds which will contain 6000 tons. The factory will be a large and handsome structure, equipped with a complete French plant of most improved design, and guaranteed to give the best results.

5. Recent tests in growing beets have proven that the soil in Peterborough and adjoining counties is especially adapted to such an industry; in fact, is unsurpassed on the continent.

6. Five years ago Michigan State secured its first sugar factory. To-day there are seventeen in operation in that State, and several others being erected. This indicates that the industry has proved satisfactory there, not only to the farmers, but to the capitalists as well.

7. Sugar is a staple food and must be had. Canada has been sending millions of dollars yearly to Germany, France, and other countries, for sugar, which, apparently, can be manufactured at home advantageously. Canada has at present four sugar factories in operation. It would take about 25 others to supply the home demand.

8. Apart from the soil, Peterborough has exceptional facilities for a sugar factory: Railroads radiating in every description, upon which beets can be brought in, within a radius of 50 miles, at 50 cents a ton; the Trent Canal system, with its winding river and numerous lakes, upon which beets can be carried to the factory for 30 cents a ton; illimitible quantities, near at hand, of the most suitable limestone, etc.

9. Such a factory, with its immense quantities of pulp for cattle-feeding purposes, and its liquid by-products, would doubtless lead to the establishment here, at an early date, of a condensed milk factory, and of chemical works.

10. The Peterborough Sugar Co. has now between 15 and 20 prominent farmers and others canvassing daily for acreage, and the probabilities are that before the 1st of May there will be at least 4000 acres contracted for, which at 14 tons to the acre, on an average, would keep the factory running for 100 days of 24 hours each—the usual period of the best managed factories.

11. The report of the special delegation sent to Berlin is regarded as favorable to the establishment here of such an industry.

12. We have examined Mr. Garvin's figures, as presented to the Board of Trade last Thursday evening, and find them approximately correct. The 20 year debentures would probably need to be issued at 4 per cent. instead of 3 3-4 per cent., which would require $1000 annually, and the yearly amount needed for a sinking fund at 3 per cent. instead of 3 1-2 per cent. would be slightly more than $600. To purchase $25,000 worth of the company's bonds—a first mortgage against the plant—20 year debentures would need to be issued at any 4 per cent., which would require $1000 a year. As the company's bonds bear 5 per cent. interest the town would receive $1250 per annum from this source, or $250 annually more than the 4 per cent. payable on the $25,000 of debentures.

If the stock yielded a dividend per annum of 10 per cent. only, which we understand is a low estimate, the town would net $600 annually from this source.

Allowing for the 1 per cent. extra received in interest on bonds, even a 7 per cent. dividend per annum on the stock would yield the town a small profit.

In view of the above facts, your committee is of the opinion that the risk to the town in purchasing said stock and bonds would be slight and the probable gain and importance of the community great.

D. W. DUMBLE.
F. H. DOBBIN.
T. A. S. HAY.
H. C. ROGERS.
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W. SAILSBURY.

Mr. Garvin said the beet sugar industry was a matter of great importance to the community at large. He thought the town should be prepared to take a fair amount of risk. Not that he considered the town in purchasing the stock and bonds would be taking much risk, for 10 per cent would be a low dividend to contemplate. But they were reasonable men, and did not want to make out too strong a case. It had been urged that it had not been the intention of communities to interest themselves in this wise. Such a standing was a dangerous precedent. Why should they not help forward an industry that would be advantageous to the community. The river flowing to such a height would be a saving to Peterborough in this connection. They could bring the water from the Otonabee river by means of pipes. Another argument that pointed to the success of the industry in this district was the superior quality of the soil. It was the idea of the company if possible to sell their stock in the community, and it was only right that the community as a Corporation should purchase the proposed amount of stock and bonds. The action of the Corporation would have a material influence upon getting the factory in our midst.

Mr. Dumble said, regarding the sugar industry, he was told that 90 per cent. of the sugar used in Canada is not from Canadian grown beet, but the product of German import. Was it wise to pay out money for the support of a foreign nation and foreign capital when we can support our own industries. The country is rich enough to supply its own wants without having to be supported in this wise from abroad. If the conditions in Michigan were favorable to the industry, they should be favorable here. He thought the agricultural community would be wise to create another industry, as was done by the introduction of the cheese industry, which was built up in a few years. He thought the Board of Trade should command the people to encourage the industry. He thought the place was suitable and the time opportune. In considering whether the Board could take the responsibility of taking this thing before the people, he did not see anything in the proposition that was not fair. He did not want the Board to do anything rash. If they did anything, they must feel it was the right thing.

It was raised that the factory would only work three months, but it was pointed out that in that time they work continuously, employing three shifts.

Mr. J. Hughes-Charles admired the way Mr. Dumble treated the subject. He spoke not as a politician, but as a Canadian. If we kept having goods manufactured abroad, we were only injuring ourselves. What we can produce we should take advantage of.

Several other speakers gave their views, which were mostly in favor of the proposed industry.

It was eventually moved "That the Board realize the advantages of the industry and would confer with the Council as to the advisability of the proposed approbation."

The meeting then adjourned.

THE EASTERN QUESTION BECOMING VERY SERIOUS

Text of the Original Agreement of the Powers Made in 1841

The Peace of Europe Now in the Hands of the Sultan of Turkey—Agreement of Powers in 1841

London, Feb. 12— Although Russia's new policy in the Balkans still remains enigmatical and will probably so remain until the joint note of Austria and Russia concerning the project of reforms in Macedonia shall have been made public, some idea of the Dardanelles affair, means may be gathered by a review of Russian diplomacy touching that question since the signing of the original agreement of the powers in 1841.

This document stated that the powers would support Turkey in her refusal to admit ships of war into the Dardanelles. The Treaty of Paris concluded in 1856, after the Crimean war, agreed to renew the treaty of 1841, "with the exception of some modifications of detail which do not affect the principle on which it rests."

These modifications, however, under the gentle ministrations of Russian diplomacy, developed into Article XI, XIII, and XIV of the Treaty of Paris. It is therein stated that the Black Sea is neutralized; that its waters and ports are thrown open to the mercantile marine of every nation, and, in consequence, "His Majesty, the Emperor of all the Russias, and H. I. M., the Sultan, engage not to establish or maintain upon that coast any military maritime arsenal." In 1864, while England and France were watching, as not altogether disinterested spectators, the American Civil War, Russia turned the harbor of Porti into a naval depot, and created at Odessa a fleet of steamers which really came under the diplomatic defination of a warship—"a vessel so armed, or capable of being armed, as to be able to fight."

In 1869 England called the attention of the powers to what was going on in the Levant, but no formal protest was entered for the simple reason that the approach of the Franco-German War left England single-handed, while immediately after the war both France and Germany believed that they owed Russia a debt of gratitude—for keeping Austria from joining one side or the other.

This was the situation when Prince Gortchakoff sent out a circular to the powers from St. Petersburg. He plausibly pointed out the unfairness of the treaty as far as Russia was concerned. While Russia, he said, had "loyally deprived herself of the possibility of taking measures for effective maritime defence in the adjoining seas and ports, Turkey preserved her privilege of having an unlimited number of warships in the archipelago and straits, while France and England were also at liberty to assemble their squadrons in the Mediterranean." The result of this circular was a treaty concluded in London, March 13, 1871, which declared that the Black Sea Clauses of the Treaty of Paris, as well as the Straits Convention, annexed to it, had been abrogated and replaced by an article, which read as follows:—

"The principle of closing the Straits and of the Bosphorous is maintained, with power to H. I. M., the Sultan, to open the said straits in time of peace to the war vessels of friendly and allied powers in case the sublime Porte should judge it necessary in order to secure execution of the stipulations of the Treaty of Paris."

Obviously, the amendment was readily accepted by the German, French and British representatives for the reason that they believed that Russia in the Black Sea was thus laying herself open to freer inspection. The logical conclusion of the modifications made in the original treaty of 1841, is that Russia aims at a free passage of the straits at all times for her war vessels.

The awaited reply of the Porte to England's protest against the recent passage through the Dardanelles of Russian torpedo-boat destroyers must, of course, be founded on that amendment of 1871, and the Porte must explain why it judged the passage of the Russian war vessels "necessary in order to secure execution of the stipulation of the Treaty of Paris."

On the plausibility of the Sultan's answer may depend the peace of Europe.

BOY ATE RED PEPPER DIED OF STARVATION

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Montreal, Feb. 11.—The courts will have to deal with an extraordinary case as a result of a verdict of manslaughter returned by the coroner's jury at an inquest held into the death of A. Pascal Fex, the six year old son of Joseph Fex, St. Lagare, County of Vaudreuil, near Montreal, who died on Sunday, after several months of suffering.

The evidence showed that in June last the father took his boy with him to a building bee at Alphonse Charlebois, and Miss Sududa Charlebois, 20 years of age, gave the boy a red pepper to eat. Severe sickness and convulsions followed, and vomiting was kept up for five or six days, after which he was never able to swallow food. The cause of death, according to medical testimony, was starvation, and the jury returned a verdict holding Miss Charlebois criminally responsible for the death of the boy, and ordered her arrest.

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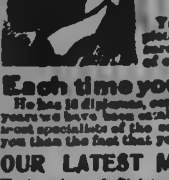

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TWO FACTORS IN FINANCE

There are two important elements affecting United States finances to which Henry Clews, the New York banker, calls attention in his last circular, which says:—

"About the only uncertain element in the monetary outlook, so far as our international exchanges are concerned, is our continued large imports. These are now running very heavy, and seem likely to remain large for some time to come. This is a perfectly natural sequence of the high level of prices now prevailing in this country; it is one of the inevitable readjustments that always follow abnormal conditions. Europe has been depressed and prices are low. America has been progressing marvelously, and prices are high. Prices like water, seek their level; hence we may look for large imports until conditions have been more nearly equalized, either by a drop in prices here, or a rise in values abroad. Most likely it will be a decline in values here that will first check the growth of imports.

"There is just one other factor in the situation that might possibly affect the money market unfavorably, unless good judgment prevails, and that is the movement obliging the trust companies to carry a reserve. This is a step in the right direction, and one already in effect in concerns which place sound banking methods above the desire to present record-breaking statements. All the trust companies should be obliged to carry a reserve in their vaults of not less than 5 per cent. A somewhat greater sum would do no harm; but if anything beyond 5 per cent. is imposed, it should be done gradually, as the sudden locking up of $40,000,000 or more of a reserve would create a very undesirable and unnecessary stringency. The value of reserves is to really use them in emergencies, and as long as the trust companies remain deficient in this respect they will be an inevitable element of weakness and suspicion. The movement is an eminently proper one, and if conducted on reasonable lines will serve to strengthen confidence where it is most needed. It is one of the most reassuring movements of the day."

THE DOURO COUNCIL

Council met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. The Reeve, Mr. John Quinn, presiding. The minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed.—Moved by Mr. Curtis and Ryan that the Auditor's report be received and adopted and that the clerk get 200 copies printed in pamphlet form.—Moved by Mr. Ryan and Allen, that with regard to the application of John Shea, to have the south-east quarter of lot 2, concession 11, detached from S. S. No. 11, and have the same attached to S. S. No. 3 for school purposes, that the clerk notify all parties concerned that it is the intention of this council to pass a by-law at its meeting to be held on March 30th next, giving effect to said application.—The following accounts were presented: Examiner Printing Co., $19.25; John R. Condon, $1.00, work on road in 1902; F. D. Armstrong, $4.50, arbitration fees re alteration of S. Sections Nos. 3, 11, 9, and 17; James Leahy $10, Board of Health expenses re scarlet fever at John P. Leahy's; Collector's salary $40.00. The Reeve was appointed a commissioner to purchase any timber or plank that he may consider necessary for the construction or repair of culverts.—Moved by Mr. Curtis and Ryan that James Barry be re-appointed treasurer at a salary of $30, and that the clerk prepare the necessary by-law to be passed at the next meeting of the Council.

On motion the Council adjourned to the 30th day of March next, then to meet at 10 o'clock a.m.

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DISTRICT NEWS

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS

KEENE.

—Mr. Leonard Brown has a large smile for everybody these days. It's a girl.

The present bad weather is making it very unpleasant for those who are getting out wood.

—The last carnival of the season will be held on Friday night when a large crowd is expected to be present.

—The funeral of Mr. Alex. Drummond who died in Peterborough on Sunday, took place last Tuesday to the Keene Cemetery.

—A number of young folks from here attended a pedro party at Mr. Walter Renwick's on Tuesday evening, and spent a very enjoyable evening.

—The annual ball under the auspices of the hockey club was held last Friday evening and was a decided success in every way. There were about 125 couples present.

—A youngster who is "wintering" a short distance from Keene, made himself obnoxious at the rink the other evening, by insulting some of the girls. Better be careful, little boy, or some of the girls will box your ears.

—Keene and Norwood hockey boys played off their tie in Peterboro on Monday evening. The game was very closely contested from the first. At half time the score stood 1—0 in Norwood's favor. At the expiration of time the score was 3—3. It was decided to play ten minutes longer, and in that time Norwood scored one goal, thus deciding the game. This makes Norwood winners in this district, but they have a lot of hard work before them before they win the cup.

APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN on behalf of the Corporation of the Town of Peterborough that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario at the next session thereof for an Act for the following purposes:

1. To amend 62 Victoria (2), Chapter 71 by striking out the following words in the first subsection of the second section thereof, namely, the words "at any point thereon south of and in no way using power obtained from the dam known as the Nassau Dam on the said River Otonabee" in the 3rd, 4th and 5th lines thereof; the words "for Municipal purposes only" in the 17th line thereof, and the words "except commercial lighting or private lighting" in the 18th and 19th lines thereof, and for such other amendments thereto as may be necessary to remove the restrictions imposed on the said Corporation by said subsection.

2. To authorize and empower the said Corporation to erect and maintain poles and other appliances on the streets and public places of the said Town for the transmission of electricity in and through the said Town of Peterborough and to charge a rental therefor, and to make regulations for the use, management, maintenance and control of same, and to enter into agreements with any company, firm or person now or hereafter supplying electric energy to the inhabitants of the said Town for the use of said poles and appliances on such terms as may be agreed on.

3. To authorize and empower the said Corporation to issue debentures of the said Corporation without the assent of the rate-payers for the sum of $7000 to meet the deficiency on the sale of waterworks debentures issued for the purchase of the waterworks.

4. To authorize and empower the Commissioners of the Waterworks to form a contingent fund and to retain out of the revenues derived from the said waterworks an annual sum not exceeding one-half of the net revenue for that purpose.

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to overwhelm him by any uncomfortable display of excessive gratitude, yet there was no doubt he was her rescuer, and if she met him again she could hardly fail to refer to the fact.

Foiled in his own attempt to escape, Astley was seized with a sudden impulse to laugh on finding that the girl herself had been foiled in a similar fashion. When, therefore, she reached the fireplace, and turned round abruptly, in a shamefaced manner, towards him, she saw that he was convulsed with merriment.

Astonished, as well she might be, the girl stared at him in silence. Then, half turning as she stood with one foot upon the fender, she caught sight again, as she had done upstairs, of her own reflection in a weather-stained looking-glass, and her feminine vanity suddenly got the better of every other feeling.

The expression of her face changed suddenly as she stared at the unattractive-looking object before her. It needs beauty of a high order, and in the most perfect condition at that, to stand the ordeal of an appearance in a shapeless hat which has been thoroughly soaked and imperfectly dried, seen through the medium of an early Victorian looking-glass. The girl's good looks—for she was good-looking—could not stand such a test. Her olive skin looked green; her black hair looked lank, twisted up, half-dried, in an unbecoming fashion; and her large dark eyes and fairly regular features counted for nothing against these odds.

Instinctively she turned her head away from Astley, who was struggling to regain his gravity. For the awful thought had suddenly struck him that she might think he was laughing at her. In fact, the curious little knob into which she had fastened her hair peeped out under her shapeless hat in an extremely comical way. It behoved him therefore to be careful.

"I'm afraid you think it very stupid of me to laugh," he said, as he came forward a little way into the room, and stood behind one of the mahogany arm-chairs.

"Oh, no. Some people see fun in anything," said the girl, somewhat distantly.

Evidently she was not grateful for what he had done for her. Astley felt that this was a great comfort. And it amused him to think that he had been anxious to avoid an hysterical scene of tears and thankfulness, while she had been just as anxious to escape the sight of him at all.

"Well, when things are at a very bad pass they have a way of taking a laughable turn, don't you think so?" said he.

"I can't say I do," said the girl, tartly. "There's a long walk in the snow to be faced, for one thing, and in the dark, too."

And she glanced out into the gathering gloom. Astley broke in cheerfully:

"Oh, it's not quite so bad as that. I've sent in to Oxford for a cab, you know, and—"

"But I mean to walk," struck in the girl, and she suddenly sprang away from the fireplace and made for the door.

Astley, however, was nearer to it than she, and, in spite of his lameness, was able to obstruct her passage.

"Oh no, you can't do that," he said quickly, speaking with sudden gravity.

"Oh, but I can, I must!" And into the girl's tone there came suddenly the first intimation of inward distress which she had given since her reappearance.

"Indeed you must not. I can't allow it," said Astley, speaking in his turn with curtness, and also with unexpected authority. "To venture on such a walk along an exposed road, in the dusk, with the snow and the wind driving towards you, would be danger, if not certain death, especially after such an adventure as you've had," he added hurriedly.

What gave him authority with the girl was not so much the fact that he had saved her life an hour or two before, but a certain hardness, amounting almost to a suspicion of mockery in his manner, which made her curiously conscious of a feeling of inferiority to him. Though he was perfectly courteous, it was with the courtesy of one who stands in an unassailably superior position. She felt that he looked down upon her, despised her, was courteous only because it was a convention of his class to be verbally courteous to women. The thought enraged her, quite swallowed up, indeed, any impulses she might have had towards gratitude.

"Oh, as for that, I'm none the worse for getting my feet wet," she said, ungraciously, as she paused a moment, watching for her opportunity to slip by him and get away.

"Getting her feet wet" was such a euphemistic description of what had happened that Astley could hardly forbear another smile. The girl saw it and made another dash for the door. She was foiled, however, again.

"Excuse me," said he, "but you must allow me to insist."

The girl drew herself up.

"Suppose I insist too?"

"Then we shall have to see who can insist the hardest," retorted Astley with perfect coolness, "and, to judge by our previous experience, you know, it—will not be you."

The spirit, the dash, the daring went out of the girl's face and bearing in a moment. She gave one shy, frightened look at his face, and turned away with a quivering lip. His manner altered directly.

"I should strongly advise you," said he, with the assumption of a more every-day tone, as he glanced towards the fireplace, "to take off your hat and wait quietly and get thoroughly warm before the cab comes, as you will have a very cold drive."

"And—and you?" faltered the girl, in a strangled voice, and she instinctively turned as if to obey him.

"Oh, I think I shall perhaps stay the night here, unless I tell the cabman to come back for me," he said.

It was quite clear that the girl began to breathe more easily after this. To the highly-strung mood in which he had first met her had succeeded the inevitable reaction, so that she now felt as anxious to conceal her identity from her rescuer and to hide the rash attempt she had made, as she had previously been indifferent to all these things.

"Oh!" she ejaculated in a low voice, in a tone of unmistakable relief. There was a pause, and then she said: "But I don't like to take your cab. And if you've been ill, it's even more important that you should get back than that I should. I think it will be better for you to go first, and to send the cab back for me. I'll promise to wait," she added quickly, and with a certain ingenuousness which confirmed the impression that she was very young indeed. Astley tried not to smile again.

"Oh," said he, "don't trouble your head about me. After [illegible]

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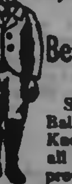

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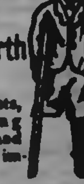

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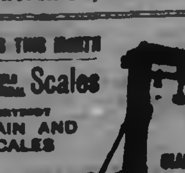

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A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.: Columbia National Bank, Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 23, 1903.

DEAR SIR,—The McLennan Paint Co. are good customers of this bank, and I have known them personally for years. All the officers bear excellent reputations, and are considered good business men. Their management is evidenced by the large business they have built up, as careful and conservative. They have met with great success in the past, and I beileve that today, theirs is one of the largest and most prosperous concerns of its kind. I have every reason to believe that the stock which they are now offering for sale is a desirable, as well as a safe investment. Yours very truly,

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Very respectfully, C. A. SALISBURY, Manager.

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Daily Nevada State Journal, January 4, 1903.

Lovelock, Nev., October 6, 1902.

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G. W. OSTRANDER, Supt.

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5 West Stockton Ave.,
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Treas. International Electric Mining Co.,
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Dear Sir,—I have received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, with thanks,

Yours truly,
JOHN H. LIVINGSTONE.

Nahant, Mass., January 3, 1903.

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Gentlemen,—Yours of Jan. 1st, enclosing dividend on my one hundred shares of stock in the International Electric Mining Company, received.

R. L. COCHRAN.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.

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Dear Sirs,—I hereby acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

Respectfully,
HENRY STREIFLER.

Hudson, Mass., Jan. 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—Yours of Jan. 1st., enclosing dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company, has been received. Respectfully,

M. A. WARREN.

Lamont, Iowa, January 5, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Dear Sirs,—Yours of January 1st., enclosing tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in your Company, has been received.

MRS. MARY KNATT.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Enclosed find receipt for the semi-annual dividend due January 1st on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

ISAAC R. JAMIESON.

Taunton Street Railway Machine Shops,
Taunton, Mass., January 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock held by me in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, as per receipt herewith enclosed.

FRANK S. RANDLETT.

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 10, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—Enclosed you will find my receipt for dividend for stock in the International Electric Mining Company to Jan. 1, 1903.

MICHAEL GLASSER, 565 High Street.

South Birmingham, Mass.,
January 3, 1903.

Received the International Electric Mining Company dividend to January 1, 1903, on the stock of the International Electric Mining Company standing in my name.

Respectfully,
J. W. MARNDEN.

1124 11th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.
January 11, 1903.

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Boston, Mass.

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Yours truly,
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EAST DEWEY GOLD MINING CO.

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PETERBOROUGH, FEB. 9, 1903

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

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St. John's Church

The Men's Success Club of St. John's will give a reception in the school rooms in honor of the church and their friends Monday evening, the 16th inst., commencing at eight o'clock.

Our Fire Loss has been adjusted—will be Opened in a few days—A. W. CRESSMAN

Our London Office

The Times has opened an office in London, England, which is under the management of Messrs. E. J. Hardy & Co. The office is situated at 30 Fleet street, where our Canadian friends visiting England are invited to call, and where they will be made welcome. The Times will be on file in the office.

Water Street Waterway

On account of the unsatisfactory way in which the granolithic walks have been built on Water street, whenever there is a thaw pedestrians are obliged to take to the middle of the road, the walks being under water. Just now people have difficulty in getting into their homes on this account. This only goes to show that a practical man is needed to superintend the building of our walks and the care of our streets.

A Successful Canadian

The Times had a pleasant call yesterday from Mr. Sidney, of Georgetown, Colo. Mr. Sidney is a Canadian and a native of Owen Sound, where his mother resides. He went to the Western States 15 years ago, where he has been very successful in mining. Mr Sidney represents the East Argentine Mining Company, which properties are amongst the richest in the State. He went west yesterday, and will return to Georgetown in a couple of weeks. A few blocks of stock in this splendid property is being placed on the Canadian market, the advertisement of which will appear in these columns in a few days.

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At to-morrow evening's meeting in St. Paul's church, the evangelists will speak especially to students and young people. The meeting, however, will be of general interest to all, and a good attendance is looked for.

40TH REGIMENT

The Annual Meeting was Held at Brighton a Few Days Ago

The annual meeting of the officers of the 40th Regiment was held at the Central hotel in Brighton a few days ago.

Among the business done was the appointment of Mess and Regimental committees and the Campbellford committees. The Campbellford brass Band was again chosen as the Regimental Band for the current year.

A CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP.

Mr. T. J. O'Connell Has Purchased Real Estate Business of Mr. T. Hurley & Co.

Mr. T. Hurley & Co., who for the past number of years have been in the real estate business in Peterborough, have disposed of their business to Mr. T. J. O'Connell. Mr. O'Connell has been in the employ of Mr. Hurley & Co. and will be found a worthy successor to Mr. Hurley. The firm has enjoyed a liberal patronage, which we hope will be transferred to the new owner.

FIRE CLAIMS SETTLED

The Insurance Companies Involved in Late Fire Pay Up

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mowry Celebrate Their Golden Wedding

On Tuesday evening last Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mowry, formerly of Peterborough, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding, at the residence of their son, Mr. M. C. Mowry, 662, Euclid avenue.

Numerous costly presents gave evidence of the esteem in which the old couple are held. Advantage was taken of the occasion to baptize the youngest grandchild, an infant son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Mowry. A most enjoyable evening was spent, and many were the expressions of good wishes for the continued health of the bride and groom of fifty years.

DUTY ON BINDER TWINE

Mr. R. R. Hall Joins a Cordage Deputation at Ottawa

Mr. R. R. Hall, of the Canadian Cordage Company, has been in Ottawa, where he joined the representatives of the eleven Canadian binder twine factories in waiting upon the Minister of Customs and Finance, asking for the imposition of a duty upon binder twine. Now that the control of the Philippines has passed into the hands of the United States, the American manufacturers are able to control the supply of raw material and obtain their Manila fibre at three-eighths of a cent per pound less than their Canadian competitors, consequently the former are able to undersell the latter in the Canadian market. The Canadian manufacturers are therefore looking to the restoration of the duty to afford them relief from ruinous competition.

Unless relief is forthcoming, it looks bad for the home industries.

DEATH OF MISS M'KEE

Daughter of Mr. W. C. McKee, of Seattle, Passes Away

The Times joins in extending heartfelt sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. McKee, of Seattle, Washington, formerly of Peterborough, in the great loss sustained through the death of their daughter, aged 21 years. Miss McKee was born in Peterborough, and will be remembered by many, a charming little girl of four or five years, when the family moved to the coast. The following from the Vancouver News-Advertiser, tells the sad story:

Mrs. W. C. McKee, a former resident of this city, but now of Seattle, arrived here by the Mainlander yesterday. The mission was a sad one, he having accompanied the remains of his eldest daughter, Miss Mabel McKee, who passed away at her home on [illegible] avenue and East Union street, Seattle, last Wednesday night. Tuberculosis was the cause of death, the deceased having been a sufferer from this disease for some time. She was but 21 years of age, and, during her residence in this city, was beloved by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon from Messrs. Center & Hanna's parlors, and was largely attended by friends and relatives of the family. The services, both at the parlors and at the graveside, were conducted by the Rev. W. J. Hindley.

The greatest sympathy is felt for Mr. McKee, who, since taking up his residence in the Queen City of the Sound, has brought back no less than three of his children for interment in the family plot in the City cemetery, but one child now remains.

The pall-bearers at the funeral were Messrs. A. P. Garvey, H. Godfrey, J. McConaghy and H. H. McCagno. Amongst those who sent flowers were the following: Mr. and Mrs. McKee, Misses Bolrean, Mrs. A. Garvey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Giguere, Mr. and Mrs. J. McConaghy, Mrs. and Misses Armstrong, Nellie London, Miss Griffiths, Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. Veitch, Messrs. Charles and George Perry and many others.

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W. C. MORROW,
Secretary Board of Education.

LOCAL LEGAL

Division Court, Osgoode Hall, Toronto, Feb. 11.—Wood vs. Canadian General Electric Co.—W. R. Riddell, K.C., for plaintiff, moved to set aside judgment entered by Meredith, J., in an action tried with a jury, brought under the workingman's compensation for injuries act, R.S.O., ch. 160, sec. 3, sub-secs. 2, 3 and 5, for injuries sustained by the plaintiff while in the employ of the defendants. Negligence was charged against one Patterson, the General Manager of the company, and also against one Bowen, the foreman, to whose orders the plaintiff was bound to conform. A tramway runs east and west through the works of the defendants. Shortly before the accident the plaintiff had been called to the track to put in a bond timber, and to do this he had to work underneath the track. Fearing the approach of a car the plaintiff spoke to one Smith, his immediate foreman, who ordered the doors to be closed. The plaintiff was working with his back towards the door, and without any warning being given him the doors were opened, and a car coming out passed over the plaintiff's arm, causing him serious injury. The trial Judge ruled that there was no negligence on the part of defendants, and if there was the plaintiff was guilty of contributory negligence. R. M. Dennistoun (Peterborough), for the defendants, opposed the appeal. Judgment reserved.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—The Girls' Guild of All Saints' church will hold a valentine social this evening.

—The Young Men's Guilds of the town will hold a joint meeting this evening at the Charlotte street Sunday school room. A good program has been arranged.

—The Kawartha Lakes Navigation Co., Lindsay, capital $40,000; provisional directors, Jas. Carew, J. B. Parkin, Lindsay, and T. H. Hamilton, Toronto.

—Mr. Walter Stocker stopped a runaway team at the corner of George and Simcoe streets yesterday morning. Fortunately no damage was done by the horses, who belonged to Mr. Robt. Armst, cheese box maker.

—The Hamilton Times of Wednesday says that the delegates returned from the Peterborough Convention giving glowing accounts of the same, and will present their reports at the men's meeting next Sunday afternoon.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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—Mr. Callaghan, of the Rathbun Company, was in town yesterday.

—Mrs. Chamberlain, of Lakefield, is visiting her niece, Miss Meadie, at 160 Brock street.

—Miss May Dunsmuir, of Millbrook, is the guest of Miss Eva Moore, Rubidge street.

—Messrs. M. D. and H. G. Kennedy, of St. Catharines were in town yesterday.

—Mrs. E. A. Langfeldt, who has been on a visit in Orillia, has returned home.

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London, Feb. 14—The Post says: There seems solid reason for the growing belief that the condition of affairs in Macedonia is about to lead to action of some kind, though in what direction is not as yet very clear.

The reported preparrations of Russia and Austria may be meant only as a warning to the Macedonians who appear to be getting out of hand and to assist the Sultan in keeping order while diplomacy is endeavoring to arrange for a better future for the distracted country. The reenforcements which are about being thrown into European Turkey, from Asia are evidently intended to restrain the Bulgarians who are undoubtedly ready to march to the assistance of their fellow countrymen should a general rising take place and the usual Turkish methods of repression be indulged in. In that event it is difficult to see how the Russian Government in the present state of public feeling in Russia, could refrain from bringing military pressure to bear on Turkey, and so forcing to an issue, the question of Turkish rule in the western Balkan country.

The whole matter bristles with diffi-culties, for not only has the Sultan to be reckoned with, but the rival claimants, to the various sections of Macedonia, to say nothing of the Albanians, seem determined to uphold their asserted rights. The unfortunate part of the situation is that the Sultan will yield nothing except to force, and that a display of force at the present moment may possibly produce the very conflagration it is intended to avert. Montenegrins, Servians, Bulgarians and Greeks are ready to pass the frontier and attack the Turks from three sides, but so far they have been kept in check by the great Powers.

Once, however, the fire was lighted, it is absolutely certain that they would not be left to themselves, but that Russia and Austria, and probably also Italy, would intervene. Russia, with her Black Sea volunteer fleet is in a position to throw an army corps at any moment into Bourgas in southern Bulgaria from Odessa, in less than thirty-six hours and from there to the frontier of Macedonia is a matter of but thirty-six or forty hours by rail.

In case of intervention, Russia, is therefore, very favorably situated, while Austrian troops advancing from Herzegovina to Mitrovitza would have to cover some two hundred miles of difficult and mountainous roads with a prospect of being opposed on the way. Any opposition to Russian intervention that might take the form of action by way of the Dardanelles would probably be met by Russia's doing what was threatened at the time of the Armenian massacres—that of manning the Dardanelles batteries with Russian conjointly with Turkish guns and gunners.

As will be seen, the outlook is not reassuring and depends on events which are not easy to control.

THE BOER LEADERS ARE NOT UNITED

Most of Them Hate Britain More Than Before the War

AND SOME ARE OPENLY HOSTILE

While Others are Doubtful — De Wet Thoroughly Discontented

Johannesburg, Feb. 14—Since the return of the Boer ex-generals here there has been an amusing shifting of positions among them. Botha, who took the lead in Europe, has fallen back in favor of Delarey. Delarey, since the battle of Magersfontein, has displayed considerable hostility towards Kruger and Cronje. He always considered that the incapacity and obstinacy of Cronje in the face of the advice he offered was the cause of the Boer disaster at Paardeberg and that Mr. Kruger showed equal stupidity in his support of Cronje, despite strongly worded protests from Delarey. Altogether Delarey was dissatisfied with the old administration, and now that he has fought out his fight he is willing to loyally accept the new condition of affairs.

Botha, it is known, has decided that his children shall at present be educated in Holland, that hotbed of anti-British feeling. This does not go to show that he has forgiven his late enemies or is really anxious for union between the younger generations. De Wet stands aloof from his comrades. He is a stubborn, vindictive character.

The fact that ex-President Steyn is spending his time on the continent and that his children are being educated by foreigners instead of in England, seems to prove that he, like Botha, has no desire that his sons should be trained to love the Empire.

Smuts, who is young and very clever, coming out just in the first class in the Cambridge law tripos of 1891, is growing in influence. He is still very sore about the Boer defeat, but it is hoped that his professions of loyalty are sound. Ex-Judge Hertzog, of the Orange River Colony, is another very important personage, who seems likely to prove of assistance in pacifying his more vindictive brethren.

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British Investors Showing Confidence in Canada

London, Feb. 12.—The prosperity of Canada, and the growing British confidence in the Dominion, is illustrated by the fact that Canadian three per cent. stock is to-day quoted at 104; English consols are no better. Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific stocks have also advanced, and Hudson's Bay have reached forty-three. The British investor is showing growing confidence in Canada.

A CANADIAN SENSATION.

A prominent provincial emigration official visiting London expresses the opinion that the departmental decision to dispense with the services of the Glasgow agent is likely to be reminded, stating that Mr. Murray's offence is generally tolerated on the part of Canadian officials both in the Dominion and Great Britain. It is also said that an influential Senator is demanding that Mr. Murray remain, and threatening trouble in Parliament for a very prominent official in England if the request is denied.

IAN HAMILTON'S VIEWS.

General Sir Ian Hamilton, speaking last night at Birmingham, said that the volunteer movement in Canada was largely due to men who obtained their inspiration from England's volunteers. Every lad volunteering showed a realisation of imperial responsibilities. The English army needed the development of individuality.

THE GUARDS DEMORALIZED.

In connection with the Airened era scandal, it seems the whole Guards' brigade is in a state of disorganization. Two sergeants and seventeen privates, all medalled, have deserted from the Scots' Guards in a body recently, making fifty odd desertions since Christmas. The only defender Col. Kinloch has is in his brother-in-law, Bromley Davenport, M.P., who says that the Colonel was ignorant of the "ragging" incidents.

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REBELS MURDER VILLEGERS

Serious Outbreak Recently Occurred in South on Madagascar

London, Feb. 12— A despatch to a news agency from Paris announces that mail advices received there from the Island of Madagascar give details of a serious outbreak which occurred recently in the southern part of Madagascar. A force of rebels attacked and destroyed a village, and murdered its inhabitants. Detachments of troops pursued the rebels. They killed a hundred of them, but, during the fighting, the French sustained serious losses.

EX-QUEENS TOGETHER

Empress Eugenie Leaves Her English Home to visit Isabella in Madrid.

London, Feb. 14—The Empress Eugenie has left her English home at Farnborough, within earshot of the practice guns at Aldershot, the great military camp, and gone to Madrid to visit ex-Queen Isabella of Spain. Both these aged women are both ex-queens. Isabella, unlike Eugenie, doesn't mourn for the pomp of her past station, but devotes herself to having a good time.

Eugenie is a broken-hearted woman and is a living figure of grief.

Her visit to Madribd will add to her store of painful recollections, for she hasn't seen her native land since she left it a beautiful young girl to marry Napoleon III.

Eugenie's mission to Spain, is, it is reported, for the purpose of finally disposing of her property interests there.

She is, of course, enormously rich. She spends half her time in Paris.

It is a tribute to the politeness of the French people that she comes and goes without comment.

She always takes a suite of rooms at the Continental hotel in the Rue Rivoli, from the windows of which she can look into the gardens of the Tuileries, which palace she inhabited until the French people made up their minds to dispence with the services of Napoleon III.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S LATEST SPEECH

He Declares That Mother Country Would Defend Its Heritage to Last Man

London, February 11—Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain's speech at Grahamstown on Monday was evidently intended for a wider audience, for it constitutes the clearest indication of the general imperial policy. Hon. Mr. Chamberlain, in pursuance of his remarks declared that the Mother Country would defend its heritage to the last man, but that the colonies had their share of the responsibilities of the Empire. Last year England spent 100,000,000 besides the war debt. He was addressing all the colonies when he said they were not doing what they ought to in regard to their obligations to the Empire.

The increased vote of Cape Colony for the fleet was not sufficient to keep for six months the warship Good Hope. He would agree that the first duty was at home, but all hope for the Empire's future was based on co-operation with the Mother Country. He said he was anxious that the colonial aspiration should be to partners in the Empire, whose mission was justice, freedom, and equality.

He added, "Why knows when the next blow will fall. We, by remaining one people, shall prove the Empire is founded on a community of sacrifice."

THE TROUBLE IN KOREA

Russian Minister is Putting in His Oar

London, Feb. 12.—There are signs of a settlement of the trouble in Korea, reports the correspondent of The Times at Tokio. The Governor of Seoul has cancelled his veto on the circulation of bank notes, and the circulation of bank notes and the general veto will probably soon be withdrawn.

The Russian Minister is trying to compose the difficulty. The run on the bank has ceased. The question of compensation may prove embarrassing, however.

The press of Tokio demands that preventive measures be taken in addition to punitive ones in order to protect Japanese interests in the future.

1,000 REINDEER FOR ALASKA

The Government Awards the Contract to the Northwestern Commercial Co

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 14—At Washington ten days ago the Government awarded the Northwestern Commercial Company a contract for supplying and transporting another thousand reindeer from the Siberian coast to Alaska. The Company is loosely allied with the Northwestern Siberian Company, which owns trading and mining concessions on the Siberian coast and has already purchased hundreds of deer from natives in exchange for merchandise. The balance of the reindeer will be rounded up from Siberian wilds during the spring and summer.

GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP

Ontario County Council Passes a Progressive Resolution

Whitby, Ont., February 12— At the meeting of the County Council it was moved by T. E. Kaiser, M.D., seconded by W. H. Gibbs, "that the Council of the corporation of Ontario County authorize J. E. Farewell, K.C., County clerk to address a letter to the Ontario government expressing our disapproval of granting any further franchises at Niagara Falls to any private corporation, and to urge upon the government the necessity of developing power at the said Falls as a governmental measure for the benefit and advantage of the people of the province of Ontario." The resolution was carried unanimously.

AGAINST PANAMA TREATY

Senator Morgan Thinks it Should Be Made Over.

Washington, Feb. 12.—After the confirmation of a number of nominations and the refusal to re-open the Alaskan boundary question, the Senate, in executive session today began consideration of the Panama Canal treaty between the United States and the Republic of Colombia. Senator Morgan immediately took the floor to urge that the treaty be amended in many respects, and to oppose it unless amended. He contended the convention is loosely drawn, and said that, in order to properly safeguard the interests of the United States, it should be practically made over.

NEW HEALTH REGULATIONS

Regarding the Outbreak of Scarlet Fever in Province

At the quarterly meeting of the Provincial Board of Health in Toronto, the entire afternoon session was taken up in the discussion upon the regulations for control of cases of scarlet fever, the various phases of the subject being thoroughly threshed out. The new regulations, as adopted, are comprehensive in their scope, and their enforcement will, it is anticipated, be effective in checking and controlling a serious menace to the public health of the Province. Many of the provisions with respect to the reporting and isolation in hospitals specially provided for the purpose of cases of scarlet fever, with the precautionary measures regarding quarantine of persons who have been exposed, and disinfection of clothing, etc., are similar to those which have proved so efficacious in the treatment of smallpox and diphtheria. In fatal cases the funeral must be private and specific instructions for the guidance and protection of the undertaker and his assistants are included. The maximum period of incubation of the disease is fixed at one week, and it is also provided that every person ill with scarlet fever and the surroundings of such person shall be considered infective until the process of desqumation has been completed and all infective discharges have ceased, and in no case shall the period of infection be considered to have ceased in less than six weeks from the commencement of the illness.

Another clause provides that when the disease occurs in a school the Medical Health Officer shall direct that an examination of all exposed persons, whether in the classroom or absentees in the home, shall be made daily by physicians until the period of incubation is past.

THE PRETENDER IS APPEALING TO RELIGIOUS PREJUDICES

Time Has Arrived for Moslems to Give Attention to Religious Matters

MOROCCAN REBELION

Copy of Pretender's Letter to the Riffians Received

London, Feb. 13.—"I have received a copy of the pretender's letter to the Riffians," wires The Times' correspondent from Tangier. "It says the time has arrived for Moslem to give attention to religious matters, because the Sultan is young and inexperienced, and his entourage is hand in hand with the Christians to whom they intend eventually to make over the country. The writer implores the tribesmen to assist him as the precursor of the Messiah who shall re-establish orthodox Islam and rid the country of Christian influences." The letter is unsigned, but the originals bear an almost legible cipher resembling the name Mulla Mohammed, the Sultan's brother. The letter is written in excellent classical letters of half a century ago. It diplomatically refrains from attacking the personality of the Sultan who possesses formidable religious prestige as commander of the faithful.

Throughout Riff the letters are being scattered broadcast, and also among the tribes on the bordering Algerian frontier.

Riffian Rebels Full of Fight

London, Feb. 13— Advices which show that the rebellion in Morocco still has vitality are contained in a despatch from the correspondent of The Times at Tangier. "A messenger whom I sent to Riff," he says, "has returned and states that letters from the pretender to the throne have been publicly read in the mosques and markets, and that the general feeling is in favor of support of the rebellion."

The Riffians are doubtless influenced in this attitude, adds the correspondent, by the unpopularity of the government's representatives there, who are accused of excessive corruption in their conduct of affairs. Amarim Shereff, uncle of the Sultan, has been instructed to go to Riff, and will leave on Saturday on his mission. He is empowered to change all unpopular governors and do everything possible to prevent a spread of the rebellion.

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TURKEY BEING URGED TO AVOID PRECIPITATING IN TROUBLE

The War Cloud in Near East.

New York, Feb. 3.—The London correspondent of The Tribune says to-day: The Macedonian question remains the most important European issue. The revolutionists are making strenuous efforts to secure the condemnation of the Austro-Russian proposals of reform before the text has been submitted to the Sultan or published in any continental capital. There is an evident desire on the part of the Balkan agitators to produce an unmanageable situation, and drag first Bulgaria and Servia and finally Russia into war with Turkey. The work which preceded the Russian campaign of 1877 was conducted with secrecy and subtlety, whereas the present operations are noisy, and reveal plainly the methods of the professional agitators. Some of the closest observers are convinced that the Czar is as anxious as the Emperor of Austria-Hungary to prevent an outbreak of hostilities, and that the Russian Minister of Finance is not prepared to supply money for a decisive campaign. Lamsdorff and Goluslowski (respectively the Foreign Ministers of Russia and Austria-Hungary), according to this view, have prepared a moderate scheme of reforms, which the German Emperor will strongly advise the Sultan to accept, and the Macedonian agitators are apprehensive lest the Sultan may forestall their well organized movement by a prompt acquiescence in the wishes of the European powers. An early outbreak of hostilities is favored by the open weather in the Balkans, and Bulgaria and Servia may be carried away by infectious excitement.

MR. BURNHAM'S LECTURE

Last Night An Instructive Lecture to a Poor Audience

There was a poor attendance last evening at the lecture delivered by Mr. Burnham at the local opera house, in connection with the workingman's educational movement.

The topic chosen by Mr. Burnham was, "The Workingman in Ancient and Modern Times, and the Labor Movement in America."

The speaker reviewed the history of the workingman from the period of serfdom in the 4th century, when the uncultured Briton roamed the country without any form of government to the conditions existing to-day. After describing the working classes of Saxon times, and the men who took the place of the serfs at a later period, and who may be counted the ancestors of the workingman of to-day, the lecturer moved on to the 15th century. This was known as the Golden Age of Labor, with which the conditions existing to-day were as dross. The workingman of that time existed under ideal conditions. His habitation was rude in comparison with the dwellings of our time; yet he enjoyed a fair degree of comfort according to the limitations of existing circumstances. Moving on to the labor movement in America the lecturer dwelt at length on the advantages and necessity of organization, and described the system of profit sharing or co-operation as the goal towards which the labor movement is moving.

Rev. J. C. Davidson and Rev. Father McColl also spoke, complimenting the lecturer for his clever treatment of the topic.

A vote of thanks was accorded Mr. Burnham for his lecture.

KAISER AND SOCIALISTS

French Politician Sees Menace to Universal Suffrage in Germany

London, Feb. 11.—Mr. Jaures, the Socialist vice-president of the Chamber of Deputies, discussing in an article in the Petit Republique the present strained relations between the GGerman Socialists and the Kaiser, holds that the conflict has become so acute that the Kaiser must endeavor to break down the party by mutilating the system of universal suffrage or abandon his provocative and aggresive attitude towards the Socialist proletariat. M. Jaures believes that universal suffrage is so firmly established in France that there is no danger of its abolition, but, in Germany, it was accorded by royal power, and, therefore, not being founded in the national life, it is easi

RACE WAR IMPENDS

Shameful Treatment of Negroes in Many Parts of The South

Fayette, Mo., Feb. 14—A race war has been started here as the result of the public whipping of three negroes on the court-house steps Friday night. A committee of the Law and Order League took the negroes from their homes and whipped them publicly for alleged misconduct. Two of them were women. Since then the negroes and white people have been in open enmity and it is said twenty-five negro families have been frightened into leaving this vicinity.

The one negro man who was whipped Friday night made a desperate resistance. It took several men to carry him to the post. He cursed his captors as the lash was applied, which resulted in the whip being wielded only the more vigorously. When the ordeal was ended the negro was so weak from loss of blood that he was put to bed, instead of being driven from town. The women, who were not whipped severely, were taken to the outskirts and told to go. There is much excitement here and a clash is feared.

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ENTERTAINMENT AT ALLSAINTS'

Junior Girls' Guild Give a Pleasing Entertainment Last Night

The echoes of the Senior Girls' Guild entertainment at All Saints' church had scarcely died away when that of the Junior Girls' Guild was ushered in last night. Following in such close proximity it was a singularly successful affair, and gained equal popularity. It differed somewhat from its sister entertainment inasmuch as the first part of the programme consisted of a musical romance, which caused much merriment. Each one was given a paper on which was printed sixteen questions. The answer to each question was suggested by part of some popular air played on the piano, and whoever, by this means, answered the most questions correctly was entitled to a prize. Mr. Bruce Rickey took the first prize, consisting of a plate, of unknown value; and Mr. Joseph Legg took second prize, consisting of cake, also of unknown value.

The second part of the programme was opened by a vocal selection from the choir, which subsequently gave "Come where my love lies dreaming," their voices blending harmoniously, and producing a good effect. Little Freddie Hooper recited "Five minutes late," and for an encore brought down the house with "I'm a postage stamp." Mr. Bruce Rickey also recited in a creditable manner, and for an encore told an Irish story, after having given a vocal solo to the accompaniment of Miss Bullen on the piano. The brilliant playing of Miss Ida Mulholland on the piano of a new piece of music, entitled "Hunky Dory," which she had only seen this week for the first time, elicited the admiration of the audience. The vocal duet by Miss Duncan and Miss Bullen was well received. The vocal solo by Mr. Sheppard shows he possesses a mellifluous voice, which he sustains throughout his lower notes. The Rector presided acceptably as usual. The refreshments were all that could be desired, and a most enjoyable evening was brought to a close by the audience singing "God Save the King."

The Vienna Government is Not Preparing for a War

TO PRESERVE PEACE IS THEIR OBJECT

Austria Gives Turks Advice—Comment by Papers on Balkan Situation

Vienna, Feb. 13.—The principal papers comment lengthily upon the situation in the Balkans. Careful perusal leaves the impression that confidence is still unshaken in the power of diplomacy to cope with the crisis which is unanimously admitted to exist. Nor have some publications lost hope in the tranquillizing capabilities of the Austro-Russian project of reforms, though in some quarters the cry goes up, "How long will this project be delayed?" The Wiener Journal, in a temperate article, intended to prove to the world Austria's entire good faith, sincerity and desire for a continuance of peace, remarks: "The allegations that Austria-Hungary contains ultra motives regarding Turkey are to be emphatically denied. The fact that various reforms are planned for our military system, that Austrian rentes are to be converted, and that specie payments are to be resumed, cannot be construed into preparations for war. The Porte would do best not to allow itself to be influenced by covert misrepresentations into resorting to measures which would only tend to precipitate a catastrophe."

New York, Feb. 13.—The Tribune says to-day: "The Senate has done well in ratifying the Alaska Boundary Treaty. There is, of course, no assurance that the sequel will be a final settlement of the boundary dispute, though it is earnestly hoped and indeed expected, that such will be the case. The only satisfactory settlement conceivable will be one substantially confirming the status which has prevailed for more than seventy-five years, and which for more than sixty years was unchallenged. It is expected America's just and reasonable title will be presented so clearly and effectively that the British members of the commission will recognize and confirm its validity."

Bathurst, N.B., Feb. 13—While the authorities were investigating the robberies at Hinton's store, which took place ten days ago, and Holdenraber and Rosenberg's on Monday last, they got the information that Fred Thibedeau, who is at present in jail awaiting trial for breaking into Landry's jewelry shop about a month since, was the man they wanted. On going to the jail the constables found he had cut a hole through the floor in his cell under the bed, through which he had been getting in and out of the jail at will. In his cell was found a lot of plunder which was stolen from the two stores mentioned. Two other arrests were made.

CHINESE TO BE EXCLUDED, BUT THE JAPS CANNOT BE BARRED

Mr. Chamberlain's Broad Imperialism

London, Feb. 14 — Mr. Chamberlain in his speech at Port Elizabeth pursued the theme of colonial responsibilities toward the Empire. He said: "When the war began the Dominion of Canada and the Commonwealth of Australia sprang to the assistance of the Mother Country, and made your cause their own. They were not directly concerned but felt that your cause was just. They felt that the honor and interests of the Empire were at stake and showed a readiness and anxiety to have their share of the responsibilities of the great Empire, whose privileges they enjoy." Mr. Chamberlain added: "The British race throughout the world is one people. No one in the dominions of the King can be touched or harmed without a thrill of indignation passing through the whole Empire."

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An Important Announcement By Aulay Morrison, M.P. for New Westminster

LEGISLATION AT THE NEXT SESSION

Japanese Cannot for Imperial Reasons be Barred

Victoria, B.C., Feb. 13—In addressing the Liberal Association here last night, Mr. Aulay Morrison, M.P., for New Westminster, said he was in a position to say that Chinese would be excluded from Canada by the Dominion Government at the next session of the Federal Parliament. At present there is a per capita tax of $100 levied upon each Chinese entering the country; it was only $50 up to 1900, when the sum was doubled in consequence of the unanimous demand from British Columbia for greater restriction upon the immigration of Chinese.

Last year the British Columbia Legislature passed a law to prohibit the immigration of both Chinese and Japanese, under educational test, but this was recently disallowed by the Federal Government as being ultra vires of the powers of the Provincial Legislature. It is no secret that the chief reason for this disallowance lay in the placing of Japanese, as well as Chinese under the ban. That was a course which was resented as unfriendly by Japan, Britain's ally in the East, and would have been vetoed by the British Government as opposed to Imperial policy. As far back as April 29, 1900, Sir Wilfrid Laurier put this plainly in the House of Commons at Ottawa, when he said: "We must insist at this moment, so that there can be no misunderstanding at a future date, on drawing a line between Chinese and Japanese, and that whatever policy of restriction we may adopt against Chinamen, whether it be right or wrong, we cannot afford, for the sake of Imperial policy, to treat the Japanese as we have been treating the Chinese."

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UNSETTLED BOUNDARIES.

Some Canadian papers are complacently saying that even if the Alaska boundary dispute is not settled by the Commission that has been appointed it will be all right, "Canada can wait."

This will be true if nothing happens to hurry both nations towards a settlement, such as the discovery of gold in the disputed territory, and the staking out and registration of claims, the inevitable collisions of miners, and the necessity of policing the region, administering law and punishing crime. If nothing happens to call forth the exercise of authority, the region might go on as it has for centuries longer. But it is this contingency that is behind the mutual desire for a settled boundary, that law and order may prevail.

Great Britain has another uncertain boundary question in Africa, the line between German South-west Africa and the British possessions. It is known that the German colony is rich in minerals. New discoveries are frequently made, and no one knows yet how extensive the profitable mining region may prove to be. The larger part of the boundary extends along the meridian of 20 degrees, east longitude, but this line has not been delimited. It is certainly better to determine by an exact survey the position of such boundary lines before the value of the land near them may give rise to disputes and result perhaps in bloodshed.

An illustration occurred in 1901 of the embarrassment which is apt to result from ignorance of the location of a boundary line. It will be remembered that some United States miners had invested considerable money in claims a little to the north of Mount Baker, which is in the State of Washington, before it was discovered by a survey that American citizens had opened their claims under the provisions of United States mining laws in territory that was clearly over the border in Canada. The result was most energetic claim-jumping on the part of Canadians, and there was some trouble and bad feeling before the matter was finally adjusted.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Senator Wark, who is a member of the Canadian Parliament and who expects this year to attend to his legislative duties, as he has annually, for over half a century, is probably the oldest legislator in the world. He is in his one hundredth year, and has been one of the legislators for the province of New Brunswick for upwards of sixty years. He was an old man when the provinces were confederated into the Dominion.

Work will begin in the spring on forty-one new grain elevators for the North-west Elevator Company. The new buildings will, says a Winnipeg dispatch, necessitate an expenditure of $1,720,000, and will increase the elevator capacity of the province of Manitoba, and the Territories by 2,000,000 bushels. One of the new elevators, the largest, will be erected in Winnipeg. Fifteen will be put up in Manitoba, and the balance distributed at various points in the territories.

At a meeting the other day of the directors of the Savings Bank of Milan, one of the richest and most stable financial institutions in Italy, it was decided that, as the profits of the past year had been larger than usual, the sum of $1,000,000 should be bestowed on the hospitals of Lombardy, to enable them to introduce the latest discoveries of science, and in other ways to provide for the comfort and well-being of their patients. And, it might be added, of their nursing staff.

According to official returns of the British Board of Trade received at the Trade and Commerce Department, the total number of emigrants who left the United Kingdom during the calendar year ending December 31st, last was 367,116, as against 302,575 for the preceding twelve months. Of this number 232,141 went to the United States, an increase of 37,200 compared with the previous year, and 67,712 to Canada, a gain of 24,815. The emigrants of British origin who went to the United States numbered 108,501, an increase of but 4,306. The emigrants to Cape of Good Hope and Natal were 51,891 in number, as compared with 28,553 in 1901.

Coal stealing has become a habit this winter all over the land. At Hoosick Falls, N.Y., the robberies progressed until at last a whole carload was stolen. The thieves justified themselves on the plea that the speculators were holding up the price. In some store windows on a piece of cardboard has appeared for some weeks the legend in job type, "It is lawful to steal coal," then in smaller letters the object is stated. Is this a right saying to put before the people? If it is "lawful" to steal coal" it is lawful to steal anything else, whereas it is not lawful to steal for any purpose whatever.

It is believed that within a short time the cattle embargo, which has been on New England for several months because of the foot and mouth disease, will be lifted. Dr. Daniel E. Salmon chief of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry, who has been since early in December directing the fighting of the disease, has returned to Washington, and will not come back to New England unless there is a reappearance of the foot and mouth disease. So far as the officials of the Animal Bureau know, there are now no cases of the disease in New England, and most of the places where it has appeared have been disinfected.

A Protest From Venezuela

New York, Feb. 11.—Senor Myerston, the Venezuelan Consul, has presented to the Dutch Government officials a demand for the immediate seizure of the gunboat Restaurador, now flying the German flag, and the return of the vessel to Venezuela, says the correspondent of The Herald at Willemstad, Curacao. The Consul contends that as the captured ship belonged to the Venezuelan navy she could not enter Dutch waters under International law. He has also protested against Germany using Curacao as a base of supplies and as a coaling station. Venezuelan officials assert that neutral rights appear to be only for strong powers, and that International Law is a farce when feeble nations are involved.

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DISTRICT NEWS

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS

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CHANDOS.

—Mr. Peter Gooley was in Lakefield this week.

—Mr. John Mahoney was out from Coe Hill on Sunday.

—Mr. M. O'Brien was out from the shanty on Saturday.

—Mr. James Menogue was the guest of James Scott on Sunday evening.

—Mr. Thomas Mahoney was the guest of Mr. Fred. Hobbins on Sunday evening.

—There is good sleighing in Chandos and the farmers and lumber men are getting their logs out.

—Mr. W. Booney, culler for the Rathbun Co., was in the vicinity last week.

—Mr. John Menogue has purchased Mr. J. W. Padiff's saw mill and has it placed at Clyndale and will carry on the business there, in place of Lasswade.

A sleigh load of our young people drove to Coe Hill on Monday evening to attend the entertainment given in the town hall.

—We see our popular tax collector with a new hat. Whether he traded or took it up in mistake on Saturday evening, we do not know, but it must be a good sign of spring.

—Mr. Robt. Tanner gave his leg a bad cut. We are sorry that Robert cannot get enough timber in this wooded country to cut without chopping his leg.

—Mr. Patrick O'Brien sprained his foot and is laid up with it at present.

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Animal Emotions.

It is told of a certain Lord Holland, who was very eccentric, that he used to give his horses weekly concerts in a gallery specially erected for the purpose. He maintained that it cheered their hearts, and improved their temper, and a witness says that they seemed to be delighted with the performance. Much has been written of the effect of music upon animals. The "American Naturalist" gives some of the results of experiments made in Lincoln Park, Chicago, to determine the effect of violin-playing on different animals.

Music which was slow and sweet, like "Home, Sweet Home," or "Annie Laurie," pleased the panthers, a jaguar and a lioness and her cubs. The panthers became nervous, and twitched their tails when a lively jig, "The Irish Washerwoman," was played to them, but relapsed into their former quiet when the music again became soothing.

The jaguar was so nervous during the jig music that he jumped from a shelf to the floor of his cage and back again. When the player ceased and walked away, the jaguar reached out his paw to him as far as he could, with claws retracted.

The lioness and her cubs were interested from the first, although when the violinist approached the cage the mother gave him a hiss and the cubs hid behind her. At the playing of a lively jig the cubs stood up on their hind legs and peeped over at the player. When the musician retreated from the cage the animals came to the front of it, and did not move back when he gradually drew so near as almost to touch the great paws that were thrust through the bars. When the musician was playing "Home, Sweet Home," the entire family were very attentive, and remained motionless except that the cubs turned their heads from side to side. Then another jig was played, and the cubs danced about.

The coyotes, in a den, squatted in a semicircle and sat in silence while the music continued. When it ceased they ran up and pawed at the player through the bars. He began afresh, and again they formed in a silent semicircle. This experiment was made several times, always with the same result.

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Discontented Artist—I wish I had a fortune. I would never paint again.

Generous "Brother Brush"—By Jove! old man, I wish I had one! I'd give it to you!

Seized For Rent.

A Philadelphian who spent many years in the sunny South, who, in fact, was born and brought up there, tells an amusing story of darky wit, and one well worth repeating. It was some years ago, when he lived not more than 100 miles from New Orleans. One day he returned from many hours of driving, and was agreeably surprised to see a fine plump turkey served up for dinner. Wondering where it came from, he called Rastus and enquired by what means the beautiful bird had reached his dining-table. "Why, sah," replied Rastus, "dat turkey done bin roosting on our fence dis tree nights, so dis morning I seize him for de rent ob de fence."

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WALTER KNOWLTON,

87 Brunswick avenue, Toronto, says: "When our little boy was two years old a rash broke out on his face. The following Fall it became worse and we were much alarmed, as we feared the child would be disfigured for life. The doctor said he could do nothing. A neighbor advised Powley's Liquified Ozone. I had no faith in it, but eventually decided to do so. At first he grew worse, then better, and the disease seemed gradually to dry up. In a short while he was in perfect health, with a skin as soft and smooth as velvet."

W. DORSEY,

23 Sultan street, Toronto, says: "I had a very severe attack of eczema in my left leg. It became very angry and sore, and seemed to eat right into the flesh. This gave me such great pain that I was nearly out of my mind. Different friends advised me to try Powley's Liquified Ozone. I bought three bottles and by the time I had taken them every trace of the disease was gone."

MRS. F. SCULTHORPE,

73 Cobourg street, Ottawa, says: "I was terribly afflicted with eczema, which broke out on nearly every part of the body. The irritation was almost unbearable and my life was a misery. I commenced to use Powley's Liquified Ozone and after using nine fifty cent bottles there is no trace of the disease left."

DR. MECKLENBURG,

corner Craig and Bleury streets, Montreal, says: "For over twelve years I was a great sufferer from eczema. My hands and limbs were so bad that blood would ooze out of my skin, and I had a very bad sore on my right leg at the knee. In was so painful I was unable to walk and at times my hands were so bad I could not attend to my practice and I was compelled to wear silk rubber gloves. I was treated by leading specialists on skin disease, but got no relief. With hope almost gone I finally decided to try Powley's Liquified Ozone. I noticed an improvement almost immediately and continued until I had used eleven bottles, when I was completely cured. My skin is as clean and smooth as a baby's."

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KAISER AND SOCIALISTS

French Politician Sees Menace to Universal Suffrage in Germany

London, Feb. 11.—Mr. Jaures, the Socialist vice-president of the Chamber of Deputies, discussing in an article in the Petit Republique the present strained relations between the GGerman Socialists and the Kaiser, holds that the conflict has become so acute that the Kaiser must endeavor to break down the party by mutilating the system of universal suffrage or abandon his provocative and aggressive attitude towards the Socialist proletariat. M. Jaures believes that universal suffrage is so firmly established in France that there is no danger of its abolition, but, in Germany, it was accorded by royal power, and, therefore, not being founded in the national life, it is easier to overthrow.

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BACKS CANADA IN ALASKAN TREATY

London, Feb. 11.—The Morning Post discussing the Alaskan question, urges the British Foreign Office to use emphatic words in support of the words as emphatic as those of the Canadian lady in the gallery of the Washington Congress. The Post supports the suggestion that Canada renew the previous lease of access to the Pacific on terms made moderate by the United States, and says anything would be better than the present modus vivendi which permits too many opportunities of forcible aggression on the part of the United States customs officials.

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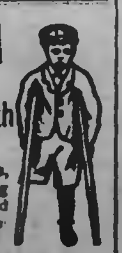

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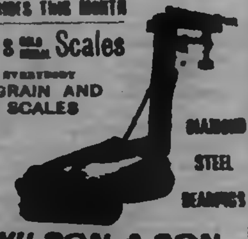

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Interesting Items.

Blue roses have at last been produced and are grown at Kew Gardens, London.

An English mathematician has figured out that it takes only a "four-flea power," whatever that may mean, to run a watch, and that a single horse-power would run all the watches in creation.

A certain Chinese lady, named Cheong Chuk Kwan, is going on a tour round the world. She is rich, and well educated in English. Having progressive ideas, she is going to see what Europe and America are like. This is the first and only instance in which a Chinese lady has ever attempted such a venture.

Railway travel is fast losing its perils. According to reports recently made public in London, not a passenger was killed on any English railway in 1901, and only eleven people who were not passengers received fatal injuries. American railways may be better equipped than those across the water, but they have not yet approached the new English record for safety.

A remarkable piece of railroad engineering is about to be begun by the Southern Pacific Railroad in Utah. For the sake of saving four and a half miles, the railroad is to build a new line one hundred and five miles long, which for part of the way will run on a timber trestle across the Great Salt Lake. It now runs around the northern shore of the lake, over a route full of sharp curves and heavy grades. The work will take three years, and will cost two and a half million dollars.

A writer in the "Illustrated Sporting and Dramatic News" tells of a clear case of canine murder. The owner of an Airdale terrier bought a small Cocker spaniel pup, and it was made much of by the members of the family. "Scottie," the terrier, utterly ignored the pup's existence. One morning the puppy was missing, and, after a fruitless search, the gardener remembered seeing "Scottie" come out of a rhododendron bed, with nose and face much begrimed with earth. There the body of the pup was found, and it was plain that "Scottie" had first killed and then buried the poor little creature.

A year ago, says the "Youth's Companion," three prominent physicians told a certain New Yorker that he was afflicted with locomotor ataxia, and beyond the power of cure. Thereupon this man, who, even when he used two canes, "floundered around wherever his legs chose to take him," went to a gymnasium. He took exercise in ten-minute instalments. It was torture, but he persisted in it, and when he was not exercising he stayed out-of-doors. Presently he began to ride the bicycle, too, although he could not stop his machine except by putting on the brake and falling off. After seven months of hard work his legs were "still wabbly," but he began to play handball. Through the winter he kept up regular practice in the gymnasium, gaining all the time, surely though slowly. This spring he had the reward of a year of prodigious and painful effort. He could take forty-mile rides on his bicycle. The doctors say he has perfectly recovered. He says he never felt better. Here is inspiration for invalids. Many a man might cure himself of "incurable" disease, as this man did, if he would only make a fight for health.

Abolition of the Night.

The strenuous character of modern life is shown by the way in which we turn night into day. Two hundred years ago the night was really night, and everybody went to bed early and slept until daylight. Streets were lighted feebly or not at all. Footpads lurked in every shadow for the belated wayfarer, and, in the loneliness of the streets, were secure against interruption. The watch or patrol was abroad, but it was inadequate to police a large city.

Midnight, two centuries ago, was a holy, a haunted, and a fearsome hour. The man who stayed out until midnight went home in fear and trembling, and lost his reputation if his late homecoming were bruited about. None but the gayest, most reckless, and most dissipated young blades were ever out of bed in the small hours of the morning. Throughout the greater part of Christendom, two hundred years ago, curfew rang at nine or ten o'clock in the evening, and all lights were put out or were concealed, behind stuffed cracks and blanketed windows, from the eye of the prying watchman.

But now, how changed! Midnight has lost its charms and thrills. Graves no longer yawn and give forth their dead, nor do ghosts walk at the stroke of 12. No pensive Madeleine, trembling in her chaste couch, sits up nowadays at midnight of St. Agnes' eve to view her lover in a looking-glass. Midnight has become commonplace. Familiarity with it has bred contempt. One hardly ever goes to bed before that hour. Life is too short that we should waste the precious hours between blankets. Slumber, such as our forefathers knew, has fled our eyes. We cannot afford to give ten and twelve hours of the twenty-four to slothful sleep. Six or seven hours of dreamful, fretful dozing make up our full allowance. The twenty-four hours are hardly enough for work and sport, and we would make the day thirty-six hours long if we could.

The modern mind is appalled, observes the San Francisco "Bulletin," at thought of the immense waste of time which occurred in those epochs—literally, the dark ages—before gas, the arc, and incandescent lights, owl cars, and other inventions robbed the night of its blackness, and when men used to sleep soundly and long. A large part of the population of the civilized world, especially in large cities, now works at night. At midnight the streets are crowded, and at three o'clock in the morning there are many, beside the roysterers, to be met. Not a few of the mills and manufactories in Eastern cities run all night. When the ground is valuable, and every hour of idleness means loss of thrift for the owner, building contractors in large cities think little of putting on a night shift, and, with the help of searchlights, employing the whole twenty-four hours in the erection of a skyscraper. An army of bakers, printers, craftsmen, and tradesmen of all sorts toil at night and go home in the early morning. The telephone service never ceases for a moment. One can have a messenger boy at any hour. There are playhouses which advertise a continuous performance. Owl cars in every large city run on nearly every line. In short, we have very nearly abolished the night.

BRITISH OFFER ACCEPTED

Minister Bowen Conveys Venezuela's Acquiescence to Washington Embassy

Washington, Feb. 11.—Mr. Bowen has formally accepted Great Britain's protocol framed to secure a reference of the Venezuelan dispute to The Hague arbitration tribunal. He carried his note of acceptance to the British Embassy yesterday, and personally presented it to Ambassador Herbert. He expressed the opinion that it was a document of a high order from a diplomatic point of view.

Interesting Items.

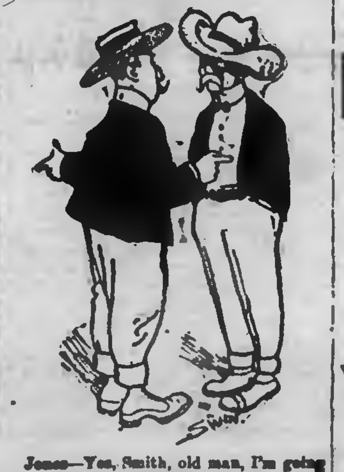
Captain F. C. Ishoy, a Dane, has invented a steamship which he thinks will be both speedier and steadier than the existing type. He makes the hull considerably more flat than in the ordinary model, thus decreasing the draft. But his most novel device is placing the screw under the bottom of the vessel instead of at the stern. Not only will such a ship be particularly seaworthy, says the inventor, but, with the same speed, it will save 20 per cent. in consumption of coal.

A new form of litter for carrying the wounded has been devised by Mrs. Chadwick, wife of the captain who commanded the flagship "New York" in the Spanish war. It is a simple arrangement of straps and slings supporting a broad canvas seat, and weighs only three and a half pounds. The New York "Sun" says of this invention: "It is no small thing for a woman to have solved the problem which has puzzled army officers and surgeons the world over. The litter for carrying the wounded which Mrs. Chadwick has devised is being praised as the simplest, lightest and most easily carried device of the kind yet invented."

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company are sending an electro-gasolene motor car to Banff, where it will be at the disposal of tourists who wish to examine minutely the grand scenery of the Canadian Rockies. Formerly visitors had to occupy observation cars attached as "trailers" to the regular express trains. The car will be able to make little trips to Field, etc., and a new pleasure is thus opened up by the enterprise of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. There is accommodation for 14 people on the car, and five gallons of the gasolene enables it to run about 100 miles.

The state railway administration in Prussia has just settled upon a system of electric lighting for trains which is attracting much attention in Germany. The axle-driven dynamo having been found objectionable because it borrows too much power from the locomotive, and the system of storage-batteries being undesirable for other reasons, the plan adopted is to place on the locomotive a steam-driven dynamo, which supplies a current to a small regulating battery in each car. Thus every car in a vestibuled train has a separate lighting system fed from its own accumulator, although the general supply comes from the generator on the locomotive. Each car is provided with ceiling lamps and reading lamps.

The recent outbreak of volcanoes in the Antilles gives peculiar interest to a novel and rather startling theory propounded by the German geologists Paul and Fritz Sarasin. Says the Berlin "Gartenlaube" (newspaper): "Many theories have been proposed to account for the glacial epoch—or, rather, epochs—but none seems quite satisfactory. Now the Sarasins have calculated that a reduction of the average annual temperature by 7 degrees or 8 degrees F. would suffice to produce all the phenomena of glaciation. Such a reduction, they hold, may very well have been caused by volcanic eruptions. In the unparalleled eruption of Krakatoa in 1884 immense quantities of dust were lifted to a great height in the air. This dust remained suspended in the atmosphere for years, during which it was the cause of singular sunset effects and nocturnal 'silver clouds' observed in various parts of the world. Now, if we imagine the simultaneous eruption of a great many volcanoes, it is evident that the dust and smoke might impede the sun's rays sufficiently to bring about the small variation of annual temperature mentioned. A pleasing corollary of this ingenious theory is that, if we accept it, we must also accept the possibility of a new ice-age at any time."



Jones—Yes, Smith, old man, I'm going to economize on car fares, and walk home from the office every day. By the way, let's go and have something. It's a long way home.

An Unfortunate Figure.

"Dearie, I didn't know that wheat could be harvested in the winter time, and yet I see in this newspaper something about the price of January wheat. When I was a girl on the farm the wheat always ripened in July or August," and her face wore a troubled look as she laid down the paper in which she had happened to glance at the market reports while looking for the society gossip.

"Wheat doesn't ripen in January now any more than it did when we were young, my love," replied her husband. "The terms you refer to do not mean that the wheat ripened in January, but that it was sold for delivery in that month. It was harvested in July, just as it used to be, stored in elevators, and kept for use at some future time. The supply thus accumulated is then sold to various buyers, some of whom want it delivered in one month and others in other months. Sales thus made are called 'futures,' and form the basis of much of the gambling that takes place on 'Change."

"How interesting! Now tell me what 'squeezing the shorts' means."

He mused a moment, and then realizing the impossibility of properly explaining the term in his limited time, said:

"You are much shorter than I, you know. Well, when I put my arms around you I 'squeeze a short,' see?"

"Oh, indeed. Well, if that's what you men do on 'Change, it accounts for your devotion to business."

And he realized that he had made a mistake.

No Serious Hitch

Berlin, Feb. 11—The officials of the Foreign Office here deny that any insuperable obstacles to the signing of the German protocol at Washington exist. They add that a comparatively unimportant question of detail has been referred to Berlin, but that the signing will occur in a few days. First, Great Britain's protocol will be signed, and then the protocols of Germany and Italy.

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through an African campaign, this sort of experience is a mere picnic."

A look of interest suddenly peeped out of the sidelong glance she gave him. Then, as he still stood in the way between her and the door, she muttered, "Very well, then," and immediately walked back to the fireplace, where she resumed her former position, standing with one foot on the fender, and her eyes directed towards that terrible looking-glass.

Astley came forward slowly, drew one of the horse-hair arm-chairs back to a discreet distance, and sat down. As she was between him and the window, the only view he could get of her face was by the light of the fire below her, which threw distorting shadows upon her face. Little as he saw, however, he was conscious that she was taking up the burden of life again, and trying to devise some manner of tricking him, so that she might hide her identity.

Long before this Astley had discovered that his companion belonged to a different social class from that he had at first supposed, and perhaps she divined his curiosity. At any rate she presently said, after a pause:

"It's really most important that I should get back to Oxford quickly, as I'm only passing through it, with—with my aunt, and I have a train to catch to-night."

"Indeed! Then it's as well the cab is coming," said Astley politely.

"Yes, I hope it won't be very late. My aunt might be anxious. As we're both in great trouble, trouble about business, she might think, you know, she might think all sorts of dreadful things," went on the girl, fluently enough, but with a manner which was transparent to the observant Astley.

"Yes, indeed," said he, in the same tone as before, when she paused.

The girl went on with her odd confidences.

"You see women are easily depressed when anything goes wrong with them, and when you've kept a shop for years, and things suddenly go wrong with it, why you don't know what to do. But I suppose you don't know anything about shopkeeping?" she went on, turning suddenly to him, as if with a little burst of frankness.

Once again Astley smiled. This time safely enough, for his face was buried in shadow. And his answer was made in a little demure voice which startled her:

"Perhaps I know as much as you about it."

There was a pause and he heard her draw a sharp breath. Then she said curtly:

"You don't believe what I'm telling you?"

Astley answered with great suavity:

"Well, no, I don't. But what does that matter? It's no affair of mine, you know!"

Dead silence followed this unexpected retort. Then the girl moved restlessly, glanced two or three times at the motionless mass of shadow in the big chair, and at last asked in a querulous, high-pitched voice:

"How do you know it's not true?"

"I would much rather not answer you, but if you insist I'll tell you how I know."

Again she waited a moment, and then said imperiously, but in a low voice:

"I do insist."

"Well, then, I see that you don't belong to the class that keep shops, that keep them seriously, I mean."

"I don't see how you can know that. Tradesmen's daughters are educated nowadays, better educated, sometimes, than other people's daughters."

"Better educated, perhaps, but not educated in quite the same way. And they don't get the same tone."

Before the girl could reply to this, the sound of wheels and hoofs struck suddenly upon the ears of both, and they heard the cab stop. The next moment they heard someone running in the passage.

"We don't want to satisfy the curiosity of these people," said Astley quickly. "I'll go out and say *I* mean to stay here the night, while you will just get into the cab and drive away."

"Oh, thanks, thanks."

He was already at the door, and they exchanged a hasty bow as he went out. She saw nothing more of him. With her heart beating a little faster, she heard his voice informing the landlady that he hardly liked to risk the chilly drive, and asking for a room for the night. And a few moments later Mrs. Beane came in and told her the cab was at the door.

She got in quickly, not giving her address in the hearing of the landlady, but simply telling the driver to go into Oxford.

It was altogether a strange adventure, Astley thought, as he wondered who the girl he had rescued could be, and what her history was. Before night, however, he had personal concerns more pressing to think about, for the chill he had got developed into a feverish attack, and he had to send for his friend and a doctor.

Although he was well enough in a few days to go back to the hotel at Oxford at which he had been staying, Astley, weakened and demoralized by this fresh attack of illness following on the still more demoralizing typhoid, stayed on in the town, instead of going to his cousin's seat on the borders of East Lancashire, for the hunting season, as he had proposed to do.

The friend he had come to Oxford to see, an undergraduate, some half-dozen years younger than himself, did his best to make the time pass pleasantly for him. He introduced Astley to his friends in the neighborhood, one by one, and finally to a family named Bascot, who lived on the outskirts of the town.

"I'm afraid you won't find them very interesting people," he remarked, as they drew near the modern gabled red-brick house one Sunday evening. "But they're inoffensive at least. The son—there's only the one—is studying for the church. He's an ardent stamp-collector, and he's going to marry a rich cousin. That's about all there is to tell about him."

They were shown into the conventional drawing-room, which agreed in all respects with the promise of the modern gabled red-bricked exterior of the house. There were the usual small, over-crowded tables, the usual curiosities, the usual photographs. One of these attracted Astley's attention: it was that of a girl, in evening dress, holding a bunch of roses. He thought he had seen the face somewhere, but could not remember where. He had not, however, had much time for considering the point when the door opened, and Robert Bascot, the son, came in.

He proved to be a rather small and effeminate-looking fair man, with curly light hair like a baby's, and a precise little voice and manner. Astley mentally agreed with his friend that the stamp-collector might be amiable, but was not interesting.

And then two ladies came in.

"Mr. Haigh—my mother—my cousin!" said Robert Bascot, introducing the visitor.

Astley bowed, and shook hands with the elder lady. Then his heart leaped up to his mouth. For as his eyes met those of the younger lady, their eyes flashed out a mutual recognition.

Robert Bascot's cousin was the girl Astley had saved from drowning ten days before!

CHAPTER III.

Nobody noticed the confusion of these two, as Robert Bascot chirped out their names in introducing them to each other.

Astley bowed and looked down; so did Norma Bascot. There was a second's pause, and then it was Mrs. Bascot, a thin-faced woman of forty-five or so, who wore glasses and was "intellectual," who began the conversation.

And Norma stole away to the furthest possible corner, and took care not to meet Astley's eyes.

He was so utterly bewildered by the discovery that the girl he had saved from drowning and the rich cousin whom Robert Bascot was to marry were one and the same person, that it was with the greatest possible difficulty that he answered intelligently, and laughed in the right places.

And as soon as he could, he took the opportunity of examining minutely the face of the woman who had appeared to him within so short a time in two such very different characters.

So different indeed, that if it had not been for her own miserable self-consciousness, Astley might even have been tempted to believe himself mistaken. For, with her black hair beautifully dressed, parted in the middle, waved, and coiled into a massive knot behind her head, her face looked much more beautiful than it had done when she was blue with the cold and sick with nervousness: while her slight figure, which had presented no particular attraction when wrapped in a bedraggled skirt and shapeless jacket, looked exceedingly graceful now that she wore a black silk skirt, with a slight train, and a blouse of lavender silk trimmed with black velvet, and two rows of lovely pearls round her throat.

In the course of the evening Astley noticed other circumstances about the girl which excited his curiosity still further. In the first place, she received the attentions of Robert Bascot, who was most effusively courteous and even affectionate to her, with an irritable petulance which was patent to such a close observer as Astley. When the devoted Robert chirped into her ear, she looked helplessly round the room as if anxious for a chance of escape; and when he leaned over her, with an odd, prim little assumption of tender possession, she got up and walked away.

And throughout the long and somewhat heavy evening, which was characterised by much exchange of a dry sort of talk which the frequenters of the house considered intellectual and stimulating, the girl talked to everybody in the house, which was soon half full of visitors, except to Astley.

He, on his side, was bound to respect her evident wish that he should be equally discreet; but his curiosity was piqued all the same, and he would have been glad to exchange if only a few words with his heroine

The next best thing to talking with her, however, was to talk about her, and he contrived to mention her to Mrs. Bascot, by taking up the photograph he had previously noticed, and asking whether this was her niece.

"Yes," said the lady at once, "that is Norma. It's rather a good one: don't you think so?"

"Very," said Astley. And as he spoke he raised his eyes, and saw that the girl herself, with a look of deep anxiety burning in her eyes, had drawn near enough to listen to what her aunt and he were saying.

"It gives the Italian look, doesn't it?"

"Italian," said Astley, glancing first at the portrait and then at the beseeching eyes of the girl herself, and then quickly looking down again, "yes, perhaps it does. Is she Italian?"

"Not altogether, of course. Her father was my husband's brother. But her mother was half Italian, which accounts, I suppose, for some of her daughter's perversity. Norma's eccentricity is rather trying."

The good lady did not know how near her niece was.

"Well, eccentricity is rather refreshing in these days when we're all as much alike as if we'd been turned out by machinery," said Astley politely.

"Not in a young girl," retorted Mrs. Bascot almost tartly. "Why, only imagine what she did the other day! In the most dreadful weather, with a hurricane blowing and the snow falling fast, she went for a walk along the river bank, and of course slipped into the water, and came back more dead than alive, looking like a drowned rat. What do you think of that?"

Once more Astley looked up from the photograph, and saw that the girl was standing quite close to her aunt, looking piteously into his face. His eyes met hers for a moment only, and then he turned to the elder lady and said:

"Well, I think, if she fell into the water on a snowy winter's day, that you won't have to reproach her with such eccentricity again!"

The next glimpse he caught of Norma was of a pair of big dark eyes swimming in grateful tears.

When the time came for going away Astley tried hard to get near enough to the girl to bid her good-night. But she would not let him. She became absorbed in the conversation of somebody else whenever she saw him coming her way.

Astley, of course, said nothing to his friend, Jack Fielding, about his discovery. But he lingered on in Oxford, and when Jack proposed another visit to the Bascots, he readily assented.

"Now I wonder at your wanting to go there again," Jack said. "To my mind it's the slowest house in Oxford. And the women one meets there are all so high dried, except Mrs. Bascot's niece. You're not attracted there, I hope, because you know she's booked!" he added complacently.

Astley shrugged his shoulders with a frown.

"Am I likely to be attracted by any woman, after my experience?" said he impatiently.

"I know you say you're not, but—"

"And it's the truth. Perhaps one of the attractions of the Bascots' house to me is that the culture-prigs seem to have dried most of the attractiveness of femininity out of the ladies."

"Not out of Norma. She's feminine enough, in all conscience, with her im-

To be Continued.

A Dominion Exhibition

Ottawa, Ont., February 12—Dr. Orr, general manager of the Toronto Industrial Exhibition, is in the city interviewing the ministers in regard to the holding of a Dominion exhibition. An effort is being made by the management of the Toronto Industrial Exhibition to acquire possession of the military lands adjoining the show grounds, so as to enable them to be taken into the space.

THE HUMBERTS IN COURT TODAY

Opening of the Celebrated Swindle Cases in Paris—Madame Is as Cool as Ever

Paris, Feb. 11.—The Humbert family made its first appearance in the criminal courts today, when the case of Banker Cattani was taken up in the Ninth Correctional Chamber. There was great public interest manifested, and the court-room was crowded.

The Humberts were brought in like ordinary prisoners, and took seats in the prisoners' box. Madame Therese Humbert displayed her usual bravado and coolness. Her sister, Marie Daurignac, apparently was much unnerved, while the latter's brothers Romain and Emile maintained an attitude of calm defiance. The case does not involve the main question concerning the Crawford millions, but M. Cattani's charge that they libelled him in referring to the banker as a usurer indirectly affects the entire transaction.

The early stages of the trial today did not introduce any sensations. Madame Humbert gave a long, rambling statement of her dealings with M. Cattani, and alleged that his demands for excessive interest and her borrowing from him amounted to about $600,000. When M. Cattani was heard, and he repudiated the charge of usury, Madame Humbert sprang from her seat and asked for the privilege of interrogating the banker, but the presiding magistrate sternly repressed her.

STUDY IS "BAD FORM

In the Regiment and Young Leveson-Gower Had to Leave

London, Feb. 11.—The Guards' scandal is monopolizing the press. Indignation is general especially in the case of Lieutenant Leveson-Gower, nephew of Admiral Cochrane, who bullied out of the regiment because he insisted upon studying military subjects. Study is considered bad form in the Guards. Colonel Kinloch won't talk, but the matter will be brought before Parliament.

People who have opinions to express on the subject of the "ragging" in the Guards should remember one fact—that the Brigade of Foot Guards is remarkably efficient from the military standpoint. The Guards' Brigade went through the South African campaign from Belmont to the blockhouse lines with credit. Their dash in the early morning at Belmont taught the Boers the fighting power of the British soldier when he can get at his enemy, and produced, loyal Afrikanders state, an immense moral effect in South Africa. They showed steadiness and constancy all through the war, and probably had a longer term of continuous campaigning than any other infantry brigade. The Foot Guards are the one corps of infantry in Great Britain in which genuine short service prevails. The men remain only three years with the colors, yet their excellence in ceremonial drill is proverbial, and the events of the past three years have shown that good drill and good fighting are not necessarily divorced. Such proficiency on the part of such young soldiers must mean unusually hard work on the part of the regimental officers. Let that be remembered when subalterns' courts-martial are being passed in view.

BOY ATE RED PEPPER DIED OF STARVATION

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Montreal, Feb. 11.—The courts will have to deal with an extraordinary case as a result of a verdict of manslaughter returned by the coroner's jury at an inquest held into the death of A. Procal Fox, the six year old son of Joseph Fox, St. Lazare, County of Vaudreuil, near Montreal, who died on Sunday, after several months of suffering.

The evidence showed that in June last the father took his boy with him to a building bee at Alphonse Charlebois, and Miss Sududa Charlebois, 20 years of age, gave the boy a red pepper to eat. Severe sickness and convulsions followed, and vomiting was kept up for five or six days, after which he was never able to swallow food. The cause of death, according to medical testimony, was starvation, and the jury returned a verdict holding Miss Charlebois criminally responsible for the death of the boy, and ordered her arrest.

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CAPITAL, - - $500,000

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50,000 of our 7 per cent. Preferred Treasury Stock Shares, $100.00 each

Payments as follows: 20 per cent. on amount of stock subscribed for at time of subscription; 30 per cent. in 60 days balance in 90 days. Receipts will be issued until full amount of stock subscribed is paid, when certificates bearing the Company's seal, and signed by the President, Secretary and Treasurer are issued. The McLennan Paint Co., Limited, have one of the most modern plants of its kind in the world, occupying 300,000 square feet of floor space. The capital of the Company is a half million dollars. The growth of the business has been phenomenally rapid and conservative. In line with other large industries, the Company propose to establish a branch factory in Canada for the manufacture of their products, which are covered by valuable patents, and which practically give the Company a monopoly, and, for the above purpose, offer at par $50,000 of their 7 per cent. Preferred Treasury Stock

The McLennan Paint Company, Limited, was organized in 1892 by Mr. C. J. McLennan of the McLennan Dipping Process, and other valuable paint-making machinery. The Company began business in rented premises, in East Buffalo. So profitable was the business, and so rapid the growth, that large factories were built in North Buffalo in 1895. The business again doubled, and another plant was added in 1898. In 1901 the Company invented and perfected a line of reds, or vermilions, permanent in color, and at much less cost than the old line colors. This increased the sale of their products practically one-fourth, making it necessary for them to build a new Color and Chemical Works. This factory is without doubt the largest and most modern in the world. Mr. Charles J. McLennan, the President of the Company, and the inventor of labor-saving machinery, such as dipping tanks, mills, etc., is recognized as one of the most skillful and best known paint manufacturers in the country. The name and fame of this Company, and its products, are known all over the United States and foreign countries, and that they will capture the Canadian market is evidenced by the fact that many of the large Canadian manufacturers are at present using their goods, in face of the heavy duty. It is with a view to saving this 25 per cent. duty and adding it to to the profits of the Company that they have decided to establish a branch in Canada, which will be controlled and managed by the parent Company.

Practical men of means, character and national reputation constitute the directorate and management. Each department is managed by a skilled man; monthly statements rendered and careful audet made semi-annually. The books are always open to the smallest shareholder. The finances of such a concern are guarded as closely as the finances of any bank, and failure is practically impossible.

COPY OF TESTIMONIALS.

A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.: Columbia National Bank, Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 23, 1903.

DEAR SIR,—The McLennan Paint Co. are good customers of this bank, and I have known them personally for years. All the officers bear excellent reputations, and are considered good business men. Their management is evidenced by the large business they have built up, as careful and conservative. They have met with great success in the past, and I beileve that today, theirs is one of the largest and most prosperous concerns of its kind. I have every reason to believe that the stock which they are now offering for sale is a desirable, as well as a safe investment. Yours very truly,

L. H. GETHOEFER, Cashier.

The Merchants' Refining Co., Refiners of Petroleum, Paraffines, Paraffine Wax,
Lubricating Oils, Residuum, Napthas, and Gasoline,

A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.; Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 23, 1903

DEAR SIR,—Your favor of 21st received, and note you are offering for sale $50,000 of the preferred stock of the McLennan Paint Company and ask me what I know of the firm. Would say I have had business dealings for eight years—transactions of many thousands of dollars. I am also doing business with other houses engaged in the same line, and desire to say there is no house in America to-day that stands higher than the McLennan Paint Co. The growth of their business has been phenomenally large, and under the conservative management of the President, Mr. C. J. McLennan, the success of the business is assured in the future. As an investment, in my judgment, nothing could be safer than the stock they offer.

Very respectfully, C. A. SALISBURY, Manager.

A. C. Cornell, Toronto, Ont.: Buffalo, Jan. 26th, 1903.

Dear Sir,—Referring to the sale of $50,000 of our 7 per cent. Preferred Stock, the Prospectus does not elaborate on the proposition, but merely mentions the amount guaranteed. I desire to inform you, however, we could have paid at least 14 per cent. last year, but carried balance to a Reserve Fund, which, necessarily, makes the stock very valuable.

Very truly yours,
THE McLENNAN PAINT CO., LIMITED,
C. J. McLennan, Manager.

P.S.—Having visited this proposition on behalf of some very conservative investors, I can verify all the above. The plant is extensive and modern in every detail; officers and management skilled and very industrious; all the products superior. This is a Canadian Company, Canadian Charter. Having built in Buffalo, in proximity to raw material, by shipping here in ground state and preparing here, will save and add large duty to already large profits. Bear in mind this is not prospective, but a large, rich, going, paying institution. Prospectus, application forms, and any further particulars, and subscriptions, address the undersigned. All cheques or drafts for stock made to the order of the Company, and forwarded to

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Our stock has been underwritten by a large and responsible Trust Company.

This means that they guarantee our stock with a fully paid up Gold Bond placed in your hands for the entire amount you invest and both Gold Bond and Stock belong to you, and the Gold Bond pays you back all your money and you have the Stock left, and in addition they pay you interest semi-annually on every dollar you invest from the very start. In this way you get interest on every dollar you invest, from the very start. No lost time earning interest on your money and no possibility of losing your money, being as safe as first mortgages on good real estate and the Management feel sure that an investment made now will make you comfortably rich in old age, should all else fail you.

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CAPITAL

10,000 shares 7 per cent. Cumulative Preferred Stock, par value $100 each........$1,000,000 00
50,000 shares Common Stock, par value $100 each, issued and fully paid........$5,000,000 00
Total Capitalization........$6,000,000 00

Issue of $1,000 000 7% Preferred Stock in 10,000 Shares o $100 each at par.

This Stock is preferred both as to Assets and Dividends.

The shares are entitled to cumulative preferred dividends from the net earnings of the Company, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, payable half-yearly on the first days of April and October. They may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged for common shar s. They are subject to be called in, in whole or in part, by the Company, at 15.00 per share, at any time on or after 1st January 1909.

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The whole of the instalments remaining unpaid at any time may be prepaid in full. A discount of one per cent will be allowed upon the par of each share if prepaid at time of allotment.

Notice of allotment will be sent promptly by ordinary letter.

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Company owns 9,600 acres of coal property known throughout the coal trade as the New Campbellton Colliery, located on Bras D'Or Bay, County of Victoria, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia. Mine is fully equipped, producing and marketing 100 tons of coal a day at a net profit of $1.00 a ton. Improvements are now being made that will increase the output to over 1,000 tons a day. On present output, figuring 300 working days in year, the net result will more than pay interest on entire issue of preferred, with output of 1,000 tons a day net result will be $300,000 per annum.

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Company owns in fee simple, free and clear of all incumbrances, 4,000 acres of iron ore deposit, located at Natashquan (tidewater) situate on North shore of Gulf of St. Lawrence, in the County of Saguenay, province of Quebec.

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GEO. G. HALDEMAN, Director.

REPORT BY EX-SUPERINTENDENT OF MINE

Cecil R. Gold Mining and Milling Co., Los Angeles, California.

Ballarat, Cal., Nov. 1st, 1902.

Gentlemen,—Your request for my opinion as to the "[illegible]" group of mines and [illegible] claims in which you are interested in this territory, to hand, and in reply will say:

The "[illegible]" group, which is located southeast of Ballarat some three and a half miles, consists of twelve claims, equal to 240 acres. The ledge crops out, more or less the full length of these claims, showing the same character and formation of rock as where development work has been done. In [illegible] of the [illegible] it shows highly mineralized rock, with [illegible] of iron, mica, schist, slate, [illegible] porphyry, gouge, quartz and [illegible], all bearing more or less. Where work has been done, it shows a very marked improvement in both quantity and quality of gold-bearing rock. [illegible] with the [illegible], the ore [illegible] much iron and copper stain. All mill tests show [illegible] are commencing with the surface; in fact, I milled for several days and recovered [illegible] and [illegible] per ton, yet the milling process does not pay more than two-thirds of the value of the ore, the tailings [illegible] as high as [illegible] per ton, and [illegible] than [illegible]. To save the entire value of your ore it will be necessary to install either concentrators or a cyanide plant. From careful study and [illegible] examination of the surface of the ground, and down as far as has been opened below the surface, I am highly pleased with the property. It is certainly a fine property, and as good as any I have ever had the pleasure of examining. Considering your mill site, with [illegible] facilities added, water, fuel, and cheapness of mining the ore, the Cecil R. will be capable of paying continuous dividends when your capacity for milling is increased to what it ought to be.

Wishing you every success, I remain, Yours very truly,

(Signed) G. W. FLEMING,

Ex-Mine Supt. Cecil R. Gold Mining and Milling Company.

[illegible] is now [illegible] cents a share, and we offer [illegible] shares at this price, but it may be advanced by January 1st, 1903, to [illegible] a share.

Address Los Angeles Branch,

Mining, Investment & Brokerage Co.,
PLATTSBURG, MO.

[illegible] Wilcox Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal. Telephone John [illegible].

References—[illegible] Bank & Trust Co. J. M. GRAYBILL, Vice-President.

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SIOCK MARKETS

COTTON AND THE SOUTHERN ROADS

New York, Feb. 13—The recent sharp and well merited rise in cotton is going to have an extremely bullish effect upon the stocks of the various southern railway lines. Cotton has advanced about one cent per pound. A perusal of the files of these letters and of one of our special weekly cotton letters will show how correctly they at the proper time foreshadowed the advance. The gain figuring 500 pounds to the bale, and a crop of 11,000,000 bales, means an increase in the wealth of the south of 55,000,000. This will give them that additional amount of purchasing power, and will inure to the benefit of the railways of the southwest. It will be a great stimulus to all southern issues. We are very bullish, as a consequence, upon Katy, and Texas and Pacific and all of the southern issues. The south shows a relative larger percentage of gain proportionately than does any other section of the country. More money has gone into these states from the north in the past year or so than ever before. They never were in such excellent financial shape. Another favorable feature having an important bearing upon the future of values is the way legislation is shaping at Washington. The Aldrich bill, if it become a law, and it now looks as if it will, obviate any further difficulty and its market effect will be both instantaneous and marked easy money. Good prices for crops, growing railway traffic, all the time are bound to bring their one market effect. What won't go down must go up in Wall street. Things cannot remain stagnated there for any length of time. As every effort recently made to depress prices has fallen flat and listless, it is fair to anticipate that efforts to advance prices will meet with every encouragement.

Summary—London came depressed early this morning apparently upon the announcement of the new Erie Bond issue made public over the holiday. Quick sellers of Erie might consider however what happened after the Atchison announcement of a new bond issue. After an early depression the stock advanced over 14 points. We deem it unwise to sell Erie but would advise its purchase when weak. Copper kept pretty close to 70 all day and Peoples' Gas held around 107. Leather preferred after falling to 88 3-4 again crossed 94. It is going higher. Smelters crossed 66. The railways opened down also, then advanced later. The following issues look like unusually good purchases at present. Mo. P., Manhattan, B. & O., Atch., the Readings, Eries, Tex. Pac., Wabash, R. I. and Soft Coalers. We remain bullish. Tomorrow's letter, "Buy Mo. P., Gould Stocks, Market Features." Money closed 3 per cent.

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THE IRRECONCILABLES ARE DWINDLING

Line of Cleavage in South Africa More Clearly Drawn Since Saturday

London, Feb. 12—The Times' correspondent at Springfontein says the line of cleavage in the ranks of the Boer extremists who waited on Mr. Chamberlain on Friday, has been clearly defined since Saturday's banquet. The irreconcilables are reduced in number. A memorial is being signed deprecating the lack of courtesy shown Mr. Chamberlain by some of the delegates and will be forwarded to him at Cape Town.

The scheme of settlement of the compensation scheme does not meet with complete favor, however, even among the loyalists. Local Magistrates, who will be the commissioners to carry out this plan, have caused many complaints and in some cases have proved incompetent. The resident magistrates in out-lying are ordinary inhabitants. The British Government, therefore, should exercise great care in selecting the. It is no use preaching conciliation if the administration of law in the out-lying districts is [illegible] the inhabitants to justly [illegible].

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The International Electric Mining Company owns seven mines and milling plant.

The Brooklyn and New York mines of this Company lie north of and join the Victor and the Hoodlum—two rich mines that are now being worked by California parties. On the west lies the Electric Mining Company's mines. In these mines are millions of dollars' worth of rich ore in sight. On the south, adjoining the Berlin mine of this Company, is the Montazuma and Clipper. From the Montazuma over three million dollars has been taken within 80 feet of the grass roots.

This Company owns free and clear seven mines of twenty acres each, all containing rich ore, located in the Arabia and Trinity mining districts, Humboldt County, Nevada. The Company has worked these mines for the past five years, and is now driving a tunnel to cut out a rich ledge about 500 feet from the surface. The Arabia mining district, in which these mines are located, is a lively district—a great many men being employed there. The tunnel now being driven on the Brooklyn mine has about 250 feet already completed. When the tunnel cuts the main ledge, which has just been reached by the Victor tunnel about 500 feet, the Brooklyn will have about 300 feet stoping ground, which runs high in gold and silver, over $60.00 per ton.

The Company is offering for a short time a limited amount of stock for the enlargement of its plant and the working force at the mines and for the completion of the Brooklyn tunnel.

This Company has thousands of tons of rich ore in sight.

We are not making a lot of talk, because it is unnecessary. What the investor wants is dividends, which we have paid for the past five years. Now if you want a safe 12 per cent. investment, let us hear from you.

INTERNATIONAL ELECTRIC MINING Co.
185 Summer Street, Boston, Mass.

References furnished upon application.

THE OLD COMSTOCK

A California mining paper has this to say: "Nevada, that grand old stamping ground of mushroom millionaires, who plucked enough wealth from her prolific fields to build mansions, banks, and big hotels in San Francisco, and palatial residences in Paris and London, is again astonishing the world by making more millionaires and by yielding millions in gold and silver from a new field which rivals the old Comstock lode in the days of its pristine splendor. Not only in Tonopah and Arabia districts, where within the past year nearly ten millions have been exposed, are operations active, but in every mining district in the Silver State are operations active, and Nevada will once more take her place among the big producers, the peer of any of them."

Daily Nevada State Journal, January 4, 1903.

Lovelock, Nev., October 6, 1902.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—If you wish to sell your Brooklyn mine I can get you a good price for it. If it was mine I would not sell it at any price, as you have more than a million dollars of ore in sight.

G. W. OSTRANDER, Supt.

Boston, Mass., December 1, 1902.

Mr. Geo. D. Burton, Treas.,
International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—During the six months of October and November of this year I visited the mines of the International Electric Mining Company, situated in Arabia and Trinity mining districts, Humboldt County, Nevada. I found the country remarkably mineralized; in fact, the possibilities of the country as a mineral producing country are yet unknown. For years it certainly has produced well. The work now being done in the Arabia and Trinity districts establishes the fact that they are fine producers.

I also found that there is a great deal of interest being taken in these properties, which have produced a great deal of wealth the past quarter of a century.

M. A. LATHROP, Mining Engineer.

Letters Received From Some of Our Stockholders

5 West Stockton Ave.,
Allegheny, Pa., Jan. 9, 1903.

Treas. International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—I have received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, with thanks.

Yours truly,
JOHN B. LIVINGSTONE.

Nahant, Mass., January 8, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
185 Summer St., Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Yours of Jan. 1st, enclosing dividend on my one hundred shares of stock in the International Electric Mining Company, received.

R. L. COCHRAN.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—I hereby acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

Respectfully,
HENRY STREIFLER.

Hudson, Mass., Jan. 2, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir,—Yours of Jan. 1st., enclosing dividend on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company, has been received. Respectfully,

M. A. WARREN.

Lamont, Iowa, January 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Dear Sirs,—Yours of January 1st., enclosing tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock in your Company, has been received.

MRS. MARY KNATT.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—Enclosed find receipt for the semi-annual dividend due January 1st on my stock in the International Electric Mining Company.

ISAAC R. JAMIESON.

Taunton Street Railway Machine Shops,
Taunton, Mass., January 3, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,

Gentlemen,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of the tenth semi-annual dividend on my stock held by me in the International Electric Mining Company to January 1, 1903, as per receipt herewith enclosed.

FRANK S. RANDLETT.

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 14, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sirs,—Enclosed you will find my receipt for dividend for stock in the International Electric Mining Company to Jan. 1, 1903.

MICHAEL GLASSER, 565 High Street.

South Birmingham, Mass.,
January 3, 1903.

Received the International Electric Mining Company dividend to January 1, 1903, on the stock of the International Electric Mining Company standing in my name.

Respectfully,
J. W. HARNDEN.

1814 11th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.
January 11, 1903.

International Electric Mining Co.,
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen,—I received the tenth semi-annual dividend on my shares of stock in your Company and thank you very much.

Yours truly,
MILLIE C. WOOD.

The Company is conducted upon an economical and conservative basis and incorporated with a small capital stock, more than half of which is now in the Treasury of the Company, and with assets in excess of the entire capital of the Company.

MONEY IN OIL AND GAS

Stock full paid and non-assessable. Limited amount of treasury stock for sale at 60 cents per share. Sen for prospectus and particulars.

After Nov. 10th, stock will be sold at $1 per share.

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Is in this famous little kingdom, and is surrounded by mines that are making their owners wealthy.

CAPITAL STOCK $200,000 Par Value $1.00

We are working this mine every day doing a great amount of development work which will enable us to commence regular shipping very soon. Our shaft is now 175 feet deep, with a streak of pay ore starting at the grass roots, the vein is over 3 feet wide at the bottom of shaft, and runs from $45.00 to $85.00 per ton, mostly gold. We are only three-quarters of a mile from railroad and have a well traveled wagon road from mine to depot. There are thirteen stamp mills at Black Hawk, three-quarters of a mile from this property. Our company is managed on conservative lines by practical mining men who understand the business and are familiar with this field of gold.

We have placed a small block of this stock on the market at 20 cents per share which will be worth $1.00 in a short time. Now is the time to buy.

The Electric Spark Gold Mining Company,
NEBRASKA TELEPHONE BLDG, OMAHA, NEB.
C. H. J. MITCHELL, Fiscal Agent, Peterborough, Ont.

"THE FRIDAY MINE"

Located at Pearl, Willow Creek, Boise County, Idaho

About 28 Miles Northwest of Boise City

THE FRIDAY GOLD MINING CO. is a corporation duly organiz d under the laws of the State of Oregon, with head office at Sumpter, Oregon, owning and controlling "The Friday Mine." Capital Stock, $1,000,000, divided into 1,000,000 shares. Par value $1.00 per share, fully paid and non-assessable, no personal liability. 250,000 shares have been set aside and placed in the treasury of the Company to be sold for the purpose of equipping the "Friday Mine" with machinery. It is for this purpose we are offering you stock in this great mine. This plant will handle 60 tons of Friday ore every 24 hours. The general average of the Friday ore is over $20 per ton. The ore as it was shipped to the smelters at Salt Lake averaging over $35.00 per ton. The Friday is highly developed, great quantities of ore blocked out and in sight ready for the mill. As soon as the mill is completed the Friday Mine will again pay dividends.

Large ore bodies which will net to the company $50,000, for the first few months, are now blocked out ready for the mill. As soon as the mill is completed you will draw your regular monthly dividend. It is safe, certain and conservative.

We are not soliciting your money for the purpose of developing the mine, but only for the purpose of erecting a mill to work the ore bodies in the mine. The company is officered by men of well known business ability, mining experience and strict integrity.

Hon. Martin H. Jacobs, State Mining Inspector of mines, for the State of Idaho says: "The Friday has a large amount of good ore in sight, and there is no question about its being a good paying property."

Make all your cheques and drafts payable to

NEIL J. SORENSEN,
Financial Agents, SUMPTER, OREGON

or

R. J. KIDD, Fiscal Agent,
348 George Street, Peterborough.

Thunder Mountain!

is the richest gold producing camp in the United States, and also the largest. The Thunder Mountain district, in central Idaho, is twenty miles wide and forty miles long. In comparison with this we have Cripple Creek, four miles wide and seven miles long. In many of the Thunder Mountain mines ore has already been reached that carries ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS IN GOLD TO THE TON. All of the Thunder Mountain ore is free milling, which means that it can be treated by the cheapest extraction process known—the ordinary stamp mill. It can be both mined and milled at a cost not to exceed $2 a ton. The past years operations in the several working mines have opened up millions of tons of ore that will give a net profit of from $10 to $30 a ton, enabling the respective companies to pay dividends at a rate never before equalled. Such is the showing and the prospect of the

EAST DEWEY GOLD MINING CO.

which unless all indications are at fault, will become the largest producer in the district. The EAST DEWEY mine, which it owns outright, is located directly on Thunder Mountain, just east of the famous "Dewey" mine, which already has 500,000,000 of ore in sight. The surface area of the East Dewey mine is one hundred and twenty acres—six full quartz claims. The company has also secured the big GOLDEN GATE mine, in the Big Creek section of the Thunder Mountain district—which has been so aptly termed "The Pot of Gold"—and is now developing the mine with all possible speed. For a distance of 9,000 feet, nearly two miles, the Golden Gate mines cover a mineralized ledge that is 900 feet wide, with an average height above the tunnel level of 500 feet, thus giving it the largest exposed tonnage of any mine in the west.

If you would share in the enormous profits which these figures indicate and which these developments promise, invest your money in "East Dewey" Stock. It can be bought to-day for 10 Cents a Share. Its par value is $1.

If the East Dewey mines are what they appear to be, and there is absolutely no reason to doubt or question these indications, this stock will eventually be worth at least $10 a share, and to-day you can buy it for ten cents. PRICE ADVANCES TO FIFTEEN CENTS ON FEBRUARY 28th. 5% discount allowed for cash. Stock sold at flat price of 10 cents on deferred payments, 10% with application, and 10% monthly until paid. Full particulars, prospectus, etc., on request.

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Local subscriptions received by C. H. J. MITCHELL.

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THE SOUR LAKE OIL CO.

Has placed four-fifths of its stock in the treasury for development work; and because

Oil is reached in less than half the depth required on Spindletop Heights in Beaumont;

The people in Canada are well acquainted with the management, which is in the hands of HON. JOHN L. BITTINGER, United States Consul General to Canada; F. S. Ashley, Vice-President of the Massachusetts Securities Co., and W. L. Marston, Vice-President of the American Union Oil and Refining Co.

These gentlemen have made a dividend payer out of one company and have raised the value of its stock from 5c per share to par value, or 25c, within a very short time;

The company is operating in the Sour Lake field, where fewer wells will tap the oil than at Spindletop; this insures a greater flow of oil, and it is of a better quality;

This is the first allotment of shares at the present price of TEN CENTS PER SHARE; it is the lowest price at which you can buy, and the time left in which to buy at TEN CENTS is short.

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$10 buys	100 shares,
50 buys	500 shares,
100 buys	1000 shares,
500 buys	5000 shares,
$1000 buys	10000 shares.

This company has two wells producing 1000 barrels per day, and [illegible] soon. Buy if you want to make [illegible].

Call or write,

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LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS

WHEAT	
Wheat	68 to 70
FLOUR AND MEAL	
Flour, patent process, cwt.	$2 00 to 2 15
Flour, bakers', per cwt	2 25 to 2 35
COARSE GRAIN	
Barley, per bushel	40 to 40
Peas, small	65 to 60
Peas, [illegible]	65 to 80
Oats	30 to 35
Buckwheat	40 to 45
Rye	45 to 50
WOOL AND HIDES	
Wool, unwashed	[illegible]
Fleece Wool	11 to 13
[illegible] and Calf Skins	[illegible]
Deacons	[illegible]
Beef Hides per cwt	6 50 7 00
Sheepskins	20 to 30
MEAT, POULTRY, AND DAIRY PRODUCE	
Beef by the quarter, per cwt	5 00 to 6 00
Mutton, per lb	[illegible]
Lamb, quarter	[illegible] to 75
Dressed hogs, per cwt	7 00 to 7 50
Pork by the quarter, per lb	8 to 9
Lard	13 to 14
Chickens, per pair	60 to 80
Ducks, per pair	80 to 1 00
Geese, each	80 to 1 00
Turkeys, each	1 00 to 1 40
Butter, rush roll, per lb	18 to 20
Butter, crock	16 to 18
Eggs per doz	20 to 25
Hay, per ton	7 00 to 10 00
LIVE STOCK	
Cattle, choice butchers' [illegible] and heifers	3 50 to 4 50
Medium butchers' (steers and heifers)	[illegible]
Light cattle and cows	[illegible]
Feeders, 1,000-1,200	[illegible]
Stockers	3 to 3
Hogs, select, 160-200	[illegible]
Fats and [illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Stags	[illegible]
Sheep	2 50 to 3 75
Lambs, per lb	3 to 3½
GENERAL	
Potatoes	1 00 to 1 25
[illegible]	[illegible]
Wood, hard	[illegible]
Wood, soft	[illegible]
Stone, per load	[illegible]

Morning Times

PETERBOROUGH, FEB. 14, 1903

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

DASHES HERE AND THERE BY TIMES' REPORTERS

Our Fire Loss has been adjusted—will be Opened in a few days—A. W. CRESSMAN

A Good Canvasser Wanted

We want a good, steady man to canvas for The Times, to whom we will pay a good salary. None but a man with experience need apply. Apply at Times Bookstore.

St. Luke's Church

The Mission Band will meet this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. The members of the choir are requested to attend a special meeting to-night at 8 o'clock in the church. A choir practice will be held.

FIRE SALE.

On Tuesday Morning at 9 O'clock.

What remains of our DRY GOODS and CLOTHING Stock will be put on sale as the premises have to be in the hands of the contractors in 2 weeks. The sale will be

SHORT & SHARP.

Both stores will be utilized for this sale.

A. W. CRESSMAN.

385 and 387, George street.

The Delineator

The Delineator for March has reached us, and is as usual brim full of good things for the fair sex. As a fashion magazine and ladies' companion this popular periodical has no equal. For sale at The Times Bookstore, 15 cents per copy, or $1 per year.

—That Winnipeg man who called the Scotch Curlers down for drinking too much must remember that the roarin' game o' curlin' has been identified with thirst for about 100 years.

THERE IS A COLD SNAP COMING

but a WARM SNAP in prices at the old reliable firm of PETE SIMONS & CO. will make matters right. He quotes the following red hot prices:

$ 7.00 Overcoats reduced to $ 4.00
20.00 Overcoats reduced to 14.00
4.50 Peajackets reduced to 2.50
7.00 Peajackets reduced to 4.50

OPEN ON MONDAY

Mr. Robt. Fair's Store Again Ready for Business

Having succeeded in arriving at a satisfactory settlement for the damage done to their premises during the recent fire at Mr. Cressman's store, Messrs. R. Fair & Co.'s store will open for business on Monday morning next at 9.30 o'clock.

The company has been at a loss since Saturday last on account of having their store closed to the public while the negotiations for the settlement were going on.

AT THE FACTORIES

The Evangelists Have Addressed Noon-Day Meetings

Through the courtesy of the managers of the larger factories of Peterborough, services have been held for the employees at 12.40, noon hour. The Wm. Hamilton Company, the Peter Hamilton Company, and the Cereal Works have all been visited this week. The evangelists have won the men's hearts by their sweet singing and their helpful speaking.

YOUNG MEN'S GUILDS

Meeting in Charlotte Street Sunday School Room

A joint meeting of the Young Men's Guilds of the town took place last evening in Charlotte street Sunday school room. A most interesting debate was conducted on the topic "Resolved that Trades Unions should be incorporated."

THE NEW SAW MILL

Timber Being Procured for the New Dickson Company Mill

The timber and other material required for the new saw mill, which the Dickson Company propose to erect on Burnham's Point, is being hauled to the ground. The mill will be erected as quickly as possible, and will be in operation early in the season.

Men are also at work putting in buoys and cribs, to which booms for holding logs will be attached when the ice disappears. The company will have a splendid piling ground, and will be connected with both Grand Trunk and C.P.R.

Coal Dealers in Trouble

The criminal charge which is being pressed against the coal dealers of Brantford, for entering into a conspiracy to keep up the price of coal, is likely to be imitated in Ottawa. It is alleged that the dealers in the Capital are members of the Association. The Times is informed that Peterborough dealers are in no way implicated, not being connected with the combine, which has its ramifications in many towns and cities throughout the province.

Horses Wanted

Mr. W. J. Pearson will be at the following places for the purpose of buying a carload of good, sound, fat horses of every description - White's Hotel, Peterborough, Wednesday, Feb. 18th; Simpson's hotel, Lindsay, on Thursday morning, Feb. 19th; Brooks' hotel, Fenelon Falls, Thursday afternoon, February 19th. Mr. Pearson pays the highest possible prices for all kinds of horses.

Wanted One With a Hand Saw

A verdant youth who had just completed his apprenticeship as a carpenter, dropped into Alex. Gibson's jewelry store the other day, and after looking at some fraternity pins, asked, "How much is this with the squares and compasses on?" pointing to a Masonic pin. "Five dollars," said the clerk. "You haven't got one with a hand saw on it have you? I'm just out as a carpenter and joiner, and I'd like to have something to wear so people would know what I'm doing. I'll take it though I'd like to have one with a hand saw, but I guess this one is plain enough. The compass is to mark out our work and the square is to measure it out and every gol durn fool knows that G stands for gimlet." He bought the pin.

Died at Niagara Falls

The death occurred at Nigara Falls, U.S., on Friday, Feb. 6th, of Jessie E. Adams, wife of Mr. R. G. Cotton and daughter of Mr. William Adams, of Lakefield, at the age of 41 years. Deceased had been suffering for some time past from cancer, from the effects of which death resulted. A husband and two sons survive, Copeland and Fred. The remains were taken to the residence of her father, the funeral taking place on Monday last to the Lakefield cemetery. Among the floral offerings were two beautiful set pieces, one from the employees of the International Railway Company of Niagara Falls with which company Mr. Cotton is employed as conductor, and the other was sent by employees of the International Paper Company, where Copeland Cotton is employed.

LITTLE LOCAL LINES

—This is St. Valentine's day.

—A couple of boys are wanted at the Times Office.

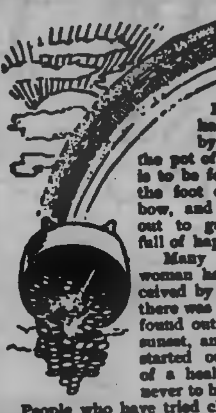
—Pedestrians are still obliged to take to the middle of the road in many parts of the town.

—Mr. Frank Sandford, of the Fenelon Falls Wooden Ware Works, has converted his business into a joint stock company with $50,000 capital. Of that sum $30,000 is outside capital. The village of Fenelon Falls proposes to take $15,000 of preferred stock paying 5 per cent. and fix the assessment at $5,000. A by-law providing for these things will be submitted. The plant will be enlarged and improved and about 50 hands employed.

—The Belleville City Council at their sitting last Monday night rearranged the civic offices and fixed salaries as follows: City Clerk, $700 per year; city solicitor, $400; city treasurer, $700; with $200 additional for waterworks; city surveyor and town commissioner, $700, and $300 as manager of the waterworks; engineer for fire department, $450; assistant chief, $300; medical health officer, $100. A reduction of about $1,000 is thus made. The Council will grant $800 a year to the Public Library on condition that the board guarantee that no debts be left at the end of the year.

BIRTH

BARRY—At Ashburnham, on 6th instant, a daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barry.



Many a child has been fooled by the story of the pot of gold which is to be found just at the foot of the rainbow, and has started out to gather riches full of happy dreams.

Many a man and woman have been deceived by the tale that there was health to be found out beyond the sunset, and they have started out dreaming of a healthful future, never to be realized.

People who have tried change of climate in vain for the cure of weak lungs have been perfectly and permanently cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures deep-seated coughs, bronchitis, bleeding lungs, emaciation, and other conditions which, if neglected or unskilfully treated, find a fatal end in consumption.

"Last spring I had a severe attack of pneumonia which left me with a very bad cough, and also left my lungs in a very bad condition," writes John M. Russell, Esq., of Brent, Cherokee Nat., Ind. Ty. "I had no appetite and was so weak I could scarcely walk. My breast was all sore with running sores. I got two bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which I believe saved my life. I cannot express my gratitude to you. I am able now to do very good work."

Any substitute offered as "just as good" as "Golden Medical Discovery" is a shadow of that medicine. There are cures behind every claim made for the "Discovery," which no "just as good" medicine can show.

The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, a book containing 1008 pages, is given away. Send 31 one-cent stamps, for expense of customs and mailing *only*, for the book in paper covers, or 50 stamps for the volume bound in cloth. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Childrens' Aid Society

CHILDRENS' AID SOCIETY Peterborough for the care of neglected and ill-treated children. Incorporated by Act of Legislature 1893. Information requested. Informants names kept strictly private. Office hours 10 to 12 a. m., 4 to 5 p. m. George Cochrane, agent and assistant secretary. Office Division Court buildings.

WANTED

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to February 25, 1903, for the position of Street Commissioner of the Town of Peterborough. State qualifications, experience in asphalt, macadam and concrete sidewalk work, and salary. S. R. ARMSTRONG, Town Clerk.

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W. G. MORROW, Manager.

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders for the supply of Stationery and Chemicals required for the Public Schools and Collegiate Institute, for the year ending March 1st, 1904, will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Friday, the 20th inst. A list of the articles required will be supplied on application.

W. C. MORROW,
Secretary Board of Education.

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—NEW—

Telephone Directory

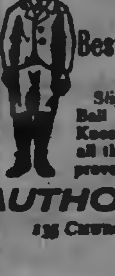
The Bell Telephone Co. of Canada will issue a new

Subscribers' Directory

for the District of Eastern Ontario, including the City of Peterborough, early in January, 1903. Orders for new connections, changes of firm names, etc., should be placed at once to insure appearance in this book.

F. W. DOAN,
Local Manager.

Peterboro'



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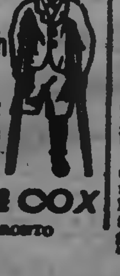

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135 CHURCH ST., TORONTO

COUNTY POLICE COURT

Two Cases Tried at Havelock Police Court on Thursday

A session of the County Police Court was held on Thursday at Havelock, and the following cases were brought up before County Police Magistrate Edmison:

Inspector Crowe laid a complaint against James Moloney for selling liquor without a license.

The County Police Magistrate deemed the evidence insufficient and dismissed the case.

Nathan Hubbs charged George A Parcels with a breach of the game law. A number of witnesses were heard, and it transpired that Parcels had cut open four muskrat houses, and had placed traps in them. Two of the witnesses were unable to appear, as they had been summoned on too short notice, and the case was enlarged for a week, in order that the remaining evidence might be heard.

Telephone Rates

It is estimated that the Bell Telephone Companies of the United States will expend $25,000,000 during 1903 in extending their business, and that at least 200,000 new subscribers will be added to the exchanges.

The Cuyahoga (Ind.) Telephone Company, of Cleveland, having made application to the City Council for the right to increase its rates and been refused, now propose to go ahead with the increase without permission of the Civic Government. The officials of the company stated before the Council that they must get higher rates or go out of business. The proposed increase is for residence $36 to $44, and for business $48 to $60 per annum. These rates are interesting to Canadian Telephone users who have been getting service at less rates than the above without the expense and nuisance of competition.

The net output of telephones by the American Bell Telephone Company during 1902 was 624,714 being the largest in the history of the company. The company has now in operation in the United States 3,150,320 telephone and the number of subscribers is increasing at a tremendous rate requiring an enormous increase in capital.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Miss Eva Whitten is making a short visit at Whitby and Oshawa.

—Miss Smiley, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Taylor, of Ashburnham, returned home to Toronto yesterday.

—Mrs. J. S. LeHane, of Rochester, is in town for a few days, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. O'Shea, Commercial house.

—Mr. Robert Cunningham, of Messrs. Richard Hall & Sons, has accepted a position in Madill Bros' store, Napanee, as manager of the carpet department. His many friends will wish him every success in his future undertakings.

The Floating Hells of the Atlantic.

If the sensational charges made in a book recently published in London ("At the Closed Door," by Robert H. Sherrard) have any foundation, there are indescribably hellish scenes enacted in the strange cabins of many of the Atlantic liners. The book is reviewed and some extracts given in "Truth." In order to spy out the nakedness of the land, Mr. Sherrard took steerage passage in a French liner to find the ship a floating hell to those who were too poor to bribe the stewards:

"One of the most cruel weapons used by the steerage stewards to bring to reason persons who were unreasonable as to paying the fee they were ordered not to pay, was the privation of drinking water. The women and little children suffered dreadfully for want of it during the throes of sea-sickness. Yet water there was in plenty. On the night of the 14th a body of women, with children in their arms, went aft, surrounded the padlocked cistern, and clamored for water. They were driven off with abuse and violence."

Hence water for washing was, of course, unobtainable—if it was wanted; but such was the indescribable, inconceivable filth of many of Mr. Sherrard's fellow-passengers that they would not have washed at Elisha's bidding in Jordan itself. "Of all animals in creation," he says, speaking from the depths of this poignant experience, "man, when he is dirty, is the very dirtiest." But the unwashen Jews found their way to the front of this crowd and crush with their usual sinuous and pushing perseverance:

"The timid and diffident went to the wall; the others, and amongst these the Jews, were noticeably prominent, encroached, and widely extended their privileges. There were three hideous little Jewish boys, whom I saw during the whole of the voyage, laden with delicacies from first-class kitchens. I often noticed them walking about on the first-class deck."

The sufferings of this "middle passage," however, were as nothing to the sufferings which—according to Mr. Sherrard—the penniless emigrants had to endure on Ellis Island, where they are detained by the New York authorities for weeks and even months together, before being packed back, as destitutes, to Europe. "From Havre onwards we had been treated much as sheep, or, perhaps, as pigs; but on landing we might consider ourselves dangerous and maleficent animals." In truth, men, women and children were bludgeoned—their jailers were all armed with bludgeons—on little or no provocation. Here is one specimen scene:

"At five o'clock we were ordered upstairs for supper. A man with filthy hands filled our hats or handkerchiefs with mouldy prunes. Another thrust two lumps of bread into our hands. Supervising the distribution was a foul-mouthed Bowery rough in his shirt-sleeves, who danced upon one of the tables and poured forth upon us torrents of obscene and blasphemous abuse. Nor did he content himself with this demonstration of the contempt in which he held us, for I saw him drag one old man, a long-bearded Polish Jew in a gaberdine, past the barrel of prunes by the hair of the face, and I saw him kick another emigrant, a German, on the head with his heavy boot."

Perhaps it may be said that these penniless people had no business to give the States Government the trouble of reshipping them to their homes. But, in the first place, many of the telegrams entrusted to the jailers for forwarding to well-to-do relatives in New York were burked, and the money—often a gross overcharge—pocketed; and, in the second place, these hapless wretches on this Devil's Island were lured to New York by an unscrupulous emigration agent:

"In the many conversations I had that afternoon with various people of various nationalities, in almost every instance I heard the blame for all suffering laid on the agent who had sold the steamship ticket without troubling to explain the [illegible]

CAUGHT BY THE GRIP.
RELEASED BY PE-RU-NA.

Congressman Geo. H. White's Case.
A Noted Sculptress Cured.

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LIEUT. CLARICE HUNT.

The world of medicine recognizes Grip as epidemic catarrh. - - Medical Talk.

LA GRIPPE is epidemic catarrh. It spares no class or nationality. The cultured and the ignorant, the aristocrat and the pauper, the masses and the classes are alike subject to la grippe. None are exempt—all are liable.

Have you the grip? Or, rather, has the grip got you? Grip is well named. The original French term, la grippe, has been shortened by the busy American to read "grip." Without intending to do so a new word has been coined that exactly describes the case. As if some hideous giant with awful Grip had clutched us in its fatal clasp. Men, women, children, whole towns and cities are caught in the baneful grip of a terrible monster.

Pe-ru-na for Grip.

Mrs. Theophile Schmitt, wife of the Ex-Secretary of the German Consulate, writes the following letter from 3417 Wabash avenue, Chicago, Ill.:

"I suffered this winter with a severe attack of la grippe. After using three bottles of Peruna I found the grip had disappeared."—Mrs. T. Schmitt.

Mrs. Celeste Covell writes from 219 N. avenue, Aurora, Ill.:

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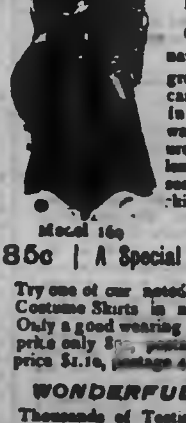

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